

present, who had been accepted by the Board as a candidate for the Foreign field; but she too must be placed under the supervision of the missionaries of the American Board. Our brethren in the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec are sending out a devoted, earnest young man, but as they have no independent mission, he goes out as the missionary of the American Board. In view of these facts, your Committee are deeply impressed with the idea that the Baptists of all the Provinces, now politically united in one Dominion, should combine in one independent Foreign Missionary organization. In doing so they would select their own field, in Burmah, or China, or among the islands of the sea, as Providence might direct—send out their own missionaries, and direct their labours. Each Province of the Dominion could provide for the support, say of one missionary, as a commencement. *Therefore Resolved*, That a Committee consisting of Revs. I. E. Bill and G. M. W. Carey, be appointed to correspond with the Board in Nova Scotia, and with the Board of the Canadian Baptist Convention, on this subject, and to make such preparatory arrangements as may be necessary for the purpose of effecting this desirable object.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

I. E. BILL, Chairman.

On motion of its reception, Revs C. Spurden, J. C. Hurd and T. Todd, spoke.

Moved that a collection be taken to aid Miss De Wolfe in preparation for the Foreign Missionary field. The collection amounted to \$20.63.

Committee on *Christian Visitor* submitted the following report:—

Your Committee, appreciating the great advantages of having a strong denominational paper, increasing in strength and interest, and making prominent the distinguishing truths of the Gospel for which our fathers suffered, affectionately urge the ministers and messengers of the churches represented in this Association to do all in their power to increase the circulation of our paper and the number of its paying subscribers by at least 1,000, that it may minister to the spiritual and intellectual wants of our people, in this intensely progressive age, become a growing power in the community, and be a fit exponent of the ability, wealth, and numbers of the Baptists of New Brunswick. Dear brethren, let us increase the income of the paper, that it may be enlarged, issued in quarto or octavo form, and increased in value and efficiency in all respects.

G. M. W. CAREY,
Chairman.

Upon the motion for its reception, Rev. G. M. W. Carey and Rev. T. Todd addressed the Association.

Report adopted.

Moved and seconded—That the Rev. G. M. W. Carey prepare the Introductory Sermon for publication in the columns of the *Christian Visitor*.

Adjourned.

Prayer by Rev. W. H. Beckwith.