

belief that side by side we may be able to make known to the Telooogo people what God has wrought for man's redemption.

The proposal to send our Missionaries at once to the Telooogo field, conveyed to us in the first resolution, is fully accepted by your Committee. It meets a demand that now presses heavily upon our churches, arising out of the earnest request coming after a year and more of suspense from our Missionaries to be located in the field of their future labors. The sad consequences entailed by further delay, the sufferings of suspense by both the Missionaries abroad and the churches at home, the loss of time and money, together with the fact that all needful information is now possessed, combine to convince your Committee that, trusting in the great Head of the church, it is now the path of duty to accept this proposal, and to instruct the Missionaries to remove immediately to Cocanada.

The views of the Committee are in perfect accord with that part of the second Resolution which refers to the matter of the Missionaries who may go from us into the Telooogo field, undertaking the work "cheerfully and willingly." We have every confidence that our Missionaries will give themselves heartily and joyfully to the great work in any field to which they may be sent. While we agree with our brethren that no unwilling Missionary should be employed, it does not appear to us as it does to them that strong reasons exist why some of our Missionaries should remain where they are at present.

With reference to the suggestion in the same Resolution that one of our Missionaries might receive an appointment from the Board of the Upper Provinces, it is the opinion of this Committee that all our Missionaries should be retained in the service of this Convention. At present this proposition cannot be entertained.

The 3rd Resolution which proposes that the respective Boards shall "entirely sustain and direct all the Missionaries whom they may respectively appoint" is in the opinion of your Committee the best provision that can be made for the present, and it is fully accepted by them as a part of the present arrangement. Your Committee fully share in the belief of the Directors expressed in the 4th resolution, that entire harmony and co-operation will exist among the missionaries without specific Rules and Articles of agreement.

The proposal in the 5th Resolution for our missionaries in writing to our denominational papers, to make an exchange at least occasionally of their respective correspondents, i. e., the missionaries of the Upper Provinces to write for the papers of the Lower Provinces, and those of the Maritime Provinces to write for the papers of Ontario and Quebec, would, in the opinion of your Committee, do much to perfect the Union of the Baptists of Canada; and it is a proposal to which the Missionaries will heartily agree.

The Committee is in entire agreement with the Directors in their 6th Resolution, in which the opinion is expressed that closer union in modes of working should be left to time and experience.