

Canon, and allow the patronage to remain, as hitherto, in the hands of the Bishop.

Dean Hellmuth withdrew his resolution.

Judge Wilson's resolution was put to the Synod and carried.

The Bishop then withdrew the Canon.

Dr. Townley's notice on Article 6 of the Constitution.

Moved by Rev. Dr. Townley, seconded by Rev. H. Bartlett,

RESOLVED,—That the following be added to the certificate which by article 6 is given to the Lay Representatives, and which shall be signed by each Lay Representative: "I hereby certify that I, the said A.B., herein named, am a regular communicant of the United Church of England and Ireland in Canada."—A.B. And also to amend Article III. to make it agree with the above. Lost.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CANONS.

Moved by Ven. C. C. Brough, seconded by Rev. J. Gunne,

RESOLVED,—That the report of the Canon Committee be received and discussed. Carried.

Moved by Archdeacon Brough, seconded by D. J. Hughes, Esq.,

RESOLVED,—That the following alterations, as proposed by the Committee on Canons in Canons V. and IX., be adopted.

1.—That Section 4, in Canon V., be struck out, and that the present Section 5 be No. 4.

2.—That in Section IV., Clause 1 of Canon IX., "~~five~~ communicants" be altered to read "~~three~~ communicants." Carried.

Moved by Rev. D. Armstrong, seconded by D. J. Hughes, Esq.,

RESOLVED,—That the following Canon proposed by the Canon Committee on the subject of the Superannuation of Clergymen, be adopted.

XVI.—ON THE SUPERANNUATION OF CLERGYMEN.

That a committee of seven clergymen of fifteen years in Priest's Orders be appointed by the Bishop, to whom shall be referred the case of Clergymen who, from age or infirmity, require to be superannuated. Whenever it shall appear to the Bishop, or to any member of the said committee that the interest of the Church requires that any Clergyman of the Diocese should be superannuated, the committee shall, with the sanction of the Bishop, have full power to investigate such case, and if it shall appear to them that such Clergyman ought to be superannuated, they shall report the case to the standing committee, and recommend what annual grant should in their opinion be made to such Clergyman.

In case any Clergyman who shall be placed on the superannuated list is dissatisfied with the action of the standing committee in his

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