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The adoption of the first resolution was moved by Mr. D. Stiles Fraser, seconded by Mr. A. M. McKenzie.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Allan Simpson, seconded by Mr. J. Prinzie:—That all after the words "prosperous nature" in the resolution be omitted.

The amendment, having been put to the House, was lost by a large majority, and the resolution as proposed was adopted.

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The time for which the Assembly had appointed to consider the Report on Temperance having expired, the Assembly agreed to resume the consideration of the report as the first business to-morrow afternoon, and that the deputation representing the Dominion Alliance be notified of this appointment.

REPORT—LOYAL ADDRESSES.

By permission of the House, Mr. Herridge now presented the Report of the Committee on Loyal Addresses, containing draft addresses—first, to Her Majesty the Queen, and, secondly, to His Excellency Lord Stanley of Preston, the Governor-General of the Dominion. The report was received, the drafts therein adopted, and instruction given that the addresses should be properly engrossed and forwarded in the usual way.

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FOREIGN MISSIONS.

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COMPOSITE PRESBYTERIES.

Mr. E. Scott stated on behalf of the Committee, that in regard to the question of the constitution of "Composite Presbyteries," remitted to it by the last Assembly, the Committee had not been able to look into the matter sufficiently to make a recommendation, and asks that it be again remitted to the Committee for further consideration, to report to next Assembly. The request was granted and the question so remitted.

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ESTIMATES.

The Estimates for Foreign Missions, Western and Eastern Divisions, were submitted and agreed to by the Assembly.

REGULATIONS.

Mr. Scott reported that the Regulations of the Foreign Mission Committee had been revised and printed in a completed form.

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Principal Grant, on behalf of the Committee, stated that, as instructed by the last General Assembly, the Committee had further considered the question of a Mission to the Jews, and now recommends the General Assembly to take immediate action to establish a Mission to the Jews in Palestine, by authorizing the Committee to select and commission one or more missionaries, leaving the precise location and the relation of the mission to those already in the field to be determined by the Committee after further correspondence.

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It was then moved by Dr. Grant, duly seconded and agreed to,—That with reference to a mission to the Jews, the Assembly adopts the recommendation of the Committee, in so far as to authorize the Committee to select and commission one medical missionary this year.