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ADDRESS OF THE GENERAL CONFERENCE OF  
THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN  
CANADA, 1882, TO THE GENERAL CONFER-  
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CANADA.

*To the President and Members of the General Conference of  
the Methodist Church of Canada :*

DEAR FATHERS AND BRETHREN,—We, the Methodist Episcopal Church in Canada, in General Conference assembled, embrace the present opportunity to convey to you our most cordial expressions of brotherly love and Christian salutations. Your fraternal address was received in the kindly spirit in which it was conveyed ; and your fraternal delegate, as a messenger of your salutations, delighted us alike by the message he bore and the felicitous manner in which he performed his duty before our body.

Our fraternal delegate, Rev. S. G. Stone, D.D., a brother beloved among us, will report to you somewhat of our prosperity so graciously vouchsafed to us by the Head of the Church during the last quadrennial period, and will take occasion to express more fully our cordial good-will toward you as brethren.

And now, rejoicing in your prosperity and triumphs as a Church, and praying that our fraternal relations may continue, we “commend you to God and to the word of His grace, which is able to build you up and to give you an inheritance among all them which are sanctified.”

Signed, in behalf of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Canada,

A. CARMAN, *President.*

F. B. STRATTON, *Secretary.*

Hamilton, 1st Sept., 1882.