

MINUTES OF SYNOD.

St. Andrews Church, New Glasgow,
28th June, 1881 7.30 P. M.

The Synod of the Maritime Provinces in connection with the Church of Scotland met here this evening, and after Divine Service conducted by the Rev. R. Burnet, retiring Moderator, who preached from this text "Blessed are the poor in spirit" &c., Mat. v., 3-12 was constituted with prayer by the said Rev. R. Burnet.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and sustained.

The Synod Roll was then made up and read as follows:

PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU.

Minister. Elder.

1. Pictou R. Burnet W. Jack.
2. S'springs J. Fitzpatrick A. Munro.
3. R. Hill & } J. Fraser A. Fraser.
- C. John }
4. E'town. D. McKenzie J. McKay.
5. R. John R. McCunn J. McKenzie.

PRESBYTERY OF EGERTON.

Minister. Elder.

1. N. Gl'w G. Murray P. Campbell.
2. Stel'ton } C. Dunn D. McLeod
- Wes'vle }
3. E. B. E. R. W. McMillan S. Fraser.
4. W. B. E. R. ——— T. McDonald
5. Barney's River, A. J. McKichan,
 H. McDougall.
6. McL's M. W. Stewart F. McDonald
7. Gairloch, N. Brodie, R. Munro.

The sederunt consisted of all the Ministers and Elders on the Roll with the exception of Rev. J. W. Fraser, Wm. Jack and Angus Munro.

It was moved, seconded and unanimously agreed to that Rev. W.

Stewart of McLennan's Mt. be Moderator of this Synod. Mr. Stewart desired to decline the honor, but the motion being pressed, Mr. Stewart accepted the appointment, took the chair, and thanked the court for the honor conferred on him.

On motion the thanks of the Synod were conveyed to the Rev. R. Burnet for his excellent conduct as Moderator during the past year, and for his admirable sermon preached before the Synod this evening.

IT WAS AGREED THAT

the following be the hours of meeting, viz :

From 9. 30 till 12.

" 1.30 " 5.

" 7 " 9.

The Synod Clerk, with Rev. Messrs. McMillan and MacKichan were appointed a committee to arrange the order of business.

Rev. J. Fitzpatrick was appointed to conduct devotional exercises to-morrow morning and this sederunt was closed with the benediction.

St. Andrew's Church, New Glasgow,
Wed. 29th June 1881.

The Synod resumed its sederunt this morning at 9.30, and after devotional services conducted by Rev. J. Fitzpatrick was constituted with prayer by the Moderator, sederunt as above with the addition of Rev. J. W. Fraser.

The minutes of previous sederunt were read and sustained.

The Clerk of the Presbytery of Egerton laid on the table and read the papers in connection with the