

Wardrobe had declined the call addressed to him by the Columbus and Brooklyn congregation, having been read, the court declined further to prosecute said call, and ordered it to be set aside; but the congregation applied for another moderation, which was granted; Dr. Thornton to preside at said moderation.

Certain members and adherents of Utica congregation presented a memorial to the court, intimating their determination to take legal steps to recover church property there, for some time withheld from them by parties formerly belonging to the C.P. Church, and craving the recognition and sympathy of the Presbytery in the steps they are now taking. The court agreed to the terms of the request.

The management of Home Mission operations within the bounds of Presbytery, which had been in the hands of a committee, is henceforth to be entered in the hands of the Presbytery.

The following members of Presbytery were appointed to supply stations, there being so few probationers.

Mr. McArthur,	-	-	-	Portage Road and Argyle, 27th Nov.
Mr. Windel,	-	-	-	Lindsay, 18th Dec.
"	-	-	-	Fenelon Falls, 19th Dec.
Mr. Lawrence,	-	-	-	Lindsay, 1st Jan.
"	-	-	-	Fenelon Falls, 2nd Jan.
Mr. Riddell,	-	-	-	Lindsay, 15th Jan.
"	-	-	-	Fenelon Falls, 16th Jan.

GEORGE RIDDEL, Clerk, *pro. tem.*

THE PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON met in Brock st. church, Kingston, on Tuesday and Wednesday, 8th and 9th November.

Mr. William Reeve, student of Divinity underwent his public probationary trials with acceptance, and was licensed to preach the gospel.

The Rev. James Hanran, minister at Camden and Sheffield, having tendered the resignation of his charge, the Presbytery, after hearing parties, agreed to accept his resignation, while deeply regretting the step taken by Mr. Hanran, and expressing also and placing on record their esteem for him as a brother. Mr. Hanran's connexion with Camden &c. terminates on the 21st of this present month.

A petition from Allan Settlement accompanied with a subscription list, and also a letter from Mr. Wishart, all referring to the religious necessities of that district, and craving the needed missionary supply, were received and duly considered. It was agreed that the deputation who may be appointed to conduct the missionary meetings in that division should assure the petitioners that the Presbytery will do all they can to meet their request.

Letters were received from Mr. James Hubbert, containing his declinature of the calls addressed to him from Glenvale and Harrowsmith, and from Lansdowne.

The attention of the Presbytery was called to a circular from the College committee in reference to proportioned contributions on behalf of the College Fund. The brethren were enjoined to use their best efforts to meet the end proposed in the circular.

Several mission stations having failed to send in their contributions toward the maintenance of the ministry furnished them. Mr. Scott was requested to communicate with the people of Bath and Fredericksburgh, Mr. Wilson with the people of Glenvale &c, and Mr. Gordon with the people of Lansdowne.

On motion made and seconded, the Presbytery unanimously agreed to nominate the Rev. William Caven, minister at St. Mary's, as a fit and proper person to occupy the vacant professorial chair in Knox College.

Mr. McLaren, convener of committee appointed to draft a plan for the conduct of the missionary meetings, submitted the following scheme, which was adopted, ordered to be engrossed, and a copy sent to Mr. Reid for publication in the H. and For. Record.

Missionary meetings in the Presbytery of Kingston, appointed by authority of Presbytery.

#### 1ST DIVISION.

Picton, Tuesday, 15th Nov.	} Depntation—Messrs. Wilson, con., McLaren, Swinton, Gray, Kellough and Tait.
Amherst Island, Wednesday, 16th Nov.	
Kingston, Brock st., Monday, 21st Nov.	