

30 MINUTES OF SYNOD, KINGSTON, JUNE 7TH., 1864.

Committees and Boards for the management of the Schemes herein specified, are required to forward, in good time to all the ministers, notices of these appointments as they become due, together with such statements as it may be of use and interest to read along with their intimations; And in particular the Synod enjoins the several Presbyteries, at their meetings next after the times specified, to inquire into the diligence of all their Ministers and Congregations in this matter and record reports thereof in their Books, and likewise instructs the Committee of Synod for revising Presbytery Books to notice how far Presbyteries attend to this injunction; And the Synod while rejoicing at the increased fruits of Christian effort in this Church, yet considering that the means hitherto supplied are quite inadequate to the extent of the field daily opening up to the operations of the Church, and far within what might be expected from the gratitude and love due to a crucified Saviour, earnestly urges on all the people seriously to consider the duty of contributing liberally for the advancement of Christ's cause, according to the ability wherewith God has blessed them. This Act shall be annually renewed, with such amendments as the Synod may deem called for, and the expense of printing it for distribution among ministers shall be borne equally by the several Schemes, and the funds of each Scheme shall be charged with all the expenses of its own management.

CORRESPONDING MEMBERS.

The Synod appointed the Rev. Professor Mowat a Corresponding Member of the Synods of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, and further agreed that if any other members of Synod should visit the Lower Provinces while these Synods are in session, they be allowed Commissions to represent this Synod.

JUVENILE MISSION.*

The Moderator called for the Report of the Juvenile Mission, and John Paton, Esq., the Treasurer, being present, was invited to read the same. It was moved by Mr. Brymner, seconded by Mr. Herald, and passed unanimously, That the Report be received, and that the Treasurer be re-appointed, with the cordial thanks of the Synod for his services in behalf of this important Mission.

THE CHURCH IN THE EASTERN TOWNSHIPS.

A Memorial from the Session of Melbourne, Canada East, was read, containing important information on the state and prospects of the Church in the Eastern Townships, and craving the attention and sympathy of the Synod. It was moved by Mr. K. McLennan, seconded by Mr. Evans, and passed unanimously. That the Synod express its satisfaction that the Kirk-session of Melbourne has exerted itself so worthily on behalf of the inhabitants of the Eastern Townships, and has called

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