

No. 14 *Resolved*, "That this Imperial Council recommend the Grand Lodge of Scotland to adopt the Purple Ritual at present used in England and Ireland."

Moved by Bro. Wm. Johnston, D. G. M. I., seconded by Bro. H. Merrick, G. M. B. A., and

No. 15—*Resolved*, "That the Secretary be instructed to notify to the several Grand Lodges to furnish the sum of two pounds each for the purpose of paying the expenses of this Council, and at the same time to apply for any arrears that may be due."

Moved by Bro. Henry Merrick, G. M. B. A., seconded by Bro. William Johnston, D. G. M. I., and

No. 16—*Resolved*, "That the next meeting of the Imperial Council be held in Edinburgh, on the Wednesday nearest the 20th July, 1885, (viz., July 22nd) at 11 o'clock, a.m."

The following notice of motion was given by Bro. Rev. R. S. Horne, G. C. S.

"That a Grand Chaplain should be appointed from each of the countries from which representatives are sent to the Imperial Council."

The closing prayer was read by the Chaplain and the President declared the Council closed till July, 1885, then to be held in the City of Edinburgh, on the Wednesday nearest to the 20th day of July, at the hour of 11 o'clock, a.m.

TREVOR, President of the Council.

RICHARD DAVIS, Grand Secretary to the Council.

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