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the Synod adjourned,
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CH, TORONTO,
7, 7½ o'clock P.M.

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Rev. Dr. Fairbairn,
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out of their way to
address the Synod.

Principal Fairbairn addressed the Synod at length, stating the chief object of their mission to this Continent ; referring to the union of the churches constituting the Canada Presbyterian Church, and the happy results arising therefrom, and also to the union of churches in Australia ; and giving some account of the negotiations for union between the Free Church and the United Presbyterian Church in Scotland, and the prospect there was that those negotiations would be successful ; furnishing many interesting details of the prosperous condition of the Sustentation Fund, the Mission Fund, and other Financial Schemes of the Free Church ; and dwelling at large on the great importance with which the church in the mother country regarded the thorough training of Ministers of the Gospel in all useful learning ; the efforts which had been made for securing the best results in this direction, and the great measure of success with which such efforts had been crowned.

The Moderator then called upon the Rev. Mr. Wells, who addressed the Synod at considerable length, dwelling especially on the Home Mission operations of the Free Church in Scotland, and giving many interesting details of the success attending the efforts put forth for reclaiming, and forming into christian congregations, the careless and dangerous classes of the cities and larger towns.

Dr. Burns, Emeritus Professor of Church History in Knox College, addressed the House, expressing the Synod's cordial welcome and thanks to the Deputation, and closing with the following motion :—

The Synod of the Canada Presbyterian Church, having listened with peculiar satisfaction to the appropriate and eloquent addresses of the Deputies of the Free Church of Scotland, desire to return to these brethren their most hearty thanks : and through them to assure the Assembly of the Free Church, of the very great pleasure which the appearance among them of the respected Deputies from that Church has afforded them, associated as it has been with grateful remembrances of Jehovah's wonderful dealings with that Church in the past ; and affording ground of hope that reciprocal feelings of attachment among churches of the common faith will increase more and more, and that Jehovah will be pleased, by uniting the hearts, and connecting the efforts, of Evangelical and Presbyterian Churches, on both sides of the Great Atlantic, to lift up the standard of truth for the people of every land, and thus to "glorify the house of his glory."

The motion was seconded by Mr. George Smellie, of Fergus, and was supported briefly by Dr. Thornton, of Oshawa, and by Mr. James Court, of Montreal.

The Moderator, in putting the motion, said that the cordiality with which the Synod welcomed the Deputation, and the appreciation in which their Addresses were held, would be best expressed by a Standing vote ; whereupon every member of Synod arose to his feet.

The Moderator, then in suitable terms, conveyed to Dr. Fairbairn, and Mr. Wells the thanks of the Synod ; requesting them in case no other opportunity offered, to carry to the Church in the Father-land the warm fraternal regards of this Synod ;