

## **Renouncement of Modernism and Conventionism**

WHEREAS God has given us added proof of His direct concern and abundant mercy by bringing us and our churches through what has been by universal assent the most critical year of modern times, providing for our material necessities, and showering upon us spiritual blessings; and

WHEREAS the social, economic, and religious conditions of the world present insurmountable problems to human wisdom;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that

FIRST, we record our gratitude to God for said tokens of His favor; and

SECOND, we renew our inflexible repudiation of modernism or any other philosophy, religious or otherwise, which minimizes the absolute authority of Holy Scripture and the unique Deity and atoning work of Jesus Christ; and

THIRD, we further discountenance denominational interference with the internal program of the local church; and

FOURTH, we mutually agree to, while waiting for His Son from Heaven, pray earnestly for a purging, spiritual revival.

FIFTH, we record our joy in the establishment of state and interstate fellowships of "like precious faith" and aims; and

FINALLY, we voice our sincere appreciation first to the First Baptist Church of Buffalo for its warm reception of the convention and the splendid meals provided in the building as well as home hospitality, and second to Rev. H. G. Hamilton, retiring president, for his energy and faithfulness while in office and particularly for his editorial work in connection with our official organ, *The Bulletin*.

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