

POSTSCRIPT.

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EXTRACT

From Minutes of the Conference, held in Charlottetown, June, 1859.

MOUNT ALLISON WESLEYAN COLLEGE.

What are the Resolutions of the Conference respecting the proposed establishment of a College at Sackville?

ANSWER.

The Conference fully concurring in the conclusions of the Board of Trustees of the Academy, that, although in view of the great business depression which is prevailing almost every where throughout these Provinces, and of the pressure of various other Connexional schemes upon the liberality of our people, it is expedient to postpone the attempt for the present to establish a College proper, with all its departments, yet it is the imperative duty of our Connexion to make immediate provision for the establishment of the Theological department of the proposed Institution, in order that provision may be made for the suitable educational training of Candidates for our Ministry:

Resolved, 1. That for the accomplishment of this object subscriptions shall be sought throughout the Connexion to be payable one half in May and the other half in October, 1860, to constitute an Endowment Fund, to aid in the maintenance of a Theological Professorship, to be established by the Conference, at Sackville, N. B., to be designated, in honor of the late Charles F. Allison, Esq., "THE CHARLES F. ALLISON PROFESSORSHIP."

2. That annual subscriptions of not less than one pound, Nova Scotia Currency, for a period of not less than ten years, be received to aid in the Endowment and maintenance of the proposed Theological School.

3. That the President, the Co-Delegate, and the Secretary of the Conference,

Rev'd. J. McMurray, Secretary.	John H. Anderson, Esq., Halifax.
" John Allison, A. B.	Hon. Dr. Young, Charlottetown.
" Henry Daniel,	Hon. Judge Wilton, Fredericton.
" J. G. Hennigar,	W. H. Harrison, Esq., St. John.
" Edmund Botterell,	M. Wood, Esq., Sackville.
" J. R. Narraway, A. M.	N. Tupper, Esq., Aylesford.
" C. Stewart,	Hon. J. J. Rogerson, Newfoundland.
" C. Churchill, A. M.	

shall constitute a Committee to further consider the subject and to mature a plan for the regulation and working of such an Institution as we deem to be indispensable to the continued prosperity of our Church—such plan to be submitted for the approval of the Conference next year.

4. That J. H. Anderson, Esq., and the Rev. H. Pickard, D. D., be requested to act as the Treasurers, and the Hon. C. Young, LL. D., and the Rev. John Allison, A. B., as the Secretaries of this Fund; and that these, with the President and Co-Delegate of the Conference and the Secretary of the General Committee, constitute a Sub-Committee, to make arrangements to bring this matter so before the notice of the members of our societies and congregations, as shall be best calculated to ensure their hearty co-operation.

5. That an agent shall be appointed in each District at the ensuing Financial District Meetings, whose duty it shall be—acting in concert with and under the direction of the Sub-Committee, provided for in the last resolution—to solicit subscriptions throughout the District for this Fund.

MOUNT ALLISON WESLEYAN ACADEMY.

What are the Resolutions of the Conference in reference to the Mount Allison Wesleyan Academy, Sackville?

ANSWER.

1. That the Report of the Board of Trustees relative to the condition and operation of both branches of the Academy during the past year, is, as it respects every department of the Institution, satisfactory, and that it be therefore adopted.

2. That the Conference feels itself called upon to mourn the absence from the Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Academy of one to whom the honor must be assigned of having taken the foremost place in the work of Christian education in these Provinces. It records with deep solemnity and sorrow, yet with unmingled resignation to the Divine will, the removal by death, since our last session, of the benevolent founder, and, till the period of his death, the warmest friend of the Academy, CHARLES F. ALLISON, Esq.

Actuated, as it is believed he was, by the purest motives—those which are supplied by the Word and the Spirit of God—and discerning with the penetrating sagacity of an intelligent and Christian patriot the necessity which existed for an Educational Establishment which should combine a system of thorough tuition with a sound and Scriptural discipline, for the youth of his native land, and especially for those belonging to the denomination of Christians with which he himself was connected, he gave the first impulse to the formation of such Institution—contributed largely of his means towards its erection and support, and by his wise counsels, encouraging oversight, and unwearied assiduity, succeeded in carrying to a high state of efficiency one of the noblest and most useful seminaries of British North America.

The Conference had hoped that the presence of their late friend would have long been permitted among them, not only to further those interests with which he was so peculiarly identified, but also to benefit the other schemes of our youthful Connexion. Yet as He, in whose sight the death of His saints is precious, had otherwise determined, it bows to the chastening rod with meek submission, satisfied that the bereavement was dictated by Infinite wisdom and mercy; and rejoicing to know that the dying hour of their brother was eminently peaceful—as they are also permitted to behold his present state of existence is one of ineffable and continually increasing joy. For surely if it be true in any case it must be in his, that "blessed are the dead which die in the Lord, for they rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

3. That the Conference desires to express its sympathy with the recollection of the late Mr. Allison in her mournful bereavement, and offers its fervent prayers that the consolations of Divine grace may be abundantly vouchsafed to herself and daughter, from Him who is a "father to the fatherless, and a husband to the widow." And it further directs that a copy of the above Resolutions be conveyed from the Conference to Mrs. Allison.

4. That the cordial thanks of the Conference are hereby presented to the Rev. H. Pickard, D. D., Principal of the Male Department—under whose judicious management and untiring labors for so many years, that Branch of the Institution has been brought into a state of great efficiency—for his continued and successful services during the past year.

5. That the hearty thanks of the Conference be presented to the Rev. J. Allison, B.A., Principal of the Female Academy, and to his estimable lady, Mrs. Allison, B.A., the Preceptress—under whose united auspices this department has been raised to its present high position—for the indefatigable manner in which they have discharged the duties devolving upon them during the last year.

6. The Conference would again embrace the opportunity of recommending these Institutions to the patronage of all those within its bounds who have the care of the rising generation. The results already achieved by the blessing of God are such as to warrant the confidence of parents and guardians, who may desire for their youthful charge an education at once comprehensive, economical, and religious. These advantages, it is believed, can nowhere be better, if so well, secured as at the Mount Allison Wesleyan Academy, Sackville.

7. The following persons are appointed Trustees for the ensuing year, viz:

Rev'd. Dr. Richey,	Mariner Wood, Esq.
" Dr. Knight,	J. H. Anderson, Esq.
" Dr. Pickard,	Hon. Charles Young, LL. D.,
" J. Allison, A. B.	Stephen Fulton, Esq.,
" T. H. Davies,	W. H. Harrison, Esq.,
" M. Pickles,	Jos. F. Allison, Esq.,
" E. Botterell,	Hon. J. J. Rogerson.
" Chas. Churchill, A. M.	