

That there are five certificates from Indian congregations, in which it is stated that there is no Synod assessment made.

That there is a certificate from St. John's, Ainleyville, in which it is also stated that no Synod assessment has been made.

That the Synod assessment is not certified as paid in the case of St. Mary's, Metcalfe.

That the name of delegate is not filled in the certificate from St. Stephen's, Goderich Township.

The certificates from St. George's, Clarksburg, and St. Mary's, Warwick, are not on the printed form, and do not show that assessment is paid.

In case of St. Jude's, Brantford, we find the certificates are not signed by the Rev. J. C. Usher, whose name appears on the Synod list as Incumbent, but by Mr. O. Robinson.

In case of St. Luke's, Pine River, we find that Mr. Joseph Parr was elected, and the Synod assessment paid, but the chairman has neglected to forward the certificate.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

D. J. HUGHES, *Chairman.*

*Committee Room, June 7th, 1871.*

It was moved by Judge Hughes, seconded by Peter Roe, Esq.,

RESOLVED,—That the Report now read, be received and discussed.

After explanations were made, it was moved by Dean Hellmuth, seconded by D. J. Hughes, Esq.,

RESOLVED,—That the Lay Representatives from the several congregations which are referred to in the report of the committee on certificates, (except those from St. Jude's, Brantford,) be permitted to take their seats in this Synod, as the several cases have been properly explained. Carried.

Moved by Rev. D. Armstrong, seconded by Mr. Grey,

RESOLVED,—That the question of the admission of the delegates of St. Jude's, Brantford, be referred to the Committee on Certificates, to report, as soon as possible, and that the following gentlemen be added to the committee: Rev. Dr. Boomer, Mr. Brock, and Mr. Grey.

The Synod adjourned at 6 o'clock, till half-past seven o'clock.

Half-past seven o'clock the Synod resumed, the Bishop in the chair.

J. Beard asked, that the rule requiring notice, be suspended, in order that he might move a resolution with reference to the announcement made by the Bishop in his address, on the state of his health. Granted unanimously by the Synod.