

DRAFT OF REVISED CANONS

ADDENDA AND ERRATA.

Canon 1. Membership, Sec. 4, line penult :—Leave out “delegates” and insert “Lay representatives.”

Section 15. Substitute the following :—“It is the duty of every Parish to provide for and pay the necessary expenses of its Clergy and Lay representatives incurred by attendance of Synod.”

Canon 2. Organization, Sec. 5; Substitute the following :—5. The members of standing committees and the elective officers of Synod shall hold office until the appointment or election of their successors. The Bishop may fill up, until the next meeting of Synod, any vacancies among the officials of the Synod or in the committees occurring from any cause whatsoever.

Section 6, line 3 :—Leave out “adoption” and insert “introduction and consideration.”

Canon 5. Contested seats in Synod, Sec. 1, line 3 :—Leave out “said” and insert Synod.”

Canon 7. Duties of Officers :—Transpose Sections 9 and 10 to form a separate Canon to follow the Canon of Vestries (end of page 45), and to be intitled “Custody of deeds and Parish Registers;” and in Sec. 9 as printed, after “benefit” in line 4, insert “or use.”

Substitute the following for the present Section 12 :—“The Registrar from time to time, on application being made therefor, shall give a certificate of any entry of birth, marriage, or death entered in any Parish register in his custody, and for every certificate he shall be entitled to charge and receive a fee of fifty cents, and such certificate shall be *prima facie* evidence of the fact therein stated or set forth.”

Canon 15. The Clergy Trust Fund. Substitute the following for Sections 3 and 4 :—“3. The income of the Fund, after the payment of the expenses of management, shall be appropriated to the payment quarterly to the present annuitants on the fund of the sum set opposite their respective names in the schedule hereto, and whenever the income permits, then pursuant to Section 6 of this Canon to the next senior clergyman of the Diocese in good standing who is engaged in clerical or synodical work.”

“4. The seniority of any clergyman shall be determined by his length of service in the Diocese, which shall be reckoned from the date of his first appointment by the Bishop; but the time during which he has ceased to do clerical or synodical work in the Diocese without being superannuated or having leave of absence from the Bishop shall be excluded in reckoning such length of service.”

Canon 16. Widows’ and Orphans’ Fund, Section 4, line 2 :—Leave out “partake of” and insert “participate in.”

Canon 19. Rectory Lands Fund, Section 8, last line :—Leave out “on behalf” and insert “under the seal.”

Canon 20. General Purpose Fund, Section 1, line penult :—After “are” insert “not.”

Canon 25. Election of Delegates to the Provincial Synod, Section 2 :—Leave out “the secretary” and insert “one of the scrutineers.”

Canon 26. The Diaconate :—Substitute the following for Section 2 :—“2. Such Deacons and their families shall have no claim whatsoever as beneficiaries on any of the various funds subscribed, collected or held in trust for the benefit of the clergy or their families.”

Canon 28. Discipline, Section 2, line 1 :—Leave out “and” and insert “or.”

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