

*Resolved*—That Brother Garrison, Messenger from the Hancock Association, State of Maine, be invited to take a seat with us.—Bro. G. presented Minutes from said Association.

The business of the Association was then adjourned, when the Nova Scotia Baptist Education Society met, public notice having been given to that effect to the members of the Society. The Secretary then read the report of the Executive Committee for the past year, when the following resolutions were passed.

1. *Resolved*—That this Society receive and adopt the Report now read.

2. *Resolved*, That in consideration of the respectable character of the Queen's College, as compared with other Colleges in the Province, of the large amounts contributed to its support, and of the principle on which the Legislature has acted in regard to other Institutions, this Society consider the claim for Collegiate Privileges, made in behalf of the Queen's College, as founded in common justice, and feel it therefore their duty to urge this claim unremittingly on the attention of the Legislature; and that, for this purpose, the Petition now read and addressed to the Honourable House of Assembly and Her Majesty's Council, be signed by the Ministers and Messengers of all the Churches.

Also, that each of the Churches, together with the congregations connected with them, be recommended, and earnestly requested, to address distinct and separate petitions to the Assembly and Council, requesting their concurrence with the prayer of the Petition now read.

3. *Resolved*, That this Society being now incorporated by an act of the Legislature, passed at its last session, whereby it becomes necessary to attend carefully to the order of its constitution, all members of the Society are requested to pay particular attention to the conditions on which membership is obtained and preserved, namely, by the regular payment of the sum of 20s. every year. And that the Agent be requested, in his visits through the country, to call particular attention to the same circumstance.

4. *Resolved*, That Mr. Bill, Mr. Johnstor, Mr. Pryor, and Mr. Nutting, be a committee to frame such bye laws and regulations as may be required, in conformity with the Act of Incorporation, and for more fully carrying into effect the objects of the Society.

5. *Resolved*. That, whereas the sum of £250 is required to sustain the Queen's College on its present footing, with the addition of £300 for the maintenance of a third professor, and also the further sum of £150 for the erection of such further buildings as are absolutely necessary, and £150 for the purchase of philosophical Apparatus, *Resolved*, That in the opinion of this Association, the Churches composing its body ought to raise, for the above purposes, a sum equal to 2s. 6d. for each of their members—which measure this Association now strongly recommend, and they do now earnestly request the ministers and leading men in the churches and congregations, to assist the general agent in carrying this object into effect.

6. *Resolved*, That the Executive Committee, on framing any fu-