

The Report was read by the Rev. Mr. Pryor, in the absence of Mr. Nutting, the Secretary of the Society, when very animated addresses were made by numerous speakers, among whom were the Hon. the Attorney General, the Rev. Mr. Spurden, Principal of the Seminary at Fredericton, N. B., Deacon Robbins, Rev. Mr. Harding, and others, and the following resolutions were adopted:—

1. That the Report now read, be received and published.
2. That this Society rejoices at the present opportunity to greet their friends in this part of the country, who are now assembled to take an interest and to aid in their important undertaking; and are forcibly reminded by the fertility, inherent wealth, and increasing population of this beautiful township, of the urgent duty to provide the people with those means of mental improvement which are essential to the full developement of their other advantages.
3. That the Society are likewise desirous of improving the present occasion as a means of removing misapprehensions often entertained with regard to objects, by an explicit declaration that the ultimate and highly cherished purpose and aim of the Society, is the most enlarged mental improvement of the entire population, not only by placing within their reach the means of higher education—by furnishing the Common Schools throughout the country with well instructed teachers, as has been already to a considerable extent done—and by arousing a general interest and zeal in the cause of mental cultivation.
4. That the Society are more and more impressed every day with the utter feebleness of their endeavours, except so far as they are aided by the hearty and continued concurrence and help of the people themselves—and of the necessity, in order to obtain such aid, of spreading to the widest possible extent, information on the subject of their own views and the general importance and need of a good system of education—and they now call earnestly on all their friends, and especially those who possess influence, to aid them in their endeavours to remove misapprehension, and to bring about a healthy tone of public feeling on so vital a subject.
5. That although the appointment held by the Rev. Dr. Crawley is not now within the limits of this Society's labours, yet inasmuch as it bears so directly on a most important branch of the education of the country, this Society cannot refrain from expressing their

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