

requested to require, before the Ordination of any such candidates, a declaration from the majority of the Executive Committee that they are satisfied as to his good character."

The Rev. Canon Dart moved in amendment, seconded by Col. Poyntz—

"That in the opinion of this Synod, attention should be directed to the existing safeguards against the admission of unfit persons into the Ministry, and that it is desirable that the subject of these safeguards be introduced into the Provincial Synod with a view to the adoption of more stringent regulations.

The amendment was lost. The original motion being put, was carried

The declaration of the Election of Substitutes to the Provincial Synod was made. The following gentlemen were elected:—

<i>Clergy.</i>	<i>Laity.</i>
Rev. J. D. H. Browne.	E. P. Archbold, Esq.
" R. Shreve.	Hon. C. J. Townshend.
" D. Fitzgerald.	Col. Stewart
" Theophilus Richey.	J. N. Ritchie, Esq., Q. C.
" A. McDonald.	J. G. Pyke, Esq.
" R. Avery.	Hon. Fred. de St. C. Brecken.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Synod re-assembled at 2.30 p. m.

Moved by the Rev. John Abbott, seconded by the Rev. D. C. Moore—

"That the Provincial Synod be respectfully requested, at its next meeting, to consider the best method whereby the necessary funds for carrying on the work of the Missionary Diocese of Algoma may be raised, and that thereby the present Bishop may be relieved of much harassing and anxious labour, which alike occupies his time, and lessens the energy which should be devoted directly to his spiritual duties. It is in this connection respectfully suggested that this end would be the best attained through