

of the Committee of the Council and supported by Jurists²¹⁵⁸⁶ had decided to reject the proposal. The case put forward by Mr. Doherty was however so strong that a majority of the Committee decided that new light had been thrown on the subject and that in view of the strength of the case made against it the report of the Committee appointed by Council should not be adopted, but that the Canadian proposal should be carefully examined and considered by the next Assembly and have precedence over all other proposals of Amendments of the Covenant.

(x) League Budget.

(Documents 19, 19(a), 19(1), 19(a) (1), 21, 29, 129, 169, 169(1) 170, 179, 184, 185)

The budget of the League and International Labour Office was considered in detail by the Fourth Committee of the Assembly who recommended its adoption subject to certain amendments. The Assembly approved the Budget as recast by the Committee. The amount involved is about the same as that voted last year.

(y) Protection of Minorities.

(Documents 64, 163, 176, 177).

A proposal for the appointment of a Permanent Commission of Enquiry into complaints was withdrawn as it was understood that the Council had already made ample provision for their consideration.

(z) Election of Non Permanent Members.
of the Council.

(Document 119 (10)).

It was decided to make no change at this Assembly and the old representatives were therefore re-elected.

General Observations.

The League of Nations has had only two Assemblies. It would be inadvisable yet to make any prediction as to its future.

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