

That the Churches in the Western Association be affectionately invited to agree with the proposal made by the Eastern Association to divide the debt proportionally among the Baptist Churches in this Province.

That whereas the Hon. J. McCully of Halifax, has liberally offered to be one of one hundred to secure the removal of the debt; that the thanks of the Society are hereby given to that gentleman for his spontaneous kindness, and that the Directors would be grateful to any friends who may be disposed to render them similar aid.

The Ladies of Brussels Street Church having furnished a bed for the use of the Ministerial Students who may be in attendance at the Seminary, that the thanks of the Society be presented to those Ladies for their welcome gift, and that this mode of aiding the poor be recommended for imitation.

That the charge for board be Eight and Sixpence a week, exclusive of washing, and that the thanks of the Society be given to Mr. and Mrs. Gunter for their excellent management of the Steward's department, since they have had it in charge.

C. SPURDEN, CHAIRMAN.

Animating addresses were then delivered by Brethren Spurden, Thompson, E. N. Harris, Tupper, Bill, and Francis.  
Adopted.

*Resolved*, That the Rev. C. Spurden be Treasurer *pro tem.* for the Education Society.

*Resolved*, That the Report be printed in the Minutes.

The following Brethren were then appointed as a Committee to apportion the Education Debt on the Churches: Elders Miles, Hughes, Todd, W. Harris, Francis, and Blakeney.

Moved an adjournment to 3 o'clock, P. M.  
Prayer by Brother Saunders.

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Afternoon Session, 3½ o'clock, P. M.

*Circular Letter* read by Brother Bill, adopted, and ordered to be printed in the Minutes.

*Resolved*, That the Introductory Sermon by Brother Thomas Magee be printed in the Christian Visitor, instead of the Minutes, as before ordered.

The Committee on Temperance presented the following Report: