

ordered to be produced at next meeting. A motion was made by Mr. Burns to change the meetings of Presbytery from quarterly to bi monthly; but it was agreed to meet once a quarter, as formerly, and in the afternoon instead of evening, and that all regular meetings of Presbytery be held in Ottawa City. Mr. Crombie presented a revised list of questions for conducting Presbyterial visitations, which was ordered to be printed, and a copy given to each member of Presbytery to make emendations before next meeting.

The convener read a very satisfactory Home Mission Report. The supply available for the quarter was appointed, and several members of Presbytery were appointed to give a day to the mission field. In this connection Mr. McLaren was appointed to dispense the communion in Pakenham, at his earliest convenience.

Mr. James Whyte, was re-appointed corresponding member of the Foreign Mission Committee. It was agreed to hold missionary meetings in connection with the proposed visit of the Rev. Messrs. Smith, of Bowmanville, and Gregg, of Toronto, as a deputation from the Foreign Mission Committee. For this purpose the Presbytery was divided into two districts, and a committee appointed in each to make all necessary arrangements. Permission was given to the congregation of Knox's Church, Ottawa, to sell the manse lot. Mr. Carswell gave notice that at next meeting he would move that a committee be appointed to conduct the examinations for license and ordination, which may take place from time to time.

JAMES CARSWELL, *Pres. Clerk.*

LONDON PRESBYTERY.—An adjourned meeting of this Presbytery was held in First Presbyterian Church, London, on the 31st October.

The call from Lucknow to Mr. Sutherland, of Fingal, was declined, and the Presbytery refused the translation.

The Clerk read extract minute of the Presbytery of Montreal, intimating the translation of Mr. Milloy, from his charge of Lingwick congregation to the Presbytery of London, with the view of being inducted into the charge of the congregation of Argyle Church, Aldboro', whose call he had accepted. The Presbytery appointed the induction to take place on Nov. 25th; Mr. McKenzie to preach, Mr. N. R. Sutherland to address the minister, and Mr. Neil McDiarmid the people; Mr. McKinnon to preside.

Mr. Lundy intimated his acceptance of the call from Strathroy; and his induction was appointed to take place on 28 Nov., at Strathroy; Mr. Baird to preach, Dr. Proudfoot to address the minister, and Mr. John Scott the people. The Presbytery to meet thereafter for business.

The consideration of a call from Angus, Alliston, and Burns' Church, to Mr. Malcolm McKenzie was entered upon. Mr. Rodgers, from the Presbytery of Simcoe, prosecuted the call, and Mr. Thomas Gordon represented the congregation and session of Chalmers' Church, Dunwich. After hearing parties, the Presbytery refused to grant the translation.

In the matter of a call from Bayfield, to Mr. John Lees, of Lucan and Bidulph, Mr. Lees asked till the 28th Nov. to consider the same, which was granted. Mr. Gracey, from the Presbytery of Huron, represented the Bayfield interests.

The Presbytery, after hearing parties, agreed to accept of Mr. Grant's resignation of his charge of Delaware congregation. Mr. Grant has received the appointment of Grammar School Master, St. Thomas.

Owing to the state of Mrs. Roger's health, Mr. Roger tendered the resignation of his charge of Petrolia and Wyoming, and asked to be immediately released. The congregation was represented, and offered no objections. In the circumstances, the Presbytery accepted the resignation, and recorded the following:—