

the state of P. E. Island as to the Superannuation of the Clergy ; and what amount would be required to entitle the Clergy of P. E. I. to share in the benefit of this Fund. *Carried.*

The Secretary presented a Bill from the Committee on Communion Wine, for analysis of three samples of Wine, amounting to \$10, which was ordered to be paid.

Rev. Minor Canon Murray's motion on the education of the Children of the Clergy was deferred to next Session.

Rev. Dr. Bowman's motion to extend the Franchise to Women was also deferred.

Moved by Rev. J. A. Kaulbach, seconded by Rev. Rural Dean Moore,—

That a Memorial page in the next Journal be inserted, to include the names of the late Rev. G. W. Hodgson, Rural Dean Jamieson, and Mr. George Reading.

The Secretary moved the adoption of the Report of the Widow's and Orphans' Fund Committee.

The Report was adopted.

The Lord Bishop moved, seconded by Rev. Canon Maynard,—

That the thanks of this Synod be tendered to the Rev. Dr. Partridge, for his able and appropriate sermon at the opening Service of this Synod. *Carried.*

Dr. Partridge briefly acknowledged the same.

Moved by Rev. Rural Dean Snyder, seconded by Mr. W. C. Silver,—

That the Lord Bishop do now leave the chair, and that the Ven. the Archdeacon do take the same. *Carried.*

Rev. Rural Dean Snyder, as Senior Presbyter of the Diocese, then moved, seconded by Mr. Silver,—

That the thanks of this Synod be respectfully given to the Lord Bishop, for his ability, patience, and impartiality in presiding over the deliberations of the Synod.

Both the mover and seconder spoke in feeling terms of the Bishop's long and able services to the Diocese, and expressed the hope that his Lordship might long be spared to carry on his arduous labours.

Carried unanimously by a rising vote.

The Lord Bishop made a touching and affectionate reply ; after which his Lordship resumed the chair.

Rev. Rural Dean Moore, seconded by Rev. Canon Brock, moved the usual votes of thanks :—

To the Rector and Church Wardens of St. Luke's, for the use of the Church for the meetings of Synod.

To the Church people of Halifax for kind and generous hospitality to the Clergy.

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