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According to appointment of the Annual Conference held in Toronto, April 20th, 1855, the Conference for this year, being composed of Ministers and Laymen of the Primitive Methodist Church, C.W., assembled in John Street Church, Hamilton, April 11th, 1856, and after devotional exercises, conducted by the ex-President, proceeded to the transaction of business.

JONH DAVISON, *President.*

WILLIAM ROWE, *Secretary.*

*Question—1. Who compose the present Conference ?*

*Answer—*Thomas Adams, *General Committee Delegate.*

Thomas Crompton, *English Representative.*

William Lawson, *General Secretary.*

Robert Walker, *Connexional Treasurer.*

Also Delegates appointed by their respective District Meetings :—

TORONTO—John Lacey, Edward Barrass, James Edgar, John Garner, John Sherwood, Thomas Burgess, Joseph Kent, William Nason, James Motley, John Natrass, William Mutton, and George Wright.

HAMILTON—John Davison, William Rowe, Robert Boyle, William Newton, Walter P. Lacey, John Elliott, Walter Lawrence, Joseph Lawson, John Masters, Thomas Ward, and Alfred Thurlow.

*Q.—2. What Preachers are taken into the Annual List ?*

*A.—*Robert Cade, Isaac Ryder, and George Wood. Bro. W. to be ordained next Conference.

*Q.—3. What Preachers remain on trial ?*

*A.—*Robert Stephenson, Richard Poulter, *who have travelled*