

mittee, therefore, in view of the highly gratifying state of our finances, recommend that the balance in hand, after the expenses of the present session shall have been defrayed, shall be handed over to the mission Board, and the assessment for the ensuing year be the same as that of the present financial period, all of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed)

F. O'MEARA,
Convener.

Dr. O'MEARA Moved, seconded by R. B. DENISON, that the report be adopted.—Carried.

The Rev. Dr. Beaven brought up the report on the building and repairing of parsonages, the first clause of which was put and carried. The reading of the other clauses was deferred till to-morrow.

Mr. HODGINS moved, seconded by Dr. BOVELL, that the report on the vestry manual be adopted, and that the following gentlemen be the committee on the compilation of the vestry manual for the current year:—The Rev. Dr. Fuller, Rev. H. Grasett, B.D., Rev. W. S. Darling, Rev. A. J. Broughall, M.A., R. A. Harrison, Esq.; S. Blake, T. Hodgins, Mr. Recorder Duggan, and J. G. Hodgins, Esq.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. HODGINS, seconded by R. A. HARRISON, Esq., that with a view to relieve the secretaries of much of the routine duties and detail connected with their office during the sittings of the synod, they be authorised to employ an assistant, whose duty it shall be to give special attention to the recording and printing of the daily minutes of proceedings.

That for the information of the members of the synod, a summary statement or synopsis of the whole of the unfinished business before the synod be prefixed to the daily printed notices of motion in the order in which it is proposed to take it up.

That with a view to ascertain what resolutions and canons have received the sanction of the synod, it be an instruction to the secretaries to employ a person to collate from the official minutes book, and append to the printed minutes for this year a copy of each canon or resolution which has been duly passed since 1858, with an index, and that a similar appendix and index for each succeeding year be prepared and inserted in future in the annual printed minutes proceedings of the synod.

That the compilation of the proposed list of canons and resolutions, when prepared, be submitted to the committee on the vestry manual, for its approval, before being printed in the appendix to the printed minutes of the synod.—Carried.

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