MARCH, 1886.

## MINUTES OF MEETING

OF THE

## HOME MISSION COMMITTEE

(WESTERN SECTION)

OF THE

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA.

TORONTO, 30th and 31st March, and April 1st, 1886.

At Toronto, and within the Lecture Room of St. Andrew's Church there on Tuesday, the 30th day of March, 1886, at nine o'clock in the morning, the Home Mission Committee (Western Section) of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, met and was constituted with prayer. Rev. W. Cochrane, D.D., Convener. The Committee continued in session till 6 p.m., on Thursday, 1st April.

The following were present:—Dr. Cochrane, Dr. Campbell, Dr. Torrance, Dr. Laing, Rev. Messrs. F. M. Dewey, J. S. Burnet, F. W. Farries, J. A. Carmichael, J. Cleland, D. Kellock, M. W. Maclean, A. Findlay, R. Moodie, J. Somerville, D. B. McDonald, P. Straith, D. J. Macdonnell, J. H. Ratcliffe, J. Rennie, W. Walker, R. Hamilton, A. Gilray, Hector Currie, J. Robertson, Jas. Pritchard, A. Tolmie, P. McF. McLeod, John Ross, (Brussels), C. B. Pitblado, W. T. McMullen, A. B. Mackay and R. H. Warden, *Ministers*; and Messrs. W. Mitchell. T. McCrae and D. McKenzie, *Elders*.