RECEPTION OF MINISTERS.

Reception.

By the Presbytery of Pictou: -

Rev. Lauchlan McDonald from the Free Presbytery of Edinburgh. Rev. John F. Forbes, Licentiate from the Presbytery of New Bruns

wick, New Jersey, U.S.

INDUCTION.

Induction.

By the Presbytery of Pictou:-

Rev. Lauchlan McDonald in the Pastoral charge of the congregation of Earltown and West Branch.

ORDINATIONS AND INDUCTIONS.

Ordinations.

By the Presbytery of Truro:-

Mr. Donald Stewart to the pastoral charge of the congregation of Acadia Mines.

By the Presbytery of Pictou:

Mr. Alex. McLean Sinclair, Springville, July 25th, 1866.

Mr. John Franklin Forbes, Lochaber and Goshen, Feb. 27th, 1867. Mr. John Burns Watt, to be colleague and successor to the Rev. John Stewart, in John Knox's church, New Glasgow, Mar. 26, 1867.

By the Presbytery of Halifax:-

Mr. Allan Simpson, Kennetcook, Gore and Rawdon, 7th Aug., 1866. Mr. John Forrest, St. John's Church, Halifax, 12th Dec., 1866.

Mr. E. McNab, Yarmouth, as colleague to the Rev. G. Christie, 19th May, 1867.

By the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island:—

Mr. John George Cameron, Tryon and Bonshaw. March 14th, 1867. By the Presbytery of York:—

Mr. Samuel Bernard, to Florenceville and Glassville.

LICENSURES.

Licensures.

By the Presbytery of Halifax:-

Mr. Oliphant Christie, 18th July, 1866. Mr. John W. Nelson, 7th August.

By the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island:— Mr. John Keir Bearisto, July 25th, 1866.

By the Presbyterg of St John: -

Mr. James Sinclair, 10th October, 1866.
By the Presbytery of Pictou:—

Mr. J. D. Murray, May 28th, 1867.

Roll called.

The Roll was then called, and the names of those present marked when the members marked 1 answered to their names.

Moderator chosen.

Rev. Dr. McCulloch was then unanimously chosen Moderator, and

after a brief address took the chair.

Rev. Angus McGillivray being present, was invited to sit as a corres Corresponding member.

ponding member.

Death of A.

Rev. John Stewart then informed the Synod of the death of Abram Patterson, Esq., Patterson, Esq., late Treasurer of the Synod, and moved, "That the different Boards of Synod, and as many other members as may find it convenient to attend the funeral to-morrow morning in Pictou town have leave of absence." The motion having passed, it was further agreed, "that the Rev. Dr. Bayne, the Rev. T. Sedgwick, and Dr. For