

EAST KILDONAN WANTS CHURCH

Services Will be Started as Soon
as Suitable Place is Secured—
\$5,300 Already Subscribed.

The Presbytery of Winnipeg met in Westminister church yesterday morning. Edward Brown presiding as moderator. Mr. Brown who had been elected as presiding officer at the last meeting, thanked the presbytery for the honor done him and expressed high appreciation for it, but said that for several reasons, mostly personal, he would be unable to act and he asked the presbytery to release him. Rev. J. Phillips Jones, M. A., of St. Johns Presbyterian church, was chosen as moderator and took the chair.

The Rev. John A. Cormie of Oak Lake, Rev. A. P. Ledingham, missionary from Central India, Rev. H. B. Dowson of Glenewen, and Rev. Principal Mackinnon of Halifax, being present were invited to sit with the Presbytery as corresponding members.

Edward Spice presented a petition from residents of East Kildonan asking for a church. Mr. Spice announced that the petition had a lengthy list of signatures and that it was accompanied by subscriptions amounting to \$5,300 toward the erection of a church and three offers of free sites, with the prospect that about \$1,000 more in the way of subscriptions might be secured. It was announced that this movement has the approval of the Kirk Session of the old church in West Kildonan, and it was agreed that leave be given to the Church Extension committee for organization, with religious services to be established as soon as a suitable place can be provided.