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Professor be appointed, the Presbyteries be enjoined to take charge of the Students in their bounds, and that such inspection shall be held equivalent to a regular session of the Hall, and further that Presbyteries shall report to the Synod at its next meeting.

The Synod took up the question relating to the appointment of a Professor of Theology. *Professor of Divinity.*

It was moved by Mr. Jennings, seconded by Mr. Skinner, that whereas at last *pro re nata* meeting of Synod it was resolved that the Church in Scotland through the Board of Missions be requested to recommend for the choice of this Synod a list of names of ministers qualified for the Professorship in this Synod; and whereas, in consequence of information recently received, it is expedient to rescind that procedure, be it now therefore resolved, that that decision be rescinded and that the Synod in Scotland, through the Board of Missions, be authorized to make the Selection of such Professors.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Proudfoot, seconded by Mr. Christie, that the case be for the present left precisely in the position in which it was placed by the *pro re nata* meeting of Synod. *Amendment.*

The Amendment and the motion being seconded, Amendment carried.

Adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock.

Closed with the benediction.

X. SEDERUNT.

HAMILTON, 10th June, 1851.

2 o'clock, P. M. }

THE Synod met, and was constituted by Dr. Taylor, Moderator. The minutes of last Sederunt were read and sustained.

In accordance with the request of the Presbytery of Lanark, said Presbytery was appointed to meet at Smith's Falls on the Wednesday after the first Sabbath of August at 11 o'clock forenoon. *Meeting of Lanark Presbytery.*

The Committee of Bills and Overtures reported a petition from the Congregation of Caledonia, praying for an additional supply of preaching to the *Petition from Caledonia.*