

has invited the co-operation of the various Auxiliary and Branch Societies it was accordingly agreed that the members adopted by the committee of the New Brunswick Auxiliary in all of that town, viewing it as the best means of benefiting the vast population of the West, dependent on the British Empire.

3. Moved by Rev. John Armstrong and seconded by Rev. Mr. Swaby:

Resolved—That the continued success of the operations of the British and Foreign Bible Society, and the temporal and spiritual blessings resulting therefrom, be due to the Christian Church, than to the world at large, and a cause of deep thankfulness to Almighty God for raising up, as always, and year by year, rendering more efficient the honored instrument for making known His way upon earth. His saving love to all nations.

4. Moved by Rev. Mr. Wainwright seconded by Rev. S. Thompson:

Resolved—That in the opening of the population and civilized islands of Japan to commercial intercourse with Christian countries; in the important treaty relations recently formed with China; and in the friendly reception given to Missionary visits in many of the islands of the Eastern sea, this meeting cannot but perceive new fields of usefulness opened before the Bible Society, and new calls upon the zeal and liberality of all its supporters.

5. Moved by Rev. Mr. Darnley and seconded by Dr. Rogers:

Resolved—That the best thanks of this meeting are due to the Ladies' Bible Association of St. John, and the various Branch Societies connected with this Auxiliary, for their aid during the past year; and that we hail most cordially the accession of the several new branches at Dorchester, Grand Falls, Andover and Berlin, Simonds and Frishton, Vivian and Pictouville, Northampton, Prince William, Kingsclere, Millville, Chipman, New Brunswick, Greenfield, Westfield, Hantsport, and Hantsport, established under the Agency of Mr. Isaac Smith, who has during the past year, as in a previous one, rendered valuable services to the Bible cause in this Province. This meeting also desires gratefully to recognize the services of the Rev. Mr. Lawson in the formation of Branch Societies at Cambridge, Upton and Black River.