

The Presbytery expressed great satisfaction at this movement, and cordially granted the request presented.

Application was made that Mr. Donaldson, a licentiate of the U. P. Church of Scotland, and recently from the United States, should be received as a minister in connection with this church. His papers being found regular, it was agreed to transmit his case to the Synod, and to send circular letters to the Presbyteries in accordance with the law of the church.

The Rev. Mr. Fenwick was appointed as ordained missionary and pastor of the church at Metis, for three years, from this date.

Mr. Donaldson passed his preliminary examination for license with approbation, and his name was ordered to be transmitted to the Synod.

Interesting reports were given in of Missionary Meetings, held by Committees of Presbytery, in the Lachute, Eastern, and Chateauguay District, at which \$57.45 were collected for the Home Mission.

By a majority of 9 to 6 the Presbytery approved of the overture on a General Assembly, and district Synods.

The Rev. Mr. Aitken, of Smith's Falls, was nominated for the Moderatorship, and Mr. Young and Mr. Court were appointed members of Committee on Bills, &c.

The Presbytery adjourned to meet for ordinary business at Montreal, in Lagache-tiere Street Church, on the first Wednesday of August next, at 11 o'clock A.M.

A. F. KEMP, *Pres. Clerk*.

PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON.

The Presbytery of Kingston met in Kingston, on Tuesday and Wednesday 12th and 13th of May.

The call from Trenton and Consecon, addressed to Mr. Thomas Kellough, having been accepted by him, his ordination was appointed to take place at Trenton, on Tuesday 28th inst.

An overture, introduced by Mr. McLaren, was adopted, and ordered to be transmitted to the Synod,—on the expediency of employing “in the work of Home Evangelization, a class of preachers who, while deficient of a regular collegiate education, unite with a sound piety, a competent knowledge of their mother-tongue and of the doctrine and policy of the church.”

The Presbytery adopted another overture to the Synod, on the drafting of a “Model Trust-Deed—which may be safely recommended for the use of such congregations as may desire it.”

Messrs. William and Edward Reeves, students under the superintendence of the Presbytery, were examined. The Presbytery had reason to be satisfied with the progress they had made, and further studies and exercises were prescribed to them.

Mr. Alex. McNaughton, student, certified as having completed the course of studies at the Divinity Hall, applied to be taken on trials for license, the Presbytery, after examination, agreed to apply to the Synod for leave to take him upon public probationary trials.

Some Kirk Sessions having neglected to present their records, were strictly enjoined to produce them at the next stated meeting.

Students within the bounds, and young men proposing to enter the college, are to be examined at the stated meeting in July.

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Next stated meeting of the Presbytery of Kingston will be held at Picton, on the second Tuesday of July, at 10 o'clock A.M.

P. GRAY, *Pres. Clerk*.

PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA.

The ordinary meeting of this Presbytery was held in Perth, on the 5th and 6th of May. The opening sermon was preached by Mr. Walter Scott; and the rest of the evening was devoted to religious conference. The hopeful state of the church in Osgoode was specially referred to, and Mr. Whyte gave an interesting account of the unusual seriousness in his congregation.

Mr. McKinnon was appointed Moderator for next year.