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SECOND SESSION:

OTTAWA, MAY 31ST, 1897.

In accordance with Canon Three, the second Session of the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa was preceded by Divine Service in Christ Church Cathedral. Evensong was said by Reverend J. J. Bogert, M. A., Rural Dean of Carleton. The First Lesson was read by Reverend Rural Dean Pollard, and the Second Lesson by Reverend Rural Dean Neabitt.

The sermon was preached by Rev. A. Elliott, B. A., Rector of Carleton Place, from St. Matthew, IV, 19: "And He saith unto them, follow Me and I will make you fishers of men."

FIRST DAY,

OTTAWA, JUNE 1ST, 1897.

The Holy Communion was celebrated in Christ Church Cathedral at 7.30 A. M., by the Lord Bishop of Ottawa, assisted by Reverend Rural Dean Pollard, Reverend E. A. W. Hanington and Reverend W. M. Loucks.

The offerings at both services were in aid of the Diocesan Mission Fund, and amounted to \$20.22.

Mattins was said in St. John's Church at 9.30 A.M.

CREDENTIALS OF LAY DELEGATES.

Immediately after service a committee consisting of T. M. Clark, H. S. Shaw and W. H. Rowley, the latter appointed by the Lord Bishop to act for the Lay Secretary, who was absent, met in St. John's Hall to receive and examine the certificates of the Lay Delegates.

BUSINESS MEETING.

At 10 A.M. His Lordship took the chair in St. John's Hall and opened the business meeting of the Synod with prayer.

ACTING LAY SECRETARY.

Mr. John Bishop was appointed to act as Lay Secretary in the absence of Mr. Orde.

MEMBERS PRESENT.

The roll of the Clergy and Lay Delegates was called, when 43 Clergymen and 30 Lay Delegates answered to their names.

AUDIT AND ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.

The report of the Audit and Accounts Committee was then presented by the Chairman, Revd. G. J. Low, together with the report of the Auditors, dated May 17th, and their supplementary report.

It was moved by the Revd. G. J. Low, and seconded by Revd. John Osborne,

That the report of the Audit and Accounts Committee, together with the appended report of the Auditors, dated 17th May, and their supplementary report, dated 31st May, be adopted.—Carried. (Appendix B. 1.)

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

CLERICAL SECRETARY.

Moved by Venerable Archdeacon Lauder, and seconded by Rev. M. Gower Poole,

That the Revd. E. A. W. Hanington be elected Clerical Secretary to the Synod.—Carried.

LAY SECRETARY.

Moved by W. H. Rowley, and seconded by W. L. Marler,
That John F. Orde be elected Lay Secretary of the Synod.—Carried.

AUDIT AND ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

Moved by W. H. Rowley, and seconded by C. MacNab,

That W. L. Marler be on the "Audit and Accounts Committee"—Carried.

TREASURER.

The Lord Bishop informed the Synod that since the meeting of the Synod in July last, Mr. W. L. Marler had been obliged to resign the office of Treasurer of the Diocese, and that he had appointed Mr. C. A. Eliot, Treasurer for the balance of the year.

Moved by W. L. Marler, and seconded by C. Macnab,
That C. A. Eliot be elected Treasurer of the Diocese.—Carried.

AUDIT AND ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

Moved by Rev. R. W. Samwell, and seconded by Rev. Rural Dean Bliss,

That Revd. G. J. Lowe and W. H. Berry be members of the Audit and Accounts Committee.—Carried.

MINUTES OF SYNOD CONFIRMED

Moved by the Clerical Secretary, and seconded by John Bishop,

That the minutes of the last day's proceedings of the first session of Synod as printed in the Journal of that session, be confirmed.—Carried.

THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS

His Lordship the Bishop then delivered a most powerful and instructive address. (Appendix A.)

Moved by Revd. Rural Dean Nesbitt and seconded by Rev. G. J. Low,

That the Bishop's address be printed in pamphlet form.—Carried.

It being 1 o'clock, the Synod adjourned until 2.30 P.M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 2.30 p.m. the Synod met again.

DIVISION OF FUNDS

The Chancellor read a full report of the Commissioners appointed last year for the division of the funds and securities of the old Diocese of Ontario, between the Diocese of Ontario and the Diocese of Ottawa. (Appendix C.)

EPISCOPAL ENDOWMENT FUND

Rev. A. Phillips made his report on behalf of the Episcopal Endowment Fund Committee, and moved its adoption, seconded by Judge Senkler.—Carried. (Appendix B.—3.)

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER
WELCOME TO VEN. ARCHDEACON ROE.

Moved by Rev. Rural Dean Bogert, and seconded by Rev. W. H. Stiles,

That the Rules of Order be suspended, and that the Venerable Archdeacon Roe, who is now present, be heartily welcomed to the Synod, and be requested to take a seat on the platform.—Carried.

DIVISION OF FUNDS.

Moved by Mr. E. A. Johnson, and seconded by Rev. A. W. Mackay,

That the discussion of the report of the Commissioners on the Division of the Funds and Investments of the same be postponed until members of the Synod be supplied with printed copies of the Report.—Carried.

REPORT OF ARBITRATION

The Chancellor then read the report of the arbitration between the Synod of Ontario and the Synod of Ottawa, but it was agreed that the report should not be discussed during the absence of Venerable Archdeacon Lauder.

CLERGY SUPERANNUATION FUND

Revd. Rural Dean Pollard made a report on behalf of Clergy Superannuation Fund Committee, and moved its adoption, seconded by Revd. C. Saddington. (Appendix B.—8.)

The Lord Bishop read a letter from Revd. Wm. Fleming, on the subject, and a long discussion took place on the clause which proposed a reduction of \$100 in Rev. Wm. Fleming's grant.

Moved as an amendment to the Revd. Rural Dean Pollard's motion for the adoption of the report, by Mr. E. A. Johnson and seconded by Dr. Powell,

That the report of the Committee on the Clergy Superannuation Fund be referred back to that Committee, with instructions that the sum of \$200 be paid to Revd. Wm. Fleming, instead of \$100.

The amendment was lost on division, and the main motion was then put and carried.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Revd. G. J. Low presented the report of the Committee on Sunday Schools.

Moved by Rev. G. J. Low, and seconded by Rev. R. N. Jones,

That the report of the Committee on Sunday Schools be adopted.—Carried. (Appendix B.—14).

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND

Rev. A. W. Mackay presented the report of the committee on the Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

Moved by Revd. Rural Dean Bogert, and seconded by Mr. J. Macfarlane,

That the report of the Committee on the Widows' and Orphans' Fund be considered clause by clause.—Carried.

During the discussion of this report the Synod adjourned for Evensong, to meet again at 8 p.m.

EVENING SESSION.

At eight o'clock the Lord Bishop again took the chair, and the discussion of the report on the Widows' and Orphans' Fund was resumed. The report was adopted clause by clause, without amendment, and was then adopted as a whole. (Appendix B.—6)

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER
JUBILEE COLLECTION FOR WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND

The Rules of Order were then suspended to allow Revd. Rural Dean Bogert to introduce the following motion :

Moved by Rural Dean Bogert, seconded by Revd. G. J. Low,
That the Widows' and Orphans' Fund Committee be instructed to prepare an appeal to the Churchmen of the Diocese to contribute through the offerings on Sunday, June 20th, to a Jubilee Fund, for the benefit of the Widows and Orphans of the Clergy of the Diocese, and to report during this session of Synod.—Carried.

CLERGY TRUST FUND COMMITTEE

Rural Dean Bogert then presented the report of the Clergy Trust Fund Committee, and moved its adoption clause by clause, seconded by Revd. W. H. Whalley.

During the discussion of the last clause it was moved by Rev. G. Bousfield, and seconded by Mr. T. Macfarlane,

That the report of the Committee on the Clergy Trust Fund be referred back for amendment. That the last annuitant be dealt with as provided under Section 6 of Canon XV, and that correspondence be taken with Kingston with a view to joint action in the case of the last annuitants in each Diocese.—Lost.

The last clause was then adopted, and on motion of Rural Dean Bogert the report was adopted as a whole. (Appendix B.—4)

ARBITRATORS AWARD

The Chancellor's report upon the Arbitration between the Diocese of Ontario and the Diocese of Ottawa was then taken up

and discussed; it was moved by Mr. W. L. Marler, and seconded by Rev. Geo. Scantlebury,

That the report of the Chancellor respecting the Arbitration between the Diocese of Ontario and the Diocese of Ottawa, be adopted, and that a hearty vote of thanks is hereby given to the Chancellor, Rural Dean Bogert, and Mr. J. F. Orde, for their successful labours on our behalf.—Carried. (Appendix D.)

The Synod then adjourned.

SECOND DAY.

OTTAWA, JUNE 2ND, 1897.

Mattins was said in St. John's Church at 9.30 a.m. At 10 a.m. the Lord Bishop took the chair in St. John's Hall and opened the meeting for business with prayer.

The minutes of yesterday's proceedings were read by the Clerical Secretary and confirmed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER

VISIT OF REVD. W. H. SMYTH, OF ONTARIO DIOCESE.

Moved by Revd. M. G. Poole, and seconded by Revd. R. N. Jones,

That the Rules of Order be suspended, and that Revd. W. H. Smyth, of Ontario Diocese, be invited to take a seat on the floor of the House.—Carried.

PRESS COMMITTEE

Revd. Rural Dean Bogert rose to a question of privilege, and called attention to the reporters in the House, asking leave to introduce a motion for the appointment of a press committee. On being put to the House, such leave was refused.

DIVISION OF FUNDS.

Moved by the Chancellor, and seconded by Mr. W. H. Rowley,

That the agreement of the 12th of August, 1896, between the Synods of the Dioceses of Ottawa and Ontario be confirmed, and that the report of the Commissioners of this Synod, dated 18th of May, 1897, and accounts appended, be adopted. Carried. (Appendix C.)

The Chancellor then moved, seconded by Judge Senkler, the adoption of the following Canon :—

WHEREAS, by Section 4 of its Act of Incorporation, this Synod has conferred upon it, within the limits of this Diocese, all powers, rights and privileges which by any statute have been conferred upon the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario: AND WHEREAS, the latter Synod has, by virtue of its Act of Incorporation (Section 1), and of the Act 7 Victoria, Chapter 68, Section 4, the power to make and also to abrogate, repeal, change or alter its constitution, bylaws, rules and regulations, as may be found expedient, and was also, by the Act 39 Victoria, Chapter 109, Section 1, invested with full power and authority to make, and from time to time to amend, such canons, rules, regulations and bylaws as by the said Synod may be considered necessary in the exercise of the powers conferred upon it by its Act of Incorporation, and also for the conduct of its proceedings, etc., and in such other matters as may pertain to the proper and orderly discharge of its business: AND WHEREAS, by Section 3 of its Act of Incorporation the then subsisting Canons of the Synod of the Diocese of Ontario were constituted canons of this Synod (subject to the exceptions therein mentioned), until the same are altered or repealed by this Synod:

BE IT RESOLVED, that Section 7 of Canon II be and the same is hereby repealed.—Carried.

The House then resolved itself into a committee of the whole to consider the Chancellor's motion, respecting the repealing of old and the passage of new Canons.

CONSOLIDATED FUNDS ACCOUNT

The committee adopted, after some amendments, the proposed Canon on the Consolidated Funds Account.

CLERGY TRUST FUND

During the discussion of the proposed Canon on the Clergy Trust Fund, the committee decided to rise, and the Synod resumed its session.

ELECTION OF DELEGATES, ETC.

It being now twelve o'clock, the Lord Bishop declared the election of the Mission Board, delegates to the Provincial Synod, and delegates to the General Synod would be proceeded with.

ELECTION OF SCRUTINEERS

Moved by Revd. W. J. Mucklestone, and seconded by Rural Dean Bogert,

That the Revds. W. H. Stiles and S. D. Hague and Mr. L. Fortier be scrutineers for the Clerical vote for the Mission Board.—Carried.

Moved by Rev. W. J. Muckleston, and seconded by Revd. M. G. Poole,

That Revds. W. H. Green and J. Empringham and Mr. F. A. Hall be scrutineers for the Clerical vote for the General Synod.—Carried.

Moved by Revd. W. J. Mucklestone, and seconded by Revd. Rural Dean Bogert,

That Revds. R. N. Jones and A. H. Whalley and Mr. G. C. Smith be scrutineers for the Clerical vote for the Provincial Synod.—Carried.

On motion, it was then resolved that the following gentlemen be scrutineers for the Lay vote for the Mission Board, the Provincial Synod and the General Synod :

Scrutineers for the Lay vote for the Provincial Synod :
Revd. S. G. Poole and Messrs. E. Mills and E. A. Johnson.

Scrutineers for the Lay vote for the General Synod :
Revd. W. A. E. Butler and Messrs. A. Code and C. Macnab.

Scrutineers for the Lay vote for the Mission Board :
Rev. J. F. Gorman and Messrs. J. A. Houston and Dr. Cranston.

The following members of Synod were then nominated for election to the General Synod :

CLERGYMEN

Venerable Archdeacon Lauder, and Reverends Rural Dean Nesbitt, G. J. Low, Rural Dean Bogert, E. A. W. Hanington, Rural Dean Pollard, W. J. Mucklestone, A. Elliott, A. Phillips.

LAYMEN

Judge Senkler, Col. Matheson, J. P. Whitney, Col. Anderson, The Chancellor, W. H. Rowley, F. W. Avery, J. F. Orde, C. A. Elliot.

The vote for members of the Mission Board and for Delegates to the Provincial and General Synods was then taken by ballot.

The Synod then adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

At 3 p.m. the Lord Bishop again took the chair, when the reports of the Scrutineers were presented as follows:

PROVINCIAL SYNOD LAY DELEGATES

Judge Senkler, Col. Matheson, W. H. Rowley, J. F. Orde, W. L. Marler, C. Macnab, J. Travers Lewis, J. P. Whitney, T. Macfarlane, F. W. Avery, A. Code. E. A. Johnson and Dr. R. W. Powell having an equal number of votes.

SUBSTITUTES.—F. A. Hall, Col. Anderson, C. A. Elliot, J. Bishop, J. G. Higginson.

Mr. E. A. Johnston stated that he wished to retire in favor of Dr. Powell, and the Lord Bishop appointed Dr. Powell as 12th delegate, Mr. E. A. Johnson to be first substitute.

CLERICAL DELEGATES

Venerable Archdeacon Lauder, Revds. Rural Dean Bogert, G. J. Low, Rural Dean Pollard, Rural Dean Nesbitt, A. Elliott, W. J. Mucklestone, E. A. W. Hanington, Rural Dean Houston, Rural Dean Read, Rural Dean Bliss, R. W. Samwell.

SUBSTITUTES.—Revds. A. W. Mackay, A. Phillips, A. H. Coleman, C. Saddington, T. Bailey, W. H. Stiles.

GENERAL SYNOD LAY DELEGATES

Judge Senkler, Col. Matheson, W. H. Rowley.

SUBSTITUTES—J. Travers Lewis, J. P. Whitney. J. F. Orde and F. W. Avery having an equal number of votes.

Moved by Mr. F. A. Hall and seconded by Rev. M. G. Poole;

That in case of the representatives to the General Synod, His Lordship the Bishop shall declare the delegates having an equal number of votes elected in their order alphabetically.—Carried.

The Bishop then declared that Mr. F. W. Avery was the 3rd substitute.

CLERICAL DELEGATES

Venerable Archdeacon Lauder, Revds. Rural Dean Bogert, G. J. Low.

SUBSTITUTES.—Revds. Rural Dean Pollard, W. J. Mucklestone, Rural Dean Nesbitt.

MISSION BOARD

LAY MEMBERS

W. H. Rowley, Judge Senkler, C. Macnab, Thos. Macfarlane, Col. Matheson, F. W. Avery, A. Code, L. W. Howard.

CLERICAL MEMBERS.

Revds. A. Elliott, Rural Dean Read, Rural Dean Houston, Rural Dean Bliss, R. W. Samwell, W. J. Mucklestone, C. Saddington, A. Phillips.

BOARD OF RURAL DEANS

Revd. Rural Dean Bliss then presented the report of the Board of Rural Deans and moved its adoption.—Carried. (Appendix B. 12)

CLERGY TRUST FUND

The Synod then resolved itself into a committee of the whole, to consider the proposed Canon on the "Clergy Trust Fund." The committee rose and reported, and after discussion it was moved by the Chancellor, and seconded by the Lay Secretary :

WHEREAS, by Section 4 of its Act of Incorporation, this Synod has conferred upon it, within the limits of this Diocese, all powers, rights and privileges, which by any statute have been conferred upon the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario : AND WHEREAS, the latter Synod has, by virtue of its Act of Incorporation (Section 1) and of the Act 7 Victoria, Chapter 68, Section 4, the power to make and also to abrogate, repeal, change or alter its constitution, by-laws, rules and regulations, as may be found expedient, and was also, by the Act 39 Victoria, Chapter 109, Section 1, invested with full power and authority to make, and from time to time to amend, such canons, rules, regulations and by-laws as by the said Synod may be considered necessary in the exercise of the powers conferred upon it by its Act of Incorporation, and also for the conduct of its proceedings, etc., and in such other matters as may pertain to the proper and orderly discharge of its business : AND WHEREAS, by Section 3 of its Act of Incorporation, the then subsisting canons of the Synod of the Diocese of Ontario were constituted Canons of this Synod (subject to the exceptions therein mentioned), until the same are altered or repealed by this Synod :

Be it resolved that Canon XV be and the same is hereby repealed.—Carried.

The Chancellor then moved, seconded by the Lay Secretary, the adoption of Canons XIV. A. and XV as amended in committee, which Canons are as follows :

CANON XIV. A.

THE CONSOLIDATED FUNDS ACCOUNT.

WHEREAS, under the agreement respecting the division of funds between the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario and the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa, dated 12th August, 1896, the Commissioners therein named have divided the securities representing the capital of said funds between the said Synods in so far as the same are presently divisible : AND WHEREAS it was found that since the year 1891 the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario had consolidated all the funds under its control (excepting the Episcopal Fund) and had since that date kept the account of the capital and investments representing said funds in one account known as "The Consolidated Fund" : AND WHEREAS, the securities apportioned to this Synod under said agreement are not, therefore, specifically attributable to the several funds so consolidated : BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED :—

1. The several funds (except the Episcopal Fund) mentioned in these Canons, and the securities representing the same, shall be administered, invested and dealt with in future as the same were administered, invested and dealt with by the Synod of the Diocese of Ontario at the date of the division of the said Diocese in 1896, and the account kept thereof shall be known as "the Consolidated Funds Account," similar to the account of "the Consolidated Fund" heretofore kept by the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario, as contained in the reports of the latter Synod since the year 1891.

2. The word "income" in this Canon, and in any Canon relating to the funds administered by this Synod (except the Episcopal Fund), shall mean the pro rata share allowed by the Executive Committee, attributable to each of the said funds, of the interest earned and received in respect of the investments and securities representing the whole capital administered in "the Consolidated Funds Account," after deducting all expenses of management.

CANON XV.

THE CLERGY TRUST FUND.

1. The income of the Clergy Trust Fund shall be managed by a Committee consisting of six Clergymen and six Lay representatives.

2. Subject to the provisions respecting the Fund contained in the agreement made between the Incorporated Synods of the Dioceses of Ontario and Ottawa, dated the 12th August, 1896, the first charges on

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the income of the said Fund shall be the quarterly payment of the stipends of the Clergymen mentioned in the schedule hereto, who commuted with the government, according to the covenants formerly entered into with the said Clergymen.

3. Subject to the foregoing provisions, the income of the Fund, after the payment of the expenses of management, shall be appropriated to the payment by quarterly instalments to the present annuitants on the Fund of the sums set opposite their respective names in the schedule hereto; and, whenever the income permits, then (subject to Section five of this Canon) to the payment similarly to the next senior Clergyman of the Diocese in good standing of an annuity of \$400.00.

4. The seniority of any Clergyman shall be determined by his length of service, which service shall consist of the time during which the said Clergyman shall have been employed in the Diocese of Ottawa, either in priest's or deacon's orders, or (as respects any Clergyman who was thus serving in that part of the original Diocese of Ontario now composing this Diocese at the date of the erection of this Diocese) of the time during which the said Clergyman shall have been employed in this Diocese and previously in the Diocese of Ontario. In the case of any Clergyman who was in that part of the Diocese of Ontario now composing this Diocese at the date of the erection of this Diocese, his service shall be reckoned as commencing on the date of his first appointment by the Bishop of Ontario, and in the case of any other Clergyman, his service shall be reckoned as commencing on the date of his first appointment in writing from the Bishop of this Diocese; but any period during which any Clergyman has ceased to serve, unless he has been superannuated after ten years' service, or has leave of absence for such period from his Bishop, shall be excluded in reckoning such length of service. If a Clergyman leaves the Diocese of Ottawa under a *bene decessit* or without leave of absence, and is again admitted into the Diocese, his name shall be placed at the foot of the list. Any question of seniority which may arise under this Canon shall be decided by the Bishop of this Diocese.

5. When the income of the Fund shall be \$400.00 more than the annual sum required to meet the charges and payments mentioned in Sections 2 and 3 of this Canon, it shall be the duty of the Clerical Secretary to report the existence of such surplus to the Committee at its next meeting, and the Committee may then or thereafter direct that the Clergyman next entitled under this Canon be added to the list of annuitants in the schedule hereto, which list shall be continued from time to time by the Clerical Secretary under the direction of the Committee, and shall be in force as finally approved by the Bishop. Should the income of the Fund, however, be found by the Committee insufficient at any time to meet the charges thereon, and the subsisting an-

nalties, the payment or payments to the annuitant or annuitants last in order on the list shall be discontinued, or diminished by such sum or sums and for such a period as may, in the opinion of the Committee, be requisite.

6. Subject to the other provisions of this Canon, each of the several annuitants mentioned in the schedule hereto or who may hereafter be added to the list, shall continue to receive his annuity so long only as he continues to do duty in the Diocese, or, after having completed ten years' service, is on the Superannuation list thereof, or has leave of absence from the Diocese, or holds office in the Synod; and he shall forfeit all claim to such annuity for any time during which he may be under ecclesiastical censure. Provided that the word "Diocese" in this subsection shall, in the case only of the present annuitants mentioned in the schedule hereto, be deemed to include the Diocese of Ontario as well as the Diocese of Ottawa.

7. No Clergyman while in the possession of an endowed living, yielding a clear income of twelve hundred dollars per annum, shall be placed upon or remain on the list of annuitants. His right to such annuity shall be suspended during the time he may be in possession of such living, but shall revive on his ceasing to be in such possession; and such suspension shall not affect his seniority.

8. The Committee shall have power from time to time to require any annuitant, or Clergyman claiming to be an annuitant, to submit a statement to the Committee as to the amount of income derived from his parochial endowment. In case of non-compliance with such requirement within three months after being notified in the case of an annuitant, he shall forfeit all right to his annuity until he makes such statement, and the arrears during the time he makes default shall not in any event be paid him; and in the case of an applicant, his name shall not, while he is so in default, be placed on the list of annuitants under this Canon in the event of his becoming eligible meanwhile, but he shall be passed over in favor of the next in seniority until he makes such statement.

9. Upon the death of any annuitant, the amount of his annuity shall continue to be paid to his legal representatives for the quarter current at the time of his death, and also for the two quarters thereafter ensuing.

SCHEDULE.

THE COMMUTING CLERGY.

Rev. F. W. Dobbs	\$300 00
Ven. J. S. Lauder	400 00
Rev. C. B. Pettitt*	400 00
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THE ANNUITANTS.

Rev. E. H. M. Baker	\$400 00
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" C. P. Emery	400 00
" Wm. Fleming	400 00
" A. W. Cooke	400 00
" H. Auston	400 00
" A. C. Nesbitt	400 00
" Thos. Garrett	400 00

*Since deceased.

Moved in amendment by Mr. W. L. Marler, and seconded by the Venerable Archdeacon Lauder,

That in Clause 3, Canon XV, after the word appropriated, in the third line, "in the first place to the payment of \$50.00 in half-yearly payments of \$25.00 each, to the Archdeacon, and thereafter."—Lost.

The main motion was then put and carried.

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER.

ADDRESS TO THE QUEEN

The Rules of Order were then suspended to allow the following motion :

Moved by Mr. W. H. Rowley, and seconded by Rev. C. Saddington,

That the Chancellor, Dr. Lauder, Judge Senkler, the Revd. J. J. Bogert, J. F. Orde and the mover and seconder, be a committee to draft and to submit to the Lord Bishop for his concurrence therein, and for adoption subsequently by this Synod, an humble address to the Queen's Most Gracious and Excellent Majesty indicative of the loyalty and attachment of this Synod to Her Majesty, her crown, and person in this the Jubilee and sixtieth year of her distinguished reign.

Carried by a standing vote and singing "God Save the Queen."

It was then moved by the Chancellor, and seconded by the Treasurer,

That Section 1 of Canon IX, be amended by substituting the word "sixteen" for the word "ten," in the fourth line thereof, and by adding the word "six" after the word "twenty" in line two.—Carried.

MISSION BOARD

Venerable Archdeacon Lauder then presented the report of the Mission Board. (Appendix B.—11)

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER

VISIT OF MR. MATTHEW WILSON, Q.C.

The Rules of Order being suspended, it was moved by Col. Matheson, and seconded by Judge Senkler,

That Mr. Matthew Wilson, Q.C., a member of the Synod of the Diocese of Huron, be invited to a seat on the floor of the House.—Carried.

MISSION BOARD

The report of the Mission Board was then taken up clause by clause. In reference to clause 6, it was moved by T. Macfarlane, and seconded by Rev. J. A. Shaw.

That the Clause just read be not approved, and that the proposed extension of Missions in Glengarry is judged to be injudicious by this Synod at the present time.—Lost.

During the further discussion of the Mission Board report, the hour of adjournment arrived and the Synod adjourned for even-song.

THIRD DAY,

OTTAWA, JUNE 3rd, 1897.

MORNING SESSION

Mattins was said in St. John's Church at 9.30 a.m. At 10 a.m. the Lord Bishop took the chair in St. John's Hall and opened the business meeting with prayer. The minutes of yesterday's proceedings were read and confirmed.

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER

VOTE OF THANKS TO THE VEN. ARCHDEACON OF QUEBEC

The Rules of Order being suspended, it was moved by Revd. T. J. Stiles, and seconded by Revd. A. W. Mackay,

That a hearty vote of thanks be tendered by this Synod to the Venerable Archdeacon of Quebec for the attractive and instructive sermon preached in the Cathedral at the service of dedication and installation of the Dean and Chapter.—Carried.

GENERAL BOARD OF MISSIONS

Moved by Rev. Rural Dean Read, and seconded by Revd. S. G. Poole,

That the Dean and Revd. Canon Pollard be the Clerical representatives on the General Board of Missions.—Carried.

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* EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE—GENERAL SYNOD.

Moved by C. Macnab, and seconded by E. D. Boyd,
That W. R. Wright and Col. Matheson be members of the Executive Committee of the General Synod.—Carried.

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER
NOTICES OF MOTION

The Rules of Order were then suspended to allow of the following notices of motion :

1. By the Revd. W. J. Moody,
That His Lordship be requested to appoint a committee to interview the Insurance Companies with a view to obtaining favorable terms for the insurance of Churches and Church property.
2. By Venerable Archdeacon Bogert,
That a committee shall be appointed whose duties shall be to prepare or supervise reports for the press.
3. By Revd. J. A. Shaw,
Notice of motion defining and explaining the duties of Church Wardens.

WELCOME TO THE MOST REVD. THE ARCHBISHOP OF RUPERTS LAND AND PRIMATE
OF CANADA.

The Dean here announced that the Most Reverend the Archbishop of Ruperts Land and Primate of Canada was present. His Grace was at once invited to a seat on the platform.

The Lord Bishop in a few words expressed the joy and pleasure which it gave to the Synod to have His Grace present.

His Grace addressed the Synod, congratulating it upon the formation of the new Diocese of Ottawa, and upon the election of his old friend as the first Bishop. His Grace also expressed his great pleasure at having been present at the service of dedication of the Cathedral last evening, and at the close of his address bestowed his solemn blessing upon the members of the Synod.

PARISH BOUNDARIES

Mr. L. M. Fortier presented his report upon "Parish Boundaries." The House decided to discuss its adoption at a later date. (Appendix B. 22.)

MISSION BOARD

The discussion of the Mission Board report clause by clause was then resumed. Dean Lauder, chairman, requested permission of the House to withdraw Clause VI, which permission being given, the clause was withdrawn.

Moved by Revd. R. W. Samwell, and seconded by Judge Senkler,

That the report be referred back to the Mission Board for the purpose of taking "Cobden" out of Class IV and placing it in Class V, on the understanding that it be placed in Class IV next year.—Carried.

The Dean then moved the adoption of the report as a whole and as thus amended.—Carried. (Appendix B.—11.)

The Synod then adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MISSIONS

After lunch, Revd. Canon Pollard presented the report of the Domestic and Foreign Mission Fund Committee, and moved its adoption.—Carried. (Appendix B. 10.)

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER

MISSION FUND, DIOCESE OF ALGOMA

The Rules of Order being suspended, the Clerical Secretary moved the following resolution, seconded by C. A. Eliot.

That the sum of \$200 per annum, being half the sum formerly given by the Diocese of Ontario towards the stipend of the Lord Bishop of Algoma, be given towards the Mission Fund of the Diocese of Algoma, and that this sum be made first charge on money received for Domestic Missions by the Hon. Treasurer of the Domestic and Foreign Mission Fund.—Carried.

DIOCESAN TREASURER OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MISSION FUND

Moved by the Clerical Secretary, and seconded by the Treasurer,

That the Clerical Secretary having expressed his desire to resign the office of "Hon. Diocesan Treasurer of the Domestic and Foreign Mission Fund," his resignation be accepted, and that M. W. Maynard, Esq., be elected as Hon. Diocesan Treasurer of the Domestic and Foreign Mission Fund.—Carried.

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QUEBEC SCHEME

On motion of Revd. Canon Pollard, the House went into committee of the whole to consider the "Quebec Scheme."

VISIT OF THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND LADY ABERDEEN.

During the discussion, Their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberdeen, accompanied by Mr. Erskine, A.D.C. and Mr. W. T. S. Hewitt, entered the Hall and were invited to seats on the platform. The Lord Bishop, in the name of the Synod, tendered Their Excellencies a cordial welcome, and at the Bishop's invitation, His Excellency addressed the Synod, expressing their Excellencies' pleasure at being present and congratulating the members of the Church upon the formation of the new Diocese.

At His Excellency's request business was then resumed and their Excellencies remained for a short time during the discussion.

After discussion the committee rose, and it was moved by Revd. Canon Pollard, and seconded by Revd. A. Phillips,

That this Synod, having considered the By-laws founded on the Quebec scheme submitted to it, approves of the same as amended, and recommends its adoption by the Mission Board.—Carried. (Appendix G).

"CONSOLIDATED FUND INTEREST ACCOUNT," and
COMBERMERE PARSONAGE FUND

The Clerical Secretary presented the financial statement of the "Consolidated Fund Interest Account," and the financial statement of the "Combermere Parsonage Fund," both of which were duly signed by the Auditors. On motion these financial statements were adopted. (Appendix B—2)

The Synod then adjourned until 8 p.m. Evensong was said in St. John's Church at 5.30 p.m.

EVENING SESSION.

The Synod met again for business at 8 p. m.

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

The Registrar presented his annual report, and moved its adoption, seconded by Rev. R. N. Jones.—Carried. (Appendix E)

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER

VISIT OF HON. G. W. ALLEN, CHANCELLOR OF TRINITY UNIVERSITY

The Rules of Order being suspended, the Hon. G. W. Allen, Chancellor of Trinity University, who was present, was invited to a seat on the platform, and at the request of the Bishop, addressed the Synod on the subject of Trinity University. The Bishop also spoke a few words on the same subject.

OTTAWA EPISCOPAL ENDOWMENT FUND.

Dean Lauder presented the report of the Committee on the uncollected balance of the Ottawa Episcopal Endowment Fund, and moved its adoption.—Carried. (Appendix B.—21.)

RECTORY LANDS FUND.

Rev. R. B. Waterman presented the report of the Rectory Lands Fund Committee, and moved its adoption, seconded by Rev. W. J. Muckleston.—Carried. (Appendix B.—5.)

STATE OF THE CHURCH

Rev. A. W. Mackay presented the report of the "Committee on the State of the Church," and moved its adoption, seconded by the Clerical Secretary.—Carried. (Appendix B.—13.)

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Treasurer presented his report on the state of the Diocesan Funds, and moved its adoption, seconded by the Registrar.—Carried. (Appendix F.)

"DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND."

Very Reverend Dean Lauder presented the report of the Divinity Students' Fund Committee, and moved its adoption.—Carried. (Appendix B.—7.)

"DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND COLLECTION."

Moved by Venerable Archdeacon Bogert, and seconded by the Very Revd. The Dean,

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That offerings in aid of the Divinity Students' Fund be made on Ash Wednesday in every church, and at every station in which services are held; and at week day services during Lent, when practicable.—Carried.

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MOUNTAIN MEMORIAL CANONRY

The Clerical Secretary, in absence of Revd. S. G. Poole, presented the report of the Committee on the "Mountain Memorial Canonry," and moved its adoption.—Carried. (Appendix B.—15.)

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WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND

Venerable Archdeacon Bogert presented the report of the Widows' and Orphans' Committee, containing the draft of the proposed appeal for a special Jubilee collection to augment the capital of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund.—Carried. (Appendix B.—6)

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"DECEASED MEMBERS OF SYNOD."

Revd. W. M. Loucks presented the report of the Committee on deceased members of the Synod, and moved its adoption.—Carried. (Appendix B.—16)

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION.

The Lay Secretary (in absence of the chairman) presented the report of the Committee on "Religious Education," and moved its adoption, seconded by Venerable Archdeacon Bogert. — Carried. (Appendix B.—19.)

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FINANCE COMMITTEE

Rev. R. W. Samwell presented the report of the Finance Committee, and moved its adoption.—Carried. (Appendix B.—9.)

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CONFIRMING OF CANONS

Moved by Judge Senkler, and seconded by F. W. Avery,
That application be made to the Legislature of Ontario for the passage of an Act confirming all Canons or Amendments of Canons passed at the last and present Sessions of this Synod.—Carried.

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METROPOLITAN SEE

Moved by the Chancellor, and seconded by Revd. R. W. Samwell,

That the Lord Bishop be requested to appoint a Committee to consider and report to the Executive Committee and the Synod the terms of such a compact between the Synod of this Diocese and the House of Bishops in this Province, as may secure to the House of Bishops the power of electing their President and Metropolitan, and by which the Diocese of Ottawa shall in the future be secured in the distinction of being the Metropolitan See of the Province.—Carried.

Moved by the Lay Secretary and seconded by the Chancellor, WHEREAS, by Section 4 of its Act of Incorporation, this Synod has conferred upon it, within the limits of this Diocese, all powers, rights and privileges which by any statute have been conferred upon the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario: AND WHEREAS, the latter Synod has, by virtue of its Act of Incorporation (Section 1) and of the Act 7 Victoria, Chapter 68, Section 4, the power to make and also to abrogate, repeal, change or alter its constitution, by-laws, rules and regulations, as may be found expedient, and was also, by the Act 39 Victoria, Chapter 109, Section 1, invested with full power and authority to make, and from time to time to amend, such canons, rules, regulations and by-laws as by the said Synod may be considered necessary in the exercise of the powers conferred upon it by its Act of Incorporation and also for the conduct of its proceedings, etc., and in such other matters as may pertain to the proper and orderly discharge of its business: AND WHEREAS, by Section 3 of its Act of Incorporation the then subsisting Canons of the Synod of the Diocese of Ontario were constituted Canons of this Synod (subject to the exceptions therein mentioned), until the same are altered or repealed by this Synod:

That Canon XVI be and the same is hereby repealed.—Carried.

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND

On motion the House went into a Committee of the Whole to consider the proposed Canon on the Widows' and Orphans' Fund, introduced by the Lay Secretary. After much discussion the proposed Canon was somewhat amended, and the Committee reported to Synod.

Moved by the Lay Secretary, and seconded by the Chancellor,

That the proposed Canon on the Widows' and Orphans' Fund as reported by the Committee of the Whole be and the same is hereby adopted, the Canon reading as follows:—

CANON XVI.

THE WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND

1. There shall be a Committee, consisting of five Clerical and five Lay members of the Synod, to superintend and manage the income of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

2. The income of the said fund shall consist of the pro rata share of the interest on the capital of "The Widows' and Orphans' Fund" administered by the Synod in the 'Consolidated Funds Account,' as defined in Canon XIV A, for the benefit of the Widows and Orphans of Clergymen of the Diocese, and of the revenue mentioned in the following paragraphs hereof.

3. A sermon shall be preached and a collection made annually by every Clergyman holding a Cure in this Diocese (save and except in such cases of sickness or absence from his Parish or Mission as the Bishop allows as sufficient cause) on the fifth Sunday in Lent, or one of the two following Sundays, in every Church in which service is celebrated on that day, and in every other Church, Chapel or Mission Station in each Cure in which Sunday services are held as soon after the said Sunday as the Incumbent of such Parish or Mission finds practicable; and the proceeds of such collection shall be sent by the Clergyman to the Clerical Secretary of the Synod immediately after the taking up of the same, and shall be placed by him to the credit of the said fund.

4. Pursuant to the agreement between the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario, and the Incorporated Synod of this Diocese, dated the 12th August, 1896, all the Widows and Orphans who were entitled to the annuities from the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the former Diocese of Ontario on the 30th day of April, A.D. 1896, under Canon XVI of the said Diocese as then in force, are hereby declared to have been since the said date, and shall be hereafter, entitled to be paid from time to time (either directly or through the Incorporated Synod of the present Diocese of Ontario, as may be arranged between the officers of the respective Synods) from the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of this Diocese, one half of the amount of such annuities as shall be payable to them from time to time under the Canons of the Diocese of Ontario and of this Diocese.

5. Every Clergyman of the former Diocese of Ontario who was a subscriber to the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the said Diocese on the 30th day of April, A.D. 1896, and who had not on or before said date forfeited his claims upon the said Fund of the said Diocese of Ontario under Section 6 of Canon XVI of said Diocese as then in force, and who immediately subsequent to the said 30th day of April, A.D. 1896, held a Cure of Souls in the Diocese of Ottawa, or held office in the Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa, or was a Curate within the Diocese of Ottawa, or whose name was on the Synod list of the Diocese of Ottawa, shall be deemed to have been in good standing within the meaning of this Canon as of the 1st day of May, A.D. 1896. Provided however, that any Clergyman who was in arrears for subscriptions, but who had not forfeited his claim on the said Fund under Section 6 of Canon XVI aforesaid, shall forfeit all claim on the Widows' and

Orphans' Fund of this Diocese under this Canon unless said arrears are paid to the Clerical Secretary of this Diocese within six months from the passing of this Canon.

6. The right of the Widow and Orphan children of a deceased Clergyman to participate in the benefit of said Fund, shall be conditional upon such deceased Clergyman having during his lifetime complied with the requirements of this Canon, and paid annually into the said Fund the sum of Five dollars with all arrears as herein provided, dating, if he were in the Diocese of Ontario on the 25th day of March, A.D. 1862, from that date, or if admitted to, or ordained in the Diocese of Ontario, between the said date and the first day of May, A.D. 1896, from the date of such admission or ordination (with interest at six per centum per annum, upon all such arrears from the date when the same respectively fell due, or if in good standing on the 1st day of May, A.D. 1896, as provided in section 5 of this Canon, since the 1st day of May, A.D. 1896, or if admitted to or ordained in this Diocese since said last mentioned date, then from the date of his ordination, unless he satisfies the Committee of his inability to pay such arrears in which event he shall be excused from payment of such portion thereof as the Committee may deem advisable.

7. Any Clergyman not in arrears to the said Fund may commute his annual subscription by one payment of fifty dollars, to be placed by the Clerical Secretary to the credit of the said Fund; and every Clergyman so commuting shall be released from any further subscriptions or payments.

8. In case a Clergyman neglects to pay his annual subscription for two years at any time, the Clerical Secretary shall notify him that he has forfeited all claim on the said Fund; if, however, he at any time afterward pays to the Clerical Secretary the sum of five dollars for each year, during which the same has remained unpaid, together with interest at the rate of six per centum per annum on each year's subscription in default, up to the time of payment, he shall be entitled to all the benefits of the Fund in the same manner as if the annual subscription had been regularly paid by him.

9. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the Widow or Orphan children of a Clergyman holding an office in the Synod, or duly licensed or recognized by the Bishop as a curate, from participating in the benefits of the Fund, although no annual collection has been made by him during such time.

10. In addition to those auxiliants who are entitled to receive payments from the said Fund under section 4 of this Canon, the Widow and Children of every Clergyman in good standing, who at the time of his death is duly licensed to the Cure of souls in this Diocese, or holds

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office in the Synod, or is a Curate, or whose name is on the Synod list, and who has complied with the requirements of this Canon, shall (if the income of the Fund be sufficient) be entitled to the annuities hereinafter in this Canon provided for.

11. Every Widow or the guardian of the Orphans of a Clergyman desiring an annuity from the Fund, shall present to the Committee, through the Clerical Secretary, a memorial setting forth the date of the death of the Clergyman, the name of his Widow, or of the guardian, as the case may be, and the names and ages of his Children; and such memorial shall be taken into consideration by the Committee at its next meeting after the receipt thereof; and if it appears that the deceased Clergyman has complied with the requirements of this Canon, the Committee shall, if the Fund suffices, make a grant to such Widow not exceeding the annual sum of \$200 during widowhood, and the annual sum of \$40 to each Orphan under the age of eighteen years and unmarried.

12. In the event of a Clergyman leaving no Widow, or in the case of the Widow dying, leaving Orphans under the age of eighteen years and unmarried, the annuities to the Orphans shall be doubled, but in no case shall the sum granted to the Orphans of any one family exceed the annual sum of \$160.

13. The several annuities shall be payable in equal quarterly payments on the first days of January, April, July and October to the Widow or Guardian, and the first of such payments shall include the arrears of annuity due from the day of the death of the Clergyman.

14. Every annuitant on the Widows' and Orphans' Fund shall, before he or she may be paid his or her quarterly annuity, make one of the following declarations in the presence of a neighboring Clergyman, who shall duly attest the same:—

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY A WIDOW.

I, (name)..... (residence) do hereby solemnly declare that I am the widow of the late Rev..... of, and that I am entitled to an annuity from the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa.

Signed and declared before me }
this.....day of..... }
A.D. 18 , at..... }

[Signature].

(Signed), U.D.

(Residence and addition.)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY THE MOTHER OR GUARDIAN OF ORPHANS

I, (name) (residence) do hereby solemnly declare that I am the mother (or duly appointed guardian), of the Children of the late Rev. of whose names and ages are respectively written below, and that they are entitled to an annuity from the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa.

Signed and declared before me } this day of } A.D. 18 , at

[Signature].

(Signed), C. D.

(Residence and addition.)

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15. Save and except as provided by this Canon, no Widow or Orphan of any Clergyman who might otherwise have been entitled to a claim upon the Fund of the Diocese of Ontario prior to the division thereof on the 1st day of May, A.D. 1896, shall be entitled to any claim upon the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of this Diocese.—Carried.

Moved by Revd. J. F. Gorman and seconded by the Revd. Geo. Bousfield,

That His Lordship be requested to appoint a committee to consider the state of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund, and devise a scheme for its support and maintenance, and to report to next Synod, such report to have precedence.—Carried.

Moved by the Lay Secretary, and seconded by the Chancellor,

That the amendments to Canon VIII, passed by the last session of Synod, and printed at page 24 of the Synod Journal for 1896, be and the same are hereby confirmed.—Carried.

NOVEMBER COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Moved by the Clerical Secretary, and seconded by Rural Dean Bliss,

That Canon VIII, Section 2, be amended by appending thereto the following words: When Thanksgiving Day falls within the week appointed for the holding of the November Committee meetings, the meetings may be called for the preceding or following week, at the discretion of the Bishop.—Carried.

CHURCH, BIBLE AND PRAYER BOOK SOCIETY

Moved by Revd. R. W. Samwell, and seconded by Revd. A. Phillips,

That the Bishop be requested to appoint a committee authorized and empowered by the Synod of Ottawa to arrange with an agent to devote six weeks in every year to making the S. P. C. K. known in the Parishes of this Diocese as the Church Bible and Prayer Book Society, and to promoting the sale and circulation of Literature on Church lines, and the establishment, when feasible, of a Branch Depository of the S. P. C. K. in the City of Ottawa. That assuming the number of subscribers who may be induced to contribute \$1 per annum to the S. P. C. K. will provide the larger part, if not all, of the agent's stipend, the Committee is hereby authorized to obtain guarantors, who shall formally bind themselves to pay PRO RATA to the amounts for which they sign, a sum not exceeding \$200 to meet any difference between the sums raised by the Agent and the stipend of \$1,350, it being understood that the agent is undertaking to devote a proportion of each year to like work on like terms in the Dioceses of Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, and probably Ontario.—Carried.

STATE OF THE CHURCH

Moved by Revd. Rural Dean Bliss, and seconded by the Clerical Secretary,

That Canon XXIII as printed in the Book of Canons, Diocese of Ontario, and adopted by the Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa at its first session, be amended by striking out all the words after "Executive Committee" in Section 2, fourth line, and substituting the following:—

"Which form shall be filled by each Clergyman for the year ending the twenty-fifth day of April, and he shall be responsible for placing it in the hands of his Rural Dean before the first day of May."

3. The Rural Dean shall, with the Clergy in Chapter, read over each report and make sure that each enquiry is filled up on one and the same principle, and that each return is accurate.

4. The Rural Dean shall prepare a report on the state of the Church within the Deanery, founded upon the returns of the Clergy, and the information obtained at the Chapter meeting in May, and elsewhere.

5. The Rural Dean shall be responsible for forwarding, on or before the twelfth day of May, the returns of the Clergy and his own report on the state of the Church in the Deanery to the Clerical Secretary, for the use of the Committee on the state of the Church in the Diocese, and also of the Mission Board.

6. A Committee on the state of the Church in the Diocese shall be appointed annually, consisting of four Lay representatives, and all the Rural Deans.

7. This Committee shall present annually to the Synod a report on the state and progress of the Church in the Diocese as shown by the returns of the Clergy in each Deanery and the report of each Rural Dean.—Carried.

Moved by the Archdeacon of Ottawa, and seconded by Mr. E. A. Johnson,

That the thanks of the Synod are hereby tendered to Mrs. Samuel Mooney, of East Hawkesbury, for her liberal donation of fifty dollars to the Mission Fund.—Carried.

Moved by Canon Pollard, and seconded by Revd. T. J. Stiles,

That a hearty vote of thanks be and is hereby tendered to the Chancellor, the Hon. Judge Senkler, and W. H. Rowley, Esq., the Commissioners appointed in connection with the division of the funds, for the able manner in which they have discharged their duties, and for the time and trouble expended by them in connection with this division.—Carried.

Moved by Rev. W. E. A. Butler, and seconded by Mr. A. Code,

That the thanks of this Synod be and hereby are tendered to the city newspapers and their representatives for the very full and careful reports of the proceedings of Synod, and to the Ottawa Free Press for the free distribution of fifty copies of the paper each day amongst the members of the Synod.—Carried.

Moved by the Very Revd. the Dean, and seconded by Canon Nesbitt,

That a hearty vote of thanks be and is hereby tendered to Mr. J. F. Orde for the very courteous and able manner in which he has discharged the duties of Lay Secretary.—Carried.

Moved by Revd. R. B. Waterman, and seconded by Revd. R. L. Houston,

That the thanks of the Synod are due to the people of Ottawa for their kind hospitality extended to the members of this Synod.—Carried.

Moved by Revd. W. H. Stiles, and seconded by the Revd Rural Dean Scantlebury,

That the thanks of this Synod be given to Mr. Steele, organist of St. John's Church, for his efficient services as organist at the daily services; also to the organist and choir of Christ Church Cathedral for their assistance at the opening services.—Carried.

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The Lord Bishop then announced the appointment of the Standing Committees and Provisional Committees. See pages 7-11.

The report of the Executive Committee was presented by the Clerical Secretary. (Appendix B—1.) After which the Synod prorogued, being dismissed with the Bishop's blessing.

SECOND SESSION.

APPENDICES.

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The Bishop's Address delivered at the opening of the Synod.

My Reverend Brethren and My Brethren of the Laity,—

We have already in the Church's great act of thanksgiving offered up to God our humble, grateful acknowledgements for enabling us to settle harmoniously and happily, and at the same time wisely and well, the numerous questions and difficulties attending the erection of Ottawa into a SEE of the Church of England in Canada, and the separation of its financial interests from those of the Mother Diocese of Ontario. One of your first and most agreeable acts in this Synod will be to put on record your sense of the excellent service rendered to the Church in this Diocese by those faithful and efficient men, in whose hands you placed the responsible and laborious task of carrying into effect the conditions and principles on which it had been agreed that the financial interests of Ontario and Ottawa should be divided. They will present their report, so that there is no occasion or room for me to do more than testify that they have spared neither their days nor their nights nor themselves in promoting our fair and righteous claims.

The Treasurer of the Diocese, Mr. W. L. MARLER, manager of the Merchants' Bank in Ottawa, who on being chosen by the Synod last July to fill the office of Treasurer of the Diocese, kindly entered at once upon its responsibilities and duties, handed to me his resignation on 15th October, because the Bank authorities did not consider it well that they should have the care of our account, and their manager in Ottawa at the same time act as our Treasurer. There being no appeal from this decision, I accepted very reluctantly Mr. Marler's resignation, tendering to him on your behalf my high appreciation of his services, and my great regret that the Diocese should lose his valued abilities and large and long experience.

Acting upon the powers entrusted to me as Bishop under section 5 of Canon II, I at once appointed Mr. C. A. Elliot, of the City of Ottawa, in the room of Mr. Marler, and he has acted as Treasurer, devoting his time without stint to the affairs of the Diocese. He will in due course present to you his report. It will rest with the Synod at this session to appoint a Treasurer, as Canon II authorizes the Bishop to fill the vacancy only until the next meeting of the Synod.

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ORDINATIONS.

On Sunday, the 13th December last, in the Church of the HOLY TRINITY at Hawkesbury, I admitted to Deacons' orders, Mr. William P. Garrett, graduate of McGill College, Montreal, and to Priests' orders the Reverend Frank William Ritchie, and the Reverend Thomas Henry Lloyd, both graduates of Bishops' College, Lennoxville. On Sunday, 21st December, I ordained to the Diaconate in St. George's Church, in Ottawa, Mr. Walter John Southam.

On Sunday, 16th May, in the Chapel of Trinity College, Toronto, I ordained to the Diaconate Mr. Edward Albert Anderson, graduate of Trinity College, Dublin, who had just completed his Divinity Course in Trinity College, Toronto, and the Reverend James Douglas McCallum, who had just graduated and passed through the Divinity Course in Trinity College, Toronto. Messrs. Garrett, Lloyd, Anderson and McCallum will submit themselves next October to the Voluntary Preliminary Examination before the Examiners under the Canon of Divinity Degrees, enacted by the Synod of this Ecclesiastical Province.

APPOINTMENTS.

During the year closing on 25th April I have appointed the Reverend John Fisher to the Parish of Ashton; the Reverend D'Arcy Thomas Clayton to Manotick.

LICENSES.

I have licensed the Reverend Walter John Southam to be curate of St. George's Church, Ottawa; the Reverend James Empringham to the Mission of Winchester; the Reverend William P. Garrett to the Mission of Douglas, Admaston, Grattan, Clontarf, and the stations on the O. A. & P. S. Railway; the Reverend John Norris Hunter to the Mission of Vankleek Hill; the Rev. Robert Orr to Navan; the Rev. William J. Moody to Beachburg; the Rev. C. F. Lowe to Tennyson; the Rev. W. Y. Daykin to Janeville; the Rev. Frederic W. Squire to Ottawa East; the Rev. E. A. Anderson to Mattawa; the Rev. J. D. McCallum as "locum tenens" at Tennyson, during Rev. C. F. Lowe's absence in England.

LAY READERS.

I have licensed as Lay Readers Mr. George E. Fletcher, under Rev. J. Arthur Shaw, in the Parish of Cobden; Mr. William Whalley at Eau Claire; Mr. Wallace James Hammond under Rev. A. H. Coleman, Arran; Mr. Allan Napier McNeill under Rev. D'Arcy T. Clayton; Dr. R. W. Powell under Rev. J. F. Gorman; Mr. Esca Brooke Daykin under Rev. W. Y. Daykin; Mr. Henry Beaumont Small and Mr. Wm. Frederick King, and Mr. Wm. Henry Morgan under Rev. J. M. Snowdon; Mr. James Fletcher under Rev. F. W. Squire.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

I have granted leave of absence to the Reverend J. F. Snowdon, on account of feeble health, for 12 months; to the Rev. C. F. Lowe for 6 months to visit England, and to Rev. John Fisher for 2 months, also to visit England; to Rev. J. F. Gorman to visit England, and to the Venerable Archdeacon Lauder for three months.

LETTERS DISMISSORY.

I have given letters dismissory to Rev. T. H. Lloyd, addressed to the Bishop of Quebec, and to Rev. F. Newham, addressed to the Archbishop of Ontario.

RECEIVED INTO THE DIOCESE.

I have received Rev. John Fisher on letters testimonial from the Executive Authority of the Archbishop of Ontario and the Rev. John N. Hunter from the Bishop of Quebec.

✓ CLERGY NOT IN ACTIVE WORK.

The Rev. Wm. Fleming, the Rev. J. Frazer, and Rev. W. Mercer are on the list of retired clergy of this Diocese.

CONFIRMATIONS.

During the year ending 25th April, the date of all our statistical returns from each Parish, and including therefore, the number reported to the Synod in July last, 1,459 have received the blessing of the Lord in answer to prayer, and through the laying on of hands in Confirmation. Of these, 670 were males and 852 were females, and 188 were brought up outside the Church of England. Confirmation has been administered on 84 occasions.

I desire to hold up to all Parents, and Godfathers and Godmothers, and to the Clergy in particular, the rich reward which awaits the faithful and thorough and loving preparation of their young people for Confirmation. The opportunity is large and favorable and attractive, and never recurs. If the preparation of heart and mind is made devoutly and intelligently, the effects can hardly fail to be recognized all through life. No two candidates are exactly alike in their attainments and experience. The home life and its associations and influences have probably been very different for each. It is accordingly very difficult for any clergyman to do justice to any large number of young people at once. Ample time is needed not only for the candidate, but for the Clergyman.

Our Sunday schools and their senior classes should be so arranged as to lead up to the preparation for confirmation. And, my Brethren of the Laity, your homes ought to be so ordered that life in them from day to day all through the years of childhood should be in continuous anticipation of and preparation for Confirmation, with its high and holy gift of the Blessed Sanctifier to be not merely with, but in your sons and daughters.

DAY SCHOOLS.

Mr. Lawrence H. Baldwin of Toronto is keeping before the public of Ontario the great advantages and the feasibility of allowing each Christian Body under certain conditions to have its own day schools with their share of the public money in proportion to the results, as tested by government examiners.

The minds of our people need much information and aid in this most important subject. Are we, my Brethren, in our several positions, doing all we might do to set the vital question of religious instruction in our own day schools intelligently before the community. I do not look for any rapid movement towards separate schools for each denomination, but I am persuaded that there is no other way of securing religious education for our children, and religious education will be insisted on by our people sooner or later.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

So long as our Sunday schools afford us our only opportunity of giving religious instruction to our children, we must put forth persistent and unsparing efforts to make them as effective as we possibly can. I would appeal to our laymen to come to the help of the Church by offering themselves as teachers in our Sunday Schools. I appeal to my Reverend Brethren to secure at almost any cost, 15 minutes at least every Sunday for each Sunday school in their Parishes, so that they may catechize the children and afford their teachers an opportunity of seeing how definite and exact instruction on religion should be imparted to the children.

I have large confidence in teaching the young and the old also definitely and distinctly by questions and answers. I dread the mischief which is being done almost everywhere by pouring over children a stream of vague, inaccurate talk about religion, drawn from the papers and periodicals of the day.

The Inter-Diocesan Sunday School Committee appointed by the Provincial Synod, have requested the Bishops to recommend their clergy to make use of the Canadian Church Sunday School Lessons prepared by this Committee, on which each Diocese is represented. This syllabus of lessons on the Bible and Prayer Book, which is issued annually, secures that all our children shall be following from Sunday to Sunday the same portions of the Bible and of the Prayer Book. It is left to each clergyman to select his own text book explanatory of the Catechism.

I have no hesitation in advising you to adopt the St. Paul's series, which was endorsed by our late Metropolitan, Dr. Medley, the Bishop of Fredericton. It has been recommended also by the Right Rev. Dr. Doane, the Bishop of Albany, to our Brethren of the Sister Church in the United States, and by the late Dean of St. Paul's Cathedral, London.

This same Inter-Diocesan Committee provides an examination for both teachers and pupils. The examination is held annually in Advent, in every parish in which four candidates may present themselves, and suitable diplomas are given to each according to his or her proficiency.

You will find yourselves, my Reverend Brethren, amply rewarded if you can aid some of your teachers and scholars to prepare for this examination year by year in Advent. The effects will show themselves in the new life and interest and the more accurate, definite instruction which will characterize your Sunday schools. A Sunday school in which even four persons obtain a diploma each year, will soon lift itself up into a bright and happy position, affording you an effective and attractive instrument for the religious instruction of your children. The committee most reasonably ask for a small sum of 25 cents per annum from each Sunday School to enable them to meet their expenditure on printing and diplomas and prizes. The money may be paid through the Diocesan Secretary Treasurer.

MISSIONARY MEETINGS.

These ought to be, as they certainly might be made far more attractive and effective than they are.

Those who are appointed on deputations to our Congregations should make it a matter of conscience to prepare and go through the work assigned to them in the most faithful and thorough manner possible. Not powerful and eloquent appeals, but definite information is needed. Our people will respond to facts. They grow hard and indifferent under rhetorical addresses to their feelings. When anyone sent on deputation work fails for any reason to be present at the meeting in a Parish, he does more to weaken the cause of Missions among the people than he is likely to undo by many addresses. The bare possibility that a congregation may be tempted to think that the clergy are not much interested, and may be indifferent about the Church's missionary work both at home and abroad, ought to make every one of us determined to make full preparation in good season to secure a large attendance, and to promote the punctuality and brightness and interest of every meeting. Much labor and time are necessarily expended on our Missionary Meetings all over the Diocese. The labor and the time are in large measure lost, or at least wasted, for lack of thorough and careful preparation, and a warm personal interest in the great project. Let us resolve, Brethren, to make our missionary meetings all that we certainly can make them, a bright and interesting occasion in the life of each Parish, an occasion to which our people will look forward year by year.

LAY HELPERS' ASSOCIATION.

In almost every address to those about to be confirmed, I seek to impress upon them and the congregation, that all Christians are, as

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such, servants of JESUS CHRIST, and bound to take a personal interest in His work in this world, and to be busy for HIM and HIS Church. At the time I doubt not many resolve, that they will seek to take up some department of church work. Now I desire to indicate to my Reverend Brethren, that an Association of Lay Helpers in each congregation might be of the greatest practical value, in strengthening and directing this resolution, which in not a few cases fades out and vanishes away for lack of encouragement and opportunity. Such associations as I suggest, have been found to be most serviceable, not only in the great city of London, where a vast amount of excellent work is being done by some 6,000 Lay Helpers, but in our own Canadian Dioceses and congregations. The conditions and rules of membership should be very simple, binding all to ask God's blessing on the Association once every Sunday, and to unite in their own church in the Holy Communion on some one Sunday in each year with all the members of the several associations in all our Parishes. When a sufficient number of congregations have formed the Parochial Association of Lay Helpers, they will naturally organize a Diocesan Association, and the Sunday on which all should meet in the highest and most blessed ordinance of our Holy Religion will be agreed upon. All without exception are sensible of the influence of numbers and union in any effort. We have numbers of Lay Helpers in all our congregations, but we have not the union. They are not banded together in such a way as to exhibit their strength. If our Church Wardens, and Lay Representatives, and Sunday school teachers, and the members of our choirs, and District visitors and Collectors for our Parochial and Diocesan and Missionary Funds, and the Brotherhood Men of St. Andrew, were all formed into an Association of Lay Helpers in each congregation, many would be surprised by the number. All would be encouraged and strengthened. I shall welcome the day when a sufficient number of Associations have been formed to warrant the organization of a Diocesan Association of Lay Helpers.

LAY READERS' LEAGUE IN THE DIOCESE OF OTTAWA.

I have formed the Lay Readers who hold the Bishop's License into a League, with the view of placing them in a position to be more accessible to the clergy—to be of service to the Bishop in opening and strengthening new centres of work and in the hope of creating amongst them an "esprit de corps" such as may render them more effective.

STATISTICS AND THEIR BEARING ON APPOINTMENTS TO VACANT PARISHES.

It is right that all should know that the Bishop is influenced by the Statistics of each Parish. It is accordingly very important that the clergy and churchwardens should from week to week keep such a book and make such entries in it as will enable them to fill in with accuracy the returns required of them by the Synod at the close of each

year. It is also very important that the Rural Dean and his chapter should go carefully over the return from each congregation so as to make sure that the same principle is followed by all in arriving at the figures which are entered in each column of the returns. The Bishop is well aware of all that may be advanced as to the misleading nature of statistical returns. He is also fully sensible that the highest influences and the most blessed and enduring results of the best work in a Parish cannot be reduced to figures or exhibited in tabulated statements. The Bishop will always bear in mind that aptness to teach and spiritual gifts and high attainments ought to influence powerfully his estimate of men. No ability to serve tables, no devotion to the temporalities of a Parish can compensate for the absence of the more excellent and essential gifts of the sacred ministry. The character, the impress upon a clergyman as a good man, as a man of GOD, as a man given to spiritual rather than secular things, must be always first, and will ever carry most weight with both Bishop and people. Still, I wish it to be noted that the Bishop of Ottawa studies the statistical returns from each congregation and cannot help drawing his own conclusions. The Clergyman is the head of the Household, the Father in each Congregation, and like every Father, he ought to oversee and study and protect and promote every interest in every department of the life of his family. He is not indeed to take upon himself to discharge the duties of the Lay Officers in his congregations, but he is to keep himself informed and to induce the Wardens and others to discharge punctually, systematically and thoroughly the duties of the office entrusted to them. A great many of the evils and troubles which attend the life of our congregations are attributable to the absence of system and punctuality and thoroughness on the part of Churchwardens. They allow subscriptions and repairs to take care of themselves, or to go by default until all are discouraged, and looking round for some scape goat they lay the responsibility upon the clergyman. This is both unreasonable and unjust. Still it does occur not infrequently. The clergyman's usefulness in a Parish is undermined and he and his family have to face the serious expense and losses involved in moving to another Parish.

In one of our Canadian Dioceses a Canon which specifies some of the leading duties laid on the Churchwardens, is, by order of the Synod, read over at the meeting at which any Churchwarden is appointed or elected, so that all may be reminded of the work in its leading details undertaken by the Churchwardens.

I do earnestly appeal to all Wardens to keep in mind how much of the temporal prosperity of the congregation and how much of the influence and comfort of the Clergyman are in their keeping, and actually depend upon their discharging punctually and systematically and thoroughly the duties which they have undertaken by accepting the office.

I desire to remind them distinctly that the clergyman, as the head of the household of faith, is bound to learn from them from time to time how the work of their office is progressing and to use all kindly influence with a view to the temporal affairs and accounts of the congregation being kept in a way to command the confidence and satisfaction of all.

I desire also to state to the clergy that while I study the statistics of every congregation and draw my own conclusions, I shall observe the Apostolic order that Elders who rule well shall be counted worthy of double honor, especially those who labor in the word and in teaching.

Before I give Letters Dismissory to any Clergyman, or license him to a new charge, he must place in my hand for his successor a list of the Communicants and of the families in each congregation, and also the book in which he has entered from week to week the figures and other facts necessary to enable him to fill up the statistical required by the Synod.

The Church suffers loss when a clergyman enters upon a Parish without a complete list of the Communicants and families. However ready the wardens and others may be to help him to discover all the Parishioners, some are sure to be overlooked for long months and their disposition to neglect their religious duties is strengthened. Without the book containing the entries down to the date of the resignation of his predecessor the statistics for the year are incomplete and misleading.

I am sure that I shall have the moral weight of the Synod with me in my determination to refuse Letters Dismissory or a new license until this information, which is of so much importance to the church and her interests, is left with me in proper form.

MARRIAGES.

Any laxity in reference to the marriage tie must in the very nature of things introduce infinite mischief into the family life and eventually undermine the nation. The very first approaches to any relaxation of the marriage laws and customs whether of the Church or State, ought to be watched with increasing vigilance and strenuously withstood. Moreover, every practice and observance which can serve to make marriage a sacred thing and lift it up into its rightful position as a picture of the mystical union betwixt Christ and His Church, ought to be most jealously guarded and observed. The responsibilities of my office require that I should afford to you, the Clergy, and the Lay Representatives in Synod, and through you to all the members of the Church in this Diocese, the truest information and the wisest counsel which I may be able to reach.

My sense of duty, then, obliges me to impress upon you the following points.—

1. The State in England and in Canada has in the exercise of an undeniable right altered the civil laws of marriage. Provision has been made for divorce from the marriage bond. In Canada the State has also made marriage, within one of the prohibited degrees, to a deceased wife's sister, lawful.

2. The Church has made no alteration in her laws from the earliest days long prior to the Conquest. She has made no provision for the re-marriage of divorced persons, nor has she ever sanctioned the marriage of any person separated by divorce so long as the former partner is living.

In Canada she has canonically adopted the Table of prohibited Degrees, and forbidden her clergy to solemnize a marriage within the Prohibited Degrees.

In 673 A.D., at the Council of Hertford, when the whole Church of England for the first time met in Synod under Archbishop Theodore, it was decreed by Canon 10, "let no man relinquish his own wife but for fornication, as the Gospel teacheth. But if any man divorce a wife, to whom he has been lawfully married, let him not be coupled to another, but remain as he is, or be reconciled to his wife, if he will be a good Christian." See Johnson's Canons, Ed. London, 1720.

In 1009 A.D., at the Council of Eanham—a national Council, Canterbury and York both being represented—the following Canon 8 was adopted:—

"Let no Christian have a divorced woman for a wife, nor take another wife whilst he has one; but so long as she lives let her be the only one if he have really cared for the law of GOD and have saved his soul from the fires of Hell."

In 1537 A.D. the Bishops' Book, issued by Cranmer, Archbishop of Canterbury, and Lee, Archbishop of York, and all the other Bishops, Prelates and Archdeacons, declares, page 32, The bond of lawful marriage is of such sort that it cannot be dissolved or broken but by death only; and again on page 34, The bond thereof can by no means be dissolved during the lives of the parties between whom such matrimony is contracted.

In 1662 the Prayer Book as we have it now became binding as the law of the Church by the assent to it of the Convocations of Canterbury and York, and in it the language of the marriage service leaves no room for any doubt that the mind of the Church is that marriage cannot be dissolved except by death. The parties pledge each other "till death parts them." The priest, joining their hands, says solemnly, "those whom God hath joined together let no man put asunder." Then there is the prayer, "O God who didst teach that it should never be lawful to put asunder those whom Thou by matrimony hadst made one."

Again in the closing exhortation the Priest is bidden to say, "for this cause shall a man leave his father and mother and cleave unto his wife and they two shall be one flesh."

3. The clergy must be exceedingly careful to enquire into all the circumstances of those who come to be married. The License which the parties may bring from the State, is no longer a safe defence for the clergy, seeing that the State allows marriages which the Church has never authorized. The clergy may not marry even the innocent party in a case of divorce, nor may they marry any persons within the Prohibited Degrees.

4. In order that all may be informed as to the unions, which the Church will bless as being joined together by God, the Canadian Church in this Ecclesiastical Province has, in her 16th Canon, ordered that a printed copy of the Table of Prohibited Degrees shall be placed in the Vestry Room or near the entrance of every Church in this Ecclesiastical Province, at the charge of the Parish, in some place where it may conveniently be read.

I shrink from causing distress to those who, in ignorance of the church's laws, may have contracted a forbidden marriage. Faithfulness, however, to GOD, and to our duty, requires that we should take care that none are left in ignorance of the Church's law. A weighty responsibility rests upon us to make known to all in a loving spirit what unions in marriage the Church permits, and what she forbids. Unlawful affection for any who are forbidden to them, will be checked in its very first beginnings by all right-minded persons if they only know that the word God, as understood and interpreted, not by individuals, but by the Church, forbids them. Few will be found to violate the law of the church if they clearly understand that it is the law of the Church. Our duty is to take care that none are left in ignorance of the law.

5. The Lambeth Conference in 1888 did not enact, for it has no power to pass Canons, but it did recommend that the clergy should not be instructed to refuse the Sacraments or other privileges of the Church to those who under civil sanction married after the divorce of one who in a case of adultery has been proved to be the innocent party.

Now let us turn to those observations and practices which may serve to keep matrimony holy and sacred as God intended from the beginning that it should be.

1. Marriages should not be celebrated in private houses. The Church's rule may be read in the Marriage Service, "At the day and time appointed the persons to be married shall come into the body of the church with their friends and neighbors." It is not contemplated that marriages will be celebrated anywhere except in GOD'S House. The disposition to treat marriage simply as a civil contract which may

be made and unmade by the laws of the State, irrespective of GOD'S Ordinance, ought to make us very earnest in inducing all to come to church to be married, so that the civil contract may occupy only its proper place, and the religious character of the holy estate of Matrimony may be fully represented and deeply impressed on the minds of all.

I am sensible of the exceeding difficulty of enforcing a rule of the Church which may have been relaxed when Church edifices were few and far between. This excuse, however, can hardly be advanced in our day in this Diocese. There is a more painful and powerful influence at work in the readiness of some of our people to avail themselves of the ministrations of those who are separated from us. This may weaken our hands, but it ought not to prevent our presenting with all the earnestness and kindness we can use, the weighty reasons for celebrating all marriages in Church. These will generally win most persons. They will certainly prevail with the woman, who will as a rule appreciate everything which can add to the sacredness of the bond which unites her to her husband, and it is the woman who is allowed to have her choice in all things pertaining to her marriage. Time and kindly persuasion will readily induce the woman to desire that her marriage shall be celebrated in Church.

2. Our people should be encouraged to have their Banns published in Church in preference to buying a License from the State. No doubt there is a natural shrinking from the public announcement of an approaching marriage. There is a desire in our day to keep marriages as far as possible secret. This secrecy in any degree and in every way is unwholesome, mischievous and perilous. No incident in any community will so naturally and so generally stir the interest of people in all classes as the courtship and engagement and marriage of any young couple. Instead of shrinking from it and frowning on it, and discouraging it, the young people and their families should be induced to appreciate the sympathy and good will which are at once the source and the outcome of such interest. The thing above all others to be dreaded in connection with courtship and marriage is secrecy. It is productive of untold evils. Marriage is honorable, and the courtship which leads to it, affording the young people the opportunity of judging and learning whether they are suited to each other, is honorable. There would be fewer unhappy marriages if the opportunities for young people to meet and learn to know each other were provided so that they might have knowledge of each other's principles and dispositions before they commit themselves even to an engagement. From first to last, from the first introduction to each other, on through their courtship to their engagement and marriage, there should be a determination on the part of the young people and their parents that there shall be no secrecy, that

the natural and strong desire to avoid publicity and being talked about shall not betray them into any act or course that will wear the appearance of concealment.

The Civil Law of this Province admits of marriage after the Banns have been published on one Sunday. The Church's Law, which the Clergy are bound in the most sacred obligations to obey, requires "that the Banns be published in the Church on three several Sundays, during the time of morning service or evening service (if there be no morning service) immediately after the Second Lesson."

It must be quite unnecessary to state that the Civil Law does not and cannot release the Clergy from the requirements of the Church's Law. Marriage celebrated by a Deacon is valid before the Civil law. It is irregular, though valid, according to the Church's mind, because marriage is a benediction, and for this the Priest's Office is required.

3. Marriages should be celebrated in the Church of the Parish in which the woman and her Parents live. The practice of going to some neighboring city or town to be married ought to be discouraged. It is one of the results of that foolish desire to keep everything connected with marriage secret. If we can get people to regard this desire for secrecy, and especially the practice of going to a distance to be married, as being suggestive that there must be something wrong about the marriage, the evil will speedily disappear. The Clergy who are responsible for conveying God's Blessing are, of course, bound to make as sure as they can, that the marriage, in each instance, is such as God will bless, and they may properly feel and say to those who come to them from a distant parish, "If all is as it should be in your proposed marriage, why do you come to me a stranger? Why are you not being married at home in your own Parish church by your own Clergyman?"

THE DIOCESE OF ALGOMA.

I have received the following letter from the Right Reverend Dr. Thorneloe :-

To the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Ottawa.

MY LORD,—Duly called on the 12th day of November last, by The Provincial Synod of Canada, to be Bishop of the Missionary Diocese of Algoma, and consecrated for that responsible office on the Festival of the Epiphany in the present year, I conceive it to be my duty (having had opportunity during the two months which have elapsed since my consecration, to go about a large portion of my new field of labor, and to gain much knowledge of the condition and needs of my Diocese) to address to Your Lordship, and to all the Bishops of the Ecclesiastical Province, a few words of information and appeal. And this I do in the confident hope that what I say will meet with a large measure of sym-

pathy and consideration at your Lordship's hands. For surely my election by the Provincial Synod, and the circumstances attending that election, give me, if I am not much mistaken, a special claim upon every Diocese represented in that Synod. I am the Missionary Bishop of the whole Church of Canada. And I feel confident that they who elected me will not now refuse me their substantial succor and support.

In the first place, then, let me assure your Lordship that what I have seen and heard during my brief residence in, and in the course of my hurried journeys through my diocese, has not been of a wholly disheartening nature. Our country, which is vast and varied, possesses not only much rocky and stony territory, but also much fairly good soil and many sources of wealth which capital will in time, develop, is slowly opening up and improving. There is, I believe, a future for it, and although (because we have no city in the Diocese and no large and prosperous towns capable of helping the poor places, and no wealthy people living within our limits to contribute largely to our Mission and other Diocesan Funds; and because, as everywhere else in the land, we are sorely weakened by religious division), we are, and must long remain, unable to provide wholly for our own needs, yet we may reasonably hope that in some small degree, if not in proportion to our increasing wealth and population, our need of outside aid will be, year by year, diminishing.

Next, it is surely only fitting that I should assure your Lordship that it is and will be my constant endeavor to pursue and to inculcate a policy of self-help throughout the Diocese, encouraging all our congregations to strain every nerve to increase their contributions towards the support of our own Diocesan Missions. But, I regret that I am compelled to add to the hopeful things I have said, the announcement that, at the present time, we are in very sore need of financial assistance. (1) Our General Mission Fund for the support of our Missions and Missionaries is \$3,208 in arrears. (2) A careful estimate for the current year shows a probable deficit of \$8,000. (3) Some important sources of revenue are diminishing instead of increasing their contributions. The S. P. G., for example, gives us £85 less than last year. (4) And it must be remembered we have not yet one dollar of Mission Endowment to which we may apply for help in such a time of need. These are facts which make imperative not only the most rigid economy, but also the most determined efforts to obtain increased contributions for the work, for they warn us that for the time being the very existence of our Mission work on its present basis is imperilled.

In the face of these facts, you will, I trust, think me justified in appealing to your Lordship (1) For your personal interest and co-operation. (2) For permission to present my case in the near future, or some time during the year, either in person or by a representative, to the Church

people of your Diocese. And (3) To beg that in accordance with the recommendation of the Provincial Synod, you will use your influence at the next meeting of your Diocesan Synod to secure for our Mission Fund the sum of moneey hitherto pledged towards The Algoma Episcopal Stipend.

I have the honor to remain, My Lord,

Very faithfully yours,

GEORGE ALGOMA.

Bishophurst, Sault Ste. Marie, March 31st, 1897.

The Bishop puts the case and claims of his Diocese so clearly that it only remains for me to express my earnest desire that you should pass a resolution appropriating to the mission fund of Algoma Ottawa's half of the amount hitherto contributed by the Diocese of Ontario to the Stipend of The Bishop of Algoma. You will no doubt also desire to assure the Bishop of Algoma of a warm welcome whenever he may be able to come in person or by a representative to afford our congregations information as to the work and needs of our Missionary Diocese. Let me add my conviction that we may place absolute confidence in the Bishop's determination to do all that can be done to encourage and enforce amongst the congregations the practice of self help, of depending upon themselves as far as possible for the support of the Church's ministrations.

GENERAL SYNOD.

At the second session held in Winnipeg last September, a Canon was adopted providing for a General Missionary Society co-extensive with the General Synod, to be managed by an executive committee consisting of two clergymen and two laymen from each Diocesan Synod, which is ordered to meet in Montreal on 2nd Wednesday in October next. Accordingly it is our duty to elect at this session two clergymen and two laymen to represent us on this executive committee. You will probably consider it well to send the same men whom you send to the Board of Management of the D. and F. Missionary Society, which meets at the same time and place.

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT OF THE D. AND F. M.

The following resolutions adopted by the Board have been forwarded to me :—

That the Board of Management do respectfully and earnestly request the Bishop, Clergy and Lay Representatives of each Diocese in this Ecclesiastical Province in Synod assembled, to appoint a Corresponding Committee, in accordance with Article VII, of those most deeply interested in the Church's missionary work, to promote in every way open to them within their Diocese the large and important interests committed to the Board of Management of the Domestic and Foreign Missionary

Society, and to correspond with the Board of Management; that the following be submitted to the Bishop, Clergy, and Lay Representatives of each Synod, as duties which might, if they approve and see fit so to order it, be assigned to such Corresponding Committee :—

(1) To study and report from time to time to the Board of Management all plans and directions in which it may be feasible to quicken and extend that interests in the Church's missionary work, which ought to permeate and characterize every congregation and every family and member of the Church.

(2) To watch and report upon the reading of the two annual appeals for Foreign and Domestic Missions in each congregation and the comparative results of such appeals from year to year.

(3) To promote the formation of committees or the appointment of individuals in each congregation to interest the people generally in our Foreign and Domestic Missions, and to secure where it may be possible annual subscriptions to the Foreign and Domestic Funds.

(4) To see that the collections after the Epiphany and Ascensiontide appeals are forwarded at once by the Churchwardens of each congregation to the Diocesan Treasurer of the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society, and by him promptly forwarded to the General Treasurer.

(5) That such Dioceses as already have a Committee on Domestic and Foreign Missions, either or both, be invited to direct such committee at once to act as the Corresponding Committee.

I hope that you will not fail to adopt at this session such amendments in our Diocesan Canon XIII as may be necessary to give effect amongst us to this resolution.

THE PAROCHIAL AND DIOCESAN FINANCIAL YEAR.

I have long been of the opinion that the solemn services of Holy Week and of Easter Day would be more profitable to all our people and especially to our office bearers, if they were not liable to be invaded and impaired by the pressing duties and the occasional excitement attending the closing of the financial year and the election of wardens and Lay representatives. I recommend you to appoint a committee to consider and report upon the advantages of making the financial year of every Parish end on 31st October, and ordering the election and appointment of Wardens and Lay representatives with the annual Vestry meetings, to be held immediately after 31st October. The same committee might consider also the advantages of closing the accounts of the Diocese on 30th November, and holding the Annual Synod in the month of January.

THE CATHEDRAL OF THE DIOCESE OF OTTAWA.

It will, I know, create a widespread and enthusiastic interest amongst all our people to learn that I have arranged to constitute the

Parish Church at Ottawa the Cathedral, the Mother Church in the Diocese of Ottawa. I have great satisfaction in inviting you all to a solemn service tomorrow, Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, that we may implore God's blessing on the Cathedral and its use. The Evening Prayer of the Synod will be said as usual in St. John's Church at 5.30 p.m. The service at 8 p.m. in Christ Church will be a solemn benediction of the Cathedral.

The Very Reverend Dr. Lauder, who has been so long known amongst you as the Venerable Archdeacon of Ottawa, will be installed as Dean of the Cathedral. I have appointed as his successor in the Archdeaconry the Rev. J. J. Bogert, who will hereafter be known and welcomed among us as the Venerable Archdeacon of Ottawa. The Archdeacon, as you are aware, is a Diocesan and not a Cathedral officer. Accordingly no order is taken for his installation in tomorrow's service.

The installation of the Treasurer-Seneschal and of the Canons, who will form with the Dean the Cathedral Chapter, will be an interesting feature of the service. The Reverend Henry Pollard, of St. Augustin's College, Canterbury, and rector of St. John's Parish, Ottawa; the Reverend Andrew Cuscaden Nesbitt, of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, and Rector of Smith's Falls; the Reverend George Jacob Low, of Trinity College, Toronto, and Rector of Almonte; the Rev. Edward Arthur Welesley Hanington, B.A., of University College, New Brunswick, and Rector of St. Bartholomew's Church, Ottawa, and the Rev. William Jeffreys Muckleston, M.A., of Lincoln College, Oxford, and Rector of Perth, have accepted from me the dignity and title of Canons of Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa.

Mr. William Horsley Rowley will also be installed in his office of Treasurer-Seneschal of the Cathedral. According to Cathedral usage and order, the Treasurer-Seneschal is a dignitary of the Cathedral. His place is after the Dean and Presentor and Chancellor, and prior to the Canons.

The sermon will be preached by my oldest and highly esteemed brother and fellow-laborer in God's Church, the Venerable Henry Roe, D.D., of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, and Archdeacon of Quebec. I hope too that we shall be honored by the presence of the Primate of Canada.

I am deeply indebted to our excellent and painstaking Chapcellor of the Diocese, for much valued help during the year, and recently for drafting and embodying in a proper instrument the Bishop's Compact, with the Rector and Churchwardens and Vestry of Christ church, as the foundation on which this Parish church becomes the Cathedral, the Mother Church of the people in this our Diocese of Ottawa.

You will observe, my Brethren, that the Cathedral is not constituted under any Canon of the Synod or by any act of the Synod. It is the Bishop's Act, and the government and control of the Cathedral are in the Bishop, with the advice of the Dean and Chapter, and not in the Synod. I have made these statements with the view not of inviting any action on your part which would be out of order and inadmissible, but of awakening that interest and enthusiasm which will attend the union of all our congregations in the Mother Church—the Parish Church of the Diocese, wherein we meet as a unit, and that unit the Body of which Christ is the Head.

I have appointed the Rev. Arthur Phillips, of St. Augustin's College, Canterbury, and Rector of Hawkesbury, the Rural Dean of Prescott and Russell; also the Rev. A. Elliott, of Trinity College, Toronto, and Rector of Carleton Place, Rural Dean of Lanark; also the Rev. C. Scantlebury, of St. Boniface College, Warminster, and Rector of Huntley, Rural Dean of Carleton.

These appointments are for three years, with the possibility of a second period of 2 or 3 years, but with the determination on the part of the Bishop, as at present advised, not to entertain any representations from the clergy in favor of the appointment of the same clergyman for a third period.

There is so much business before the Synod that I regret that it has been necessary for me to occupy so much time. We will, however, now use all reasonable despatch in carrying each question which may be submitted to you to a safe and profitable conclusion. And may the power and presence of the Holy Ghost be with us to the end.

Appendix—B. Reports of Standing Committees.

B-1. REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Messrs. A. Code and J. P. Nutting were appointed official auditors for the year, with the remuneration of \$25.00 each. J. P. Nutting having resigned, David Tilley was appointed in his place.

The Executive, desiring to do business with the Merchants' Bank of Canada, as the Synod's Bank, authorized the Clerical and Lay Secretary to arrange terms with said Bank.

The Clerical and Lay Secretaries were authorized to borrow from the Merchants' Bank such sums as should be found necessary for current expenses of the Synod.

The Secretaries and Treasurer were authorized to make arrangements for the Synod Offices and Synod Hall.

W. L. Marler having resigned the office of Treasurer, the Bishop appointed C. A. Elliot in his place.

The action taken by the committee on the division of the funds of the Diocese of Ontario was ratified and confirmed, and the Committee was further empowered to settle all details in connection therewith.

The Registrar was authorized to obtain from the Registrar of the Diocese of Ontario all registers, deeds and documents belonging to or concerning parishes in this Diocese.

The Committee for the completion of the Episcopal Endowment Fund was instructed to engage a Clergyman or Layman to complete the work.

It was determined that the arbitration as to the division of the amount of the Macaulay Award be proceeded with, and that the Chancellor be instructed to press the claim of this Diocese.

A Committee appointed to open the new Books of the Diocese, duly carried out that work.

A report was received from the Chancellor on behalf of the Commissioners appointed in the matter of the division of the funds and securities. Such report being accepted and adopted, and a vote of thanks to the Commissioners passed.

A report was received from the Chancellor at the May meeting, as to the result of the arbitration, which was received with an expression of the full satisfaction of the Executive Committee. It was ordered to be printed.

A vote of thanks was passed to the Commissioners of the Diocese of Ontario for the manner in which our Commissioners were met and treated by them in the work of dividing the funds.

The Bishop was requested to re-arrange the Missions of Winchester, Chrysler, and Newington, so as to save \$250.00 to the Mission Board.

The Mission Board was requested to set apart \$400 per annum for opening up a Mission in the South of Ottawa.

The several standing committees made their half yearly reports at the Meetings in December and May, the substance of which will appear in their Annual Reports presented at the present session of the Synod.

E. A. W. HANINGTON,

Clerical Secretary.

Ottawa, June 4th, 1897.

B-2 REPORT OF THE AUDIT AND ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.

The Audit and Accounts Committee beg to report that, acting under the powers and in accordance with the instructions embodied in Canon X.

and the resolution of the Synod, they conferred with the Committee specially appointed for the purpose of opening up a new set of books. This has been done, and rules framed for keeping the books and accounts, for acknowledging receipt of all monies, and for other matters, which in the judgment of your Committee would conduce to the best interests of the Diocese in this connection.

Owing to the unavoidable delay in the receipts from the Diocese of Ontario of the account of the division of the funds, and also owing to the resignation of one of the auditors, your committee regret that they are unable to furnish a full and complete report of the Auditors. The interim report of the Auditors is appended herewith. Your Committee have checked the balance sheet and investigated the Books, and are satisfied with the conduct of affairs, and we think that the interim report of the Auditors may be acted upon.

All of which is respectfully submitted

GEO. J. LOW,

Chairman.

W. H. BERRY.

AUDITORS' INTERIM REPORT.

Ottawa, 17th May, 1897.

To the Chairman, Audit and Accounts Committee, Diocese of Ottawa.

Dear Sir,—Your Auditors beg leave to report progress in having examined the Balance Sheet herewith submitted, and found the same apparently correct. A very careful preliminary examination has been made of the Books, but, owing to the late date of the receipt of the accounts from the Diocese of Ontario, and the amount of work involved therewith, your Auditors have not yet completed the examination of all the original entries. All the securities have been closely examined and verified, with the exception of the following four, for which, however, the Clerical Secretary holds the Solicitor's receipt, as the mortgages are said to be in their hands for suit :

Mortgage No. 37, given by Hy. Bradley, now Mrs. Amelia Brad-

ley, Prescott.....	\$1200 00
Mortgage No. 93, given by Edmund MacKey, Kemptville....	1809 95
Mortgage No. 113, given by Mrs. Elizabeth Reid, Webbwood....	300 00
Mortgage No. 138, given by John G. Morris, Athens.....	2000 00

Your Auditors confidently expect to be able to have the whole of the Books and Accounts audited, and their report ready in ample time for submission to the Synod next month. Meanwhile it may be reasonably expected that this progress or interim report is substantially correct as far as it goes.

A. CODE,

DAVID TILLEY,

Auditors.

To the Chairman of the Audit and Accounts Committee, Diocese of Ottawa, Ottawa.

Dear Sir,—Your Auditors have now completed the audit of the Books of the Diocese of Ottawa up to the 30th of April, and beg leave to submit the accompanying duly signed and verified statements and balance sheets, viz.:

Statements, Consolidated Fund, Interest.
 " Clergy Trust Fund, Interest.
 " Clergy Superannuation Fund, Interest.
 " Rectory Lands Fund, Interest.
 " Mission Fund, Interest.
 " Assessment Fund.
 " Domestic and Foreign Missions.
 " Ottawa Episcopal Endowment Fund.
 " Ottawa Episcopal Fund, Interest.
 " Ottawa Episcopal Fund, Balance Sheet,
 " Clergy Trust Fund Capital.
 " Combermere Parsonage Fund.
 " Balance Sheet.

Your Auditors have had no means of verifying the balance shown as due on each mortgage, no acknowledgements having been received from the mortgagors admitting that balances shown are correct, which are however, assumed to be correct.

Attention is drawn to the overdraft in the Clergy Trust Fund "Capital Account," as your Auditors are given to understand that this such overdraft is contrary to the Canon governing this Fund.

All respectfully submitted.

A. CODE,
 DAVID TILLEY, ,
 Auditors,

DIOCESE OF OTTAWA.

BALANCE SHEET

30th April, 1897.

ASSETS.

Debentures @ 4 1-2 p. c. int..... (\$ 9,000 00)	
Debentures @ 6 p. c. int..... 33,000 00	
	\$ 42,000 00
Mortgages @ 5 p. c. int..... \$23,900 00	
Mortgages @ 5 1-2 p. c. int..... 18,753 40	
Mortgages @ 6 p.c. int..... 69,280 48	
Mortgages @ 6 1-2 p. c. int. 2,000 00	
Mortgages @ 7 p. c. int..... 1,864 30	
	115,798 18

Real Estate	9,275 54
Canada Permanent Stock (nominal value)....	13,170 46
Divinity Students' Loan @ 6 p.c. int.....	80 00
Diocese of Ontario balance due	4,787 92

LIABILITIES.

Consolidated Fund Capital :	
Clergy Superannuation Fund Capital \$	3,743 89
Clergy Trust Fund Capital	125,073 10
Divinity Students' Fund Capital ..	2,673 16
Sustentation Fund Capital	16,180 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund Capital	11,919 24

Rectory Lands Fund Capital	
Bearbrook	\$2,576 61
Cornwall	3,952 97
Franktown	788 05
Matilda	6,690 91
North Gower	153 04
Perth	5,157 61
Plantagenet	256 99

Overdrafts on account of the following Funds
to be carried forward to next year

Richmond 6,229 68

Overdrafts on account of the following Funds
to be carried forward to next year.

Clergy Trust Fund Interest \$759 94
Widows' and Orphans' Fund Interest 388 00
Rectory Lands Fund Int..... 242 44

Merchants' Bank on Deposit 1,390 38
10,703 12

Episcopal Fund Securities :-

Dominion Stock @ 3 1-2 p.c. Int... ..\$13,500 00
Mortgages @ 6 p.c. int..... 3,000 00
Mortgages @ 5 p.c. int..... 27,000 00
Metropolitan Loan Co. Stock @ 5 p.c. 2,000 00 45,500 00

\$242,705 60

Examined and found correct.
31st May, 1897.

Richmond 6,229 68
Roxborough 1,053 30
Williamsburg 2,844 47
Cryslers' Bequest 1,000 00
\$30,703 63

190,248 02

Consolidated Fund Capital Susp. 4,692 68

Interest Reserve Fund 1,659 81

Ottawa Episcopal Fund Capital 45,500 00

Mission Fund Balance at credit carried forward

to new year 165 27

Consolidated Fund Interest 203 82

Revd. E. A. W. Hanington, bal. due him 10 00

Bark Lake Church 190 00

\$242,705 60

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Auditors.

ASSESSMENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Sundry amounts credited this account in Division of Funds by Diocese of Ontario as per account printed in Synod Journal of Diocese of Ottawa, 1897,

Parish Assessments

Collections for General Purposes Fund

Consolidated Funds Assessment

Mission Fund Assessment

Charged to Consolidated Fund Interest

EXPENDITURE.

Sundry expenses at Kingston charged this account as per accounts printed in Ottawa Synod Journal, 1897,

Clerical Secretary's Salary

Bishop's Travelling Expenses

Expenses of General Synod

Books, Stationery, Printing, etc.

Printing Synod Journal, 300 copies

Postage

Guarantee Policy

Auditors

Rent of Office, including attendance and light. .

Rent of Hall for Synod

Telephone

Petty cash, sundries

\$907 10
140 00
284 87
850 00
275 00
227 08
\$2,684 05

\$815 73
800 00
183 33
348 00
151 79
97 70
48 35
37 50
50 00
82 00
32 00
25 00
12 65
\$2,684 05

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\$2,684 05

Examined and found correct.
31st May, 1897.

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Auditors.

CLERGY SUPERANNUATION FUND, INTEREST

RECEIPTS

1897	
April 30—One half share of collections due from whole Diocese before, but received after division (\$25.04)..	\$ 12 52
Collections.....	327 19
Consolidated Fund Interest on Capital of \$3,756.05 @ 3 1-2 p.c.....	131 46
Transferred from Capital	12 16
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	\$483 33

EXPENDITURE.

1897	
April 30—One half share of the following payments made at Kingston for both Dioceses:	
Three quarterly payments on June 30th, Sept. 30th and Dec. 31st, 1896, to	
Rev. J. Halliwell	\$150 00
" W. D. Mercer	150 00
" W. H. Smythe	75 00
" H. Lewen	75 00
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	\$450 00
Payments made at Ottawa:	
Rev. J. F. Fraser	\$ 75 00
" Wm. Fleming	108 33
" W. Mercer	50 00
" W. H. Smythe	25 00
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	258 33
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	\$483 33

Examined and found correct.
31st May, 1897.

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DAVID TILLEY,
Auditors.

CONSOLIDATED FUND, INTEREST.

RECEIPTS.

Credited at Kingston as per printed accounts :
 4-11 of accrued interest to May 1st, 1896, on securities awarded to Diocese of Ontario in division of Funds
 1-2 share of one year's interest on Lennoxville and Addington Debentures since the Division as of Ottawa (reserved under the agreement of 12th Aug., 1896).....
 Less amount payable to His Grace the Archbishop of Ontario

\$272 08

Interest collected at Kingston on investments belonging to Diocese per printed accounts :

Debentures, Schedule A.....\$2,415 00
 Mortgages, Schedule B.....837 50
 " " " ".....602 62
 " " " ".....1,926 43
 " " " ".....251 28
 " " " ".....475 78
 Wagoner Mortgage.....10 39
 Canada Permanent Stock.....552 72

Interest collected at Ottawa
 Interest on overdraft on Mission Fund

EXPENDITURE

Charges made at Kingston as per the printed Accounts :

One half of overdraft as per Ontario Synod Journal, page 257, of 1896 (\$542.64).....
 7-11 of accrued interest to 1st May on securities awarded to Ottawa Diocese.....
 One half share of amount transferred to assessment Fund for general expenses (\$1,437.50)
 Ven. Archdeacon Lauder, under agreement.....

Payments at Ottawa :—

Judge Senkler, expenses to Kingston.....
 The Chancellor, telegrams.....
 Revd. Canon Spencer transcribing record of mortgages belonging to Ottawa Diocese up to date of division.....

J. F. Orde, sundry small expenses incurred in connection with the division of Funds.....

J. T. Lewis, expenses of transfer of all securities from Diocese of Ontario to Diocese of Ottawa.....

Pritchard & Andrews, Seals, etc.....

Mortimer & Co., New Cash Book, etc., etc.....

Harris & Campbell, furniture for Synod Office.

Butterworth, tin box for mortgages.....

Messrs. Chrysler & Lewis, to repay amount paid by them for engrossing.....

Merchants' Bank, interest on overdrafts.....

Transferred to assessment for general expenses.....

.....\$850 00

.....227 08

.....1,077 08

Transferred to the following accounts for interest at the rate of 3-1-2 per cent on the

amount of capital at credit of the respective Funds :—
 Clergy Superannuation Fund Interest

Transferred to the following accounts for interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent on the

amount of capital at credit of the respective Funds:—

Clergy Superannuation Fund Interest	131 46
Clergy Trust Fund Interest	4,377 56
Divinity Students' Fund Interest	97 15
Sustentation Fund Interest	530 50
Widows' and Orphans' Fund Interest	417 17
Rectory Lands Interest	1,074 62
Balance carried forward	203 82

\$12,374 64

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DAVID TILLEY,
Auditors.

DIocese OF OTTAWA.

OTTAWA EPISCOPAL ENDOWMENT FUND.

30TH APRIL, 1897.

Examined and found correct.
31st May, 1897.

RÉCEIPTS.

Balance in Bank	\$203 99
Cash on Hand	42 98
Paid direct to Bank on notes held as security	137 32
Collected by Rev. E. A. W. Hanington	576 45
Interest on Bank Balance	42
Overdeposit by Mr. Hanington	23 97
	\$ 985 16

Note in Bank (as per Ottawa Synod Journal, 1896, page 73)

Examined and found correct.
31st May, 1897.

\$2,340 00

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Auditors.

EXPENDITURE.

Paid on account of note	\$795 00
Paid interest on notes	59 48
Travelling expenses, commissions, etc	43 18
Expenses of Mr. Garrett from last year	10 00
Refund of amount paid in error'	5 00
Balance in Bank	72 50
	\$985 16

Paid on account of note as above...
Balance due on note

795 00
1,545 00

OTTAWA EPISCOPAL FUND.

BALANCE SHEET AT 30TH APRIL, 1897.

ASSETS.

Mortgages :-	
Mortgages at 5 p.c. interest.....	\$27,000 00
" " " 6 p.c. interest	3,000 00
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Metropolitan Loan Co'y. Stock., probably @ 5 p.c. int	\$30,000 00
Dominion Stock @ 3 1-2 p.c. int....	2,000 00
	13,500 00
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	\$45,500 00

LIABILITIES.

Ottawa Episcopal Fund Capital ..	\$45,500 00
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RECEIPTS.

1897	
April 30—Interest on Dominion Stock. \$053 10	
Interest on Mortgage.....	650 00
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	\$1,603 10
Examined and found correct. 31st May, 1897.	

EXPENDITURE.

1897	
April 30—His Lordship the Bishop of Ottawa	\$1,603 10
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	\$1,603 10
A. CODE, DAVID TILLEY, Auditors.	

INTEREST ACCOUNT.

RECTORY LANDS FUND, INTEREST.

RECEIPTS.

1897	
April 30—Consolidated Fund interest @ 3 1-2 p.c. on Capital of \$30,703.63	\$1,074 62
Overdraft carried forward to next year	242 44
Balance at credit of Bearbrook Rec- tory (Ont. Synod Journal, page .248)	2 00

EXPENDITURE.

1897	
April 30—Payments to Rectors of Diocese of Ottawa since division (dividend 1 3-4 per cent, 30th June, 1-4 per cent 30th Sept., and 2 per cent 31st Dec., 1896) paid at Kingston :	
Bearbrook Rectory	\$109 26
Cornwall Rectory	158 51
Franktown Rectory	31 59

Matilda Rectory 268 30
Perth Rectory 206 81

Matilda Rectory	268 30	
Perth Rectory	206 81	
Richmond Rectory	246 92	
Roxborough Rectory	42 24	
Williamsburg Rectory	114 15	
Cryslers Bequest	40 00	
		1,217 78
Overpayments to Rectors in Diocese of Ottawa prior to Division :		
Cornwall Rectory	\$ 9 91	
Franktown Rectory	1 98	
Matilda Rectory	16 77	
Perth Rectory	12 93	
Richmond Rectory	15 37	
Roxborough Rectory	2 64	
Williamsburg Rectory	7 14	
Cryslers Bequest	2 50	
		69 24
Added to capital :-		
Bearbrook	\$23 00	
North Gower	3 37	
Plantagenet	5 67	
		32 04
		<u>\$1,319 06</u>

Examined and found correct.
31st May, 1897.

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Auditors.

MISSION FUND.

RECEPTS.

Transferred from Sustainment Fund to pay overdraft standing against this fund on division of Diocese \$667 12
 One half of the following amounts credited this Fund on division of Diocese being collections received at Kingston on account of whole Diocese:
 Trinity Collections \$667 12
 The following collections due before, but paid after 1st May, 1896, from whole Diocese:
 Advent Collections \$ 43 64
 Missionary Meetings 31 08
 Parochial Collections 1090 76
 1,165 48

Collections 1896-7, Diocese of Ottawa:
 Trinity Collections \$350 74
 Advent Collections 495 74
 Missionary Meetings 1019 85
 Parochial Collections 3633 81
 Special Collections 71 57

5,571 71

EXPENDITURE.

For one half of the following amounts charged to Ottawa Diocese, being total payments made at Kingston to 30th June:
 Overdraft (Ont. Synod Journal, 1896, page 252) \$2,045 76

\$1,022 88

Quarterly payments of Mission grants to both Dioceses \$2,730 44
 Less amount advanced to Mr. Selby, chargeable to Ontario alone 25

2,705 44

Amount carried to "Assessment Fund" for general expenses for May and June.....

91 65

Payment to Rev. J. Robinson to 30th June.....

40 00

Daily News Printing Account.....

6 50

Interest on who's overdraft...\$85 35
 Less one month's interest on overdraft 4 55

80 80

\$2,924 40

1,462 20

Special Collections 11 51

5,571 71

\$2,924 40

1,462 20

Consolidated Fund Interest on Sustainment
Fund Capital of \$15,157.12 @ 3 1-2 p.c.....

530 50 Trinity Collections sent to Kingston \$525 00
 Grants for three quarters of year 1896-7 from
 30th June, 1896, to 30th April, 1897, paid at
 Ottawa:

Carleton Deanery	\$525 00
Lanark Deanery	412 50
Prescott and Russell Deanery	558 16
Pembroke Deanery	797 91
Renfrew Deanery	693 75
Stormont Deanery	593 73

Printing, Mission Boxes, etc., specially for this
 Fund 55 75
 Expenses of Special Deputations 111 34
 Transferred to Capital Sustainment Fund to
 repay amount charged to that Fund to re-
 pay overdraft 1,022 88
 Assessment 275 00
 Share of premium on Life Policy of the Arch-
 bishop of Ontario 40 02
 Balance at credit of this Fund carried forward
 to next year 165 27

Examined and found correct.
31st May, 1897.

\$8,041 33

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DAVID TILLEY,
Auditors.

DIocese of OTTAWA.

395 00

3,581 05

55 75

111 34

1,022 88

275 00

40 02

165 27

\$8,041 33

1897

Examined and found correct.
31st May, 1897.

A. CODE, \$335 83
DAVID TILLEY,
Auditors.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MISSIONS.

RECEIPTS.

Domestic Missions :-	
General Unappropriated	\$450 27
General Interest	6 95
Appropriated	
Ruperts Land Missions	\$58 00
Bishop Bompas Missions	25 00
Loftus House, Moosonee	25 00
Missions, Moosonee	3 25
Archdeacon Phair's Mission	10 00
Archdeacon Phair, for Cowley	
Ward, Dynevor Hospital ..	2 00
Onion Lake Mission, Sask	8 00
Piegan Homes and Missions	7 75
Albany Mission	2 00
Medicine Hat School House	1 00
Children's Offerings for Indians	142 00
Total Domestic Missions	46 92
Foreign Missions :-	
General Unappropriated	\$448 67
Appropriated :-	
Lady Missionary, Japan	\$112 50
Zenana Missions	46 64
Education Fund for Mrs. Boomer, London, Ont	19 35
Training Home for Bible Women, Japan	6 00
Collections, Day of Intercession	184 49
Collections Good Friday for Jews	17 88
Total Foreign Missions	178 11
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	829 15

Examined and found correct.
31st May, 1897.

C. A. Elliot, General Treasurer of Domestic and Foreign Mission Fund.	\$1436 21
Printing, Postage and Books	39 08

EXPENDITURE.

A. CODE, \$1,475 29
DAVID TILLEY,
Auditors.

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND, INTEREST.

RECEIPTS.

One half of collections and subscriptions received at Kingston, from May 9th to Dec. 3rd, 1896 :—

Collections	\$105 66
Subscriptions	136 00
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Collections at Ottawa	
Subscriptions at Ottawa	
Consolidated Fund Interest on Capital of (\$11,919.24) @ 3 1-2 p.c.	
Overdraft carried to next year	

EXPENDITURE.

One half share of payments on account of this Fund for whole Diocese, made at Kingston under agreement :—

Mrs. Annie Armstrong, 4 quarters	\$200 00
" A. Early, 4 quarters	200 00
" C. Garrett, 4 quarters	200 00
" F. Leathley, 4 quarters	200 00
" Kate Plees, 4 quarters	200 00
" E. J. Kirkpatrick, 4 quarters	200 00
" Cath. Prime, 4 quarters	200 00
" L. B. Stephenson, 4 quarters	200 00
" Jemmett, 4 quarters	200 00
" Jones, per Dr. O. Strange, 4 q'trs	200 00
" S. White, 4 quarters	200 00
" Anderson, 4 3-10 quarters	215 00
" E. C. M. Morris, 4 quarters	200 00
" Annie K. Kirkpatrick, till 31st Dec., 1897	40 00
" Mary J. A. Primè, till 31st March, 1902	40 00
" Eric A. Prime, till 1st June, 1908	40 00
" F. L. Stephenson, till 31st Dec., 1897	40 00
" Dulcie G. Jemmett, 30th June, 1898	40 00
" Leonard W. Jones, '98	40 00
" Cyril B. Jones, '99	40 00
" Emily M. Jones, 1904	40 00
" W. Clare White, 1900	40 00

" Ethel M. White, 1901 40 00
 " Ruth Bonsfield, last payment 40 00

\$1 527 50

" Ethel M. White, 1901..... 40 00
 " Ruth Bonsfield, last payment .. 40 00
 " One half of\$3,055 00 1,527 50
 " A. CODE,
 " DAVID TILLEY,
 " Auditors.

" Ethel M. White, 1901..... 40 00
 " Ruth Bonsfield, last payment .. 40 00
 " One half of\$3,055 00 1,527 50
 " A. CODE,
 " DAVID TILLEY,
 " Auditors.

Examined and found correct.
 31st May, 1897.

\$1,527 50

COMBERMERE PARSONAGE FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Forwarded to Revd. E. A. W. Hanington for deposit
 Forwarded to Bank by Rev. W. A. E. Butler ..

1897
 \$423 09 April 30—Amount at credit of this account as
 109 80 per Bank

Examined and found correct.
 31st May, 1897.

\$532 80

EXPENDITURE.

\$532 80

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 DAVID TILLEY,
 Auditors.

CLERGY TRUST FUND, CAPITAL.

RECEIPTS.

One half of Capital of this Fund as per Ontario Synod Journal, 1896, page 248 \$263,000 00
 Less amount referred to Arbitrator. 12,432 00

 \$250,568 00
 Portion of above amount of \$12,432.00 awarded to Ottawa Diocese by the Arbitrator 1,821 34

 \$127,105 34

Examined and found correct
 31st May, 1897.

EXPENDITURE.

One half of overdraft on account of Clergy Trust Fund Interest as per Ontario Synod Journal, 1896, page 258, charged to this Fund \$ 1,752 24
 Costs of Arbitration of matter of \$12,432.00 charged to this Fund, the amount of the award being added to the capital 280 08
 Present capital of this Fund \$125,073 10

 \$127,105 34

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 DAVID TILLEY,
 Auditors.

CLERGY TRUST FUND, INTEREST.

RECEIPTS.

Consolidated Fund Interest @ 3 1-2 p.c. on capital of \$125,073.10 \$4,377 56
 Overdraft carried to next year 759 94

EXPENDITURE.

Payments made at Kingston to Ottawa Annuitants (under agreement of 12th Aug., 1896) three quarters, June 30th, Sept. 30th, and December 31st, 1896:
 Ven. Archdeacon Lauder \$300 00
 Rev. Canon Pettit 300 00
 " Canon Worrell 300 00
 " E. M. H. Baker 300 00
 " J. J. Bogert 300 00
 " C. P. Emery 300 00
 " W. Fleming 300 00
 " A. W. Cooke 300 00
 " H. Auston 300 00
 " A. C. Nesbitt 300 00
 " Thomas Garrett 300 00
 " E. W. Beaven (one half) 150 00

" F. W. Dobbs 225 00

One half share of annuity paid 3,675 00

A. W. Cooke 300 00
 " H. Auston 300 00
 " A. C. Nesbitt 300 00
 " Thomas Garrett 300 00
 " E. W. Beaven (one half) 150 00

" F. W. Dobbs 225 00
 One half share of annuity paid to widow of
 the late Rev. E. C. Bower, who died prior
 to division, \$300.00 150 00
 One half share taxed Law Costs of suit, Low
 vs. Synod of Ontario incurred prior to di-
 vision 87 50
 Annuities paid at Ottawa:
 Ven. Archdeacon Lauder \$100 00
 Rev. F. W. Dobbs 75 00
 Executors of late Canon Pettit 100 00
 Rev. Canon Worrell 100 00
 " Wm. Fleming 100 00
 " E. H. M. Baker 100 00
 " C. P. Emery 100 00
 " A. C. Nesbitt 100 00
 " J. J. Bogert 100 00
 " H. Austin 100 00
 " A. W. Cooke 100 00
 " Thomas Garrett 100 00
 " E. W. Beaven (one half) 50 00

1,225 00

\$5,137 50

A. CODE,
 DAVID TILLEY,
 Auditors.

Examined and found correct.
 31st May, 1897.

\$5,137 50

B-3. REPORT OF THE EPISCOPAL FUND COMMITTEE.

The Episcopal Fund Committee beg leave to report that, since last year, the amount of Capital belonging to this Fund remains unchanged, viz., \$45,500.00, which is invested as follows :

1. In mortgages.	
Mortgages at 5 p.c.	\$27,000 00
Mortgages at 6 p.c.	3,000 00
	\$30,000 00
2. In Metropolitan Loan Co'y. Stock, probably at 5 pc. interest	
	\$ 2,000 00
3. In Dominion Stock @ 3 1-2 p.c.	
	13,500 00
	\$45,500 00
The amount of interest received and paid to His Lordship the Bishop since the date of his election to the See of Ottawa is \$1,603.10, derived	
(a) From Dominion Stock	\$953 10
(b) From Mortgages	650 00
	\$1,603 10

Your Committee regret that the amount is not larger, and would express the hope that the Capital may soon be increased to render an adequate income.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ARTHUR PHILLIPS,

Chairman.

May 29th, 1897.

B-4. REPORT OF THE CLERGY TRUST FUND COMMITTEE.

To the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa.

The Clergy Trust Fund Committee beg leave to report :

1. That the present nominal capital of the Fund (the result of the division of the Clergy Trust Fund of the former Diocese of Ontario) is \$125,073.10, and forms a part of the Consolidated Fund of this Diocese.
2. That a further sum of \$2,882.66 is to be received from the present Diocese of Ontario on the next vacancy in the See thereof.
3. That the net income of this Fund for the past year obtained from the Consolidated Fund was \$4,377.56.
4. That the following are the annuitants of this Fund, with the names of their respective Dioceses, as provided in "the agreement between the Synod of the Diocese of Ontario and the Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa, respecting the division of Funds."

THE COMMUTING CLERGY.

Rev. F. W. Dobbs, Ontario	\$300 00
Ven. J. S. Lauder, Ottawa	400 00
Rev. J. B. Worrell, Niagara.....	400 00

THE ANNUITANTS.

Rev. E. H. M. Baker, Ontario	\$400 00
Rev. E. W. Beaven, Ontario	200 00
Rev. J. J. Bogert, Ottawa	400 00
Rev. C. P. Emery, Ontario.....	400 00
Rev. W. Fleming, Ottawa	400 00
Rev. A. W. Cooke, Ontario	400 00
Rev. H. Auston, Ontario	400 00
Rev. A. C. Nesbitt, Ottawa	400 00
Rev. T. Garrett, Ottawa	400 00
Total annuities	\$1500 00

5. That the Rev. C. B. Pettit, one of the Commuting Clergy, having died during the past year, his widow having already received two quarterly payments of \$100 each, is still entitled to one more quarterly payment due July 1st next.

6. The question of withholding payment from the last annuitant on the list until the deficiency in income be made up, having been referred to this Committee by the Executive Committee at its meeting on May 20th last, this Committee reported as follows:—

"Your Committee has taken into consideration the instructions of the Executive Committee with regard to the efficiency of income, and begs leave to report that the present circumstances of the Fund are exceptional, in that the income during the past year has been unusually small, and the expenses unusually large, from which has arisen the deficit. That in the opinions of your Committee such exceptional conditions are not likely to arise again, and that in the usual course of events the Fund will recover itself within a year or two, provided and on the understanding that no more annuitants are added. And your Committee does not think it would be wise or expedient to withhold any payment from the last annuitant on the present list until the deficiency is made up.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. J. BOGERT,
Chairman.

Ottawa, June 1st, 1897.

B-5. REPORT OF RECTORY LANDS FUND COMMITTEE.

The Rectory Lands Fund Committee met in the Synod Office at 8 p.m., May 18th. Present, Revds. R. B. Waterman, W. J. Muckleston, R. L. M. Houston, Judge Senkler, T. M. Clark, Esq., and Clerical Secretary.

The financial statement for the past year was received, and shewed the interest from Consolidated Fund at 3 1-2 on capital of \$30,703.63, to have been \$1,074.62. Overdraft carried forward to next year, \$210.40. Balance at credit of Bearbrook Rectory, \$2.00.

Expenditure—Payment to Rectors of the Diocese of Ottawa, since division (dividend 13-4 p.c. 30th of June; 1-4 30th September; 2 p.c. 31st December, 1896, \$1,217.78 payments made at Kingston. Overpayment to Rectors of Diocese of Ottawa prior to division, \$69.24.

The report was adopted.

R. B. WATERMAN,
Chairman.

May 18th, 1897.

B-6. REPORT OF WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND COMMITTEE.

The Widows' and Orphans' Fund Committee begs to report that the annual financial statement of the Fund has been presented and approved. It shows that the capital of the Fund has been reduced by the overdraft on 1st May, 1896.

Ottawa's Share of Capital	\$12,575 00
Ottawa's share of overdraft, 1st April, 1896.....	655 76
	\$11,919 24

The receipts during the year amounted to.....	\$1,149 00
And the expenditure	1,527 50

Leaving an overdraft on April 30th, 1897

\$378 00

The following Parishes are in default: Grattan, Petawawa, Mattawa, and many have failed to take up the offertories in their out-stations.

The following twenty-one Clergy have paid their subscriptions and are in good standing: Revs. H. Pollard, A. H. Coleman, A. C. Nesbitt, R. M. L. Houston, S. G. Poole, C. Sills, I. J. Christie, A. Elliott, J. Osborne, W. J. Muckleston, C. Saddington, J. J. Bogert, J. F. Fraser, A. H. Whalley, R. N. Jones, G. Scantlebury, A. W. Mackay, W. J. Moody, R. B. Waterman, W. M. Loucks, R. Orr. There are about forty-two of the Clergy who have not subscribed. Rev. M. G. Poole is a life member.

Owing to the critical state of the Fund, your Committee has corres-

ponded with the Ontario Synod regarding a reduction pro rata of all annuitants, until such time as the capital is increased.

The claim of Mrs. Pettit was considered, and it was resolved to grant the sum of \$150 per annum, to be increased to \$200 as soon as the Funds permit.

Your committee strongly recommend a special Jubilee offertory on Sunday, June 20th, to augment the capital of the Fund.

A new Canon will be introduced by the Lay Secretary, which should receive the most thorough and careful deliberation of the Synod.

ALFRED WM. MACKAY,
Chairman.

B-7. REPORT OF DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND COMMITTEE.

The Divinity Students' Fund Committee begs leave to report as follows:—

The financial statement submitted by the Clerical Secretary to your Committee shows total receipts for the year to have been \$335.83, made up as follows:—\$8.48, half share of collections received since division of Diocese; Lenten Offerings, \$127.66; interest on Consolidated Fund \$97.15; transferred from capital, \$102.54.

The expenditure in paying grants to exhibitors amounted to exactly the same sum, viz., \$335.83.

We also learn from the same document that by the arrangement made between His Grace the Archbishop of Ontario, and His Lordship the Bishop of Ottawa, the following students were transferred to the Ottawa Diocese, viz., Messrs. Howard, McCallum, Richards, Warren, and Steacy. Mr. McCallum having been ordained on the 16th May, is no longer on the list of exhibitors, but your Committee, on petition and recommendation of Revd. Rural Dean Pollard, has placed on the list Mr. Robert Turley, of the City of Ottawa, a young man who has been accepted by His Lordship, and has already been attending Trinity College, Toronto. Judging from last year's total revenue, your committee could not guarantee even the \$65 per annum, which was the amount given last year, but resolved to divide the total receipts evenly among the five exhibitors, which would probably give each about \$60.00.

Your Committee, feeling strongly that some decided effort should be made to increase the revenue of the Fund, resolved unanimously to recommend to the Synod that there should be a resolution passed, making a collection compulsory in every church and station where service is held, on some special day, and the day fixed upon as suitable was Ash Wednesday. It may be of interest in this first report under the new Diocese, to state, that whereas it ap-

for the year 1895-6, from the whole undivided Diocese, the year only 186.56 was contributed by Lenten offerings, Ottawa portion alone sent in this year \$127.66; and also that in last year's report by Prof. Worrell there were 74 parishes in the undivided Diocese which gave no assistance whatever to this Fund, 39 alone giving what was contributed, whereas it appears that there are only a few parishes in the new Diocese which have not responded to the appeal for Lenten offerings for the Fund.

The Clerical Secretary states that a few of those in default have sent in their collections since the account was closed.

It surely ought to be, with every Clergyman and every Parish, a matter of honor that all legitimate Diocesan obligations should be faithfully discharged.

To show that there is cause for congratulation and hope, it may be mentioned that the new Diocese, comprised under the Archdeaconry of Ottawa gave this year \$45.54 in excess of the previous year, thus:

1896-7	\$127 66
1895-6	82 13
	\$45 54

In conclusion, your Committee feels that the grants to deserving Canadian young men, preparing for the sacred ministry of the Church, are altogether too small, and we earnestly trust that the Synod will adopt our proposal of setting apart one day for a special collection for the Fund, confidently anticipating that the result will show a marked increase in revenue, and your Committee be enabled to grant \$100, which is little enough, and which used to be the regular grant when there was a special day fixed for taking up the collection.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. H. COLEMAN,

Chairman.

Ottawa, May 20th, 1897.

B-8. REPORT OF THE CLERGY SUPERANNUATION FUND COMMITTEE.

The Clergy Superannuation Fund Committee beg to report that the capital handed over to this Diocese on the Division of the Funds amounted to \$3,756.05, on which interest is reckoned this year at 3 1/2 per cent.

The cash account is as follows:—

Interest on principal	\$131 46
Collections	339 71
Transferred from capital	12 16
	\$483 33

Payments to annuitants 483 33

The annuitants on the Fund during the past year were:—

Rev. J. F. Fraser, at	\$100 per annum
Rev. W. Fleming, at	200 "
Rev. W. Mercer, at.....	200 "
Rev. W. H. Smythe, at	100 "

For the current year the Committee were obliged for want of funds to reduce the grants to Rev. Mr. Fraser to \$75.00 and to Rev. Mr. Fleming to \$100.00. This, with the sums to be paid Messrs. Mercer and Smyth, as agreed on with the Diocese of Ontario, will use the whole of the estimated revenue. They deeply regret that they are compelled to reduce the grants made last year, but they have no power to pay any pensions out of the capital, which must be kept intact.

It was with much concern that they were not able to comply with the request of Rev. J. F. Snowdon to be placed upon the Fund, but they hope his position will be favorably considered by the Mission Fund, as long as there is a probability of his being restored to health and able to resume his work for the Church.

H. POLLARD,
Chairman.

B-9. REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Your Committee beg leave to report that the Financial Statement is as herewith submitted.

The estimated receipts for the ensuing year are as follows:—

Assessment of Parishes	\$500 00
Consolidated Fund	850 00
Mission Fund.....	250 00
Confirmation Collections	200 00
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	\$1800 00

Expenditure:—

Rent and Attendance	\$175 00
Telephone in Secretary's Office	40 00
Guarantee Policy	37 50
Postage and Stationery	150 00
Printing Journal, etc.....	250 00
Clerical Secretary's Salary	800 00
Bishop's Travelling Expenses.....	200 00
Audit.....	50 00
Provincial and General Synod Fund	100 00
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	\$1802 50

The new Missions of Archville and Janeville have been placed in Class VII of the Assessment List.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

ROBT. W. SAMWELL,

Chairman.

May 20th, 1897.

CLASSIFIED LIST OF PARISHES AND MISSIONS.

<i>Class I—\$60 each.</i>		Huntley
Ottawa :	Christ Ch. Cathedral.....	Iroquois
"	St. George's.....	Franktown
<i>Class II—\$40 each.</i>		Manetick
Ottawa :	St. John's.....	March.....
<i>Class III—\$30 each.</i>		North Gower.....
Ottawa :	Grace Church.....	Osgoode and Russell
<i>Class IV—\$20 each.</i>		Stafford
Cornwall :	Trinity Ghurch.....	Williamsburg
Carleton Place		<i>Class VII—\$5 each.</i>
Ottawa :	St. Alban's	Archville.....
Perth		Bearbrook
Smith's Falls.....		Beachburg.....
<i>Class V—\$15 each.</i>		Clayton and Innisville
Hawkesbury		Cobden
Morrisburg		Combermere and Rockingham.....
Osnabruk and Moulinette		Cornwall East.....
Ottawa :	St. Bartholomew's	Crysler.....
"	St. Barnabas'	Douglas.....
"	St. Luke's	Fitzroy Harbor
Pakenham		Gloucester
Pembroke		Janeville
Richmond.....		Lanark
<i>Class VI—\$10 each.</i>		Mattawa
Almonte		Mountain
Arnprior.....		Navan
Ashton.....		Nepean
Bell's Corners		Newington.....
Eganville		Petawawa
		Plantagenet
		Renfrew.....
		Tennyson
		Vankleek Hill.....
		Winchester.....

SUMMARY.

Class	I— 2 at \$60	\$120 00
"	II— 1 at \$40.....	40 00
"	III— 1 at \$30.....	30 00
"	IV— 5 at \$20.....	100 00
"	V— 9 at \$15.....	135 00
"	VI—14 at \$10.....	140 00
"	VII—24 at \$15.....	120 00

Number of Parishes, 56, Total Assessment\$685 00

B-10. DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY, OTTAWA DIOCESE.

Report 1896-7.

During the past year there have been collected, in response to the Epiphany and Ascension-tide appeals, which have been very generally responded to throughout the Diocese :-

For Domestic Missions	\$646 14
For Foreign Missions	829 15

\$1475 29

The Treasurer has also received

Vouchers for Domestic Missions	\$412 41
Vouchers for Foreign Missions	59 96

Making a grand total of.....\$1947 66

The Woman's Auxiliary report that the cash receipts for the various Branches have amounted to

From Woman's Auxiliary	\$566 43
From Junior W. A.....	40 99
From C.C.M.G.....	8 01
Fees from Diocesan Members	\$ 5 40
Sundries	75
Balance from last year	125 75
	—————\$158 90

Total cash.....\$769 33

They have also forwarded a large number of bales containing clothing, groceries, books and medicines, to the value of

Freight	\$493 12
	53 06

Cash as above.....\$546 18

769 33

Making a grand total of\$1315 51

For the information of the Synod the Delegates from Ottawa Diocese to the Board of Missions present the following statement of the proceedings of the Board during the past year :-

The Board of Missions has met three times during the past year, in November and February in Montreal, and in April at Kingston.

placed in

rman.

\$120 00
40 00
30 00
100 00
135 00
140 00
120 00

\$685 00

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

In April the General Treasurer presented a financial statement for the period extending from July 31st, 1896, to April 26th, 1897. The actual receipts for Domestic Missions were as follows:—

General	\$2,361 40	
Indians	336 62	
Children's Offerings	41 97	
		\$ 2,739 99

Receipts for Foreign Missions were:

General	\$4,421 88	
Missions to Jews	98 82	
		4,520 70
Received from W. A.		1,552 83

		\$8,813 52
Amount directly transmitted, as shown by vouchers	2,150 00	
Balance on hand, August 1st, 1896	6,122 32	
		\$17,085 84

Of this amount there has been expended:

For Domestic Missions	\$ 7,097 60	
For Foreign Missions	5,680 28	
Balance on hand, April 26th, 1897	4,307 96	
		\$17,085 84

The grants made in February for Domestic Missions were:
From General Fund.

Algoma	\$1,000 00	
New Westminster	250 00	
Selkirk.....	200 00	
Moosonee.....	150 00	
Mackenzie River.....	150 00	
Athabasca	150 00	
Qu'Appelle	100 00	
		\$2,000 00

From Fund for "Northwest Missions."

Qu'Appelle	\$ 50 00	
Saskatchewan and Calgary	100 00	150 00
		\$2,150 00

In April a grant of \$500.00 was made to the Diocese of Algoma, out of the Domestic Mission Fund, which had \$838.00 at its disposal.

No appropriations were made to Indian Schools, as the Board had not

sufficient information, but a committee was appointed to investigate and report.

As regards Foreign Missions, the amount in hand was not sufficient to pay the proper claims for Japan, etc.; indeed there would be a deficiency of \$650.00 if no more money was received during the present fiscal year.

Applications for aid in Mission work were received

From Bishop Blyth toward an Anglican College in Jerusalem.

From Diocese of Selkirk, salary for Rev. Mr. Naylor.

For Work in Levant.

For Chinese Work in New Westminster, B.C.

For Indian Schools.

For Diocese of Algoma.

For Mr. Borup.

For Rev. J. G. Waller, for furlough expenses.

For Rev. Mr. Metzumo in Japan, \$13.75 a month.

Of these, the Committee could not comply with—for want of funds—Bishop Blyth's; for Work in Levant; for Chinese Work in British Columbia, and for Indian Schools until after further enquiry. They suggested that the \$200 granted to Diocese of Selkirk might be given to Rev. Mr. Naylor; they acceded to the request for \$13.75 a month for Rev. Mr. Metzumo, for one year; gave \$500 to Algoma Diocese, and assumed the expense of Mr. Waller's furlough, according to arrangement with the S. P. G. As to Mr. Borup, a committee was appointed to arrange with the Church people in Montreal, who had guaranteed the salary and expense, with regard to the requirements of the C. M. S. (It seems settled that Mr. Borup will leave in September for Uganda.)

A suggestion was made that all Sunday Schools should be asked to give one Sunday's collection each month to Missions.

The S. P. G. having decided to reduce the grants made to Canada and to withdraw altogether in 1900, the Bishop of Quebec was asked to consult the House of Bishops whilst in England, and appeal to the Venerable Society to reconsider their decision, which evidently was made under some misapprehension.

It was hoped that advantage would be taken of the presence of the Bishop in England, to negotiate with the C. M. S. as to their position with regard to the Board of Missions in Canada.

The observance of the Day of Intercession for Missions on or about the Festival of St. Andrew, was pressed upon the notice of the Board, and the Bishops of the Province were asked to urge the observance upon the Clergy.

A Committee was appointed to draw up a form of prayer for Missions for daily use, and another to revise the Mission Litany and Hymns used at Public Missionary Meetings.

Since last year a change has been made in the officers of the Board. Rev. Dr. Mockridge ceased his duties of paid Secretary-Treasurer and Editor of the Missionary Magazines, and Rev. Canon Spencer was appointed Hon. Secretary, and C. A. Elliot, Esq., Hon. Treasurer; and a temporary arrangement was made with Dr. Davidson, Montreal, to edit the Magazines until a permanent editor should be appointed. This was done because of a very general feeling that the Society could not yet afford to pay a sufficient salary to a Sec. Treasurer. It remains to be seen what the effect on the funds will be.

A very important matter was discussed at Kingston relating to the action of the General Synod last year in Winnipeg. A "scheme" for a "General Board of Missions of the Church of England in Canada" was passed by the Synod, whereby a Board of Bishops and Representatives from the Dioceses in the Dominion would control and direct all Missionary work. It is provided that all funds raised in any Diocese for Mission work beyond its own border, and shall be forwarded to and distributed by the Executive Committee of the General Synod. In fact this Executive Committee will perform all the duties the Board of Missions of the Ecclesiastical Province has been appointed to do by the Provincial Ecclesiastical Province has been appointed to do by the Provincial Synod. For convenience sake the Dominion has been formed into three Divisions, one of which is the present Ecclesiastical Province of Canada.

Naturally this "General Board of Missions" is the proper result of the "General Synod."

The "scheme" provides that the Executive Committee shall meet for the first time on the second Wednesday in October, 1897, in Montreal. To this Committee the Synod of Ottawa is asked to send Delegates, and this has been done.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. POLLARD,

Chairman.

B-11. REPORT OF THE MISSION BOARD.

The Mission Board of the Diocese of Ottawa begs leave to present to the Synod a report of its proceedings for the year ending April 30th, 1897.

The half-yearly meetings of the Board were held on the 2nd of December, 1896, and the 19th of May, 1897. Both meetings were well attended by members of the Board, which augurs well for the future welfare of this most important branch of the church's work.

The Board, now that it is fairly started on its career in this young Diocese, desires to acknowledge, with gratitude to God, the measure of success which has attended its first ingathering of collections to form a Mission Fund. The financial statement for the year ending April 30th

shows the receipts from all sources to be \$8,041.39 The disbursements, \$7,836, leaving a balance in hand of \$205.39.

In these disbursements is included \$1,022.88, being half the indebtedness of the fund when the separation from the Diocese of Ontario took place, and which that Diocese took out of Ottawa's share of the Sustentation Fund before handing it over. This sum has been restored to the Sustentation Fund, the capital of which now stands at \$15,157.12.

A full statement of receipts and expenditure will be appended to this report, which will show the winding up of the Board's connection with the Diocese of Ontario in the matter of the Mission Fund. The Board desires to draw attention to the gratifying fact that the same area now comprising the Diocese of Ottawa has contributed \$1,115.95 more than when it formed part of the Diocese of Ontario, and it is firmly persuaded that if the Clergy and Laity will endeavor earnestly to maintain the stability of this fund, upon which the growth of the Church so much depends, a great and blessed work can be done in extending the ministrations of the Church in every place from which a call for help comes.

There are at present 24 Missions receiving aid from this fund, whose united grants amount to \$5,200.

The necessity for re-arranging some Missions and opening up others, was fully discussed by the Board, when the following conclusions were arrived at:—

It was recommended that as soon as the funds will permit, a grant of \$600 be made for missionary work in the County of Glengarry. This is a field that has long been neglected by the Church, and as there are now very few branches of the Church in that County, it was thought advisable to do aggressive work in order to gain a foothold for the Church; and for this purpose a large grant was recommended for the Missionary's entire support, as little or nothing can be expected from the Mission for a long time.

A grant of \$300 has been recommended for Whitney, on the Parry Sound Railway, where the Church must take up her position at once, to meet another demand which new railways are constantly forcing upon us. At present the Stations along this Railway are being served by the Missionary at Douglas, whose Mission includes Douglas, Grattan, Clontarf and Admaston for Sunday services, while Whitney, Round Lake and Killaloe receive week day services once a fortnight.

A grant has been made of \$300 to Rockland, a thriving village about seventeen miles from Ottawa, where there is an opening for the Church, as soon as the funds permit.

A grant has been made of \$400 for the starting of a mission south of Ottawa. This is a growing district, in which all the other religious bodies are at work, and have built churches. It is a matter of imperative necessity that the Church should at once take her place in this locality.

by the appointment of a Missionary, for whose support this grant is asked for a few years, in order to save our people and their children from being absorbed by others. The Board is of the opinion that no better missionary work can be done than in the outskirts of cities, where a grant for two or three years, in its infancy, may be the means of building up a congregation which will become in due time a strong supporter of the Mission Fund.

The Bishop, at his own suggestion, was requested to combine the Missions of Crysler, Newington and Avonmore, so as to make a saving of \$250 a year.

A letter from the Bishop of Algoma came before the Board asking for \$50 towards the building of a Church at Chisholm, within the Diocese of Ottawa, but served by the Missionary at Powasson, in the Diocese of Algoma. Mr. C. Macnab undertook to raise this amount during the session of the Board, and was successful, whereupon a cheque for \$50 was sent to the Missionary at Powasson.

A scheme for the better and more regular payment of Missionaries—known as the "Quebec scheme," was brought before the Board, and after discussion, the following resolution was adopted: "That the Quebec Scheme, as reported to the Mission Board, be submitted to the Executive Committee for their consideration, if their time will admit of it; and to the Synod of the Diocese, with the respectful request of the Mission Board, that the Synod do extend to them their counsel and influence in adopting it as a "by-law," subject from time to time, to such action as their experience may indicate to be advisable, and that the scheme be printed at once for the members of the Synod."

The Board is of the opinion that a change from the old system is necessary, and that the time has come when its Missionaries should no longer be allowed to endure the discomforts they have too long been subjected to by the irregular payment of their stipends, and that it only requires patience and firmness to get this scheme, which is working so well in the Diocese of Quebec, into good working form in the Diocese of Ottawa.

A resolution was adopted by the Board recommending the Woman's Auxillary of the D. and F. M. Society in this Diocese to include Diocesan Missions in their work.

The financial statement for the year ending April 30, is herewith appended.

MISSION FUND, 1896-97.

RECEIPTS

Transferred from Sustentation Fund to pay overdraft standing against this fund on the division of the Diocese	\$1,022 88
Carried forward.	<u>\$1,022 88</u>

Brought forward.....		\$1,022 88
One-half of the following amounts credited this fund on division of Diocese, being collections received at Kingston on account of whole Diocese		
Trinity Collections	\$667 12	
The following collections due before but paid after 1st May, 1896, from whole Diocese.		
Advent Collections	\$ 43 64	
Missionary Meeting	31 08	
Parochial Collections	1,090 76	
	<u>1,165 48</u>	
	\$1,832 60	
		<u>916 30</u>
Trinity Collections	\$ 350 74	
Advent Collections	495 74	
Missionary Meetings	1,019 85	
Parochial Collections	3,633 81	
Special Collections	71 57	
		<u>5,571 71</u>
Consolidated Fund Interest on Sustentation Fund Capital of \$15,157.12 at 3 1-2 per cent		530 50
		<u>\$8,041 39</u>

EXPENDITURE

One half the following amounts charged to Ottawa Diocese being total payments made at Kingston to 30th June.		
Overdraft, Ont. Synod Journal 1896, page 252	\$2,045 76	
		<u>\$1,022 88</u>
Quarterly payments of Mission Grants to both Dioceses	\$2,730 44	
Less amount advanced to Mr. Selby chargeable to Ontario alone	25 00	
	<u>2,705 44</u>	
Amount carried to "Assessment Fund" for general expenses for May and June	91 66	
Payment to Revd. J. Robinson to 30th June ..	40 00	
Daily News Printing Account	6 50	
Interest on whole overdraft	\$85 35	
	<u>\$85 35</u>	
Carried forward.....	\$2,843 60	\$1,022 88

Brought forward	\$85 35	\$2,843 60	\$1,022 88
Less one month's interest on Ontario's Overdraft	4 55	80 80	
		<u>\$2,924 40</u>	
Trinity Collections sent to Kingston			1,462 20
Grants for three quarters of year 1896-97 from 30th June, 1896, to 30th April, 1897, paid at Ottawa.			305 00
Carleton Deanery	525 00		
Lanark Deanery	412 50		
Prescott and Russell Deanery	558 16		
Pembroke Deanery	797 91		
Renfrew Deanery	693 75		
Stormont Deanery	593 73		
		<u>\$3,581 05</u>	
Printing, Mission Boxes, etc.			55 75
Expenses of Special Deputations			111 34
Transferred to Capital Sustentation Fund to repay amount charged to that fund to repay over- draft			1,022 88
Assessment			275 00
Balance to credit of this Fund carried forward to next year			205 39
			<u>\$8,041 39</u>

Missions as Classified for year commencing July 1st, 1897.

Archville, Osgoode and Russell	<i>Class I. \$100 each.</i> Fitzroy Harbour,	Janeville,
Franktown, Bearbrook.	<i>Class II. \$150 each.</i> Lanark,	Navan,
Crysler, Nepean,	<i>Class III. \$200 each.</i> Gloucester, Vankleek Hill.	Mountain,
Beachburg, Winchester,	<i>Class IV. \$250 each.</i> Newington,	Renfrew,
Plantagenet,	<i>Class V. \$300 each.</i> Tennyson,	Cobden.
Douglas and Gratton,	<i>Class VI. \$350 each.</i> Petawawa,	Mattawa.
Combermere,	<i>Class VII. \$400 each.</i>	
	Total ..	<u>\$5,350</u>

A special grant was recommended to be paid out of the Mission Fund, to the Reverend J. F. Snowdon, who is on sick leave, on his resigning Newington.

All which is respectfully submitted,

J. S. LAUDER, Chairman.

B-12. REPORT OF THE BOARD OF RURAL DEANS.

To the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa :

The Board of Rural Deans at their meeting in May, appointed the Missionary Deputations for this year, and received and considered reports from the several Deaneries. These were referred to the Chairman, to prepare therefrom the Annual Report of the Board to Synod.

It has not infrequently happened that the Board has come in for some very sharp criticism at the hands of the Synod—but this year they ask for your forbearance, as, having been bereft of one-half their number by the resignation of the Rural Deans of Carleton, Lanark, and Prescott and Russell, they come before you in mourning. The remnant that remaineth of the old Board, viz., the Rural Deans of Renfrew, Stormont and Pembroke, deem it their duty, as a tribute of justice—no less than an act of courtesy—to place on record an expression, not alone of regret, at the severance of old ties, but also of the Board's appreciation of the services rendered to the Church, more especially in the Country Missions, by the Rev. J. J. Bogert, for 15 and a half years Rural Dean of Carleton ; by the Rev. A. C. Nesbitt, for 15 and a half years Rural Dean of Lanark (Renfrew also forming part of his Deanery for the first 7 and a half years) ; and by the Rev. H. Pollard, for 9 years Rural Dean of Prescott and Russell.

To the new Rural Deans who have just been appointed to the vacancies thus created, the Board extends the assurance of a very ready welcome, and expresses the hope that the infusion, all at one time, of so large a quantity of new blood into an old body, may not result in so great a shock to the system as to produce a state of collapse.

I.—CARLETON DEANERY, REV. J. J. BOGERT, M.A., RURAL DEAN

The Rural Dean reports generally a steady improvement throughout the Deanery. Two new parishes have been created, Archville and Janeville, making the total number 20. "To the additional power for Church work, by the increase of Clergy from 18 to 20, must be added the presence, wise counsel and most valuable assistance of the Lord Bishop, who is always ready and willing to help wherever opportunity is presented." In the personnel of the Clergy, there have been changes, Revds. W. Fleming, James Empringham and F. B. Hodgins having left the Deanery, and Revds. W. Y. Daykin, J. Fisher, D'Arcy T. Clayton, F. W. Squires and W. J. Southam having been received into it. Under head

of "Property" the Rural Dean reports a Church at every station in which regular Sunday services are held, and a Parsonage in every Country Parish, except Nepean, Janeville and Archville. In eleven City Parishes there are but three Parsonages. Special commendation is due the Parish of Manotick for the splendid advance it has made in its contribution to Clergyman's stipend, from \$470.00 in 1890 to \$900.00 in 1896, and \$850.00 in 1897, while at the same time the parish has been building and paying for a Parsonage.

During the year there was held a meeting of the Ruri-Deaconal Chapter, and a Conference of Clergy and Laity, presided over by the Lord Bishop. The Rural Dean, on retiring from the office which he has held for the past 15 and a half years, desires to thank the Clergy and Laity for the support they have given him in the performance of his duties, and calls attention to the advance which has been made in Church life and work during that period, as evidenced by the increase in Parishes 7, of Clergy, 9; of Churches, 22; of Parsonages, 7, and also by the improvements in the accessories of Divine worship which testifies to greater reverence and deeper devotion on the part of those concerned.

II.—LANARK DEANERY, REV. A. C. NESBITT, RURAL DEAN.

The Rural Dean reports one new Mission opened, that of Tennyson, and that the Missionary, Rev. C. F. Lowe, is a hard working and painstaking priest, who is doing good work on Church lines. The hope is expressed that in the not distant future another new Mission may be formed out of the Parishes of Clayton and Lanark. In his opinion a great opening is at hand in this new Diocese for so re-arranging Parishes and Missions as to increase the staff of Clergy, and thereby render possible an attempt to reclaim many who in times past, when Clergy were few, strayed away from the ecclesiastical home of their ancestors. He anticipated great results from the labours of the new Rural Dean, Rev. Archibald Elliott.

III.—PEMBROKE DEANERY, REV. W. A. READ, RURAL DEAN.

This is a new Deanery, formed out of part of the Deanery of Renfrew, as set forth in the address of the Lord Bishop to the Synod last year. The Rural Dean reports that with the exception of Mattawa, which has been vacant since November last, Church work has been vigorously carried on and successfully sustained throughout the Deanery. In Beachburg, the Missionary, Rev. W. J. Moody, has been working with much energy and enthusiasm. As a result the long standing debt on the Parsonage has been removed, two Sunday Schools have been begun, with attendance of 60 pupils, a site for a Church at Westmeath has been given by a parishioner, Mr. Thomas Monsel, and another parishioner, Mr. James E. Bromley, has given the stone necessary for the building. In Cobden much good work is being done by the Missionary, Rev. J. A.

Shaw, supported by an appreciative body of parishioners. Two Stations, Douglas and Grattan, have been taken from the Mission, considerably reducing its strength, though a new Station, "Haley's," replaces them, with probably less than half the families. At this latter place a site has been purchased for a Church. A pulpit and Bishop's Chair has been presented to St. Paul's Church, and a tower and spire is being added to the building. In Petawawa, the Rural Dean reports the Missionary as laboring very energetically, and accords him much praise, it being a very large and very poor Mission, the Missionary being in journeyings out, and not without perils. A new Church has been built at Tennants' Settlement, making five Churches in the Mission. St. George's, Alice, has been renovated, and a new organ purchased, while the debt on the Parish has been reduced to \$270.00. In regard to the Parish of Pembroke, the Rural Dean reports with much modesty, reporting it as pursuing the even tenor of its ways, which means that they have decidedly advanced the Rector's stipend, contributed generously to all the Diocesan Funds, added to their new Church Building Fund \$200.00, purchased and paid for a new organ, and in general kept up the excellent record of several years past. Stafford, the one other self-supporting Parish in the Deanery, is also the strongest in point of Church population, having 125 families. The past year has excelled all previous years in regard to Parochial contributions, those to outside objects having more than doubled. The old Parish Church of St. Stephen has been entirely re-seated. The Rural Dean makes special reference to the stipends of the Missionaries, as manifestly inadequate, viz., Beachburg, \$500; Cobden, \$618; Petawawa, \$462.00, and no present possibility of increase in any of them. Each Parish has its Parsonage. One Church in Petawawa Mission, and the Rectory and Churches of St. Stephen and St. Thomas, in Stafford Parish, are not insured. One meeting of the Ruri-Deaconal Chapter has been held, and the Deanery visited throughout by the Lord Bishop.

IV.—PRESCOTT AND RUSSELL DEANERY, REV. H. POLLARD, RURAL DEAN.

The Rural Dean reports one vacant Parish, Bearbrook, through the removal of the Rev. D'Arcy Clayton to Carleton Deanery, the transfer of the Rev. Wm. Lloyd to Quebec, the reception from Quebec of the Rev. G. N. Hunter, the removal of Rev. J. Fraser from Navan and the appointment of the Rev. R. Orr as his successor. At Hawkesbury, an organ chamber has been added to the Church; in Plantagenet Mission the Parsonage has been much improved, while in Metcalfe the energy of the Missionary, the Rev. C. Clark, has been rewarded by a most liberal response for the Building Fund of the new Church, now in course of erection. It is also in contemplation soon to build a new Church at Navan, considerable subscriptions having been already promised or paid. Ow-

ing to the peculiar position of the Deanery, it has been hard to get the Clergy of both ends together for meeting of Chapter, but this difficulty will disappear with the new railway facilities soon to be offered. The statistical returns show but little variation from last year, except in regard to Clerical income, which is greater in amount by \$400.00 than reported previous year, and number of Communicants increased from 591 to 719.

V.—RENFREW DEANERY, REV. C. V. FORSTER BLISS, RURAL DEAN.

The report from this Deanery shows some re-arrangement of Mission fields. The Lay Missionary at Grattan, who had charge of Calabogie and Opeongo work, has retired, and a Missionary has been stationed at Douglas, with outstations of Admaston, Grattan and Clontarf, the congregation at Calabogie having been attached to the Mission of Renfrew. The work along the line of the O. A. & P. S. Railway is being performed by the Missionary of Douglas until such time as it may be feasible to appoint a travelling Missionary for the whole field west of Eganville, as recommended two years ago, and endorsed by the Synod, on funds becoming available. The first Church work at Whitney (Long Lake) was begun last year by Mr. George Field, Student of Trinity College, and ceased on his return to College in October. On the appointment of the Rev. W. P. Garrett to the Mission of Douglas, he was also licensed by the Bishop to perform work at Killaloe, Madawaska and Whitney, and Mr. Garrett is now performing this additional duty at the cost of much time and labor. There has been held one meeting of the Rural-Deaconal Chapter, and a Conference of Clergy and Lay Workers, at which the Lord Bishop presided. From returns received from Parishes and information otherwise obtained, the Rural Dean reports that in every department of Church work throughout the Deanery, save one, advance has been made, and that the year has been marked by real progress. In the Parish of Arnprior, the services at Galetta have been increased from monthly to fortnightly; in Combermere a parsonage is being built from funds collected in Ottawa and elsewhere by the Missionary, the Rev. W. A. E. Butler, who, it may be noted, has, during the past year, gone through more hardships, and been subjected to greater strains on his powers of physical endurance than probably any other Missionary in this Diocese. In Douglas, Sunday Schools have been opened, with 21 pupils, and an excellent beginning made by the Missionary. In Eganville the balance of debt on the new Church at Lake Dore has been paid, and the debt for improvements to St. John's Church and Rectory reduced from \$400.00 to \$200.00. In Renfrew two town lots have been purchased and paid for, and contract let for the erection of a parsonage. The Deanery has been visited throughout by the Lord Bishop, who held 11 services and Confirmed 81 candidates.

VI.—STORMONT DEANERY, REV. R. L. M. HOUSTON, RURAL DEAN.

The Rural Dean reports no change from last year in number of Parishes, Churches, Clergy or Parsonages, but in Sunday Schools one less. There has been an increase in Clerical stipends of \$187.00, and a decrease of nearly \$500.00 in other Parochial contributions. The value of Church property is reported as greater than that of any other Deanery except Carleton. In Communicants there is an increase of 133, and in Baptisms 27. The Rural Dean deprecates the withdrawal, as contemplated, of one or two Missionaries from the Deanery, owing to scarcity of Church population, and pressing demands of the Church in other Deaneries. He says that should such a retrograde movement be deemed advisable by the Synod, he would suggest that on no account should more than one Missionary be withdrawn, and enters the plea that the \$250.00 grant thus saved ought in all fairness and justice be applied elsewhere in the Deanery, by beginning work in the long neglected and forgotten County of Glengarry, instead of taking the grant so saved to another part of the Diocese.

In conclusion, the Board again invites the attention of Synod to the manifestly inadequate stipends paid to the Missionary Clergy, and to the urgent necessity for some regulations designed to secure them a living income.

Respectfully submitted,

FORSTER BLISS,

Chairman.

May 27th, 1897.

B—13. REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Returns have been made from all Parishes. Several changes were made in the statistical forms and special pains were taken to impress upon the Clergy the necessity of giving details of each part of the Parish or Mission. By desire of the Bishop, those who have not complied with this direction will receive back their returns to be corrected and forwarded to the Clerical Secretary without fail before June 15th.

The Committee recommends the drawing up of uniform Parochial Registers for use in the Diocese, containing columns giving such information as the Synod requires.

The following Parishes call for special notice :—

Manotick shows a decrease of 180 in Church population. St. Luke's, Ottawa, shows a great financial depression. Beachburg shows a marked improvement in Parochial activity, but a decrease in Clerical stipend, which we recommend to the serious consideration of the Rural Dean. The Parish of Eganville has made clear and neat returns, a worthy example

to all. Taking the Deaneries in order, and comparing as requested with the census returns of 1891, we find :

	Census.	Synod.	Difference
Carleton	14,889	13,152	1,737
Lanark	8,327	5,710	2,617
Frescott and Russell	4,031	1,988	2,043
Renfrew and Pembroke.....	4,801	3,704	1,097
Stormont.....	6,472	4,693	1,779
Totals	38,520	29,242	9,278

Taking the Deaneries and comparing with last year's returns : Carleton shows an increase of 76 families, a decrease of 40 Church population, an increase of 48 Communicants, decrease of 51 Baptisms, an increase of 202 Confirmees, a decrease of 27 marriages and an increase of 23 burials.

Financially there has been an increase in the amounts contributed to objects outside the Parishes.

Lanark shows increases of 64 families, 142 Church population, 356 Confirmees, 23 burials. Financially there are increases of \$128 for erection of property, \$128 for Clerical Stipends, \$2,000 for Parochial objects, a decrease of \$88 for outside objects.

Prescott and Russell shows increases of 29 families, 35 Church population, 125 Communicants, 143 Confirmees. We would draw the attention of the Rural Dean that there are reported only three early celebrations during the year. Financially there are increases of \$355 for Parochial objects, and \$396 in Clerical stipends.

Renfrew and Pembroke are classed together for the purposes of comparison. There are increases of 48 Confirmees and 17 burials. Financially \$49 increase in Clerical stipends, for Parochial objects \$516, and for outside objects, \$294.

Stormont shows decreases of 84 families, 120 Church population, but an increase of 133 Communicants. Financially, Clerical stipends have increased \$187, but there is a decrease of \$72 for outside objects.

Summarizing, we find throughout the Diocese an increase of 113 families, 98 Church population, 224 Comunicants, 766 Confirmees and 13 burials. There is a slight decrease in the amount spent for the erection of buildings. Clerical stipends have very materially increased, as also have the amounts contributed for Parochial objects, as well as for objects outside the Parish.

Your Committee has very little comment to offer, but to say that the work of preparing this report is rendered unnecessarily arduous by the tardiness of a few of the Clergy.

There is a marked improvement in the returns generally, and as the

Lord Bishop has intimated, they are a fair indication of the State of the Church.

There is a steady and healthy progress in every Department, and the bright outlook of the Diocese at its inception has continued.

ALFRED WM. MACKAY,
Chairman.

B-14. REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The Committee on Sunday Schools begs to report that the Committee met at 4.45 p.m. on Tuesday, 18th May.

Present—The Rev. G. J. Low, in the Chair; the Rev. J. Gorman, Rev. Rural Dean Pollard, Messrs. C. Elliot, and J. Fletcher.

After discussion it was moved by Mr. Elliot, seconded by Rev. J. F. Gorman,

That in view of the fact that at the last meeting of the Synod it was found impossible to hold the Conference on Sunday Schools, proposed at the meeting held on July 19, 1896, this Committee recommends that some evening be devoted to this important subject at the next meeting of the Synod.

Several matters connected with Sunday School work were discussed, but no further resolutions were passed.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. J. LOW,
Chairman.

J. FLETCHER,
Secretary.

B-15. REPORT OF THE MOUNTAIN MEMORIAL CANONRY COMMITTEE.

The Mountain Memorial Canonry Committee beg to report as follows:—

Balance 1st May, 1896	\$163 99
Rents received for year ending 30th April, 1897	399 96
	\$563 95

EXPENDITURE.

Lumber for fence	\$ 11 02
Repairing two fences	29 25
Dr. Mountain	349 96
Balance in Bank 31st April, 1897	123 72
	\$563 95

All of which is respectfully submitted.

S. GOWER POOLE,
Chairman.

B-16. REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DECEASED MEMBERS.

The Committee on deceased members beg leave to report that during the past year three members of Synod have died: The Reverend C. B. Pettit, Canon of St. George's Cathedral, Kingston, and for many years Rector of Cornwall; John Duchelle Hunton, and Richard Pope, Lay Delegates.

Charles B. Pettit, Priest, was born in Grimsby, Ont., in 1827, ordained in Cobourg by Bishop Strachan, 1st Bishop of Toronto. After serving some years in Missionary work in the Diocese of Toronto, he became Rector of Richmond, where he laboured for 22 years. Afterwards he was appointed Rector of Cornwall in 1877, which position he occupied until 1894, when he retired. Removing to Toronto, he lived there until his death in December, 1896.

Richard Pope, Barrister, and Deputy Commissioner of Patents, died in February, 1897, in his 70th year. For the past 25 years he had represented St. John's Church as Lay representative to the Diocesan Synod.

John D. Hunton, at the time of his death Senior Church Warden of Christ Church, Ottawa, had represented his Parish in the Synod for some years. Mr. Hunton died in July, 1896, in the 50th year of his age.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WALTER M. LOUCKS,

Chairman.

B-17. REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RELIGIOUS EDUCATION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

1. At a meeting held on December 1st, 1896, the Committee took into consideration the scheme for the recognition of Voluntary Schools and for securing religious education in Public Schools, which was referred to it for consideration at the last meeting of the Synod, and which is as follows:—

TAXATION.

1. All ratepayers to contribute to a common "building" fund necessary to meet the cost of providing accommodation for all Public School children not attending Voluntary Schools.

2. All ratepayers to contribute to a common "Educational" fund, necessary (with the Government grant) to meet the cost of imparting secular instruction to all children attending Public Schools (including Voluntary Schools).

This sum, with the Government grant, to be distributed among the various Public Schools (including Voluntary Schools) according to the average number of children attending each school,

VOLUNTARY SCHOOLS.

3. Any religious body conducting a school in a suitable building, provided at their own cost, and (a) having an average attendance of at least thirty pupils maintaining a standard of efficiency in secular subjects, and (b) using the Public School Text Books, and (c) employing as teachers only those holding Public School certificates, to be entitled on the written application of at least twenty heads of families resident in the School District, to have such Voluntary School placed on the list of Public Schools, subject to the same inspection, and to share in such "Educational" Fund, according to the average attendance, as in the case of the other Public Schools.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION.

4. Religious Instruction to be given in all Public Schools from 9 to 9.30 a.m. (a) Such Religious Instruction to be based upon a common text book in the ordinary (State) Public Schools and (b) in the (Voluntary) Public Schools to be such as the various religious bodies may respectively desire to impart to the children of parents of their own communion.

5. Pupils in either case not to be required to join in religious exercises or receive religious instruction objected to by their parents or guardians.

And the Committee thereupon passed the following resolution:—

That this Committee gives a general assent to the scheme for securing religious instruction in Public Schools, printed at page 43 of Synod Journal of 1896, and especially the provisions as to religious instruction in Public Schools during the first half hour of each day, and that Mr. Orde, the Secretary of this Committee, be requested to correspond with similar committees of other Dioceses in the Province of Ontario for the purpose of co-operating with them and securing further information.

2. That the said resolution was presented at a conference on Diocesan Committees on Religious Education, held in Toronto on the 28th December, 1896, at which Conference your Committee was not represented, and was embodied in the Report of said Conference.

The said Conference passed certain important resolutions, the result of which is embodied in the "Scheme for Religious Education in the Public Schools in Ontario," which appears in full in the Printed Report of the said Conference, and is in its main outlines now approved by your Committee.

3. Since its last meeting and since the said Conference, your Committee has had the opportunity of further correspondence on the subject of the scheme submitted to it at the last session of the Synod, and has received further and better information as to the objects and practicality of such scheme, and after further consideration thereof, at two meetings of your Committee, held on the 18th May, 1897, your Committe

tee deems it proper to point out the fact that the proposed scheme as submitted to it for consideration is practically a scheme for the recognition by the Government of Voluntary Schools upon certain conditions, and that the question of Religious Education in Public Schools, while of great importance in itself, is, so far as the proposed scheme is concerned, merely one of the incidents thereof. Your Committee deems it wise to draw special attention to this fact, as the proposed scheme has an object of far greater and more lasting importance in the subject of education in general than the sole object of securing religious education in the Public Schools of the Province as they now exist.

4. After giving the proposed Voluntary School scheme much earnest consideration, your Committee is of the opinion that in its general outlines the scheme is practicable in Cities and large Towns, and merits the endorsement of the Synod for the following, among other reasons :

- I. Economy.
- II. Efficiency in Secular instruction.
- III. Provision for Religious Instruction.

I. Economy.

The scheme commends itself on the ground of economy because by its adoption municipalities could in many cases be saved the expense of purchasing School sites and erecting and maintaining school buildings, by merely utilizing for school purposes and under school board regulations and provisions, buildings built or provided by religious bodies for school purposes, the sole practical difference (so far as education is concerned) between such schools and the ordinary Public Schools being that such religious bodies would have the control and supervision of the character of the religious instruction to be given therein.

II. Efficiency in Secular Instruction.

Voluntary Schools being under the same system of Government Inspection as the present Public Schools, and employing as teachers, only those holding Public School certificates, and using the same text books, a guarantee is thus provided for at least equal efficiency as is now secured. And furthermore, in cases where it is desired to raise any school to the highest possible efficiency, an opportunity would be afforded to effect this by private voluntary contributions, without laying any additional burden upon the taxpayers.

III. Provision for Religious Instruction.

The scheme offers a practicable method for procuring Religious Instruction. We would point out that while the scheme provides that the children in all Public Schools (including Voluntary Schools) shall receive exactly the same secular instruction, it also enacts that Religious Instruction shall be given in the ordinary Public Schools for one-half hour each day from a text book acceptable to all Christian bodies. And

further, it affords to members of any religious body the opportunity to furnish, at their own cost, the Religious Instruction they desire.

Your Committee would therefore recommend :—

1. That the Voluntary School Scheme in its general outline be endorsed by the Synod as being desirable and practicable in Cities and large Towns.
2. The appointment of a representative Committee with instructions to confer and co-operate with any similar committees appointed by other Religious bodies to deal with this matter.
3. To report to the next meeting of this Synod.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. ROWLEY,
Acting Chairman.

B—18. REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON UNCOLLECTED BALANCE OF EPISCOPAL
ENDOWMENT FUND.

The following statement was presented, showing receipts during year to be :—

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Bank	\$203 99
Cash in hand	42 98
Paid direct to Bank on notes held as security..	137 32
Collected by Rev. E. A. W. Hanington	576 48
Over deposit	23 97
	\$985 16

EXPENDITURE.

Paid on account of note	\$795 00
Interest on notes	59 48
Travelling expenses, etc	43 18
Expenses Mr. Garrett	10 00
Repaid to a Collector	5 00
Balance in Bank	72 50
	\$985 16

Note in Bank as per Synod Journal	\$2300 40
Paid on account of note	795 00
Balance due on note.....	1545 00

The Clerical Secretary reported that with the authority of the Committee, he had asked six Clergymen to assist him in collecting the balance of subscriptions, and all declined to do so, and, that he had himself collected \$576.48 assisted by two laymen.

J. S. LAUDER,
Chairman.

B-19. REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PARISH BOUNDARIES.

Your Committee on Parish Boundaries beg to report that they have held two meetings. At the first of these, which took place on the 2nd December, 1896, Mr. L. M. Fortier was elected chairman.

On the 10th December, 1896, a circular was mailed to the Clergy throughout the Diocese as follows :—

"604 Maria Street,
"Ottawa, 10th December, 1896.

"Revd. and Dear Sir,—

"In pursuance to a resolution to that effect, passed by the
"Committee on Parish Boundaries, at its late Meeting in the City of
"Ottawa, I have the honour to request you to be so good as to furnish
"me with a statement indicating the boundaries which you and your
"Churchwardens would desire to have regarded as the boundaries of
"the Parish or Mission, or of the Parishes or Missions under your
"charge. I may add that it will greatly oblige and facilitate the work
"of the Committee if you can make it convenient to give this matter
"immediate attention. For the authority on which this circular is
"issued, I respectfully refer you to the resolution appointing the Com-
"mittee on Parish Boundaries (p. 43, Journal, 1st Sess., Synod Dio.
"Ottawa.

"Sincerely and respectfully yours,

(Signed) L. M. FORTIER,

"Chairman of Committee."

Out of the 53 incumbents of Parishes and Missions, 17 only sent answers to this circular, and of these answers 13 only are of a definite character; so that 40 of the Clergy have yet to be heard from definitely in this matter. Under these circumstances the Committee can only report progress and ask for further instructions. The correspondence will be found annexed hereto.

Respectfully submitted.

L. M. FORTIER,
Chairman.

Ottawa, 26th May, 1897.

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### Appendix C.—Division of Funds.

To the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Ottawa, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa.

May it please Your Lordship.

The Commissioners appointed by the resolution of the Synod of the Diocese on the 11th July, 1896, under the agreement arrived at by Judge Senkler with the Diocese

of Ontario, with respect to the division of the funds and securities, have the honor to report as follows :—

After the prorogation of the first Synod of this Diocese in July last, the Chancellor of this Diocese, in conjunction with Chancellor Walkem, of the Diocese of Ontario, prepared and completed a formal agreement between the two Synods ; and on the 12th August, 1896, said agreement was executed in triplicate by His Grace the Archbishop of Ontario and your Lordship ; an original of which agreement is herewith submitted. A printed copy of the agreement referred to will be found on page 79 of the first Journal of this Synod.

The Synod of the Diocese of Ontario having appointed as their Commissioners Dr. R. T. Walkem, Q.C.; Chancellor ; Mr. E. J. B. Pense, Treasurer, and the Rev. Stearne Tighe, correspondence ensued between us and the authorities of the Diocese of Ontario regarding a meeting of the Commissioners, which was ultimately held in Kingston on the 16th, 17th and 18th November, 1896, when all six Commissioners met for the purposes of dividing the funds and apportioning the securities between the two Dioceses.

Your Commissioners were most courteously received by their brother Commissioners in Kingston, and every effort was made (by late sittings and otherwise) to accomplish the work of the Commission at this November session of the Commission ; with the result that the division of the funds and securities was practically completed, with the exception of some details of account.

The amount of the capital apportioned to this Diocese was \$192,988.34, the details of which (along with a synopsis of the securities apportioned as representing the same) will be found in a copy of certain minutes of the meeting of the Commissioners appended hereto.

The making and adjusting of the accounts between the two Dioceses, owing to the fact that the Synod of Ontario had necessarily administered the funds belonging to this Diocese since the 1st of May, 1896, occupied considerable time, and necessitated a great deal of correspondence between Ottawa and Kingston. Your Commissioners again met at Ottawa on the 30th December, 1896, and were then afforded much assistance by the Lay Secretary of this Synod, Mr. J. F. Orde, by the Diocesan Treasurer, Mr. C. A. Elliot and by the Clerical Secretary. After a protracted meeting, your Commissioners resolved to request the Lay Secretary and the Treasurer to proceed to Kingston, and there confer with the Ontario Commissioners respecting adjustment and details of the accounts. Subsequently, on



the 7th and 8th January, 1897, Mr. Orde, and Mr. Elliot were kind enough to accordingly visit Kingston, where they were most courteously received by the Ontario Commissioners and the Clerical Secretary of that Diocese. After a somewhat protracted conference in Kingston, the Lay Secretary and Treasurer returned to Ottawa, reporting a partial settlement of the accounts between the two Synods. Subsequently the Rev. Canon Spencer, Clerical Secretary of Ontario, visited Ottawa, and a conference took place with him in respect to the details then still open.

After a great deal of correspondence between the authorities of both dioceses, all accounts (with the slight exception to be mentioned presently) between the two Synods, were adjusted by the Commissioners engaged, and on the 14th May, 1897, these accounts were signed by the six Commissioners and by the Clerical Secretary of Ontario, and the Lay Secretary of this Diocese, a signed original of which accounts is herewith submitted. The only outstanding question between the two Synods now is the amount due to this Diocese by Ontario for interest on the Lennox and Addington debenture, which was set aside by the Commissioners to answer the award of the arbitrator referred to in the agreement of the 12th of August, 1896. A note will be found appended to the accompanying accounts with respect to this matter.

In submitting this report, your Commissioners desire to express their appreciation of the fair and courteous treatment they received from their brother Commissioners of Ontario, whose evident intention, while properly protecting the interests of their own Diocese, was throughout to do what was fair, right and proper. Every facility was given to your Commissioners for the examination of the books of the Synod of Ontario, and of the securities dealt with. All such securities were examined separately by your Commissioners, the Chancellor and Clerical Secretary of Ontario affording your Commissioners all available information respecting the latter. The Treasurer and Lay Secretary brought back with them from Kingston the securities apportioned to this diocese. The mortgages included therein have since been all assigned to this Synod, and the assignments registered. The balance has been paid to this Synod in cash in accordance with the concluding entries in the accompanying signed accounts.

We have requested the Chancellor of this Diocese to report separately respecting the arbitration proceedings under the agreement of the 12th of August, 1896, the Executive committee having instructed the Chancellor to press the arbitration in November last.

Before closing this branch of their report, your Commissioners desire to place on record their high appreciations of the valuable services rendered to them by the officials of the Synod, especially by the Lay Secretary, Mr. J. F. Orde, and the Treasurer, Mr. C. A. Elliot.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. TRAVERS LEWIS,

W. S. SENKLER,

W. H. ROWLEY,

Commissioners.

#### DIVISION OF SECURITIES.

Meetings of the Commissioners appointed by the Dioceses of Ontario and Ottawa, to apportion the funds belonging to the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario, under terms of a deed or agreement made between the two Synods, dated August 12th, 1896, were held in the Synod Office, Kingston, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, November 16th, 17th and 18th, 1896.

There were present :—

Representing Ontario Diocese—R. T. Walkem, Q. C., Chancellor ; Rev. Stearne Tighe, and Edw. J. B. Pense, Treasurer.

Representing Ottawa Diocese—J. Travers Lewis, Chancellor ; Judge Senkler and W. H. Rowley.

It was agreed under terms of the deed of August 12th, 1896, that Mr. J. A. Worrell, Q.C., Toronto, be appointed the umpire or referee referred to therein.

In dealing with and apportioning the Mortgage securities, it is understood and it is agreed (unanimously) that as to those classed as "good" and "fair," all payments received since 1st May last and all interest accrued to 1st May last are to be taken into consideration in reaching a final balance. Whereas, on the other hand, in dealing with the securities classed as "doubtful," as "dependent chiefly on Real Estate," and on Real Estate itself, the accrued interest and all payments since 1st May last are to go to whichever Synod the various last named three classes of securities may be apportioned by this Commission.

The funds and securities to be dealt with were those recorded on pages 248, 249 and 250 of the Journal of Proceedings of Ontario Diocese, as per Auditors' statement of Capital Account on 1st May, 1896, the total amount being \$546,972.84, to which sum the Commissioners added balances of interest at the credit of the Clergy Superannuation Fund, \$512.10, and at the credit of the Divinity Students' Fund of \$551.39. The total amount to be dealt with was \$548,036.33, divided as follows :—

|                                  |                     |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Clergy Superannuation Fund ..... | \$ 7,512.10         |
| Clergy Trust Fund .....          | 263,000.00          |
| Divinity Students' Fund .....    | 5,551.39            |
| Sustentation Fund .....          | 35,800.00           |
| Widows' and Orphans' Fund .....  | 25,150.00           |
| McLaren Trust Fund.....          | 500.00              |
| Gainford Parochial Fund .....    | 850.83              |
| Gainford Mission Fund .....      | 1,701.67            |
| Rectory Lands Fund .....         | 207,970.34          |
|                                  | <u>\$548,036.33</u> |

The apportionments to the respective Dioceses were ascertained to be :-

|                                  | To Ontario<br>Diocese. | To Ottawa<br>Diocese. |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Clergy Superannuation Fund... \$ | 3,756.05               | \$ 3,756.05           |
| Clergy Trust Fund .....          | 125,284.00             | 125,284.00            |
| Divinity Students' Fund .....    | 2,775.69               | 2,775.70              |
| Sustentation Fund .....          | 17,900.00              | 17,900.00             |
| Widows' and Orphans' Fund ....   | 12,575.00              | 12,575.00             |
| Rectory Lands Fund .....         | 177,272.75             | 30,697.59             |
| McLaren Trust Fund .....         | 500.00                 |                       |
| Gainford Parochial Trust.....    | 850.83                 |                       |
| Gainford Mission Trust .....     | 1,701.67               |                       |
|                                  | <u>\$342,615.99</u>    | <u>\$192,983.34</u>   |

The sum of \$12,432, making the balance of the total amount of \$548,036.33, was reserved for arbitration, in accordance with the deed of August, 1896. For the purposes of a fair division of the different classes of securities, it was resolved that seven-elevenths be allotted to Ontario Diocese and four-elevenths to Ottawa Diocese, as near as practicable.

The subjoined division was effected :-

|                                    | Total<br>Amount.  | To Ontario<br>Diocese. | To Ottawa<br>Diocese. |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Cash.....                          | \$10,337 92       |                        |                       |
|                                    | 512 10            |                        |                       |
|                                    | 551 39            | \$11,401 41            | \$7,255 44            |
| Ontario Govt<br>Certificates ..... | 1,213 56          | 809 04                 | 404 52                |
| Life Insurance Policy.....         | 3,540 00          | 1,770 00               | 1,770 00              |
| Belleville Balances.....           | 511 70            | 511 70                 |                       |
| Canada Per. Stock.....             | 36,300 00         | 23,100 00              | 13,200 00             |
| Debentures, Schedule A.....        | 116,300 00        | 73,800 00              | 42,500 00             |
| Carried forward.....               | <u>169,266 67</u> | <u>107,246 18</u>      | <u>62,020 49</u>      |



|                                           |                     |                     |                     |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Brought forward.....                      | 169,266 67          | 107,246 18          | 62,020 49           |
| Mortgages—                                |                     |                     |                     |
| Schedule B (good, 5%).....                | 67,655 55           | 43,652 60           | 24,002 95           |
| “ C ( “ 5½ & 5½%).....                    | 35,350 00           | 21,650 00           | 13,700 00           |
| “ D ( “ 6%).....                          | 120,367 53          | 76,441 35           | 43,926 18           |
| “ E (fair).....                           | 37,874 18           | 24,043 43           | 13,830 72           |
| “ F (doubtful) ....                       | 18,369 88           | 11,700 00           | 6,669 88            |
| “ G (dependent on<br>real estate)..       | 51,735 48           | 33,542 78           | 18,192 70           |
| “ H (real estate)....                     | 20,009 99           | 11,859 13           | 8,150 86            |
| “ I (cash).....                           | 14,962 05           | 9,800 00            | 5,162 05            |
| From Lennox & Addington<br>debenture..... | 13 00               | 13 00               |                     |
| Reserved for Macaulay trust..             | 12,432 00           |                     |                     |
|                                           | <u>\$548,036 33</u> | <u>\$339,948 50</u> | <u>\$195,655 83</u> |
|                                           |                     |                     | 339,948 50          |
|                                           |                     |                     | <u>12,432 00</u>    |
|                                           |                     |                     | \$518,036 33        |

The amount apportioned to Ottawa being \$192,988.34, there is a balance of \$2,667.49 to be transferred to Ontario Diocese in the final adjustment.

CAPITAL (SECURITIES) ACCOUNT.

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa.

DR. TO

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario.

|       |                                                                                              |                   |
|-------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1896  |                                                                                              |                   |
| May 1 | By value of capital and securities apportioned to Ottawa under Commissioners' agreement..... | \$193,330 33      |
|       | Less cash charged to Ottawa as hereinafter shewn.....                                        | 341 99            |
|       | Leaving balance of capital transferable to Ottawa under Commissioner's agreement, viz,.....  | <u>192,988 34</u> |
|       | Carried forward, . . . . .                                                                   | 192,988 34        |

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|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Brought forward.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | \$192,938 34        |                     |
| Less one half share of the conventional value placed on life insurance policy held by Ontario Synod to be hereafter equally divided between the two Dioceses when the policy shall become a claim, in accordance with Commissioners' Agreement..... | 1,770 00            |                     |
| Leaving capital transferable on May 1st, 1896.....                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                     | \$191,218 34        |
| To share of cash credited to "Capital Cash Account" (q. v.).....                                                                                                                                                                                    | 4,145 97            |                     |
| To cash received on mortgages redeemed prior to 1st May, 1896, (apportioned to Ottawa, under Schedule I, Commissioner's Agreement) credited to "Capital Cash Account".....                                                                          | 5,162 05            |                     |
| To value of 5/11 of one share of Canada Permanent Stock paid in cash credited to "Capital Cash Account".....                                                                                                                                        | 29 54               |                     |
| To all securities transferred as of 1st May, 1896 . . . . .                                                                                                                                                                                         | 182,222 77          |                     |
| 1897                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                     |                     |
| Feb. 27 By share of \$12,432.00 reserved under agreement of 12th May, 1896, awarded to Ottawa by arbitration .....                                                                                                                                  | 4,704 00            |                     |
| Less amount thereof not payable until vacancy in See of Ontario.....                                                                                                                                                                                | 2,882 66            | 1,821 34            |
| To transfer of same to "Capital Cash Account," (q. v.)..                                                                                                                                                                                            | 1,821 34            |                     |
| By balance carried down.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                     | 341 99              |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <u>\$193,381 67</u> | <u>\$193,381 67</u> |

To balance brought down being the amount over apportioned to Ottawa as follows:—

|                                                                                                      |                 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Amount of Capital and securities apportioned to Ottawa on 1st May, 1896 . . .                        | 193,330 33      |
| Amount to which Ottawa entitled on 1st May, 1896..                                                   | 192,988 34      |
| Leaving amount chargeable to Ottawa in "Capital Cash Account," being above balance brought down..... | <u>\$341 99</u> |

CAPITAL (CASH) ACCOUNT.

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa.

DR. TO,

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario.

DR.

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| 1896    |                                                                                    |               |                    |
| May 1   | To balance due by Ottawa on final adjustment of securities on 1st May, 1896.....   |               | \$341 99           |
|         | To Insurance premiums paid since division on following mortgages and real estate:— |               |                    |
| Aug. 7  | 91, F. T. Murray.....                                                              | \$10 05       |                    |
| Oct. 21 | 134, Thos. Wall.....                                                               | \$17 16       |                    |
| " 27    | " " ".....                                                                         | 14 18         |                    |
| " 21    | 137, M. Heffernan.....                                                             | 31 34         |                    |
| Aug. 7  | 147, Mrs. M. Sweeny.....                                                           | 12 00         |                    |
| Oct. 21 | " " ".....                                                                         | 14 40         |                    |
| Oct. 21 | " " ".....                                                                         | 35 00         |                    |
| Dec. 31 | " " ".....                                                                         | 12 00         |                    |
|         |                                                                                    | <u>61 40</u>  |                    |
| Aug. 1  | 93, Edmund MacKay.....                                                             | 9 95          |                    |
| Oct. 8  | 98, Mrs. McGuinness.....                                                           | 8 75          |                    |
| Aug. 7  | 37, Henry Bradley.....                                                             | 4 85          |                    |
| Oct; 8  | Robt. Young.....                                                                   | 18 08         |                    |
| Aug. 5  | 135, D. J. Waggoner.....                                                           | 15 75         |                    |
| 1897    |                                                                                    |               |                    |
| Jan. 13 | 83, C. H. Lennox.....                                                              | 6 60          |                    |
|         |                                                                                    | <u>178 77</u> |                    |
|         | To balance carried down...                                                         |               | 12,427 54          |
|         |                                                                                    |               | <u>\$12,948 30</u> |



| 1896     | CR.                                                                                                                                           |                    |
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| May 1    | By balance of capital at credit of "Consolidated Fund" (Ont. Synod Journal, 1896, p. 256).....                                                | \$10,337 92        |
|          | By balances (treated as "Capital for purposes of division) at credit of "Clergy Superannuation Fund" (Ont. Synod Journal, 1896, p. 258) ..... | 512 10             |
|          | Divinity Students Fund (Ont. Synod Journal, 1896, p. 248) ....                                                                                | 551 39             |
|          |                                                                                                                                               | <u>\$11,401 41</u> |
|          | Less share of Ontario (7/11).....                                                                                                             | <u>7,255 44</u>    |
|          |                                                                                                                                               | \$4,145 97         |
|          | By cash received on mortgages redeemed before 1st May, 1896, (apportioned to Ottawa under Schedule I of Commr's agreement) viz.:-             |                    |
|          | Mortgage No. 45.....                                                                                                                          | 1,300 00           |
|          | "    "    68.....                                                                                                                             | 3,119 85           |
|          | "    "    135.....                                                                                                                            | 742 20             |
|          |                                                                                                                                               | <u>5,162 05</u>    |
|          | By value of 5/11 of one share of Canada Permanent Stock paid in cash                                                                          | 29 54              |
| 1897     | Feb. 27 By share of \$12,432.00 (reserved under agreement of 12th Aug. 1896) now payable under arbitrator's award (q.v.).....                 | 1,821 34           |
| 1896     | June 30 By "Rectory Lands Fund" Interest carried to Capital, viz.:-                                                                           |                    |
|          | Bearbrook .....                                                                                                                               | 23 00              |
|          | North Gower.....                                                                                                                              | 3 37               |
|          | Plantagenet.....                                                                                                                              | 5 67               |
|          |                                                                                                                                               | <u>32 04</u>       |
|          | By Insurance premiums (debited above) repaid or partially so                                                                                  |                    |
| 1896     | Mortgage No-                                                                                                                                  |                    |
| Sept. 30 | 91, Murray .....                                                                                                                              | 10 05              |
| Nov. 17  | 134, Wall .....                                                                                                                               | 31 34              |
| Dec. 7   | 137, Heffernan.....                                                                                                                           | 12 00              |
| Aug. 14  | 147, Sweeny . . . . .                                                                                                                         | 15 00              |
| Sept. 30 | 37, Bradley.....                                                                                                                              | 4 85               |
| Aug. 5   | 135, Waggoner.....                                                                                                                            | 15 75              |
|          |                                                                                                                                               | <u>88 99</u>       |
|          | Carried forward.....                                                                                                                          | <u>\$11,279 93</u> |

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| Brought forward.....                                                                                |                                            | \$11,279 93        |
| By repayments since 1st May, 1896,<br>on account of capital of securities<br>apportioned to Ottawa. |                                            |                    |
| Mortgage No—                                                                                        |                                            |                    |
| June 18                                                                                             | 1, Burroughs (Ins. prem. paid)....         | 2 95               |
| Oct. 31                                                                                             | 5, Franklin acc. pr.....                   | 100 00             |
| Dec. 2                                                                                              | 77, Edw. Jones, acc. pr.....               | 131 00             |
| June 29                                                                                             | 118, Sherbineau, acc. pr.....              | 300 00             |
| May 1                                                                                               | 72, Hurlbert, Ins. pr.....                 | 11 65              |
| Aug. 6                                                                                              | 138, Morris, Ins. pr. ....                 | 18 25              |
| Dec. 16                                                                                             | 54, Dillabough, acc. pr. ....              | 200 00             |
| June 30                                                                                             | Ontario Gov't Certificate paid....         | 404 52             |
| 1897                                                                                                |                                            |                    |
| Jan. 7                                                                                              | County of Frontenac debenture<br>paid..... | 500 00             |
|                                                                                                     |                                            | <u>1,668 37</u>    |
|                                                                                                     |                                            | <u>\$12,948 30</u> |
|                                                                                                     | By balance due Ottawa brought down         | <u>\$12,427 54</u> |

CONSOLIDATED FUND.

INTEREST ACCOUNT.

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa.

DR TO

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario.

DR.

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| 1896  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                   |
| May 1 | To) $\frac{1}{2}$ share of \$542.64 overdraft,<br>(see Ont. Synod Journal, 1896,<br>p. 257).....                                                                                                                                                                            | \$271 32          |
|       | To $\frac{1}{2}$ share of \$3,504.49 "Clergy<br>Trust Fund" overdraft, (see<br>Ont. Synod Journal, 1896, p.<br>258).....                                                                                                                                                    | 1,752 24          |
|       | To $\frac{1}{2}$ share of \$456.13 being amount<br>of "Rectory Lands Fund" over-<br>draft \$819.59 (see Ont. Synod<br>Journal 1896 p. 260), less amt.<br>overpaid Rectors of whole dio-<br>cese prior to division \$363 46<br>(see Ont. Synod Journal, 1896<br>p. 248)..... | 76 00             |
|       | Carried forward. ....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <u>\$2,099 56</u> |

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| Brought forward.....                                                                                                                                                                                        |                   | \$2,099 56 |
| To amounts overpaid Rectors (now<br>of Ottawa Diocese) prior to div-<br>ision                                                                                                                               |                   |            |
| Cornwall .....                                                                                                                                                                                              | \$9 91            |            |
| Franktown.....                                                                                                                                                                                              | 1 98              |            |
| Matilda.....                                                                                                                                                                                                | 16 77             |            |
| Perth.....                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 12 93             |            |
| Richmond.....                                                                                                                                                                                               | 15 37             |            |
| Roxborough. ....                                                                                                                                                                                            | 2 64              |            |
| Williansburg .....                                                                                                                                                                                          | 7 14              |            |
| Crysler Bequest.....                                                                                                                                                                                        | 2 50              |            |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <u>69 24</u>      |            |
| Less balance credit at of<br>Bearbrook Rectory, (Ont.<br>Synod Journal 1896 p.248) 2 00                                                                                                                     |                   | 67 24      |
| To $\frac{1}{2}$ share of \$1,311.52, "Widows<br>and Orphans Fund" overdraft,<br>(see Ont. Synod Journal 1896,<br>p. 260).....                                                                              |                   | 655 76     |
| To Ontario's 7/11 share of accrued<br>interest to date of division on<br>securities apportioned to Ottawa<br>as follows:—                                                                                   |                   |            |
| Debentures.....                                                                                                                                                                                             | 997 50            |            |
| Mortgages .....                                                                                                                                                                                             | 3,456 03          |            |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <u>\$4,453 53</u> | 2,834 05   |
| Canada Permanent Stock (accru-<br>ed interest on Ottawa's share of<br>dividend \$184.24).....                                                                                                               |                   | 117 24     |
| Dec. 31 To $\frac{1}{2}$ share of "Clergy Superannu-<br>ation Fund" payments (both<br>Dioceses) since division as follows:<br>Three quarterly payments on<br>June 30th, Sept. 30th & Dec.<br>31st, 1896, to |                   |            |
| Rev. J. Halliwell.....                                                                                                                                                                                      | \$190 00          |            |
| Rev. W. D. Mercer ....                                                                                                                                                                                      | 150 00            |            |
| Rev. W. H. Smythe .....                                                                                                                                                                                     | 75 00             |            |
| Rev. W. Lewin.....                                                                                                                                                                                          | 75 00             |            |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <u>450 00</u>     | 225 00     |
| Carried forward.....                                                                                                                                                                                        |                   | \$5,998 85 |



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|             | Brought forward.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                    | \$5,998 85 |
| Oct. 21     | To $\frac{1}{2}$ share of "Divinity Students Fund," payments (both Dioceses) since division as follows:—<br>J. D. McCallum, C. Sparling, J. F. Roundthwaite, W. A. Howard, G. A. Field, J. D. Wright, J. R. H. Warren, G. Code, E. W. Richards, F. W. Fee, R. H. Stacey, \$21.66 each .                             | \$238.26                                                                                           | 119 13     |
| Jan. 20     | To loan to W. A. Howard, (Divinity Student) prior to division, assumed by Ottawa Diocese....                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                    | 60 00      |
| June 2 1897 | To loan to W. A. Howard, (Divinity Student).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                    | 20 00      |
| Jan. 13     | To further "Divinity Students Fund," payments since division on following (as arranged between His Grace the Archbishop of Ontario and the Lord Bishop of Ottawa:—<br>W. A. Howard:.....<br>J. D. McCallum.....<br>E. W. B. Richards.....<br>J. R. H. Warren.....<br>R. H. Stacey.....                              | \$43 34<br>43 34<br>21 67<br>21 67<br>43 34                                                        | 173 36     |
| May 1       | To $\frac{1}{2}$ share of half yearly premium on Life Insurance Policy held in Trust by the Synod of Ontario, payable from "Sustentation Fund.".....                                                                                                                                                                | \$40 02                                                                                            | 20 01      |
| Nov. 1      | To half share of similar payment...                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                    | 20 01      |
| Dec. 31     | To $\frac{1}{2}$ share of payments (June 30, Sept. 30 and Dec. 31st) from "Widows & Orphans Fund" since division as follows:—<br>Mrs. Annie Armstrong.....<br>" A. Early.....<br>" C. Garrett.....<br>" F. Leathley.....<br>" Kate Pleas.....<br>" E. G. Kirkpatrick & child, 3 "<br>" Catherine Prime & 2 ch'n 3 " | 3 qrs \$150 00<br>3 " 150 00<br>3 " 150 00<br>3 " 150 00<br>3 " 150 00<br>3 " 180 00<br>3 " 210 00 |            |
|             | Carried forward.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | \$1,140 00                                                                                         | \$6,411 36 |

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| Brought forward .....                                                                                                                                                      | \$1,140 00        | \$6,411 36         |
| Mr. A. Baldon for Miss Ruth Bousfield, 2 qrs. (last payment now of age) .....                                                                                              | 40 00             |                    |
| Mrs. L. B. Stephenson & 1 child 3 qrs                                                                                                                                      | 180 03            |                    |
| “ Jemmett & 1 child .... 3 “                                                                                                                                               | 180 00            |                    |
| Dr. O. S. Strange for Mrs. Jones & 3 children .....                                                                                                                        | 240 00            |                    |
| Mrs. S. White & 2 children .... 3 “                                                                                                                                        | 210 00            |                    |
| “ E. M. C. Morris. .... 3 “                                                                                                                                                | 150 00            |                    |
| “ Anderson .....                                                                                                                                                           | 165 00            |                    |
|                                                                                                                                                                            | <u>\$2,305 00</u> | 1,152 50           |
| Oct. 31 To $\frac{1}{2}$ share of \$40.48 interest charged on “Widows & Orphans Fund” overdraft for half year (cross entry) .....                                          |                   | 20 24              |
| June 30 To $\frac{1}{2}$ of \$300 “Clergy Trust Fund” annuity paid to Widow of Rev. E. C. Bower, who died prior to division .....                                          |                   | 150 00             |
| Dec. 31 To payments since division to Ottawa's annuitants (under the agreement of 12th Aug. 1896) on “Clergy Trust Fund.” Three quarters (June 30, Sept. 30, Dec. 31st) to |                   |                    |
| Ven. Archdeacon Lauder .....                                                                                                                                               | 300 00            |                    |
| Rev. F. W. Dobbs .....                                                                                                                                                     | 225 00            |                    |
| “ Canon Pettit .....                                                                                                                                                       | 300 00            |                    |
| “ “ Worrell .....                                                                                                                                                          | 300 00            |                    |
| “ E. M. H. Baker .....                                                                                                                                                     | 300 00            |                    |
| “ J. J. Bogert .....                                                                                                                                                       | 300 00            |                    |
| “ C. P. Emery .....                                                                                                                                                        | 300 00            |                    |
| “ W. Fleming .....                                                                                                                                                         | 300 00            |                    |
| “ A. W. Cooke .....                                                                                                                                                        | 300 00            |                    |
| “ H. Austin .....                                                                                                                                                          | 300 00            |                    |
| “ A. C. Nesbitt .....                                                                                                                                                      | 300 00            |                    |
| “ Thos. Garrett .....                                                                                                                                                      | 300 00            |                    |
| “ E. W. Beaven, (one half) ..                                                                                                                                              | 150 00            |                    |
|                                                                                                                                                                            | <u>3,675 00</u>   |                    |
| Oct. 31 To $\frac{1}{2}$ of \$104.12 interest charged on “Clergy Trust Fund” overdraft for half-year (cross entry)                                                         |                   | 52 06              |
| To $\frac{1}{2}$ share of taxed law costs of                                                                                                                               |                   |                    |
| Carried forward .....                                                                                                                                                      |                   | <u>\$11,461 16</u> |

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| Brought forward.....                                                                                                                                                      |                         | \$11,461 16 |
| suit, Low vs. Synod of Ontario,<br>incurred prior to division \$175<br>and chargeable to "Clergy<br>Trust Fund.".....                                                     |                         | 87 50       |
| To "Rectory Lands Fund," in-<br>terest transferred to "Capital<br>Cash Account" since division<br>viz :—                                                                  |                         |             |
| Bearbrook.....                                                                                                                                                            | 23 00                   |             |
| North Gower.....                                                                                                                                                          | 3 37                    |             |
| Plantagenet.....                                                                                                                                                          | 5 67                    |             |
| Dec. 3 To "Rectory Lands Fund," pay-<br>ments to Rectors of Dioceses of<br>Ottawa, since division (Dividend<br>1½% on June 30th, ¼% on Sept.<br>30th and 2% on Dec. 31st. |                         | 32 04       |
| Bearbrook Rectory.....                                                                                                                                                    | 109 26                  |             |
| Cornwall ".....                                                                                                                                                           | 158 51                  |             |
| Franktown ".....                                                                                                                                                          | 31 59                   |             |
| Matilda ".....                                                                                                                                                            | 268 30                  |             |
| Perth ".....                                                                                                                                                              | 206 81                  |             |
| Richmond ".....                                                                                                                                                           | 246 92                  |             |
| Roxborough ".....                                                                                                                                                         | 42 24                   |             |
| Williamsburgh".....                                                                                                                                                       | 114 15                  |             |
| (Crysler Bequest).....                                                                                                                                                    | 40 00                   |             |
| Dec. 15 To ½ share of amount transferred<br>to credit of Assessment Fund<br>account for general expenses<br>since division 7½ months (cross<br>entry.....                 |                         | 1,217 78    |
| To ½ share of \$4.17 Bank Charges<br>to date for collecting coupons,<br>etc., since Division.....                                                                         |                         | 718 75      |
| Dec. 15 To ½ share of \$7.00 paid Dr. Rogers<br>for taxing Bills of Costs.....                                                                                            |                         | 2 08        |
| " 31 To amount paid to Archdeacon of<br>Ottawa to date under agreement<br>between the two Synods.....                                                                     |                         | 3 50        |
| 1897                                                                                                                                                                      |                         | 150 00      |
| Jan. 13 Paid Transfer charges on transfer of<br>Insurance Policies on Mortgage<br>securities to Ottawa Diocese....                                                        |                         | 27 00       |
|                                                                                                                                                                           |                         | \$13,699 81 |
|                                                                                                                                                                           | To balance brought down | \$2,721 11  |



(N. B.—The question of the amount to be credited to the Diocese of Ottawa in respect of income upon the \$12,432.00 reserved under the agreement of the 12th of August, 1896, is not taken into consideration in these accounts, and remains open for the present.)

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| 1896    |    |                                                                                                                            |                    |
| May 1   | By | Ottawa's 4/11 share of accrued interest to date of division on securities apportioned to Ontario as follows:—              |                    |
|         |    | Debentures.....                                                                                                            | 1,791 50           |
|         |    | Mortgages.....                                                                                                             | 5,354 21           |
|         |    |                                                                                                                            | <u>7,145 71</u>    |
|         |    |                                                                                                                            | \$2,598 44         |
|         | By | 4/11 of accrued interest on Waggoner mortgage (\$328 87)                                                                   | 118 86             |
|         | By | 4/11 of accrued interest on Ontario's share of dividend on Canada Permanent Stock (\$322 42)                               | 117 24             |
| 1897    |    |                                                                                                                            |                    |
| Jan. 15 | By | cash received by Ontario Diocese on account of Ottawa securities since division as follows:—                               |                    |
|         |    | On Debentures.....                                                                                                         | 2,415 00           |
|         |    | On Mortgages—                                                                                                              |                    |
|         |    | Schedule B. Commrs. Agreemt.                                                                                               | 837 50             |
|         |    | “ C. “ “                                                                                                                   | 602 62             |
|         |    | “ D. “ “                                                                                                                   | 1,926 43           |
|         |    | “ E. “ “                                                                                                                   | 251 28             |
|         |    | “ F. “ “                                                                                                                   | 184 00             |
|         |    | “ G. “ “                                                                                                                   | 593 91             |
|         |    | “ H. “ “                                                                                                                   |                    |
|         |    | (Rent of Farm)....                                                                                                         | 40 00              |
|         |    | Schedule L. Commrs. Agreemt. (Mortgages redeemed)..... (except Waggoner mortgage)                                          | 475 78             |
|         |    | On Waggoner mortgage (No. 135, Schedule I) Ottawa's share of interest on \$742.20 from 1st May, 1896 to 5th Aug., 1896.... | 10 39              |
|         |    | On Canada Permanent Stock..                                                                                                | 552 72             |
|         | By | ½ share of collections or subscriptions due from whole Diocese before, but received after division, as follows:            |                    |
|         |    | Carried forward.....                                                                                                       | <u>\$10,724 17</u> |

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|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|--------------------|
| Brought forward.....                                                                 |                                                                                                                        |         | \$10,724 17        |
| "Clergy Superannuation Fund"                                                         |                                                                                                                        |         |                    |
| June 12                                                                              | St. John's, Ottawa.....                                                                                                | 23 24   |                    |
| " 16                                                                                 | Plantagenet & Fenagh Vale....                                                                                          | 1 56    |                    |
| " 19                                                                                 | St. Margaret's, Janeville. ....                                                                                        | 24      |                    |
|                                                                                      |                                                                                                                        | <hr/>   |                    |
| 1896                                                                                 | "Divinity Student's Fund"                                                                                              | \$25 04 | 12 52              |
| May 6                                                                                | Kemptville.....                                                                                                        | 2 25    |                    |
| " 9                                                                                  | N. Augusta and Jellyby....                                                                                             | 2 07    |                    |
| " 19                                                                                 | Christ Church, Ottawa.....                                                                                             | 5 69    |                    |
| June 11                                                                              | Cardinal.....                                                                                                          | 6 95    |                    |
|                                                                                      |                                                                                                                        | <hr/>   |                    |
|                                                                                      |                                                                                                                        | \$16 96 | 8 48               |
| "Widows and Orphans Fund"                                                            |                                                                                                                        |         |                    |
| Large No. of small items from<br>May 9th, 1896, to Dec. 3rd, 1896<br>amounting to :- |                                                                                                                        |         |                    |
|                                                                                      | Collections.....                                                                                                       | 105 66  |                    |
|                                                                                      | Subscriptions.....                                                                                                     | 136 00  |                    |
|                                                                                      |                                                                                                                        | <hr/>   |                    |
|                                                                                      |                                                                                                                        | 241 66  | 120 83             |
| Oct. 31                                                                              | By $\frac{1}{2}$ share of \$104.12 half year's interest charged on "Clergy Trust Fund" overdraft (cross entry)..       |         | 52 06              |
|                                                                                      | By $\frac{1}{2}$ share of \$40.48 half year's interest charged on "Widows & Orphans Fund" overdraft (cross entry)..... |         | 20 24              |
|                                                                                      | By $\frac{1}{2}$ share of \$80.00 half year's interest, on "Mission Fund" overdraft (cross entry).....                 |         | 40 40              |
|                                                                                      | By balance carried down.....                                                                                           |         | 2,721 11           |
|                                                                                      |                                                                                                                        | <hr/>   |                    |
|                                                                                      |                                                                                                                        |         | <u>\$13,699 81</u> |

## MISSION FUND ACCOUNT.

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa,  
to  
The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario.  
Dr.

|         |                                                                                                                |           |                  |
|---------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|------------------|
| 1896    |                                                                                                                |           |                  |
| May 1   | To overdraft (Ont. Synod Journal 1893, page 252) .....                                                         | \$2045 76 |                  |
| June 30 | To quarterly payments of Mission grants to both Dioceses. \$                                                   | 2730 44   |                  |
|         | Less amount advanced to Mr. Selby, chargeable to Ontario alone .....                                           | 25 00     | 2705 44          |
|         | To amount carried to the credit of "Assessment Fund" for general expenses for May and June (cross entry) ..... |           | 91 66            |
| July 11 | To payment to Rev. J. Robinson to June 30th .....                                                              |           | 40 00            |
| July 17 | To Daily News Printing Account .....                                                                           |           | 6 50             |
| Oct. 31 | To interest on whole overdraft on Fund, credited to Interest Account .....                                     | 85 35     |                  |
|         | Less one month's interest on Ontario's overdraft .....                                                         | 4 55      | 80 80            |
|         |                                                                                                                |           | <u>\$4970 16</u> |
|         | To balance brought down.....                                                                                   | \$3137 56 |                  |
|         | Less Ontario's share .....                                                                                     | 1568 78   | <u>1568 78</u>   |
|         |                                                                                                                |           | Cr.              |

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|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|
| 1896    |                                                                             |         |                 |
| Oct. 31 | By Trinity Collections.                                                     |         |                 |
|         | Ontario .....                                                               | 305 54  |                 |
|         | Ottawa .....                                                                | 332 38  | 637 92          |
|         | By collections due before but paid after 1st May, 1896, from whole Diocese. |         |                 |
|         | Advent Collections .....                                                    | 43 64   |                 |
|         | Carried forward.....                                                        | \$43 64 | <u>\$637 92</u> |



|                                                      |         |                  |
|------------------------------------------------------|---------|------------------|
| Brought forward.....                                 | \$43 64 | \$637 92         |
| Missionary Meetings .....                            | 31 08   |                  |
| Parochial Collections .....                          | 1090 76 |                  |
|                                                      |         | <u>1165 48</u>   |
| Dec. 15                                              |         |                  |
| By balance of Trinity Collec-<br>tions to date ..... |         | 29 20            |
| By balance carried down .....                        |         | 3137 56          |
|                                                      |         | <u>\$4970 16</u> |

## ASSESSMENT FUND ACCOUNT.

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa,  
to  
The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario.  
Dr.

|                                                                                              |               |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| 1896                                                                                         |               |                 |
| May 1                                                                                        |               |                 |
| To half share of interest from<br>Nov. 28th, 1895, to date, on<br>See House Mortgage .....   | \$ 208 33     | \$ 104 16       |
| To half share of rent, taxes and<br>gas from Jany. 1st, 1896, to<br>date .....               | 98 82         | 49 41           |
| To half share of cost of auditing<br>accounts for 1895-96, unpaid<br>at date .....           | 63 00         | 31 50           |
| To half share of allowance for<br>April, 1896, for Archbishop's<br>travelling expenses ..... | 33 33         |                 |
| Clerical Secretary's salary .....                                                            | 133 34        |                 |
| Janitor's Salary .....                                                                       | 4 00          |                 |
|                                                                                              | <u>170 67</u> | 85 33           |
| To printing prayers for Episco-<br>pal election .....                                        |               | 6 50            |
| Dec. 15                                                                                      |               |                 |
| To 300 copies Ontario Synod<br>Journal for 1896 at 25c. ..                                   |               | 75 00           |
| To salary of Clerical Secretary<br>to date 7 1-2 months .....                                | 1000 00       |                 |
| Less Ontario's share .....                                                                   | <u>600 00</u> | 400 00          |
| To half share of Auditor's salary<br>to date .....                                           | 62 50         | 31 25           |
| To balance carried down .....                                                                |               | 123 95          |
|                                                                                              |               | <u>\$907 10</u> |

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|---------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------------|
| 1896    |                                                                                          |          |                 |
| May 1   | By half share of balance at credit of fund (Ont. Synod Journal 1896, p. 251 .....        | \$ 15 04 | 7 52            |
|         | By half share of balance due from St. George's Cathedral on vault account .....          | 150 00   | 75 00           |
|         | By half of cost of typewriting machine .....                                             | 120 00   | 60 00           |
| Dec. 15 | By half share of accounts charged funds for general expenses as follows: (cross entries) |          |                 |
|         | Consolidated Fund .....                                                                  | 1437 50  | 718 75          |
|         | Mission Fund .....                                                                       | 91 66    | 45 83           |
|         |                                                                                          |          | <u>\$907 10</u> |
|         | By balance brought down .....                                                            |          | <u>\$123 95</u> |

## BALANCES.

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa,  
to

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario.

|         |                                                                       |                   |                   |
|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1897    |                                                                       |                   |                   |
| March 1 |                                                                       | Dr.               | Cr.               |
|         | By balance, Capital Cash Account .....                                |                   | \$12427 54        |
|         | To balance, Consolidated Fund Interest Account .....                  | \$2721 11         |                   |
|         | To Balance, Mission Fund .....                                        | 1568 78           |                   |
|         | By Balance, Assessment Fund..                                         |                   | 123 95            |
|         | To balance carried down .....                                         | 8261 60           |                   |
|         |                                                                       | <u>\$12551.49</u> | <u>\$12551.49</u> |
|         | By balance brought down .....                                         |                   | \$8261 60         |
|         | March 8—To cheque on account                                          | \$1500 00         |                   |
|         | March 31—To cheque on account                                         | 3000 00           |                   |
|         | April 30—To cheque on account                                         | 1857 11           |                   |
|         | April 30—To cheque Capital of Archdeacon's Fund, Ottawa Diocese ..... | 1821 34           |                   |
|         | Carried forward .....                                                 | \$8,178 45        | \$9,261 60        |

|                                                                                                             |                  |                  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Brought forward .....                                                                                       | \$8,178 45       | \$8,261 60       |
| April 30—To cheque Bal. of Assessment Fund .....                                                            | 123 95           |                  |
| April 30—By balance overpaid by Ontario Diocese, being amount advanced on account of the matter reserved... |                  | 40 80            |
|                                                                                                             | <u>\$8302 40</u> | <u>\$8302 40</u> |
| To balance brought down ....                                                                                | \$40 80          |                  |

The foregoing accounts are agreed to by the Commissioners of both Synods. (14th May, 1897).

RICHARD T. WALKEM,  
E. J. B. PENSE,  
STEARNE TIGHE, M.A.,

Commissioners of the Diocese of Ontario.

A. SPENCER,  
Clerical Secretary.

J. TRAVERS LEWIS,  
W. S. SENKLER,  
W. H. ROWLEY,

Commissioners of the Diocese of Ottawa.

JOHN F. ORDE,  
Lay Secretary Diocese of Ottawa.

Kingston, Ont., May 13th, 1897.

My Dear Chancellor Lewis,—

Please find enclosed the accounts in duplicate, signed by our Commissioners, and by me as Clerical Secretary.

In our view the sum of \$40.80 apparently overpaid by our Synod represents what Ottawa should receive from the income of the Lennox and Addington Debenture for the year 1896. It is arrived at as follows:—

|                                                                          |          |               |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|---------------|
| Interest for one year .....                                              | \$618 00 |               |
| Less amount required yearly to restore capital advanced as premium ..... | 155 00   | \$463 00      |
| Deduct amount due the Archbishop ..                                      |          | <u>345 92</u> |

Amount remaining for Archdeacons 117 08

For the first four months of 1896 this remainder belongs equally to both Archdeacons. For the last eight months it comes under the Award.

|                               |              |
|-------------------------------|--------------|
| 1-2 of 1-3 of \$117.08 .....  | \$19 51      |
| 3-11 of 2-3 of \$117.08 ..... | <u>21 29</u> |
|                               | \$40 80      |

Since writing the above I am in receipt of yours of the 12th, and will forward the Journals at once.

Sincerely yours,  
A. SPENCER,



**Appendix D—Arbitrators' Report.**

Ottawa, 18th May, 1897.

To the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Ottawa, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa.

May it please Your Lordship :

At the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Diocese, held in November last, it was resolved that the arbitration contemplated by the Deed of Agreement between the Synods of Ontario and Ottawa, dated 12th August, 1896, should be pressed by this Synod, and I was then instructed to proceed with the matter with all despatch.

Accordingly, after considerable correspondence with the authorities at Kingston, the arbitrator, Mr. J. A. Worrell, Q.C., Chancellor of the Diocese of Toronto, appointed the 4th February, 1897, for the purpose of proceeding with the reference in Toronto.

The task involved considerable research respecting the dealings of the Dioceses of Toronto, Huron and Ontario, with the original clerical commutants with the government, before and during the years 1863 to 1869. The record of these transactions was not to be had in print, after exhaustive enquiry ; nor were the original documents and agreements relating thereto readily found. In my search for material on which to found our case, I received great assistance from the Rev. Rural Dean Bogert, who preceded me to Toronto, and with whom I spent a most profitable day in Toronto before the argument. The Secretary of the Diocese of Toronto afforded us such information as was there obtainable ; but, owing to the old records of that Diocese not being at present catalogued or systematically kept, I experienced some difficulty in obtaining desired information. It was not, in fact, until the day of the argument that we were able to obtain all of the material used upon the reference.

It will be remembered that the question submitted to the arbitrator was with respect to the proper disposition of the sum of \$12,432.00, required under the award known as "The Macaulay Award" (referred to on page 594 of the Journal of the Synod of the Diocese of Ontario for 1868) to meet the annual payment of \$345.92 to the Bishop of Ontario and \$400.00 to the Archdeacon, heretofore administered by the Synod of Ontario in the Cergy Trust Fund,

The arbitrator, Chancellor Worrell, Q.C., took up the reference early on the 4th February, 1897; Dr. Walkem, Q.C., representing Ontario, and I representing this Diocese. The Rev. Rural Dean Bogert was present throughout the proceedings, and afforded me most valuable information and assistance.

The evidence submitted on behalf of both Synods was wholly documentary. The argument lasted all day; the arbitrator reserving judgment. It was agreed by both sides that the fee of the Arbitrator, Chancellor Worrell, should, in any event, be borne equally by both Synods, and that each Synod should, in any event, bear its own costs.

On the 1st March, 1897, I received notice from the arbitrator that he had made his award, a copy of which instrument (dated 27th February, 1897) is herewith submitted.

It is well here to indicate the sums of which the \$12,432.00 in dispute is composed.

After careful perusal of all the evidence obtainable, it was found that the sum in dispute was made up as follows:—

|           |     |                                                                                                                                                          |            |             |
|-----------|-----|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| 1863      |     |                                                                                                                                                          |            |             |
| 5th Aug.  | (A) | Amount received from Church Society of Toronto by Incorporated Synod of Ontario, on the death of Archdeacon Stewart, of Kingston.....                    | £756 0 0   | \$3,024 00  |
| 1864      | (B) | Amount of capital of Clergy Trust Fund which, @ 6%, added to £765.0.0 above mentioned, would yield £100 .0.0 a year for Archdeacon...                    | 910 13 4   | \$,642 67   |
| 1868      |     |                                                                                                                                                          |            |             |
| 30th Jan. | (C) | Amount of capital sum in Clergy Trust Fund, which, @ 6%, along with the £5,225.6.8 received from Toronto, would yield £400.0.0 a year to the Bishop..... | 1,441 6 8  | 5,765 33    |
|           |     |                                                                                                                                                          | £3,108 0 0 | \$12,432 00 |

The result of the award is that, out of the \$12,432.00 in question, Ontario retains (A) the \$3,024.00 in trust to pay the income thereof to the Archdeacon of Ontario; that Ontario also retains (C) the \$5,765.33, during the incumbency

of the present Archbishop, being the amount in the Clergy Trust Fund of Ontario utilized @ 6 per cent to help pay the Bishop of Ontario his £400.0.0. a year, but that, after the See of Ontario shall have next become vacant, this \$5,765.33 is to be divided equally between Ontario and Ottawa; and that the (B) \$3,642.67 is directed to be forthwith divided equally between the two Synods, as part of the Clergy Trust Fund.

The result of this to us is that this Synod immediately gets \$1,821.38 from Ontario, as part of the Clergy Trust Fund; and also will receive, on the next vacancy in the See of Ontario, \$2,882.66, as part of the Clergy Trust Fund; making in all \$4,704.04 immediately or ultimately payable to Ottawa, out of the \$6,216.00 which was Ottawa's maximum claim upon the occasion of the arbitration.

Accompanying this report, I append a copy of the Macaulay Award, dated 29th September, 1859, and copies of the Covenants entered into by the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario with the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto, dated respectively the 5th August, 1863, and 30th January, 1868. These three documents, which were only obtainable after considerable enquiry and research, will afford those interested some historical information upon the matters in dispute.

I do not here set out the various arguments put forward, pro and con, on the occasion of the arbitration proceedings. The facts and arguments in support of the contentions of this Synod are somewhat voluminous, as contained in my brief; but I trust that the Synod will assume that, considering the limited amount of data obtainable, its case was fully presented to the Arbitrator.

I desire to add, before closing, that the Arbitrator accorded me a most courteous and patient hearing; and I further wish to again express my thanks to the Rev. Rural Dean Bogert for his valuable services, and Mr. J. F. Orde for timely assistance in the consideration of this matter.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. TRAVERS LEWIS.



To The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario, and  
to R. T. Walkem, Esq., D.C.L., Chaucellor of the said  
Diocese, and

To The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa, and  
to J. Travers Lewis, Esq., the Chancellor of the said  
Diocese.

Dear Sirs,—

I hereby give you notice that I have made and published  
my Award in writing respecting the matters referred to me  
by the Synods above mentioned, and that it lies in dupli-  
cate at the office of Crombie, Worrell & Gwynne, in this  
City, ready to be delivered.

The charges amount to \$100.00, which I understand it  
has been agreed shall be paid equally by the two Synods.

Dated the 1st day of March, A.D. 1897.

I am,

Yours faithfully,

(Signed) J. A. WORRELL.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME.  
I, JOHN AUSTIN WORRELL, of the City of Toronto, in  
the County of York, Barrister at Law.

SEND GREETING.

WHEREAS, by an Indenture bearing date the Twelfth  
day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred  
and ninety six, and made between The Incorporated Synod  
of the Diocese of Ontario (hereinafter called "the Synod  
of Ontario") and the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of  
Ottawa (hereinafter called "the Synod of Ottawa") AFTER  
RECITING that the Diocese of Ottawa had been lately  
set off from the Diocese of Ontario, and that by an Act of  
the Legislature of the Province of Ontario, passed in the  
fifty-ninth year of Her Majesty's reign and Chaptered 117  
provision was made for the incorporation of the Synod of  
Ottawa, and for enabling the said Synod to take and re-  
ceive from the Synod of Ontario such proportion of the  
funds and property held in trust for various purposes by  
the Synod of Ontario, as the Synod of Ottawa might be-  
come entitled to by virtue of any arrangement or agree-  
ment arrived at between the said Synods, IT WAS  
THEREBY arranged and agreed among other things that  
the Clergy Trust Fund of the Diocese of Ontario should  
be so dealt with that there should be first deducted from  
the capital of the said Fund the sum of twelve thousand,

four hundred and thirty-two dollars "required under the award known as the 'Macaulay Award,' to meet the annual payments of three hundred and forty-five dollars and ninety-two cents to the Bishop and four hundred dollars to the Archdeacon," and that subject to such deduction the fund should be divided equally between the Synod of Ontario and the Synod of Ottawa, and the question of the proper disposition of the said sum of twelve thousand four hundred and thirty-two dollars was thereby referred for determination to me as Arbitrator, it being provided that until an Award should be made in respect of the said sum of twelve thousand four hundred and thirty-two dollars the Synod of Ontario should pay the said sum of three hundred and forty-five dollars and ninety-two cents, payable to the Archbishop, and the sum of four hundred dollars payable to the Archdeacons of Kingston and Ottawa out of the interest thereof, and that the said capital of twelve thousand four hundred and thirty-two dollars should be thereafter disposed of by the Synod of Ontario in accordance with the terms of the said Award.

NOW KNOW YE that I, the said Arbitrator, having taken upon myself the burden of the said reference and having duly heard, weighed and considered the allegations and matters urged on behalf of the said Synod of Ontario and the said Synod of Ottawa, and also the proofs, vouchers, and documents which have been given in evidence before me, DO HEREBY MAKE and publish this, my award of and concerning the matters so referred to me.

FIRSTLY. I DO AWARD, order and adjudge that the sum of three thousand and twenty-four dollars (or seven hundred and fifty-six pounds of old Canadian currency) received by the Synod of Ontario in or about the years 1863 and 1864 from the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto be retained by the Synod of Ontario subject to the trusts and conditions under which the same was paid to the said Synod by the said Church Society of Toronto in pursuance of the said "Macaulay Award."

SECONDLY. AS REGARDS the sum of nine thousand four hundred and eight dollars, being the balance of the said sum of twelve thousand four hundred and thirty-two dollars, I DO AWARD, order and adjudge that such portion thereof as would be required to yield if invested at interest at the rate of six per cent per annum the sum of three hundred and forty-five dollars and ninety-two cents, now payable to the Archbishop of Ontario, that is to say,

the sum of five thousand seven hundred and sixty-five dollars and thirty-three cents be retained by the Synod of Ontario during the Incumbency of the See of Ontario by the said Archbishop, and on a vacancy of the said See occurring by the death of the said Archbishop or otherwise, that the said sum be divided equally between the Synod of Ontario and the Synod of Ottawa as part of the said Clergy Trust Fund, and that the balance of the said sum, namely three thousand six hundred and forty-two dollars and sixty seven cents, be forthwith divided equally between the said two Synods as part of the said Clergy Trust Fund.

IN WITNESS whereof I have hereunto and to a duplicate hereof set my hand and seal, the twenty-seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Signed and delivered.

in the presence of

(Signed) J. A. WORRELL.

(Signed) EVAN H. McLEAN.

IN THE MATTER of an Arbitration between The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario and The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa.

I, EVAN HAMILTON McLEAN, of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, Student at Law, make oath and say :

1. THAT I DID, on the twenty-seventh day of February, 1897, see John Austin Worrell, of the said City of Toronto, sign, seal and publish the Award in writing hereunto annexed.

2. THAT THE NAME "J. A. Worrell," set and subscribed to the said Award as the party executing the same, is of the proper handwriting of the said Arbitrator, and that the name "Evan H. McLean," set and subscribed thereto as the witness attesting the execution of the said Award, is of the proper handwriting of me, this deponent.

3. THAT THE said Award was made and published on the twenty-seventh day of February, A.D. 1897.

SWORN before me at the City of Toronto, in the County of York, this 1st day of March, A.D. 1897.

(Signed) EVAN H. McLEAN.

(Signed) D. B. SYMONS,

A Commissioner, etc.



TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, WE, THE RIGHT REVEREND JOHN STRACHAN, LORD BISHOP OF TORONTO, THE RIGHT REVEREND BENJAMIN CRONYN, LORD BISHOP OF HURON, and THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES BUCHANAN MACAULAY, KNIGHT, SEND GREETING.

WHEREAS the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto and the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron, by bonds bearing date the thirtieth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, became bound each to the other in the penal sum of one hundred thousand pounds of lawful money of Canada, WHEREBY AFTER RECITING that before the incorporation of the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron, the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto had received divers lands, stocks, funds and moneys for the various purposes for which the said Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto was authorized to hold the same under and by virtue of the Act of Parliament incorporating the said Church Society, AND ALSO that the Act of Incorporation of the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron authorized and enabled the said last named Church Society to take, receive and hold any property that might be transferred or conveyed to that Society by any other Church Society of the Church of England in Canada, AND ALSO that the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron had just claims to receive some portion of the said lands, stocks, funds and moneys of the said Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto, AND ALSO that the basis of apportionment should be decided by the arbitrament of the present Bishops of Toronto and Huron, and the Honourable Sir James Buchanan Macaulay, they were conditioned that if the said Church Societies should well and truly obey, abide by and perform any award that might be made under the hands and seals of the said present Bishops of Toronto and Huron, and the said Honourable Sir James Buchanan Macaulay, or in the event of the said Bishops being unable to concur in a joint award, then of any award of the said Sir James Buchanan Macaulay, alone touching or concerning the division or apportionment of the land, stocks, funds and moneys of the said Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto, between the said Church Societies and the manner in which and the time when such division or apportionment should be carried out, then those obligations should be void.

NOW KNOW YE that we, the said Arbitrators, having taken upon ourselves the burden of the said award, and heard and examined the allegations and matters urged on behalf of each of the said Church Societies, DO unanimously award, order and adjudge as follows respecting the matters submitted to us by the said Church Societies.

FIRST. In respect of the funds of the Widows and Orphans' Fund of the said Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto, WE DO AWARD, ORDER AND ADJUDGE that the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto shall convey, assign and transfer to the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron absolutely in full satisfaction and discharge of all claims of the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron on the said Widows' and Orphans' Fund the following securities :

|                                                                                                                      |             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Forty-eight shares of the sock of the Bank of Upper Cantda .....                                                     | £ 600 0 0   |
| Debentures of the County of Middlesex in the schedule hereto annexed mentioned of the par value of £1,250—cost ..... | 973 5 5     |
| A money bond of Henry Rowsell for .....                                                                              | 131 16 6    |
| A mortgage of the Reverend Anson Green ..                                                                            | 100 0 0     |
| A money bond of James Hunter .....                                                                                   | 100 0 0     |
| A loan for the parsonage at Manvers .....                                                                            | 82 0 0      |
| A loan for the parsonage at Elora .....                                                                              | 87 10 0     |
|                                                                                                                      | £2077 11 11 |

Making in all the sum of two thousand and seventy-seven pounds eleven shillings and eleven pence.

SECONDLY. In respect of the lands held by the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto for general purposes and for the Students' Fund, WE DO AWARD, ORDER AND ADJUDGE that all those lands, now held by the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto which are within the local limits of the Diocese of Huron, amounting to one thousand five hundred and eighty acres, together with two hundred acres within the same limits held in trust for the Students' Fund, be conveyed and assigned to The Church Society of the Diocese of Huron forever, AND we also recommend that the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts shall convey and assign all their lands within the same limits, amounting to three hundred and eighty-eight acres, to the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron and their assigns forever.

THIRDLY. In respect of lands held in special trust WE DO AWARD, ORDER AND ADJUDGE that the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto shall convey and assign to the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron and their assigns forever ALL lands within either of the Dioceses of Toronto or Huron to which special trusts are attached for the benefit of any church, parsonage, rectory or otherwise howsoever within the limits of the Diocese of Huron such lands held by the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto, amounting in all to nine hundred and two acres.

FOURTHLY. In respect of all other funds held by the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto except the commutation fund, WE DO AWARD AND ADJUDGE that the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto shall transfer, convey and assign to the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron absolutely the following securities :

|                                                        |      |
|--------------------------------------------------------|------|
| £437, 10, 0 of British American Insurance Stock for .. | £430 |
| Loan to the Parsonage of Warwick .....                 | 100  |
|                                                        | £530 |

In all five hundred and thirty pounds to be taken and received by The Church Society of the Diocese of Huron in full satisfaction and discharge of all claims on all the said other funds of the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto except the Commutation Fund.

FIFTHLY. In respect of the Commutation Fund, WE DO AWARD, ORDER AND ADJUDGE that the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto shall assign, transfer and deliver to the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron in Debentures in the Schedule hereto annexed, signed by us, at their par value, the sum of sixty-six thousand and fifty-two pounds and five shillings and in cash the sum of four hundred and ninety-eight pounds and fifteen shillings which the said Church Society of the Diocese of Huron shall accept and receive in full satisfaction and discharge of all their claims upon the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto in respect of the said Commutation Fund, except as herein-after mentioned.

SIXTHLY. WE DO AWARD, ORDER AND ADJUDGE that the said several conveyances, assignments, transfers, divisions, and payments shall be made by The Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto to The Church Society of the Diocese of Huron on or before the fifteenth day of January next, and that the Church Society of the



Diocese of Toronto shall continue to pay the salaries and annuities charged respectively on the Commutation and Widows' and Orphans' Funds of the Clergymen, Widows, or Orphans within the Diocese of Huron, on the first days of October and January next, and that in the conveyance assignment and transfer of all or any of the securities hereinbefore named to the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron, any unpaid interest thereon shall be calculated to the first day of January next and allowed to the said Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto by the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron as a payment of so much money to the said last named Church Society.

SEVENTHLY. That on the completion of the said conveyances, deliveries and payments the said Church Societies shall execute each to the other under their Corporate Seals the following deeds and bonds :

FIRST. Mutual releases touching and concerning all and every the matters, claims and things mentioned and contained in this award and all cause and causes of action of every kind and nature either at law or in equity to the date of this our award.

SECONDLY. Mutual bonds in penalties of one hundred thousand pounds respectively to save harmless and indemnified from any loss any of the Clergy whose salaries are charged by covenant made with The Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto on the Commutation Fund in either Diocese at the date of this our award or the Widows and Orphans of any Clergymen in either Diocese who are or would be entitled to a charge on the Widows and Orphans' Fund at the date of this our award if no division of that fund were made The Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto becoming so bound to the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron to make up any deficiency in the annual amount so chargeable upon the Commutation or Widows' and Orphans' Funds for the Clergy Widows and Orphans in this second section mentioned within the Diocese of Huron, AND the said Church Society of the Diocese of Huron being bound to the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto in the same manner and to the same extent for the Clergy Widows and Orphans in this second section mentioned within the Diocese of Toronto, but that no such deficiency shall be payable by either Church Society to the other unless notified by the Church Society so claiming for such deficiency on or before the first day of February in the year next after that in which such deli-

ciency shall occur, the year for calculating such deficiency being from the first day of January in one year to the first day of January in the next year.

THIRDLY. That the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto shall execute a bond to the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron in a penalty of ten thousand pounds, that on the deaths of the present Bishop of Toronto the present Archdeacon of York and the present Archdeacon of Kingston severally, the said Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto shall pay to the said Church Society of the Diocese of Huron the following sums : On the death of the Bishop of Toronto the sum of £2,686, 13, 4 (two thousand six hundred and eighty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence).

On the death of the Archdeacon of York the sum of £1,333, 0, 0 (one thousand, three hundred and thirty-three pounds).

On the death of the Archdeacon of Kingston the sum of £756, 0, 0 (seven hundred and fifty-six pounds),

And also on the deaths of all of the said three Clergymen the said Bishop and the said Archdeacons (or on the first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy, whichever shall first happen) pay to the said Church Society of the Diocese of Huron the further sum of £1,205, 13, 4 (one thousand two hundred and five pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence), the whole of such payments to be made by the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto in any securities held by such Society at the time of such payment bearing six per cent interest at their par value, but before any such payment or payments shall be made by the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto, the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron shall execute a covenant to the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto that the said sums so paid as in this section mentioned, together with the sum of £2,352, 0 0 (two thousand three hundred and fifty two pounds) which shall be provided by the said Church Society of the Diocese of Huron, shall stand, be and remain forever a fund from the proceeds of which shall be paid a salary of four hundred pounds per annum to the Bishop of Huron for the time being, and a salary of one hundred pounds per annum for an Archdeacon of Huron for the time being, it being our intention, AND WE DO HEREBY AWARD, DECREE AND ADJUDGE that similar sums should be paid by the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto for

the benefit of the Eastern Diocese, whenever that Diocese shall be set apart, on the same conditions as the said sums are hereby awarded to the Diocese of Huron. And that the sum of £8,333, 6, 8 (eight thousand three hundred and thirty-three pounds, six shillings and eight pence) should also be set apart from the said Commutation Fund and stand forever in the said Diocese of Toronto as a fund from which after the death of the present Incumbents a salary of four hundred pounds per annum shall be paid to the Bishop of Toronto for the time being and a salary of one hundred pounds per annum to an Archdeacon of the Diocese of Toronto for the time being. And the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto shall execute a covenant to the Church Society of the Diocese of Huron to that effect on or before the fifteenth day of January next. IN WITNESS whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals the twenty-ninth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

(Sgd.) J. B. MACAULAY, (Seal.)  
 (Sgd.) JOHN TORONTO (Seal).  
 (Sgd.) BENJ. HURON (Seal).

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

|                            |      |      |
|----------------------------|------|------|
| Middlesex Debentures ..... | £500 | 1871 |
| “ “ .....                  | 500  | 1873 |
| “ “ .....                  | 250  | 1873 |

COMMUTATION FUND.

|             |        |                       |           |
|-------------|--------|-----------------------|-----------|
| 1—TORONTO.  |        |                       |           |
| 1860 .....  | £100   | 1864 .....            | 125       |
| 1861 .....  | 200    | 1867 .....            | 500       |
| 1862 .....  | 50     |                       | 250       |
| 1863 .....  | 100    | 1875 .....            | 4000      |
| 1864 .....  | 250    | 1877 .....            | 6000      |
| 1868 .....  | 60     |                       |           |
| 1870 .....  | 70     |                       | £11,625   |
|             | 200    | 3—LEEDS & GRENVILLE.  |           |
| 1871 .....  | 330    | 1860 .....            | £ 300     |
| 1872 .....  | 100    | 1866, 3 of 5 .....    | 1,500     |
|             | 75     |                       | £1,800    |
| 1876 .....  | 300    | 4—MIDDLESEX.          |           |
|             | £1,835 | 1864 .....            | £250 0    |
| 2—HAMILTON. |        | 1871 .....            | 104 15    |
| 1860 .....  | £125   | 1873, 2 of 500 .....  | 1,000 0   |
| 1861 .....  | 125    | 1874, 5 of 1000 ..... | 5,000 0   |
| 1862 .....  | 125    | 40 of 44 .....        |           |
| 1863 .....  | 250    |                       | £6,354 15 |
|             | 125    |                       |           |



## COMMUTATION FUND—Continued.

|                          |           |                   |        |
|--------------------------|-----------|-------------------|--------|
| 5—ST. THOMAS.            |           | 14—PRESTON.       |        |
| 1873.....                | £1,000    | 1873 .....        | £500   |
| 1874.....                | 2,000     | 15—PERTH.         |        |
| 1876.....                | 2,000     | 1860.....         | £600   |
|                          | £5,000    | 16—ELGIN          |        |
| 6—WELLAND.               |           | 1860.....         | £1,000 |
| 1860.....                | £1,000    | 1866.....         | 350    |
| 1861.....                | 500       | 1868.....         | 350    |
| 1862.....                | 500       | 1870.....         | 350    |
| 1864.....                | 500       | 1871.....         | 350    |
| 1865.....                | 500       | 1874.....         | 350    |
| 1867.....                | 500       |                   | £2,750 |
| 1871.....                | 500       | 17—HURON & BRUCE. |        |
|                          | £4,000    | 1864.....         | £500   |
| 7—GUELPH.                |           | 18—ONTARIO        |        |
| 1873.....                | £300      | 1860.....         | 100    |
| 8—THOROLD.               |           | 1862.....         | 500    |
| 1860.....                | £100 0    | 1866.....         | 100    |
|                          | 62 10     |                   | £700   |
| 1861.....                | 125 0     | 19—BROCKVILLE     |        |
| 1862.....                | 100 0     | 1860.....         | 200    |
|                          | 62 10     | 1864.....         | 200    |
| 1863.....                | 100 0     | 1875.....         | 1,000  |
| 1865.....                | 250 0     |                   | £1,400 |
|                          | 62 10     | 20—DEREHAM.       |        |
| 1866.....                | 100 0     | 1874.....         | 1,200  |
| 1868.....                | 250 0     | 21—KENT           |        |
|                          | £1,212 10 | 1862.....         | 300    |
| 9—BOWMANVILLE            |           | 22—EAST MISSOURI  |        |
| 1860.....                | 500       | 1875.....         | 750    |
| 1861.....                | 600       | 23—STRATFORD      |        |
| 1862.....                | 200       | 1861.....         | 500    |
| 1863.....                | 100       | 1864.....         | 600    |
| 1865.....                | 200       |                   | £1,100 |
| 1866.....                | 200       | 24—WINDSOR.       |        |
| 1867.....                | 200       | 1860.....         | 165    |
|                          | £2,000    | 1863.....         | 165    |
| 10—LONDON                |           | 1865.....         | 165    |
| 1876.....                | £14,500   | 1868.....         | 165    |
| 11—LOGAN, ELMA & WALLACE |           | 1875.....         | 165    |
| 1876.....                | £3,500    |                   | £825   |
| 12—SIMCOE                |           | 25—MALAHIDE       |        |
| 1872.....                | £250      | 1861.....         | 800    |
| 13—YORKVILLE.            |           | 26—NOTTAWASAGA    |        |
| 1860.....                | 75        | 1877.....         | 1,500  |
| 1862.....                | 300       |                   |        |
| 1863.....                | 75        |                   |        |
| 1865.....                | 300       |                   |        |
|                          | £750      |                   |        |

COMMUTATION FUND—Continued.

|         |        |    |   |         |         |   |    |
|---------|--------|----|---|---------|---------|---|----|
| 1.....  | 1,835  | 0  | 0 | 15..... | 600     | 0 | 0  |
| 2.....  | 11,625 | 0  | 0 | 16..... | 2,750   | 0 | 0  |
| 3.....  | 1,800  | 0  | 0 | 17..... | 500     | 0 | 0  |
| 4.....  | 6,354  | 15 | 0 | 18..... | 700     | 0 | 0  |
| 5.....  | 5,000  | 0  | 0 | 19..... | 1,400   | 0 | 0  |
| 6.....  | 4,000  | 0  | 0 | 20..... | 1,200   | 0 | 0  |
| 7.....  | 300    | 0  | 0 | 21..... | 300     | 0 | 0  |
| 8.....  | 1,212  | 10 | 0 | 22..... | 750     | 0 | 0  |
| 9.....  | 2,000  | 0  | 0 | 23..... | 1,100   | 0 | 0  |
| 10..... | 14,500 | 0  | 0 | 24..... | 825     | 0 | 0  |
| 11..... | 3,500  | 0  | 0 | 25..... | 800     | 0 | 0  |
| 12..... | 250    | 0  | 0 | 26..... | 1,500   | 0 | 10 |
| 13..... | 750    | 0  | 0 |         |         |   |    |
| 14..... | 500    | 0  | 0 |         |         |   |    |
|         |        |    |   |         | £66,052 | 5 | 0  |

The Church Society of the Diocese of Huron acknowledges to have received from the Church Society of Toronto the debentures to the amount in this Schedule, together with the sum of four hundred and ninety eight pounds and sixteen shillings.

(Sgd.)

BENJ. HURO|N,

President.

Toronto, 20th January, 1860.

This Indenture made the Fifth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, between the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario,

Of the First Part.

And The Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto,

Of the Second Part.

WHEREAS the Right Reverend John Strachan, Lord Bishop of Toronto; the Right Reverend Benjamin Cronyn, Lord Bishop of Huron, and the late the Honorable Sir James Buchanan Macaulay, Knight, by their award, made in the matter of the Church Societies of the Dioceses of Toronto and Huron, adjudged and ordered that for the benefit of the Eastern Diocese, whenever that Diocese should be set apart, and upon the death of the then Archdeacon of Kingston, the sum of seven hundred and fifty-six pounds should be paid over by the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto to the said Eastern Diocese as and towards creating a fund for the payment of an annual salary to the Archdeacon of the said Eastern Diocese, and that the said Diocese should set apart out of their funds such a sum as with the foregoing sum of seven hundred

and fifty-six pounds, would realize and secure an income of one hundred pounds per annum to an Archdeacon of said Eastern Diocese.

AND WHEREAS the said Eastern Diocese has been duly erected and set apart under the name of the Diocese of Ontario, and the said Archdeacon of Kingston hath departed this life,

Therefore, and in pursuance of the terms of the said Award, the said Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto hath paid over to the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario as representing the said Diocese of Ontario the said sum of seven hundred and fifty-six pounds for the purposes aforesaid, and the said the Incorporated Synod hath agreed to set apart for the purpose of completing the said fund to be known as "The Archdiaconal Fund," the sum of nine hundred and ten pounds thirteen shillings, and four pence (£910, 13, 4).

Now These Presents Witness and it is hereby covenanted and agreed between the parties hereto that the parties of the first part, their successors and assigns shall and will set apart, and at all times hereafter keep set apart, the said sums of seven hundred and fifty-six pounds and nine hundred and ten pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence making together the sum of sixteen hundred and sixty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, as and for a perpetual fund called "The Archdiaconal Fund," the annual proceeds of which shall be devoted towards the payment of the Annual Salary of one hundred pounds to the Archdeacon of Ontario.

In Witness Whereof the said parties hereto have affixed their Corporate Seals under the hands of their respective presidents, the day and year first above written.

(Sgd.) J. T. Ontario (Seal)

Signed and delivered in the presence of

(Sgd.) JAS. A. HENDERSON.

This INDENTURE made the thirtieth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

Between

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario,  
Of the First Part.

And the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto,  
Of the Second Part.

Whereas the Right Reverend John Strachan, Lord Bishop of Toronto; the Right Reverend Benjamin Huron,



Lord Bishop of Huron, and the Honorable Sir James Buchanan Macaulay, Knight, by their Award, made in the matter of the Church Societies of the Dioceses of Toronto and Huron, on the twenty-ninth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine adjudged amongst other matters that for the benefit of the Eastern Diocese whenever the said Diocese should be set apart and for the purpose of creating a fund for the payment of an annual salary to the Lord Bishop of the said Diocese of Ontario, being the Eastern Diocese referred to in said Award, the said Church Society should pay to the said Eastern Diocese upon the death of the said Bishop of Toronto the sum of two thousand six hundred and eighty six pounds; on the death of the then Archdeacon of York the sum of one thousand three hundred and thirty-three pounds; on the death of the Archdeacon of Kingston the sum of seven hundred and fifty six pounds, and also on the deaths of the said Clergymen or on the first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy, whichever shall first happen, the further sum of one thousand two hundred and five pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence. the whole of such payments to be made by the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto in any securities held by such Society at the time of such payment, bearing six per cent. interest at their par value.

And that said new Diocese should set apart out of their funds such a sum as with the said sums would realize and secure an annual income or salary of four hundred pounds to the Bishop of the said new Diocese.

And whereas the said Eastern Diocese has been duly set apart and erected under the name of the Diocese of Ontario, and a Bishop thereof has been duly elected and consecrated and by an Act of Incorporation "The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario" is authorized and enabled to take, receive and hold any property for the benefit of the Diocese and has all the Corporate rights, powers and privileges conferred on any Church Society in this Province—and in part performance of said Award, the said Archdeacon of Kingston being deceased, the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto hath paid over to The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario, the sum of money payable by the said Church Society of Toronto upon the death of the Archdeacon of Kingston. And whereas the said Lord Bishop of Toronto departed this life on the

first day of November last, and the Archdeacon of York is virtually deceased, and The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario is entitled to receive said monies for the purposes mentioned.

Now this INDENTURE witnesseth that in pursuance of the said in part recited Award and of the direction in that behalf contained the said Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario covenants to and with the said Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto that the said sums of two thousand six hundred and eighty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence; one thousand three hundred and thirty-three pounds, and one thousand two hundred and five pounds thirteen shillings and four pence so to be paid as aforesaid to the said Diocese of Ontario by the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto—that is to say the sum of two thousand six hundred and eighty-six pounds thirteen shillings and four pence to be paid on the death of the said Lord Bishop of Toronto; the sum of one thousand three hundred and thirty-three pounds to be paid on the death of the said Archdeacon of York; the sum of one thousand two hundred and five pounds thirteen shillings and four pence to be paid on the deaths of all the said two Clergymen, together with the sum of one thousand four hundred and forty-one pounds six shillings and eight pence which shall be provided by the said The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario, shall stand, be and remain forever a fund from the proceeds of which shall be paid a salary of four hundred pounds per annum to the Lord Bishop of the Diocese of Ontario for the time being.

In Testimony whereof the Right Reverend John Travers, Lord Bishop of the Diocese of Ontario, hath to these presents set his hand and hath caused the Common Seal of the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario to be hereunto affixed by the Chancellor of the said Diocese, upon the day and year first above written.

(Sgd.) J. T. ONTARIO (S)

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in presence of

(Sgd.) JAS. A. HENDERSON.

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**Appendix E.—Registrar's Report.**

To the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa :

The Registrar of the Diocese begs to report—

I was appointed Registrar by the Lord Bishop of the Diocese on the Twelfth day of June, 1896.

I have opened the following books in connection with the office :

(1) A general register for the registration of the official acts of the Bishop, Clergy, and Officers of the Synod ; list of the Clergy, etc.; Confirmations and Ordinations, etc.

(2) Books for the recording of conveyances in connection with the Parishes of the Diocese.

I propose, also to have a book describing the boundaries of the Diocese, Archdeaconries, Rural Deaneries and Parishes.

These are books kept by the Registrar of the Diocese of Ontario, and I propose to follow his admirable system as nearly as possible.

DEEDS AND PARISH REGISTERS.

I have received from the Registrar of the Diocese of Ontario all Parish Registrars, Title Deeds, etc., in his possession, connected with the various parishes in the Diocese of Ottawa, all of which are in the vault of the Synod Office.

In this connection I might remark that some of the Parish registers are of the most flimsy character, and I would respectfully suggest that the Synod should adopt a form of Register which should be used in future, so that the system may be made more uniform than it is at present.

I have so far received no Parish Registers from the Clergy of the Diocese, and would request those who have registers which are filled up, or which are not in a good state of preservation, to have them sent to me.

I have received the following official Acts and Deeds for registration :—

1896

July 8—Letters of Consecration of the Lord Bishop

“ Mandate of the Metropolitan to instal and induct the Right Reverend Charles Hamilton, D.D., as Bishop of Ottawa.

“ Certificate of installation of the Bishop by the Venerable Archdeacon Lauder.

“ Submission of the Bishop to Canons of the Synod

Aug. 21—Agreement between Synods of Ontario and Ottawa.

Nov. 21—Copy of Letters of Consecration of the Bishop of Niagara.

“ Appointment of C. A. Elliot as Treasurer.



1897

Mar. 4—Award of J. A. Worrell, Arbitrator re certain funds.

I have received the following Deeds since the last meeting of the Synod :—

NEPEAN—All Saints, Deed dated 2nd October, 1866, John and William Thompson, to Thos. Fuller and G. W. Eaton, Part Lot 30 in the 1st Concession, Nepean, in trust for Church purposes. Deed dated December, 1881, the Lord Bishop of Ontario to Synod of Diocese of Ontario, of above lands.

NIPISSING—1. Copy deed dated 23rd February, 1887, Crown, to Lord Bishop of Ontario, Part Lot 32, in 9th Concession, Township of Bonfield.

2. Deed dated 13th July, 1886, Crown, to Lord Bishop of Ontario, Part Lot 18, Concession A, Township of Clara.

OSGOODE—Deed dated 9th April, 1882, Adam J. Baker, et ux, to Synod of Ontario, Part of Lot 21, in 7th Concession, Township of Osgoode.

Deed dated 13th June, 1896, Frances and L. Stanley, to Synod of Ontario, Part Lot 5, in 6th Concession, Osgoode.

RENFREW—Deed dated January 30th, 1892, R. Tennant, Jr., to Synod of Ontario, Part Lot No. 5, in the Township of Buchanan.

In connection with Deeds for Church purposes, I would respectfully suggest that they should be first sent to the Chancellor, or to myself, for revision, as some of those I have inspected are open to objection.

#### CONSECRATIONS.

The Lord Bishop of Ottawa has consecrated the following Churches and burying grounds, the letters of Consecration of which have been filed with me :—

On the 10th of June, Greely Church and Burying Ground.

On the 3rd of July, 1896, St. Paul's Church, Township of March.

On the 4th July, 1896, St. Paul's Church, Township of Fitzroy.

On the 24th September, 1896, St. Augustine Church and Burying Ground, Parish of Ashton.

On the 24th September, 1896, Christ Church, Bell's Corners.

On the 30th October, 1896, Church and Burying Ground at Rutherglen.

On 31st October, 1896, Church of St. Augustine, Deux Rivieres.

On November 1st, 1896, Burying Ground at Mattawa.

On December 15th, 1896, Church of the Good Shepherd, Township of Plantagenet.

On 5th May, 1897, Burial Ground at Wales.

On 20th May, 1897, Church (St. John's) Balderson Corners, County of Lanark.

In conclusion I must thank Mr. James Shannon, the Registrar of the Diocese of Ontario, for the very valuable information which he has given me in connection with the duties of the office.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. BISHOP,  
Registrar.

Ottawa, 1st June, 1897.

### Appendix F.—Treasurer's Report.

The Treasurer respectfully presents the state of the Diocesan Funds at the close of the financial year, 30th April, 1897

|                                            |              |                     |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|
| Consolidated Fund.....                     | \$190,293 02 |                     |
| Insurance Policy.....                      | 1,810 02     |                     |
| In Suspense (Worrell award).....           | 2,852 66     |                     |
| Interest Reserve Fund.....                 | 1,650 81     |                     |
| Bark Lake Church.....                      | 190 00       |                     |
| Mission Fund Balance.....                  | 165 27       |                     |
| Balance due Rev'd. E. A. W. Hanington..... | 10 00        |                     |
| Cash Balance.....                          | 203 82       | 197,205 60          |
| Episcopal Endowment Fund.....              |              | 45,500 00           |
|                                            |              | <u>\$242,705 60</u> |

#### INVESTMENTS.

|                                                                          |            |            |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Bonds.....                                                               | 42,000 00  |            |
| Mortgages.....                                                           | 115,798 18 |            |
| Real Estate (Leased).....                                                | 9,275 54   |            |
| Canadian Permanent Stock, market value \$8,083.00,<br>nominal value..... | 13,170 46  |            |
| Divinity Student Loan.....                                               | 80 00      | 180,244 18 |
| Diocese of Ontario, balance due.....                                     | 4,787 92   |            |

#### FUNDS OVERDRAWN.

|                                                          |           |                   |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| Clergy Trust Fund.....                                   | \$759 94  |                   |
| Widows' and Orphans' Fund.....                           | 388 00    |                   |
| Rectory Lands Fund.....                                  | 242 44    |                   |
| Deposits in M. B. of C., at 3½%, awaiting investment.... | 1,390 38  |                   |
| Balance.....                                             | 10,499 30 |                   |
|                                                          | 203 82    | 16,961 42         |
| Carried forward.....                                     |           | <u>197,205 60</u> |

Brought forward..... \$197,205 60

EPISCOPAL ENDOWMENT FUND.

|                                             |                  |                     |
|---------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Mortgages at 5 % \$27,000, @ 6% \$3000..... | 30,000 00        |                     |
| Dominion Stock at 3½% .....                 | 13,500 00        |                     |
| Metropolitan Loan Co. Stock, say 5½%.....   | 2,000 00         |                     |
|                                             | <u>45,500 00</u> |                     |
|                                             |                  | <u>\$242,705 60</u> |

INTEREST.

|                                                                                              |                  |  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|--|
| Amount received from Diocese of Ontario as per accounts to be printed in Synod Journal ..... | \$10,082 70      |  |
| Amounts received by this Diocese to date 30th April....                                      | 2,291 94         |  |
| Amounts received for Episcopal Fund.....                                                     | 1,603 10         |  |
|                                                                                              | <u>13,977 74</u> |  |

During the past year the receipts for the Voluntary Funds collected in Ottawa Diocese, independent of income from investments have been :

|                                           |                 |  |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| Mission Fund.....                         | 5,571 71        |  |
| Clergy Superannuation Fund.....           | 327 19          |  |
| Divinity Students' Fund .....             | 127 66          |  |
| Widows' and Orphans' Fund.....            | 601 50          |  |
| Domestic and Foreign Mission Society..... | 1,475 29        |  |
|                                           | <u>8,103 35</u> |  |

SECURITIES YIELDING INTEREST

|                                      |                   |  |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|--|
| Bonds, Debentures, etc., @ 4½%.....  | 9,000 00          |  |
| Bonds, Debentures, etc., @ 6 % ..... | 33,000 00         |  |
| Canada Permanent Loan Stock.....     | 13,170 46         |  |
| Mortgages at 5%.....                 | 23,900 00         |  |
| “ “ 5½%.....                         | 18,753 40         |  |
| “ “ 6 % .....                        | 44,936 15         |  |
| “ “ 6½%.....                         | 2,000 00          |  |
| “ “ 7 % .....                        | 1,864 30          |  |
|                                      | <u>146,624 31</u> |  |

SECURITIES NOT PRESENTLY YIELDING INTEREST

|                                               |                     |  |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Mortgages at 6%.....                          | 24,344 33           |  |
| Real Estate (Leased) gross rent \$430.00..... | 9,275 54            |  |
|                                               | <u>\$180,244 18</u> |  |

All of which is respectfully submitted,

C. A. ELIOT, Treasurer.



**Appendix G—Quebec Scheme.**

The Quebec Scheme is arranged as an additional By-law of the Mission Board, to be numbered XI, and the present No. XI will be No. XII. See pages 86-89 of Canons published by authority of Ontario Synod in 1891.

H. POLLARD,

Chairman of Committee.

XI (A1) On the occurrence of a vacancy in any parish or mission, or at the request of the Churchwardens of any congregation, or at the desire of the Lord Bishop; and at the expiration of every three years, it shall be the duty of the Board to confer and arrange with the local authorities as to the amount to be contributed therein towards the maintenance of a resident Clergyman.

A (2). This conference shall be held by the Rural Dean or some other Clergyman selected by the Bishop, and all reasonable efforts shall be made beforehand to secure the presence of as large a number of the members of the congregation as possible, who shall be made parties by their own signatures to the subjoined agreement.

B. When the amount to be contributed has been agreed upon, the following memo of agreement shall be executed, not to be used in any Civil Court, but to be kept on record for the purpose of avoiding any misunderstanding as to the amount and the dates of payment.

C. Memorandum of Agreement between the Diocesan Synod of Ottawa and the Churchwardens and members of ..... Church, in the Mission, or Parish of.....

The undersigned, on behalf of the congregation of ..... in the above Mission or Parish, do hereby undertake, relying upon the subscription paper, a copy of which is attached to this agreement, to have a sum at the rate of ..... per annum collected and paid (quarterly, viz., 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, 31st December), to the Clerical Secretary of the Said Synod from the ..... day of ..... 18...., so long as the due ministrations of the Church of England in Canada shall be continued to the said congregation; it being understood that no part of the amount shall be taken from the rent of glebes or the interest of investments, the property of the Mission, or held in trust therefor. The present agreement shall continue till ..... 18...., but be subject to renewal upon any of the circumstances set out in Clause A. arising, and shall be subject to revision on the part of the Mission Board upon such renewal.

Dated at ..... on the ..... day of ..... 18....

Signed,

.....  
Churchwardens.

D. The Board shall be ultimately responsible to the Clergyman for the amount stated in the memorandum, but shall pay him on each quarter day only such sums as may have been received from his congregations, with the addition of any grant voted by the Synod and due for the quarter.

E. In every instance where a congregation shall be found to have failed in contributing the amount promised, it shall be the duty of the Board to make prompt enquiries of the local authorities as to the cause of the non-payment, and to take such action as they shall see fit, under the sanction of the Bishop.

F. As the Board has no Capital sum of money at their disposal, they must proceed in each case of failure to reach with promptness a decision as to the date up to which they will be ultimately responsible for the Clergyman's stipend.

G. No fresh memorandum of agreement shall be made with any congregation until they have paid to the Clerical Secretary the amount for which the Board has made itself ultimately responsible to the Clergyman; and such amount shall be paid to the Clergyman as soon as it has been received from the Congregation.

H. When the Clerical Secretary is obliged to send the Clergyman less than the full quarter's stipend, he shall enclose the following letter to the Congregation, to be read to them by the Clergyman, and by him returned to the Secretary, with a duly signed declaration that he has so read it.

"Members of the Congregation of.....Church, in..... Parish, or Mission.

"My dear Brethren,—I have to inform you that your Clergyman's stipend for the quarter ending .....has not been paid in full; that \$..... are still due, because your Congregation has not forwarded the full amount which they undertook, by written agreement with the Board of Missions, to contribute. It is earnestly hoped that you will collect and forward the balance which is due under your agreement before.....when your contract requires that the notice of the suspension of your services shall be sent out.

I am, Yours, etc.,

.....Cler. Sec.

I hereby declare that on the ..... day of.....at ..... I read the foregoing letter to the congregation of....., in the Parish, or Mission of.....

(Signed) .....

I. On the 28th of April, 28th of July, 28th of October, and 28th of January in each year, or on the following day, should any of these dates be a Sunday, the Secretary shall address, if authorized by resolution

of the Sub Committee mentioned in Paragraph K., to the Clergyman of any Congregation which may have failed to send in to the Secretary the balance due to the first day of the current quarter, the following notice :

"Notice is hereby given that this congregation having failed to pay the amount which they undertook by formal agreement with the Board of Missions, to contribute to the Clergyman's stipend, the services will be suspended by order of the Bishop after Sunday, the..... day of .....18....., until the payment as agreed upon is made.  
(Signed) .....

I hereby declare that on the .....day of.....and on the .....day of .....I read the foregoing notice in ..... Church.

(Signed).....

The Clergyman shall read the foregoing notice on two Sundays, and the services shall be suspended on and from the third Sunday. The Clergyman shall return the notice to the Secretary, with declaration that he has read it, duly signed and dated. The Clergyman shall at the same time inform the Bishop that he has suspended the services in ..... Church, at.....

- K. There shall be a sub-committee, consisting of the Bishop and the Clerical Secretary, and at least ten members of the Mission Board, appointed by the Board, with power to add to their number others who may not be members of the Board. This sub-committee shall be responsible to the Mission Board for carrying out the provisions of this By-law. They shall meet whenever summoned by direction of the Bishop, and on the following stated days, 28th of April, 28th of July, 28th of October, 28th of January, or the following day, should any of these dates prove to be on a Sunday. Four shall form a quorum.
- L. The Board shall in each case adopt such measures as they shall consider most likely to induce each congregation to live punctually up to its agreement with the Board.
- M. Should any Clergyman obtain written permission from the Board to receive any portion of his stipend direct from the Wardens, he may give them receipts for such portion, and the Board will accept such vouchers as representing the amount stated in the voucher.
- N. It shall be the aim of the Board to make the stipend of Missionary Priests \$800.00 per annum and of Missionary Deacons \$600.00, or as near that sum as the revenue at the disposal of the Board will allow.



**Appendix—H. Deputations on behalf of Diocesan Missions, '1897-98.**

**N.B.**—Before arranging for the meetings, the Deputations are requested to consult the Clergy as to the most suitable time for visiting their Parishes. Further information, if required, may be obtained by communicating with their respective Rural Deans.

**RURAL DEANERY OF CARLETON.**

**DEPUTATION No. 1**—Rural Dean Bliss, Convener ; Rev. G. St. Anderson.

ASHTON, Munster, Prospect. OTTAWA, The Cathedral, St. Alban's. RICHMOND, Rathwells, Marlboro. GLOUCESTER, Billings' Bridge, Leitrim, Hawthorne.

**DEPUTATION No. 2**—Rural Dean Elliot, Convener ; Rev. T. J. Styles.

OTTAWA, St. John's, Anglesea-Square, St. Luke's ; JANEVILLE, St. Margaret's, Stone Quarries ; BELL'S CORNERS, Hazeldean, Fallowfield ; MARCH, St. John's, St. Mary's, Dunrobin.

**DEPUTATION No. 3**—Rural Dean Read, Convener ; Rev. R. J. Dumbrille.

OTTAWA, St. George's, St. Barnabas', St. Bartholomew's, Trinity ; HUNTLEY, Christ Church, St. John's, St. James' ; FITZROY HARBOUR, Ninth Line, Torbolton.

**DEPUTATION No. 4**—Rural Dean Houston, Convener ; Rev. W. P. Garrett.

OTTAWA, Grace Church ; MANOTICK, Kars, Osgoode ; NORTH GOWER, Pierce's Corners ; NEPEAN, Birchton, Hintonburg, Merivale.

**RURAL DEANERY OF LANARK.**

**DEPUTATION No. 5**—Rev. A. H. Whalley, Convener ; Rev. W. Loucks.

LANARK, Balderson, Bathurst ; PERTH ; TENNYSON ; PORT ELMSLEY, Canterbury ; SMITH'S FALLS, Franktown, Montague, St. Bede's.

**DEPUTATION No. 6**—Ven. Archdeacon Bogert, Convener ; Rev. S. Gower Poole.

ALMONTE ; CARLETON PLACE ; CLAYTON, Innisville ; PAKENHAM, Antrim.

**RURAL DEANERY OF PRESCOTT AND RUSSELL.**

**DEPUTATION No. 7**—Rev. C. O. Carson, Convener ; Rev. W. A. E. Butler.

BEARBROOK, Vars, Canaan ; NAVAN, Blackburn, Cumberland ; METCALFE, Russell, Greely, Vernon.

**DEPUTATION No. 8**—Rev. Canon Muckleston, Convener ; Rev. Geo. Bousfield.

PLANTAGENET, Alfred, Fenaghvale ; VANKLEEK HILL, East Hawkesbury ; HAWKESBURY, L'Original.

## RURAL DEANERY OF RENFREW.

DEPUTATION No. 9—Rev. Charles Saddington, Convener ; Rev. J. Fairbairn.  
 ARNPRIOR, Galetta ; RENFREW, Calabogie ; DOUGLAS, Admaston, Grattan,  
 Clontarf ; EGANVILLE, Lake Doré, Mink Lake.

DEPUTATION No. 10—Rev. R. B. Waterman.

COMBERMERE, Rockingham, Bangor, Bark Lake ; WHITNEY, Gilmour,  
 Madawaska, Killaloe.

## RURAL DEANERY OF PEMBROKE.

DEPUTATION No. 11—Rev. A. W. Mackay, Convener ; Rev. G. B. Clarke.

PEMBROKE, Beachburg, Westmeath, Forester's Falls ; COBDEN, Haley's ;  
 STAFFORD, St. Patrick's, St. Stephen's, St. Thomas'.

DEPUTATION No. 12—Rev. R. W. Samwell.

PETAWAWA, All Saints', St. George's, St. Alban's, St. Oswald's, St. Cuthbert's ;  
 MATTAWA, St. Alban's, St. Augustine, St. Margaret, Eau Claire, Klock's.

## RURAL DEANERY OF STORMONT.

DEPUTATION No. 13—Rural Dean Phillips, Convener ; Rev. C. F. Lowe.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN, Inkerman, Dixon's Corners ; WINCHESTER, Chesterville ;  
 CRYSLER, Iroquois ; NEWINGTON, Avonmore.

DEPUTATION No. 14—Rural Dean Scantlebury, Convener ; Rev. W. H. Stiles.

MORRISBURG ; WILLIAMSBURG ; AULTSVILLE, Gallingertown ; CORNWALL,  
 (Trinity Church), Eamer's Corners ; CORNWALL EAST ; WALES, Moulinette,  
 Barnhardt's Island, Osnabruck Centre.

Appendix—/

**Table of Collections, etc., received by the Secretary**

| PARISHES OR MISSIONS.           | DIOCESAN MISSIONS   |                    |                      |                            |                     |  | Total. | Synod Assessment. |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--|--------|-------------------|
|                                 | Trinity Collections | Advent Collections | Missionary Meetings. | Parochial Card Collections | Special Collections |  |        |                   |
| <b>1—Rural Deanery</b>          |                     |                    |                      |                            |                     |  |        |                   |
| Archville : Holy Trinity.....   |                     | 1 15               | 2 57                 | 14 50                      |                     |  | 18 22  |                   |
| Ash-ton : Christ Church.....    | 88                  |                    | 5 00                 | 27 40                      |                     |  | 33 28  |                   |
| Munster : St. Stephen's..       | 65                  |                    | 6 30                 | 20 85                      |                     |  | 27 80  |                   |
| Prospect; St. Augustine's       | 60                  |                    | 3 40                 | 31 95                      |                     |  | 36 15  |                   |
| Bell's Corners : Christ Church  | 2 53                | 2 82               | 5 39                 |                            |                     |  | 10 74  |                   |
| Hazeldean : St. Paul's...       | 3 56                | 3 11               | 13 41                |                            |                     |  | 20 08  |                   |
| Fallowfield : St. Barnabas'     | 1 29                | 1 77               | 5 20                 |                            |                     |  | 8 26   |                   |
| Fitzroy Harbour : St. George's  | 39                  | 71                 | 3 25                 | 19 00                      |                     |  | 23 35  |                   |
| Ninth Line ; St. Paul's...      | 69                  |                    |                      | 6 00                       |                     |  | 6 69   |                   |
| Torbolton : St. Thomas'...      | 1 00                | 1 00               | 4 80                 | 19 25                      |                     |  | 26 05  |                   |
| Gloucester : Billings' Bridge.. | 3 80                | 3 85               | 2 35                 |                            |                     |  | 10 00  |                   |
| Leitrim : St. James.....        |                     | 65                 | 79                   |                            |                     |  | 1 44   |                   |
| Hawthorne : St. George's        |                     | 45                 | 63                   |                            |                     |  | 1 08   |                   |
| Huntley : Christ Church . . .   | 1 37                | 2 01               | 4 70                 | 38 05                      |                     |  | 46 13  | 10 00             |
| St. John's.....                 | 1 50                | 1 08               | 8 01                 | 44 50                      |                     |  | 55 09  |                   |
| Carp : St. James'.....          | 2 00                | 2 25               | 4 89                 | 39 90                      |                     |  | 49 04  |                   |
| Janeville : St. Margaret's....  | 2 15                | 3 16               | 5 91                 | 8 76                       |                     |  | 19 98  |                   |
| <i>Woman's Auxiliary</i> .....  |                     |                    |                      |                            |                     |  |        |                   |
| Stone Quarries: School Hse      |                     |                    |                      |                            |                     |  |        |                   |
| Manotick : St. James'.....      | 2 35                | 2 25               | 5 86                 | 39 00                      |                     |  | 49 46  |                   |
| Kars : St. John's.....          |                     | 1 75               | 7 00                 | 9 00                       |                     |  | 17 75  |                   |
| Osgoode Station .....           |                     | 60                 | 4 49                 | 5 00                       |                     |  | 10 09  |                   |
| March : St. John's.....         | 3 55                | 3 34               | 9 93                 | 110 35                     |                     |  | 127 17 | 10 00             |
| <i>Sunday School</i> .....      |                     |                    | 7 00                 |                            |                     |  | 7 00   |                   |
| St. Mary's.....                 | 3 11                | 2 64               | 6 54                 |                            |                     |  | 12 29  |                   |
| Dunrobin : St. Paul's....       | 3 44                | 4 55               | 9 07                 |                            |                     |  | 17 06  |                   |
| Nepean : All Saints'.....       | 1 27                | 44                 | 1 50                 | 7 10                       |                     |  | 9 31   |                   |
| Hintonburgh: St. Matthias       | 1 05                | 1 52               | 5 55                 | 16 90                      |                     |  | 25 02  |                   |
| Merivale.....                   |                     |                    | 2 85                 |                            |                     |  | 2 85   |                   |
| Britannia.....                  |                     |                    |                      |                            |                     |  |        |                   |
| North Gower : Trinity Church    | 1 31                | 2 00               | 7 44                 | 22 85                      |                     |  | 33 60  |                   |
| Pierce's Corners: St. John's    | 1 19                | 1 00               | 8 01                 | 8 55                       |                     |  | 16 75  |                   |
| Ottawa : Christ Church .....    | 39 02               | 50 60              | 66 17                | 327 25                     |                     |  | 483 04 |                   |
| <i>Synod</i> .....              |                     |                    |                      |                            | 43 80               |  | 43 80  |                   |
| Grace Church.....               | 16 45               | 37 58              | 48 23                | 75 00                      |                     |  | 177 26 |                   |
| St. Alban's.....                | 12 94               | 19 83              | 36 19                | 125 45                     | 1 77                |  | 196 18 |                   |
| St. Barnabas'.....              | 1 10                | 2 35               | 5 84                 | 22 35                      | 1 10                |  | 32 74  |                   |
| <i>Sunday School</i> .....      |                     |                    |                      | 8 02                       |                     |  | 8 02   |                   |
| St. Bartholomews'.....          | 3 95                | 4 80               | 7 08                 | 18 80                      | 1 30                |  | 35 93  |                   |
| St. George's.....               | 10 26               | 41 44              | 22 21                | 158 10                     |                     |  | 232 01 |                   |
| <i>Dorcas Society</i> .....     |                     |                    |                      |                            |                     |  |        |                   |
| St. John's.....                 | 39 35               | 62 39              | 38 34                | 178 40                     |                     |  | 318 48 |                   |
| St. John's : Anglesea Sq.       |                     |                    | 2 00                 |                            |                     |  | 2 00   |                   |
| St. Luke's.....                 | 3 00                | 2 05               | 12 16                | 11 85                      |                     |  | 29 06  |                   |



Appendix—/   
 of Synod during the year ended April 30th, 1897.

| Clergy<br>Superannuation<br>Fund. | Widows' &<br>Orphans' Fund<br>Collections | Widows' & Or-<br>phans' Fund Cleri-<br>cal Subscriptions. | Divinity<br>Students' Fund. | Confirmation<br>Collections. | DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MISSIONS |                         |                          |                                     |                       | Total. |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|
|                                   |                                           |                                                           |                             |                              | Ascension<br>Collections      | Epiphany<br>Collections | Children's<br>Offerings. | Jews' Good<br>Friday<br>Collections | Special<br>Offerings. |        |
| 1 63                              | 2 00                                      |                                                           | 2 00                        |                              | 2 00                          | 1 91                    |                          | 91                                  |                       | 4 82   |
| 2 93                              |                                           |                                                           | 1 02                        |                              | 73                            | 2 38                    |                          | 1 11                                |                       | 4 22   |
| 1 07                              | 1 62                                      |                                                           | 1 23                        |                              | 79                            | 1 75                    |                          | 88                                  |                       | 3 42   |
| 1 00                              | 1 33                                      |                                                           | 50                          | 5 00                         | 75                            | 1 51                    |                          | 1 52                                |                       | 3 78   |
| 3 31                              |                                           |                                                           |                             |                              | 3 80                          | 4 20                    |                          |                                     |                       | 8 00   |
| 3 92                              |                                           |                                                           |                             |                              | 4 10                          | 3 05                    |                          |                                     |                       | 7 15   |
| 1 40                              |                                           |                                                           |                             | 5 10                         | 1 48                          | 6 30                    |                          |                                     |                       | 7 78   |
| 51                                | 1 50                                      |                                                           | 1 50                        | 4 23                         | 1 63                          | 74                      |                          |                                     |                       | 2 37   |
| 40                                |                                           |                                                           |                             |                              | 70                            |                         |                          |                                     |                       | 70     |
| 1 25                              | 1 24                                      |                                                           |                             |                              | 1 62                          | 1 51                    |                          |                                     |                       | 3 13   |
| 4 75                              | 3 07                                      |                                                           |                             |                              | 95                            | 2 75                    |                          |                                     |                       | 3 70   |
|                                   |                                           |                                                           |                             |                              |                               | 21                      |                          |                                     |                       | 21     |
| 1 13                              | 1 78                                      | 5 00                                                      | 1 08                        | 3 64                         | 2 00                          | 1 72                    |                          | 81                                  | 1 66                  | 6 19   |
| 1 43                              | 1 25                                      |                                                           | 66                          | 3 00                         | 2 27                          | 1 80                    |                          | 1 74                                | 63                    | 6 44   |
| 2 15                              | 2 80                                      |                                                           | 2 29                        | 6 00                         | 2 63                          | 1 56                    |                          | 1 50                                | 3 00                  | 8 69   |
| 2 10                              | 2 63                                      |                                                           | 1 20                        | 3 65                         | 1 10                          | 2 05                    |                          | 2 01                                |                       | 5 16   |
|                                   |                                           |                                                           |                             |                              |                               |                         |                          |                                     | 2 00                  | 2 00   |
| 3 20                              | 3 00                                      |                                                           | 1 75                        | 6 05                         | 2 50                          |                         |                          | 1 50                                |                       | 4 00   |
|                                   | 3 91                                      |                                                           | 2 25                        | 8 00                         |                               |                         |                          | 1 50                                |                       | 1 50   |
|                                   | 2 13                                      |                                                           | 1 00                        |                              |                               |                         |                          |                                     |                       |        |
| 5 80                              |                                           |                                                           |                             | 5 10                         | 5 63                          | 3 35                    |                          | 2 02                                |                       | 11 00  |
| 3 24                              |                                           |                                                           |                             |                              | 4 52                          | 2 46                    |                          | 51                                  |                       | 7 49   |
| 4 86                              |                                           |                                                           |                             |                              | 2 45                          |                         |                          | 1 31                                |                       | 3 76   |
| 19                                |                                           |                                                           | 45                          |                              | 15                            | 48                      |                          | 65                                  |                       | 1 28   |
| 78                                | 1 04                                      |                                                           | 40                          |                              | 1 25                          | 4 56                    |                          |                                     |                       | 5 81   |
|                                   |                                           |                                                           |                             |                              |                               | 32                      |                          |                                     |                       | 32     |
| 75                                | 4 20                                      | 5 00                                                      |                             | 7 00                         | 2 00                          | 1 80                    |                          | 1 20                                |                       | 5 00   |
| 56                                | 1 50                                      |                                                           |                             | 2 00                         | 1 09                          |                         |                          | 59                                  |                       | 1 50   |
| 57 11                             | 111 14                                    | 5 00                                                      |                             |                              | 36 85                         | 92 37                   |                          | 17 63                               |                       | 146 85 |
| 16 52                             | 29 45                                     |                                                           |                             |                              | 39 66                         | 40 95                   |                          |                                     |                       | 80 61  |
| 10 97                             |                                           | 5 00                                                      | 10 25                       | 8 96                         | 17 95                         | 21 17                   |                          | 9 50                                | 1 90                  | 50 52  |
| 2 47                              | 3 50                                      |                                                           | 3 91                        |                              | 4 16                          | 6 27                    |                          | 2 39                                |                       | 14 82  |
| 2 15                              | 7 19                                      |                                                           | 1 05                        | 2 62                         | 3 46                          | 4 02                    |                          | 4 25                                |                       | 11 73  |
| 14 76                             | 43 75                                     |                                                           |                             |                              | 8 32                          | 8 74                    |                          | 28 70                               |                       | 45 76  |
| 27 80                             | 38 78                                     | 10 00                                                     | 5 00                        | 4 75                         | 107 00                        | 39 34                   | 28 35                    |                                     | 60 00                 | 60 00  |
|                                   |                                           |                                                           |                             |                              |                               |                         |                          |                                     | 3 25                  | 177 94 |
| 2 15                              |                                           |                                                           |                             | 5 38                         | 50                            |                         |                          |                                     |                       | 50     |

of Carleton.

## COLLECTIONS.—Continued.

| PARISHES OR MISSIONS.               | DIOCESAN MISSIONS      |                       |                        |                                  |                        |          | Total | Synod<br>Assessment |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|----------|-------|---------------------|
|                                     | Trinity<br>Collections | Advent<br>Collections | Missionary<br>Meetings | Parochial<br>Card<br>Collections | Special<br>Collections |          |       |                     |
| <b>1—Rural Deanery</b>              |                        |                       |                        |                                  |                        |          |       |                     |
| Richmond : St. John's.....          | 7 44                   | 6 70                  | 10 00                  | 110 00                           | .....                  | 134 14   | 15 00 |                     |
| Rathwell's : St. Thomas' .          | 1 00                   | 2 60                  | 11 00                  | .....                            | .....                  | 14 00    | ..... |                     |
|                                     | 173 39                 | 273 84                | 409 06                 | 1,524 13                         | 47 97                  | 2,428 39 | 35 00 |                     |
| <b>2—Rural Deanery</b>              |                        |                       |                        |                                  |                        |          |       |                     |
| Almonte : St. Paul's .....          | 4 00                   | 5 00                  | 15 00                  | 20 00                            | .....                  | 44 00    | ..... |                     |
| Carleton Place : St. James'....     | 22 00                  | 15 54                 | 21 15                  | 170 00                           | 3 40                   | 232 09   | ..... |                     |
| Clayton : Grace Church.....         | 74                     | 3 00                  | 8 20                   | 43 70                            | .....                  | 55 64    | 5 00  |                     |
| Innisville : St. John's.....        | 75                     | 1 18                  | 6 45                   | 51 35                            | .....                  | 59 73    | ..... |                     |
| Holy Trinity .....                  |                        | 50                    | .....                  | 7 00                             | .....                  | 7 50     | ..... |                     |
| Scotch Corners.....                 |                        |                       | 2 44                   | .....                            | .....                  | 2 44     | ..... |                     |
| Franktown : St. James'.....         | 3 50                   | .....                 | 10 50                  | 46 00                            | .....                  | 60 00    | 10 00 |                     |
| Montague : St. John's....           | 1 50                   | 3 25                  | 9 00                   | 56 50                            | .....                  | 70 25    | ..... |                     |
| St. Bede's.....                     | 1 25                   | 1 75                  | 4 62                   | 47 50                            | .....                  | 55 12    | ..... |                     |
| Lanark : St. Paul's.....            | 78                     | 1 00                  | 4 89                   | 16 20                            | .....                  | 22 87    | ..... |                     |
| Balderson : St. John's....          | 1 78                   | 1 41                  | 4 25                   | 28 00                            | .....                  | 35 44    | ..... |                     |
| Bathurst : St. Stephen's..          | 1 00                   | 1 00                  | 1 23                   | 12 75                            | .....                  | 15 98    | ..... |                     |
| Pakenham : St. Mark's.....          | 4 15                   | 5 64                  | 24 57                  | 73 20                            | .....                  | 107 56   | ..... |                     |
| Antrim : St. John's .....           | 2 65                   | 3 50                  | 7 57                   | 52 50                            | .....                  | 66 22    | ..... |                     |
| Perth : St. James' .....            | 20 57                  | 33 58                 | 27 09                  | 132 80                           | .....                  | 214 04   | ..... |                     |
| Smith's Falls : St. John's.....     | 3 00                   | 3 00                  | 14 51                  | 267 40                           | .....                  | 287 91   | 20 00 |                     |
| Tennyson.....                       |                        |                       | 1 01                   | 39 15                            | .....                  | 40 16    | ..... |                     |
| Port Elmsley : St. James'.          | 3 55                   | 5 50                  | 2 00                   | .....                            | .....                  | 11 05    | ..... |                     |
| Canterbury.....                     |                        |                       | 1 61                   | .....                            | .....                  | 1 61     | ..... |                     |
|                                     | 71 22                  | 84 85                 | 166 09                 | 1,064 05                         | 3 40                   | 1,389 61 | 35 00 |                     |
| <b>3—Rural Deanery</b>              |                        |                       |                        |                                  |                        |          |       |                     |
| Beachburg : St. Augustine's... 1 10 | 2 10                   | 3 00                  | 10 15                  | .....                            | 16 38                  | 5 00     |       |                     |
| Forester's Falls .....              | 70                     | 1 07                  | 6 05                   | 9 00                             | .....                  | 16 82    | ..... |                     |
| Westmeath.....                      | 80                     | 2 25                  | 10 01                  | 13 50                            | .....                  | 26 56    | ..... |                     |
| Cobden : St. Paul's.....            | 4 67                   | 3 80                  | 8 46                   | 39 00                            | .....                  | 55 93    | ..... |                     |
| Haley's Stn. : School House         |                        | 74                    | .....                  | .....                            | .....                  | 74       | ..... |                     |
| Mattawa : St. Alban's.....          |                        |                       |                        |                                  | .....                  |          | ..... |                     |
| Deux Rivieres: St. August's         |                        |                       |                        |                                  | .....                  |          | ..... |                     |
| Rutherglen : St. Margaret's         |                        |                       |                        |                                  | .....                  |          | ..... |                     |
| Burritt's.....                      |                        |                       |                        |                                  | .....                  |          | ..... |                     |
| Klock's.....                        |                        |                       |                        |                                  | .....                  |          | ..... |                     |
| Pembroke : Holy Trinity.....        | 10 17                  | 7 72                  | 27 00                  | 128 20                           | .....                  | 173 09   | ..... |                     |
| Petewawa : All Saints' .....        | 1 75                   | 1 55                  | 1 80                   | 6 25                             | .....                  | 11 35    | 5 00  |                     |
| South Alice : St. George's.         |                        |                       | 1 00                   | 3 45                             | .....                  | 4 45     | ..... |                     |
| North Alice .....                   |                        |                       |                        |                                  | .....                  |          | ..... |                     |
| Chalk River.....                    |                        |                       | 1 30                   | 7 25                             | .....                  | 8 55     | ..... |                     |
| Tennant's.....                      |                        |                       | 2 24                   | 5 45                             | .....                  | 7 69     | ..... |                     |
| Point Alexander.....                |                        |                       |                        |                                  | .....                  |          | ..... |                     |

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| Clergy<br>Superannuation<br>Fund. | Widows' &<br>Orphans' Fund<br>Collections. | Widows' & Or-<br>phans' Fund, Cleri-<br>cal Subscriptions. | Divinity<br>Students' Fund | Confirmation<br>Collections. | DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MISSIONS |                         |                         |                                     |                       | Total. |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|
|                                   |                                            |                                                            |                            |                              | Ascension<br>Collections      | Epiphany<br>Collections | Children's<br>Offerings | Jews' Good<br>Friday<br>Collections | Special<br>Offerings. |        |

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|        |        |       |       |       |        |        |       |       |       |        |
|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 7 00   | 14 00  | 5 00  | 5 39  | 5 50  | 4 20   | 4 70   | ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 90   |
| 3 00   | 3 00   | ..... | 1 82  | ..... | 1 10   | 3 30   | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 40   |
| 189 36 | 288 74 | 35 00 | 44 75 | 85 98 | 269 25 | 267 27 | 28 35 | 82 14 | 72 44 | 719 45 |

of Lanark.

|       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |        |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| ..... | 5 00  | ..... | ..... | 7 21  | 4 00  | 4 00  | ..... | ..... | ..... | 8 00   |
| 16 50 | 15 49 | 5 00  | 21 00 | 9 75  | 17 00 | 12 30 | ..... | 9 00  | ..... | 38 30  |
| 1 00  | 3 33  | 5 00  | 2 00  | 7 30  | 3 00  | 2 00  | ..... | 1 50  | ..... | 6 50   |
| 1 00  | 1 25  | ..... | 75    | 4 16  | 1 00  | 1 25  | ..... | 2 00  | ..... | 4 25   |
| ..... | 60    | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .....  |
| 2 50  | 8 00  | 1 50  | 2 00  | 5 00  | 3 65  | ..... | ..... | 1 75  | ..... | 5 40   |
| 1 75  | 6 00  | ..... | ..... | 5 50  | 2 25  | ..... | ..... | 1 50  | ..... | 3 75   |
| 2 00  | 1 50  | ..... | ..... | 5 50  | 1 60  | ..... | ..... | 1 25  | ..... | 2 85   |
| 1 29  | 1 06  | ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 00  | 1 50  | ..... | ..... | 1 59  | 9 09   |
| 2 69  | 5 60  | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 12  | 1 50  | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 62   |
| 71    | 2 50  | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 00  | 1 00  | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 00   |
| 3 61  | 5 49  | 5 00  | 4 08  | 13 12 | 6 30  | 7 90  | 1 68  | 2 60  | ..... | 18 49  |
| 1 48  | 2 27  | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .....  |
| 19 31 | 22 54 | 5 00  | 4 80  | ..... | 18 47 | 20 62 | 15 12 | 11 73 | ..... | 65 94  |
| 7 00  | 12 65 | 5 00  | 7 30  | 16 20 | 2 45  | ..... | ..... | 10 67 | ..... | 13 12  |
| ..... | 61    | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .....  |
| 1 39  | 97    | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .....  |
| ..... | 1 19  | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .....  |
| 62 23 | 96 04 | 26 50 | 41 93 | 73 74 | 69 84 | 52 07 | 16 80 | 42 00 | 1 59  | 182 30 |

of Pembroke.

|       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 2 20  | 2 17  | 5 00  | ..... | 4 53  | ..... | 1 93  | ..... | 2 52  | 1 20  | 5 65  |
| 1 20  | 1 57  | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 73    | ..... | 3 20  | ..... | 3 93  |
| 1 20  | 1 20  | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 83    | ..... | 2 48  | ..... | 3 31  |
| 1 46  | 7 63  | ..... | 2 14  | 4 72  | 1 24  | ..... | ..... | 2 57  | ..... | 3 81  |
| ..... | 51    | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 2 25  | 13 00 | ..... | 5 75  | 15 00 | 16 15 | 9 18  | 7 00  | 8 36  | ..... | 40 69 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 7 00  | ..... | 51    | ..... | ..... | ..... | 51    |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 25    | ..... | ..... | ..... | 25    |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 30    | ..... | ..... | ..... | 30    |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 30    | ..... | ..... | ..... | 30    |







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| PARISHES OR MISSIONS.           | DIOCESAN MISSIONS.  |                    |                     |                            |                     |        | Synod Assessment |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--------|------------------|
|                                 | Trinity Collections | Advent Collections | Missionary Meetings | Parochial Card Collections | Special Collections | Total. |                  |
| <b>5—Rural Deanery</b>          |                     |                    |                     |                            |                     |        |                  |
| Clontarf.....                   |                     | 54                 | 50                  | 2 40                       |                     | 3 44   |                  |
| Renfrew : St. Paul's.....       | 2 00                | 5 46               | 13 00               |                            |                     | 20 46  | 5 00             |
| Calabogie.....                  |                     | 81                 | 85                  |                            |                     | 1 66   |                  |
| Horton : St. Barnabas'.....     |                     |                    | 1 00                |                            |                     | 1 00   |                  |
|                                 | 12 71               | 22 81              | 37 55               | 58 60                      |                     | 131 67 | 20 00            |
| <b>6—Rural Deanery</b>          |                     |                    |                     |                            |                     |        |                  |
| Cornwall: Trinity Memorial Ch   | 7 52                | 10 05              | 32 35               | 93 70                      |                     | 143 62 | 20 00            |
| <i>Sunday School</i> .....      |                     |                    | 21 75               |                            |                     | 21 75  |                  |
| Eamer's Corners.....            |                     |                    | 3 53                |                            |                     | 3 53   |                  |
| Cornwall East :                 |                     |                    |                     |                            |                     |        |                  |
| Mountain Memorial Church        | 2 50                | 2 13               | 8 07                | 14 00                      |                     | 26 70  |                  |
| <i>Sunday School</i> .....      |                     |                    | 5 00                |                            |                     | 5 00   |                  |
| Crysler : St. John's.....       | 3 98                | 5 37               | 21 52               | 31 30                      |                     | 62 17  |                  |
| Iroquois : St. John's.....      | 4 26                | 3 36               | 12 51               | 59 30                      |                     | 79 43  |                  |
| Wallace : St. Paul's.....       |                     | 74                 | 60                  | 2 20                       | 6 85                | 10 39  |                  |
| Morrisburg : St. James'.....    | 7 44                | 14 26              | 11 50               |                            |                     | 33 20  |                  |
| <i>Sunday School</i> .....      |                     |                    | 5 00                |                            |                     | 5 00   |                  |
| Mountain, St. Peter's.....      | 2 50                | 4 28               | 10 11               | 34 80                      |                     | 51 69  | 5 00             |
| Dixon's Corners : Christ Ch     |                     |                    | 1 30                |                            |                     | 1 30   |                  |
| Inkerman.....                   |                     |                    | 1 45                |                            |                     | 1 45   |                  |
| Mountain Station.....           |                     |                    |                     |                            |                     |        |                  |
| Newington : All Saints.....     | 2 10                | 1 80               | 6 80                | 11 20                      |                     | 21 90  |                  |
| Avonmore.....                   | 1 67                | 1 20               | 3 20                | 14 65                      |                     | 20 72  |                  |
| Osnabrock : Wales, St. Davids.  | 6 94                | 7 35               | 23 67               | 126 55                     |                     | 164 51 |                  |
| <i>Sunday School</i> .....      |                     |                    | 14 53               |                            |                     | 14 53  |                  |
| Barnhardt's Island.....         |                     |                    |                     |                            |                     |        |                  |
| Moulinette : Christ Church      | 6 38                | 8 84               | 13 41               |                            |                     | 28 63  |                  |
| Osnabrock Centre.....           | 1 54                | 2 34               | 5 17                |                            |                     | 9 05   |                  |
| Williamsburg : Trinity Church   | 1 18                | 1 10               | 3 23                | 8 20                       |                     | 13 71  |                  |
| Aultsville : St Paul's.....     | 1 50                | 1 15               | 3 41                | 15 35                      |                     | 21 41  |                  |
| <i>Sunday School</i> .....      |                     |                    | 7 00                |                            |                     | 7 00   |                  |
| Gallingertown : St. Georges     | 1 00                | 1 00               | 5 50                | 9 00                       |                     | 16 50  |                  |
| Winchester : St. Matthias'..... | 1 53                | 1 81               | 6 57                | 12 75                      |                     | 22 66  |                  |
| Chesterville : Trinity Church.. | 53                  |                    | 3 15                |                            |                     | 3 68   |                  |
|                                 | 53 31               | 66 64              | 231 93              | 437 65                     |                     | 789 53 | 25 00            |



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| Clergy<br>Superannuation<br>Fund. | Widows' &<br>Orphans' Fund<br>Collections. | Widows' & Or-<br>phans' Fund, Cleri-<br>cal Subscriptions. | Divinity<br>Students' Fund. | Confirmation<br>Collections. | DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MISSIONS. |                         |                          |                                     |                      | Total. |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|--------|
|                                   |                                            |                                                            |                             |                              | Ascension<br>Collections       | Epiphany<br>Collections | Children's<br>Offerings. | Jews' Good<br>Friday<br>Collections | Special<br>Offerings |        |
| 45                                | 3 70                                       |                                                            |                             | 5 15                         | 5 84                           | 4 42                    |                          |                                     |                      | 10 26  |
| 65                                |                                            |                                                            |                             |                              |                                |                         |                          |                                     |                      |        |
| 8 35                              | 20 33                                      | 5 00                                                       | 5 83                        | 41 08                        | 21 97                          | 9 93                    |                          | 3 00                                |                      | 34 90  |

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| of Stormont. |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      | 18 42 |        |
|--------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|--------|
| 2 55         | 14 00 | 5 00  | 7 58  | 5 35  | 7 80  | 10 62 |      |       |      |       | 18 42  |
|              |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |        |
| 2 36         | 3 00  | 5 00  |       | 3 00  | 2 30  | 1 50  | 4 00 | 2 50  |      |       | 10 30  |
| 2 66         | 2 35  |       |       |       | 2 20  | 2 95  |      | 2 80  |      |       | 7 95   |
| 4 42         | 5 75  |       | 3 50  | 5 07  | 3 32  | 4 28  |      | 3 05  |      |       | 10 65  |
| 66           | 1 00  |       |       |       | 76    | 72    |      |       |      |       | 1 48   |
| 5 72         |       |       |       | 2 40  | 8 10  | 8 20  |      | 5 00  | 3 51 |       | 24 81  |
|              |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |        |
| 2 25         | 3 16  | 5 00  | 3 10  | 4 00  | 4 07  | 12 65 |      | 3 56  |      |       | 20 28  |
| 50           | 13    |       | 13    |       |       |       |      | 20    |      |       | 20     |
|              |       |       | 20    |       |       |       |      |       |      |       | 20     |
|              |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |       | 25     |
|              |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |       | 98     |
| 2 70         | 53    |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |       | 98     |
| 1 00         | 1 67  |       |       |       |       |       |      | 98    |      |       | 52     |
| 3 01         | 1 92  |       |       |       | 6 09  | 5 13  |      | 52    |      |       | 11 22  |
|              | 3 90  |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |        |
|              |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |        |
|              |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |       | 6 70   |
| 2 04         | 8 37  |       |       |       | 4 50  | 2 20  |      |       |      |       | 1 78   |
| 1 55         | 1 61  |       |       |       | 1 78  |       |      |       |      |       | 3 92   |
| 3 10         | 1 50  |       | 1 00  |       | 1 22  | 1 20  |      | 1 50  |      |       | 3 01   |
|              | 1 50  |       |       |       | 1 01  | 2 00  |      |       |      |       |        |
|              |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |       | 2 00   |
|              |       |       |       |       | 1 00  | 1 00  |      |       |      |       | 2 60   |
| 1 75         | 1 00  |       |       |       | 2 60  |       |      |       |      |       |        |
| 75           | 2 77  |       | 40    |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |        |
|              |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |        |
| 37 02        | 54 16 | 15 00 | 15 91 | 19 82 | 46 75 | 52 90 | 4 00 | 20 11 | 3 51 |       | 127 27 |

## SUMMARY

| RURAL DEANERIES, ETC.            | DIOCESAN MISSIONS.  |                    |                      |                            |                     |          | Synod Assessment. |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------------|
|                                  | Trinity Collections | Advent Collections | Missionary Meetings. | Parochial Card Collections | Special Collections | Total.   |                   |
| Carleton.....                    | 173 39              | 273 84             | 409 06               | 1,524 13                   | 47 97               | 2,428 39 | 35 00             |
| Lanark.....                      | 71 22               | 84 85              | 166 09               | 1,064 05                   | 3 40                | 1,389 61 | 35 00             |
| Pembroke.....                    | 21 42               | 21 48              | 74 83                | 286 35                     | .....               | 404 08   | 10 00             |
| Prescott and Russell. ....       | 18 69               | 26 12              | 100 39               | 271 05                     | 12 18               | 428 43   | 15 00             |
| Renfrew.....                     | 12 71               | 22 81              | 37 55                | 58 60                      | .....               | 131 67   | 20 00             |
| Stormont.....                    | 53 31               | 66 64              | 231 93               | 437 65                     | .....               | 789 53   | 25 00             |
|                                  | 350 74              | 495 74             | 1,019 85             | 3,641 83                   | 63 55               | 5,571 71 | 140 00            |
| J. F. Fraser, Superannuated..... | .....               | .....              | .....                | .....                      | .....               | .....    | .....             |
| Woman's Auxiliary.....           | .....               | .....              | .....                | .....                      | .....               | .....    | .....             |
|                                  | 350 74              | 495 74             | 1,019 85             | 3,641 83                   | 63 55               | 5,571 71 | 140 00            |

SUMMARY

| Clergy<br>Superannuation<br>Fund. | Widows' &<br>Orphans' Fund<br>Collections. | Widows' & Or-<br>phans' Fund Cleri-<br>cal Subscriptions. | Divinity<br>Students' Fund. | Confirmation<br>Collections. | DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MISSIONS. |                         |                          |                                    |                       | Total.   |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
|                                   |                                            |                                                           |                             |                              | Ascension<br>Collections       | Epiphany<br>Collections | Children's<br>Offerings. | Jews' Good<br>Friday<br>Collection | Special<br>Offerings. |          |
| 189 36                            | 288 74                                     | 35 00                                                     | 44 75                       | 85 98                        | 269 25                         | 267 27                  | 28 35                    | 82 14                              | 72 44                 | 719 45   |
| 62 23                             | 96 04                                      | 26 50                                                     | 41 93                       | 73 74                        | 69 84                          | 52 07                   | 16 80                    | 42 00                              | 1 59                  | 182 30   |
| 10 11                             | 29 32                                      | 5 00                                                      | 11 09                       | 31 25                        | 19 39                          | 17 87                   | 7 00                     | 20 95                              | 1 20                  | 66 41    |
| 20 12                             | 21 41                                      | ...                                                       | 8 15                        | 33 00                        | 21 82                          | 33 66                   | .....                    | 9 91                               | 4 39                  | 69 78    |
| 8 35                              | 20 33                                      | 5 00                                                      | 5 83                        | 41 08                        | 21 97                          | 9 93                    | .....                    | 3 00                               | .....                 | 34 90    |
| 37 02                             | 54 16                                      | 15 00                                                     | 15 91                       | 19 82                        | 46 75                          | 52 90                   | 4 00                     | 20 11                              | 3 51                  | 127 27   |
| 327 19                            | 510 00                                     | 86 50                                                     | 127 66                      | 284 87                       | 449 02                         | 433 70                  | 56 15                    | 178 11                             | 83 13                 | 1,200 11 |
| .....                             | .....                                      | 5 00                                                      | .....                       | .....                        | .....                          | .....                   | .....                    | .....                              | .....                 | 268 26   |
| .....                             | .....                                      | .....                                                     | .....                       | .....                        | .....                          | .....                   | .....                    | .....                              | .....                 | .....    |
| 327 19                            | 510 00                                     | 91 50                                                     | 127 66                      | 284 87                       | 449 02                         | 433 70                  | 56 15                    | 178 11                             | 83 13                 | 1,468 37 |



Appendix—J.  
Statistical Returns for the year ended April 25th, 1897.

| NAME OF PARISH.                    | CONGREGATION. |                          |              | DIVINE SERVICE.          |                     |             |               |          |         |            | SUNDAY SCHOOLS. |         |                        |          |        |          |
|------------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------|----------|---------|------------|-----------------|---------|------------------------|----------|--------|----------|
|                                    | Families      | Total Church Population. | Communicants | HOLY COMMUNION SERVICES. |                     |             | BAPTISMS.     |          |         |            | Schools.        | Pupils. | OFFICERS AND TEACHERS. |          |        |          |
|                                    |               |                          |              | Mid-day Celebrations.    | Early Celebrations. | On Sundays. | On Week Days. | Infants. | Adults. | Confirmed. |                 |         | Marriages.             | Burials. | Males. | Females. |
| Archville : Holy Trinity.....      | 48            | 156                      | 65           | 13                       | 2                   | 64          | 15            | 11       | 11      | 11         | 11              | 1       | 87                     | 1        | 1      | 6        |
| Ashton ..                          | 121           | 525                      | 62           | 9                        | ..                  | 48          | 10            | 19       | 19      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Bell's Corners : Christ Church.... | 33            | 110                      | 53           | 17                       | ..                  | 52          | 23            | 5        | 1       | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Hazeldean : St. Paul's.....        | 46            | 230                      | 120          | 21                       | 2                   | 51          | 63            | 4        | 2       | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Fallowfield : St. Barnabas.....    | 13            | 61                       | 33           | 17                       | ..                  | 51          | 3             | ..       | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Fitzroy Harbour : St. George's...  | 45            | 223                      | 76           | 17                       | ..                  | 50          | 23            | 7        | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Torbolton : St. Thomas.....        | 49            | 246                      | 93           | 17                       | ..                  | 51          | 9             | 8        | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Ninth Line : St. Paul's.....       | 23            | 88                       | 46           | 7                        | ..                  | 22          | 2             | 2        | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Gloucester : Billings' Bridge..... | 66            | 290                      | 56           | 30                       | ..                  | 103         | 32            | 14       | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Leitrim.....                       | 20            | 98                       | 15           | 12                       | ..                  | 52          | 5             | 3        | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Hawthorne.....                     | 22            | 110                      | 8            | 12                       | ..                  | 52          | 6             | 3        | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Huntley : Christ Church, 3d line.  | 33            | 190                      | 79           | 16                       | ..                  | 50          | 7             | 4        | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| St. John's, 6th line.....          | 37            | 173                      | 85           | 15                       | ..                  | 49          | 6             | 6        | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| St. James, Carp.....               | 41            | 239                      | 89           | 17                       | ..                  | 51          | 8             | 8        | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Janeville : St. Margaret's.....    | 56            | 263                      | 62           | 3                        | 28                  | 46          | 35            | 10       | 1       | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| Quarries.....                      | 9             | 38                       | 8            | ..                       | ..                  | 1           | 26            | ..       | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| *Manotick.....                     | 126           | 760                      | 150          | 40                       | ..                  | 149         | 50            | 24       | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| March : St. John's.....            | 52            | 364                      | 133          | 17                       | ..                  | 50          | 19            | 10       | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| St. Mary's.....                    | 21            | 149                      | 44           | 16                       | ..                  | 39          | 7             | 4        | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |
| St. Paul's.....                    | 20            | 122                      | 58           | 19                       | ..                  | 49          | 4             | 2        | ..      | ..         | ..              | ..      | ..                     | ..       | ..     | ..       |

\*Figures from 1896.

1—Rural Deanery of Carleton.

STATISTICAL RETURNS.—CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                       | EXPENDITURE.                                             |                                                |                              |                             | PROPERTY.            |                      |                      |  | Total Value of all Church Property. |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|                                       | For erection or purchase of buildings or other property. | For Clergy-man's stipend received from Parish. | For other parochial objects. | For objects outside Parish. | CHURCHES.            | Chapels or Schools.  | PARSONAGES.          |  |                                     |
|                                       |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             | New. Present Number. | New. Present Number. | New. Present Number. |  |                                     |
| Archville : Holy Trinity.....         |                                                          | \$ 315 00                                      | \$ 415 78                    |                             | 1                    |                      |                      |  | \$ 4,000                            |
| Ashton : Christ Church.....           |                                                          | 59 00                                          |                              | \$ 112 00                   | 3                    |                      |                      |  | 6,590                               |
| Bell's Corners : Christ Church.....   | \$ 166 86                                                | 200 00                                         | 77 50                        | 45 27                       | 1                    |                      |                      |  | 5,650                               |
| Hazeldean : St. Paul's.....           | 33 00                                                    | 288 00                                         | 136 00                       | 76 26                       | 1                    |                      |                      |  | 2,000                               |
| Fallowfield : St. Barnabas.....       |                                                          | 120 00                                         | 61 86                        | 25 26                       | 1                    |                      |                      |  | 2,500                               |
| Fitzroy Harbour : St. George's.....   |                                                          | 124 50                                         | 27 22                        | 40 14                       | 1                    |                      |                      |  | 8,700                               |
| Torbolton : St. Thomas.....           | 19 00                                                    | 92 00                                          | 40 77                        | 37 71                       | 1                    |                      |                      |  | 5,800                               |
| Ninth Line : St. Paul's.....          |                                                          | 102 00                                         |                              | 20 73                       | 1                    |                      |                      |  |                                     |
| Gloucester : Billings' Bridge.....    |                                                          | 277 65                                         | 369 00                       | 23 00                       | 1                    |                      |                      |  |                                     |
| Leitrim.....                          |                                                          | 52 00                                          | 24 00                        | 8 00                        | 1                    |                      |                      |  |                                     |
| Hawthorne.....                        |                                                          | 55 00                                          | 80 00                        | 9 50                        | 1                    |                      |                      |  |                                     |
| Huntley ; Christ Church, 3d line..... |                                                          | 174 00                                         | 27 96                        | 63 28                       | 1s                   |                      |                      |  |                                     |
| St. John's, 6th line.....             |                                                          | 254 00                                         | 40 00                        | 71 20                       | 1b                   |                      |                      |  |                                     |
| St. James, Carp.....                  |                                                          | 220 00                                         | 77 00                        | 74 31                       | 1s                   |                      |                      |  |                                     |
| Janeville : St. Margaret's.....       |                                                          | 101 75                                         |                              | 28 70                       | 1                    |                      |                      |  | 2,000                               |
| Quarries.....                         |                                                          | 14 74                                          | 47 73                        |                             |                      |                      |                      |  |                                     |
| * Manotick.....                       | 600 00                                                   | 906 00                                         | 109 00                       | 170 00                      | 1                    |                      |                      |  | 6,000                               |
| March : St. John's.....               | 173 28                                                   | 334 00                                         | 58 35                        | 236 05                      | 1s                   |                      |                      |  | 5,980                               |
| St. Mary's.....                       |                                                          | 196 00                                         | 33 22                        |                             | 1s                   |                      |                      |  | 2,000                               |
| St. Paul's.....                       | 142 48                                                   | 145 00                                         | 42 50                        |                             | 1s                   |                      |                      |  | 3,700                               |

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\* Figures from 1896.

STATISTICAL RETURNS.—CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                 | CONGREGATION |                          |               |                       | DIVINE SERVICE.     |             |               |          |         |            |            | SUNDAY SCHOOL. |          |         |                      |          |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------|----------|---------|------------|------------|----------------|----------|---------|----------------------|----------|
|                                 | Families.    | Total Church Population. | Communicants. | Mid-day Celebrations. | Early Celebrations. | On Sundays. | On Week Days. | Infants. | Adults. | Confirmed. | Marriages. | Baptisms.      | Schools. | Pupils. | TEACHERS & OFFICERS. |          |
|                                 |              |                          |               |                       |                     |             |               |          |         |            |            |                |          |         | Males.               | Females. |
| Nepean : Hintonburgh.....       | 80           | 350                      | 84            | 31                    | 59                  | 163         | 61            | 22       | 3       | 15         | 6          | 5              | 1        | 120     | 6                    | 4        |
| All Saints.....                 | 12           | 50                       | 14            | 11                    | .....               | 50          | .....         | 2        | .....   | .....      | 2          | 1              | 1        | 16      | .....                | 2        |
| St. John's, Merivale.....       | 8            | 25                       | 11            | 9                     | .....               | 23          | .....         | .....    | .....   | .....      | .....      | .....          | .....    | .....   | .....                | .....    |
| North Gower : Holy Trinity..... | 60           | 300                      | 70            | 14                    | 3                   | 104         | 21            | 19       | 1       | 11         | 1          | 6              | 1        | 53      | .....                | .....    |
| St. John Baptist.....           | 30           | 100                      | 30            | 13                    | .....               | 52          | 11            | .....    | .....   | 11         | .....      | .....          | .....    | .....   | .....                | .....    |
| Ottawa : Christ Church.....     | 325          | 1500                     | 525           | 52                    | 104                 | 173         | 421           | 42       | 4       | 22         | 17         | 25             | 1        | 250     | 8                    | 19       |
| Grace Church.....               | 130          | 350                      | 150           | 24                    | 32                  | 119         | 94            | 7        | 1       | 8          | 1          | 3              | 1        | 100     | 4                    | 6        |
| St. Alban's.....                | 195          | 733                      | 327           | 35                    | 67                  | 176         | 447           | 22       | .....   | 17         | 9          | 13             | 1        | 154     | 6                    | 12       |
| St. Barnabas.....               | 65           | 206                      | 99            | 53                    | 92                  | 222         | 181           | 5        | .....   | 13         | 5          | 4              | 1        | 76      | 2                    | 5        |
| St. Bartholomew's.....          | 75           | 341                      | 131           | 22                    | 71                  | 158         | 109           | 11       | .....   | 11         | 4          | 6              | 1        | 97      | 5                    | 7        |
| St. George's.....               | 600          | 1800                     | 500           | 24                    | 16                  | 120         | 29            | 42       | 1       | 50         | 16         | 24             | 1        | 488     | 14                   | 23       |
| St. John's.....                 | 370          | 1480                     | 400           | 30                    | 61                  | 159         | 158           | 48       | .....   | 33         | 32         | 37             | 1        | 345     | 12                   | 22       |
| St. John's : Anglesea Square.   | 35           | 120                      | 30            | .....                 | .....               | 43          | 53            | .....    | .....   | .....      | .....      | .....          | 1        | 125     | 2                    | 11       |
| St. Luke's.....                 | 168          | 840                      | 157           | 49                    | 21                  | 156         | 14            | 36       | .....   | .....      | 10         | 10             | 1        | 123     | 4                    | 16       |
| Richmond.....                   | 92           | 435                      | 159           | 17                    | 3                   | 103         | 20            | 13       | .....   | 26         | 3          | 12             | 1        | 100     | 3                    | 3        |
| Rathwell's Corners.....         | 48           | 218                      | 40            | 12                    | .....               | 51          | 9             | 8        | .....   | .....      | .....      | 6              | .....    | .....   | .....                | .....    |
|                                 | 3181         | 13152                    | 4076          | 713                   | 575                 | 2962        | 1974          | 400      | 14      | 367        | 121        | 211            | 31       | 2620    | 91                   | 174      |

1—Rural Deanery of Carleton.—Continued.



STATISTICAL RETURNS.--CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                   | EXPENDITURE.                                             |                                       |                              |                             |       | PROPERTY.       |           |                     |                 |                 | Total Value of all Church Property. |         |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------|-----------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
|                                   | For erection or purchase of buildings or other property. | For Clergy-man's stipend from Parish. | For other parochial objects. | For objects outside Parish. | New.  | CHURCHES.       |           | Chapels or Schools. |                 | Present Number. |                                     |         |
|                                   |                                                          |                                       |                              |                             |       | Present Number. | Sittings. | New.                | Present Number. |                 |                                     |         |
| Nepean : Hintonburgh.....         | 400 00                                                   | 200 00                                | 39 00                        | 4                           | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 2,600   |
| All Saints'.....                  | 44 00                                                    | 100 00                                | 11 00                        | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 2,000   |
| St. John's, Merivale.....         | 37 00                                                    | .....                                 | .....                        | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 900     |
| North Gower : Holy Trinity.....   | 295 00                                                   | 160 00                                | 80 00                        | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 6,200   |
| St. John Baptist.....             | 100 00                                                   | .....                                 | .....                        | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 65,000  |
| Ottawa : Christ Church.....       | 1,548 39                                                 | 3,801 90                              | 1,147 21                     | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 30,000  |
| Grace Church.....                 | 1,214 00                                                 | 1,110 66                              | 437 32                       | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 25,000  |
| St. Alban's.....                  | 1,350 00                                                 | 1,791 26                              | 338 82                       | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 8,235   |
| St. Barnabas'.....                | 900 00                                                   | 412 32                                | 64 17                        | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 8,600   |
| St. Bartholomew's.....            | 624 00                                                   | 280 00                                | 201 97                       | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 35,000  |
| St. George's.....                 | 2,800 00                                                 | 3,678 80                              | 2,090 67                     | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 38,800  |
| St. John's.....                   | 2,700 00                                                 | 1,390 95                              | 628 00                       | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 8,000   |
| St. John's : Angelsea Square..... | .....                                                    | 25 00                                 | 5 00                         | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 7,000   |
| St. Luke's.....                   | 469 68                                                   | 398 52                                | 65 80                        | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | .....   |
| Richmond.....                     | 400 00                                                   | 420 23                                | 192 38                       | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | .....   |
| Rathwell's Corners.....           | 205 00                                                   | 137 58                                | 86 13                        | .....                       | ..... | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | .....   |
|                                   | 6,869 24                                                 | 18,267 32                             | 4,957 96                     | 40                          | 8,535 | .....           | .....     | .....               | .....           | .....           | .....                               | 300,105 |

1-Rural Deanery of Carleton.--Continued.

STATISTICAL RETURNS.—CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                 | CONGREGATION |                          |               | DIVINE SERVICE.         |                     |             |               |          |          |        |          |    |     | SUNDAY SCHOOL. |            |            |          |         |                      |  |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------|----------|----------|--------|----------|----|-----|----------------|------------|------------|----------|---------|----------------------|--|
|                                 | Families.    | Total Church Population. | Communicants. | HOLY COMMUNION SERVICES |                     |             |               |          | BAPTISMS |        |          |    |     | Burials.       | Confirmed. | Marriages. | Schools. | Pupils. | TEACHERS & OFFICERS. |  |
|                                 |              |                          |               | Mid-day Celebrations.   | Early Celebrations. | On Sundays. | On Week Days. | Infants. | Adults.  | Males. | Females. |    |     |                |            |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Almonte : St. Paul's .....      | 64           | 320                      | 92            | 27                      | 28                  | 131         | 39            | 6        | 21       | 2      | 6        | 1  | 73  | 2              | 7          |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Carleton Place .....            | 274          | 1400                     | 300           | 26                      | 28                  | 104         | 61            | 44       | 74       | 14     | 25       | 2  | 350 | 5              | 15         |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Clayton : Grace Church .....    | 41           | 190                      | 91            | 12                      | 1                   | 53          | 30            | 7        | 10       | ..     | 2        | 1  | 33  | 1              | 3          |            |          |         |                      |  |
| St. John's .....                | 47           | 246                      | 81            | 13                      | ..                  | 51          | 9             | 12       | 22       | 3      | 5        | 1  | 25  | ..             | 3          |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Holy Trinity .....              | 15           | 60                       | 20            | 4                       | ..                  | 26          | 3             | 1        | ..       | ..     | ..       | 1  | 10  | ..             | 2          |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Franktown : St. James' .....    | 27           | 152                      | 67            | 26                      | 5                   | 48          | 10            | 9        | 10       | 3      | 6        | .. | ..  | ..             | ..         |            |          |         |                      |  |
| St. John's .....                | 19           | 112                      | 58            | 12                      | ..                  | 50          | 5             | 10       | 11       | ..     | 1        | .. | ..  | ..             | ..         |            |          |         |                      |  |
| St. Bede's .....                | 24           | 144                      | 67            | 12                      | ..                  | 50          | 5             | 5        | 25       | 3      | 1        | .. | ..  | ..             | ..         |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Lanark : St. John's .....       | 25           | 142                      | 40            | 35                      | 2                   | 150         | 30            | 23       | 38       | 4      | 4        | .. | ..  | ..             | ..         |            |          |         |                      |  |
| St. Paul's .....                | 17           | 86                       | 35            | ..                      | ..                  | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..       | ..     | ..       | .. | ..  | ..             | ..         |            |          |         |                      |  |
| St. Stephen's .....             | 30           | 204                      | 35            | ..                      | ..                  | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..       | ..     | ..       | .. | ..  | ..             | ..         |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Irwin's School House .....      | 4            | 59                       | 10            | ..                      | ..                  | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..       | ..     | ..       | .. | ..  | ..             | ..         |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Pakenham : St. Mark's .....     | 89           | 375                      | 100           | 26                      | 15                  | 74          | 100           | 15       | 34       | 3      | 5        | 1  | 50  | 1              | 5          |            |          |         |                      |  |
| St. John's .....                | 47           | 225                      | 100           | 24                      | ..                  | 64          | 10            | 6        | 22       | 3      | 3        | .. | 30  | ..             | 3          |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Perth : St. James' .....        | 193          | 874                      | 250           | 30                      | 48                  | 137         | 89            | 28       | 47       | 11     | 16       | 1  | 130 | 2              | 14         |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Smiths Falls : St. John's ..... | 197          | 1047                     | 360           | 94                      | 44                  | 108         | 109           | 29       | 42       | 6      | 12       | 1  | 150 | 1              | 6          |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Tennyson .....                  | 20           | 112                      | 5             | 26                      | ..                  | 52          | ..            | 2        | ..       | ..     | ..       | .. | ..  | ..             | ..         |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Canterbury .....                | 10           | ..                       | ..            | ..                      | ..                  | 52          | ..            | 1        | ..       | ..     | ..       | .. | ..  | ..             | ..         |            |          |         |                      |  |
| Port Elmsley .....              | 22           | ..                       | 20            | 26                      | ..                  | 52          | ..            | 1        | ..       | ..     | ..       | .. | ..  | ..             | ..         |            |          |         |                      |  |
|                                 | 1195         | 5710                     | 1709          | 301                     | 171                 | 1204        | 497           | 190      | 4        | 356    | 52       | 87 | 11  | 861            | 12         | 60         |          |         |                      |  |

2—Rural Deanery of Lanark.

STATISTICAL RETURNS.—CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                   | EXPENDITURE.                                 |                                                |                              |                            | PROPERTY. |                     |             |         | Total Value of all Church Property. |  |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------|---------------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------------------|--|
|                                   | For erection of buildings or other property. | For Clergy man's stipend received from Parish. | For other parochial objects. | For objects outside Parish | CHURCHES. | Schools or Chapels. | PARSONAGES. |         |                                     |  |
|                                   |                                              |                                                |                              |                            | New.      | Present             | New.        | Present |                                     |  |
|                                   |                                              |                                                |                              |                            | Number.   | Sittings.           | Number.     | Number  |                                     |  |
| <b>2—Rural Deanery of Lanark.</b> |                                              |                                                |                              |                            |           |                     |             |         |                                     |  |
| Almonte : St. Paul's.....         | \$ 239 00                                    | \$ 692 00                                      | \$ 264 00                    | \$ 120 00                  | .....     | 300                 | .....       | 1       | \$12,000                            |  |
| Carleton Place.....               | 520 00                                       | 820 00                                         | 800 00                       | 400 00                     | .....     | 400                 | .....       | 1       | 21,000                              |  |
| Clayton : Grace Church.....       | .....                                        | 311 25                                         | 25 01                        | 76 27                      | .....     | 150                 | .....       | 1       | 1,700                               |  |
| St. John's.....                   | 9 87                                         | 269 69                                         | 36 90                        | 75 58                      | .....     | 150                 | .....       | .....   | 600                                 |  |
| Holy Trinity.....                 | 35 12                                        | 55 61                                          | 3 63                         | 9 10                       | .....     | 150                 | .....       | .....   | 800                                 |  |
| Franktown : St. James.....        | 227 50                                       | 169 00                                         | 261 03                       | 102 90                     | .....     | 143                 | .....       | 1       | 2,800                               |  |
| St. John's.....                   | .....                                        | 89 00                                          | 35 91                        | 94 00                      | .....     | 90                  | .....       | .....   | 900                                 |  |
| St. Bede's.....                   | .....                                        | 104 00                                         | 42 50                        | 74 53                      | .....     | 120                 | .....       | .....   | 1,500                               |  |
| Lanark : St. John's.....          | .....                                        | 325 00                                         | 95 00                        | 100 00                     | .....     | 3                   | .....       | 1       | 3,300                               |  |
| St. Paul's.....                   | .....                                        | .....                                          | .....                        | .....                      | .....     | .....               | .....       | .....   | .....                               |  |
| St. Stephen's.....                | .....                                        | .....                                          | .....                        | .....                      | .....     | .....               | .....       | .....   | .....                               |  |
| Irwin's School House.....         | .....                                        | .....                                          | .....                        | .....                      | .....     | .....               | .....       | .....   | .....                               |  |
| Pakenham : St. Mark's.....        | .....                                        | 355 00                                         | 263 00                       | 140 00                     | .....     | 300                 | .....       | 1       | 4,500                               |  |
| St. John's.....                   | .....                                        | 345 00                                         | 200 00                       | 100 00                     | .....     | 200                 | .....       | .....   | 2,000                               |  |
| Perth : St. James.....            | .....                                        | 1,000 00                                       | 1,309 00                     | 306 71                     | .....     | 600                 | .....       | 1       | 35,000                              |  |
| Smiths Falls : St. John's.....    | .....                                        | 900 00                                         | 749 00                       | 369 27                     | .....     | 600                 | .....       | 1       | 20,000                              |  |
| Tennyson.....                     | .....                                        | 122 00                                         | 47 42                        | .....                      | .....     | 200                 | .....       | .....   | 2,000                               |  |
| Canterbury.....                   | .....                                        | .....                                          | .....                        | .....                      | .....     | 100                 | .....       | .....   | .....                               |  |
| Port Elmsley.....                 | .....                                        | .....                                          | .....                        | .....                      | .....     | .....               | .....       | .....   | .....                               |  |
|                                   | \$1,061 49                                   | \$5,425 55                                     | \$4,075 03                   | \$1,974 20                 | 1         | 173,360             | .....       | 1       | \$107,700                           |  |
|                                   |                                              |                                                |                              |                            | 6         |                     |             |         |                                     |  |



STATISTICAL RETURNS.—CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                  | CONGREGATION |                         | DIVINE SERVICE.          |                     |            |               |            |            |            |           |           |           | SUNDAY SCHOOL. |                      |           |           |
|----------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|------------|---------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------|
|                                  | Families     | Total Church Population | HOLY COMMUNION SERVICES. |                     | BAPTISMS   |               | Confirmed. | Marriages. | Burials.   | Schools.  | Pupils.   | Males     | Females.       | TEACHERS & OFFICERS. |           |           |
|                                  |              |                         | Mid-day Celebrations.    | Early Celebrations. | On Sundays | On Week Days. |            |            |            |           |           |           |                | Infants.             | Adults.   | Schools.  |
| Beachburg : St. Augustine's..... | 30           | 145                     | 33                       | 13                  | 3          | 52            | 10         | 6          | 7          | 1         | 1         | 1         | 1              | 40                   | 3         | 3         |
| Westmeath.....                   | 12           | 56                      | 20                       | 14                  | 1          | 52            | 15         | 5          | 1          | 1         | 1         | 1         | 1              | 20                   | 1         | 2         |
| Forester's Falls.....            | 6            | 44                      | 10                       | 12                  | .....      | 52            | 2          | 3          | .....      | .....     | .....     | .....     | .....          | .....                | .....     | .....     |
| Cobden : St. Paul's.....         | 38           | 264                     | 110                      | 26                  | .....      | 99            | 43         | 17         | 34         | 3         | 7         | 7         | 7              | 51                   | 2         | 2         |
| Haley's Station.....             | 4            | 26                      | 6                        | 10                  | .....      | 56            | 11         | .....      | .....      | .....     | .....     | .....     | .....          | 7                    | 1         | .....     |
| *Mattawa.....                    | 35           | 210                     | 76                       | 15                  | 10         | 145           | 60         | 13         | .....      | 2         | 8         | 4         | 4              | 50                   | 3         | 5         |
| Pembroke : Holy Trinity.....     | 86           | 476                     | 181                      | 14                  | 46         | 150           | 70         | 11         | 14         | 7         | 9         | 1         | 1              | 106                  | 5         | 10        |
| Petawawa : All Saints.....       | 5            | 40                      | 16                       | 12                  | 1          | 52            | 4          | 2          | 8          | 1         | 1         | .....     | .....          | .....                | .....     | .....     |
| St. Aiden's.....                 | 3            | 18                      | 5                        | 4                   | .....      | 23            | .....      | 2          | .....      | 2         | 1         | .....     | .....          | .....                | .....     | .....     |
| St. George's.....                | 11           | 70                      | 20                       | 8                   | .....      | 23            | .....      | 4          | 12         | 2         | 1         | .....     | .....          | .....                | .....     | .....     |
| St. Cuthbert's.....              | 7            | 35                      | 14                       | 4                   | .....      | 23            | 1          | 2          | 12         | .....     | .....     | .....     | .....          | .....                | .....     | .....     |
| St. Oswald's.....                | 9            | 35                      | 11                       | 8                   | .....      | 23            | .....      | 3          | .....      | .....     | .....     | .....     | .....          | .....                | .....     | .....     |
| Stafford : St. Stephen's.....    | 49           | 251                     | 68                       | 19                  | .....      | 51            | 20         | 12         | 5          | 4         | 1         | 1         | 1              | 72                   | 2         | 2         |
| St. Patrick's.....               | 50           | 267                     | 77                       | 18                  | .....      | 50            | 17         | 7          | 9          | 2         | 2         | 2         | 2              | 51                   | 3         | 2         |
| St. Thomas'.....                 | 26           | 119                     | 40                       | 19                  | .....      | 51            | 18         | 4          | 3          | 2         | 2         | 2         | 2              | 13                   | 2         | 1         |
| <b>371</b>                       | <b>2049</b>  | <b>676</b>              | <b>196</b>               | <b>61</b>           | <b>909</b> | <b>268</b>    | <b>86</b>  | <b>1</b>   | <b>105</b> | <b>28</b> | <b>35</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>410</b>     | <b>22</b>            | <b>22</b> | <b>27</b> |

3-Rural Deanery of Pembroke

STATISTICAL RETURNS,—CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                  | EXPENDITURE.                                             |                                                |                              |                             | PROPERTY. |                 |                     |                 |              |                 | Total Value of all Church Property. |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
|                                  | For erection or purchase of buildings or other property. | For Clergy-man's stipend received from Parish. | For other parochial objects. | For objects outside Parish. | CHURCHES. |                 | Chapels or Schools. |                 | PARSON-AGES. |                 |                                     |
|                                  |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             | New.      | Present Number. | New.                | Present Number. | New.         | Present Number. |                                     |
| Beachburg : St. Augustine's..... | \$ 66 80                                                 | \$ 73 87                                       | \$ 85 83                     | \$ 38 35                    | 1         | 150             | 1                   | 1               | 1            | 1               | \$ 3,500 50                         |
| Westmeath.....                   | 50 00                                                    | 84 54                                          | 18 36                        | 54 59                       | .....     | .....           | .....               | .....           | .....        | .....           | .....                               |
| Forester's Falls.....            | 22 00                                                    | 81 14                                          | 43 21                        | 26 30                       | .....     | .....           | .....               | .....           | .....        | .....           | 4,492 25                            |
| Cobden : St. Paul's.....         | .....                                                    | 276 00                                         | 363 06                       | 97 44                       | 1         | 150             | 1                   | 1               | 1            | 1               | 4,500 9,250                         |
| Haley's Station.....             | 28 75                                                    | 42 75                                          | .....                        | .....                       | .....     | .....           | .....               | .....           | .....        | .....           | .....                               |
| Mattawa.....                     | .....                                                    | 243 34                                         | .....                        | 22 00                       | 4         | 400             | 1                   | 1               | 1            | 1               | 6,000                               |
| Pembroke.....                    | .....                                                    | 865 00                                         | 702 16                       | 237 10                      | 1         | 250             | 1                   | 1               | 1            | 1               | .....                               |
| Petawawa : All Saints.....       | 130 00                                                   | 21 00                                          | 5 00                         | .....                       | 1         | 100             | 1                   | 1               | 1            | 1               | .....                               |
| St. Aiden's.....                 | .....                                                    | 9 50                                           | 25                           | .....                       | 1         | 75              | .....               | .....           | .....        | .....           | .....                               |
| St. George's.....                | 70 00                                                    | 24 00                                          | .....                        | .....                       | 1         | 100             | .....               | .....           | .....        | .....           | .....                               |
| St. Cuthbert's.....              | 100 00                                                   | 15 50                                          | .....                        | .....                       | 1         | 100             | .....               | .....           | .....        | .....           | .....                               |
| St. Oswald's.....                | 112 00                                                   | 45 25                                          | .....                        | .....                       | 1         | 75              | .....               | .....           | .....        | .....           | .....                               |
| Stafford : St. Stephen's.....    | .....                                                    | 330 20                                         | 236 53                       | 50 92                       | 1         | 200             | 1                   | 1               | 1            | 1               | 4,300 3,600                         |
| St. Patrick's.....               | 110 00                                                   | 314 55                                         | 23 68                        | 34 00                       | 1         | 225             | .....               | .....           | .....        | .....           | .....                               |
| St. Thomas.....                  | .....                                                    | 158 00                                         | 39 64                        | 27 47                       | 1         | 100             | .....               | .....           | .....        | .....           | .....                               |
|                                  | \$640 75                                                 | \$2,591 64                                     | \$1,532 48                   | \$737 67                    | 1         | 151,800         | .....               | .....           | .....        | 6               | \$36,092                            |

\*Returns from 1896.

STATISTICAL RETURNS.—CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                  | CONGREGATION |                          |               | DIVINE SERVICE           |                     |             |               |            |            |            |           |            |          | SUNDAY SCHOOL |           |         |  |
|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|----------|---------------|-----------|---------|--|
|                                  | Families.    | Total Church Population. | Communicants. | HOLY COMMUNION SERVICES. |                     |             | BAPTISMS      |            | Confirmed. | Marriages. | Burials.  | Schools.   | Pupils.  | Males.        | Females.  |         |  |
|                                  |              |                          |               | Mid-day Celebrations.    | Early Celebrations. | On Sundays. | On Week Days. | Infants.   |            |            |           |            |          |               |           | Adults. |  |
| Bearbrook                        | 81           | 373                      | 140           | 36                       | 147                 | 23          | 15            | 17         | 7          | 7          | 3         | 91         | 1        | 1             | 5         |         |  |
| Hawkesbury : Trinity             | 41           | 201                      | 112           | 26                       | 88                  | 39          | 3             | 23         | 3          | 3          | 1         | 53         | 1        | 1             | 2         |         |  |
| L'Orignal                        | 23           | 131                      | 55            | ..                       | 47                  | 2           | ..            | 16         | ..         | ..         | 1         | 29         | 1        | 1             | 3         |         |  |
| Navan                            | 43           | 242                      | 64            | 24                       | 115                 | 22          | 12            | 34         | 2          | 3          | 1         | 60         | 1        | 1             | 2         |         |  |
| Blackburn                        | 10           | 49                       | 21            | ..                       | ..                  | ..          | ..            | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..        | ..         | ..       | ..            | ..        |         |  |
| Cumberland                       | 5            | 18                       | 9             | ..                       | ..                  | ..          | ..            | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..        | ..         | ..       | ..            | ..        |         |  |
| Osgoode and Russell : Metcalfe   | 41           | 250                      | 81            | 10                       | 51                  | 8           | 12            | 33         | 3          | 3          | 1         | 35         | 1        | 1             | 3         |         |  |
| Russell                          | 28           | 164                      | 53            | 9                        | 50                  | 11          | 2             | 14         | 1          | 1          | 1         | 28         | 1        | 1             | 2         |         |  |
| Greely                           | 9            | 45                       | 23            | 9                        | 27                  | 18          | 2             | 3          | 3          | 2          | 1         | 12         | ..       | ..            | 1         |         |  |
| Vernon                           | 9            | 45                       | 8             | ..                       | 23                  | 3           | ..            | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..        | ..         | ..       | ..            | ..        |         |  |
| Plantagenet : Church Good Sh'p'd | 4            | 38                       | 13            | 7                        | 34                  | 3           | 1             | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..        | ..         | ..       | ..            | ..        |         |  |
| St. Peter's                      | 10           | 67                       | 12            | 6                        | 32                  | 6           | ..            | 7          | ..         | 1          | ..        | ..         | ..       | ..            | ..        |         |  |
| St. Paul's                       | 15           | 154                      | 22            | 7                        | 49                  | 42          | 4             | 6          | 1          | 4          | 1         | 25         | ..       | ..            | 2         |         |  |
| Vankleek Hill : St. John's       | 30           | 150                      | 37            | 6                        | 93                  | 19          | 4             | 12         | 1          | 1          | 1         | 20         | ..       | ..            | 2         |         |  |
| St. Paul's                       | 22           | 120                      | 39            | 5                        | 50                  | 5           | 1             | 12         | ..         | ..         | 1         | 60         | 1        | 1             | 5         |         |  |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                     | <b>371</b>   | <b>1983</b>              | <b>719</b>    | <b>145</b>               | <b>809</b>          | <b>201</b>  | <b>56</b>     | <b>183</b> | <b>18</b>  | <b>18</b>  | <b>12</b> | <b>413</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>7</b>      | <b>27</b> |         |  |

4—Rural Deanery of Prescott and Russell



STATISTICAL RETURNS.--CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                                  | EXPENDITURE.                                             |                                                |                              |                             | PROPERTY. |                 |                     |                 | Total Value of all Church Property. |                 |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
|                                                  | For erection or purchase of buildings or other property. | For Clergy-man's stipend received from Parish. | For other parochial objects. | For objects outside Parish. | CHURCHES. | Sittings.       | Chapels or Schools. | PARSON-AGES.    |                                     |                 |
|                                                  |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             | New.      | Present Number. | New.                | Present Number. | New                                 | Present Number. |
| <b>4--Rural Deanery of Prescott and Russell.</b> |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                 |                     |                 |                                     |                 |
| Bearbrook.....                                   | 673 00                                                   | \$ 243 00                                      | 300 00                       | \$ 104 23                   | 3         | 350             | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   | 3,300           |
| Hawkesbury : Trinity.....                        | 27 00                                                    | 395 14                                         | 300 00                       | 151 38                      | 1         | 200             | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   | 20,500          |
| L'Orignal.....                                   |                                                          | 149 50                                         |                              | 47 00                       | 1         | 90              | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   | 4,500           |
| Navan.....                                       |                                                          | 320 50                                         | 100 46                       | 110 00                      | 1         | 350             | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   | 8,475           |
| Blackburn.....                                   |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             | 1         |                 | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   | 7,000           |
| Cumberland.....                                  | 630 00                                                   | 200 00                                         |                              | 115 00                      | 1         | 325             | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   | 4,000           |
| Osgoode and Russell : Metcalfe                   |                                                          | 210 00                                         | 56 00                        |                             | 1         |                 | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   |                 |
| Russell.....                                     |                                                          | 48 00                                          |                              |                             | 1         |                 | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   |                 |
| Greely.....                                      |                                                          | 44 00                                          |                              |                             | 1         |                 | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   |                 |
| Vernon.....                                      |                                                          | 38 51                                          | 98 75                        | 27 02                       | 1         | 350             | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   |                 |
| Plantagenet : Church Good Sh'p'd                 |                                                          | 62 91                                          | 37 95                        | 20 75                       | 1         |                 | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   |                 |
| St. Peter's.....                                 |                                                          | 103 21                                         | 134 34                       | 53 43                       | 1         |                 | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   |                 |
| St. Paul's.....                                  |                                                          | 244 50                                         | 122 25                       |                             | 1         | 150             | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   |                 |
| Vankieek Hill ; St. John's                       |                                                          | 154 80                                         | 70 00                        |                             | 1         | 125             | 1                   | 1               | 1                                   |                 |
| St. Paul's.....                                  | \$2,020 00                                               | \$2,177 07                                     | \$219 75                     | \$894 81                    | 16        | 1,940           | 6                   | 6               | 6                                   | \$27,775        |

STATISTICAL RETURNS.—CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.             | CONGREGATION             |               | DIVINE SERVICE.         |                       |             |               |          |         | SUNDAY SCHOOL. |         |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|---------------|----------|---------|----------------|---------|--------|----------|------------|------------|----------|-----|----|
|                             | Total Church Population. | Communicants. | HOLY COMMUNION SERVICES |                       |             | BAPTISMS      |          |         | Schools.       | Pupils. | Males. | Females. |            |            |          |     |    |
|                             |                          |               | Early Celebrations.     | Mid-day Celebrations. | On Sundays. | On Week Days. | Infants. | Adults. |                |         |        |          | Confirmed. | Marriages. | Burials. |     |    |
| Armstrong : Emmanuel.....   | 50                       | 420           | 132                     | 14                    | 17          | 134           | 70       | 116     | 1              | 28      | 6      | 14       | 1          | 85         | 3        | 85  | 10 |
| Douglas.....                | 10                       | 45            |                         |                       |             | 9             | 5        |         |                |         |        |          |            | 1          | 14       | 1   | 1  |
| Admaston.....               | 6                        | 28            |                         |                       |             | 8             | 3        |         |                |         |        |          |            | 1          | 1        | 1   |    |
| Killaloe.....               | 5                        | 30            |                         |                       |             |               |          |         |                |         |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
| Madawaska.....              | 3                        | 15            |                         |                       |             |               |          |         |                |         |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
| Whitney.....                | 9                        | 56            |                         |                       |             |               | 3        |         |                |         |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
| Grattan.....                | 13                       |               |                         |                       |             |               |          |         |                |         |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
| Clontarf.....               | 11                       |               |                         |                       |             |               |          |         |                |         |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
| Eganville : St. John's..... | 78                       | 388           | 90                      | 21                    | 6           | 114           | 80       | 15      | 1              | 11      | 9      | 10       | 1          | 86         | 5        | 86  | 2  |
| Lake Dore.....              | 18                       | 87            | 39                      |                       | 18          | 60            | 10       |         |                | 4       | 1      |          | 1          | 15         |          | 15  | 2  |
| Mink Lake.....              | 13                       | 74            | 14                      |                       |             | 38            | 6        | 4       |                | 1       |        |          | 1          | 23         |          | 23  | 3  |
| Renfrew : St. Paul's.....   | 47                       | 252           | 70                      | 31                    | 16          | 120           | 75       | 14      |                | 13      | 6      | 6        | 1          | 64         | 2        | 64  | 5  |
| St. Barnabas.....           | 5                        | 22            | 12                      | 3                     |             | 20            |          |         |                |         |        |          | 1          | 4          | 1        | 4   |    |
| Rockingham and Combermere : |                          |               |                         |                       |             |               |          |         |                |         |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
| Rockingham.....             | 14                       | 60            | 21                      | 14                    |             | 42            | 3        | 17      |                | 13      |        |          | 1          | 12         |          | 12  | 2  |
| Combermere.....             | 8                        | 43            | 23                      | 14                    | 2           | 42            | 4        |         |                | 11      |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
| Bangor (Purdy).....         | 20                       | 94            |                         |                       |             | 22            |          |         |                |         |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
| Bells Rapids.....           |                          |               |                         |                       |             |               | 9        |         |                |         |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
| Bark Lake.....              | 8                        | 41            |                         |                       |             | 6             |          |         |                |         |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
| Marchism.....               |                          |               |                         |                       |             | 2             |          |         |                |         |        |          |            |            |          |     |    |
|                             | 359                      | 1655          | 401                     | 97                    | 51          | 631           | 276      | 66      | 2              | 81      | 26     | 31       | 8          | 330        | 19       | 330 | 25 |

5-Rural Deanery of Renfrew.

STATISTICAL RETURNS.—CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                   | EXPENDITURE.                                             |                                                |                              |                             | PROPERTY. |                     |             |                                     | Total Value of all Church Property. |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|---------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|                                   | For erection or purchase of buildings or other property. | For Clergy-man's stipend received from Parish. | For other parochial objects. | For objects outside Parish. | CHURCHES. | Chapels or Schools. | PARSONAGES. | Total Value of all Church Property. |                                     |
|                                   |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             | New.      | New.                | New.        | New.                                |                                     |
| <b>5—Rural Deanery of Renfrew</b> |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Arnprior : Emmanuel.....          |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Douglas.....                      |                                                          |                                                | \$ 349 46                    |                             |           |                     |             |                                     | \$ 5,000                            |
| Admaston.....                     |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     | 800                                 |
| Killaloe.....                     |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Madawaska.....                    |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Whitney.....                      |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Grattan.....                      |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Clontarf.....                     |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Eganville : St. John's.....       | 62 93                                                    | 820 64                                         | 242 14                       | 57 77                       | 1         | 1                   | 1           | 1                                   | 700                                 |
| Lake Dore.....                    | 95 00                                                    |                                                |                              | 5 37                        | 1         | 1                   | 1           | 1                                   | 4,000                               |
| Mink Lake.....                    |                                                          |                                                |                              | 2 68                        | 1         | 1                   | 1           | 1                                   | 1,000                               |
| Renfrew : St. Paul's.....         | 400 00                                                   | 338 16                                         | 435 20                       | 82 19                       | 1         | 1                   | 1           | 1                                   | 5,000                               |
| St. Barnabas.....                 |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             | 1         | 1                   | 1           | 1                                   | 5,200                               |
| Rockingham and Combermere :       |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Rockingham.....                   |                                                          | 100 00                                         | 22 39                        | 39 73                       |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Combermere.....                   |                                                          | 33 00                                          | 149 56                       | 11 51                       |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Bangor (Purdy).....               |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             | 1         | 1                   | 1           | 1                                   | 1,700                               |
| Bell's Rapids.....                |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Bark Lake.....                    |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
| Marchism.....                     |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |           |                     |             |                                     |                                     |
|                                   | \$557 93                                                 | \$2,059 90                                     | \$1,198 75                   | \$199 35                    | 7         | 900                 | 1           | 1                                   | \$18,400                            |



STATISTICAL RETURNS--CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                    | CONGREGATION |              |              | DIVINE SERVICE.         |                     |             |               |          |          |            |            |          |        | SUNDAY SCHOOLS. |        |                        |  |
|------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------|----------|----------|------------|------------|----------|--------|-----------------|--------|------------------------|--|
|                                    | Families     | Total Church | Communicants | HOLY COMMUNION SERVICES |                     |             |               |          | BAPTISMS |            |            |          |        | Schools         | Pupils | OFFICERS AND TEACHERS. |  |
|                                    |              |              |              | Mid-day Celebrations.   | Early Celebrations. | On Sundays. | On Week Days. | Infants. | Adults.  | Confirmed. | Marriages. | Burials. | Males. |                 |        | Females.               |  |
| <b>6-Rural Deanery of Stormont</b> |              |              |              |                         |                     |             |               |          |          |            |            |          |        |                 |        |                        |  |
| Cornwall : Trinity Church.....     | 220          | 1250         | 412          | 27                      | 28                  | 156         | 60            | 50       | 1        | 34         | 7          | 25       | 1      | 220             | 5      | 18                     |  |
| East Cornwall : Good Shepherd...   | 67           | 306          | 112          | 14                      | 17                  | 184         | 36            | 22       | 1        | 14         | 4          | 10       | 1      | 100             | 3      | 8                      |  |
| Crysler and Newington (Crysler)    | 42           | 193          | 77           | 24                      | 1                   | 91          | 15            | 11       | 1        | 28         | 2          | 4        | 1      | 12              | 1      | 1                      |  |
| Newington, All Saints              | 34           | 120          | 50           | 17                      | 1                   | 55          | 55            | 16       | 1        | 10         | ...        | 3        | 1      | 34              | 3      | 2                      |  |
| Avonmore, St. Marks                | 35           | 140          | 34           | 16                      | 1                   | 53          | 23            | 7        | ...      | 8          | ...        | 3        | 1      | 20              | 2      | 1                      |  |
| Iroquois : St. John's.....         | 59           | 220          | 132          | 33                      | 30                  | 127         | 85            | 4        | ...      | 14         | 2          | 1        | 1      | 60              | 2      | 5                      |  |
| St. Paul's.....                    | 18           | 63           | 24           | 50                      | 6                   | 37          | 4             | 17       | 1        | 33         | 5          | 5        | 1      | 150             | 3      | 13                     |  |
| Morrisburg : St. James.....        | 80           | 400          | 225          | 16                      | 26                  | 135         | 52            | 10       | 3        | 23         | 1          | 1        | ...    | ...             | ...    | ...                    |  |
| Mountain : St. Peter's             | 26           | 86           | 49           | 10                      | 1                   | 56          | 8             | 2        | ...      | 5          | ...        | ...      | ...    | ...             | ...    | ...                    |  |
| Dixon's Corners : Christ Ch.       | 8            | 40           | 16           | ...                     | ...                 | 26          | ...           | ...      | ...      | 2          | ...        | ...      | ...    | ...             | ...    | ...                    |  |
| Inkerman.....                      | 7            | 33           | ...          | ...                     | ...                 | 19          | ...           | ...      | ...      | ...        | 2          | 6        | 1      | 107             | 3      | 9                      |  |
| Mountain Station.....              | 7            | 394          | 187          | ...                     | 13                  | 16          | 62            | 16       | 1        | ...        | 2          | ...      | 1      | 63              | 1      | 4                      |  |
| Osnabruck & Moulinette, St. David  | 74           | 387          | 145          | ...                     | 11                  | 51          | 16            | 16       | 1        | ...        | 2          | 4        | 1      | 54              | 2      | 5                      |  |
| Christ Church : Moulinette...      | 39           | 148          | 59           | ...                     | 8                   | 52          | 11            | 3        | ...      | ...        | ...        | ...      | 1      | 40              | 2      | 3                      |  |
| St. Peter's : Osnabruck Cntr.      | 12           | 70           | 25           | ...                     | 7                   | 30          | 18            | 2        | ...      | ...        | ...        | ...      | 1      | 20              | 2      | 2                      |  |
| Winchester : St. Matthias.         | 12           | 60           | 15           | ...                     | 5                   | 20          | 4             | 9        | ...      | ...        | 4          | 2        | 1      | 20              | 2      | 1                      |  |
| Holy Trinity                       | 42           | 206          | 52           | ...                     | 11                  | 53          | 8             | 10       | ...      | ...        | 4          | 4        | 1      | 40              | 3      | 4                      |  |
| Williamsburg : Holy Trinity.....   | 44           | 275          | 125          | ...                     | 10                  | 53          | 8             | 1        | ...      | 42         | 4          | 4        | 2      | ...             | ...    | ...                    |  |
| St. Paul's, Aultsville.....        | 26           | 270          | 40           | ...                     | 8                   | 52          | ...           | ...      | ...      | ...        | ...        | ...      | ...    | ...             | ...    | ...                    |  |
| St. George's, Gallington.....      | 912          | 4693         | 1767         | 266                     | 139                 | 1303        | 437           | 180      | 7        | 195        | 35         | 69       | 14     | 940             | 33     | 76                     |  |

STATISTICAL RETURNS.—CONTINUED.

| NAME OF PARISH.                                                   | EXPENDITURE.                                             |                                                |                              |                             | PROPERTY.       |                     |                 |                | Total Value of all Church Property. |           |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|
|                                                                   | For erection or purchase of buildings or other property. | For Clergy-man's stipend received from Parish. | For other parochial objects. | For objects outside Parish. | CHURCHES.       | Schools or Chapels. | PARSONAGES.     | Present Number |                                     |           |
|                                                                   |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             | Present Number. | New.                | Present Number. | New.           | Present Number                      |           |
| <b>6—Rural Deanery of Stormont.</b>                               |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |                 |                     |                 |                |                                     |           |
| Cornwall : Trinity Church.....                                    |                                                          | \$1,716 49                                     | \$ 837 40                    | \$ 368 07                   | 1               | 700                 | 1               | 1              | 1                                   | \$ 34,000 |
| East Cornwall ; Good Shepherd<br>Crysler and Newington (Crysler). | \$30 00                                                  | 195 70                                         | 293 77                       | 105 20                      | 1               | 350                 | 1               | 1              | 1                                   | 19,400    |
| Newington.....                                                    |                                                          | 250 00                                         |                              | 89 64                       | 1               | 250                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 6,000     |
| Avonmore.....                                                     |                                                          | 196 00                                         |                              |                             | 1               | 200                 |                 |                |                                     | 1,500     |
| Iroquois : St. John's.....                                        |                                                          | 427 00                                         | 226 83                       | 113 00                      | 1               | 220                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 2,000     |
| St. Paul's.....                                                   | 23 00                                                    | 36 50                                          | 11 17                        | 13 53                       | 1               | 130                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 11,000    |
| Morrisburg : St. James.....                                       |                                                          | 1,000 00                                       | 300 00                       | 200 00                      | 1               | 450                 | 1               |                | 1                                   | 25 000    |
| Mountain : St. Peter's.....                                       |                                                          | 184 00                                         | 30 75                        | 107 91                      | 1               | 200                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 3,200     |
| Dixon's Corners, Christ Ch.<br>Inkerman.....                      |                                                          | 26 25                                          | 40 00                        | 1 96                        | 1               | 100                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 1,000     |
| Mountain Station.....                                             |                                                          | 17 75                                          |                              | 40                          |                 |                     |                 |                |                                     |           |
| Osnabruck & Moulinette, St. David<br>Christ Church, Moulinette    |                                                          | 4 15                                           | 457 17                       | 222 21                      | 1               | 250                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 8,000     |
| St. Peter's, Osnabruck Centre                                     |                                                          | 275 00                                         | 236 66                       | 148 24                      | 1               | 200                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 4,000     |
| Winchester : St. Matthias.....                                    | 30 00                                                    | 115 00                                         | 253 64                       | 31 79                       | 1               | 250                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 2,000     |
| Holy Trinity.....                                                 |                                                          | 217 00                                         | 25 00                        | 30 00                       | 1               | 120                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 1,600     |
| Williamsburg : Holy Trinity.....                                  |                                                          | 100 00                                         | 15 00                        | 18 00                       | 1               | 150                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 2,000     |
| St. Paul's, Aultsville.....                                       |                                                          | 86 00                                          | 70 00                        |                             | 1               | 250                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 2,800     |
| St. George's, Gallington.....                                     |                                                          | 118 00                                         | 75 00                        |                             | 1               | 200                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 4,000     |
|                                                                   |                                                          | 100 00                                         | 25 00                        |                             | 1               | 150                 |                 |                | 1                                   | 4,500     |
|                                                                   | \$118 00                                                 | \$5,405 84                                     | \$3,014 64                   | \$1,734 20                  | 184             | 270                 | 3               |                | 9                                   | \$128,000 |

Synopsis of Statistical Returns for the year ended April 25th, 1897.

| RURAL DEANERY.            | CONGREGATION |                          | DIVINE SERVICE.          |                     |             |               |            |            | SUNDAY SCHOOLS. |          |         |                        |        |        |          |     |
|---------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------|------------|------------|-----------------|----------|---------|------------------------|--------|--------|----------|-----|
|                           | Families     | Total Church Population. | HOLY COMMUNION SERVICES. |                     | BAPTISMS    |               | Confirmed. | Marriages. | Burials.        | Schools. | Pupils. | OFFICERS AND TEACHERS. |        |        |          |     |
|                           |              |                          | Mid-day Celebrations.    | Early Celebrations. | On Sundays. | On Week Days. |            |            |                 |          |         | Infants.               | A cult | Males. | Females. |     |
| <b>Diocese of Ottawa.</b> |              |                          |                          |                     |             |               |            |            |                 |          |         |                        |        |        |          |     |
| Carleton.....             | 3181         | 13152                    | 4076                     | 713                 | 575         | 2962          | 1974       | 400        | 14              | 367      | 121     | 211                    | 31     | 2620   | 91       | 174 |
| Lanark.....               | 1195         | 5710                     | 1709                     | 301                 | 171         | 1204          | 497        | 190        | 4               | 356      | 52      | 87                     | 11     | 861    | 12       | 60  |
| Prescott and Russell..... | 371          | 1983                     | 719                      | 145                 | 10          | 809           | 201        | 56         | ...             | 183      | 18      | 18                     | 12     | 413    | 7        | 27  |
| Pembroke.....             | 371          | 2049                     | 676                      | 196                 | 61          | 909           | 268        | 86         | 1               | 105      | 28      | 35                     | 12     | 410    | 22       | 27  |
| Renfrew.....              | 359          | 1655                     | 401                      | 97                  | 51          | 631           | 276        | 66         | 2               | 81       | 26      | 31                     | 8      | 330    | 13       | 25  |
| Stormont.....             | 912          | 4693                     | 1769                     | 266                 | 189         | 1305          | 437        | 180        | 7               | 195      | 35      | 69                     | 14     | 940    | 33       | 76  |
|                           | 6428         | 29212                    | 9312                     | 1723                | 994         | 7820          | 3653       | 976        | 28              | 1289     | 280     | 451                    | 88     | 5594   | 177      | 389 |



SYNOPSIS OF STATISTICAL RETURNS—CONTINUED.

| RURAL DEANERY.            | EXPENDITURE.                                             |                                                |                              |                             | PROPERTY.       |                     |                 |                 | Total Value of all Church Property. |  |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|--|
|                           | For erection or purchase of buildings or other property. | For Clergy-man's stipend received from Parish. | For other parochial objects. | For objects outside Parish. | CHURCHES.       | CHAPELS OR SCHOOLS. | PARSON-AGES.    |                 |                                     |  |
|                           |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             | Present Number. | Present Number.     | Present Number. | Present Number. |                                     |  |
| <b>Diocese of Ottawa.</b> |                                                          |                                                |                              |                             |                 |                     |                 |                 |                                     |  |
| Carleton.....             | \$6,869 24                                               | \$18,267 32                                    | \$14,941 24                  | \$4,957 96                  | 408,535         | 3                   | 12              | 12              | \$300,105                           |  |
| Lanark.....               | 1,061 49                                                 | 5,426 55                                       | 4,075 05                     | 1,974 20                    | 173,350         | 1                   | 6               | 6               | 107,700                             |  |
| Prescott and Russell..... | 2,020 00                                                 | 2,177 07                                       | 919 75                       | 894 81                      | 161,940         | 1                   | 6               | 6               | 27,775                              |  |
| Pembroke.....             | 640 75                                                   | 2,591 64                                       | 1,532 48                     | 737 67                      | 151,800         | 1                   | 6               | 6               | 36,092                              |  |
| Renfrew.....              | 557 93                                                   | 2,059 90                                       | 1,198 75                     | 199 35                      | 7,900           | 1                   | 1               | 1               | 18,400                              |  |
| Stormont.....             | 118 00                                                   | 5,405 84                                       | 3,014 64                     | 1,734 20                    | 184,270         | 3                   | 9               | 9               | 128,000                             |  |
|                           | \$11,267 41                                              | \$35,928 32                                    | \$25,681 93                  | \$10,494 19                 | 2 113,20,765    | 7                   | 1               | 40              | \$627,572                           |  |

ERRATA.

Page 3—For "Priests 58" read "Priests 59".  
 Pages 15, 154, 166—For "Christ Church" read "Christ Church Cathedral."  
 Page 33—Last line, for "B-22" read "B-19."  
 Page 36—In paragraph headed "Ottawa Episcopal Endowment Fund," for "B-21" read "B-18."  
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Each Collection is due at the office of the Clerical Secretary or of M. W. Maynard, Esq., Hon. Diocesan Treasurer of the Domestic and Foreign Mission Fund (as the case may be) within one month after the day on which it is appointed to be made. Collections made at Ascension tide for Domestic Missions; at Epiphany for Foreign Missions; on Good Friday for the Jews; on the Day of Intercession for Foreign Mission Work; and all other Offerings and Collections for objects outside of this Diocese should be sent to M. W. Maynard, Esq., 252 Metcalfe Street, Ottawa, Hon. Diocesan Treasurer. ALL OTHER OFFERINGS AND COLLECTIONS should be sent to THE CLERICAL SECRETARY, Rev. Canon Hanington Ottawa.

- SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION DAY (To be sent to M. W. Maynard) ..... Domestic Missions
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+Or one of the two following Sundays.—See Canons XII, XVI, and XVII. (*Book of Canons, pp. 27, 34 and 37.*)

+To be held during the autumn or winter. See Canon XII, Sec. 2.

§To be sent to the Clerical Secretary on or before April 25th. See Canon XII, Sec. 2.

¶See Journal of 2nd Session p. 37.