

[*Extracted from the Minutes of the Missionary Committee.*]

TIME FOR THE BRANCH SOCIETY'S RETURNS.

"It having been seen that the time taken by the Branch Societies for sending in their Lists and Monies was yearly becoming later, and the financial interests of the Society having suffered by the consequent late publication of the Annual Report, it was

"RESOLVED, That the Treasurer's Report shall be closed from year to year on the last day of June, and that Superintendents of Circuits are required to use all practicable effort to have the Subscriptions on their respective Circuits collected and paid to the Treasurer at or before the Session of the Conference."

REPORTS OF MISSIONS.

"RESOLVED, That the Report of the Religious state of Missions be prepared by the Superintendent of each Mission, and read in the May District Meeting, subject to the revision of that Meeting."

[*Extracted from the Minutes of Conference.*]

CONSTITUTION OF THE MISSIONARY COMMITTEE.

"The Committee on Missions shall consist of the President and Secretary of Conference, the Co-Delegate, the Superintendent of Missions, the Chairman of Districts, and not less than seven other Ministers, nor more than the entire number of Chairmen, to be nominated by the Superintendent of Missions, and elected by the Conference, who, together with an equal number of laymen, shall possess and exercise all the powers now employed by the Missionary Committee and Board.

"Each District Meeting, when the Stewards are present, shall elect one layman as a member of this Committee, and the Conference shall appoint the remaining number in the same way in which the Ministers of the Committee are appointed."