

Association for the past thirteen years, during which time he has occupied the position of Secretary.

Considerable discussion ensued in reference to raising funds for Home Missionary purposes; and, on motion of brother William Johnston, seconded by brother John Williamson, it was unanimously

Resolved:—That each Church make an effort to raise the same by weekly allowance, and hand over to the Treasurer, every three months, all such collections, taking his receipt for the same.

Voted:—That 250 copies of the Minutes be procured, and that 25 copies be reserved for the use of the Association.

There being no further business before us, we separated to meet on the last Saturday in September, 1872, with the Beech Hill Church.

STATISTICS.

STATE OF THE CHURCHES. INCREASE AND DECREASE.

CHURCHES.	Baptized.	Received.	Removed.	Excluded.	Died.	Total.
Halifax	3	-	3	3	2	133
Hammond Plains	-	-	-	-	-	81
Preston, 1st: Those holding under their former organization	-	-	-	-	-	22
Preston, 3rd: New Road. No letter.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dartmouth	-	-	-	-	-	11
Beech Hill	-	-	-	-	-	18
Campbell Road	-	-	-	-	-	8
Horton	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cornwallis	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granville Mountain	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bear River	-	-	-	-	-	-
Digby Joggin	-	-	-	-	-	-
Weymouth	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yarmouth	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liverpool	-	-	-	-	-	-
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