

matter was deferred until a meeting was called from the pulpit on Sunday for the purpose of acting upon the resignation of the pastor. After a lengthy discussion, a rising vote was taken, but because of a large majority, the resignation was not accepted.

The ladies secured the services of Rev. William Needham, the well known evangelist, to give one of his popular chalk talks, the proceeds to be equally divided.

August 28th, same year, the superintendent of Northwest Missions, A. J. Vining, presented to the church the missionary needs of the Northwest. One member gave \$50, and the B. Y. P. U. engaged to add \$50 more within one year. This was eventually paid.

On January 8th, 1899, Dr. Carey publicly announced his intention of severing his connection with the church on April 1st.

In accepting the pastor's resignation, the church, through the clerk, expressed their regard for Dr. Carey and their appreciation of his Christian walk and conversation while pastor of the church.

#### **FAREWELL SERVICE.**

On the Tuesday following, a farewell conversation was tendered Dr. Carey by the