

Bishop, together with two lay members of the Synod appointed by the Bishop, to visit the said parish or mission, and to confer with the several congregations thereof for the purpose of ascertaining its resources and liabilities; and thereupon to report to the Bishop the amount which the said parish or mission may be fairly expected, (in proportion to its ability as compared with that of other parishes in the diocese,) to contribute annually towards its clergyman's stipend; and no appointment shall be made to the said parish or mission, until a reasonable guarantee shall have been afforded the Bishop, that the said amount so determined will be annually contributed for the purpose aforesaid.

Should an alteration subsequently take place in the circumstances of the parish or mission by which it is rendered unable to meet the amount in which it has been so assessed, on a representation of the facts to the Bishop by petition, the former assessment shall be revised by a clergyman and two laymen appointed as before; and if deemed necessary by them, a new assessment shall be made.

All reasonable expenses actually incurred by the assessors so appointed in visiting the parish as aforesaid, shall be defrayed by the churchwardens out of the general funds of the parish.

No appointment shall be made to a vacant parish or mission until all arrears of salary so guaranteed to the out-going clergyman shall have been paid, or a satisfactory provision for the payment thereof shall have been made.

The Rev. H. HOLLAND also gives notice that he will move the appointment of a committee to inquire into the position of free churches in this diocese, especially with reference to the authority of vestry meetings in the appointment of churchwardens; and to report whether any, and what legislative enactment may be required in order to confer upon them similar powers to those possessed by churchwardens appointed in conformity with the provisions of the church temporalities act.

By Dr. BOVELL, that the diocese of Toronto, in Synod assembled, desire for the third time to express their conviction of the necessity of such a modification in the common school system as will enable them to enjoy in cities and towns those privileges which have been so freely accorded to the Roman Catholic citizens of the country; and as it has been publicly declared that separate schools accorded to Roman Catholics do not militate against the common school system of Canada, we desire to have the same concession extended to the Church of England.

That a committee be appointed to consider the best mode or system of organization for consolidating the revenues of the Church.

Dr. BOVELL gives notice that he will move that a tariff of fees for offices performed by the clergy be fixed by the synod.

Dr. FULLER gives notice that he will move for the appointment of a committee to draw up recommendations for congregations about to erect churches, and to embody such recommendations in a report to be submitted for the Synod.

Dr. FULLER gives notice that he will move that a committee of three be appointed to examine the parochial reports sent in to the Synod, and to submit a report on the state of the diocese to the Synod during its session, as far as it can be gathered from such parochial reports.

Rev. W. S. DARLING gives notice that he will move that a committee be appointed to consider and report upon the organization, constitution and powers of select vestries.

Rev. W. S. DARLING gives notice, that in event of the reappointment of the committee on the Court of discipline, he will move that it be an instruction to that committee to ascertain and report what legal remedy a parochial clergyman possesses in event of his Bishop withdrawing his license, without reason assigned.

Mr. GAMBLE gives notice that he will move a resolution requiring the Mission Board to report to the Synod at its annual meeting; such report to contain a detailed statement of the operations of the Board during the past year.

The Rev. S. GIVINS gives notice that he will propose the appointment of a committee to consider and report on the advisability of providing a house for the accommodation of the Synod and Church Society.

Rev. S. GIVINS gives notice that he will move that in future an annual report, duly authenticated, be made to the Synod of all receipts and expenditure on account of churches, parsonages and endowments, in course of erection or formation in the parishes and missions of the diocese.