No. 3.

The Meeting of Lynod.

The Synod held its annual meeting in United Church, New Glasgow, on the evening of Tuesday, 31st ult. The attendance of ministers and elders was larger than it has been for several years. In opening, the Rev. J. B. Logan, retiring moderator, preached from Acts 1, 7. "It is not for you to know the times or the seasons which the Father bath put in His own power;" after which the Synod was constituted and the Roll called. Mr. Logan, on leaving the chair, then gave a closing address, which is given on another page, and the Court proceeded to choose a Moderator for the present year which resulted in the quanimous election of Dr. Pollok to that position.

The following was then submitted as the docket of business for this meeting:

- 1. Committee on Obituary Notices.
- 2. Appointment of Committee on Synod Fund.
- 3. Appointment of Committee to examine Records of Presbyterics.
- 4. Report of Committee on Hunter Fund.
 - 5. Next meeting of Synod.
 - 6. Missionary Meeting.
- 7. Report of Committee on Congregational Constitutions in N. B.
 - 8. Report of Committees on Records.
- Report of Committee on Systematic Beneficence.
- 10. Report of Committee on Sabbath Observance.
- 11. Report of Committee on State of Religion.
- 12. Report of Committee on Sabbath Schools.
 - 13. Report of Committee on Obituary

Notices.

- 14. Report of Committee on Synod Fund.
- 15. Report of Committee on Temperance.
- 16. Report of Committee on Public Education.
- 17. Overture and Memorial on Scininary for Young Ladies.
- 18. Overture from Presbytery of Lunenburg and Yarmouth anent Supplementing Fund.
- 19. Protest and Appeal of Hugh Munro against decision of Presbytery of Wallace, No. 1.
 - 20. Protest and Appeal, same, No. 2.
- 21. Protest and Appeal of Rev. S. G. Lawson against decision of Presbytery of P. E. Island.
- Protest and Appeal of Rev. D. Sutherland against decision of Presbytery of Sydney.
 - 23. Notice of Mr. Farquarson.
- 24. Deliverance of Assembly in Synod Case.

After the appointment of the three Committees at the head of the list the Synod adjourned.

Wednesday forenoon was occupied in discussing the overtures which had been sent up nom the Presbyteries of Wallace, Truro, and Pictou for the establishment of a girl's seminary; when the following resolution moved by Rev. A. McL. Sinclair and seconded by Rev. N. McKay, Summerside, was adopted:

"Receive the overtures, approve of the object they aim at, viz., the establishment of a Ladies' Seminary in connection with the Presbyterian Church, and appoint a committee to take the matter in charge. The Synod instructs said committee to produce all necessary information respecting the establishment and