

H. Ware in the evening upon Foreign Missions. The other pulpits of the town were supplied by ministers of the Convention. It was an excellent day all round.

FOURTH DAYS PROCEEDINGS.

WOODSTOCK, Oct. 20th.

The Convention re-assembled for business at 10 o'clock. Rev. E. W. Dadson presiding, Prayer was offered by Rev. R. Bridgman. There were not many delegates in attendance at the first part of the session as several of the ministers went home to their churches for the Lord's Day. At eleven the house began to fill again.

The first item of business was the reference to the Committee on Resolutions of a communication from the Prison Reform Association. After a few minutes the Committee on Resolutions brought in the following resolutions, which were all adopted:

ON PRISON REFORM.

That this Convention hereby expresses its most hearty approval of the prison reform movement, and takes pleasure in re-appointing the Committee of the last year to continue its co-operation with the Prisoners' Aid Association in their praiseworthy efforts. The members of the committee being Rev. E. Harris, Principal Huston and Robert Hall.

TO THE NORTH DAKOTA BAPTISTS.

Resolved,—That the Secretary be instructed to acknowledge in cordial terms, the greetings of the North Dakota Baptist Convention, conveyed to us in the fraternal letter of Dr. Crawford, and assure them of our joy in their prosperity and of our earnest hope that, through the Lord's blessing, their prosperity may abound yet more and more.

ON TEMPERANCE.

That this Convention, being deeply convinced of the tremendous evils of the drink traffic as it exists in this Dominion, and also fully believing that the total prohibition of this traffic is the only effectual remedy for that evil, and also deeply deploring the lax administration of the Prohibitory Law in the North-West Territories, and the promiscuous issuing of liquor permits in that district by Governor Royal and his coadjutors as likely to bring the law into disrepute and contempt, it therefore most earnestly requests all our ministers and churches to promote the cultivation of temperance sentiment and habits in their own localities, and to co-operate with any and all who are in any way seeking the curtailment of this awful traffic, and that we do, in common with our Methodist and Presbyterian brethren, respectfully petition the Government for a more stringent enforcement of the Prohibitory Law in the North-West Territories, and the doing away with the promiscuous issuing of permits in that country.

ON A DENOMINATIONAL HYMN BOOK.

That in the opinion of this Convention, the time has arrived when some Hymn Book should be approved as the Hymnal for the Baptist Denomination of Canada,

and that the following be a recommendation next year.
W. H. Cline, Linus Wolver

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As a Christian people v all matters of religious faith which says, "Remember the on the encroachments made ness of the day God has hall a reflection on our Christian fare of the men in their empl of the Baptist Churches of unnecessary traffic by railw pleasure excursions, and other loyally support the promotion Lord's day.

The Home Mission Board freely discussed the propriety to work more especially among concluded that such a step w do not wish to undertake this pledge to stand by and supp Convention approve the propo port the Board in the emplo require and our means justify.

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Whereas, the vigorous p past has been most conducive whereas we believe that the sy be given to the teachers and of labor of love. Therefore be it Sunday school work be prese Urquhart, Prof. Trotter and R and arrange with the Committe

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Mr. G. R. Roberts read earlier part of the Conventi nual Report of the Publicat committee:

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