In the Affirmative.

Brazil, Guatemala, Paraguay,
Chili, Hawaii, Russia,
Colombia, Japan, Turkey,
Costa Rica, Liberia, United States,
Great Britain, Mexico, Venezuela.

In the Negative.

Austria-Hungary, Spain.

Abstaining from Voting.

France, Netherlands, Sweden, Germany, San Domingo, Switzerland. Italy,

Ayes, 15; noes, 2; abstaining, 7.

VI. "That the Conference expresses the hope that as soon as may be practicable the astronomical and nautical days will be arranged everywhere to begin at mean midnight."

This resolution was passed without division.

VII. "That the Conference expresses the hope that the technical studies designed to regulate and extend the application of the decimal system to the division of angular space and of time, shall be resumed, so as to permit the extension of this application to all eases in which it presents real advantages."

The motion was adopted by the following vote:-

In the Affirmative.

Hawaii, Russia, Austra-Hungary, Italy, San Domingo. Brazil, Chili, Japan, Spain, Colombia, Liberia, Switzerland, Turkey, Costa Rica, Mexico, United States, Netherlands, France, Great Britain, Venezuela. Paraguay,

Abstaining from Voting.

Germany, Guatemala, Sweden.

Ayes, 21; abstaining, 3.

Done at Washington, the 22nd October, 1884.

C. R. P. RODGERS, President. R. STRACHEY, J. JANSSEN, L. CRULS, Secretaries.

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