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MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE OF BISHOPS.

The PROLOCUTOR accordingly transmitted the address to the President, asking the concurrence of the HOUSE OF BISHOPS.

By unanimous consent the following motion, of which notice had been given in the Morning Session, was submitted to the House.

Moved by Rev. Canon BANCROFT, seconded by Mr. BALL,

That the House of Bishops be respectfully requested to concur in the appointment of a Joint Committee of both Houses, whose duty it shall be to prepare a Hymnal to be submitted for approval at the next session of the Synod, and if approved to be recommended for use throughout the Province.—*Carried.*

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF BISHOPS.

The PROLOCUTOR read the following message:—

The Metropolitan begs to inform the Prolocutor of the Lower House that the Upper House concurs in the Address to His Excellency the Governor General, which has been submitted to them.

A. MONTREAL.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CANON OF MISSIONARY BISHOPS.

The Rev. Provost WHITAKER read the following report:—

The Committee to whom the "Canon of Missionary Bishops" was referred, beg to report the following draft of a Canon:—

Canon of the Appointment of Missionary Bishops.

1. That the Provincial Synod may elect a suitable Priest to be a Missionary Bishop to the Indians and others not residing within any organized Diocese, and when the House of Bishops shall be satisfied that adequate provision has been made for the support of a Missionary Bishop, the Metropolitan or presiding Bishop may convene the Provincial Synod for the purpose of electing such Missionary Bishop, by the joint action of the Upper and Lower Houses, which election shall be conducted in the following manner:—Every member of the Lower House shall have the right of voting, by ballot, for