

other Protestant Churches in the cause of truth, we believe there is an abundant opening for our people, and have recommended that immediate steps be taken to assist them in the erection of a Church, without which our missionary has all winds and tides against him in the struggle for success.

We were much benefitted by the visit of our beloved Father in Israel, Rev. George Lamb, to this country, last year. His kindly spirit, courteous bearing, and prudent advice, did much to cement the relationship between us and the Old Land, and diffuse the true Christian Brotherhood among us here. We trust that his life may long be spared to the Connexion.

We learned from Dr. S. Antliffe, who was our excellent representative last year, that the privilege was allowed us of sending an additional delegate to the British Conference, we have therefore sent, as our second representative, Rev. W. Herridge, Vice-President of the Canadian Conference, a brother who has travelled among us in this land twenty years; who has occupied our best stations, and is in high esteem among his brethren. We heartily commend him to your reception as a brother worthy of your esteem, and he will doubtless be able to give you any information you may desire respecting our work in Canada.

Our Brother, Rev. Walter Reid, is also on a visit to England, and should he visit your Conference, we can say that any kindness done to him we shall regard as done to ourselves.

We commend to your respectful consideration our Brother, Rev. George Clarke, who returns to the work in the Home Land. He leaves us on his own special request, and with the Conference's best wishes for his future welfare and success.

And now, dear Fathers and Brethren, praying that every promise of our covenant-keeping God may be abundantly fulfilled in you; that upon all your deliberations there may come a rich baptism from on high, that the mantles of the dear departed ones, whose names we all venerate, may still rest upon you; that you may increase more and more in all that relates to substantial good, and when our works and wanderings are over, may we greet each other on that heavenly shore where there is no more sea and no more separation. Until then we remain,

Fraternally yours, in behalf of the Conference,

WILLIAM BEE, *President.*

CHARLES S. WILLIS, *Secretary.*

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