

this time, conscious that, for the present, our proceedings must necessarily be initiatory and experimental. They would recommend the Conference to allow a trial for one year, and that at the next Conference the subject be again considered, with such suggestions as the judgment and experience of the Board may enable them to give.

14 That the report of the Educational Committee be adopted, and that the suggestions and recommendations it contains be approved by this Conference.

15 That the Rev. Wm. McClure be appointed the Tutor of our Theological Institute, to be located where this Conference may determine.

16 That the Board of Education be the Rev. the President of Conference for the time being, the General Superintendent, the Rev. J. C. Watts and the Tutor, or Principal, with Bros. M. Aikman, O. Blake and Dr. Salter.

The report of the Committee appointed to investigate the characters, &c. of Candidates for our ministry was taken up, duly considered *seriatim* at intervals, and the following resolutions founded thereon :

17 That the case of Bro. Thos. Fox of the Yorkville Circuit be left in the hands of the Stationing Committee, to be disposed of as the necessities of the Connexion may require.

18 That Bro. Jas. White, of Caledon Circuit, be received as a married probationer of one year's standing.

19 That Bro. Robert Carter, of Milton Circuit, be received as a married probationer.

20 That Bro. Alex. Hartly, of Milton Circuit, be received as a probationer.

21 That Bro. George Buggins, of Toronto Circuit, be received as a married probationer.

22 That Bro. Joseph Gundy be received as a probationer.

23 That Bro. John Bell be received again into our ministry in his former standing in the Connexion, and in consequence of his labors the past year that year be allowed him.

24 That the cases of Bros. James Orme and Chauncey Wilcox, with Bro. Thos. Jackson, be left in the hands of the Annual Committee.

25 That Bro. F. Haynes be received into our Itinerancy, and is at the disposal of the Stationing Committee.

26 That Bro. Hamilton Leith be received as a married probationer.

27 That the decision in Bro. Armstrong's case be reserved until the requirements of the Stationing Committee be understood.

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