

instructions in writing, to communicate with the local agents of the paper, and urge them with the least possible delay to collect and forward the past dues, and to act with as much vigour as possible in promoting regular returns of subscriptions.

5. *Resolved*, That bro. S. T. Rand be requested to act as an agent for three months, for the purpose of collecting the amounts now due for the Christian Messenger, and attending to its interests—and that he be requested to take collections in the various churches to defray the expenses of his agency; any balance beyond which will be defrayed from the returns received for the paper. Also, that the local agents be requested to render bro. Rand all the assistance in their power in promotion of his object.

6. *Resolved*, That a letter be addressed by this Association to the New Brunswick Association, communicating the measures now adopted with reference to the Christian Messenger, and urging upon our brethren there to adopt a similar course with regard to the interests of the paper in that Province.

7. *Resolved*, That bro. Bill, our messenger, be requested to explain and enforce the views expressed in the above resolutions at the meeting of the New Brunswick Association, and that our valued brethren now present as messengers from that Association be respectfully and affectionately requested to aid bro. Bill in carrying the objects of their Association into effect.

Whereas the New Brunswick Association made no provision at their last meeting in reference to paying up the sum due for the publication of the Magazine, and the balance being of long standing, and but a small part of the arrears due having been paid in the course of the past year,—This Association do resolve to advance to the Editors the further sum of twenty five pounds for the Printer out of the Missionary funds—and further, that bro. Bill bring the subject before the New Brunswick association, and urge the necessity of some means being adopted by them to collect the arrears due in New Brunswick, and that they be requested to advance a sum not less than £35, to pay the publisher's demand.

*Resolved*, That bro. Rand's agency also go to the collection of arrears due for the Magazine in this Province.

Adjourned to 4 o'clock.

Met at the time appointed. Prayer by the Moderator. The Select Committee reported as follows:—

The Committee recommend that the following resolutions be adopted, in answer to the question propounded by the 2nd Cornwallis church,

*Resolved*, That the Association conceive it may be desirable for ministers to agree to boundaries between their respective churches, and that when such boundaries are agreed on, no minister should hold meetings within the other's bounds without his consent; but they would at the same time earnestly and affectionately exhort their brethren to cultivate such a spirit of love, harmony, and good will, as would make all local boundaries unnecessary.

In reply to the request from the church at Westchester—*Resolved*,