

On motion of Rev. Mr. Fowler, it was agreed, "That a Deputation appointed by the Synod to visit the Churches in New Brunswick, to deliver and impart information respecting the condition of that part of the Church." Rev. Messrs. Sedgwick and McGregor were appointed.

Deputation to  
N. Brunswick.

The report of the Pictou Presbytery of procedure in reference to St. John's Church, Chatham, was called for, when the Clerk of Presbytery read the minutes of Presbytery as their report. Additional explanations were offered by members of Presbytery shewing the grounds of the Presbytery's delay in carrying out the injunction of Synod given last year. After full consideration the following motion was adopted unanimously, "Approve of the diligence of the Presbytery, and of the forbearance they have exercised in the peculiar circumstances of the case; and instruct the Presbytery to carry out the injunction of Synod at its last meeting, and in doing so to deal in all tenderness and firmness with the congregation."

Report of Pic-  
tou Presb'y  
on Chatham  
case.

Rev. J. I. Baxter read the report of the committee on the proposal for an Educational Seminary for young women, when the report was received and the diligence of the committee approved. This subject was under consideration when the hour of adjournment arrived. Closed with prayer.

Seminary for  
Young  
Women.

### THIRTEENTH SEDERUNT.

*Same Day and Place, 3 o'clock, P. M.*

The Synod met and was constituted, when the minutes of last sederunt were read and approved.

Rev. C. Chiniquy being present, as a delegate from the Canada Presbyterian Church, was introduced to the Synod by the Moderator, and communicated to the Synod the fraternal greetings of the sister Synod of Canada.

Rev. C. Chini-  
quy received.

On motion, agreed, "That the Synod express a cordial welcome to Mr. Chiniquy, and the pleasure with which we see him among us as a deputy from the Canada Presbyterian Church, and a zealous and fearless advocate of the great principles of the Protestant Reformation."

Agreed, that Mr. Chiniquy be requested to speak at length in the evening.

Proceeded to the order of the day, viz., the appointment of next meeting of Synod, when it was agreed, That the Synod meet at Halifax on the last Wednesday of June, in Poplar Grove church, at 7 o'clock, P. M.

Resumed the subject of the Female Seminary. Moved by Mr. Dickie, Moderator, "That the Synod proceed at once to establish an Institution for the education of Females, in the Seminary buildings at Truro, to be under the management of a committee to be appointed by Synod for that purpose."

Seminary for  
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Women.

Moved in amendment by the Rev. George Patterson, seconded by Mr. Blackwood, "That this Synod having received the information furnished by the committee, though feeling the importance of such an institution, and while ready to render encouragement to parties who may be willing to undertake the establishment of one, by giving the use of the Truro buildings on favorable terms, do not consider it advisable to establish a Female Institution in connexion with this Synod."