

mediately preceding. Agreeably to application made, leave was given to Rev. R. Thynne to moderate in a call from the congregations of Monroville and St. Johns Church, Markham, etc., when these congregations may be ready for the same. Another matter was brought up which, after being dealt with so far, was laid over to a future meeting of Presbytery. The next ordinary meeting of the court was appointed to be held in the same place on the first Tuesday of September at 10 a.m.—ROBERT MONTEATH, Pres. Clerk.

PRESBYTERY OF BARRIE.—This Presbytery met at Barrie on Tuesday, July 28. Present, nineteen ministers and four elders. The Rev. A. B. Dobson was elected Moderator for the next six months. The Rev. Dr. Fraser was present, and the brethren expressed their pleasure to see him after his long illness. The Rev. Mr. Rowatt was present, and was invited to sit with the Presbytery. Three calls were disposed of. 1. From Sudbury to Mr. S. Rondeau, M.A., of Ottawa. The call was sustained and arrangements for his induction to the charge on the 24th of August were made, provisionally upon his accepting the call. 2. From Parry Sound to Mr. J. B. Duncan, who had laboured there as ordained missionary for more than a year. Arrangements were made for his induction on August 11 at Parry Sound. Mr. McLeod to preside, Mr. Leishman to preach, Drs. Clarke and Campbell to address the minister and the congregation. 3. From Churchill to an estimable member of the Toronto Presbytery. This call was not sustained as it was signed by not many more than half the members. There was a petition from Airlie, Banda and Black Bank for leave to moderate in a call to a minister. It was granted, and a meeting of Presbytery will be held at Airlie on August 18, at half-past one p.m., to moderate in a call and to dispose of it. Mr. D. D. McLeod was authorized to moderate in a call from Elmvale and Knox Church, Ont., on August 3, and to act as Moderator of the Session of Hillsdale and Craighurst. Mr. H. Knox was appointed to supply these congregations during September. Messrs. McLeod and Leishman were appointed to see what should be done with the Church property at Port Carling. Leave was granted to the congregation of Willis Church, Ont., to mortgage the church to the extent of \$1,000. Mr. Dobson was instructed to endeavour to secure payment of arrears of stipend due by the congregation of Knox Church, Ont. Synod remits were considered. It was agreed that the best time of meeting of Synod is in May, as presently held; that the Synod of Toronto and Kingston should be divided, and that the names of members should be registered on some plan such as was suggested by the overture, so as to do away with the calling of the roll. A resolution was adopted expressing sympathy with the Rev. W. I. Hewitt and family on the occasion of their loss by the death of his wife. Next regular meeting of Presbytery will be held at Barrie on Tuesday, September 22, at eleven a.m.—ROBERT MOODIE, Pres. Clerk.

PRESBYTERY OF REGINA.—This Presbytery met at Whitehead on Wednesday, the 8th July. There were present Messrs. Campbell, Robson, Clay, Rochester, Geddes, Welch, Hamilton, McCaul, Bompas, Robertson, with Messrs. McAllister, Cumming and Campbell, missionaries. Mr. Robson of Ft. Qu'Appelle was appointed Moderator for the ensuing year. A Committee to strike standing Committees reported the following for the year: the first named being Convenor in each case:—Foreign Missions. Messrs. H. McKay, Robson, Campbell, Moore and R. McDonald; Home Missions: Messrs. Douglas, Clay, Hamilton, Carmichael, McCaul and Bompas; Sabbath Schools: Messrs. Ferry, Matheson, Bryden, Welsh, Crawford and Rothwell; Sabbath Observance: Messrs. Hamilton, Rochester, Clay and Robertson; Temperance: Messrs. Robson, Ferry, Rochester, J. N. Thompson, and Jas. Harvey; Examination of Students: Messrs. Campbell, Carmichael, Clay, H. McKay and Hamilton; State of Religion: Messrs. Carmichael, Douglas, McMillan, Motherwell and Bompas; Manitoba College: Messrs. Douglas, Moore, Hamilton, Crawford and Robertson; Statistics and Finance: Messrs. Hamilton, Douglas and McCaul; Systematic Benevolence: Messrs. Campbell, Rochester, Ferry, Clay and Bompas. Committees appointed to examine session records reported favourably regarding the records of Regina, Moosejaw and Whitehead. A call from Indian Head to the Rev. J. K. Welsh with a guaranteed stipend of \$750 per annum was reported. It was decided to hold a special meeting at Indian Head at the call of the Moderator to receive the call which has been returned for further signatures. Instructions from Synod anent the names of Mr. John Fotheringham and Dr. Jardine were followed and the recommendations of the Synod, anent Systematic Benevolence, were agreed to. An application from Mosomin for a loan of \$300 from the Church and Manse Building Board was recommended to the favourable consideration of the Board. The same was done with an application from Prince Albert congregation for a loan of \$1,500. The Prince Albert congregation was given leave to sell portions of its property and to mortgage the manse property so as to complete the church in process of erection to the extent with the loan to make the sum of \$2,200. Intimation was given of the placing of Mr. Geddes' name on the Roll of Aged and Infirm Ministers. It was intimated that \$250 were expected from the Presbytery for Manitoba College. The allocation of this amount was left with the Committee appointed. The next regular meeting of Presbytery was appointed to be held at Wolseley, on the second Wednesday of September next at half past nine in the forenoon. In the evening at a public meeting a conference upon the subject of missions was held, Mr. Robson, the Moderator, presiding. Several addresses were given and discussion followed resulting in a pleasant and profitable evening and a liberal collection.—ALEXANDER HAMILTON, Pres. Clerk.

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DR. GEORGE MACDONALD preached recently in the parish church at Huntly, his native place.

LIVERPOOL Presbytery has arranged to hold a series of evangelistic services at Douglas on Sunday afternoons.

For attempting to carve his initials on a stone in St. Magnus Cathedral, Kirkwall, a young man has been fined \$5.

THE German Reichstag will deal next session with a bill to punish drunkenness, a matter which greatly interests the Emperor.

THE Rev. William Scott, M.A., assistant at Fauldhouse, is going to the Panjab as missionary of St. Marks congregation, Dundee.

LADY ABERDEEN's shop in London for the sale of Irish needlework is a great success, both sellers and buyers finding it an excellent mart.

IT is proposed to procure a bust of the late Dr. Adolph Saphir at a cost of \$1,000 to be placed in the National Portrait Gallery in Edinburgh.

THE Rev. T. B. Johnstone of Bolton, at the annual flower services in his church, introduced a novelty by giving a sermon to the children in verse.

THE Bishops of Lichfield, Truro, and Zululand will be consecrated in St. Pauls on Michaelmas Day; and it is expected that the bishopric of Natal, vacant since the death of Dr. Colenso, will be filled up.

DR. ALEXANDER WHYTE of Free St. Georges Edinburgh, and his wife are having a walking and driving tour through Sutherlandshire with Rev. Mr. Peyton of Broughdy Ferry and Mr. Taylor Innes, advocate.

Two men have been admonished and fined in Burnley police court for attempting to obtain money from bridegrooms at weddings in St. Matthews Church—a practice alleged to be common in that region.

TORONTO CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC.—The fifth season of the above institution will open on Tuesday the 1st September next. The Conservatory is well known throughout the province as a high class musical institution, and the success which has attended its operations in the past has been only the legitimate outcome of a thoroughly sound and scientific system of instruction combined with good management and a readiness to adapt itself to all the most approved methods in use together with conscientious work on the part of its educational staff. The same careful work will doubtless be continued this season in all the departments and every opportunity given the student to acquire sound and satisfactory musical education according to the time allowed the branches studied and the practice obtainable. We may mention that an integral part of the system of the Conservatory is to build up the students knowledge of the best forms of music by a series of concerts, recitals, lectures, etc., held at frequent intervals during the season. These are open free to all the students and form an excellent stimulus to their progress. Free tuition within certain limits is also provided for in the elementary stages of harmony, sight singing and violin playing. A well equipped musical reference library is also at the disposal of the students and is of great service to them in the carrying on of their studies. Diplomas and certificates are issued according to the examinations passed and the course taken. This year the elocutionary department is to be placed on a broader basis and to be made much more comprehensive in its scope. The arrangement to have the subject of elocution taught in classes meeting regularly every day for a stated period commends itself to us as being eminently practical and satisfactory. The addition of an able teacher in the Delarte system of gesture and expression and a physical director to the departments also adds considerable strength to it. This arrangement has been made to meet the growing demand for good elocutionary training, and as the teachers are all thoroughly qualified we have no doubt the result to the Conservatory will be highly satisfactory. A new calendar has been prepared by the institution and can be had on application to the musical director or at the office of the corporation.

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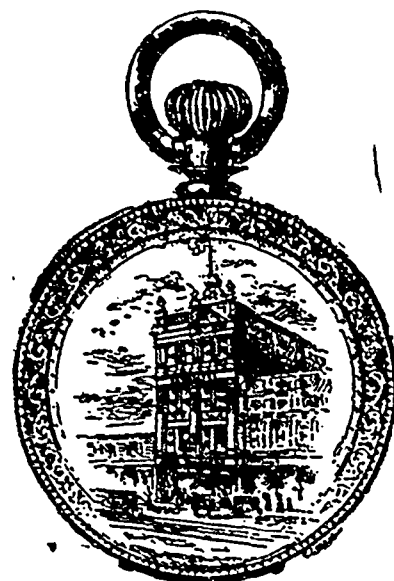
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MORNINGSIDE Free Church, Edinburgh, which is comparatively new, being insufficient to accommodate the congregation attracted by Rev. Alexander Martin, is to be abandoned for a new one, towards the cost of which \$17,740 has already been promised.

DR. SMILES says it was Thomas Campbell who wrote "Now Barabbas was a publisher," whether in a Bible or otherwise is not authentically recorded, but that John Murray was not the publisher to whom it referred, no more than Lord Byron was the author of the joke.

MR. MACASKILL of Dingwall has been making special petition in public prayer that our parliamentary representatives might have grace to observe the Sabbath; and forgiveness was asked for one who had been desecrating the day, the reference being to an Irish M.P.

THE Rev. Robert Rutherford of Newlands, who has lately resigned active duty after a forty four years' faithful ministry, is well known in the world of letters as the author of "Young Men and Maidens," "Joins in our Armour," and numerous discourses printed in the magazines. One of his sons, Dr. William Rutherford, is headmaster of Westminster School. He was ordained at Mountacross in 1847, and was the last but one ordained in connection with the Relief Church.