

heard with great satisfaction his Lordship's very able Charge, hereby respectfully request that his Lordship would be pleased to allow it to be printed in pamphlet form, at the expense of the Clergy.—*Carried unanimously.*

The Bishop thanked the Clergy for their confidence expressed in the Resolution, and stated that he was willing to comply with their request.

Rev. G. J. Low read a Paper on *Lay Co-operation*, (Appendix C.), which was discussed until the recess at 1 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Clergy assembled at 3 p.m. The Lord Bishop in the chair. The discussion on *Lay Co-operation* was resumed until 4.30 p.m., when

Rev. T. A. Parnell presented the Report of the Committee on Intemperance in the following Declaration, which, after discussion, was carried with only four dissenting voices.

Declaration.

We, the Bishop and Clergy of the Diocese of Ontario, assembled at visitation, feeling deeply sensible of the great evils of Intemperance, desire to record our firm determination, in reliance on the Divine assistance, to discountenance and suppress, by every means within our power, by example and precept, this crying sin, so destructive to the temporal and spiritual welfare of our fellowmen: and we hereby resolve to employ all lawful Church discipline in order to suppress, as far as possible, this great evil.

Signed, T. A. PARNELL, *Chairman.*

Evening Prayer (shortened form) was then said by Rev. W. Roberts.

EVENING SESSION.

At 8 p.m., the Ven. Archdeacon Patton took the chair, when

Rev. J. Forrest delivered a speech on *Sisterhoods*—(Appendix D.)

After the subject had been discussed, Rev. E. W. Beaven moved, and Rev. J. W. Burke seconded, a Resolution as follows:

That this meeting of the Clergy of the Diocese of Ontario,