

in this populous and important field of labour. We are at peace among ourselves, and feel encouraged to go forward in the good cause, knowing, as we do, that God is with us, and that his cause in the midst of us will and must prosper, if we do our duty to ourselves, to our fellow-sinners, and to our Saviour.

The brethren present who have been appointed to present this application will answer any questions, or give any information respecting the origin, the past history, and present condition of the Church which the Conference may deem necessary. Hoping that you will be guided by wisdom from on high in all your deliberations and doings, we remain your servants in the gospel.

Signed in name of the Church,

James Robertson,
Robert Campbell,
David Ramsay,
Alex. Gemmel,
Alex. Fleming.

Alex. Robertson,
Joseph Howson,
James Vaughan,
Donald McLeod,

It was moved by the Rev. G. Anderson, seconded by J. Gray, that the Albert Street Church, Toronto, be numbered among the Churches of the Union.—Carried. James Robertson, Alex. Robertson, Robert Campbell, David Ramsay, Joseph Howson, James Vaughan, Alex. Gemmel and Donald McLeod then took their places as delegates from the Church in Toronto, and members of Conference. Cheering statements respecting the rise, progress and present position of the Church just admitted into the Union, were made by A. Robertson, J. Robertson, Dr. Howson, D. McLeod. The Conference then commended to God in prayer, led by J. Gray, the Church, its pastor, office-bearers, and members.

J. Gray, Dr. Howson, and the Secretary having been appointed to arrange the order of business for the afternoon, the meeting adjourned till half-past two p.m. Closed with praise and the benediction.

Session Second.

Pursuant to adjournment, Conference met at half-past two p.m., and was opened with praise and prayer. The Secretary presented a report of the order of business, which was accepted.

The Secretary gave a verbal report of his labours in Huntingdon, and of the state of the cause there, and earnestly requested to be remembered by the brethren at a throne of grace. Mr. Gray also gave a verbal report of a cheering character of his labours in Ayr, Guelph and Egmondville.

The chairman of the Executive Committee of the Provincial Mission reported, that owing to the want of funds and labourers, nothing had been done to carry out the objects of the Mission. This was much lamented as there are several fields in Upper Canada white unto the harvest.

After a lengthened conversation it was moved and seconded, and carried that the Rev. H. Melville, Alex. Robertson, Dr. Howson, Alex. Gemmel and James Robertson be the Executive Committee of the Mission for the current year, that they arrange a scheme for carrying out its objects, and present a draft of it at next meeting of Conference, and meanwhile do all in their power to further the great aim of the mission.