

ANGLICAN SYNOD SESSIONS WERE RESUMED YESTERDAY

Protestant Orphanage Movement Taken up and Approved of by Members—Matter of Bible Reading in the Schools—Clergyman's Stipend—Numerous Committees Were Appointed—Votes of Thanks Passed.

The morning session of the Anglican synod was devoted largely to the election of standing committees, etc. This was completed with the exception of the choice of delegates for the provincial synod which meets in Montreal, for which nominations were received.

The synod adopted a resolution expressing sympathy with the movement to secure additional accommodation for Protestant orphans of the province.

There was a lengthy discussion regarding the decision that the increased minimum stipends for clergy should be effective from January 1, but on assurances being given by laymen that the full amount could be raised, a motion for reconsideration was rejected.

The session continues at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon and it is expected that the business will be completed today.

The report of the nominating committee was taken up and committees were elected as follows:

The Standing Committee. Ex-Officio—Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Fredericton, Dean of Fredericton, Archdeacon of Chatham, Archdeacon of Fredericton, Archdeacon of St. John, The Chancellor.

Elected Members—Rev. Canon Armstrong, Rev. Canon Smithers, Rev. Canon Daniel, Rev. M. C. Shewen, R. W. Hewson, Dr. J. Roy Campbell, G. O. D. City, Hon. J. P. Burchill.

Executive Committee. Ex-Officio—Right Reverend the Lord Bishop, Dean of Fredericton, Archdeacon of Chatham, Archdeacon of Fredericton, Archdeacon of St. John, Secretary of the Synod. All the members of the standing committee.

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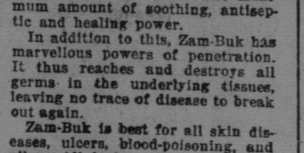
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Bible Reading in Public Schools—Very Rev. Dean Neales, Rev. G. A. Kuhring, Rev. W. R. Hibbard, Archdeacon Crowfoot, Charles Coster, J. K. Scammell, David Hipwell.

Bishop Richardson said that he thought it absolutely useless to appoint a committee on Bible reading in the public schools. Last year they had received assurance of support from the Presbyterian and Methodist churches and the Orange Grand Lodge but their work had been blocked by the refusal of the Baptist church to co-operate.

Rev. Mr. Kuhring urged that the committee be appointed and the fight continued.

David Hipwell, as chairman of the Orange Grand Lodge committee, said that they were instructed to keep battling away and he hoped the synod would do so.

It was agreed to continue the committee.

Nominations. Nominations for delegates for the provincial synod to be held in Montreal on November 5 were made as follows:

Rev. Canon Armstrong, Canon Daniel, Archdeacon Forsyth, Canon Smithers, Rev. Thomas Parker, Canon Siam, Rev. G. A. Kuhring, Dean Neales, Rev. J. A. Cooper, Rev. W. H. Sampson, Rev. R. P. McKim, Rev. W. Tomalin, Rev. W. J. Wilkinson, Rev. L. A. Forsyth, Archdeacon Crowfoot, Canon Cowie, Rev. J. V. Young, Rev. F. LeRoy, Rev. W. H. Dunham, Rev. W. J. Bate, Rev. E. Hallstone, Rev. C. W. Nichols, Archdeacon Newham.

Canon delegates—Hon. J. P. Burchill, S. G. Bishop, J. H. A. L. Fairweather, M. G. Teed, H. Usher Miller, Dr. T. C. Allan, Charles Coster, C. S. E. Robertson, J. R. Armstrong, Col. E. T. Sturdee, F. C. L. Ketchum, H. F. Puddington, J. K. Scammell, Dr. Thomas Walker, G. W. Ellis, F. del. Clements, J. B. H. Storer, Dr. W. S. Carter, David Hipwell, H. W. Smith, H. B. Schofield, A. C. Skelton, R. W. Hewson, H. A. Porter, W. L. Harding.

The halling for the election of the delegates took place yesterday afternoon.

Orphans' Home. David Hipwell, seconded by Canon Armstrong, presented a resolution as follows:

"We, the members of the Church of England synod at annual session convened in St. John, N. B., on May 1, 1919, do hereby express our approval of the movement now under way for the purpose of enlarging the St. John Protestant Orphanage and the purchase of a new building on the site of the present Orphan Home, the new building to have a provincial status. We the members of the said synod, pledge our support to the movement."

Mr. Hipwell recited the facts which made a new orphanage or increased accommodation necessary and made an eloquent appeal for support.

Rev. Mr. Follet also spoke earnestly in support of the motion.

Rev. G. A. Kuhring told of the progress made by a committee which has been securing information regarding the erection of a large building, the adoption of the cottage system, or the securing of a temporary building.

The motion was adopted unanimously.

The laymen's committee on increased stipends for the clergy was also convened as follows—H. A. Porter, L. P. D. Tilley, H. Usher Miller, D. Hipwell, J. H. A. L. Fairweather, F. del. Clements, J. B. Storer and Dr. M. G.

The bishop announced that the increase in stipends for clergy involved an increased outlay of about \$9,000, involving fourteen parishes. Owing to the financial arrangements for the year having been completed, he suggested that the increase this year be provided as a bonus. It also would avoid the possibility of depriving parishes, which could not raise the amounts, of their status as self-supporting parishes. In order to care for the arrears on account of this bonus it would be necessary for the committee appointed to secure cash for the purpose was taken by representatives of parishes affected to the action in making the increase effective from January 1, 1921.

Mr. Miller said that he understood it was not the intention of the committee to secure cash contributions, but to conduct a campaign for increases in regular contributions through the duplex envelope system.

His Lordship asked how the arrears would be provided for and Mr. Miller said that was not in the hands of the committee.

Canon Armstrong favored making the increase effective only from July 1, with the understanding that if funds were available, a bonus should be provided for the first six months of the year.

Mr. Fairweather said, with regard to self-supporting parishes, the first half of the year should not be included except as a recommendation, but he thought the laymen could provide the money.

J. S. Armstrong suggested that the matter be referred back to the committee.

The bishop said that the adoption of the recommendation would place upon the home mission board the obligation to see that clergy in independent parishes should be granted a bonus if their parish did not provide the entire amount of the increase.

George Raymond moved for reconsideration of the laymen's committee's report, but the motion was lost, and the matter was dropped.

The report of the committee on mobilization of spiritual resources was presented by the bishop, who reported that efforts to arrange for a retreat for the clergy had failed.

The report of the Pickert Memorial Fund, for the care of clergy during illness, was presented. Canon Neales said he had been informed that the objective of \$10,000 had been reached, but the objective had been advanced to \$12,000.

Reports were submitted by the secretary on the offering of the seal of the synod, the Diocesan registrar, the auditor, the treasurer of the Board of Education, the Bishop Medley memorial fund. The latter committee reported that sufficient funds had been raised to erect in the cathedral a beautiful cenotaph with the remains of the late Bishop Medley, enshrined in white Carrara, resting upon an

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Table with columns for location and weather conditions. Locations include Dawson, Prince Rupert, Victoria, Vancouver, Kamloops, Calgary, Medicine Hat, Edmonton, Battleford, Prince Albert, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Fort Arthur, Fanny Bay, London, Toronto, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, and Forecasts.

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