

IV. That in the event of *two* or more vacancies occurring and being supplied as provided in Rule III., there shall then be no new Commissioners elected at that meeting of Synod; and in the event of *one* vacancy being supplied as provided in that Rule, then one new Commissioner shall be elected by the Synod.

V. That the appointment of Commissioners, in terms of the above, shall be regularly certified to the Government by the Clerk of the Synod.

The Synod adjourned until Eleven o'clock to-morrow morning, and was closed with prayer.

DIET IV.

*At Montreal, and within St. Andrew's Church there :—
Saturday, the Fifteenth Day of July, One Thousand
Eight Hundred and Forty-Eight Years :—*

The which day, the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, in connection with the Church of Scotland, met, according to adjournment, and was constituted with prayer.

On the call of the Moderator, the Rev. David Evans conducted the devotional exercises of the Synod, in praise, reading the Scriptures, and prayer.

Sederunt—The Minutes were read and sustained.

The Hon. Peter McGill, and a large Deputation of the Montreal Lay Association appeared in the Synod, and presented an Address to the Synod, which was replied to by the Moderator, on behalf of the Synod.

The Address to Her Majesty the Queen was signed by the Moderator in presence of the Synod. The said Address is as follows :—

Unto the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY :—

We, the Ministers and Elders of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, in connection with the Church of Scotland, embrace this opportunity of our meeting in Synod, to renew our assurance of sincere attachment to Your Majesty's Royal Person and Government.

At this remarkable period of the history of the world, when so many of the kingdoms of the earth are convulsed by revolutions, and overwhelmed with all the miseries that anarchy and disorder bring down upon every rank of the community, it is, to us, matter of sincere rejoic-

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