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VISITORS.

The following brethren being present, were invited to sit with the Convention :

The Rev. Jay S. Backus, D. D., Secretary of the American Baptist Home Mission Society.

The Rev. W. C. Child, D. D., New England Secretary of the American Baptist Publication Society.

The Rev. Alvah Hovey, D. D., President of the Newton Theological Institution.

The Rev. J. N. Murdock, D. D., Secretary of the American Baptist Missionary Union.

The Rev. Henry G. Weston, D. D., President of the Crozer Theological Seminary, Upland, Pa.

N. P. Kemp, Esq., of the American Tract Society.

The Revs. John Combes, E. B. Eddy, Delegate of the Maine Baptist Convention, and G. E. Leonard.

Brethren G. N. Ballentine, H. E. Morrow, C. F. Myers, A. B., and Rufus Sandford, A. B., Licentiates, were also invited.

COMMITTEES.

On Arrangements.—Revs. C. Spurden, D. D., G. E. Day, M. D., and Brethren W. Faulkner, J. W. Manning, A. B., J. L. Haines, and R. H. Phillips.

On Nomination.—The Revs. E. C. Cady, A. M., E. F. Foshay, M. P. Freeman, A. B., E. Hickson, A. M., and D. M. Welton, A. M.

On the State of the Denomination.—The Revs. J. M. Cramp, D. D., A. W. Sawyer, D. D., C. Spurden, D. D., I. E. Bill, and Bro. S. Selden.

On Obituaries.—The Revs. E. A. Crawley, D. D., G. E. Day, M. D., C. Goodspeed, A. M., Timothy Harley, S. March, Isaiah Wallace, A. M., and D. M. Welton, A. M.

To Audit Foreign Mission Treasurer's Accounts.—Brethren J. H. Harding, W. Faulkner, and A. F. Randolph.

While the Committee on Arrangements were preparing their report, there was a discussion regarding the statistics of the Churches, and the general state of the denomination.