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MINUTES OF THE SYNOD AT MONTREAL, 1855.

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The Synod granted permission to Presbyteries to meet in Montreal, during the present Sessions of Synod, for any competent business.

The Synod appointed the following Committee, viz: the Moderator, Rev. D. Fraser, Mr. Redpath, and Mr. Rowan, to make arrangements for preaching on the Lord's day.

The Synod then adjourned to meet at four o'clock.

The first part of the afternoon session to be spent in devotional exercises. The Diet was closed with Prayer.

SECOND SESSION.

THE SAME DAY, *Four o'clock, P. M.*

The Synod again met and was constituted.

According to previous appointment, the Synod spent the first portion of the diet in devotional exercises, which were conducted by the Moderator, Mr. Macalister, Dr. Burns, and Mr. Wardrope.

Thereafter the minutes of last diet were read and sustained.

The Synod proceeded to appoint several Committees as follows, viz:—

On Bills and Overtures.—The Moderator and Clerk of Synod, Dr. Burns, Professor Young, Messrs. Boyd, Duncan, Lochead, D. Fraser, S. C. Fraser, W. B. Clark, Scott, McLaren, Ball, Irvine, McRuar, Cheyne, Nisbet, McLeod, J. M. Roger, John Smith, Gregg, A. Wilson, and J. Rogers, Ministers, and Messrs. Young, Begg, Mitchell, Shaw, Heron, Smart, Turnbull, Redpath, Court, and Hossack, Elders.

On the Public Accounts of the Church.—Rev. W. Gregg, Messrs. Court, Davidson, Shaw and Hay.

On Statistical Returns.—Messrs. S. C. Fraser, S. Young, Ball, Black, Dallas, King, and Begg.

On Publication of Proceedings and Discussion of Synod.—Messrs. McLaren, McRuar, Scott, D. Fraser, S. C. Fraser, and Court.

The Synod also appointed Committees for revising the Synod Records, and the Records of the several Presbyteries.

The Synod then adjourned for half an hour.
Closed with prayer.