

MINUTES.

The Eastern N. B. Baptist Association met with the First Sackville Baptist Church, on the 13th day of July, 1871, at half-past two o'clock, P. M., and spent an hour and a half in an interesting Conference; after which

Rev. THOMAS TODD, retiring Moderator, took the Chair; and the following Officers were appointed:

Rev. W. A. COLEMAN, Moderator;
 " W. A. COREY, Clerk;
 " I. E. BILL, JUN., Assistant Clerk;
 Deacon JOHN CAHILL, Treasurer;
 " JOHN TINGLEY, Assistant Treasurer.

Prayer was then offered by Rev. I. E. Bill, Sen.

The following Brethren were then invited to seats in the Association:—

Revs. I. E. Bill, Sen., T. Harley, W. B. Boggs, T. H. Porter, E. C. Corey, N. S. Eastern Association, and W. F. Armstrong, of Acadia College, C. E. Parker, George H. Beckwith, E. C. Cady, J. A. Simpson, Calvin Goodspeed, E. B. Corey, George Armstrong, D. A. Steele, P. Duffy; Millege Lewis, Gilbert White, J. W. Hartt, and Z. G. Gabel.

Resolved, That Rev. E. C. Cady be requested to render such assistance to the Treasurers as is deemed necessary.

The following Committees were then appointed:—

On Arrangements.—Rev. Thomas Todd, Deacon Sears, Calhoun Tingley, Read Lawrence, Thos. C. Harper, John Sears, Rev. G. F. Miles, and D. S. Carpenter.

Home Missions.—Rev. I. E. Bill, Jun., Z. G. Gabel, J. C. Bleakney, Jarvis Hartt, Rev. E. C. Cady, George Beckwith, M. D. Harris, Gillies Hayes, J. Horsman, C. Harper, L. Lawrence, William Peck, and Guilford Peck.

Special Business.—H. A. Charleton, John Williams, W. A. Crandall, E. C. Cady, I. E. Bill, Sr., Deacons Joseph Sears, Josiah Tingley, and John Thomson.

Religious Periodicals.—Thomas Todd, James Hetherington, G. F. Miles, D. Crandall, W. H. White, C. E. Knapp, Deacon Allen McDonald, G. C. Dykeman, Deacon E. Reed, and John Cahill.

Sabbath Schools.—Rev. T. H. Porter, Caleb Yandall, T. A. Blackadar, — Carpenter, F. Beattie, Judson Bishop, Amos Read, and W. A. Crandall.

Education.—Rev. I. E. Bill, Sen., D. Crandall, W. B. Boggs, — Freeman, T. Harley, Z. G. Gabel, E. C. Cady, J. Williams, J. W. Hartt, T. H. Porter, and D. A. Steele.

Temperance.—Frank Beattie, C. E. Knapp, Solomon Smith, O. Keith, M. Lewis, J. Evans, Jas. Hetherington, E. Corey, and J. C. Steadman.

Union Society.—W. A. J. Bleakney, W. T. Corey, — Charlton, J. C. Bleakney, G. F. Miles, and E. C. Cady.

Departed Brethren.—W. T. Corey, I. E. Bill, Jun., Moses Dykeman, and D. Horsman.