

cepted by the Presbytery; and that it had pleased the wise disposer of all events to remove the Rev. John McKinlay of Prince Street Church, Pictou. And farther, that a call from the Prince Street Church congregation to the Rev. James Bayne, late of Lower Londonderry, had been accepted by him, and that he had been inducted to the pastoral charge of that congregation.

The Presbytery of Truro reported, that the Rev. James Bayne as aforesaid, had been loosed from the congregation of Lower Londonderry.

The necessary alterations in the roll were ordered to be made in accordance with these reports.

Mr. Waddell was excused from lecturing at the present meeting of Synod.

Excuses of non-attendance at the present meeting of Synod were offered from the Revds. A. P. Miller, Thomas Trotter and John McCurdy, which were sustained. The Synod also agreed to express their sympathy with Mr. Trotter in his present affliction, and the happiness it would afford should he again be permitted to meet with his brethren in Synod.

The various committees were appointed and other routine business transacted.

Mr. J. W. Dawson tendered his resignation of the office of Synod Treasurer, which was accepted.

The Synod met Wednesday, 25th ult. and spent a portion of the forenoon sederunt in devotional exercises, conducted by the Revd. Messrs. Bayne, Byers and Walker.

A letter was read from Mr. Trotter, stating what had been done by the Committee for corresponding with the United Presbyterian Church, and requesting that he be relieved from further attendance on this business.

Agreed to appoint a committee of general correspondence with other Churches. The Revds. George Patterson, G. Walker and James Bayne were appointed a committee for that purpose, and it was agreed, that hereafter the duty of corresponding

with the United Presbyterian Church devolve upon them, and they were directed to make immediate application for two preachers. They were further instructed to correspond with the United Presbyterian Churches in Canada and Jamaica, with the Union of Evangelical Churches in France, and with other Evangelical bodies in the United States and elsewhere, as they may think fit.

The committee appointed to reply to the letter of the Free Church declining union with this Body, read at last Synod, stated their procedure, and on laying papers on the table, explained the causes of delay in publishing the reply which they had drawn up. The Synod approved their diligence, ordered the letter and reply to be inserted in an appendix to the Synod minutes, and that additional copies of these documents be published for the information of the members and adherents of this Church.

[The remainder of proceedings we are obliged to defer till our next.]

The Treasurer of the Board of Domestic Missions acknowledges the receipt of the following sums:

From Salt Springs, W. River,	
per Rev Mr Grant,	£1 3 4
From West Chester, per do.	1 4 2
Gairloch, Middle River, per do.	0 12 6
Glenelg, St Mary's,	£1 12 14
Miramichi, per Rev. G. Pat-	
terson,	1 16 3
Upper Londonderry,	2 10 0
Wallace River, per Rev E. Ross,	1 0 0
Wallace River, per Rev. W.	
M'Culloch,	0 15 0
Parrsborough, per do.	1 0 0
Bible Class, Salmon River, pr do.	3 11 10
Lower Londonderry,	5 13 11
Yarmouth,	2 11 3
Stewiack,	7 10 0
West River,	4 0 0
Presbytery of P. E. Island, per	
* Rev. J. Keir, (I. cur £12 18s)	10 15 0
Bedeque, (Isd. cur £15 2d)	1 1 0
Received from Newport, half of	
£6 6s 4d, the other half of	
which is appro. to F. Miss.	3 3 2
A friend from Windsor, half of	
£5 13 9, the proceeds of a	
Missy. box for one year, the	
other half of which is appr.	
to Foreign Missions,	2 18 10

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