

The discussion on No. 3 of Dr. Townley's motions was resumed.

Moved in amendment by Rev. S. TIGHE, seconded by Rev. J. CARMICHAEL,

XXIV. RESOLVED,—That the subject of Dr. Townley's motion on the observance of the Rubrics be referred to the Canon Committee. Carried.

The Synod adjourned at 1 o'clock p. m.

At 3 o'clock p. m. the Synod resumed.

The Bishop in the Chair.

Notice No. 5 on Executive Committee paper, by Rev. J. Smythe, was laid over, to be brought up first in order at the next Synod.

Notice No. 6 on Executive paper.

Moved by S. PRICE, Esq., seconded by Rev. J. W. MARSH,

XXV. RESOLVED,—That Article III, of the Constitution be amended, to read as follows :—"The lay representatives shall be communicants of at least one year's standing, who shall be elected annually, during Easter week, by each duly organised congregation, from among the members thereof, at a meeting legally convened; and for such purpose it shall be the duty of the wardens of each congregation to provide a book in which each member of the congregation, of the full age of twenty-one years, unless he has previously registered his name, shall subscribe his name, on or before the first day of January in each year, to a declaration that he is a member of the United Church of England and Ireland, and does not belong to any other religious denomination. Provided that, to entitle any person to vote at such election, he moreover must have paid or contributed to the funds of the Church, at least \$2.00, during the previous year; and that it shall be the duty of the clergyman to give public notice during service on some Sunday in the month of November in each year, that the said book shall be left in a certain place in the parish or mission for the purpose of receiving the names of such persons as desire to subscribe to the said declaration."

Moved by Col. Wilson, seconded by W. H. Stevenson, Esq.

XXVI. RESOLVED,—That the motion of S. Price to amend Article III of the Constitution be laid over until next year. Carried.

No. 7 on printed paper, by Dean Hellmuth. Withdrawn.

No. 8 on printed paper, by Archdeacon Brough.

ADDRESS TO THE ARCHBISHOP AND BISHOPS.

Moved by ARCHDEACON BROUGH, seconded by DEAN HELLMUTH.

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