

MINUTES.

FIRST DAY.—MORNING SESSION.

The Forty-sixth Anniversary of the Haldimand Regular Baptist Association was held with the Baptist Church in Haldimand township, county of Northumberland, on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, June 24th, 25th, and 26th, 1864.

The introductory sermon was preached by Rev. T. F. Caldicott, D. D., from the words, "*He must increase.*"

The preacher then called the Association to order, and Rev. Wm. Lacey being next on the list of seniority to the Moderator of last year, (Rev. D. Wait,) was called to the chair.

Rev. J. T. Dowling and Bro. W. Wesbroom, the clerks, of last Associational year, were re-appointed to that office for the ensuing year:

The Moderator proceeded to read, according to rule, the Constitution and By-Laws of the body.

The following named brethren were appointed a "Committee of Arrangements," viz.:—Rev. J. Reddick, Rev. J. King, Deacon P. Hinman, Deacon Wm. Smith, Deacon S. Holmån.

After a few minutes the above named committee handed in the following report, which was adopted, viz.:—

1st. That Rev. Dr. Caldicott present the claims of the Baptist immediately.

2nd. That we adjourn for an hour and a half for dinner.

3rd. That a platform missionary meeting be held at half-past six o'clock this evening.

Dr. Caldicott then accordingly addressed the assembly on behalf of the Baptist.

The 13th hymn was sung by the Assembly. Prayer by Rev. A. A. Cameron. Adjourned till half-past two o'clock, p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Met pursuant to adjournment. Moderator in the chair. After a few verses of a hymn, Rev. D. Wait led in prayer;

Farther partial report of Committee of Arrangements was received and adopted as follows, viz.:—That the speakers for this evening be Revd's. M'Intyre, Jackson, Cameron, King, and Dr. Caldicott, and that a collection in aid of the Missionary Convention's funds be taken up at the said meeting.

The letters of the various churches represented were then read by the Clerk, in their alphabetic order, and duly filed.

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