

THE DIOCESAN SYNOD.

Reports on the Many Interests of the Church-- The Missionary Field.

The Synod resumed its session at 3 p. m. on Tuesday and the hearing of reports from committees was proceeded with.

Rev. A. Richardson read the report of the Committee on Education, which dealt with the question of church schools. It will be remembered that last year's Synod gave this Committee charge over the affairs of the Church School funds known as old as the Madras School funds.

One school has already been started in Fredericton with teachers of the first rank. It is the aim of the Committee to offer salaries above that in the public schools so as to procure the best possible talent.

The building at Fredericton has been greatly improved and further improvements are to be made during the next few months.

In St. John the old building was exchanged for a building lot in a desirable situation and a new building is to be erected and the Executive Committee offered to advance the necessary funds up to \$2500 to be repaid with interest at 4 per cent.

The report of the Board of Finance was read by Mr. W. M. Jarvis and received, a summary of which follows. The Diocesan Funds on 31st December, 1900, are estimated as follows:

Table with columns: Fund Name, Capital, Estimated Income. Includes Widows and Orphans, Special Widows and Orphans, Clergy, Education of the Children, etc.

The securities representing the capital amounts may be classed generally as follows: Real estate, \$18,750 00; First mortgages on freehold properties, \$2,350 00; Debentures, including sinking fund, \$116,537 93; Bank stock, \$300 00; Advance to S. P. C. K. Depository, \$800 00; Outfit loans, balance, \$200 00; Church education fund securities (not classed), \$40,000 00.

In addition to this there was at the end of the year a cash balance of \$8,408 05, kept on bank deposit at interest. Such part of this balance as was not required for payment of missionaries' stipends and other charges has been since invested.

Mr. J. Ray Campbell presented the report on church literature. The scope of the work had been enlarged and continued to increase in usefulness. The purpose of the scheme is to provide the best church literature at the lowest possible price.

The petition from Shediac parish relative to the old Madras School was referred to a committee. The Executive Committee's report was read by W. O. Raymond and received.

The rules of order were suspended that a message of sympathy might be forwarded to the Secretary of the Synod, Rev. O. S. Newham, who is prevented from attending the Synod on account of illness.

The Dean then presented the report of the committee on the memorial from Christ Church, Fredericton. The committee saw no reason for change in the present state of affairs in the management of glebe lands.

Dean Partridge moved, seconded by Judge Hanington, that Mr. Carleton, a leader of Brotherhood of St. Andrew work in England, be invited to address the Synod on the work on Wednesday. Carried.

direction of the Rector of such parish in which he may at the time be labouring, and the names of such licensed readers to be printed in the Journal Synod.

Notices of motion were now in order for business to be considered on Wednesday, when a number of such motions were made.

Mr. Dicker presented a report on the children's bi-centenary offering to the S. P. C. K. It amounted to one hundred dollars and was a generous thanksgiving offering from thankful children's hearts.

Through the generosity of the Lord Bishop and Father Davenport a seal and coat of arms was provided for the Edgemoor parish.

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At 8 o'clock Tuesday evening the reports of parochial work from the different parishes began to be read.

Rev. Mr. Spencer reported from the Addington and Campbellton, saying that the parish needed an additional missionary before so large a field could be properly covered.

Rev. F. W. Street in reporting from Bathurst bore a glad testimony to the earnest and vigorous work performed under his direction as Rector, by the Rev. G. R. E. McDonald, a native of Fredericton, whose report will be mentioned in another column.

Rev. H. E. Dibble reported great progress in his mission work. One evidence of such work being the consecration of a few months ago by the Lord Bishop of a beautiful new church at Fredericton Junction, which must stand as a noble memorial to the untiring efforts of the missionary, Rev. H. E. Dibble.

Rev. J. E. Flewelling reported great progress at Canterbury and McAdam, and for a second missionary at McAdam, which under such conditions should become largely self supporting.

Rev. G. R. E. McDonald, who is well known in Fredericton, presented the report from New Brandon. It was very encouraging. At New Brandon there is a large colony of Irish descent, many of whom are loyal and self-sacrificing churchmen.

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BOLD TRAIN ROBBERS

A Montana Train Held Up by Three Desperados

Several of the Passengers Shot by the Raiders

The Express Car Blown Up and Booty Secured

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 4.—A despatch to the Associated Press from Havre, Montana, gives the following account of the Great Northern train robbery, and the names of the persons shot by the robbers.

The injured are Gertrude G. Smith of Tomah, Wis., a passenger who looked from a window, receiving a bullet through the right arm, but not seriously hurt.

Mr. Douglas of Clancey, Mont., travelling auditor for the Montana division of the Great Northern, shot through left arm near shoulder.

Brakeman Whiteside of Havre, Mont., shot through right arm near shoulder, shattering bone, seriously injured.

As the Great Northern flyer train No. 3 was leaving Malta, Conductor Smith noticed what he supposed to be a tramp on the front bed of the mail car next the engine.

He tried to drive him off after the train started, but the man pulled a revolver and said he had better go back or he would shoot.

The conductor returned to the coaches, and as Sheriff Griffith of Valley County was on the train, arranged with him to arrest the man at the next siding.

When the train approached Exeter, the next siding west of Malta, the conductor signalled the engineer to stop, but the train only slackened a second time, but the train did not stop.

Engineer Jones was during this time covered by a gun, and was told by the supposed tramp that if the train stopped he would kill him.

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