

3. That an assessment of \$150 be made on each of the eight dioceses of Provincial Synod, to defray necessary expenses arising out of the session then being held, and that the question of a graded assessment of the dioceses be considered and reported upon by this committee at its next session.

By the adoption of the foregoing recommendations it appears that due care is exercised in the expenses incurred by the Provincial Synod.

Respectfully submitted,

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St. John, July 4th, 1893.

APPENDIX M.

Canon of the appointment and duties of a Diocesan Registrar.

1. There shall be a registrar of the Diocese who shall be appointed by the Synod, and remain in office during the pleasure of the Synod. In case of the death resignation inability to act or removal from the diocese of the Registrar, the Bishop if he shall deem it necessary may appoint a Registrar *ad interim*.

2. The Synod shall provide a safe place of deposit for the use of the Registrar and also provide such books and registers as shall be required by him for the proper performance of his duties.

3. It shall be the duty of the Registrar to obtain as far as possible either the original documents or authenticated copies of all grants, deeds, conveyances, deeds of trust, wills and codicils or such portions thereof as may relate to the Church in this diocese, respecting any land or property, real or personal, heretofore granted conveyed or devised to or for the use or benefit of the Church of England in this diocese, or of any parish therein, together with the terms and trusts upon which the same is so conveyed, devised or bequeathed and he shall enter the details thereof in a book to be kept by him for that purpose alphabetically arranged for convenient reference, and whenever any investment or re-investment is required to be made under and by the sanction of the Bishop of the diocese, the said sanction shall be placed in writing and the said written sanction or duplicate thereof shall be transmitted to the Registrar by the Bishop and the Registrar shall file the same and keep a record thereof.

4. It shall be the duty of all rectors, missionaries in charge and Church corporations to transmit to the Registrar all such documents as are mentioned in the foregoing section, or if unable to transmit the original papers, to transmit copies thereof without delay. The expense incurred in or connected with procuring all such papers as are hereintofore referred to shall be borne by——

5. In case of any bequests, conveyances, deeds of trust, or other documents coming into effect after the passing of this canon whereby