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our Ministers from a certain rate of contribution in proportion to the exact number of members in Society, and resolves that this principle be adopted, and forthwith applied.

A. 2. It having been ascertained, on comparing the number of children, with the number of members in Society in this connexion, that Sixty Eight members will have to provide the allowance for one child, the following statement has been drawn up, determining the number of children, allowances to be provided by the several Districts in the year 1855-6, and to be allotted, at the Financial District meetings to the Circuits according to Rule:—

Members in  
Society.

.	200
.	256
.	208
.	228
.	380
.	303
.	54
.	169
.	142
.	238
.	117
.	109
.	125
.	107
.	301
.	57
.	418
.	504
Cove	220
.	74
.	118
.	229
.	199
.	20
.	160
.	170
.	116

Members  
minutes  
ence

13136

12226

910

587

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principle  
children of

Districts.

No. of children.

No. of Members

<i>Halifax</i> . . .	34	2297
<i>Annapolis</i> . . .	24	1576
<i>Charlottetown</i> .	34	2309
<i>St. John, N. B.</i> .	27	1809
<i>Fredéricton</i> . .	16	1080
<i>Sackville</i> . . .	21	1432
<i>Newfoundland</i> .	39	2633

Charles F. Allison, Esq. and the Rev. Humphrey Pickard, M. A. are requested to act as Treasurers of this Fund, and the Rev. William Temple is appointed as the general Secretary for the ensuing year.

CONTINGENT FUND.

Q. VIII. What are the Resolutions of the Conference on the subject of the Contingent Fund?

A. The Conference, convinced that an efficient Contingent Fund will be indispensably necessary to assist the poorer Circuits in meeting their expenditure, unanimously resolves,

1. That the "Yearly Collection" be made in all the classes in the Lady Day Quarter;

That a public collection be made in all the congregations in the latter part of the month of August;

And that private subscriptions be solicited from our friends in aid of the object.