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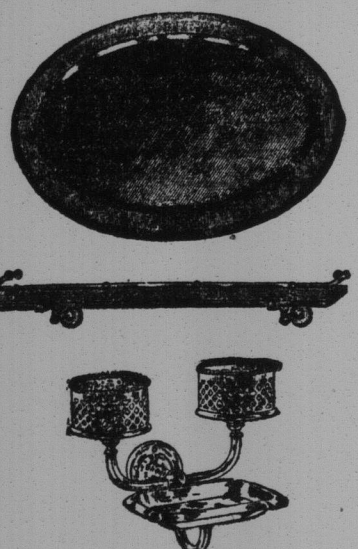
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Time Limit Cuts Debate of Episcopalians; Close Test of Strength in Vote on Canon Forbidding It

The question whether or not the Protestant Episcopal Church shall sanction the marriage of the divorced sharply divided the House of Deputies in the St. John meeting on Oct. 12. Parliamentary tactics delayed the vote on the merits of the matter, neither side being disposed to press a decisive vote, and the time limit brought about adjournment in the midst of skirmishing.

The indications were that the House composed of clergymen and distinguished laymen of the church, many of whom are lawyers, was about equally divided on the issue.

The report of the joint commission on legislation on matters relating to marriage was presented at the beginning of the afternoon session by the secretary, Rev. Dr. Charles F. J. Wrigley, of Brooklyn. It has been the custom of the Episcopal Church to permit its clergy to solemnize the remarriage of the so-called innocent party to a divorce provided that legal evidence is presented which is satisfactory to the officiating clergyman. No bishop can direct a priest to perform such a marriage. The proposed canon reads as follows:

"No marriage shall be solemnized in the church between parties either of whom has been divorced for any cause arising after marriage."

Instances of Collusion.
Rev. Dr. Wrigley said that the commission of fifteen had decided upon presenting the new canon because due investigation had convinced it that in the first three centuries of the Christian Church no provision whatever was made for divorce, and that the custom of the western church did not in any way sanction divorce. Although he did not himself mention the Catholic Church, the deputies in the debate which followed assumed that he meant the See of St. Peter.

Dr. Wrigley said that in recent years instances of collusion in the obtaining of divorces had been so numerous as to be causes of public scandal, and that the conclusion had been reached that it would be better for the common good that the innocent should suffer in isolated cases than that a gigantic evil should spread over the nation.

He expressed doubts as to the authenticity of the words in the fifth chapter of the Gospel of St. Matthew, in which it is made to appear that Christ sanctioned divorce for the cause which is known as the statutory ground in certain states in the United States.

Roswell Page, of Beaver Dam, Va., a layman and a brother of Walter Hines Page, American Ambassador to England, insisted that it was indeed a cruel hardship to prevent the remarriage of an innocent party to a divorce.

Francis A. Lewis, a Philadelphia lawyer, asserted that re-marriage and religion did not mix, for the law which made legal the putting of those who had wedded also permitted them to seek other partners. He said that his husband's arranging for divorce on the grounds could hardly be looked upon as an innocent or as an injured party.

Excitement in Debate.

Rev. Dr. Randolph H. McKim of Washington, who for months has been recognized as the chief opponent of the proposed canon, vehemently defended his position. He said that no assault whatever should be permitted upon the integrity of the Scriptures, and that none had the right to question that Christ did acknowledge the right of divorce for violation of the sanctity of the marriage tie.

The exception was plainly a concession to the dictation of a few higher critics of the modern German school.

Rev. Dr. Leighton Perkins, rector of St. Bartholomew's Church, New York City, said that conditions such as preceded the fall of the Roman Empire were gaining in the United States. He remarked that the Episcopal Church, because it was supposed to have some unique social prestige, was importuned by "spotted creatures" to marry them after divorces won by collusion.

Admitting that there might occasionally be hardships through the application of a strict rule of the church, none the less, he said, there were hardships in life which could be borne.

The excitement of the debate was growing up when the friends of the measure sought a test of strength by demanding that an immediate vote be taken on its adoption. Those who were in favor of the vote being taken were 245, and those against it 240. As the president, Rev. Dr. Alexander Mann, was about to put the matter to a vote a motion to adjourn was made. This was not

considered in order, and then came a sudden motion to reconsider an immediate vote.

This motion was adopted by a vote of 268 to 88. Five o'clock, the hour of adjournment came, and the session was automatically closed.

MEETING SUCCESS WITH APPEAL FOR PATRIOTIC FUND

The committee appointed to procure the sum of \$50,000 by voluntary subscriptions to meet the requirements up to the end of the current year is now for the last time, appealing to the generosity of the citizens of St. John. The committee's appeal follows:

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CATHOLICS AND PROTESTANTS AT SERVICE TOGETHER IN FORMERS' CHURCH

Unique Memorial Service in Liverpool Told by T. P. O'Connor

Special Cable to The Montreal Star Weekly by T. P. O'Connor.
London, Sept. 20.—One of the paradoxes of the Irish attitude toward war was brought home forcibly to me by a visit I paid the past week-end to my constituents in Liverpool.

Irish Nationalists have put down that week-end as one of the most memorable in the history of Irishmen in that city, where they form nearly one-third of the entire population, and have in the municipal council and all public bodies regularly constituted Irish parties.

All Liverpool Irish have rallied to the Irish flag, perhaps more numerous and promptly than any other city in the empire. They form special battalions in Lancashire and the Liverpool Regiment—that battalion has fought splendidly in several engagements and lost heavily.

Protestants and Catholics Mingle

Last Saturday they held memorial services in the chief Catholic Chapel, Lord Mayor A. Stuart, Protestant himself, in a Protestant city, walked in full state, and attended the service, while municipal councillors, all creeds, Anglican, Non-conformists and Jewish, attended the service and listened to a stirring address by Father Bernard Vaughan.

I visited the Catholic schools next day and nearly every child had a father, a brother, or an uncle in the army. A third had lost relatives in the war.

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