

RESOLUTIONS.

GENERAL BUSINESS.

THANKS TO RETIRING PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY.

I. That the cordial and hearty thanks of this Conference, be, and are hereby tendered to the retiring President and Secretary, for the efficient and satisfactory manner in which they have discharged the onerous duties of their office, for the past year.

BRO. HURLEY'S CASE.

II. That in the opinion of this Conference, the time has come when Bro. Hurley should be relieved from the active work of the ministry; we therefore recommend to the English Conference, that he be forthwith superannuated. In making this recommendation, we desire to express our appreciation of his character and ministry, and hope that in his declining days, he may have the abundant blessing of our Divine Master.

EDITOR AND BOOK STEWARD'S REPORT.

III. That the Report of the Editor and Book Steward be now received and adopted; and that the thanks of this Conference be and are hereby presented to the Editor for his services, and that he be re-appointed to said offices another year.

AFTER CLAIMS INADMISSABLE.

IV. That, hereafter, any preacher resigning his connection with this Conference, shall put in any claim he may have against it, with his resignation; and failing to do it, no claim shall in any case be admitted after such resignation has been accepted.

EXAMINATION OF CANDIDATES

V. That a District Examining Committee be appointed at the Conference, each year, for the purpose of examining candidates for the ministry, within the several Districts; and that no candidate shall pass from any Circuit or Mission into the active work, without having first passed the Examining Committee of the District to which such Circuit or Mission belongs.

NUMBER OF YEARS A PREACHER MAY REMAIN ON A STATION.

VI. That, in harmony with the expressed opinion of the majority of our Quarterly Meetings, *Four Years* be the maximum term for a minister to remain on a Station, except under very

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