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**Maritime Province Baptists.**

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The report of the temperance committee, comprised of Revs. H. F. Adams, B. H. Thomas, W. P. King and D. Price, was presented by Rev. Mr. Adams. It presented the temperance question from the standpoint of the prohibitionist, went deeply into an analysis of the plebiscite vote, and showed that in all the Dominion except Quebec there was a majority in favor of prohibition. The report asserted that impersonation, ballot-box stuffing and gross fraud of various kinds had been practiced to procure the adverse vote in Quebec, and closed with a number of strong recommendations.

Considerable discussion followed, Mr. C. E. Knapp, of Dorchester, Dr. McDonald, of Queens county, Senator King, Rev. E. J. Grant, H. F. Adams, (Truro), S. McCully Black, E. J. Beals (Canso), McIntyre, John H. Hughes and Hon. H. R. Emmerson taking part. Rev. Mr. Grant attacked the Laurier government, accusing it of deliberate deception, and he assailed the course of the Messenger and Visitor.

Rev. Dr. Black, editor of the Messenger and Visitor, stated that if his course in the paper upon the prohibition question had not met with the approval of the denomination, they had the remedy in their own hands. For himself, he did not think that a vote of 2 2/3 per cent of the electorate was a sufficient mandate for the government to enact a prohibitory law. He believed that the enactment of a prohibitory law under the present conditions would be the most disastrous thing that could happen to temperance reform.

Rev. H. F. Adams said that for many years the Baptist denomination had tried to work together in harmony with the Roman Catholics and had winked at the machinery of the Roman Catholic church, but now, when that machinery was used to defeat the very object which Baptists held dear, it is time for the denomination to speak out.

Senator King asserted that the government had given no pledge to enact a prohibitory law, and had therefore not broken any pledge. As a supporter of the Laurier government, he could ask nothing better than that the Baptist Convention and similar bodies would pass reports and recommendations such as that now before the convention. Those reports would be circulated throughout Quebec and make the province solid for Laurier.

Hon. Mr. Emmerson stated that the report made statements that could not be substantiated. While some members stumped Quebec against prohibition, one member of the government spoke in Quebec in favor of the movement. He cautioned the convention against passing the report, which would be used by opponents of the government for political purposes.

A motion to refer the report back to the committee was carried unanimously.

The evening session was devoted to a platform educational meeting, addresses being made by Principal H. L. Brittain, Principal J. H. McDonald, President Trotter and Miss DePraisier, the latter from India.

The consideration of the report of the Home Mission Board occupied the greater part of this forenoon's session. The report states that in the matter of continual pastoral labor for mission churches this has been the best year in the church's history. Though the number of baptisms is not so large as in some previous years, good substantial work has been done, and there has been a steady advance towards self-support on several of the fields.

The summary of work and results as reported by the missionaries is as follows:  
1,535 weeks of labor distributed among 94 churches, 3,896 preaching services, 3,067 other meetings, 10,902 religious visits, 13,237 pages of tracts distributed, 196 baptized and 38 received by letter and experience. The supplement of general missionary's salary and grants to the churches amount to \$3,855.93, divided as follows: \$2,397 to 34 fields in Nova Scotia, \$633.33 to 6 fields in P. E. I., \$293.75 for Halifax county missionary and \$510.91 for general missionary. The following legacies have been received: Mrs. Susan Fulton, Bass River, Col. Co., \$800; Mrs. Christopher Rainsforth, Aylesford, £20. The \$217.20 held to the credit of New Brunswick and the \$79.06 received from the Bradshaw trust since the last convention have been paid to committee for home missions in New Brunswick. Collections taken by the corresponding secretary when visiting the churches is placed to the credit of those churches in the denominational fund account. The amount of such collections during the past year was \$62.09. In making out the statement of the financial position last year a note for \$140.02 was omitted. Thus the indebtedness last year was \$1,982.09. The total indebtedness this year is \$2,104.57, or a deficit for the year of \$122.48. Had the \$15,000 expected for denominational work been received the debt would have been greatly reduced. Speaking of the need of care in granting licenses to preach, the report says experiences of the past few years constrain the board to refer to the matter again. They recommend that no church consider its license valid till it has been endorsed by the district meeting to which the church belongs.

The treasurer's report was next taken up. It shows expenditure on general ac-

count of \$13,511.64, making with the balance from last report and notes paid off a total of \$20,294.11, against which there were receipts of \$13,214.61, leaving a debit balance of \$7,079.50. There are deficits in all the departments, but they are much smaller than last year except in the case of the seminary.

Rev. B. H. Eaton submitted the report on the state of the denomination, showing 335 churches in the Maritime Provinces, a decrease during the year of 74; church membership 44,960, a decrease of 5,591; number of baptisms 1,203, a decrease of 538; expended for church support \$146,106.19, a decrease of \$7,907.61; contributed to denominational work \$11,142.64 a decrease of \$2,213.33; number of Sunday schools 450, with 25,481 scholars —46 less schools than last year and 2,698 less scholars.

FREDERICTON, Aug. — The Tuesday evening session of the Baptist convention was largely attended and was a platform meeting in the interest of home missions. The first speaker was Rev. Dr. Keirstead who spoke upon the growth of the denomination and line to secure. He was followed by Rev. Mr. Ellsworth, who spoke upon the Grand Digue mission and evangelical work in Quebec. Rev. H. P. Whidden, of Galt, Ont., spoke next and urged the claims upon the denomination of the recently established Brandon College. Rev. A. J. Vining, Winnipeg, was the next speaker, and gave an interesting account of and a forceful presentation of the claims of mission work in the Northwest and British Columbia. The convention then resolved itself into a business session and received a further report from the nominating committee, making the following appointments:

Members of ministerial annuity fund—  
Dr. B. H. Eaton, R. N. Beckwith, J. Parsons, H. E. Hall and Z. L. Fash.

Members of ministerial education board—  
Rev. A. W. Sawyer, Rev. W. A. Hutchins, Geo. H. Wallace.

Members or denominational funds—  
Rev. A. Cohoon for Nova Scotia, Rev. J. W. Manning for New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island.

Foreign mission board—Rev. A. H. Lavers, Rev. Ira D. Smith, Rev. J. D. Freeman, Rev. W. C. Goucher, Rev. A. J. Dykeman in place of Rev. A. J. Gordon, A. H. Jones in place of Rev. W. B. Hinson, Rev. H. C. Higgins in place of W. E. McIntyre, resigned.

Superintendent home department of Sunday Schools—Chas. F. Baker.

Committee for home missions in New Brunswick—R. G. Haley, E. M. Sipprell, T. L. Hay, A. A. Wilson, W. C. Cross, B. A. Starnes, C. F. Baker, A. H. Jones, A. E. Wall, J. W. Spurden, Rev. Ira D. Smith, Rev. G. O. Gates, Rev. M. C. Higgings, Rev. W. Camp, Rev. A. H. Lavers.

The following recommendations re the forward movement were adopted: That Baptists of the Maritime provinces undertake to raise a twentieth century fund of \$50,000, to be divided equally between home and foreign missions, it being understood that fifty per cent of the amount raised in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island shall be given to the board of home missions working in those provinces, and fifty per cent of the amount raised in New Brunswick to the board working in that province; that the maturing of methods and prosecution of the movement be left to the joint action of the boards interested.

The committee on resolutions brought in its report, returning the usual votes of thanks.

A resolution was adopted endorsing the idea of a national Baptist convention at Winnipeg in 1900, and calling upon the churches to appoint delegates to the convention.

A motion was passed that in future the expenses of the secretary in attending the convention be paid.

Rev. E. J. Grant moved a strong resolution relative to bribery and corruption at elections. The resolution provoked a lengthy and animated discussion, among the speakers being President Emmerson, who left the chair and delivered a long and spirited address denouncing bribery and corruption at elections in the strongest possible language and asserting that the evil was practiced in this province to an alarming extent. He claimed that he personally discountenanced such practices and had once run a pure and clean election and was defeated. The resolution was adopted.

After a few closing remarks by Rev. Mr. Freeman, the convention adjourned at 1 a. m.

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