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church, Claremont, by Mr. A. H. Kippan, was taken up, and papers from the session, the officers of Sabbath school and the Y. P. S. C. E. of the most touching and appreciate nature were read, after which Mr. Kippan was heard at length also the deputies from the congregation. The resignation at length was accepted and Rev. Mr. McLaren appointed to be Moderator of Session during the vacancy. Mr. Abraham reported for himself and his colleague on the committee, that they had visited Newcastle, Newtonville, Kendall and Orono, and met with and took the views of the congregations as to re-arrangement of the field. They found Orono and Kendall ready to coalesce, but that terms could not be come to for union of Newcastle and Newtonville. The subject led to much deliberation by Presbytery, which continued their appointment hoping that more favourable circumstances might emerge so that all need of augmentation might be removed and two strong charges established. The following commissioners to General Assembly were then appointed, viz: Revs. John Chisholm, B.A., R. B. Smith, S. H. Eastman, B.A., and J. A. McKee, and ruling elders J. T. Pollock, W. J. Hare, James Beith and Alexander Marr. The ministers of the various congregations reported as to their respective missionary meetings and efforts, on the whole favourably.

The Presbytery of Sarnia held its usual quarterly meeting in St. Andrew's church, Sarnia, on the 13th ult. Rev. Mr. Lochhead was appointed Moderator for the next six months, and took the chair. Dr. McKay, of Formosa, was unanimously nominated Moderator of next General Assembly. Reports from congregations as having held missionary meetings during the winter were read, showing that gratifying results had followed these gatherings. Mr. Cuthbertson reported that on the 22nd February he had moderated in a call at Petrolia in favor of Rev. Neil McPherson, a licentiate of this church, promising \$1,000 with mause and a month's holiday. The Presbytery agreed to meet in Petrolia on the 20th of April next at 11 a.m. to hear these trials and in the event of being satisfied to proceed with the ordination and induction of Mr. McPherson. Mr. Graham intimated that on the 27th of February he had moderated in a call at Alvinston to Mr. Bradley, of St. Thomas, in Pembina Presbytery in N.D., acceptance of the same being read by the Presbytery. The induction was appointed to take place at Alvinston on the 27th of March at 2 p.m. Reports from deputations from augmented congregations and mission stations were received and sums recommended for the next six months were adopted in terms thereof. One-thirty p.m., Presbytery met and was constituted. Applications from Mr. Livingston of the Methodist church and Mr. Harvey of the Baptist church, for admission as min-

isters of this church were received. Dr. Thompson, Messrs. Cuthbertson and McKee, with their elders, were appointed a committee to draft findings in the matters of remits of General Assembly and report at the meeting at Petrolia on 20th April. The following were elected to be commissioners to the General Assembly: Mr. Currie and Mr. Cuthbertson; Dr. Thompson and Mr. Pritchard. Mr. McKee, on behalf of Committee on Temperance, gave in an excellent report on that question. Mr. Graham, on behalf of the Committee on the State of Religion, gave in an encouraging report. Mr. McDiarmid gave in a partial report on Sabbath Schools. The report was remitted to the committee with instructions to procure further information and forward the same to the convener of the Synod's Committee on that question. The Presbytery resolved to hold a public meeting in Albert street church on the evening of the July meeting and discuss these questions, Mr. Jordan to lead on Temperance; Mr. Cuthbertson to open the discussion on the State of Religion and Mr. Graham on Sabbath Schools.

The Winnipeg Presbytery met in Manitoba College on the 13th of March, Rev. A. Matheson, Moderator. Rev. Mr. Matheson's term as Moderator having expired, Rev. W. M. Omand, of Keewatin, was elected Moderator for the next six months. The Presbytery sends five ministers as commissioners to the next General Assembly, who are, Rev. R. G. MacBeth and W. McKay Omand, Revs. Dr. Bryce, Jos. Hogg and C. B. Pitblado, ballot. The following elders were selected: Prof. Hart, Chief Justice Taylor, D. Sinclair, Colin H. Campbell, D. McArthur, (Emerson). Rev. Dr. Bryce presented the report of the Home Mission Committee. It was considered in detail and arrangements were made for carrying on work during the summer months. The annual report of the Presbyterial W. F. M. Society was laid on the table with accompanying documents. Rev. Prof. Hart and Rev. Joseph Hogg were appointed as representatives from the Presbytery to convey to the meeting of ladies in Knox Church that evening their congratulations and good wishes upon the result of their labors during the year. Rev. Prof. Baird presented a report on finance and statistics, which reviewed the returns for 1893 that had been sent in by congregations and mission stations. The report concluded with the following recommendations, which were agreed to. (1.) That the Presbytery urge upon its ministers and missionaries to give an opportunity to congregations to contribute at least once a year to some of the schemes of the church. (2.) That the Presbytery, while admitting the right of the congregation to apportion money as they please to the schemes, enter into correspondence with the sessions of certain churches named to discuss what methods are employed to bring the schemes in general and home missions in particular before the attention of their congregations. Mr. Hogg resigned as Moderator of Point Douglas Church Session and in accordance with the request of the people, Rev. Prof. Baird was appointed in his place. Rev. Prof. Baird, as convener of committee on draft book of praise, presented the following report, which, after discussion, was adopted: The committee recommends: (1.) That the present hymnal be enlarged and revised; (2.) That while sympathizing with the feelings of those who prefer that the whole psalter be retained, it is expedient to make selections from the psalms to be incorporated in the new book; (3.) That the psalms be inserted with new versions and that there should be where advisable various versions of the same psalm; (4.) That selections of the paraphrases be incorporated with the hymns. (5.) That some of the present hymns should be dropped and others added, and that in making additions, hymns suitable for evangelistic services should not be overlooked; (6.) That it is inexpedient to attempt to combine a children's hymnal with the proposed congregational hymnal. On motion of Rev. Jos. Hogg, seconded by Rev. J. A. F. Sutherland, Rev. Dr. G. L. McKay, of Formosa, was nominated as Moderator of the next General Assembly.

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