

come law, only when it secures a majority of three-fourths of the members of the General Conference, who may be present and vote thereon.

23. Any act of the General Conference affecting the rights and privileges of the Annual Conferences, shall become law, only, when it secures a majority of two-thirds of the members of the General Conference, who may be present and vote thereon, and also a majority of the members of the several next ensuing Annual Conferences, who may be present and vote thereon.

24. The General Conference by a vote of two-thirds of its members, shall have power to increase or diminish the number, or alter the boundaries of the several Annual Conferences.

25. The General Conference shall appoint a Special Committee, which shall deal with questions of General Conference interests, in the interval between one General Conference and another.

26. Toward meeting the expenses of the First General Conference, a collection shall be made throughout our whole work, and the Annual Conferences shall fix the time when such collection shall be made within their respective bounds.

#### RESPECTING GENERAL SUPERINTENDENTS.

27. General Superintendents, one or more, shall be appointed who shall preside at the General Conference, travel through the entire connection, preside at the Annual Conferences and their committees, and exercise a general supervision over the whole work. If two or more General Superintendents be appointed, they shall have co-ordinate powers and jurisdiction, but the senior General Superintendent present shall open and organize each General Conference.

28. For the present, each General Superintendent shall reside within the boundaries of the Conference electing him; but in the future, the General Conference shall designate the place of residence, having regard to the above mode of allocation.

29. After the first General Conference the election of the General Superintendents shall be made by the General Conference from those nominated by the Annual Conferences. Provided always that the other nominees of the Annual Conferences shall be considered alternates, so that in case of the death or disability of one or more of the General Superintendents, the vacancy or vacancies thereby occasioned, shall be filled by such alternates in the order of their seniority.

30. The General Superintendents shall arrange among themselves the portion of the work to be visited by each from time to time as convenience or necessity may require.

31. The General Conference shall make an appropriation for salaries to each of the General Superintendents, which, together with travelling expenses, shall be provided as the General Conference may direct.

32. Each General Superintendent shall be amenable for his moral and religious conduct to the Annual Conference within the bounds of which he may reside. And if accused of crime or immorality, the trial shall take place in the District and locality in which the alleged crime is said to have been committed.

33. The General Superintendents with the advise and consent of the Presidents of the Annual Conferences, shall appoint the time for the meeting of the several Annual Conferences.

34. The General Superintendents shall have power to transfer from one Conference to another: Provided always that no Minister shall be so transferred, without his consent and the consent of the Presidents of the Conferences to be affected by such change, as well as the Chairman of the District from which he is to be removed. Notice of all applications for transfer shall be given to the Chairman of the District, and the Presidents of the Conferences concerned, at least one month before the meeting of