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MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS.

STATISTICAL COMMITTEE.

It was moved by Rev. W. E. Pescott, B.A., and seconded by Rev. J. S. Ross, M.A., D.D., and

Resolved, -- That inasmuch as the District Secretaries are required to be in constant attendance upon the business of the Conference, thus rendering it impracticable that they should be members of the Statistical Committee, a new Statistical Committee be named by the Nominating Committee.

CONFERENCE PRAYER AND PRAISE SERVICE.

It was resolved that a prayer and praise service be held each morning from 8.30 to 9.30 o'clock, such service to take the place of the usual opening devotional exercises.

REV. JOHN SCOTT, M.A., D.D.

It was moved by Rev. John Wakefield, and seconded by Rev. W. C. Henderson, M.A., D.D., and

Resolved,—That whereas, Rev. John Scott, M.A., D.D., who for twentynine years past has been a beloved and faithful minister in the Methodist Church, and for many years past a member of the Guelph Conference, for one year its President, and for several years Chairman of a District; and

Whereas, Dr. Scott is now transferred to the Japan Conference, and appointed to a responsible position in that far-off land, and among that most interesting people;

This Conference desires to express its thorough approval of his appointment, believing him to be admirably adapted to the work assigned him. It desires further to assure Bro. Scott that he will carry with him not only our best wishes for his great success in God's work, and the happiness of himself and family, but of our continued prayers for him and for the work to which he now devotes his life.

REV. JOHN POTTS, D.D.

It was moved by Rev. I. Tovell, D.D., seconded by Rev. John Wakefield, and

Resolved,—That this Conference has once more listened with much satisfaction to the favorable report just presented by Rev. Dr. Potts, General Secretary of Education. More and more are we impressed with the priceless value of our educational work in relation to our entire Church through that mental training given to the sons and daughters of our homes. We rejoice in the ever increasing attendance and in the hopeful financial circumstances of our educational institutions. We assure the General Secretary of our continued sympathy with him in his work, and would pledge ourselves to do our utmost to advance the interests of our Educational Fund. We would express our appreciation of the continued efficient services of the General Secretary, and we trust he may be long spared to further the educational work of the Church.