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## V.-REPLY TO THE FOREGOING LETTER.

REV. AND DEAR DOCTOR,-

The purpose you aim to accomplish can be effectually secured by a different resolution to that introduced yesterday; if you will stay and bear what the brethren may say about the appointment of a large committee to take up this subject before I lay your resignation before them, I shall feel much gratified. I again say, I look upon your proposed withdrawal with deep sorrow, and must say, I cannot bring myself to believe that on such grounds you can be justified in taking so serious a stepling to the transcent and the serious a stepling to the serious as

If the separation cannot be avoided, you will be kind enough to send the letter referred to, as you remember I handed it to you since coming to Belleville. Again, I entreat you, my dear friend, to withdraw your resignation. Excuse this scrawl, as I write in the midst of Conference business.

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And affectionately yours, and to in

(Signed,) ENOCH WOOD.

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MONDAY MORNING,

Belleville, June 12th, 1854.

REVEREND AND DEAR SIR.

In accordance with the request contained in your affectionate note of Saturday, I attended the Conference, instead of pressing the reading to it of the letter which I had addressed to you on Saturday