

religious bodies or denominations of Christians in Canada, and to which the faith of the Crown is pledged, shall be secured during the natural lives or incumbencies of the parties now receiving the same, on the same principle that was adopted in the 3rd section of an Act passed in the third and fourth years of Her Majesty's reign, chapter 78; subject to which provision the Provincial Parliament should be authorized to appropriate as in its wisdom it may think proper, all revenues derived from the present investments, or from those to be made hereafter, whether from the proceeds of future sales or from instalments on those already made.

We therefore humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to recommend to Parliament a measure for the repeal of the Imperial Act 3 & 4 Vic., chap. 78, and for enabling the Canadian Legislature to dispose of the proceeds of the Clergy Reserves, subject to the conditions above mentioned.

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