

COMMITTEE ON OBITUARY NOTICES.

The Assembly appointed a Committee to draft Obituary Notices of the several Ministers who, during the past year, had been removed by death, consisting of the following members, namely:—Dr. Gregg, *Comptroller*, Dr. Burns, Dr. Jenkins, Mr. John McNabb, Mr. Finlay McCuaig. The Committee were instructed, also, to report on the whole subject of the expediency of Obituary Notices in the future.

APPLICATION FOR THE RECEPTION OF MINISTERS.

There was produced and read a list of applications from the several Presbyteries following, for leave to receive Ministers of other Churches as Ministers of this Church, namely:—

From the Presbytery of London,	for Mr. Edmunds and Mr. Rees.
“ “ Pictou,	“ Mr. J. A. Cairns.
“ “ Montreal,	“ Mr. Couboe.
“ “ Guelf,	“ Mr. J. Howie.
“ “ Peterborough,	“ Mr. P. Fleming.
“ “ Brockville,	“ Mr. James Mellroy.
“ “ Saugeen,	“ Mr. G. A. Smith.
“ “ Manitoba,	“ Mr. John Ferris.
“ “ St. John	“ Mr. Andrew Love.

These applications, with all relative papers, were referred for consideration to the Committee on this subject already appointed.

The hour of adjournment having arrived, the Assembly adjourned to meet again at half-past two o'clock, of which public intimation was made, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction.

THIRD SEDERUNT.

On the same day, and at the same place, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon :—

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted with devotional exercises, Mr. John McKinnon, at the Moderator's request offering prayer.

The Minutes of the Second Sederunt were read and sustained.

DR. G. L. M'KAY INVITED TO PLATFORM.

Dr. G. L. McKay, the missionary of the Church at Formosa, being in the house, was invited by the Moderator to a seat on the platform.

NOMINATION COMMITTEE.

The Moderator now appointed the Committee to nominate the Standing Boards and Committees of the Church, as follows, viz. :—Messrs. George Bruce, J. K. Smith, John Gray (Windsor), George Burnfield, R. H. Warden, R. Campbell, Prof. Bryce, K. McLennan, A. McL. Sinclair, Peter Nicol, J. B. Dumeau, J. B. Muir, A. C. Hutchison, Wm. J. McMurrich, John McMillan, Robert Murray, T. Yellowlees, Robert Lawrie,—Mr. R. Campbell, *Concener*.

COMMITTEE ON LOYAL ADDRESSES.

The General Assembly now appointed a Committee to draft an Address to Her Majesty the Queen, expressive of the loyal duty of this Church towards her person and