

answers to which would form the basis of the report of the Committee, viz.:

1st.—“ Was the Committee of Management justified, in passing the resolutions on the 10th January, by the evidence which at that time, was in existence with regard to the McIntyre case, and which was then laid before the Committee ?

“ 2nd.—Is there anything in the evidence subsequently procured and laid before the Governors which would render necessary any re-consideration of the resolutions of the 10th January ?

“ 3rd.—Will the Committee consider the question of recommending the Board of Governors to adopt, under the authority which they possess, regulations to govern in future the admission of visitors into the Hospital, and the rules which are to govern them whilst in the Hospital ?”

The Committee approved of these questions, and adopted them as the proper method of arriving at a decision.

After considerable discussion the first question was put and carried in the affirmative,—Mr. Murphy and Mr. Mullins dissenting, on the ground that, in their opinion, the 9th and 11th resolutions of the Committee of Management ought to be withdrawn, and also because that Committee had exceeded their powers by framing new regulations not to be found in the by-laws.

The second question was then discussed, and its further consideration postponed in order that Mr. Murphy might place the evidence which existed on the 10th January, and was submitted to the Committee of Management, before Father Leclaire, and ask him if, after reading it, he considered he was right in charging Dr. Cameron, as set out in one of Father Dowd's letters, with having made a false statement.

The Committee met again on the 29th February, 1876, when Mr. Murphy stated, with reference to the minutes of last meeting, that he had laid the evidence referred to before Father Leclaire, who, after reading it, said that “ the documents submitted by the St. Patrick's Congregation contained his justification for what he had stated, and that his opinion remained unchanged.”

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