

The Synod then made the following appointments for Preaching on Sabbath:—

St. Paul's Church, Fredericton.

Morning, Rev. Charles S. Ogg.

Afternoon, " Robert Falconer.

Evening " James Murray.

Springhill Church, Fredericton.

Evening, " William Henderson.

Nashwaak Mills, Fredericton.

Evening, " James Murray.

St. Mary's Church, Nashwaak.

Evening, " H. J. McLardy.

Dr. Brooke moved that the thanks of the Synod be given to Mr. W. Murray, the retiring Moderator, for his appropriate Sermon at the opening of the Synod, and for his excellent conduct while he has occupied the Chair. The motion being unanimously agreed to, the Moderator addressed the thanks of the Synod to Mr. Murray, and Mr. Murray made a suitable reply to the same.

Dr. Donald moved that a Committee be appointed to revise the Minutes of Synod before they are engrossed. The motion was agreed to, and the Moderator, Mr. Henderson, and Dr. Donald, were appointed for that purpose.

Dr. Donald, Convener of the Committee on the Jewish and Foreign Mission, gave in the Report for last year, which was received, ordered to be kept *in retentis*, and to be printed in the Appendix in the Minutes.

On motion, a Committee, consisting of the Moderator, Dr. Donald, and the Hon. John Robertson, Treasurer, was appointed to attend to the collection of this Fund, to see that moneys raised in aid thereof be forwarded in due time to the General Treasurer, and expended to promote the object in view. Dr. Donald to be Convener.

Dr. Donald, as Convener of the Committee on the Bursary Fund, gave in the Report for the past year; and the same being read, was approved, ordered to be kept *in retentis*, and printed in the Appendix to the Minutes.

The Synod appoint a Committee for the management of this Fund, consisting of the Moderator, Dr. Donald, Mr. Ross, Dr. Brooke, Hon. John Robertson, and Mr. Keay. Dr. Donald, Convener.

Dr. Donald, Convener of the Committee of the Home Mission and Synod Fund, gave in the Report for the current year, which being read, was approved, ordered to be kept *in retentis*, and to be printed in the Appendix to the Minutes.

The Synod re-appoint the Committee for the management of this Fund, consisting of the Members of the Presbytery of Saint John.

The Committee request leave to meet at 6 o'clock this evening, to receive additional contributions, and claims on the Fund; and also to prepare a supplementary Report. Leave was granted accordingly.

Mr. Keay moved that the Synod congratulate Dr. Donald on his having received the Degree of D. D.; and the congratulations of the Synod were accordingly addressed to Dr. Donald from the Chair.

It was also moved, that the thanks of the Synod be given to Dr. Donald, for his labors in promoting the various Schemes under their auspices; which were also given from the Chair, and Dr. Donald made a suitable reply to the same.

On motion, resolved that 1000 copies of the Minutes of Synod, and other papers connected with the business thereof, be printed this year, to be sent to the different Ministers for circulation among the people of their respective Congregations. Unanimously agreed.

On motion, the Synod resolved to enjoin the different Ministers within their bounds, to remit the Collections for the different Schemes to the Hon. John Robertson, General Treasurer; the Collection for the Bursary Fund to be in the Treasurer's hands not later than the first day of November of this present year; the Collection for the Jewish and Foreign Mission, not later than the first day of April next ensuing; and the Collection for the Home Mission and Synod Fund, not later than the twentieth day of June; leaving it to the respective Kirk Sessions to cause the Collections to be made at such times as they may deem most convenient.

Dr. Donald, Convener of a Committee appointed last year, to devise some general plan for making Collections in aid of the several Schemes of the Church, reported that they had not been able to mature any plan to submit to the Synod.

The Moderator having requested permission to leave the Chair, Mr. W. Murray was called to it; whereupon Mr. McLardy, Convener of a Committee to devise a plan for establishing a Newspaper or other Periodical in connexion with the Church, read Report of the Committee, which was received, approved, and ordered to be kept *in retentis*.

Thereafter, the Synod resolved that it is not expedient to start any Newspaper, or other Periodical, for the present, but recommended that efforts be used to increase the circulation of the Monthly Record, and that the members be enjoined to furnish matter for insertion in its pages.

The Clerk read the reply to the Address presented to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, on his visit to this Province last year, which was ordered to be kept *in retentis*.

Mr. Henderson, Convener of the Committee appointed to enquire into the circumstances of Congregations destitute of the services of a stated Minister, and into other matters, reported that no additional information had been obtained since last meeting of Synod. Committee re-appointed.

The several Ministers being called upon to state whether or not they had attended to