

further appears that this matter has already been made the subject of consideration, with a view to an arrangement, between Mr. Rintoul and the Clerk of Synod, and that, as the latter declares, it was agreed that a list of arrears due by the seceding Ministers should be furnished to Mr. Rintoul in order to their collection, which, as Mr. Bell understood, was agreed to be taken by Mr. Rintoul as payment in full of his salary. If this has not been done, the Committee recommend to the Synod that a list of said defaulters, as taken from the Treasurer's books, for the year in question, should be furnished to Mr. Rintoul, for his guidance in intimating, as he appears to have consented to do, to the Ministers formerly belonging to the Synod, but now on the Roll of the "Presbyterian Church of Canada," that they make payment of their respective collections for the year 1843-44, to the Treasurer, in which event, the amount of Mr. Rintoul's claim should be paid him from the proceeds thereof; or that without said collections being received by and passing through the books of the Treasurer of this Synod, the Committee recommend that the right of this Synod to claim the aforesaid arrears of collections, (which judging from the average of former years, would amount to greatly more than Mr. Rintoul's claim for balance of his salary) should be surrendered by the Synod in favour of Mr. Rintoul,—full acquittance being given on both sides:—otherwise it does not appear to the Committee that the claim should now be entertained. The Synod having heard the Report of their Committee, agreed to the same and decreed in terms thereof.

The Synod instructed the Finance Committee to prepare a scale of contributions to the Synod Fund according to which the several Congregations may be assessed, and to report the same to the Synod to-morrow.

The Synod adjourned until Ten o'clock to-morrow, and was closed with prayer.

DIET VII.

At Montreal, and within St. Andrew's Church there:—

Wednesday, the Ninth Day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-one Years:—

The which day, the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, in connection with the Church of Scotland, met, according to adjournment, and was constituted with prayer.

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