

subject. The discussion was continued for a time by Dr. Bryce and Mr. McKechnie, after which it was moved by Dr. Bryce, duly seconded, that the report be received and the recommendations considered seriatim. After consideration the report was adopted as a whole. (See Appendix.)

Mr. MacBeth submitted the report of the Committee on Young People's Societies. Messrs. Henry and Wright then addressed the Synod on the subject, after which the report was received, recommendations considered seriatim and adopted as a whole. (See Appendix.)

The Synod then adjourned to meet at half past nine o'clock to-morrow morning, the moderator pronouncing the benediction.

EIGHTH SEDERUNT.

At the same place as above the Synod met, pursuant to adjournment, and after praise was constituted by prayer by Mr. Weir at the request of the Moderator.

The minutes of the preceding Sederunts were read and sustained.

The report of the special Committee appointed last year anent Sabbath Observance was submitted by Dr. King. The report was received and the Committee thanked for their diligence. The report is as follows :—

The Committee appointed to wait on the Manager of the Manitoba and North-Western Railway, for the purpose of calling attention to the great amount of Sabbath desecration caused by the times at which the trains leave and depart from Yorkton, beg to report that the Manager received us cordially, expressed himself in full sympathy with the aim of the Committee, but was unable in the present state of the Company to hold out any hope of an early change in the train arrangements for the service of Yorkton. The choice, it was said, was really between the present service or none at all.

The report of the Committee on Church Life and Work, presented yesterday by Dr. Duval, was on motion of Mr. Murray, duly seconded, received, the recommendations considered seriatim and afterwards adopted as a whole. (See Appendix.)