1. The presidents and secretaries of the four societies shall form the Executive Committee of the Federation. The chairman and secretary of the Executive Committee of the preceding year shall be advisory members of the Executive Committee.

2. The chairmanship of the Executive Committee shall be held in turn by the presidents of the constituent societies who shall succeed one another annually in the order of seniority of the societies.

3. The secretary of the society whose president is chairman shall be secretary of the Executive Committee.

4. The secretaries of the constituent societies shall consult in preparing the programs of the annual meetings, and, as far as practicable and with the members' consent, the communications shall be so distributed as to be presented before the society in which they properly belong.

5. The programs of the four societies shall be published by the secretary of the Federation under one cover, and the expense of publication shall be shared by the societies pro rata to the number of members.

6. The Executive Committee shall select the place for the annual meeting. A common meeting-place of the Federation with the Anatomists, the Naturalists, and the Zoologists is desirable, but not mandatory.