

Book, and have found everything satisfactory, having traced the vouchers to their proper accounts. The Bank balances agree with the Ledger balances of the respective Funds, the mortgages have all passed through our hands, and we have checked the accruing interest thereon to the proper accounts. The Debenture Book has also been examined, and the interest therein found to be correctly credited. We have likewise examined and checked the mortgages belonging to the Rectory Lands Fund, which are about to be transferred to the Diocese of Niagara. All of which is respectfully submitted by your obedient Servants,

WILLIAM GAMBLE, }
JAS. SYDNEY CROCKER, } *Auditors.*

Synod Rooms, November 9th 1876.

Church Music Committee.

Present.—The Rev. J. D. Cayley, Chairman; Revs. C. R. Bell and J. M. Ballard. Messrs. John Carter, H. G. Collins, and J. H. Knight.

The Committee resolved to issue a book of Canticles with appropriate chants; each member of the Committee to send his selection to the chairman within two weeks.

Printing Committee.

Present.—The Rev. A. J. Broughall. The Rev. C. C. Johnson was unable to attend. No quorum.

No business transacted.

Special Committee on the Canon for Enforcing Church Discipline.

Present.—The Archdeacon of York, Chairman; Revs. Septimus Jones, H. C. Cooper, and Dr. O'Meara; Hon. G. W. Allan. Hon. V. C. Blake was unavoidably absent.

The Committee resumed consideration of the proposed Canon, in connection with the revision of the Fredericton Canon.

Referring to the resolution adopted by the Synod in June last, viz: "That the Committee on Discipline be instructed to consider the question of the advisability of requiring all evidence brought before the Court to be taken upon oath, and, should it be necessary, to take legal advice or to apply to the Legislature for such powers as may be considered requisite," the Committee decided to apply to the Legislature of Ontario at its next Session for an Act to enable any Court of Discipline which shall be constituted under any Canon of the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Toronto, to receive evidence on oath.

The Regular Quarterly Meetings of the Standing Committees of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto were held at the Synod Office, on Thursday and Friday, the 8th and 9th February, 1877.

Executive Committee.

Present.—The Archdeacon of Peterborough, Chairman; The Archdeacon of York, Revs. W. Logan, S. Givins, A. J. Fidler, Dr. Lett, R. Shanklin, and C. W. Pater-son; Hon. G. W. Allan, Hon. Vice-Chancellor Blake, James Henderson, F. Farncomb, Capt. Stupart, W. T. O'Reilly, and Dr. Snelling. In the absence of the Secretary, on account of illness, Dr. Snelling acted as Secretary of the meeting.

A letter was read from the Lord Bishop stating that he had appointed the Hon. G. W. Allan to fill the vacancy in the Committee caused by the death of the Hon. John Hillyard Cameron.