

Dr. Pickard during the past three years, for relieving the Conference Office of its great burden of pecuniary liabilities, and tenders to him its cordial thanks for the able and judicious manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office as Editor and Book Steward, and trusts that the labors of the ensuing year may be still more gratifying to himself and be productive of advantage to all the important interests entrusted to his charge.

MOUNT ALLISON INSTITUTIONS.

QUESTION XXI.

What are the Resolutions of Conference with respect to the Mount Allison Educational Institutions?

ANSWER:

1. This Conference has heard with real gratification the Reports of the Collegiate and Academic Institutions, relative to the manner in which the important interests entrusted to them have been sustained during the past year.

2. That we recognize, in no ordinary degree, the hand of Divine Providence as present in the favor which these Institutions have received from our people and the general public, in the adaptation of the President, Principal and Professors to their several responsible situations, and the preservation from disease and death of those who have been associated in any way with our Halls of learning.

3. That we would hereby unanimously and earnestly pledge ourselves, as a Conference, to sustain these Institutions and the officers controlling them, by sympathy, co-operation, and prayer, feeling perfectly assured that their work being under the supervision of the Conference of E. B. America, is, in the highest sense, the work of our Divine Master.

4. The Conference has received with much satisfaction the reports of the Professor of Theology and Examining Committee, respecting the Theological Institutions, for the