

FRIDAY, 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

President in the Chair. Officers and members present. Opened by singing a hymn, reading parts of the 126 Psalm and 16th Chapter of Matthew by Mrs. Babcock, and prayer by Rev. B. Minard. Singing, "The World for Christ."

The Corresponding Secretary, after some appropriate remarks, gave a full report of the work done in the Societies during the year, showing the amount of money raised to be \$375.21.

Mrs. R. H. Crowell, delegate to the Freewill Baptist Womans' Foreign Mission Society, held in New Hampshire, then gave a very interesting report of her visit to that Society. She spoke of the cordial welcome extended to her by the band of noble workers whom she there met, and the encouragement she received by mingling with them, and the interchange of sympathies and ideas respecting our good work. She referred, as a partial result of this delegation, to the fact of Miss French's presence with us as a delegate to us from that Society, and the good that her visit among us had doubtless accomplished.

Then followed Miss French's able and instructive lecture on "Hindustan," which was listened to with deep interest by an attentive audience.

Rev J. F. Smith made a few appropriate and interesting remarks. Collection was taken, amounting to \$5.60.

Closed by singing "From Greenland's icy mountains."

At a special meeting of the W. F. M. Society, held Sept. 13th, the following resolution was passed:

*Whereas*, The *Missionary Helper*, the organ of the F. B. W. F. M. Society, has proved a valuable assistant in our work;

*Therefore Resolved*, That we commend it for the able manner in which it is conducted, the reliable and interesting matter it contains, and the cheap price of publication; and

*Further Resolved*, That we request the General Conference of Nova Scotia to pass a resolution in commendation of this Magazine, and recommending its further circulation in all the churches.

*Resolved*, That Mrs. Wm. Downey be a delegate from this Society to the Womans' F. M. Society of New Brunswick.

SUSIE SMITH, *Rec. Sec., pro tem.*

For resolutions regarding Miss French and *Missionary Helper*, see *General Minutes*.

T. H. SIDDALL, *Assistant Clerk.*

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