

with them, the time and place of next meeting of Synod, and to call, through the Moderator, the meeting accordingly.

SYNOD FUND.

The Rev. Mr. Anderson, convener, submitted the following Report on the Synod Fund :

" Your Committee beg to submit the following statement :

RECEIPTS.

Balance in hand.....	\$99 30
Additional collection from Roger's Hill	5 00
	<hr/> \$104 30

EXPENDITURE.

Door handle St. Andrew's Ch., Halifax.....	\$ 1 00
Sexton St. Andrew's Ch., New Glasgow.....	4 00
Travelling expenses of members	87 00
	<hr/> \$92 00

Balance in hand.....\$12 30

J. ANDERSON, *Convener.*"

Resolved to adopt the Report, and commend the diligence of the committee.

Resolved, unanimously, that arrangements be made for the Conference of both Synods in this Church to-morrow morning at 9.30.

The Rev. J. Anderson was appointed to conduct devotional exercises to-morrow morning, when, after praise and prayer, the Court adjourned to meet to-morrow at 9 a. m.

W. McMILLAN, *Synod Clerk.*

THIRD DIET.

St. Andrew's Church, New Glasgow, 22nd Oct., 1874, which time and place the Synod met, and, after devotional exercises conducted by the Rev. James Anderson, was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

The Synod Roll having been called, the sister Synod, as previously arranged, entered for conference, when it was agreed to defer reading the Minutes until the Conference would adjourn. The conference being ended at 11 o'clock, a. m., the Minutes were read, and, with a few emendations, sustained.

A petition from the Presbyterians of Amherst was read. The petition was referred to the H. M. Board with instructions to it to make arrangements with contiguous ministers or Presbyteries, so as to give, in the meantime, as much supply to the Amherst congregation as they possibly can.

The Rev. Mr. Morton, missionary to Trinidad, being present, gave a brief but interesting account of his labours among the Coolies in Trinidad.

Moved by Mr. Grant, seconded by Mr. Anderson, that a cordial vote of thanks be given to Mr. and Mrs. Coull, and the families of St. Andrew's congregation, New Glasgow, for the hospitable manner in which they have entertained the members of Synod; also to those Railway and Steamboat Companies who have so kindly granted complimentary terms of fare to members of Synod going and returning.

The business being concluded, the Moderator, in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, the great Head of the Church, adjourned the Synod, and appointed the next meeting to be held at the time and place where the Moderator, at the request of the Committee appointed thereon, shall name.

Closed with prayer and the benediction.

W. McMILLAN, *Synod Clerk.*

MINUTES OF CONFERENCE.

St. Andrew's Church, New Glasgow, }
Oct. 23rd, 9½ o'clock, A.M. }

At which time and place the Synod of the Maritime Provinces in connection with the Church of Scotland, and the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces, met in conference, according to previous arrangement of both Synods, when the Revs. T. Duncan and P. G. McGregor, the Moderators of the respective Synods, presided. Mr. Duncan having offered a few remarks, the Conference united in praise and prayer.

The Revs. W. McMillan and A. Falconer were appointed joint secretaries.

The Moderator of the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces expressed, on behalf of the Synod which he represented, the great pleasure which it afforded them to meet with the brethren of the other Synod on this occasion.

It was moved by the Rev. James Anderson, and seconded by the Rev. John McKinnon, and, after a few brief addresses, was heartily adopted : " That this Conference place on record their sense of their gratitude to the Great