SOUR STOMACH, FLATU-AND ALL OTHER FORMS OF DYSPEPSIA releved and K.D.C. THE MIGHTY CURER

But by whom? and by whose authority? If Dr. Warden, after a full discussion of the matter, was deliberately selected for the post of Agent; and if, in view of Dr. Reid's serious illness, Dr. Warden has more than once offered to undertake the work which our aged father has been compelled (temporarily, let us hope) to lay down; at whose suggestion and with what motive, is the voice of the Church being countermanded and overruled? Such action is hardly what might have been expected. To me it seems to involve trifling with grave and responsible trusts. Possibly you will hear from me again on this subject.

ELDER.

Jan. 3rd, 1896.

PRESBYTERY MEETINGS.

SARNIA: This Presbytery held its regular meeting in St. Andrew's Church, Sarnia, on the 17th ult. Rev. Mr. Nichol. Moderator, in the chair. The clerk intimated that Mr. Hannahson had accepted the call from Adelaide and Arkona. and it was agreed that a meeting to be held in Arkona, on Tuesday, 14th of January next, at 1 p.m., to hear Mr. Hannahson's trial discourses, and if satisfactory to proceed with the ordination and induction at 2.30 p.m. Mr. Livingston reported that on December 9th he had moderated in a call at Mandaumin and Vyner, in favor of Mr. Austin L. Budge, promising an annual stipend of Sano and manse. It was a great the section to \$700 and manse It was agreed to sustain the call and instruct the clerk to forward the same to \$700 and manse Mr. Budge with subjects of trial, and appoint a meeting of Presbytery to be held at Mandaumin on the 7th of January next, at r p.m., to hear the trial discourses, and if satisfactory, to proceed to the ordination and induction. Dr. Thompson, on behalf of the committee trial discourses. behalf of the committee appointed to draft resolu-tion on Remits of General Assembly, reported that in regard to the remit touching the Constitu-tion of Assembly as regards representation, that the remit recommending 1-6 instead of 1-4 be approved of simpliciter. The report was received. It was moved that the representation remain as at It was moved that the representation remain as at present. The vote being taken the amendment was carried. The congregations were instructed to make their own arrangements for holding mis-Presbytery took up a circular from the Board of Knox College asking for nominations of gentlemen to fill the vacant chairs in that institution. After considerable discussion it was agreed to leave the appointment of professors for these chairs with the General Assembly in June next. Circulars from the Foreign Mission Committee asking for \$1,000, from the Home Mission Committee asking for \$1,600, from the Colleges urging increased liberality, were read and the Presbytery resolved to do their utmost in meeting the requirements of these applications.—GEO. CUTHERRISON, Clerk.

SAUGEEN: This Presbytery met in Mount SAUGEEN: This Presbytery met in Mount Forest on Dec. 10th. The Presbytery resolved to supply Mr. McKellar's pulpti until next meeting, and appointed Mr. Miller to make arrangements accordingly. A petition from Co'swold was read praying the Presbytery to unite sail congregation with Rothsay, as a part of that pastoral charge, with the Rev. H. Edminson. M.A. as minister. A deputation was son, M.A., as minister. A deputation was appointed to visit all the congregations likely to appointed to visit all the congregations likely to be affected by said petition, and report to a special meeting to be held in Harriston on the 7th of January next, at 10 a.m. Mr. Duncan, St. Andrew's, Proton, by deputation asked the Presbytery to connect the congregation with some other, so that they may obtain the services of a permanent pastor. A deputation was appointed to visit Know Normandy and Amos congregations permanent pastor. A deputation was appointed to visit Knox, Normandy and Amos congregations with a view to a rearrangement of the whole field, and report to next ordinary meeting of Presbytery. Messrs, Young, Munro and Ramsay, were appointed to draft a deliverance ancel remit on representation to General Assembly. A committee on "Church Life and Work" was appointed. The Rev. D. M. Ramsay, B.D., of Mount Forest, was nominated for the chair in Old Testament Literature in Knox College, and the Rev. L. H. Jordan, B.D., of Toronto, for the chair in Apologeties and Church History. The Rev. Prof. Gerdon, of Halifax, was nominated as Moderator of next General Assembly. The report Moderator of next General Assembly. The report of the Presbyterial W.F.M.S. was read and an appropriate motion congratulating the society on the success of its efforts and work was unanimously agreed to. A public meeting was held in the evening, when the Rev. Dr. Smith gave a most instructive and interesting address on his work in Honan. Honor certificates for repeating Shorter Catechism were granted to a large number of successful applicants.—S. Young, Clerk.

CHATHAM: This Presbytery met in Ridgetown on December 9th, at 7.30 p.m., Mr. Becket, Moderator. The evening was profitably spent in conference on "Temperance." "The attitude of our Church to the Sabbath School," and "The Perseverance of the Saints" led by Dr. Jamieson, Mr. Jas. Law and Mr. Larkin respectively. Next morning, after devotional exercises, leave was morning, after devotional exercises, seave was given to Blenbeim congregation to mortgage their church property to secure the sum of \$4,000 which they desired to borrow. It was agreed to meet at Pace, on December 231d, 7t 2 p.m., to hear Mr. McInnes' trials for ordination, and if these prove satisfactory, to ordain him and settle him as ordained missionary in the field. It was him as ordained missionary in the field. It was also agreed to ask a grant of \$200 for the first

BIRTHS, MAR. IAGES AND DEATHS. NOT EXCEEDING FOUR LINES 25 OFNTS.

BIRTH.

At 650 Church Street, Toronto, on New Year's Day, to Professor and Mrs. J. G. Hume, Univer sity of Toronto, a son.

MARRIAGES.

On Dec. 24th, by Rev. D. C. Hossack, Miss Elizabeth Davev, to William H. McVicar, both of

In the Jubilee Presbyterian Church, Stayner, on Jan. 2nd, by the Rev. R. Pogue, T. S. Grimshaw, druggist, to Amy Lucille, second daughter of Mr. Henry Allen, J.P.

At the residence of the bride's father, on Dec. 25th, by the Rev. M. N. Bethune, Kate, youngest daughter of Mr. John R. Campbell, to John D. Windatt, all of Thorah.

At St. Matthew's, Woodlands, Ont.. on the 23rd Dec., by the Rev. W. A. MacLeod, B.D., James M. Shaver to Isebella E. Stuart, daughter of the late Wm. G. Stuart, of Wales, Ont.

By the Rev. William Patterson, pastor of Cooke's Church. Ernest St. Paul Cooper, son of Major W. H. Cooper, to Winnifred May, fifth daughter of James Gordon Henderson, both of

At the residence of the bride's mother, Port Elgin, on January 2nd, by the Rev. John Bell, B. A., Burgoyne, G. Ferrier Burns, Toronto, to Jennie, youngest daughter of the late Burrows Sinyth, Esq., Saugeen.

On December 25th, 1895, at the residence of the bride's mother, 20 Ontario Avenue, Hamilton, Ont., by the Rev. J. G. Shearer, B.A., Hattie daughter of the late Donald MacQuarrie of Caledonia, to Ed. J. Whyte, of Toronto.

On Dec. 25th, at the residence of the bride's father, Madoc, Ont., by the Rev. Mr. Wishart, of St. Peter's Presbyterian Church, Madoc, Mr. Edgar Sngiey, commercial master, Woodstock Collegiate Institute, to Lillian, daughter of Mr. James Whytock, Reeve of Madoc.

On Wednesday, New Year's Day, at the residence of the bride's father. 23 Ross Street, by the Rev. W. G. Wallace, B.D., of Bloor Street Presbyterian Church, Emily J., second daughter of Mr. Geo. S. Spence, to Rev. John Burnett, B.A., minister of the Presbyterian Church, Keady.

In St. Paul's Church, Glammis, on Jan. 1st, 1896, by the Rev. W. Cooper, B.A., of Listowel, assisted by the Rev. I. MacDonald, B.D., of Glammis, and the Rev. J. A. Mustard, B.A., of Kent Bridge, the Rev. Ross G. Murison, A.M., B.D., to Maggie A., youngest daughter of the late Rev. W. Ferguson, Kirkhill, Glengarry.

DEATH.

At Thamesville, on January 2nd, Miss Margaret Ferguson, aged 72 years.

year from the Assembly's Home Mission Committee. Mr. Tolmer reported that he had visited mittee. Mr. Toimer reported that he had visited Blytheswood, etc., in the interests of the Augmentation Fund, and had found that the field still required the full grant. On motion, a resolution very highly commendatory of the Rev. W. M. Keay, lately, minister at Duart, and now compelled by the state of his health to withdraw and pelled by the state of his health to withdraw and rest for a time, was ordered to be placed on record.

Mr. Patterson was appointed to represent Presbytery at the annual meeting of the Branch of the W.F.M.S. Dr. F. R. Beattie was nominated for the chair of Apologeties in Knox College and it was agreed to defer nomination for the chair of Old Testament Literature till next meeting. The committee on Mr. Nattress' motion re the method of appointing foreign missionaries reported. recommending that it be sent to Synod, but Presbytery decided that the paper should lie on the table.—W. M. Fleming, Clerk.

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GLENGARRY: This Presbytery met at Maxville on the 17th of December, with a large attendance of members. The Rev. J. W. Mc-Leod was appointed Moderator for the ensuing six months. Reports of missionary meetings, conducted according to a rangements of Presbytery, were called for and encouraging meetings reported. A call from Marsboro, in the Presbytery of Quebec, in favor of the Rev. N. McKay was submitted for consideration. The call was largely signed and reported as hearty and unanimous. The call having been placed in Mr. McKay's hands was formally accepted by him. It was then resolved, though much to the regret of the Presbytery, to grant the translation The Rev. J. Cormack was appointed Moderator ad interim. Another call from congregation of Huron, in Presbytery of Maitland, in favour of Rev. R. McLeod, was submitted for consideration. The conducted according to arrangements of Presby-McLeod, was submitted for consideration. The Rev. D. B. McRae, of Cranbrook, appeared to represent the Presbytery of Maitland in this matter. On the call being placed in Mr. Mc Leod's hands it was accepted by him. He did this freely; and knowing that the most perfect harmony existed between himself and his contraction. He did it however from a care of the contraction. gregation. He did it, however, from a sense of honor and du'y, considering that the claims of Huron were stronger on the whole than those of Kenyon. Presbytery then agreed to grant the translation. Rev. M. MacLennan was appointed Moderator of the Session of Kenyon with instructions to declare the charge vacant so soon as the charge of Mr. Mar code industion at Huson. formed of Mr. McLeod's induction at Huron. -M. MACLENNAN, Clerk.

VICTORIA: This Presbytery held an adjustmed meeting in St. Paul's Church, Victoria, B.C., on Monday the 16th inst. for the induction of Mr. D. MacRae, to the pastoral charge of St. Paul's Church, and other business. Mr. W. L. Clay, Moderator, presided. Mr. J. C. Forster, preached the induction sermon, and Messis. D. A. MacRae, Nanaimo, and A. B. Winchester, Victoria, addressed the minister and congregation on their respective duties. Mr. D. A. MacRae, for the past five years minister of St. Andrew's Church, Nanaimo, laid on the table the resigna-Nanaimo, laid on the table the resigna-Church tion of his charge, in consequence of his wife's health necessitating an immediate removal to a milder climate. After expressions of regret and sympathy, it was agreed to hold an adjourned meeting in St. Audrew's Church, Nanaimo, on Monday the 23rd ult., to deal with the resignation and other business.—D. MACRAE, Clerk.

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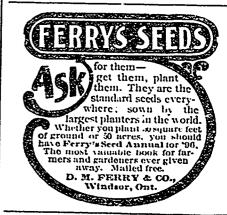
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