

3. The Provisional District Meeting shall be called together at such time, and place, as shall be chosen by the Chairman of Districts, of the Methodist Church of Canada, after consultation by him with the presiding officers of the other uniting bodies, whose charges, or any part of them, may lie within the bounds of such Districts.

4. Each District Meeting, when assembled, shall organize by electing a Chairman and Secretary *pro tem*.

5. The lay members of the District Meetings shall meet separately sometime during the session, and elect by ballot, without debate, lay representatives to the Annual Conferences, in the proportion of one for each minister in full connexion within the bounds of the District. Laymen, to be eligible, must be at least twenty-five years of age, and must have been members of the Church, in good standing, for the five consecutive years next preceding the election.

6. The Provisional District Meeting shall examine into, and report to the Stationing Committee and Conference upon, the recommendations for the division of Circuits and rearrangement of the same, submitted to it in harmony with the direction given concerning such readjustment.

The Provisional District Meeting appoints the representatives to the Stationing Committee, and the member of the Sabbath School Committee.

NOTE.—The Districts recognized by the General Conference are those that existed in the Methodist Church of Canada, in September, 1883.

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