

and expressed its sympathy with its esteemed brother, also resolved that his tender of resignation shall lie on the table in the meantime, and that Mr. King, Principal Caven, and Mr. Pringle be appointed a committee to confer with Mr. Ewing anent this matter, as also, if advisable, with the session of Georgetown and Limehouse, in the hope that this resignation may be withdrawn, and in case of this endeavour failing, to require the congregation to appear by commissioners at next meeting of Presbytery. Mr. Pringle reported for himself and Mr. McFaul that, agreeably to appointment, they had gone to Alton village and met with our adherents there, when, partly as the result of certificates received, and partly on the result of examination, they had declared 16 persons to be a distinct congregation of our church, and under the superintendence and oversight of the Presbytery. The report was received, and the committee were thanked for their diligence. Also it was agreed that Mr. Pringle be appointed to preside at the election and ordination of elders in said congregation, at such a time as he may deem them duly prepared therefore. The clerk stated that since last ordinary meeting he had received additional returns anent the General Assembly's Remit on Union. Said returns were accordingly read, when it was found that altogether 18 sessions and 22 congregations connected with the Presbytery approve of the remit, and that one session and one congregation disapprove of those parts of the remit which appear to them not to sufficiently provide for the purity and uniformity of worship in the Church. The clerk was instructed to report accordingly to the General Assembly. A committee was appointed to prepare a plan for the holding of missionary meetings throughout the bounds in the course of the winter, and to notify the several sessions and mission stations accordingly. Some other matters were transacted not requiring public notice. The next ordinary meeting was appointed to be held in the usual place on Tuesday, the 1st of December, at 11 a.m.

R. MONTEATH, *Pres. Clerk.*

PRESBYTERY OF HURON.—This Presbytery held a regular meeting at Seaford on the 13th of October.

The clerk reported that he visited the congregation of Duff's Church, McKillop, and that the difficulties which had existed between them and their late pastor had been agreeably settled.

A letter was read from the Rev. James Donaldson, complaining of the conduct of the Presbytery of London regarding his case, and his call from Dunganon.

The Presbytery decided to take no action in the matter.

The Clerk was authorized to apportion to the several congregations the amount claimed from this Presbytery for the Assembly Fund.

On application made, moderations in calls were granted to the congregations of Duff's Church, and Egmondville,—Mr. Brown to attend to the former, and Mr. Danby to the latter, on the 27th inst., at 11 a.m.

The Quarterly Report of the Home Mission Committee was read by Mr. McCuaig. The supply of the Mission Station in Stephen was left in Mr. Gracy's hands till the next meeting, and Mr. McCuaig was appointed to make arrangements for the supply of Bethany. Mr. Goldsmith, on behalf of the Committee appointed to prepare a suitable minute anent Mr. Graham's translation, submitted the following, which was adopted, viz.:

"The Presbytery of Huron, in parting with their venerable and valued friend and father in the gospel, Rev. Wm. Graham, would take the opportunity of recording their high sense of his personal worth as a Christian gentleman and a minister of the gospel. For more than a quarter of a century he has been amongst us, one of the pioneers of Presbyterian missions in Huron, where the prime of his life and the weight of his talents and influences were sacredly consecrated to the work of the Christian ministry. While with profound regret we part with Mr. Graham from our Presbytery, we would pray that the closing