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Dr. Sutherland on Average Missionary Giving.

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The Word "Tobacco" Was Dropped—A Notice of Motion Affecting Epworth Leagues—The Great Conference Getting Down to Business — The Nominating Committee Reports.

Afternoon Session.

Dr. Carman's address was frequently applauded, and at the conclusion it was moved by Mayor Kennedy and seconded by Dr. Dewart that the address be printed in pamphlet form and distributed to the ministers. The motion carried. It will also be printed in the Journal and in the Guardian.

The nomination committee then reported. Rev. Dr. Sutherland was elected chairman and J. T. Moore secretary. The necessary committees were detailed and one read "temperance and tobacco." Some of the members objected to the word tobacco being included, and a vote was demanded.

"I hate tobacco from end to end," said Dr. Potts as he stood up to vote; "but I hate worse for the General Conference to be trifling with it."

The division resulted in a vote of 83 for and 83 against dropping the word.

Dr. Carman laughed heartily as he, in mock seriousness, said that he appreciated the weight of the momentous decision awaiting his casting vote. "I think we will make it temperance," said he, and so the word tobacco was dropped on the doctor's casting vote.

Dr. Antliff moved and Rev. Dr. Williams seconded a vote of thanks to Rev. S. F. Heustis for his services as secretary of the last General Conference.

A question of reduced fares for delegates and a discussion on methods of procedure occupied the attention of the conference for some time. A motion to limit the speaking to motions to ten minutes was referred to committee.

Rev. J. W. Annis then announced an invitation to the delegates from the Methodists of London to take tea with them tomorrow (Friday) night from 6 to 8 in Wesley Hall. After that addresses of welcome and replies will be delivered in the body of the church.

On motion of Dr. Potts, the general superintendent and Mayor Kennedy were named to reply on behalf of the conference, the former representing the ministers and the latter the laymen.

Mayor Kennedy announced that he had to be in Toronto tomorrow night and withdrew his name.

Then the superintendent suggested that Dr. Potts should represent the conference, and Dr. Antliff moved that Dr. Potts and Mr. Ed. Gurney make the addresses. The motion prevailed.

A large number of memorials were submitted to their respective committees.

Dr. Potts then read the report of the general secretary of education and the financial statements of Victoria College and the Educational Society. The report dealt with the law delays at the commencement of the erection of Victoria College in 1890. On the removal of the injunction tenders were received and accepted for the erection of the college building at a cost of $185,051. In addition to the original contracts other supplementary work brought the entire cost of the building and furniture up to nearly $222,000. The entire amount available for purposes of endowment is $289,353 44.

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It may be of interest to note that in the university federation movement there are on the books 5,109 names, subscribing in all $512,360 05, of which amount $404,110 61 has been paid; and of this number 633 ministers have subscribed $33,703 80, of which already $25,334 64 has been paid.

The doctor hoped that during the present quadrennium they would see the endowment raised to at least half a million dollars.

The report further said: The Educational Society should be a great power in helping the educational interests of the church. It has in it great possibilities for good if properly worked. After the most urgent appeals, it is found that a large majority of the circuits report nothing beyond the collections, and that means the balance after deducting the local envelopes placed on the plates. It is feared that many add nothing to the weekly offering envelopes, and therefore give nothing to the connexional collection. This fund could be doubled within the next few years if all the ministers would invest the anniversary with proper interest.

The income from every part of the Dominion was as follows:—For 1891, $19,555 56; for 1892, $20,539 27; for 1893, $19,629 71; for 1894, $19,468.

Dr. Potts would recommend that the Educational Society be made more connexional in its administration. The Educational Society helps six colleges: Wesley College, St. Johns, Newfoundland, by allowing all raised by the Newfoundland Conference to go to the college; Mount Allison gets 14 per cent of the money available for colleges; Montreal Wesleyan Theological College, 18 per cent; Wesley College, Winnipeg, 18 per cent, with all that the Manitoba Conference raises for the society; Victoria College, 50 per cent, out of which $500 per annum has been paid to Albert College, Belleville, during the quadrennium now closing.

The receipts during the past quadrennium amounted to $54,054 89; grants to colleges, $44,758 20; expenses, $9,259 48.

The report was referred to the committee on education.

Evening Session.

The question that caused much discussion and which was decided on a very close vote in the afternoon, cropped up again in the evening when the general superintendent at the reading of the minutes arose to rule himself out of order in that he had given the casting vote on the "tobacco" amendment in the afternoon. By his vote the name of a committee was altered to "temperance" committee instead of "temperance and tobacco."

"The general superintendent has no vote in this body," said Dr. Carman, "and I don't know what he was about." (Laughter.)

Dr. Potts—It is not often that he is caught napping.

Dr. Carman—That is what I am complaining about. Technically he is not a member of the body.

Rev. T. M. Campbell—In that case the amendment will fail.

Dr. Carman—No, sir; nothing tumbles. (Laughter.)

So the committee at present stands "temperance and tobacco." As this was announced the doctor again caused a laugh by ruling himself out of order and accusing himself of exceeding his jurisdiction.

The matter will be voted on at another time.

Although it was nearly 6 o'clock when the conference adjourned in the afternoon the evening session commenced sharp at 7:30. The passage of memorials to committees occupied some time. Among the faces noted since the morning roll-call were: Dr. Briggs, Toronto; Dr. Stone, Toronto; E. Gurney, Toronto; W. W. Ogden, M.D., Toronto; J. Trenemen, Montreal. As there is no system of registration, the names of other delegates who arrived are not known.

Several columns of memorials, the outgrowth of four years, were referred to committees. When Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Bay of Quinte, arose and announced a memorial advocating the change of itineracy from three to five years, Mr. R. W. Clarke, Bay of Quinte, objected, and said that the conference had not voted to send it forward but had voted it down. The matter went through, with the objection noted.

Dr. Ryckman read the minutes of the several different meetings of the General Conference special committee. The minutes were adopted.

Dr. Briggs brought down the report of the western section of the book committee. He drew attention to the fact that during the term the profits amounted to $93,000, an increase of $14,000 over the previous term, and this after $60,000 deducted by the valuators. There had been raised for superannuation purposes $26,300, or $4,300 more than during the previous term.

A couple of notices of motion affecting the general superintendency were given. The first, by Rev. H. S. Matthews, in effect urged the appointment of three general superintendents instead of one as at present. One for missionary work, one for educational work, and the other to travel. Also that the Missionary Society pay the expenses of the missionary superintendent, likewise the Educational Society, and the third to be paid as at present.

A delegate suggested, amid laughter, that another be appointed to superintend superannuation matters.

Dr. McLaren gave notice of motion, seconded by Judge Deacon, that paragraph 88 of the Discipline, relating to the general superintendency, be amended to read: "The General Conference shall elect from the conference, without debate, one or more general superintendents for the four-year term."

The quadrennial report of the board of regents of Victoria University: The following are the numbers in attendance on lectures and examinations in the art course for the past four years:

Year ending May, 1891	133
Year ending May, 1892	121
Year ending May, 1893	153
Year ending May, 1894	167

The university system of which this department forms a part stands in the front rank of the universities of this continent, with the following statistics:

Professors in arts faculties	55
Professors in all faculties	116
Students in arts	900
Students in all faculties	1,500
Library (volumes)	51,000
Endowments	$2,526,176 97
Buildings, lands and equipments	1,328,966 49

The attendance on the course of divinity shows a gratifying increase from 69 in 1890-1891 to 93 in 1893-1894.

Rev. Mr. McRitchie pronounced the benediction and the session adjourned at 9:40.

REPORT OF SUPERANNUATION BOARD.

The report of the board of the Methodist superannuation fund for the quadrennium shows that the invested capital now reaches $206,038 83, an increase of $29,038 83 since 1890. This shows an annual average increase of $7,383 77 in the permanent fund. The number of claimants in 1890 was 194 ministers, 146 widows and 107 children, representing a total claim of $77,544 67. In 1894 the claimants numbered 204 ministers, 151 widows and 82 children, and the total claim had reached $85,664 41, an increase of $8,120 41.

Receipts from circuits, 1890	$49,461 92
Receipts from circuits, 1894	54,783 12
Receipts from ministers, 1890	12,534 00
Receipts from ministers, 1894	13,738 00
Receipts from bookroom, 1890	6,300 00
Receipts from bookroom, 1894	7,000 00
Receipts from interest, 1890	8,743 41
Receipts from interest, 1894	10,990 00
Increase in receipts	9,381 79
Paid claims, 1890	77,544 67
Paid claims, 1894	86,664 41
Increase in paid claims	8,120 41
Total increase of receipts from all sources	9,381 79
Total increase of claims	8,120 41

The report for the year ending July 31, 1894: All claims had been paid in full, and although the balance on hand at the beginning of the year amounted to $1,719 47 an indebtedness had been incurred of $1,044 64. However, since the books were closed, delayed remittances amounting to $1,611 had been received, which more than balances the deficiency. The income was in excess of last year by only $142.

Although the interest received from investments is $635 50 more, the receipts from ministerial subscriptions were $417 and from circuits $76 29 less than the former year. The capital account had been increased by $2,290 from ministerial subscriptions, and $1,246 from legacies.

At anticipated, the claims paid were in excess of previous year by about $3,000.

Friday Morning.

A heavy rain was falling when the second day's proceedings of the General Conference commenced at 9:30 this morning. After devotional exercises, Mr. D. Allison, LL.D., Rev. G. S. Milligan, LL.D., and Rev. Dr. McDonald were appointed to reply to the addresses of welcome this evening in addition to the delegates already appointed.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Further memorials were received and referred to committees. A notice of motion of peculiar significance was given. It relates to the Epworth League of Christian Endeavor, and was in effect that the society should simply be known as "Epworth League." It was greeted with cries of "Oh, oh" and "No, no," and there will be a hot discussion when it finally comes up.

Rev. S. F. Huestis presented the report of the eastern section of the book committee of the Methodist Church. The sales of books and periodicals have advanced from $88,114 74 to $94,118 29, and the net profits on the merchandise account $3,434 97. The balance sheet of 1890 showed a deficit of $1,439 02, while at present the business shows a surplus of $547 23, a gain of $1,986 25. The committee strongly recommends the continuance of the credit of $10,000, without interest, to the Toronto Book Room. The report was referred to the book and publishing committee.

JUST RECEIVED—A full line of Cashmere Vests, worth $2 50; our price $1 50. Also a large assortment of Cambric Shirts, worth 75c, our price 50c.

Patten's

179 DUNDAS STREET.

PROGRESS OF THE CHURCH.

The statistical compendium as presented showed a total membership including those on trial to be 260,953, an increase of 8,772 for the year, and for the quadrennium of 27,085. The number of catechisms not included in this number is 8,093. The number of scholars who have taken the total abstinence pledge is 76,129, an increase of 26,710. Epworth Leagues number 1,032, members of same 47,125. The report, further extracts from which are given elsewhere, was sent to the statistical committee.

NORTHWEST PROGRESS.

Rev. Mr. Woodsworth, superintendent of Northwest missions, presented an interesting report of the advancement, expansion and progress of those missions during the past four years. The area had increased wonderfully, and there were now 73 parsonages, an increase of 14 during the quadrennium. There were 66 self-sustaining circuits, against 46 four years ago. Preaching appointments number 564, against 459 four years ago. There were 95 churches in 1890, and now there are 141. Church property is valued at $454,195, an increase of nearly $200,000. Industrial institutions have been established at Red Deer and another is to be built at Brandon. The attendance thus far exceeded all previous anticipation. The increase varied from 16 to 378 per cent. The missionary fund had increased 40 per cent, superannuation fund 67 per cent. The General Conference fund assessment has been paid in full. Re membership: Indian members in 1890 numbered 1,109; in 1894, 1,356. White members in 1890, 8,786; in 1894, 13,850, an increase of 5,064, or 57 per cent. Sunday schools numbered 216, against 156 in 1890; teachers and officers, 1,638, increase of 476; scholars, 12,538, increase of 6,342, or 40 per cent. The balance of the report dwelt on mission fund figures and showed a gratifying increase all around.

DULL TIMES AFFECT MISSION RECEIPTS.

Dr. Sutherland, missionary secretary, reported a deficiency of $23,000 owing to dull times. The total income had been $951,332, against $857,156 of the previous quadrennium, increase $94,176. The total expenditure equalled $933,605, against $805,066 in 1890, an increase of $128,539 in expenditure. Average income per annum was $287,833, in 1890, $221,428, an increase of $23,544. Average expenditure per annum, $233,401; in 1890, $201,266, an increase of $32,135. The average giving per member of the different conferences during the quadrennium — Toronto, $1 06; London, 62½ cents; Niagara, 92½ cents; Guelph, 66 cents; Bay of Quinte, 62 cents; Montreal, $1 01; Nova Scotia, 86 cents; New Brunswick, 67 cents; Newfoundland, 67 cents; Manitoba, 74 cents and British Columbia 76 cents.

When the nominating committee brought down its report this morning, the word "tobacco" was eliminated from the "temperance and tobacco" commitee. The action was applauded.

ENGLISH DELEGATES.

Rev. H. J. Pope, ex-president of the British Wesleyan Conference, who represents his church at the General Conference, left Liverpool by the Lucania on Saturday, August 25. Mrs. Pope accompanies him. The Rev. Thomas Rippon, of the Wesleyan Conference, also sailed by the same steamer. Mr. Pope will receive a hearty and cordial welcome, both on account of his personal character and work and the beloved mother church which he represents.

AMERICAN EDITORS.

Two gifted and successful editors who came as fraternal delegates from the United States are the Rev. J. H. Potts, D. D., of Detroit, Editor of the Michigan Christian Advocate, who represents the Methodist Episcopal Church; and Rev. E. E. Hoss, D.D., Editor of the Nashville Christian Advocate, who represents the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

CHURCH STATISTICS FOR 1894.

The number of Sabbath schools is 3,251, and the increase for the quadrennium is 274.

The number of officers and teachers, adding those reported in Japan Conference minutes, is	30,807	inc.	2,396
The number of local preachers is	2,295	inc.	179
The number of lotal exhorters is	1,213	inc.	187
The number of class leaders, male, is	6,490	inc.	292
The number of class leaders, female, is	1,263	inc.	318
The amount contributed during the quadrennium for the connexional funds is	$1,387,717 27		
An increase of	88,843 14		
For circuit purposes there has been paid	4,708,381 00		
For ministerial support there has been paid	3,602,056 00		
Which is an increase of	830,115 00		
And yet the deficiencies on salaries is reported as	254,093 00		

But this is less than the deficiencies of the preceding quadrennium by $134,326. the grand total of the amount raised by circuits and missions for all purposes is $9,169,679; an increase of $1,187,404.

The number of churches is	3,211	inc.	119
Other preaching places	1,374	inc.	206
Parsonages	1,064	inc.	97
Burial grounds	1,268	inc.	91
The total value of church property is	$14,852,805		
The number of children baptized is	64,329	inc.	354
The number of adults baptized is	11,631	inc.	324
Total baptized	75,960	inc.	678
Number of marriages solemnized	30,313	inc.	265
Number of burials	42,456	inc.	1,336

INTERESTING NOTICES OF MOTION.

These are some of the most interesting notices of motion: That the election of general superintendent take place every four years instead of every eight, as at present; that three general superintendents be elected instead of one as at present, the extra two to give their attention to missionary and educational work and be paid by those departments; that the payment to delegates for expenses be confined to a sum not exceeding $5 less than their actual railway expenses; that no bill for less than $5 be submitted; and that payment shall be based upon the proportionate attendance of the delegates at the sessions of the conference.

One by Dr. J. J. Maclaren, Q.C., Toronto, is considered both radical and revolutionary. It relates to the stationing committee. The motion proposes that the stationing committee shall be confined to one minister from each district in the conference, that no minister in his last year shall be eligible, and that should any question affecting any member of the committee come up he shall, after being heard, retire while his case is being decided.

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