GENERAL ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS

ARRANGED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, AND APPROVED BY THE LORD BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE.

Tuesday, 12th February, 1878.

The Court for the current year on Contested and Doubtful Scats of Lay-Representatives in Synod, appointed by the Bishop, will be in attendance, viz:—Samuel B. Harman, Esq., B.C.L., Chancellor of the Diocese, J. K. Kerr, Esq., Q.C., James Henderson, Esq., Rev. A. Sanson, and Rev. William Logan, M.A.

At 10 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon, with the celebration of the Holy Communion, in St. James's Cathedral.

Offertory to be devoted to the Mission Fund.

At 2.30 p.m.—The Lord Bishop will take the Chair, at the Cathedral School House, and the Synod will proceed to business.

Note.—The calling of the Roll by the Clerical and Lay Secretaries having been dispensed with, each Clergyman and Lay-Representative is required to sign his name in a book to be provided for that purpose before taking his seat.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1. At 2.30 p.m.—The Opening Prayers appointed for the occasion.
- 2. The Rev. J. H. McCollum, A.M., and Huson W. M. Murray, Esq., the Committee appointed for the current year to meet before the Synod and examine the Certificates of the Lay-Representatives, to present their report.
- 3. Contested cases, or doubtful Certificates mentioned in said Report, (if any), as well as any objections made to the claims of Lay-Representatives on the Syrod List to seats in Syrod, to be referred for final adjudication to the Court on Contested Scats.
 - 4. The Bishop's Opening Address.
- 5. Consideration of a Resolution declaring that the election of a Coadjutor Bishop is desirable and necessary. The vote on the Resolution being in the affirmative, the proceedings will be continued as follows:—
- 6. Scrutineers shall be appointed, consisting of two Clergymen and one Layman, to take the Clerical vote; and of two Laymen and one Clergyman, to take the Lay vote, according to the regulations hereafter mentioned.

Appeals (if any) having been heard and adjudicated upon, the Lists handed in by the Court shall be regarded as the Lists to govern the Election of a Bishop.

Thereupon the Synod shall adjourn to meet in the Cathedral for the purpose of Ballot and Election, at such time as the Bishop may appoint.