

the view of ascertaining if they would be disposed to assist in the matter by nominating persons to confer with each other and endeavour to reach a conclusion which they would recommend their respective governments to adopt.

Resolved—5. That in view of the representations which have come to this Congress from America, it is suggested that a Conference of Delegates who may be appointed by the different governments be held in the city of Washington, and that the Conference open on the first Monday in May, 1882.

Resolved—6. That the gentlemen whose names follow be an Executive Committee to make arrangements for the proposed Meeting of Delegates, and to take such steps as may seem expedient in furtherance of the objects of these Resolutions. And that all communications in respect thereof be transmitted to General W. B. HAZEN, Meteorological Bureau, War Department, Washington.

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