

MINUTES.

The Eastern N. B. Baptist Association met with the Hopewell Baptist Church, on Thursday, the 11th day of July, 1872, at 2 o'clock, P. M. Spent an hour and a half in an interesting religious conference; after which the Rev. W. A. Coleman, the retiring Moderator, took the Chair, and the following Officers were appointed:

REV. THOMAS TODD, *Moderator*;
" W. A. COREY, *Clerk*;
" I. E. BILL, JUN., *Asst. Clerk*;
P. R. MOORE, M. D., *Treasurer*;
DR. JOSEPH CALHOUN, *Asst. Treasurer*.

Prayer was then offered by Rev. I. E. Bill, Sen.

On motion—The following brethren were then invited, and took seats in the Association, viz.:

Western Association—Revs. I. E. Bill, Sen., T. H. Porter, D. W. Crandall, George Seely, and Brethren J. W. Hartt, W. T. Reed, and Dea. Jonathan Titus; Rev. Elijah Foshay, of P. E. Island; and Rev. A. W. Bars, *Eastern Nova Scotia Association*.

The following Committees were then appointed:

On Arrangements—Revs. W. T. Corey, T. Blackadar, W. A. Coleman, and Dea. Tingley, Joseph Calhoun, and R. Wilbur.

On Nominating Committee—Revs. John H. Hughes, Jas. Irving, Jas. F. Goldrup, D. Crandall, W. A. Crandall, and Bros. James Bishop and John Cabil.

Committee on Arrangements reported from time to time, as follows:

That this Association adjourn at 5 P. M., and resume at 7½ P. M.; resume again at 10 A. M., and adjourn at 12; resume at 2 o'clock, P. M.

Prayer meeting each morning at 6 A. M.; preaching this Thursday evening, by Rev. T. H. Porter; Association sermon on Friday morning, at 10 o'clock, by Rev. T. Todd; 2 P. M., Periodicals and Education; evening, Home Missions; Saturday, 10 A. M., Foreign Missions, and general routine business.

SABBATH.

Preaching at half-past 10, by Rev. I. E. Bill, Sen.; at 3 P. M., Rev. D. Crandall; at 7 P. M., Rev. T. H. Porter. At the Methodist Chapel, half-past 10, Rev. J. H. Hughes. At Harvey, half-past 10, Rev. George F. Miles; at 7 P. M., Rev. George Seely. At Hopewell Corner, 3 P. M., Rev. I. E. Bill, Jun. At Germantown, half-past 10, Rev. E. C. Corey. At Hopewell Cape, half-past 10, Rev. W. A. Crandall; at 3 P. M., Rev. W. A. Corey. At Hillsborough, 7 P. M., Rev. A. B. Macdonald. At the Methodist Chapel, Hillsborough, 7 P. M., Rev. W. A. Crandall.

Adjourned.

Prayer by Rev. E. F. Foshay.