

The Committee on Temperance beg to report.

This Association deems it to be its duty to bear testimony to the invaluable results produced by the Temperance Reformation, and rejoice in the prospect of greater triumphs being yet achieved by the universal adoption of the Maine Law principle; and hopes that until our Provincial Legislature shall pass an efficient Prohibitory Law, our Magistrates will exercise their undoubted prerogative in withholding licenses, as they deem it unsound in policy and unchristian in principle to derive a revenue from licensing the manufacture, importation, or sale of intoxicating liquors, and to attempt to regulate by law, that which is acknowledged to be a moral evil.

The Association desires to express its opinion that the entire abolition of the use of Tobacco would greatly tend to improve the health and increase the happiness of the human family and swell the funds in the treasury of the Lord for the spread of the gospel throughout the world.

JOHN FRANCIS, CHAIRMAN.

Adjourned till 3 o'clock, P. M.

Prayer by Elder Foshay.

Afternoon Session.

Met pursuant to adjournment. Singing. Prayer by Brother Wallace.

Resolved, That Brother Luke, who has just arrived from the United States, be requested to participate in our deliberations.

The Committee on the Christian Visitor presented the following Report.

The Committee on the Visitor beg leave to report—

That the marked improvement in the editorial and general management of the Visitor, justly entitles our beloved brother, Elder I. E. Bill, to the thanks of the denomination, and hope he will continue to be sustained in his arduous work by the co-operation of the whole body. We are happy to learn from various sources that the paper is increasing in interest, as well as in circulation. All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. H. PORTER, CHAIRMAN.

The Report was unanimously adopted.

Interesting addresses were delivered by Elders D. Crandal, G. F. Miles, and Brethren Colpits, Duval, and Thorp, in which the claims of the paper were presented, and much sympathy was expressed for its esteemed Editor in his arduous and responsible labours.

The Committee to prepare a corrected list of Ministers in connection with this Association, attended to their duty, and submitted their Report, which was adopted.

Your Committee recommend, as Bro. McPhail has taken the Pastorate of a Church in the Western Association, that his name be inserted in the Minutes of that Association; and further, your Committee find on investigation, that Bro. Hezekiah Harris is not a member of any Church in this Association, and therefore recommend that his name be inserted in the

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