

MONO—**REV. J. CORBET**.—We observe by the published reports of the Conference of the Wesleyan Church, that the Rev. John Corbet has been received as a minister of that Church. We have reason to know, on the best authority, that there was no reference to the Presbytery of Toronto, with which Mr. Corbet was connected, as to his standing or character, nor any communication on the part of Mr. Corbet with the Presbytery, from whom he received the charge of a congregation, and in whose presence he solemnly vowed to discharge the duties of pastor among the people of his charge. Mr. Corbet, we understand, remains in Mono as Wesleyan minister. We trust the people may be enabled to stand firm in the trying circumstances in which they are placed.

PORT HOPE.—The congregation of Port Hope, vacant since the death of the Rev. J. Cassie, two years ago, have given a call to the Rev. D. Waters, Saugeen.

BOWMORE, STAYNER, & C.—The Rev. James Greenfield has accepted the call from the congregations of Bowmore, Stayner, & c.

REV. G. CHEYNE—BINBROOK AND SALTFLEET.—The congregations of Saltfleet and Binbrook have presented their pastor, the Rev. G. Cheyne, with a handsome covered carriage and harness as a mark of their esteem and an expression of their appreciation of his long and arduous labors among them.

BLYTHE AND HULLETT.—Missionary Associations have been lately formed at Blythe and Hullett. Since their formation the following sums have been realized,—Hullett: per Mrs. Leighton, \$14 21; Miss Eliot, \$6 10; Miss Watt, \$11 30; Mrs. Warwick, \$11 03; Church collections, \$4 50, in all \$47 74.

Blythe: per Mrs. McNaughton, \$7 92½; Mrs. Laidlaw, \$4 65; Miss McDonald, \$7 39½; Miss Barr, \$2 21; Mrs. Campbell, \$1 50; Mrs. McGowan, \$1 37½; Mrs. Dunbar, \$1 07, in all, \$26 12½. These sums have been apportioned among the various schemes of the church, as acknowledged in the *Record*.

MEETING OF SYNOD.

The Synod of the Canada Presbyterian Church met in the Central Church, Hamilton, on the evening of Tuesday, 2nd June, and continued in session until noon of Friday, 12th. The opening sermon was preached by the retiring Moderator, the Rev. R. Ure, from Psalm cx. 1 & 2. For his sermon, and for his conduct as Moderator during the past year, Mr. Ure received the thanks of the Synod. After public worship, the Synod was constituted for business, and proceeded to elect a Moderator. It was found that various nominations had been made by Presbyteries, viz., Rev. W. Aitken, Rev. Jas. Dick, Rev. John Baird, Rev. W. Barrie, Rev. W. Caven, Rev. J. J. A. Proudfoot, Rev. J. Skinner, and Rev. A. Topp. The Rev. J. Dick was elected, and took the chair.

The second sederunt was occupied mainly with devotional exercises, which were conducted by the Moderator, Dr. Burns, Mr. Skinner and Mr. Smellie.

The Synod, on motion made and seconded, unanimously agreed to present the cordial thanks of the Synod to John Henderson Esq., of Park, for his late valuable donation of books to each minister of the church.

It was also unanimously agreed to prepare and transmit a dutiful and loyal address to Her Majesty the Queen, and also a congratulatory address to their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales. These addresses were subsequently prepared and submitted to the Synod, and ordered to be transmitted through the usual channel.

The Synod then proceeded to appoint several committees, viz.: a committee to examine and report on the returns of Presbyteries to remits of Synod; a committee to nominate the several standing committees of Synod; a committee to examine the records of Synod, and committees to examine the records of the several Presbyteries.

The Synod also appointed a committee on causes, consisting of fifteen members, to