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No grant shall be made from the funds of the Diocese to any Parish for the purpose of paying the stipend of the Incumbent, excepting to meet a certain proportion to be contributed by the Parish itself. The proportion to be contributed by any Parish shall be defined by the Executive Committee after consultation with the Delegates and Incumbent of the Parish. The contribution of the Parish shall be paid over quarterly to the Treasurer of the Synod, who will remit it, with the grant from the funds of the Diocese, to the Incumbent of the Parish.

All grants shall be subject to revision yearly, but no reduction of grant shall be made without twelve months' notice thereof; provided always that, when any Parish contributes, in any year, the sum of \$1,200, any grant previously made to any such Parish shall cease without twelve months' notice.

Grants to new Parishes may be made at the discretion of

the Executive Committee.

No grant shall be made to any fund for building a church or parsonage, or for any other parochial purpose, except to meet a certain contribution to be raised by the Parish, applying for a grant, which contribution shall be defined by the Executive Committee, after consultation with the Delegates and Incumbent; and no grant in aid of the building of any church or parsonage shall be paid until the land upon which such church or parsonage is to be built has been conveyed, in fee simple, free from all encumbrance, to the Bishop of New Westminster, his successors and assigns.

The Finance Committee shall assess each Parish for the necessary expenses of the Synod, and each Parish shall pay its assessment on or before the first day of the meeting of the Synod.

Two Auditors shall be appointed annually by the Synod, whose duty it shall be to audit the accounts of the Synod and of the Diocese, and to lay a report of the same before the Synod on the first day of the meeting of the same, such audit to be up to the 30th day of September of each year, and such Auditors may be paid a reasonable sum for their work.

The offertory of each Parish on Christmas Day shall be devoted to the funds of the Diocese, and, on Easterday, shall be

given to the Incumbent for his own use.

## VI.

## CANON ON PARSONAGE HOUSES.

It shall be the duty of every Parish to provide a suitable residence for the Incumbent.

On the appointment of a new Incumbent the parsonage