

10 a.m.—Pres. J. S. Buchan in the chair. The first order of business was the report of the Committee appointed to consider the case of Bro. D. Reddick.

Your Committee appointed to consider the matter of the assault on the Rev. David Reddick, and the miscarriage of justice in connection therewith, beg leave to recommend:—

1. That this Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec do express its reprobation of the dastardly assault committed on a British subject, the Rev. David Reddick, by a mob near the town of Waskom, Harrison county, Texas, and of the conduct of the authorities in failing to bring the perpetrators of the outrage to justice.

2. That this Convention further express the hope that the proper authorities of the Dominion of Canada will enquire into the case and take such action with respect to it as the ends of justice may require.

This, on motion of Bro. D. Spencer, was adopted with instructions that it be forwarded to the proper authorities.

The Convention then received nominations to fill vacancies on the Home Mission Board. The result of the ballot was the election of Brethren Thos. Urquhart, L. G. Carter, C. Goodspeed.

Bro. C. Goodspeed, chairman of the committee on "State of the Denomination," read the report of the same.

Rev. Dr. Hannon, of the Methodist Church, and Rev. Mr. McDonald, of the Presbyterian Church, were presented to the Convention and spoke a few words of kindly greeting.

The report of the Treasurer of Home Mission Board was read by Bro. John Stark. This, on motion, was accepted subject to Auditors' report.

Then followed the appointment of Home Mission Associational Secretaries. (For names see Report.)

The following brethren were here introduced to the Convention:—W. H. Greer, J. E. Bill, Wm. Lennie, W. H. Prince, J. J. Baker, — Hatchett, A. Grant, S. VanTassel.

Bro. Ira Smith then moved the adoption of the report on the "State of the Denomination," including in the motion the continuance of the Committee, and the publishing of the report in the Year Book.

The Committee of last year on "State of Religion" was re-appointed, viz.:—Brethren C. Goodspeed, J. H. Farmer, C. C. McLaurin, E. W. Dadson, D. D. Burtch.

The Committee appointed to consider the matter of delegates' expenses and change of time of Convention, reported through the chairman, Bro. A. Murdoch:—