

Charlottetown,—Amended returns with certified copy from minutes of parish meeting, that in 1886, T. H. Haviland and E. J. Hodgson, were elected Representatives, and L. W. Watson and F. Brecken provisional Representatives. Messrs. Hodgson and Watson are qualified.

Cherry Valley,—paid assessment. Messrs. J. H. Rourke and Thos. Crane are returned as Representatives, elected in 1886 and are qualified to sit. Messrs. Cotton and DesBrisay having been elected as provisional Representatives at a previous election, their names have been removed from the list.

St. Eleanor's, Summerside,—paid. Returns Messrs. D. Rodgers and W. C. DesBrisay as Representatives, and L. R. Davis, and F. Brecken, as provisional Representatives, and they are entitled to seats on producing certificates of communion. Mr. Brecken has produced his.

EDWIN GILPIN,

Chairman of Committee

Mr. Charles Palmer stated that two provisional representatives from Alberton, whose names do not appear in the report, are present in place of the regular representatives. On motion of Mr. Palmer and Hon. A. G. Jones, the matter was referred to the Committee on Credentials.

The roll of the Clergy was called by Rev. David Neish, the acting Clerical Secretary, when 79 answered to their names.

The roll of Lay Representatives was called by the Lay Secretary, when 118 answered to their names.

The Right Rev. the Bishop of Quebec and the Right Rev. the Bishop of Springfield, Illinois, United States, (Bishop Seymour), were introduced and received by the Synod standing, and conducted to seats on the right and left of the Chair.

The Lay Secretary stated that Mr. H. S. Poole, representative of Albion Mines, is not present, but that Messrs. C. F. Fraser and C. J. Spike, provisional representatives, are both present and claim the seat.

On motion of Hon. A. G. Jones and Rev. Rural Dean Moore, the matter was referred to the Special Committee on Credentials.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the Rev. David Neish, and approved.

The Report of the Executive Committee was submitted, recommending the temporary appointment of Rev. D. Neish as Clerical Secretary, in the absence of Rev. Dr. Partridge, Secretary, in England, and reporting a Scheme of Assessment for the additional \$2000 to the Bishop's income.

The recommendation for the appointment of Rev. D. Neish as temporary Clerical Secretary, was seconded by Rev. Canon Brock, and adopted.

The Rev. F. H. Almon gave the following notice of motion:—

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