

The certificates from St. James', Biddulph, Trinity, Lucan, St. Patrick's, Biddulph and Trinity Church, Westminster, are not on the printed form, and one is incorrectly drawn.

The certificate presented by Col. Davis, of Sarnia, is not properly filled up.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN HURST, Chair man.

Committee Room, 5th June, 1872.

ELECTION OF SECRETARIES.

Moved by Rev. Canon Elwood, M. A., seconded by Rev. Dr. Armstrong,

RESOLVED—That the Rev. J. Walker Marsh, M. A., be Clerical Secretary. Carried.

Moved by Rev. S. B. Kellogg, seconded by Mr. William Grey,

RESOLVED—That Mr. John Beard, of Woodstock, be appointed Lay Secretary to the Synod for the present year. Carried.

Moved by Dr. Caulfeild, seconded by Rev. J. Smyth,

RESOLVED—That the reading of the minutes be dispensed with, in as much as they are in print. Carried.

The minutes of the last session were then signed by the Bishop.

THE LATE BISHOP CRONYN.

Moved by Archdeacon Brough, seconded by Canon Bettridge,

RESOLVED—The Synod at the Diocese of Huron, at this time assembled, are led with no small emotion to advert to the impressive circumstances connected with their meeting during the corresponding period of the past year. They desire to recall to mind and to have impressed on heart, the grave announcement then made by their late lamented and respected Bishop, intimating that he was unable, through broken health, any longer adequately to discharge the duties of the Episcopate, and consequently the necessity that existed for the appointment of an assistant Bishop.

In making this reference to the memory of our valued Diocesan, this Synod desires to record their sense of his personal worth, and the devotion with which he watched over the portion of the Church committed to his oversight. His solicitude respecting the election of a successor engaged his anxious thoughts and prayers, and we are now happy in the persuasion that Providence has raised up to us in his place, one, whose fidelity to the principles of our Reformed Church will tend largely, under God, to extend the interests of our communion and the cause of true religion in this diocese. This Synod would repeat to the widow and family of our late valued Diocesan, the assurance of their condolence and heartfelt sympathy under the bereavement they have sustained.

Assented to, all standing.

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