#### REPORT OF COMMISSION OF ASSEMBLY.

The Assembly called for the minutes of the Commission of last Assembly, instructed to deal with the matter of appointing a Principal and Professor for Manitoba College, which were submitted by Dr. Warden.

The minutes were, on motion of Dr. Warden, duly seconded and ordered to be printed along with the minutes of the Assembly.

#### APPLICATIONS ON BEHIALF OF MINISTERS ASKING TO BE RECEIVED.

Applications of Presbyteries for leave to receive ministers of other Churches into the ministry of this Church were submitted and dealt with as follows:—

- 1. Presbytery of Quebec, on behalf of Rev. Placide Boudreau.
- 2. Presbytery of North Bay, on behalf of Rev. E. W. Watson.
- 3. Presbytery of Hamilton, on behalf of Rev. G. Booth, D.D.
- 4. Presbytery of Winnipeg, on behalf of Rev. J. C. Madill.
- 5. Presbytery of Minnedosa, on behalf of Rev. Robert Gow.
- 6. Presbytery of Westminster, on behalf of Rev. W. A. Gray.
- 7. Presbytery of Victoria, on behalf of Rev. D. A. MacRae, B.A.

These applications were, on motion, duly seconded, referred to a Committee on the Reception of Ministers, to be named by the Moderator.

### APPLICATIONS OF PRESBYTERIES ON BEHALF OF STUDENTS.

Applications on behalf of students, etc., were made by Presbyteries as follows :-

- 1. Presbytery of Sydney, on behalf of Mr. Melville Grant, M. A.
- 2. Presbytery of Inverness, on behalf of Mr. R. P. Murray.
- 3. Presbytery of Wallace, on behalf of Mr. J. H. Hattie.
- 4. Presbytery of Algoma, on behalf of Mr. James Steele.
- 5. Presbytery of Sarnia, on behalf of Mr. Robert Barbour.
- 6. Presbytery of Superior, on behalf of Mr. James Russell.
- 7. Presbytery of Superior, on behalf of Mr. J. L. King.
- 8. Presbytery of Regina, on behalf of Mr. Campbell H. Munro.
- 9. Presbytery of Calgary, on behalf of Mr. W. Simons.

These applications were, on motion, duly seconded, referred to a Committee to be named by the Moderator.

## PEN USED AT SIGNING THE UNION MINUTES IN 1875.

Dr. J. S. Black presented to the Assembly the pen used at the signing of the Articles of Union in eighteen hundred and seventy-five by the Moderators and Clerks of the uniting Churches, which was accepted by the Assembly and left in the custody of the Clerk to be kept in the Presbyterian office at Toronto. Dr. Black was thanked for the interesting memorial.

# COMMITTEE ON REMITS.

The returns from Presbyteries on the Remits, sent down by last Assembly, were referred to a Committee to be named by the Moderator.

### SIGNING OF PERMANENT RECORDS OF SYNOD OF MARITIME PROVINCES.

There was presented and read a request to the Assembly from the Synod of the Maritime Provinces, asking that the printed record of that Synod for the meeting of

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