

Assembly. A vote having been taken, the amendment was carried over the motion and became the judgment of the House.

On motion of Principal Caven, seconded by Dr. Proudfoot, the case of Mr. Angus McLeod was recommitted and the Committee were instructed to report on an early Sederunt.

MOTION ANENT DELEGATES TO GENERAL PRESBYTERIAN COUNCIL.

Mr. J. B. Fairbairn craved leave of the Assembly to submit the motion of which he had given notice last evening, That the Assembly now proceed to make nominations in open Court with a view to the election by ballot of Delegates to the General Council of Presbyterians. It was moved by Mr. D. J. Macdonnell and seconded by Dr. Jenkins, That the Assembly now proceed to the order of business on the docket. To this it was moved in amendment by Dr. Ure and duly seconded, That Mr. Fairbairn be allowed to submit his motion. A vote having been taken, the motion was carried over the amendment by 88 to 68, and the Moderator declared accordingly.

REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS.

The report on Home Missions for the Eastern Section of the Church was presented and read by Dr. Waters, Convener, and that on Supplements for the Maritime Provinces by Dr. McGregor.

In connection with this there was submitted a memorial from the Presbytery of Manitoba, praying the Assembly not to sanction the proposed action of the Home Mission Committee reducing the salaries of Missionaries in Manitoba.

Consideration of the reports was continued until the hour of adjournment.

The Assembly adjourned to meet in this place this afternoon, at half-past two o'clock, of which public intimation was made, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction.

SIXTEENTH SEDERUNT.

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

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted by the Moderator.

Prayer was offered up by the Rev. P. McF. McLeod.

The Minutes of the Fifteenth Sederunt were read and sustained.

ELECTION OF DELEGATES TO GENERAL PRESBYTERIAN COUNCIL.

The Assembly having resolved to proceed to the election of Delegates to the General Council of the Presbyterian Alliance, it was moved by Mr. P. McF. McLeod and seconded by Mr. Matheson, That, in accordance with the motion passed yesterday, the following method of taking the vote be adopted, viz:—

1. That all the members be supplied with slips of paper, on which to write down the names of not more than eight Ministers and eight Elders, whom they consider suitable to be appointed.

2. That, if in the first ballot it should be discovered that the sixteen who are in the majority have not received a majority of the votes cast, a second ballot shall be taken; the elect being confined to the members who have been voted for in the first ballot.

3. That the following members shall act as scrutineers, viz:—Dr. Cochrane, Mr. D. McLeod, Mr. J. B. Fairbairn, Mr. Walter Riddell.

To this it was moved in amendment by Dr. Gregg and seconded by Dr. Bennett, That