

only vote in case of a tie; and he shall have power to appoint a Deputy, being a member of the House, to act for him in case of sickness or unavoidable absence; and in default of his making such appointment the House may choose such Deputy itself."

5. The House of Bishops agree to the amendment of Section V., if worded as follows:

"Until altered as laid down in the said Constitution in accordance with the provisions of the Provincial Synod."

The House of Bishops agree to insert the word "severally" as proposed.

R. RUPERT'S LAND, President.

The House went again into Committee.

When the Committee reported progress, the whole of the sections had been gone through with the following result:

(a). In Section VI., "twelve" was substituted for "twenty."

(b). In Section VIII., the last sentence was amended to stand thus:

"A Bishop of either the Church of England in the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada, or of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America."

(c). In Section IX., "twelve" was substituted for "twenty."

(d). Section XII., Clause 2, was amended to read thus:

"The trial of any Priest or Deacon shall take place in each Diocese according to a Canon to be framed by the Provincial Synod, provided . . . on giving notice of appeal to his Bishop within 30 days of the conviction."

(e). In Section XIII. the words after "the House of Delegates" were all struck out.

When the Prolocutor had taken the Chair, the Rev. Dr. Clarke moved, and Canon O'Meara seconded, and it was resolved that the eight last sections of the Constitution as amended in Committee be adopted by this House.

The House then adjourned.

#### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4.

Divine Service was held in St. John's Cathedral, when the Bishop of Minnesota preached, and several of his Clergy assisted in the Service.

The Synod re-assembled at Bishop's Court, the Ven. A. Cowley, Prolocutor, in the chair.