

MATTERS TO WHICH THE ATTENTION OF THE
PRESBYTERIES IS DIRECTED BY THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

1. To report to the Committee on the Distribution of Probationers, vacant congregations prepared to call a minister ; also all Licentiates and Ministers without charges within their bounds desirous of employment, and to look after vacant pulpits within their bounds. (See appendices, pages 250, 251).

2. Presbyteries are asked to arrange meetings for conferring with the Moderator of the General Assembly, Dr. Campbell, regarding the Century Fund. (See page 64).

3. Presbyteries are asked to carry out recommendations of the Committee on the Life and Work of the Church. (See appendices, page 274).

4. Presbyteries are requested to consider tables for deferred annuities, and to support the effort for securing the balance of the endowment of the Aged and Infirm Ministers Fund. (See pages 56 and 57).

5. Presbyteries are asked to take the oversight of Sabbath Schools. (See page 66).

6. Remit *re* mode of electing the Moderator of the General Assembly. (See page 65). The following is the Overture :

Inasmuch as the present mode of electing the Moderator of the General Assembly has been found to be inseparable from certain results which tend to detract from the dignity of the Court ;

And inasmuch as there are happily still living quite a number of those who have occupied the Moderator's chair since the union of 1875 ;

And inasmuch as these ex-Moderators, from the very fact of their election, manifestly enjoy the confidence of the Church, and on the grounds of age and experience may be trusted to know the fitness of brethren throughout the Dominion to occupy efficiently the Moderator's chair ;

It is now humbly overtured by those persons whose names are herewith subscribed, that this Supreme Court order that in future the nomination of the Moderator of the