

surers report.—From this report it will be seen, that in order to carry on the College, an agent who shall have the general supervision of all such matters, should be constantly in the field. That all outstanding notes, principal and interest should be collected immediately, and such a vigorous course of action entered upon, as shall at once secure the endowment and provide for the annual support—Your Board are not without hopes that the services of such an agent can be obtained.

All which is respectfully submitted.

STEPHEN W. DeBLOIS [Secretary]

Resolved: That the report now read be adopted and printed in the Minutes of this Convention.

The Treasurer then presented his report, which will be found in the close.

On motion, *Resolved*: That the Delegates and members of this Convention adjourn to meet with the Governors and Holders of Scholarships of Acadia College, at 1-2 past 2 P. M.

Prayer by Rev. T. Todd. Adjourned.

MARINE HALL, AFTERNOON SESSION, 2 1-2 P. M.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Cramp.

Resolved: That the Treasurers Report be adopted and printed in the Minutes.

Read letter from Bro. J. W. Nutting resigning his office as one of the Governors of Acadia College. Resignation accepted.

Several resolutions and amendments were brought forward, and a very animated discussion took place with reference to the affairs of Acadia College and its future prosperity and efficiency.

On motion resolved that Brother Spurden and Cramp be appointed a Committee to draw up Resolutions for presentation at the public Educational Meeting to be held at the Germain Street Chapel, this evening, at 1-2 past 7 o'clock.

Prayer by Rev. J. A. Smith. Adjourned.

In the evening at 1-2 past 7 o'clock a public Educational Meeting was held in the Germain Street Chapel before a large and deeply interested audience. Addresses upon the subject were delivered by the Revds. W. Hall, Dr. J. W. Parker, C. Spurden, J. M. Cramp and H. Angell, and the following resolutions were unanimously adopted.

1st. *Resolved*: That Education is a blessing which is undervalued, and that its attainment should be secured by whatever the cost or toil necessary to that attainment.

2nd. *Resolved*: That it is the duty of Baptists to promote the Education of the people, by the establishment of Schools, Academies, and colleges, to the utmost possible extent, and to

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