

5. CONTINGENT FUND.

RESOLUTION OF CONFERENCE RESPECTING THE CONTINGENT FUND.

The Conference earnestly recommends this Fund to the continued and increased liberality of our congregations, and would remind our Ministers of the rules for its support, which are as follows :

SOURCES OF INCOME.

In the Eastern section of the General Conference,—

- 1st.—Collections to be taken up on all the Circuits in the months of September and March in each year.
2nd.—The public collections taken up at each Session of the Annual Conferences. See Discipline, p.p. 118.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

St. John's District	163.87
Carbonear District	66.38
Special from Old Perlican	40.00
	\$270.25

APPROPRIATIONS.

Funeral expenses of late Mrs. Fox ..	48.00
Bro. Shenstone for family affliction..	40.00
Conference Seal	16.00
Presidents Expenses	30.00
Sundries, Books, &c.	23.60
Printing Minutes.. .. .	60.00
Exchange on Currency.. .. .	217.60
	52.65
	\$270.25

6. CHILDREN'S FUND.

Rev. John S. Peach, Secretary.

The following is the basis adopted by the Conference of 1874, for the distribution of children's claims over Circuits and Home Missions :

1. Circuits with one Minister shall pay a proportionate and uniform rate.
2. Home Missions for first four years shall pay one-half of that rate.