

Moderator, and invited to sit and deliberate.

Mr. McCunn read the report of his Mission to Scotland, as Delegate from this Presbytery to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, which is as follows: (See page 127.)

It was moved, seconded and agreed to that the Delegate had, on the whole, performed the duties assigned to him faithfully and well, and that the sum of \$180.00 be granted to defray expenses, being the bare outlay incurred in the journey.

Mr. Duncan McKenzie, L'Archeveque, Cape Breton, intimated, by letter, his intention of applying to this Presbytery for examination, previous to entering the Theological Hall, and a committee consisting of Messrs. Herdman, Coull and Fraser, was appointed to conduct the examination when he shall come forward.

It was agreed to give orders to draw for the several sums due to them to Messrs McEchern, Fitzpatrick and Herdman, Catechists. Also to give cards of transfer to Messrs Fitzpatrick and Herdman, who proceed to Princeton and propose placing themselves under the care of an American Presbytery.

There was laid on the table and read by the Clerk, a call from the congregation of Gairloch in favor of Rev. D. McKay, guaranteeing an annual stipend of \$800.00, with the understanding that a house and glebe would also be provided. The call was sustained, and the congregation of Gairloch commended for their prompt action in the matter. There was also read a request from Earltown desiring that Mr. McKay might have an opportunity of preaching at the Falls and at W. B. R. John. The Rev. Mr. McKay, having had the call placed in his hands, desired that, in the circumstances, a delay of a month might be granted; it was, therefore, agreed to allow the call to lie on the table till an

adjourned meeting to be held in this place on Wednesday 27th September at 12 a. m.

Members reported that they had fulfilled their appointments for the past quarter.

The following appointments were then made for the current quarter.

Rev. Mr. McKay Sab., 3rd Sept. Falls.

" " 10th " Gairloch.

" " 17th " W. B. R. J.

" " 24th " Saltsprings.

Rev. Messrs Fraser and Stewart were appointed a deputation to Cape Breton for Sabbath 17th Sept. Mr. Fraser to proceed also to Loch Lomond for Sabbath 24th. Mr. McEchern to preach on the latter day at Cape John.

Mr. W. Herdman read report of his labours as Catechist for two months in Cape Breton. Mr. MacKichan gave notice of motion *in*ent change of place of meeting.

The following were appointed a committee on Financial matters and on correspondence with the Colon'l Committee, viz., Messrs Fraser, Coull and the Clerk

The next regular quarterly meeting was appointed to be held here on the last Wednesday of November, at 11 a. m., and this sederunt was closed with the Benediction.

ROBERT MCCUNN,  
Pres. Clerk

We publish for the sake of our Gaelic vacant congregations, the testimonials in favor of Rev. Patrick Gordon, of Fort William, simply to give an opportunity, in case they are very anxious to secure a Gaelic Minister. We do not even know that Mr. Gordon would, for certain, accept a call, but at all events his attention has been directed to our field, and he seems disposed to entertain any proposals that may be made to him on the subject.