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The Very Rev. the Dean, The Clerical Secretary,	The Ven. the Archdeacon, The Lay Secretary.
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Rev. Dr. Boswell, " R. Lewis, " Dr. Jones, " E. H. M. Baker,	Dr. Henderson, W. B. Simpson, R. T. Walkem, A. Code.
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Rev. H. Wilson.

On Amendment of Act for Sale of Rectory Lands.

The Ven. the Archdeacon, Rev. J. A. Mulock, " R. Lewis, Dr. Henderson,	R. T. Walkem, W. B. Simpson, G. A. Kirkpatrick, Jas. Shannon.
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The Lay Secretary.

On the Establishment of a Church Newspaper.

The Ven. the Archdeacon, Rev. J. W. Burke, " J. A. Mulock,	Rev. G. A. Anderson, " J. S. Lauder, " J. Stannage,
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Rev. R. Lewis.

On Missiary Deputations.

The Conveners of Deputations together with Rev. R. Lewis (Convener), and Rev. Dr. Jones.

On the Increase of Clerical Stipends and motion of Rev. R. Lewis—*p. 1096 Journal.*

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" R. Lewis,	W. Ellis,
	S. Keefer.

On the Division of the Diocese.
The Executive Committee.**On Church Temporalities Act.**

The Ven. the Archdeacon	Dr. Henderson.
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On Missionary Bishop in the District of Algoma.

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Cooke, A. W., S.
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Crawford, E. P.,
Carey, W.B., B.A.
Caulfield, H.,
Coleman, A. H.,
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White, G. W., B
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Poole, Samuel G.
Muckleston, W. J
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Almonte.....	" J. K. McMorine, M.A..	
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	(Curate)	
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Gananoque
Huntley.....
Hawkesbury....
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St. James'...
St. Paul's....
All Saints'...
Kemptville.....
Kitley.....
Lanark.....
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Kitley.....Vacant.....	W. Sheffield. W. Green. P. Green.
Lanark.....Vacant.....	
Leeds and Lansdowne...	" A. H. Coleman, B.A..	

<i>Parishes or Missions.</i>	<i>Clergymen.</i>	<i>Lay Delegates.</i>
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Mountain.....	" F. H. McKenzie.....	
North Augusta.....	" A. W. Cooke.....	B. Colborn.
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Pakenham...

Picton.....

Prescott....

Pembroke...

Portsmouth..

Richmond....

Roslyn

Renfrew.....

Smith's Falls..

Stirling

Shannonville..

Trenton.....

Tyendinaga....

Tamworth

Vankleek Hill..

Wolfe Island....

Williamsburgh ..

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" T. Bousfield—

" C. F. Kaapek

" T. Taylor, M.

" H. Mulkins—

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<i>Parishes or Missions.</i>	<i>Clergymen.</i>	<i>Lay Delegates.</i>
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Portsmouth.....	" A. C. Nesbitt	{ W. A. Hunter. H. H. Loucks.
Richmond.....	" F. W. Dobbs.....	{ Major Wilson. W. C. Evans.
Roslyn	" C. B. Pettit, M.A....	{ C. Grass.
Renfrew.....	" W. Roberts	{ D. Flitchett. J. Elliott.
Smith's Falls.....	" H. Caulfield	{ J. A. Delaney. W. M. Richey.
Stirling	" G. W. White, B.A. ...	{ Jas. Rath. G. E. Bull.
Shannonville.....	" J. Halliwell.....	{ S. Johns.
Trenton..... Vacant.....	{ T. Earle. S. Earle.
Tyendinaga.....	" W. Bleasdel, M.A....	{ W. Shea. C. Francis.
Tamworth	" T. Stanton, B.A.....	{ A. Loft. S. Green.
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Wolfe Island.....	" Arthur Phillipps.....	{ J. Kennedy. W. Higginson.
Williamsburgh	" Jas. Godfrey, B.A....	{ A. A. Beaton. T. Higginson.
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		{ S. Going. H. E. Snyder.
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 " T. Taylor, M.A.—Superannuated.
 " H. Mulkins—Chaplain to Provincial Penitentiary

TWELFTH SESSION.

KINGSTON, June 3rd, 1873.

SERVICE IN THE CATHEDRAL.

There was full Choral Evensong in the Cathedral on Tuesday, June 3rd, at 7:30.

Evening Prayer was sung by the Rev. H. Wilson, M.A., Curate of the Cathedral, and the Rev. E. P. Crawford, M.A., Incumbent of Hawkesbury.

The Lessons were read by the Very Rev. Jas. Lyster, LL.D.

The Sermon was preached by the Rev. R. Lewis, M.A., Rector of Augusta, from St. Mark, xvi, 15.

"Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature."

The Offertory, in aid of the Sustentation Fund, amounted to \$32.34.

SECOND DAY.

June 4th, 1873.

There was a celebration of the Holy Communion in the Cathedral at 9 a.m.

The Synod met for business in St. George's Hall at 10 o'clock.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by the Venerable the Archdeacon.

The Bishop appointed Geo. May and D. Collins to examine, with the Lay Secretary, the certificates of the Lay Delegates.

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The Roll of the Clergy was called by the Clerical Secretary, and the following Clergymen answered to their names:—

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The Roll of the Lay Delegates was called by the Lay Secretary, and the following Parishes were found to be represented:—

Amprior, by J. Usborne; *Augusta*, by J. Dumbrill, D. Collins; *Belleville, St. Thomas'*, by E. Harrison, F. McAnnany; *Brockville*, by H. S. McDonald, S. Keefer; *Beachburgh*, by R. M. Moore, J. S. Muckleston; *Cornwall*, by Judge Jarvis; *Carleton Place*, by A. Code; *Franktown*, by Thos. Davis; *Huntley*, by A. S. Lett; *Kingston—St. George's Cathedral*, by Dr. Henderson, R. T. Walkem, C. F. Gildersleeve; *St. James'*, by R. V. Rogers, E. J. B. Pense, G. A. Kirkpatrick; *St. Paul's*, by Jas. Shannon, E. Rose, R. W. Barker; *All Saints'*, J. Stacey, J. J. Christie, A. Kemp; *Leeds and Lansdowne*, by W. Sheffield; *Matilda and Edwardsburgh*, by Z. Skinner; *Merrickville and Burrit's Rapids*, by E. H. Whitmarsh; *Napanee*, by J. B. McGuin; *Newboro'*, by J. H. Butler; *North Gower*, by W. B. Simpson, J. Craig; *Ottawa, Christ Church*, J. D. Slater; *Ottawa, Bishop's Chapel*, by Geo. May, J. Tilton; *Perth*, by E. Elliott, S. Frizelle, Sr., W. Butler; *Prescott*, by W. Ellis, A. Hooker; *Pembroke*, by W. A. Hunter, H. H. Loucks; *Portsmouth*, by Major Wilson, C. Grass; *Smith's Falls*, by J. A. Delaney; *Wolfe Island*, by J. F. Charles, S. Going; *Williamsburgh*, by J. F. Millar.—28.

The Secretaries reported a quorum of both orders present.

ELECTION OF SECRETARIES.

The Archdeacon moved, seconded by the Dean,
That The Rev. T. A. Parnell be re-elected Clerical Secretary.—*Carried.*
W. B. Simpson moved, seconded by Jas. Shannon,
That R. V. Rogers be re-elected Lay Secretary.—*Carried.*

ELECTION OF TREASURER.

The Archdeacon moved, seconded by W. B. Simpson,
That R. M. Moore be re-elected Treasurer.—*Carried.*

ELECTION OF AUDITORS.

It was moved by the Rev. J. A. Preston, seconded by the
Rev. R. Lewis,
That R. T. Walkem and J. S. Muckleston be the Auditors for the
ensuing year.—*Carried.*

COMPLIMENTARY.

It was moved by the Very Rev. the Dean, seconded by the
Rev. J. W. Burke,
That the Rev. Dr. Beers, of the Diocese of Albany, the Rev. W. Shortt
and the Rev. W. Jones, of the Diocese of Toronto, be invited to take
seats in the Synod.—*Carried.*

READING OF THE MINUTES.

The Archdeacon moved, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Boswell,
That inasmuch as the minutes of last Session of Synod have been
printed and circulated, their reading be dispensed with.—*Carried.*

BISHOP'S ADDRESS.

His Lordship the Bishop read the following Address to the
Synod:

REV. BRETHREN AND BRETHREN—

In taking a retrospect of the year that has elapsed since we last met in
Diocesan Synod, our feelings must, I think, be those of gratitude to
Almighty God for the progress the Church is making, and the unity
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Making a total of 610 persons confirmed, of whom 562 received their first Communion immediately after their Confirmation. It is with sincere pleasure that I again bear testimony to the continued exertions on the part of the clergy to make the season of preparation for Confirmation one of real spiritual benefit to the candidates, and the occasion of its administration a solemn and impressive one.

During the past year I have admitted four persons to the Diaconate, promoted three to the Priesthood, and licensed twenty Lay Readers and Catechists. In October last I attempted the experiment of a Visitation of the Clergy, and delivered a Charge, in which I anticipated some points which concern the Diocese, and which I need not now repeat. The Visitation was followed by a Conference of the Clergy, in which papers of much interest, and written with great ability, were read and discussed. I think that I express the general opinion when I say that the

Visitation was a season of great spiritual benefit to us all, and that it is desirable to renew such meetings from time to time.

A meeting of the Bishops of the Ecclesiastical Province took place at Ottawa, which led to the calling a meeting of the Provincial Synod to take action with respect to a Missionary Bishop of Algoma. It may be expected that I should say something on the subject of the Algoma Bishopric, but I prefer not to do so. The Synod and its results are not such as we can regard with satisfaction, and I should be glad to think that the necessity for holding another session for the same purpose may be avoided by the Diocese of Toronto taking the establishment of the Algoma Diocese into its own hands, and dealing with it as a sub-division of the existing Diocese, of which Algoma is undoubtedly a part.

The general funds of the Diocese seem to me to be in a sound and healthy condition, with the exception of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund: but I need not particularize, as the several reports will be so full and detailed.

You will be called upon to adopt a scheme whereby the various missions receiving aid from the Mission Board will be classified, so that the grant may be made to each more in proportion to the wants and character of the missions than has hitherto prevailed. This is a wise step, but I wish that the Committee of Classification had been instructed to go further, and to give us their opinion as to what stipends the missionaries should receive from their congregations as well. The time has come, I think, when the whole question of clerical support in the Diocese must be considered, not only the subject of the stipends of our missionaries, but of the clergy as a body. I cannot continue an unconcerned spectator when I see the rule of life in the present day to be, increased remuneration for all kinds of labor save that of the clergy. The increased and increasing rate of wages is the fair and necessary result of the increased and increasing cost of all the necessities of life; need I say that the consequence is that while the laity are getting richer, the clergy are getting poorer. Now it is absolutely necessary that a remedy be sought for this growing evil, for an evil it is. Not only must the conventional and stereotyped \$400 per annum for our missionaries be no longer the rule, but the measure of support of the clergy generally must be revised, and means adopted to bring before our congregations the urgent necessity of enabling the clergy to meet the increased cost of living, moderate though that rate may be. I shall be glad if a committee shall be appointed on this subject to report, if possible, to this present Synod. I shall be glad also to co-operate with such committee by my advice, and I am sanguine enough to believe that the laity of the Diocese will heartily respond to any well-founded appeal made to them by their representa-

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tives in Synod assembled. At all events it will be competent for me, as parishes become vacant, to bring this matter earnestly under their notice before making an appointment: and should the Synod adopt some system by means of which the Bishop, if possible, or the Archdeacon, or some one else deputed by the Bishop, should visit vacant parishes, and endeavor to induce them to be more liberal than heretofore in the way of clerical support, I think much good may be done.

Regarding the subject of Mission Houses, I desire to say a few words. A very important report was read at the last Synod, but, owing to the late period of the session at which it was introduced, no action was taken further than to refer it back to the committee for fuller discussion this Synod. Now, if any action is to be taken at all, I think the present a most favorable opportunity for taking it. Owing to the missionaries at Camden, Sydenham and Lanark having removed to other fields of labour, the whole section of the Diocese lying between the parishes of Napanee and Perth is now unprovided with the ministrations of the church. This portion of the Diocese has always been the weakest part of it, at least since I have had any knowledge of its character, and I think it ought to be treated in an exceptional manner. The critical position of these missions may be realized if we consider that nine churches are now closed, and many out-stations besides deprived of the means of grace. To increase the difficulty, the stipends supplied in those missions are not sufficient to attract priests of experience and standing who alone are able to resuscitate them, and I am determined for the future to exhaust every expedient rather than place newly ordained Deacons in sole charge of Parishes or Missions. The practice hitherto, though excusable from necessity, has proved very disastrous, both to the Missions and the Deacons themselves, and therefore if the Synod purposes taking any action now in the direction of the establishment of Mission Houses, it seems to me that the country lying between the Rectories of Napanee and Perth affords as good a field for testing their value as we can possibly hope for. Should the grants hitherto given to Camden, Loughboro' and Lanark be concentrated in one Mission House, under the direction of a Priest and two or three Deacons, we should, I think, combine economy with that efficiency in work which union and co-operation afford, and we should avoid the fatal mistakes, which the inexperience, the isolation, and the consequent despair of newly ordained men, have so frequently made; and I would take this opportunity of saying that I wish the clergy would inform me if any of them desire to obtain the help of Deacons, so that I may be able to keep a list of the Parishes thus needing clerical help, and supply them in the order of priority of application.

But, my Brethren, whether any remedy for the state of things I have laid before you be found in Mission Houses or not, I would remind you that you are equally responsible with myself and bound to assist me in rectifying what experience has shown to be faulty. Some expedient must be devised which shall save me from the painful necessity of placing in the cure of souls young men just ordained, with little experience of human nature, often painfully sanguine, anticipating everything but failure, and when after a while that failure is but too evident and traceable to their own inexperience, a reaction sets in, and disappointment and sickness of heart result, to the great injury of the Church's Ministers.

Praying that God may direct us in the right path in this and all other measures, so that His glory and the edification of His Church may be promoted, I ask you now to proceed with the business before the Synod.

PRESENTING MEMORIALS.

The Rev. J. A. Preston presented a memorial from the Parish of Cornwall relative to the Memorial Church in the course of erection in the Town of Cornwall.

The foregoing memorial was referred to the following Committee:—The Archdeacon, Rev. J. A. Preston, Rev. C. Forest, Judge Jarvis, W. B. Simpson, and W. Ellis.

A memorial was presented from the Rector and Churchwardens of the Parish of Kemptville relative to the sale of a certain piece of land belonging to the Parish.

A memorial was presented from the Incumbent and Churchwardens of the Parish of Marysburgh relative to the sale of the site, or a part of it, of St. John's Church.

A memorial was presented from the Incumbent and Churchwardens of the Parish of Hawkesbury relative to the sale of a lot of land in the Township of North Plantagenet.

The foregoing memorials were referred to a Committee consisting of the Archdeacon, the Chancellor, and G. A. Kirkpatrick.

A memorial was presented from St. Alban's Church, Ottawa, relative to the Synod Assessment.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

A communication from the Ontario and Quebec Temperance and Prohibitory Leagues was laid before the Synod.

The communication was referred to the following Committee:—Rev. J. W. Burke, Rev. J. A. Mulock, Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, Geo. May, and R. V. Rogers.

A communication from the Lord Bishop of Montreal relative to the Synod's pledging itself for the payment of the sum of \$300 per annum for the formation of a stipend for the proposed Bishop of Algoma, was laid before the Synod.

The Metropolitan's letter was referred to the following Committee:—The Archdeacon, Rev. Dr. Boswell, Rev. C. Forest, and J. Tilton.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Rev. T. Bousfield presented the Report of the Committee on Mission Houses, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix A.

The Rev. Dr. Boswell presented the Report of the Widows' and Orphans' Committee, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix B.

Dr. Henderson presented the Report of the Episcopal and Endowment Fund Committee, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix C.

The Archdeacon presented the Report of the Clergy Trust Committee, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix D.

The Archdeacon asked permission to present the Report of the Mission Board to-morrow. Permission was granted.

The Archdeacon presented the Report of the Committee on a Church Newspaper, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix E.

R. T. Walkem presented the Report of the Treasurer, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix F.

R. T. Walkem presented the Report of the Auditors, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix G.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS.

By Judge Jarvis—

That it be resolved, that this Synod does not concur in the decision arrived at by the Provincial Synod at its Fifth Session, held in the City of Montreal on the 13th September, 1871, relative to the non-admission of the Delegates elected by the Diocese of Nova Scotia to take part in the deliberations and votes of the Provincial Synod.

By Rev. Dr. Jones—

That at the present stage of the position in which the question of the Missionary Bishopric of Algoma now stands, this Synod resolves that it is not expedient to take any further steps until the action of the Synod of Toronto is made known.

By the Rev. A. C. Nesbitt—

That the following be added to the second clause of Canon XXX:—
“With the exception of those who came from the Diocese of Toronto before the passing of this Canon without expecting to lose anything by the change, and whose time of service in the Diocese of Toronto shall be counted as well as that in this Diocese.”

By Rev. C. H. Mockridge—

That while admitting the principle of the classification of Missions, as stated in the proposed amendment to part of Canon XVI, it is the opinion of this Synod that no clergyman should be deprived of any portion of the grant which he now receives from the Mission Board, until said Board have made arrangements with his people to make up the loss which by their action he will sustain.

By H. S. McDonald—

That the Bishop be requested to take such necessary steps as are required for securing the appointment of one day during the ensuing autumn to be observed throughout the Province of Ontario as a day of General Thanksgiving.

By the Lay Secretary—

That section four of Canon XV be amended so as to read “The first Thursday after the first Wednesday.

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By the Archdeacon—

The confirmation of the amendment to sub-section two of section five of Canon XVI, passed at last Session.

By R. T. Walkem—

That the sum of \$200 be allowed the Treasurer for his services during the past year, to be assessed in the same manner as the grant made to him at the last meeting of this Synod.

By the Rev. A. Spencer—

That the necessary expenses of the Clergy and Lay Delegates, incurred by attendance at Synod, be defrayed out of the Assessment Fund, and that the rate of assessment be correspondingly increased.

By the Rev. Dr. Jones—

That a committee be appointed to take into consideration that portion of the Bishop's charge referring to the increase of the stipends of the Clergy.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The Rev. F. L. Stephenson moved, seconded by the Rev. A. J. O'Loughlin—

That all Reports of Committees be printed so as to be circulated among the members of the Synod on the first day of each Session.

It was moved, in amendment, by the Rev. C. Forest, seconded by the Rev. R. Lewis—

That the words "all" and "first" in the original resolution be expunged, and that the words "An abstract of the financial section of all reports of committees," and the "Naming of the Second Day of the Session" be substituted in their stead.

The Rev. Dr. Jones moved, in amendment to the amendment, seconded by the Rev. A. Spencer—

That the Committees be instructed to prepare their financial reports at their meetings in May, and that these reports be printed in time for the meeting of Synod.

Moved as substantive motion by R. T. Walkem, seconded by W. Ellis—

That the question as to what portions of the accounts and reports it would be necessary or expedient to have printed, so as to have them laid before the members of the Synod on the morning of their first meeting, be referred to a Committee.—*Carried.*

The Bishop appointed the following as the Committee :—
R. T. Walkem, Jas. Shannon, W. Ellis, Rev. C. Forest, Rev.
F. L. Stephenson, with the Archdeacon.

W. B. Simpson's resolution relative to the "ultimate division of this Diocese," was allowed to stand over until to-morrow.

The Rev. R. Lewis moved, seconded by the Rev. C. P. Emery—

That on the next avoidance of the See of Ontario the Parishes situated west of the Brockville and Ottawa Railway shall form a separate Diocese, and the Episcopal Fund, no matter whence derived, shall be equally divided between the two Dioceses.

Moved, in amendment, by the Rev. C. E. Cartwright, seconded by the Rev. J. J. Bogert—

Whereas, in the event of the avoidance of the See, no division of the Endowment or Diocese is possible prior to the election of a Bishop, that the Bishop be requested to nominate a Committee to arrange the details of such division and report to the Synod at its next meeting.

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER.

The rules of order were suspended to allow F. McAnnany to present the Report of the Finance Committee, on the Assessment of Parishes.

Mr. McAnnany presented the Report, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS CONTINUED.

It was moved, in amendment, by R.T.Walkem, seconded by Geo. May—

Whereas it is expedient that this Diocese should be divided, and whereas in the event of the avoidance of the See no division of the Endowment or of the Diocese is possible prior to the election of a Bishop,

That the Bishop be requested to appoint a Committee to arrange the details of such division, and report to the Synod at its next meeting.—
Lost.

Moved, in amendment, by W. B. Simpson, seconded by G. A. Kirkpatrick—

That the words "Endowment or" be struck out of the Rev. C. E. Cartwright's amendment.—*Lost.*

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That this Synod have adopted synod and Clergy, and free-will offerings raised.

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Mr. Cartwright's amendment was then put and *Carried*.

The Bishop appointed the Executive as such committee.

It was moved by S. Frizelle—

That each and every Clergyman belonging to the Synod shall have the privilege of absenting himself for three successive Sundays in the hot season, viz., July or August, in order that he may go to some watering or other place for the benefit of his health.—*Withdrawn*.

The Clerical Secretary's motion for the adoption of a Canon for the management of the Sustentation Fund was allowed to stand over until to-morrow.

The Rev. E. P. Crawford moved, seconded by Geo. May—

That in the opinion of this Synod the use of Bazaars, Concerts, Sales, Raffles, &c., for the raising of money for Church purposes, is derogatory to the dignity of giving as an act of worship, and calculated to injure the proper scriptural mode of giving through the Offertory.

Moved, in amendment, by the Rev. J. A. Preston, seconded by Rev. W. Bleasdel—

That this Synod rejoices to find that so many Missions in the Diocese have adopted systematic giving as the means of supporting the Church and Clergy, and hope that the day is not far distant when the system of free-will offerings will be the mode by which all Church revenues will be raised.

It was moved, in amendment to the amendment, by the Rev. A. Spencer, seconded by Geo. May—

That the following words be added to the Rev. J. A. Preston's resolution. "And this Synod hereby expresses its strong disapproval of Lotteries, Raffles, and other species of gambling in connection with Church work.

The Rev. C. P. Mulvany moved, seconded by the Rev. F. L. Stephenson—

That the Synod now pass to the Order of the Day.—*Lost*.

The Rev. E. P. Crawford withdrew his motion, and the Rev. J. A. Preston's amendment, together with the addition of the Rev. A. Spencer's motion, was put and *Carried*.

It was moved by the Rev. R. Lewis, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Jones—

That a Committee be appointed to consider the whole subject of Missionary Deputations, and report to the Mission Board; said Committee to consist of the Conveners and the mover and seconder.

The Bishop appointed the Rev. R. Lewis Convener of the Committee.

The Rev. R. Lewis moved, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Boswell—

That the Bishop be requested to appoint a deputation whose duty it shall be to visit all vacant parishes, also (when requested by the Incumbent) those in which the Minister's salary is under \$800 per annum, the minimum fixed by Synod, and endeavor to bring them up to that point. The expenses of the deputation to be paid by the Incumbent, provided his salary is increased \$40 per annum by its exertions.

Moved, in amendment, by the Rev. Dr. Jones, seconded by the Rev. J. S. Lauder—

That the Lord Bishop be respectfully requested to nominate a Committee to consider that part of his charge referring to the increase of the stipends of the Clergy, and that Mr. Lewis' motion be referred to the same Committee.

The amendment was carried, and the Bishop appointed the following Committee:—The Archdeacon (Convener), Revs. C. P. Emery, J. J. Bogert, R. Lewis, J. S. Lauder, Dr. Jones, and F. McAnnany, W. Ellis, and S. Keefer.

The motion of the Rev. R. Lewis, relative to the appointment of Missionary Bishops by the Provincial Synod, was *Withdrawn*.

It was moved by the Rev. R. Lewis, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Boswell—

That Section 12 of Canon XVI be expunged, and the following inserted in its place:—

“That the Board may grant \$100, or less, as outfit to each and every Missionary on his first appointment to a Mission in this Diocese.”

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Moved, in amendment, by the Rev. Dr. Jones, seconded by the Rev. E. H. M. Baker—

That Section 12 of Canon XVI, be amended by substituting for all the words after the word "to" the following:—

"Each Clergyman ordained by the Bishop of this Diocese, and sent to take charge of a Mission; and also to other Clergymen entering the Diocese, at the discretion of the Bishop."

It was moved, in amendment to the amendment, by the Rev. F. L. Stephenson, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Boswell—

That Section 12 of Canon XVI be expunged.

The amendments and the original motion were respectively put and *Lost*.

The Rev. J. W. Burke moved, seconded by the Rev. E. P. Crawford—

That this Synod, remembering with deep gratitude the assistance so generously given by the S. P. G. to this Diocese for so many years past, resolves to devote in future (commencing from 1st May in the present year), two per cent of all sums collected for Missionary Funds of this Diocese from Parochial Collections and Missionary Meetings, to the Foreign Mission Fund of that Society. And it is hereby resolved that the sum raised as mentioned above be forwarded by our Clerical Secretary to the Secretary of the S. P. G. as a thank-offering to Almighty God, and as a token of gratitude to the Venerable Society.

It was moved, in amendment, by the Rev. H. Mulkins, seconded by the Rev. C. P. Emery—

That the Synod, gratefully acknowledging the assistance so generously given by the S. P. G. to this Diocese, feel it incumbent upon those who are able to assist this Society in its great Missionary work, earnestly recommends the Clergy and their congregations to manifest their gratitude by making offerings from year to year in its aid.—*Lost*.

It was moved, in amendment to the amendment, by the Rev. C. Forest, seconded by Geo. May—

That his Lordship the Bishop be respectfully requested to issue a circular inviting as many parishes as may be so minded to take up an annual collection on behalf of the Missionary operations of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel.—*Carried*.

The Synod adjourned at 6 p.m.

THIRD DAY.

Thursday, June 5th, 1873.

The Holy Communion was celebrated in the Cathedral at 9 a.m.

The Synod met for the transaction of business at 10 a.m.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by the Venerable the Archdeacon.

The minutes of the previous day's proceedings were read and adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES.

The Bishop appointed the following Committees :—

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Clergy.—The Very Rev. the Dean, the Ven. the Archdeacon, Revs. Dr. Boswell, F. R. Tane, J. A. Mulock, J. W. Burke, J. A. Preston, J. S. Lauder, C. P. Emery, J. Carroll, the Clerical Secretary.

Laity.—Dr. Henderson, Judge Jarvis, W. B. Simpson, A. Code, F. McAnnany, S. Keefer, R. T. Walkem, J. D. Slater, G. A. Kirkpatrick, Geo. May, the Lay Secretary, the Treasurer.

CLERGY TRUST FUND COMMITTEE.

Clergy.—The Ven. the Archdeacon, Revs. Dr. Boswell, R. Lewis, G. A. Anderson, J. A. Preston, F. R. Tane, the Clerical Secretary.

Laity.—Dr. Henderson, W. B. Simpson, G. A. Kirkpatrick, F. McAnnany, Geo. May, the Treasurer, the Lay Secretary.

EPISCOPAL AND GENERAL ENDOWMENT FUND COMMITTEE.

Clergy.—The Ven. the Archdeacon, Revs. F. R. Tane, F. W. Kirkpatrick, C. P. Emery, G. A. Anderson, the Clerical Secretary.

Laity.—Dr. Henderson, F. McAnnany, W. B. Simpson, the Treasurer, the Lay Secretary.

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND COMMITTEE.

Clergy.—Revs. Dr. Boswell, J. J. Bogert, C. Forest, G. W. White, Dr. Jones, the Clerical Secretary.

Laity.—E. Harrison, A. Code, Geo. May, W. H. Jarvis, S. Keefer, the Lay Secretary.

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Clergy.—Revs. F. W. Kirkpatrick, H. Wilson, J. J. Bogert, E. H. M. Baker, W. Lewin, the Clerical Secretary.

Laity.—J. J. Christie, R. T. Walkem, F. McAnnany, G. A. Kirkpatrick, the Lay Secretary.

BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE.

Clergy.—Revs. J. Carroll, F. R. Tane, J. A. Mulock, C. Forest, T. Stanton, H. Wilson, W. Lewin, F. W. Kirkpatrick, T. Bousfield, the Clerical Secretary.

Laity.—The Lay Secretary.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Rev. J. A. Mulock, Rev. G. W. White, the Clerical Secretary, Messrs. H. H. Loucks, G. May, the Treasurer, R. T. Walkem, F. McAnnany, the Lay Secretary, James Shannon.

LAND COMMITTEE.

Clergy.—Revs. Dr. Boswell, F. W. Kirkpatrick.

Laity.—James Shannon, Dr. Henderson, W. B. Simpson.

PRESENTING MEMORIALS.

A memorial was presented from the Rector and Churchwardens of St. John's Church, Bath, relative to the sale of the Parsonage House.

A memorial was also presented from certain members of St. John's Church, Bath, against the sale of the Parsonage House.

Both memorials were referred to the Executive Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Rev. E. H. M. Baker presented the Report of the Divinity Students' Committee, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix H.

R. V. Rogers presented the Report of the Committee on the Sale of Rectory Lands, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix I.

The Rev. J. A. Mulock presented the Report of the Book and Tract Committee, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix K.

The Archdeacon presented the Report of the Mission Board, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix L.

The Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick presented the Report of the Committee on the "Temperance League," and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix M.

W. Ellis presented the Report of the Committee on Printing the Financial Statements, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix N.

The Archdeacon presented the Report of the Committee on the memorial from the Church in Cornwall, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix O.

Dr. Henderson presented the Report of the Committee on the memorials from the parishes of Kemptville, Marysburgh, and Hawkesbury, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix P.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS.

By the Rev. C. H. Mockridge—

That T. S. Agar, Esq., a member of the Committee on Mission Houses, having ceased to be a member of the Synod, R. T. Walkem, Esq., be appointed on said Committee in his place.

By the Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick—

That a Temperance Society, under the auspices of this Synod, be formed under the constitution submitted to the Synod by the Committee to whom the letter from the President and Secretaries of the Ontario and Quebec Temperance and Prohibitory League, was yesterday referred.

ELECTION OF SCRUTINEERS.

It was moved by H. S. Macdonald, seconded by W. B. Simpson—

That the Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, together with Geo. May and W. Ellis, be the Scrutineers of the vote for the election of Lay Delegates to the Provincial Synod.—*Carried.*

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The Rev. R. Lewis moved, seconded by the Rev. J. A. Preston—

That the Rev. J. J. Bogert, the Rev. G. W. White, with J. Drumbrill, be the scrutineers of the vote for the election of Clerical Delegates to the Provincial Synod.—*Carried.*

It was moved by E. Elliott, seconded by H. S. McDonald—

That the Rev. E. Loucks, together with A. Code and E. H. Whitmarsh, be the scrutineers of the vote for the election of Lay Members of the Mission Board.—*Carried.*

The Rev. E. P. Crawford moved, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Jones—

That the Rev. R. Lewis, the Rev. H. Pollard and S. Keefer be the scrutineers of the vote for the election of Clerical Members of the Mission Board.—*Carried.*

The elections were then proceeded with.

The Synod adjourned at 12 o'clock noon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Synod re-assembled at 3 P.M.

ELECTION OF DELEGATES TO THE PROVINCIAL SYNOD.

The Scrutineers of the Clerical Vote reported the following Clergymen elected.

(1) The Archdeacon, (2) Rev. T. A. Parnell, (3) Rev. J. A. Preston, (4) Rev. J. S. Lauder, (5) Rev. J. W. Burke, (6) Rev. J. J. Bogert, (7) Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, (8) Rev. G. A. Anderson, (9) Rev. G. W. White, (10) Rev. F. R. Tane, (11) Rev. E. H. M. Baker, (12) Rev. W. Bleasdel.

Substitutes.—(1) Rev. C. Forest, (2) Rev. Dr. Boswell, (3) Rev. W. Lewin, (4) Rev. R. Lewis, (5) Rev. Dr. Jones, (6) Rev. J. Stannage.

The Scrutineers of the Lay vote reported the following Delegates elected:—

(1) Dr. Henderson, (2) W. B. Simpson, (3) F. McAnnany, (4) Geo. May, (5) H. S. McDonald, (6) Jas. Shannon, (7) S. Keefer, (8) G. A. Kirkpatrick, (9) R. V. Rogers, (10) W. Ellis, (11) Judge Jarvis, (12) D. Collins.

Substitutes.—(1) John Tilton, (2) A. Code, (3) R. T. Walkem, (4) R. Lyon, (5) E. Harrison, (6) J. Jackson.

ELECTION OF THE MISSION BOARD.

The scrutineers reported the following Clergymen elected :—

(1) Rev. G. W. White, (2) Rev. J. A. Preston, (3) Rev. J. W. Burke, (4) Rev. J. J. Bogert, (5) Rev. J. S. Lauder, (6) Rev. G. A. Anderson, (7) Rev. F. R. Tane, (8) Rev. A. C. Nesbitt.

The following Lay Delegates were declared elected :—

(1) Geo. May, (2) F. McAnnany, (3) G. A. Kirkpatrick, (4) Jas. Shannon, (5) D. Collins, (6) E. Harrison, (7) E. H. Whitmarsh, (8) E. Rose.

The Bishop appointed the following :—

Clergy.—Revs. Dr. Boswell, R. Lewis, Dr. Jones, E. H. M. Baker.

Laity.—Dr. Henderson, W. B. Simpson, R. T. Walkem, A. Code.

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER.

The Rules of Order were suspended to allow the Clerical Secretary to bring in the proposed Canon for the management of the Sustentation Fund.

The Clerical Secretary moved, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Boswell, the adoption of a Canon on the Sustentation Fund.

The motion for the adoption of the proposed Canon was allowed to stand over until to-morrow.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The Rev. E. H. M. Baker moved, seconded by the Rev. C. H. Mockridge—

That Reuben Young, Esq., having resigned his position as Trustee for the Synod of the Ameliasburgh Endowment Fund, Stephen Flindall, Esq., be appointed in his stead.—*Carried.*

It was moved by the Archdeacon, seconded by the Clerical Secretary—

That section eight of Canon XXXII, on the sale of Rectory Lands, be amended as follows: after the word "purchaser" in the third line, the following be inserted, "or with the consent of the Rector interested the expenses of the Deed shall be defrayed from the proceeds of the lands sold."—*Carried.*

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The Rev. C. Forest moved, seconded by the Rev. J. W. Burke—

That for such time as may seem good to the Synod, the Whitsunday Collection, now devoted to Missions, be appropriated toward the formation of a fund for the relief of superannuated or disabled Clergymen in the Diocese of Ontario.—*Lost.*

It was moved by W. B. Simpson, seconded by the Rev. C. E. Cartwright—

That the Constitution of Synod be so amended that the regular meetings of the Synod shall be held every second year instead of annually, and that the Canons be altered to meet such change in the Constitution.—*Lost.*

The Rev. J. A. Preston moved, seconded by the Rev. W. Bleasdel—

That the members of this Synod regret that the District of Algoma is still without Episcopal supervision, and beg to record their opinion that should another meeting of the Provincial Synod be called for the election of a Missionary Bishop, the Canon for the election of Missionary Bishops may be so enlarged as to provide that in case any priest shall be elected under the provisions of the Canon on Missionary Bishops, and shall decline such election, then, and in any such case, the House of Bishops may select a priest to fill the vacancy so created, subject, however, to the ratification by a majority of the Executive Committees, or any bodies having similar powers in each Diocese respectively; provided always, that such selection by the House of Bishops, as aforesaid, shall not be made during any session of the Provincial Synod.—*Lost.*

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER.

The Rules of Order were suspended to allow the Archdeacon to present and move the adoption of the Report of the Committee appointed to consider the Metropolitan's letter.—See Appendix R.

The Archdeacon submitted and moved, seconded by the Dean, the adoption of the following Report:—

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO CONSIDER THE LETTER OF THE METROPOLITAN.

The Committee appointed to consider and determine upon an answer to the two questions addressed by the Metropolitan to your Lordship, and by your Lordship submitted to this Synod, beg leave to report:—

An affirmative reply to the first query.

As to the second, your Committee are of opinion that there are no sufficiently strong reasons to require the calling a meeting of the Provincial Synod before the year 1874.

HY. PATTON, Chairman.

It was moved in amendment by G. A. Kirkpatrick, seconded by the Rev. J. J. Bogert—

That the Report be referred back to the Committee with instructions to insert after the word *query* the words *Provided the Episcopal Stipend is for the support of a Missionary Bishop, elected by the Provincial Synod, and that the grant be for five years from the date of the consecration of said Bishop.*—Carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS CONTINUED.

It was moved by the Rev. J. A. Preston, seconded by the Rev. E. P. Crawford—

That the Report of the Committee on Mission Houses be adopted.

It being six o'clock the Synod adjourned.

FOURTH DAY.

June 6th, 1873.

There was a celebration of the Holy Communion in the Cathedral at 9 a.m.

The Synod met for the transaction of business at 10 am.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by the Archdeacon.

The minutes of the previous day's proceedings were read and adopted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Archdeacon presented the Report of the Committee appointed to confer with Committees from the other Dioceses on the proposed Bishopric of Algoma, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix P.

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The Archdeacon presented the amended Report of the Committee on the Church Temporalities Act, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix Q.

The Archdeacon presented the amended Report of the Committee on the Metropolitan's Letter relative to the Algoma Bishopric, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix R.

The Rules of Order were suspended to allow the Clerical Secretary to introduce the following motion :

Moved by the Clerical Secretary, seconded by the Archdeacon :—

That the Lord Bishop be requested to urge upon the members of Synod, before its next meeting, the necessity of remaining in Session until the business of the Synod has been disposed of, even should the Session extend into the following week, and that this matter be also brought before the various congregations of the Diocese at the Easter Meetings.—*Carried.*

NOTICES OF MOTIONS.

By W. Ellis—

That hereafter it be the rule of this Synod to meet for business at 9:15 a.m. each day, and that the mid-day adjournment for luncheon do not exceed one hour and a quarter : and that evening sessions be held each alternate evening until the business of the Session be closed.

By Rev. C. Forest—

1. That the election and appointment of the Mission Board take place on the first day of the Session.

2. And that section No. 5, sub-section 5 of order of proceedings be amended by striking out "on second morning of Synod the election of Provincial Delegates," and inserting "the election of delegates to Provincial Synod shall be the first order on the third day, if the Session shall last so long, or the last business transacted if the Session be of shorter duration."

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

It was moved by the Rev. J. A. Preston, seconded by the Rev. J. J. Bogert—

That the Report of the Committee on Mission Houses and the increase of the Ministry, be adopted.

Moved, in amendment, by the Rev. R. Lewis, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Boswell—

That the Report be not now adopted, but taken up as the first order of business next Session.—*Lost.*

It was moved, in amendment, by G. A. Kirkpatrick, seconded by the Rev. E. H. M. Baker—

That, while this Synod recognizes the munificent liberality of Rev. E. P. Crawford, and desires to return grateful thanks therefor, it does not deem it expedient at present to adopt the Report until the scheme of the establishment of Missionary Houses is more fully developed.—*Carried.*

The Rev. Dr. Boswell moved, seconded by the Rev. J. J. Bogert—

That the Report of the Widows' and Orphans' Committee be adopted.—*Carried.*

Dr. Henderson moved, seconded by W. B. Simpson—

That the Report of the Episcopal Trust Committee be adopted.—*Carried.*

The Archdeacon moved, seconded by the Rev. J. S. Lauder—

That the Report of the Clergy Trust Committee be adopted.—*Carried.*

It was moved by the Archdeacon, seconded by the Rev. J. S. Lauder—

That the Report of the Committee on "A Church Newspaper" be adopted.—*Carried.*

R. T. Walkem moved, seconded by G. A. Kirkpatrick—

That the Treasurer's Report be adopted.—*Carried.*

R. T. Walkem moved, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Jones—

That the Report of the Auditors be adopted.—*Carried.*

Judge Jarvis withdrew his motion relative to the non-admission of the Delegates to the Provincial Synod from the Diocese of Nova Scotia.

The Rev. Dr. Jones withdrew his motion in reference to the proposed Bishopric of Algoma.

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The Rev. A. C. Nesbitt withdrew his motion relative to the amendment to Canon XXX.

H. S. Macdonald, not being present, his motion relative to the appointment of a Day of General Thanksgiving, was not brought before the Synod.

It was moved by the Lay Secretary, seconded by the Rev. E. H. M. Baker—

That section 4 of Canon XV, be amended so as to read "The first Thursday after the first Wednesday."—*Carried.*

The Archdeacon moved, seconded by the Lay Secretary—

That the amendment to sub-section 2 of section 5, of Canon XVI, passed the last Session of Synod, be confirmed.

It was moved, in amendment, by the Rev. C. H. Mockridge, seconded by the Rev. A. J. O'Loughlin—

That, while admitting the principle of classification of Missions, as stated in the proposed amendment to part of Canon XVI, it is the opinion of this Synod that no Clergyman should be deprived of any portion of the grant which he now receives from the Mission Board until said Board has made arrangements with his people to make up the loss which, by this action, he will sustain.

The amendment was allowed to stand over.

The Archdeacon's motion was then put and *Carried.*

The Rules of Order were suspended to allow of the introduction of a motion for the adoption of the Report of the Finance Committee (on the assessment of Parishes).

It was moved by F. McAnnany, seconded by the Lay Secretary—

That the Report of the Finance Committee be adopted.

It was moved, in amendment, by G. A. Kirkpatrick, seconded by the Rev. J. J. Bogert—

That the Report be not now adopted but the assessment be the same as last year.—*Lost.*

It was moved, in amendment, by Dr. Henderson, seconded by the Rev. H. Caulfield—

That the Report be referred back for certain amendments.—*Carried.*

The Report, as amended, was then put and carried.—See Appendix S.

R. T. Walkem moved, seconded by the Rev. C. Forest—

That the sum of \$200 be allowed to the Treasurer for his services during the past year, to be assessed in the same manner as the grant made to him at the last meeting of this Synod.—*Carried.*

The motion of the Rev. A. Spencer, relative to the expenses of the Clergy and Lay Delegates attending Synod, was allowed to stand over as unfinished business.

The Rev. Dr. Jones withdrew his motion in reference to that portion of the Bishop's address relative to the increase of the stipends of the Clergy, the matter having been previously disposed of.

The Rev. E. H. M. Baker moved, seconded by the Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick—

That the Report of the Divinity Students Committee be adopted.—*Carried.*

The Lay Secretary moved, seconded by the Clerical Secretary—

That the Report of the Committee on the amendment of the Act for the sale of the Rectory Lands, be referred back for further consideration.

The Committee was re-appointed with the addition of Rev. J. A. Mulock, Rev. R. Lewis, G. A. Kirkpatrick, and Jas. Shannon.

It was moved by the Rev. J. A. Mulock, seconded by the Rev. J. W. Burke—

That the Report of the Book and Tract Committee be adopted.—*Carried.*

The Archdeacon moved, seconded by the Dean—

That the Report of the Board of Missions be adopted.—*Carried.*

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That the Report of the Committee on a Temperance League be adopted.—*Carried.*

It was moved by R. T. Walkem, seconded by the Rev. C. Forest—

That the Report of the Committee on printing the Financial Reports be adopted.

The motion was left over as unfinished business.

The Archdeacon moved, seconded by the Rev. J. A. Preston

The adoption of the Report of the Committee on the memorial from the Parish of Cornwall.—*Carried.*

It was moved by the Archdeacon, seconded by the Chancellor—

That the Report of the Committee on the memorials from the Parishes of Kemptville, Marysburgh, and Hawkesbury be adopted.—*Carried.*

Moved by the Rev. C. H. Mockridge, seconded by the Lay Secretary—

That T. S. Agar, Esq., a member of the Committee on Mission Houses, having ceased to be a member of Synod, R. T. Walkem be appointed on said Committee in his place.—*Carried.*

It was moved by the Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, seconded by the Rev. J. W. Burke—

That a Temperance Society, under the auspices of the Synod, be formed to carry out the prospectus submitted to the Synod by the Committee to whom the letter from the President and Secretaries of the Ontario and Quebec Temperance and Prohibitory League was yesterday referred.—*Carried.*

The Archdeacon moved, seconded by W. B. Simpson—

That the Report of the Committee on the Metropolitan's Letter be adopted, and that a copy of the Report be forwarded to the Metropolitan by the Clerical Secretary.—*Carried.*

It was moved by the Archdeacon, seconded by the Chancellor—

That the Report of the Committee on the Church Temporalities Act be adopted.—*Carried.*

The Committee was reappointed.

The Archdeacon moved, seconded by the Rev. G. A. Anderson—

That the Report of the Committee on the proposed Bishopric of Algoma be adopted.—*Carried.*

The Chancellor moved, seconded by W. B. Simpson—

That the Archdeacon, G. A. Kirkpatrick, and the mover be a Committee to draft an address to His Excellency Lord Dufferin, congratulating him on his appointment as Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada, and that the same be engrossed and forwarded by the Clerical Secretary.—*Carried.*

COMPLIMENTARY.

The Rev. Dr. Jones moved, seconded by the Rev. J. W. Burke—

That the thanks of the Clergy are most cordially tendered to the Lay Members of the Church of the City of Kingston for their renewed hospitality during this Session of Synod.—*Carried.*

It was moved by the Rev. W. Bleasdel, seconded by the Archdeacon—

That this Synod hereby tenders its thanks to the Organist of St. George's Cathedral, Kingston, (Prof. E. Doward), and the ladies and gentlemen who so kindly assisted him in the concert given by them to the members of the Synod on the evening of the 5th instant, and to express their appreciation of the great musical talent evinced on that occasion, and their successful exhibition of it.—*Carried.*

The Clerical Secretary moved, seconded by R. T. Walkem—

That the thanks of the Synod be given to the Rev. R. Lewis for his sermon at the opening of Synod.—*Carried.*

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

It was moved by R. T. Walkem, seconded by the Rev. C. Forest—

That the Report of the Committee on printing the Financial Reports be adopted.

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The Lay Secretary moved, seconded by the Clerical Secretary—

That the Report of the Committee on the amendment of the Act for the sale of the Rectory Lands, be referred back for further consideration.

By Rev. A. Spencer—

That the necessary expenses of the Clergy and Lay Delegates, incurred by attendance at Synod, be defrayed out of the Assessment Fund, and that the rate of Assessment be correspondingly increased.

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MISSION HOUSE AND INCREASE OF THE MINISTRY.

Your Committee beg leave to report that, following out one or two of the suggestions in the report of last year, an opportunity presents itself, from the liberal proposal of Rev. E. P. Crawford, a member of this Committee, to at once establish a Mission House, should it meet the acceptance of the Synod.

The proposal to establish a Mission House at Hawkesbury has been laid before the Bishop; the sum of about \$2,400 having been promised on condition of \$1,000 being raised elsewhere.

Your Committee beg respectfully to recommend strongly, in the interests of the Church, the immediate adoption of this Report, and that means should be taken to raise, at least, the balance required.

With regard to the other purpose for which your Committee was appointed, viz., the increase of candidates for the ministry, it is thought that that desirable object will be sufficiently achieved for the present by the practical working of the Mission House.

APPENDIX TO REPORT.

The proposal of Rev. E. P. Crawford mentioned above, is as follows:—

1. That the two Parishes of Hawkesbury and Vankleek Hill being placed under my charge, as at present constituted and supported, I will engage to furnish funds to bring the cash sum available for the support of a Mission House to the amount of \$2,400 per annum.

2. That with the addition of a further sum of \$1,000 per annum, promised from outside sources, I will undertake a Mission House or Training

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School for Deacons, with an assistant Priest, at a salary of \$1,000 to manage the tuition: the management of the funds and parochial work being in my own hands.

3. The Mission House shall be open to as many young men and boys as can be accommodated, desiring to be fitted for the Diaconate, they receiving board and tuition free, and, in return, doing any work necessary in connection with the House.

T. BOUSFIELD, Clerk,
Chairman.

(B)

REPORT OF WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND
COMMITTEE.

Kingston, 4th June, 1873.

The Chairman of the Committee for the management of the funds for the support of widows and orphans of Clergymen, beg to report as follows:—

The securities at present held in trust for the fund amount to \$13,496.67, being an increase of \$59.66 over the amount of last year.

The securities are as follows:—

2 Mortgages, covering the sum of	...	...	...	...	\$4,000 00
3 Government Debentures...	...	...	...	\$1,460 01	
1/2 of Government Debenture	...	...	...	1,216 66	
2 County Bruce Debentures	...	...	...	2,000 00	
1 County Wellington Debenture	...	...	...	2,000 00	
4 shares British American Insurance	...	...	...	100 00	
4 shares Merchants' Bank ...	...	...	...	\$400 00	6,776 67
4 shares Bank of Commerce	...	...	...	200 00	
18 shares Ontario Bank	...	...	...	720 00	
14 shares Dominion Stock...	...	...	...	...	1,320 00
				...	1,400 00
Total of investments	...	...	...	...	\$13,496 67

The receipts from all sources are \$1,283.43.

The expenditures have been \$1,302.02, or to give a more detailed account,

The receipts have been—

Interest on investments	...	...	...	...	\$561 60
Collections	...	...	...	...	604 43
Annual subscriptions	...	...	...	...	117 40

The expenditures—

Balance due Bank of Montreal 1st May, 1872	...	...	...	...	...	\$292 10
Widows pensions	...	...	...	...	...	890 00
Collection on Coupons	...	...	...	...	...	28
Income tax	...	...	...	...	...	1 64
Share of office rent	...	...	...	...	...	15 00
Secretary's salary	...	...	...	...	...	80 00
Amount voted to Treasurer	...	...	...	...	...	20 00
Printing	...	...	...	...	...	3 00

There is a balance against the fund due to the Montreal Bank, but this is owing to the Bank having advanced an amount to enable the Secretary to make an investment. The balance now due is \$18.45.

The pensioners at present on the fund are—

Mrs. Blakey	\$200 00
Mrs. Took	200 00
Mrs. Armstrong	200 00
Child	40 00
Mrs. Grier	200 00
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						\$840 00

The interest on investments is about \$809.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

EDW. J. BOSWELL, Chairman.

(C)

REPORT OF THE EPISCOPAL TRUST FUND COMMITTEE.

The Episcopal Trust Fund Committee beg leave to submit the following Annual Report:

The Mortgage Securities, Real Estate, Debentures, and Cash belonging to the Fund at this date are as follows—

20 Mortgages on Real Estate, securing a principal sum of...	\$21,295 50
38½ Debentures, representing a principal sum of ...	36,471 67
21 shares Government Dominion Stock ...	2,100 00
Deposit Receipt in the Agency of the Bank of Montreal at Kingston, representing ...	750 00
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There are arrears of interest due on Mortgages, and which are considered good, \$848.95.

The funds of this Trust are all invested except the above sum on deposit, and \$110.97 balance awaiting investment.

All which is respectfully submitted.

Kingston, June 4, 1873.

JAS. A. HENDERSON,
Chairman.

(D)

REPORT OF THE CLERGY TRUST COMMITTEE.

Your Committee rejoice in being enabled to announce that the anticipations of last year's Report have been far more than realized, for instead of being able to place one senior Clergyman on the surplus list of annuitants in September last, with a prospect of placing two more claimants on the list in April, 1874, as then anticipated. Your Committee have the satisfaction of stating that they have been enabled already to place four on the list, viz: Messrs. Baker, Preston, Tane, and Parnell.

The recent death of the Rev. Chas. Brown will probably enable the Committee at its September meeting to place one more upon the list. And as the additional interest to be derived from the Debentures of the City of Hamilton and Town of St. Thomas in April next will add \$585 more to the Fund, the Committee will then be able to add at least one more to the list: and should the Farmer & de Blaquiére lands be sold in the interim, as is anticipated, the number will be increased by two. These are prospects that may well cheer the hearts of some who had been long hoping even against hope as to their chances of being placed upon the list. These are statements, moreover, which tend to prove the wisdom and happy forethought of those who eighteen years ago formed the Commutation Fund.

The Treasurer's Report shows the state of the Fund to Friday last, the 30th May, to have been as follows:—

Invested capital 30th April, 1873	\$275,625 95
Balance at credit in Bank this day, May 30...	\$632 87

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Securities past due, Mortgage, Farmer & de Blaquiére. \$21,600, at 6 p.c.

The changes in the Securities during the past year have been as follows :

Invested capital 30th April, 1872	...	...	...	...	\$271,482 48
Add since purchased &c.					
County Grey Debentures	...	...	...	\$4,000 00	
" Bruce "	...	...	...	4,000 00	
" Waterloo "	...	...	...	1,000 00	
" Elgin "	...	...	...	5,000 00	
Transferred by Diocese of Toronto—					
‡ Hamilton Debenture	...	...	...	1,000 00	
					\$15,000 00
					\$286,482 48
Deduct since matured and paid—					
County Welland Debentures	...	...	...	\$2,000 00	
County Renfrew "	..	...	...	750 00	
Town of Windsor "	...	...	...	200 00	
County Middlesex "	...	...	...	4,000 00	
Town of Cobourg "	...	...	...	1,200 00	
Received on account Warwick Mortgages	...			2,706 53	
					\$10,856 53
Invested Capital April 30th, 1873	..	...	...	...	\$275,625 95

Annexed is a list of Clergymen receiving their stipend from the Commutation Fund for the quarter ending 31st March, 1873.

Anderson, G. A.	...	...	...	...	...	\$120 00
Bleasdel, W.	...	..	...	...	..	121 66
Boswell, E. J.	...	...	...	...	...	206 83
Bousfield, T.	...	...	...	...	...	100 00
Brown, C.	...	...	...	...	...	100 00
Bower, E. C.	...	...	...	...	...	100 00
Carroll, J.	...	...	...	...	...	100 00
Dobbs, F. W.	...	...	...	...	...	75 00
Garrett, R....	...	...	...	..	...	121 66
Godfrey, Jas.	...	...	...	...	...	100 00
Harris, Jas.	...	...	...	...	...	100 00
Harding, R.	...	...	...	...	...	121 66
Harper, W. F. S.	...	...	...	...	...	121 66
Lauder, J. S.	100 00
Lewis, Rt. Rev.	150 00
Lewis R.	120 00
Morris, J. A.	120 00
Mulock, J. A.	100 00

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Pettit, C. B.	100 00
Plees, H. E.	100 00
Rogers, R. V.	121 66
Stephenson, R. L....	120 00
Worrell, J. B.	100 00
Clerical Secretary...	102 50
Baker, E. H. M.	100 00
Preston, J. A.	100 00
Tane, F. R.	100 00
Parnell, T. A.	100 00

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All which is respectfully submitted.

H. PATTON, Chairman.

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON A CHURCH PAPER.

The Committee beg leave to report that they met on three different occasions, and discussed the subject very fully, but without coming to any practical conclusion. Providential circumstances may, however, arise before next meeting of Synod that may render the accomplishment of the object more feasible, and therefore the Committee would respectfully request that they may be re-appointed or another Committee appointed in their stead.

All which is respectfully submitted.

HY. PATTON, Chairman.

(F)

TREASURER'S REPORT.

BANK OF MONTREAL, }
KINGSTON, 31st May, 1873. }

The Treasurer begs to submit the following statements:—

General statement of the several Funds of the Synod of Ontario on the 30th April, 1873, together with certified balances of the Accountant in the Bank of Montreal.

Statement of receipts and payments on account of the Clergy Trust Fund for the year ending 30th April, 1873, with separate list of cheques paid Commuted Clergy.

List of Securities held by the Commutation Trust Fund on 30th April, 1873, showing the annual income derived therefrom.

The changes in the Securities during the past year have been as follows:—

Invested capital 30th April, 1872	...	...	...	\$271,482 48
Add since purchased, &c.—				
County Grey Debentures	...	...	\$4,000 00	
“ Bruce “	...	...	4,000 00	
“ Waterloo “	...	...	1,000 00	
“ Elgin “	...	...	5,000 00	
Transferred by Diocese of Toronto—				
$\frac{1}{2}$ Hamilton Debenture	...	...	1,000 00	\$15,000 00
				<u>\$286,482 48</u>
Deduct since matured and paid—				
County Welland Debentures	...	...	\$2,000 00	
County Renfrew “	...	...	750 00	
Town of Windsor “	...	...	200 00	
County of Middlesex “	...	...	4,000 00	
Town of Cobourg “	1,200 00	
Received on account Warwick Mortgages	2,706 53	\$10,856 53
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of Ontario on 30th April, 1873.*

At Credit Clergy Trust Fund	\$714 53
" Divinity Students' Fund	102 55
" Episcopal	...	...	...	...	...	290 03
" General purposes	...	...	...	...	...	240 78
" Mission	...	...	...	...	...	2121 27
" Prayer Book	...	...	...	...	...	52 00
" Sustentation	...	...	...	...	...	3 04
" Rectory Lands	...	...	...	...	...	239 81
						<u>\$3,764 01</u>
At Debit, Assessment Fund	...	...	...	...	\$514 01	
" Widows' and Orphans' Fund	...	...	...	...	18 52	
					<u>\$532 53</u>	
Amount due by Bank to Synod	...	...	...	...		<u>\$3,231 48</u>

R. M. MOORE,
Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.

RICHARD. T. WALKEM, }
J. MUCKLESTON, } Auditors.

Kingston, 3rd June, 1873.

BANK OF MONTREAL, }
KINGSTON, May 1st, 1873. }

I hereby certify that the balances of the undermentioned accounts of the Synod of Ontario as shown by the books of the Bank on the evening of the 30th April, 1873, were as follows:—

At Credit, Clergy Trust Fund	\$714 53
" Divinity Students' "	102 55
" Episcopal	290 03
" General purposes	240 78
" Mission	2121 27
" Prayer Book	52 00
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D. GLASS, Accountant,

Clergy Trust Fund, Diocese of Ontario, in account with R. M. MOORE, Treasurer, 1st May, 1872, to 30th April, 1873.

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DATE.	PARTICULARS.	AMOUNT.	DATE.	PARTICULARS.	AMOUNT.
1872.			1872.		
May 1,	To balance	\$3,453 78	June 8,	By proportion Synod grant to Treasurer	\$ 90 00
8,	" Rent, de Blaquiere Mortgage	344 78	15,	" Bruce Debentures purchased	4,181 60
June 1,	" Welland Coupons	59 75	17,	" Income in England on London Coupons	6 40
8,	" Welland Debenture matured	1,996 70	29,	" Clerical Secretary's salary	90 00
15,	" Middlesex Coupons	780 00	31,	" Waterloo Debenture purchased	1,012 50
" "	" Bruce	89 75	" "	" Office rent	22 50
" "	" Elgin	41 75	31,	" Grey Debentures purchased	2,051 88
" "	" Bowmanville	179 55	6,	" Clerical Secretary's salary	102 50
17,	" Payment by Crooks & Co., Buffalo and L. H. R. R. suit	236 04	30,	" Office rent	22 50
July 3,	" Grey Coupons	59 75	Oct. 15,	" County Grey Debentures purchased	2,069 50
" "	" Wellington Coupons	120 00	Nov. 30,	" T. Briggs, valuation Vansittart lands, &c.	62 85
" "	" Waterloo	59 75	Dec. 18,	" Clerical Secretary's salary	102 50
" "	" Toronto	360 00	31,	" "	" "
" "	" St. Thomas	276 80	1873.	" "	" "
" "	" Guelph	24 00	Jan. 9,	" Postage account	5 00
" "	" Preston	35 75	Feb. 5,	" County Elgin Debentures purchased	2,011 98
" "	" Norwich	11 75	22,	" Office rent	22 50
" "	" Dereham	83 75	Mar. 25,	" County Elgin Debentures purchased	1,004 05
" "	" City of London Coupons, £250, 14s. 4d. Sterling...	1,217 49	31,	" Clerical Secretary's salary	102 50
" "	" Toronto General Hospital Coupons	80 00	Apr. 23,	" County Elgin Debentures purchased	2,016 98
August 7,	" Logan, Elmar & Wallace Coupons	300 00	30,	" Postage and stationery	5 50
" "	" "	" "	" "	" Express charges on Debentures matured	4 00
" "	" "	" "	" "	" Postage stamps	1 00
" "	" "	" "	" "	" Telegrams	1 63

Sept. 11,	" Frontenac Coupons	180 00	..	By Amount paid Commuted Clergy per separate list	12,732 10
" 11,	" Canada, 5 p.c. "	252 00	..	" Balance of Cash in Bank	714 53
" 16,	" Windsor	35 75			
" 16,	" Cobourg	48 00			
" 30,	" Windsor Debenture	199 50			
" 30,	" Hastings Coupons	432 00			

... " City of London Coupons, ...
 ... " £250, 14s. 4d. Sterling...
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Sept. 11, " Frontenac Coupons	180 00
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" " Windsor	35 75
" " Cobourg	48 00
" " Windsor Debenture	199 50
30, " Hastings Coupons	432 00
" " Hamilton	800 00
" " Frontenac	300 00
" " Renfrew	135 00
Oct. 1, " Renfrew Debenture matured	748 10
16, " Brockville Coupons	180 00
" " Peterboro'	240 00
" " Toronto General Hospital Coupons	120 00
" " Brome Coupons	360 00
27, " Waterloo	89 75
31, " Canada, 5 p.c.	252 00
" " Bruce	329 18
" " Bowmanville	179 55
" " Wellington	120 00
" " Grey	179 55
" " Toronto	360 00
" " St. Thomas	276 80
" " Middlesex	780 00
" " Elgin	41 75
" " Dereham	83 75
" " Guelph	24 00
" " Preston	35 75
" " Norwich	11 75
" " Malden	119 70
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Jan. 6,	To Middlesex Debenture matured ..	\$16,725 02	...		
16, "	City of London Coupons £250,14s. Stg	4,000 00	...		
30, "	Hamilton Coupons...	1,214 70	...		
Feby. 1,	Frontenac ..	180 00	...		
..	Logan, Elma and Wallace Coupons	180 00	...		
..	Toronto General Hospital ..	300 00	...		
19, "	Cobourg Debentures paid, \$1,200; interest, \$48 ..	80 00	...		
April 16,	Hamilton Coupons ..	1,248 00	...		
..	Windsor Coupons ..	20 00	...		
..	Brockville ..	29 75	...		
..	Peterboro' ..	180 00	...		
..	Toronto General Hospital Coupons	240 00	...		
..	Renfrew Coupons ..	120 00	...		
..	Frontenac ..	112 50	...		
..	Hamilton ..	300 00	...		
..	Amount paid in by Clerical Secty. ..	800 00	...		
..	on account Norwich Mortgages	2,706 53	...		
		\$28,436 50			

Examined and found correct.

RICHARD T WALKEM, }
J. MUCKLESTON, } Auditors.

[3rd June, 1873.

List of Cheques paid Clergy, Diocese of Ontario, 1st June, 1872, to 30th April, 1873.

No. of Cheque.	Names of Clergy.	Amount	No. of Cheque.	Names of Clergy.	Amount
1158	Rev. Jas. Harris	\$ 100 00	13	T. Bousfield	100 00
80	Lord Bishop of Ontario	...	...	...	...

List of Cheques paid Clergy, Diocese of Ontario, 1st June, 1872, to 30th April, 1873.

No. of Cheque	Names of Clergy.	Amount	No. of Cheque.	Names of Clergy.	Amount
1158	Rev. Jas. Harris	...	13	T. Bousfield	100 00
80	Lord Bishop of Ontario	...	14	E. C. Bower	100 00
1	Rev. G. A. Anderson	...	15	C. Brown	100 00
2	W. Bleasdel	...	16	J. Carroll	100 00
3	E. J. Boswell	...	1217	F. W. Dobbs	75 00
4	T. Bousfield	...	18	R. Garrett	121 66
5	E. C. Bower	...	19	Jas. Godfrey	100 00
6	C. Brown	...	20	Jas. Harris	100 00
7	J. Carroll	...	1	R. Harding	121 66
8	F. W. Dobbs	...	2	W. F. S. Harper	121 66
9	R. Garrett	...	3	J. S. Lauder	100 00
90	Jas. Godfrey	...	4	Lord Bishop of Ontario	150 00
1	Jas. Harris	...	5	Rev. R. Lewis	120 00
2	R. Harding	...	7	J. A. Mulock	120 00
3	W. F. S. Harper	...	6	J. A. Morris	120 00
4	J. S. Lauder	...	38	Ven. H. Patton	206 83
5	Lord Bishop of Ontario	...	9	Ven. H. Patton	100 00
8	Rev. J. A. Mulock	...	40	Rev. C. B. Pettit	100 00
9	Ven. H. Patton	...	1	H. E. Pices	100 00
1200	Ven. H. Patton	...	2	R. V. Rogers	121 66
1	Rev. C. B. Pettit	...	3	R. L. Stephenson	120 00
2	H. E. Pices	...	4	J. B. Worrell	100 00
3	R. V. Rogers	...	6	E. H. M. Baker...	100 00
4	R. L. Stephenson	...	7	Lord Bishop of Ontario	86 48
5	J. B. Worrell	...	8	Rev. J. A. Preston	100 00
1216	G. A. Anderson...	...	9	F. R. Tan ²	100 00
11	W. Bleasdel	...	53	G. A. Anderson...	120 00
12	E. J. Boswell	...	4	W. Bleasdel	121 63

Examined and found correct.
 RICHARD T. WALKEM, } Auditors.
 J. MUCKLESTON.
 3rd June, 1873.

Securities held by Commutation Fund, Synod of Ontario, 30th April, 1873.

Register Number.	Description.	Amount.	Rate of Interest.	Annual Interest.	Remarks.
1-2	Maiden Debentures	\$ 2,000 00	6 per cent	\$ 120 00	
3	Norwich "	400 00	"	24 00	
68-71	Windsor "	1,000 00	"	60 00	
7, 8, 9	Preston "	1,200 00	"	72 00	
10, 11	Guelph "	800 00	"	48 00	
24-27	Dereham "	2,800 00	"	168 00	
52-83, 84	Toronto General Hospital Debentures	5,000 00	8	400 00	
47-51	Logan, Elma, and Wallace "	10,000 00	6	600 00	
105-112	Peterboro' Debentures	8,000 00	"	480 00	
113-118	Brockville "	6,000 00	"	360 00	
126-128	Bowmanville "	6,000 00	"	360 00	
133, 313-317	Elgin "	6,400 00	"	384 00	
136-149, 288	Middlesex "	22,000 00	"	1,320 00	
171-188, 201	Hastings "	7,200 00	"	432 00	
190	London "	40,880 00	"	2,452 80	Held for collection, City Bank, London, Eng.
193-195	Vansittart & De Blaquiére Mortgage.	21,200 00	"	344 78	No int.; rent paid during past y.r., \$344.78.
202-210	St. Thomas Debentures	18,500 00	3	555 00	
211-220, 310	Hamilton "	41,000 00	4	1,640 00	
245-253	Canada Govt. 5 p.c. Debentures	10,220 00	5	511 00	
231, 274-276	Frontenac Debentures	16,000 00	6	960 00	
239-243	Renfrew "	3,750 00	"	225 00	
269-271, 302-305	Bruce "	7,000 00	"	420 00	
277-281, 299	Toronto "	12,000 00	"	720 00	
295-298, 306, 307	Waterloo "	3,000 00	"	180 00	
300, 301	Wellington "	4,000 00	"	240 00	
285, 286, 311, 312	Grey "	6,000 00	"	360 00	
289-294	Brome "	6,000 00	"	360 00	
284	Warwick Mortgages	7,275 95	"	436 56	
Total securities		\$275,625 95		\$14,233 14	Annual Income.

Examined and found correct.
 KINGSTON, 3rd June, 1873.
 RICHARD T. WALKEM, } Auditors.
 J. MUCKLESTON.
 R. M. MOORE, Secretary.

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AUDITORS' REPORT.

We, the Auditors appointed to examine the accounts of the Treasurer and Secretary of the Synod of Ontario for the year ending the 30th day of April last, submit the following report of our labours :—

We have examined the Securities belonging to the various funds under the control of the Synod.

Those belonging to the Clergy Trust Fund were ascertained by us to be in the joint possession of the Treasurer and the Secretary, with the exception of the London Debentures mentioned in the Auditors' Report of last year, which are still in possession of the City Bank of London for the purpose of conveniently collecting the interest accruing due upon them. The certificate of the Manager of that Institution, shewing the purpose for which these Debentures are held by it was produced to us. The total amount of the Permanent Clergy Trust Securities, not including interest, is the sum of \$275,625 95, showing an increase since last year of \$4,143 95.

We have also examined the Securities held by the Synod in trust for the undermentioned funds and have found that those transferable by delivery were in the joint possession of the Treasurer and Secretary and that the mortgages, with the exception of those in suit, which are but three in number, were in the possession of the Secretary. Vouchers were produced for those in the hands of the Synod's Solicitor.

The capital sums represented by these Securities are :—

Episcopal Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$60,617 17
Sustentation Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	26,394 65
Divinity Students' Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,823 34
Widows' and Orphans' Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	13,496 67

RECTORY LANDS' FUND, COMPRISING :

Kemptville	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$10,774 96
Cornwall	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,374 44
Richmond	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,972 97
Bath	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,749 45
Augusta	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,523 30
Kingston	..	..	..	..	..	..	27,932 27
Adolphustown and Fredricksburgh	10,834 00
Napanee	9,240 27
Perth	2,050 00
Belleville	13,418 00
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The balances at the credit of the various Funds in the Bank of Montreal on the 30th day of April last, are as follows :

Clergy Trust	\$ 714 53
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Prayer Book	52 00
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Rectory Land	239 81

The Assessment and Widows' and Orphans' Funds were at the above date overdrawn, the former to the extent of \$514.01, the latter to the extent of \$18.52.

We found that the various fund balances in the bank agreed with those in the books of the Treasurer and Clerical Secretary, with the exception of the Rectory Lands, the Mission, and the Divinity Students' Funds.

The Bank balance to the credit of the Rectory Lands Fund exceeded the Secretary's balance by the sum of \$28.02, the amount of a cheque issued by the Secretary but outstanding.

The Bank balance at the credit of the Mission Fund exceeded the Secretary's balance by the sum of \$558.34, the aggregate amounts of three cheques similarly issued, but not presented for payment.

The Bank balance to the credit of the Divinity Students' Fund exceeded the Secretary's balance by the sum of \$100, the amount of two cheques issued but not presented for payment.

We have examined the Clerical Secretary's books of account, and in doing so have availed ourselves of the assistance of Mr. Noel, a professional accountant. The payments were all vouched by cheque, and in other respects the entries seemed to be correct. The receipt book kept by the Secretary and the system of acknowledgment of moneys by publication in a newspaper now adopted, furnish satisfactory means of checking the amount of moneys received.

We have to congratulate the Synod upon the steady increase in the funds under its control. These funds are assuming enormous proportions, and their management must entail a great deal of labour. The Rectory Lands Fund in particular has largely increased the labor of the Clerical Secretary, the sales during the past year being apparently over \$35,000.

The Clerical Secretary's books and accounts are kept in a manner which does him great credit.

All which is respectfully submitted.

RICHARD T. WALKEM, }
J. MUCKLESTON, } Auditors,

3rd June, 1873.

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DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND.

To the Synod of the Diocese of Ontario.

The Committee of the Divinity Students' Fund beg leave to report that the following grants were made during the past year, viz.:

To R. W. Garrett	...	...	\$100 per annum.
" Richard Elliott	...	..	100 "
" David Pattee...	...	...	150 "
" W. Smith	...	...	100 "

And that the above, with Mr. R. L. M. Houston, are the Students at present receiving aid from their fund, being a larger number than the Committee ever before had the privilege of reporting as upon their list of beneficiaries.

The Committee, in once more urging the necessity of greater liberality on the part of the members of the Church throughout the Diocese towards this fund, that they may be able to meet the applications which, they are thankful to say, are now rapidly increasing, must, at the same time, respectfully call the attention of their reverend brethren to the large number of cases in which, during the year just closed, no collections were made in behalf of this most important fund. Taking the returns as given in last year's Journal of Synod, as many as thirtytwo out seventyone stations, representing twentyone parishes, failed to send in collections, while no fewer than seventeen entire parishes, comprehending fortysix stations, sent in nothing whatever. Some of these parishes, it is true, were vacant, and the clergy of others where collections were made, did not always specify, as they should have done, the particular stations in which they were received, which circumstances will account in part for this state of things. Still, after making every possible allowance, it is very apparent that in by far too many instances the requirements of the canon have not been complied with, and serious loss has thereby accrued to the fund.

The following sums have been received on account of the fund during the past year:

Collections	\$388 29
Interest	209 45
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Total amount invested at close of fiscal year ...\$3,823 34

All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. H. M. BAKER, Chairman.

June 3rd, 1873.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON 29-30 VICT., CH. 16.

The Committee to whom was referred the question as to the necessity and advisability of making certain alterations in Cap. 16, of 29-30 Vict. (on sale of Rectory Lands). beg to report as follows:—They have met and carefully considered the questions referred to them. They have also corresponded with the Dioceses of Toronto and Huron, and find that in the Rectory of London the surplus above \$3,000 is now—with the consent of the Rector—at the disposal of the Church Society of the Diocese to be divided among the incumbents of the other Churches in the City. In the Diocese of Toronto the Act has not been considered, but at their last Synod two motions were introduced, and now stand over for the coming Session, touching the advisability of petitioning the Legislature to alter and amend the portions of the Act directing the appropriation of the funds, and for an extension of the time for selling the Rectory Lands.

Your Committee are therefore unable to report anything definitely at this time, and would pray that they may be permitted to sit again and confer further with committees that may be appointed by the other Dioceses, and that their numbers be increased.

HY. PATTON, Chairman.
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REPORT OF THE BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE.

The Book and Tract Committee, in presenting the Report for the year ending 30th April, 1873, feel it a cause of thankfulness that notwithstanding the very dull times during the latter part of the severe winter the amount of sales was very nearly the same as that of the previous financial year. The stock of books on hand is increasing; there is also a greater variety, and a larger number of those most in demand, or most

suitable, whilst the old dull stock is decreasing. The amount of unadjusted indebtedness is less than the balance in our favour in the Bank; and the Depository only wants the more hearty sympathy and co-operation of all the Clergy and Laity of the Diocese to enable it to enter upon a career of great usefulness. Some of the Clergy and a few Laymen enter heartily and really into the matter, and their periodical purchases promote the progress and efficiency of the Depository, as well as cheer the manager in his efforts to get the best and most satisfactory books at fair prices.

More branches established in the same hearty spirit would be a proportionate strength to Church work in the Diocese; the Clergy would find their work helped on by the leading and thinking laity of their Parishes, and the increased knowledge of the Church in her principles and Divine origin would bring, under God's blessing, more seekers and inquirers into the fold, to His glory and their own benefit and everlasting welfare.

The statement of the receipts and disbursements for the financial year is herewith presented.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN A. MULOCK, Chairman.

ONTARIO DIOCESAN DEPOSITORY.
Statement of Receipts and Disbursements by the Rev. T. Bousfield, for the financial year ending 30th April, 1873.

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May 1, To Cash on hand	\$ 31 83	By paid for stock.....	\$ 913 37
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To amount of sales to date	1370 78	" " Freight and express charges.....	23 03
		" " paid for wood and cutting	32 00
		" " paid J. Twigg, for cleaning office	18 00
		" " paid Auditor for 1872	4 00
		" " paid Insurance on library.....	15 00
		" " paid for postages	15 69
		" " paid for printing.....	7 25
		" " paid duty on books	2 70
		" " paid petty items.....	40
		" " cash on hand	30 43
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T. BOUSFIELD, Manager.

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REPORT OF THE MISSION BOARD.

It is a subject for devout thankfulness to Almighty God that the work of the Lord still continues to prosper amongst us. Shortcomings there may be, because, although the work is of God, still the earthly agents are but men; and where so many are engaged in the work it would be strange indeed if there were no failures. On the whole, however, the experience of the past year may well cause us to thank God and take courage. The receipts show a steady increase, and the Reports of the Conveners are generally of an encouraging character.

DEPUTATION No. 1—*Rev. J. W. Burke, Convener.*

The Rev. J. W. Burke, as Convener of Deputation No. 1, with whom were associated Revs. Messrs. Halliwell and Stanton (though the latter did not join them), commenced their labours at Salmon River, when the meeting, notwithstanding the state of the roads, was tolerably well attended, and the offertory amounted to \$4.00. Meetings were held the same day at Selby and Napanee. At the former place a beautiful little church has been erected, and at Napanee preparations are being made for the erection of a new church—a work very much needed. The Sunday School offertory was \$23.11, and the total was \$57.71. At Newburg the offertory was \$4.43; at Clark's Mills, \$16.18; at Tamworth, where there was a large meeting, the offertory amounted to \$8.25. The heavy debt which had long been an incubus on the Church, is likely to be speedily extinguished. The meeting at White Lake was almost a total failure owing to the heavy snowdrifts. At Odessa a successful meeting was held on the 10th January, and, including the offertory on the following Sunday, \$10.67 were added to the fund. In the beautiful little church at Waterloo the offertory was \$6.82, increased by the Sunday School offertory to \$12.32. On the evening of Sunday, January 12th, the meeting was held in St. George's Cathedral, when the sum of \$53 was contributed, increased by the Sunday School offertory of \$11.05 to a total of \$64, a gratifying increase on former years. At Barriefield, spite of the unfavourable state of the weather, the meeting was gratifying, and an offertory of \$15.28 cheered the Deputation. At Birmingham's the offertory was \$10.95, and the Convener was ably aided by the Rev. Messrs. Mulock and Kirkpatrick. The Deputation was gratified to find a good work going on in this parish generally. A hearty service at All Saint's closed the work of the Deputation. The meetings at Murvale and Sydenham were given up in consequence of the state of the roads, and the meeting at Wolfe Island was

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DEPUTATION No. 2—Rev. C. P. Emery, Convener.

The Rev. C. P. Emery, as Convener of Deputation No. 2, reports that, in company with the Rev. A. Cooke who joined him four days afterwards, he commenced work January 14th. The meeting at Christ Church, Belleville, and at Trenton, received considerable damage in consequence of a huge tea-meeting at the latter place. The meeting at the Carrying Place was a grand success, one of the best indeed ever held in this place. The meeting at Picton was also most successful. Messrs. McQuaig and F. White, Esqs., made admirable addresses. Bath and Amherst Island also gave good meetings. The other meetings were also satisfactory, and the offertories on the whole were in advance of the past year, and a great improvement was observable in intelligent Church feeling.

DEPUTATION No. 3—Rev. James A. Preston, Convener.

The Convener of No. 3, the Rev. Jas. A. Preston, states that this Deputation also was greatly impeded in its work by the unfavourable state of the weather, which on one occasion detained them in the house two days, and in consequence of which they could not hold meetings at Frizell's Mills and All Saints, Tyendinaga. Two other meetings were also omitted, viz., Frankville and Empey's Settlement—the former as no sufficient notice had been given, and the latter on account of the state of the night. Of the other meetings, two only call for any special remark. The meeting at St. Thomas Church, Belleville, was very numerously attended, the music and singing were of the highest order, the services hearty, and the collection amounted to \$65, nearly double that of the preceding year. The other meeting alluded to was that of Tweed, where the Convener, who was now alone (Messrs. White and Caulfield having returned home), found hearty singing and responding, both of which appeared to be general throughout the congregation, and, as might be expected, the collection was liberal, amounting to \$10.20. The other places at which meetings were held, were Mill Point, Shannonville, Stirling, Marmora, Madoc, Queensboro, Thomasburg, and Roslyn. At Queensboro a neat and comfortable church has been erected free from debt. Twelve years ago the convener celebrated divine service here, being the first time that the Church service had been read in the neighbourhood of Queensboro; it was therefore particularly gratifying to find so neat an edifice erected to the Glory of God in this place.

DEPUTATION No. 4—*Rev. G. A. Anderson, Convener.*

Deputation No. 4 consisted of Rev. G. A. Anderson, Convener, and the Rev. E. Loucks. The result of the meetings was very satisfactory—a little in advance of the amount collected any previous year. The season at which these meetings are annually held is most unfavourable as the people are generally at the shanties and the roads so drifted that the meetings are generally small. The appropriation by the Mission Board of the Sunday School Fund to the intended Diocese of Algoma appeared to give general satisfaction, and it is much to be regretted that there is no Bishop to watch over the interests of the Church in that district. The amount collected at Missionary meetings, including those contributed by Sunday School children, was \$217.15

DEPUTATION No. 5—*Rev. J. S. Lauder, Convener.*

No report received.

DEPUTATION No. 6—*Rev. E. H. M. Baker, Convener.*

Deputation No. 6, consisting of Revs. E. H. M. Baker, Convener, and F. W. Kirkpatrick commenced its lengthy tour, comprehending in all twenty churches or stations, at Metcalf, January 21st, and in spite of unfavourable weather during a large portion of its journey was blessed with much success. In all the meetings held, save two, the offertories were in excess of last year. Almost everywhere the Deputation found decided marks of church life and progress—new churches built or building, old ones well filled, in many places well crowded, and the service always most inspiring. An incident in connection with the meeting at Duncanville:—on the offertory plate was found an envelope, inscribed "for the Mission cause, the proceeds of one day's work"—it contained \$5.00. Could we but persuade every member of the Church to go and do likewise, what an increase in our Missionary income would soon be witnessed. The total offerings amounted to \$312, being a gain upon last year's return of nearly 50 per cent. In this section of the Diocese it is advisable to hold the meetings in the Autumn, as during the winter men and teams are absent in the shanties.

DEPUTATION No. 7—*The Archdeacon Convener.*

Deputation No. 7, the Archdeacon, Convener; colleague, Rev. Mr. Lewin. The first meeting, held at Edwardsburgh, addressed by the Archdeacon alone, was a very interesting and successful one; the collection amounted to \$25.50, more than three times that of the preceding year. The meeting was held in the new Church, which, when finished, will be a very creditable monument to the pious zeal and liberality of the

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small but faithful band of Churchmen in this portion of the Rev. Mr. Anderson's Mission. The meeting at Iroquois the next evening was also successful. Here the Convener was joined by his colleague, Rev. Mr. Lewin, and further aided by Revs. Mr. Loucks, both of whom made effective addresses. The collection amounted to \$16.60, further increased by the addition of \$11.00, the united contributions of the two Sunday Schools in connection with this Church. Total being \$27.60, or \$6.49 in excess of last year. The meeting at Williamsburgh was a comparative failure, in consequence of a storm having blocked up the roads, yet under the circumstances the collection was very large, amounting to \$28, but of this sum \$20 were contributed by one worthy lady, who, inheriting the spirit of her deceased relative, made this large offering to the service of God's Church. The meeting in Morrisburgh was a decided success, a large number present, and the result most gratifying, \$30 having been contributed. The Deputation were reluctantly obliged to give up their intended visit to Mountain in consequence of the state of the roads; the person previously engaged to drive them out from Iroquois positively refused to do so. At Prescott on Sunday evening we had a most interesting meeting, the congregation was very numerous, services hearty, and contributions liberal; \$61 were placed upon the plates, and the offerings of the Sunday School children, amounting to \$18, swelled the total to the goodly sum of \$79. The Convener was glad to revisit in Kemptville and Oxford Mills, the scenes of his earliest ministerial labours; very gratifying meetings attested that the members of the Church continue to take a lively interest in the cause of Christ and His Church. As usual at Kemptville the event of the evening was the presentation of the offerings of the teachers and children of the Sunday School, which amounted to the goodly sum of \$30. The total of the collections amounted to \$280, being in excess of the previous year's collections in the same places of \$61.56.

DEPUTATION No. 8—*Rev. Mr. Pettit, Convener.*

Rev. Mr. Pettit, Convener, states that in connection with Rev. Messrs. Mockridge and Low he commenced the deputation work at Merrickville, where, after a hearty service, they received from the offertory the sum of \$25. At Burritt's Rapids the service was very impressive, the Church tastefully decorated, and the sum of \$15 received. In the parish of North Augusta three meetings were held, attendance good, services impressive, and the collections exceeded last year by \$11.00. At Maitland, much interest was evinced by those present. The children of the Sunday School came forward in a body and presented \$14.00 for the Bishopric of Algoma. At New Dublin the contribution amounted to less than \$4.00.

In the new Church of St. Luke's, Yonge, the offertory was \$5.00. At Lyn, on Sunday morning, the congregation was small, the offertory \$5.53. At St. Peter's, Brockville, there was a very large congregation, and an offertory of \$65.33. At Lansdowne a good congregation contributed \$7.10. At South Lake the sum of \$5.25 was received. At Gananoque, after a hearty service, a collection of \$25.50 was received, and the Sunday School children added \$15. At St. Paul's, Kingston, the offertory was \$12.26, to which the Sunday School children added \$10.00.

DEPUTATION No. 9—*Rev. A. C. Nesbitt, Convener.*

This Deputation, consisting of Rev. A. C. Nesbitt (Convener), Revs. T. A. Parnell, and J. H. Simpson, reports a smaller amount collected at Missionary meetings this year than in the previous one, and that for the following reasons: 1st, the deputation work commenced too late in the season for this lumbering country; 2nd, Arnprior, formerly included in No. 9, was this year added to No. 5; 3rd, Renfrew Village, Horton, Douglas, Eganville, and Lake Dore are without a Missionary, and no Missionary Meeting was held except one in Eganville. The meeting at Pembroke was very large, and the offering nearly double the previous year. This is to be accounted for in part by the presence of the Bishop, who, though at the time far from well, came from Ottawa to attend the Pembroke meeting. The offering at St. Patrick's, Stafford, was a little in advance of last year; and at a little school-house in Alice, where a week-day service is held, after a most interesting and instructive address from the Rev. Mr. Parnell, the offering was nearly seven times more than ever before.

DEPUTATION No. 10—*Rev. Mr. Bleasdel, Convener.*

This deputation, of which Rev. Mr. Bleasdel was Convener, aided by Revs. J. K. McMorine and E. P. Crawford, had for its field of labour the Counties of Stormont and Prescott. Its first meeting was held February 4th, at Osnabruck Front, and the Deputation closed its eminently successful tour in the same townships in which it commenced its labors. The Convener cannot refrain from noticing with great pleasure and satisfaction the liberal contributions of the Sunday School children in Cornwall, Moulinette, and Hawkesbury Village, and contributed by them to the Algoma Diocesan Mission Fund. Another feature also deserving of notice is the apparent increased zeal of the members of the Church to aid in its work and labor of love. In Osnabruck, Moulinette, Cornwall, and everywhere in the County of Prescott is this conspicuous. In the latter County the Church is making itself a power through the Missionary zeal of the Missionary in charge. At Hawkesbury Village the Deputation

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had the advantage of an address from Rev. Mr. Dixon, of Grenville, Diocese of Montreal, and at Cornwall Judge Jarvis and Dr. Pringle, assisted by their telling and effective speeches. The amount collected on this tour amounted to \$309.43, an excess of \$129 over the previous year.

The receipts and disbursements for the past year have been as follows:

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Balance 1st May, 1872	\$2,852 51
Whitsunday Collection	521 01
Advent	548 94
Missionary Meetings	1,968 87
Parochial Collections	..	..	..	..	3,787 47
Grant from S. P. G.	..	..	..	..	1,084 71
For Algoma Bishopric Fund	..	..	..	..	26 19
DISBURSEMENTS.					
Paid grants to Missions	\$7,516 33
Expenses of Deputations	147 97
" on Parochial Outfits	3 80
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Rev. H. Auston	\$100 00
" T. Godden	100 00
" C. P. Mulvany	100 00
" W. H. Muckleston	100 00
" C. F. Kaapeke	50 00
" E. P. Crawford	..	..	..	..	100 00
" A. Jarvis	..	..	..	..	100 00
Transferred to Sunday School Fund	..	..	..	..	\$650 00
Sundry expenses:—	..	..	..	..	\$594 01
Share Clerical Secretary's salary	..	..	..	..	\$155 00
" amt. voted to Treasurer	..	..	..	..	35 00
" Printing account	..	..	..	..	72 38
" Stationery	..	..	..	..	5 00
" Office rent	..	..	..	..	26 25
" postage account	..	..	..	..	20 00
Express charges	..	..	..	..	90
Collection on cheque	..	..	..	..	13
					\$314 66
Balance in Bank Montreal	..	..	..	..	\$9,226 77
					\$1,562 93

The amount contributed by the Sunday Schools, \$594.01, has been transferred to a separate account and placed on deposit in the Bank of Montreal.

Thirtytwo parishes have not (up to 30th April) sent in their parochial collections.

The parishes that have made their returns are in *excess* of last year by \$119.40.

The Missionary Meeting collections will be in *excess* of last year by \$310.91.

THE SUSTENTATION FUND.

Invested capital \$26,894 65

The names and stations of the several Missionaries of the Board and the amounts paid to them severally for the quarter ending 31st March last are here annexed, viz :—

Auston, H.	Lyn and New Dublin...	...	...	...	\$50
Beaven, E. W....	Arnprior	...	...	...	50
Cooke, A. W. ...	North Augusta	...	...	...	50
Cartwright, C. E.	Amherst Island	...	...	...	50
Coleman, A. H. ...	Leeds and Lansdowne (rear)...	...	...	...	50
Carey, W. B. ...	March	...	...	...	50
Emery, C. P. ...	Pakenham	...	...	...	50
Forest, C. ...	Merrickville and Burritt's Rapids	...	...	...	50
Fleming, W. ...	Osgoode	...	...	...	75
Fisher, A. ...	Lanark	...	...	...	75
Grout, G. W. G. ...	Carleton Place...	...	...	...	50
Garrett, T. ...	Cumberland	...	...	...	50
Godden, T. ...	Shannonville	...	...	...	50
Halliwell, J. ...	Stirling	...	...	...	50
Low, G. J. ...	Madoc	...	...	...	50
Mockridge, C. H. ...	Hillier	...	...	...	50
Merritt, D. P. ...	Fitzroy Harbour	...	...	...	50
McMorine, J. K. ...	Almonte	...	...	...	50
Nesbitt, A. C. ...	Pembroke	...	...	...	75
Nimmo, J. H. ...	Tamworth	...	...	...	75
Roberts, W. ...	Roslyn	...	...	...	50
Stephenson, F. L. ...	Newboro	...	...	...	50
Simpson, J. H. ...	Beachburgh, &c.	...	...	...	75
Tighe, S....	Marysburgh	...	...	...	75
White, G. W. ...	Smith's Falls	...	...	...	50
Loucks, E. ...	Williamsburgh	...	...	...	50
Crawford, E. P....	Hawkesbury	...	...	...	50
Muckleston, W. J. ...	Camden	...	...	...	50
Kaapcke, C. ...	Ottawa (German Missionary)	...	...	...	75
Taylor, T. ...	Pension	...	...	...	50
					\$1,675

The subject of the Classification of Missions, which has already received the sanction of the Synod, will again be brought up for confirmation. The members of the Board deeply regret that this Diocese has as yet borne no part in the great work of Foreign Missions, and with reference to this long neglected duty they beg leave to reiterate the language of former years; that although with our numerous calls at home we might not be able to render much material aid to the cause of Foreign Missions, yet they believe that amongst the many thousands of our spiritual Israel there are some at least who would gladly give of their substance to so good a cause if their attention were rightly directed to the subject, and the mode of doing so pointed out; and when we consider how much the

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HY. PATTON, Chairman.

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REPORT OF TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE.

They would beg leave to suggest for the furtherance of this recommendation, that the following prospectus of objects be adopted for a society to be formed in connection with the Church in this Diocese—

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PROSPECTUS OF OBJECTS FOR CHURCH OF ENGLAND TEMPERANCE SOCIETY IN THE DIOCESE OF ONTARIO.

- 1st. For the promotion of habits of Temperance.
- 2nd. For the reformation of the Intemperate.
- 3rd. For the removal of the causes which lead to Intemperance.

SPECIAL OBJECTS AIMED AT BY THE SOCIETY

I.—For abstainers and non-abstainers.

1. The explaining and enforcing of existing laws.
2. The progressive diminution of the number of taverns and saloons.
3. The enforcement of the law for the closing of taverns and saloons from Saturday evening to Monday morning.
4. The strengthening of the hands of the authorities in the exercise of their power in dealing with the sale of intoxicating liquor.
5. The promotion of temperance hotels, Mechanics' Institutes, and other counteractions to the ordinary taverns.
6. The discouragement of the present system of "treating."
7. The diffusion of correct and reliable information by temperance literature, tracts, and other publications, and by missionary efforts in prisons and other places where the victims of intemperance are usually found.
8. The promotion of union for special prayer throughout the country for the divine blessing upon the temperance movement.

II.—For abstainers from intoxicating drinks.

9. The establishment of parochial temperance societies, guilds, and bands of hope based on the principle of total abstinence, under the superintendence or with the sanction of the parochial clergy, as the proved and most effectual human means of bringing the intemperate under the teaching and power of the Gospel, and so setting them free from the bondage of their sin and of preserving others from the abounding temptations of the day."

Deeply impressed with the need of definite action to meet a growing evil before its roots are too firmly set in the habits and customs of the country, your committee would strongly advise Synodical action based upon the report now respectfully submitted.

FRANCIS W. KIRKPATRICK,
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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PRINTING REPORTS.

The Committee, to whom was referred the subject of printing the financial statements of the Synod funds for the information of its members, beg leave to recommend that the following accounts and abstracts be in future printed, namely :—

1. The Report of the Investment Committee.—*P. 1025 Journal.*
2. The Report of the Episcopal Trust Fund Committee.—*P. 1029.*
3. The Auditors' Report.—*P. 1032.*
4. The Treasurer's Report.—*P. 1035.*
5. The Treasurer's Account current.—*P. 1037.*
6. Lists of all securities held by the Synod in trust for the various funds.—*PP. 1042-1050.*
7. Report of Finance Committee.—*P. 1048.*
8. The Clerical Secretary's Account current.
9. Report on sale of Rectory Lands.

And that such printed reports be ready for distribution amongst the members on the first morning of Synod.

The expense of printing the foregoing reports will probably be about sixty dollars.

All which is respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM ELLIS, Chairman.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PETITION FROM
CORNWALL.

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of the Rector of Cornwall and others, on the subject of the Bishop Strachan Memorial Church, now in course of erection in the Town of Cornwall, in this Diocese, beg leave to report as follows :—

That they find from information derived from the Archdeacon of Ontario and others interested in the completion of the Church referred to,

that the members of the Church in the Parish of Cornwall were induced to enter upon the work in consequence of an earnest appeal made by the Bishop of the Diocese to erect a Church in Cornwall to the memory of the late Right Reverend Dr. Strachan, the first Bishop of Toronto, who commenced his labours as a minister of the Church in the said Town in the year 1803, and who prosecuted those labors with great acceptance and good to the Church for nine years.

That the members of the Church in the Parish of Cornwall subscribed towards the laudable object referred to the sum of about \$10,000, of which between \$8,000 and \$9,000 have been made available for the erection of the Church.

That the contributions of the Bishops and Clergy of the Canadian Church towards the Memorial Church Fund have reached the sum of \$1900.

Your Committee, in consideration of the facts above recited, recommend that the prayer of the petition should be granted to the effect that the Bishop should issue a Pastoral letter recommending the object to the sympathy of the members of the Church, and that the members of this Synod use their influence in their respective parishes in aid of the same, and co-operate with their Brethren in the Parish of Cornwall in order that the Church to be erected to the memory of the late Bishop Strachan may be completed with as little delay as possible.

All which is respectfully submitted.

H. PATTON, Chairman.

Synod Hall, Kingston, June 4th, 1873.

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE PROPOSED ALGOMA BISHOPRIC.

The Committee appointed (p. 994) to confer on the subject of the Missionary Bishopric of Algoma with similar Committees to be appointed by the Synods of the other Dioceses in the Province beg leave to report that the powers conferred upon your Committee were simply to confer with the other Committees on this important subject; that the Committee met in September last, when the Chairman submitted a letter which he had

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received from the Rev. Mr. Givins, in which it was suggested *inter alia* that each Committee should send a delegate or delegates to a general meeting, to be convened by the Metropolitan.* Your Committee, therefore, appointed the Rev. G. A. Anderson as the delegate from this Committee, he having more personal knowledge on the subject than any other member. The result was communicated by the Chairman to Mr. Givins, but no such general meeting was convened. On the 18th April last your Chairman received a letter from the Rev. Mr. Givins, stating that the Metropolitan had expressed his desire that the several Diocesan Committees on the Algoma matter should meet as speedily as possible to discuss certain points;† that they should meet at Belleville or Kingston on Wednesday, the 7th May. Your Chairman immediately wrote back to say that our Committees met on the 7th, but that we could meet on the 6th, and that if that day would suit I would call the members of our Committee together. To this communication I received no reply until the 7th May, when I heard from the Rev. Mr. Givins that he had failed in getting a meeting of their Committee, and that having conferred with the Bishop and several leading members by letter, all agreed that the Committee could not do anything if they met, and that it was better to defer all proceedings till the Diocesan Synods were held. This was also the opinion of the Rev. Chas. Hamilton, of Quebec. I reported the result to the Metropolitan, and he seems much disappointed thereat. Under these circumstances nothing can be done by Synod but to reappoint a Committee which, with the Bishop, should have full powers to co-operate in any movement approved of by the other Synods. Such then is the present position of the affair, and it is hereby sufficiently apparent that there has been no neglect on the part of your Committee.

H. PATTON, Chairman.

*See letter of August 14, 1872.

†Letter of April 18, 1873.

‡Letter of May 3, 1873.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHURCH TEMPORALITIES ACT.

The Committee appointed at the last Session (p. 1012) of Synod to confer with similar Committees to be appointed by the Synods of the Dioceses of Toronto and Huron, to petition the Legislature of the

Province of Ontario to pass an Act to regulate the Temporalities of the Church of England in this Province; said Act to be founded on the Canons passed by the Provincial Synod of this Province, and that the Clerical Secretary do notify the Synods of Huron and Toronto of this resolution, and ask their concurrence, beg leave to report that no result has been arrived at with reference to to this important object. Your Committee believe that the Session of the Synod of Huron was over before the action of our Synod, and consequently no Committee was appointed with whom your Committee could confer. A Committee was appointed by the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto for the furtherance of the same object, but no joint meeting of the respective Committees has been held, and consequently nothing has been done. But as it is possible that the respective Synods of Huron and Toronto may at the meetings of their bodies during the present and the succeeding week appointed such Committees, your Committee would respectfully suggest that they may be re-appointed.

H. PATTON, D.C.L., Chairman.

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO CONSIDER THE METROPOLITAN'S LETTER.

The Committee appointed to consider and determine upon the answers to be returned to the questions addressed by the Metropolitan to your Lordship, and by your Lordship submitted to this Synod, beg leave to report:—

1st. An affirmative reply to the first query, provided that the Episcopal Stipend is for the support of a Missionary Bishop elected by the Provincial Synod; and that the grant be for five years from the date of his consecration.

2nd. As to the second enquiry your Committee are of opinion that there are no sufficiently strong reasons to require the calling of a meeting of the Provincial Synod before 1874.

HY. PATTON, D.C.L., Chairman.

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Metropolitan's Letter.

MY DEAR BISHOP—

Montreal, May 28, 1873.

In pursuance of the resolution passed at the Conference of Bishops held at Ottawa on November 6th last, I have obtained the concurrence of various religious bodies to the united observance of October 16th as the Harvest Thanksgiving Day for the present year.

May I ask you to bring before your Synod two points in reference to the contemplated See of Algoma.

1st. Whether it acquiesces in the allotment of \$300 per annum as its proposed contribution towards the Episcopal Stipend.

2nd. Whether it is the wish of the members of your Synod that a *special* meeting of the Provincial Synod should be convened in the coming autumn for the election of a Bishop of Algoma, or that it should be deferred until the *ordinary* Session in 1874.

I shall be glad to learn the mind of your Synod as soon as you can inform me, especially on the latter point.

Very faithfully yours,

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REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENT OF PARISHES.

The Committee beg to report the following scale of Assessment for the several Parishes as follows:—

Adolphustown & Fredericksbg.	\$8	Camden ...	...	...	5
Amherst Island ...	6	Carrying Place ...	...	...	7
Arnprior ...	5	Cumberland ...	...	...	5
Almonte ...	8	Eganville ...	...	...	4
Barriefield ...	5	Elizabethtown ...	...	...	8
Bath ...	8	Franktown ...	...	...	5
Belleville... { St. Thomas	20	Fiach ...	...	...	4
{ Christ Church	12	Fitzroy Harbor ...	...	...	5
Brockville ...	20	Gananoque ...	...	...	8
Beachburgh ...	3	Goulbourne and Huntley	7
Cornwall ...	15	Hawkesbury	7
Carleton Place ...	8	Hillier and Wellington...	8

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	St. Paul's ..	12		Bishop's Chapel	20
	All Saints'	3		Osgoode ...	5
Kemptville	...	12	Osnabrock	...	7
Kitley ...	...	5	Perth ...	...	15
Lanark ...	...	5	Pakenham	...	7
Leeds and Lansdowne	...	6	Picton ...	...	15
Loughborough and Storrington	...	4	Prescott ...	...	12
Madoc ...	...	5	Pembroke	...	6
March ...	...	6	Portsmouth	...	7
Matilda and Edwardsburgh	...	7	Richmond	...	8
Merrickvle and Burritt's Rapids	...	7	Roslyn ...	...	5
Marysburgh	...	5	Renfrew ...	...	4
Mountain...	...	3	Smith's Falls	...	8
Maitland ...	...	8	Stirling ...	...	5
North Augusta ...	...	6	Shannonville	...	5
Napanee ...	...	15	Trenton ...	...	8
Newboro'...	...	6	Tyendinaga	...	5
North Gower	...	6	Tamworth	...	5
Nepean	5	Wolfe Island	...	4
New Edinburgh	6	Vankleek Hill	...	5
			Williamsburgh	...	8

F. McANNANY, Chairman.
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December 5th, 1872.

SECURITIES

Held by the Incorporated Synod of Ontario in trust for the undermentioned Funds, as reported by the Clerical Secretary, April 30th, 1873.

EPISCOPAL FUND.

20 Mortgages, covering the principal sum of ... \$21,295 50

Debentures—

8 County Hastings Debentures, Nos. 80, 90, 91, 131, 170, 176, 178, and 206	...	\$4,405 00
2 County Frontenac Debentures, Nos. 8, 14...	...	2,000 00
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2 City of London Debentures, Nos. 27 and 28	...	4,866 67
5 Town of Peterborough " Nos. 34, 35, 36, 45, 46	...	5,000 00
2 " Bowmanville " Nos. 20 and 21	...	4,000 00

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1 City of Hamilton	"	No. 4199	4,000 00
1 " "	"	No. 4200	3,000 00
12 Town of Picton	"	Nos. 9 to 20, \$350 each	4,200 00
1 County Waterloo	"	No. 10	...	...	500 00
1 " Grey	"	No. 93	...	...	1,000 00
1 " Grey	"	No. 248	...	...	1,000 00
1 " Grey	"	No. 249	...	...	1,000 00
1 " Elgin	"	No. 119	...	...	1,000 00
Deposit Receipt, Bank Montreal					\$36,471 67
21 Shares Dominion Stock, No. 0421	...	...	...	...	750 00
					2,100 00
					<u>\$60,617 17</u>

SUSTENTATION FUND.

5 Mortgages, covering the sum of	\$3,590 50
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Debentures—

2	Government Debentures, Nos. 04325 and 04326	...	\$	973	34
1	" " No. 02605	1,216	66
2	County Frontenac " No. 15	...	...	500	00
4	" Bruce " No. 11 to 14	...	...	4,000	00
1	Corporation St. George's Church, Kingston	...	...	1,000	00
1	County Simcoe Debentures, No. 49	...	...	1,000	00
1	" Hastings " No. 93	...	...	476	00
6	" Grey " No. 3 to 8	...	...	6,000	00
1	" Grey " No. 94	...	...	1,000	00
3	" Elgin " Nos. 131, 132, 172	...	...	3,000	00
Deposit Receipt				...	\$19,166 00
Bank Stock				...	700 00

2 Shares	Montreal Bank, No. 364	...	...	...	\$ 438 15
4 "	Merchants' Bank, No. 1401	...	...	...	400 00
2 "	Bank of Commerce, No. 1161	...	...	...	100 00
20 "	Dominion Stock	...	...	...	<u>\$ 938 15</u>
					2,000 00
					<u>\$26,394 65</u>

DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND.

2 Government Debentures, Nos. 04280 and 04281	...	...	...	\$ 973 34
1 County Elgin Debenture, No. 120	...	...	...	1,000 00
5 shares Dominion Stock, No. 0528	\$1,973 34
15 shares Bank of Commerce Stock, No. 1189	500 00
Deposit Receipt	750 00
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3	Government Debentures, Nos. 00370, 01536, 01537	\$1,460 01	
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2	County Bruce " Nos. 9 and 10	2,000 00	
1	" Wellington" No. 4	2,000 00	
4	shares British American Insurance	100 00	
			\$6,776 67

Bank Stock—

4	Shares Merchants' Bank, No. 1400...	\$ 400 00	
4	Shares Bank of Commerce, No. 1199	200 00	
18	Shares Ontario Bank, No. 581	720 00	
			\$1,320 00
14	Shares Dominion Stock, Nos. 0425, 0527	1,400 00	
			\$13,496 67

RECTORY LANDS FUND.

Rectory of Kemptville—

6	Mortgages, covering the sum of	\$ 9,174 96	
1	County Bruce Debenture, No. 3	\$1,000 00	
$\frac{1}{2}$	" Elgin " No. 3	500 00	
1	Share Dominion Stock	100 00	
			\$1,600 00
			\$10,774 96

Rectory of Cornwall—

1	Mortgage	\$ 501 10	
2	Government Debentures, Nos. 05144, 05145	\$ 973 34	
$\frac{1}{2}$	County Simcoe " ($\frac{1}{2}$ Rectory of Augusta) No. 48	500 00	
1	" Frontenac " No. 5...	400 00	
1	" Grey " No. 10	1,000 00	
5	shares Dominion Stock, Nos. 0416, 0520	500 00	
1	County Waterloo Debenture, No. 8...	500 00	
			\$3,873 34
			\$4,374 44

Rectory of Richmond—

2	Mortgages, covering covering the principal sum of...	\$4,572 97	
1	County Frontenac Debenture, No. 6	\$ 500 00	
$\frac{1}{2}$	" Grey ($\frac{1}{2}$ Rectory of Perth) No. 9	500 00	
4	shares Dominion Stock, No. 0521	400 00	
			\$1,400 00
			\$5,972 97

Rectory of Bath—

2	Mortgages, covering the sum of	\$4,349 45	
1	County Bruce Debenture, No. 15	\$1,000 00	
1	" Simcoe " No. 47	1,000 00	
1	" Frontenac " No. 9	1,000 00	
1	" Hastings " No. 196	400 00	
1	" Waterloo " No. 9	500 00	
$\frac{1}{2}$	" Elgin " ($\frac{1}{2}$ Rectory of Kemptville)	500 00	
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Rectory of Augusta—

3 Mortgages, covering the sum of...	\$6,303 30
1 County Bruce Debenture, No. 16	\$1,000 00
1 " Frontenac " No. 7	...	...	...	...	500 00
1 " Simcoe " No. 48	...	...	...	...	500 00
1 " Hastings " No. 89	...	...	...	...	378 00
1 " " " No. 215	...	...	...	...	200 00
Deposit Receipt, Bank of Montreal	...	...	...	...	\$2,578 00
					642 00
					<u>\$9,523 30</u>

Rectory of Kingston—

19 Mortgages, covering the principal sum of ...	...	...	...	...	\$11,165 27
3 County Bruce Debentures, Nos. 4, 5 and 8	...	...	...	...	\$3,000 00
1 " Simcoe " No. 46	...	...	...	...	1,000 00
1 " Frontenac " No. 10	...	...	...	...	2,100 00
1 " Wellington " No. 3 (1/2 Rectory Napanee)	...	...	...	...	1,000 00
4 " Hastings " No. 94, 201, 202, 222...	...	...	...	...	667 00
4 " Grey " No. 92, 242, 243, 244...	...	...	...	...	4,000 00
5 " Elgin " ...	...	...	...	...	5,000 00
					<u>\$16,767 00</u>
					<u>\$27,932 27</u>

Rectory of Adolphustown and Fredericksburgh—

4 Mortgages, covering the principal sum of ..	...	...	...	...	\$9,434 00
1 County Middlesex Debenture, No. 99	...	...	...	...	\$1,000 00
2 " Hastings " No. 207 and 209...	...	...	...	...	400 00
					<u>\$1,400 00</u>
					<u>\$10,834 00</u>

Rectory of Napanee—

3 Mortgages, covering the principal sum of ...	...	...	...	...	\$6,240 27
1/2 County Wellington Debenture, No. 3 (1/2 Rectory of Kingston)	...	...	...	...	\$1,000 00
1 County Grey Debenture, No. 247	...	...	...	...	1,000 00
1 " Elgin " No. 200	...	...	...	...	1,000 00
					<u>\$3,000 00</u>
					<u>\$9,240 27</u>

Rectory of Perth—

2 Mortgages, covering a principal sum of ...	...	...	...	...	\$ 550 00
1/2 County Grey Debenture No 9 (1/2 Rectory Richmond)	...	...	...	...	\$500 00
1 " Hastings " No. 188	...	...	...	...	500 00
1 " " " No. 187	...	...	...	...	500 00
					<u>\$1,500 00</u>
					<u>\$2,050 00</u>

Rectory of Belleville--

4 Mortgages, covering a principal sum of	...	...	...	\$8,800 00
2 County Waterloo Debentures, Nos. 11 and 12	...	...	\$1,000 00	
1 " Elgin " No. 198	...	...	1,000 00	
2 " Grey " Nos. 245 and 246	2,000 00	
				\$4,000 00
Deposit Receipt, Bank Montreal	\$318 00	
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				\$ 618 00
				\$13,418 00

Examined and found correct.

 RICHARD T. WALKEM, } Auditors.
 J. MUCKLESTON, }

3rd June, 1873.

THE CLERICAL SECRETARY

*In account with the Incorporated Synod of Ontario for the
year ending 30th April, 1873.*

DR.	MISSION FUND.	CR.
To paid salaries for year	\$7,516 33	By balance in Bank Mon-
" Sundry expenses...	314 03	treal May 1st, 1872 ...
" Expenses of Depu-		" Grant from the S.P.G.
tations ...	147 97	" Parochial Collections
" Outfits ...	650 00	" Whitsunday "
" Expenses Parochial		" Advent "
Collections ...	3 80	" Missionary Meetings...
" Collection on cheque	13	" Algoma Bishopric ...
" Express charges...	50	
To transferred to Sunday		
School Fund ...	594 01	
To balance Bank Montreal	1,562 93	
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DR.		SUSTENTATION FUND.	Cr.
To investments ...	\$4,671 20	By balance in Bank Mon-	
To paid premium on De-		treas May 1st, 1872... \$	624 02
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accrued interest on		Investments paid up ...	2,479 50
Debentures ...	60 32	Interest on investments	1,474 17
Collecting Coupons	1 28	" Bank Stock...	256 00
Income tax ...	1 38		
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Sundry expenses	96 00		
To balance Bank Montreal	3 04		
	\$4,850 54		
	By balance in Bank of Montreal May 1st, 1873, \$3.04.		\$4,850 54

DR.		EPISCOPAL FUND.	Cr.
To investments ...	\$5,240 40	By balance in Bank Mon-	
To paid sundry expenses	8 32	treas May 1st, 1872... \$	550 09
premium on De-		Interest on investments	3,982 37
bentures ...	37 92	investments paid up ...	5,000 00
accrued interest on		cash on hand...	52
Debentures ...	81 95		
Clergy Trust Fund			
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City of Hamilton			
Debenture ...	180 00		
Drawing Deeds ...	13 00		
Share Secty's salary	47 50		
Law expenses ...	133 44		
Bishop of Ontario	3,500 00		
To balance Bank Montreal	290 55		
	\$9,532 98		
	By balance in Bank Montreal May 1st, 1873, \$290.55.		\$9,532 98

DR.		WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.	Cr.
To balance due Bank Mon-		By interest on investments	\$561 60
treas May 1st, 1872	\$292 10	Collections ...	604 43
To paid Widows' pensions	890 00	Annual subscriptions	117 40
Collection on Coupons	28	Cash on hand...	14
Income tax ...	1 64	Balance due Bank of	
Share office rent ...	15 00	Montreal ...	18 45
Share Secty's salary	80 00		
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Treasurer ...	20 00		
Printing ...	3 00		
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To Balance due Bank of Montreal May 1st, 1873, \$18.45.			\$1,302 02

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" grants to Students	525 00	" Collections ... 388 29
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Fund ...	383 53	" Interest ... 48 00
" Income tax ...	61	" Grant to Bishop from
" Share Secty's salary	46 25	the S.P.G. ... 481 98
" Share office rent ...	6 57	" Deposit Receipts ... 1,100 00
" Share amt. voted		
Treasurer ...	9 00	
" printing ...	7 30	
To Balance in Bank Montreal	2 55	
	\$2,589 29	\$2,589 29

By Balance in Bank Montreal May 1st, 1873, \$2.55.

PRAYER BOOK FUND.		CR.
DR.		
To paid Depository per		By balance in Bank Mon-
Rev. T. Bousfield	\$1,192 47	treal May 1st, 1872... \$ 10 28
" sundry expenses ...	33 43	" Received on acct. sales
To balance Bank Montreal	52 00	at the Depository ... 1,267 62
	\$1,277 90	\$1,277 90
		By balance, \$52.

ASSESSMENT FUND.		CR.
DR.		
To balance due Bank Mon-		By balance due Bank Mon-
treal May 1st, 1872	\$562 10	treal May 1st, 1873... \$514 01
To paid sundry expenses:—		" Assessments paid in ... 421 50
" share Secty's salary	120 00	
" share office rent ...	22 50	
" wood for office ...	17 20	
" cutting wood ...	3 20	
" Postage ...	31 57	
" Printing ...	55 72	
" Stationery...	8 22	
" taking care office...	30 00	
" share amount voted		
Treasurer ...	30 00	
" taxes on offices ...	55 00	
	\$935 51	\$935 51

To Balance due Bank Montreal, \$514.01.

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RECTORY LANDS FUND.

DR.		RECTORY OF KEMPTVILLE.		Cr.
To investments ...	\$500 00	By recvd. from sale of lands	\$644 75	
To paid accrued interest...	3 00	" received interest ...	418 46	
" Rector ...	389 08			
" Expenses ...	6 61			
" Balance ...	164 52			
	<u>\$1,063 21</u>			<u>\$1,063 21</u>
		By balance \$164.52.		

DR.		RECTORY OF CORNWALL.		Cr.
To investments ...	\$900 00	By recvd. from investments	\$800 00	
To paid premium...	2 50	" interest on investments	251 28	
" accrued interest ...	3 75	" balance ...	389 82	
" income tax ...	61			
" collection on Coupons	41			
" Rector ...	270 26			
" Ven. H. Patton ...	111 57			
" Expenses for fore-				
closing Mortgage	138 43			
" Expenses selling land	13 57			
	<u>\$1,441 10</u>			<u>\$1,441 10</u>
To balance \$389.82.				

DR.		RECTORY OF RICHMOND.		Cr.
To investments ...	\$304 00	By balance ...	\$ 31 23	
To paid Rector ...	441 00	" recvd. from investments	304 00	
" collection on Coupons	06	" interest on "	409 83	
	<u>\$745 06</u>		<u>\$745 06</u>	

DR.		RECTORY OF KINGSTON.		Cr.
To investments ...	\$13,650 00	By recvd. from sale of land	\$7,908 63	
To paid premium on do.	65 42	" recvd. from investments	6,386 03	
" expenses on do. ...	3 30	" interest on "	1,074 91	
" expenses on valu-				
ation of land ...	35 00			
" Rector ...	958 89			
" Insurance ...	8 75			
" Collection on Coupons	56			
" Accrued interest on				
Debentures ...	188 79			
" Balance ...	458 86			
	<u>\$15,369 57</u>			<u>\$15,369 57</u>
		By balance, \$458.86,		

DR.	RECTORY OF AUGUSTA.	CR.
To balance... ..	\$ 17 36	By recvd. from investments \$942 78
To investments	842 00	" interest on " 638 33
To paid premium on do. ...	2 00	
" Rector	638 33	
To balance... ..	81 42	
	<u>\$1,581 11</u>	<u>\$1,581 11</u>

DR.	RECTORY OF BATH.	CR.
To land acct.	\$ 665 00	By balance... .. \$ 2 96
To investments	1,555 00	" recvd. from investments 1,660 00
To paid premium on invest- ments	2 50	" interest on " 555 50
" accrued interest	36 14	" Balance 571 52
" collection on Coupons ...	28	
" Rector	531 06	
	<u>\$2,789 98</u>	<u>\$2,789 98</u>
To balance, \$571.52.		

DR.	RECTORY OF ADOLPHUSTOWN AND FREDERICKSBURGH.	CR.
To balance	\$ 1 34	By received interest on investments \$389 41
To paid Rector	369 04	
To balance	19 03	
	<u>\$389 41</u>	<u>\$389 41</u>
		By balance, \$19.03.

DR.	RECTORY OF PERTH.	CR.
To investments	\$500 00	By recvd from investments \$162 00
To paid premium on do....	5 00	" interest 127 27
" collection on coupons ...	06	" Balance 343 00
" Rector	127 21	
	<u>\$632 27</u>	<u>\$632 27</u>
To Balance, \$343.		

DR.	RECTORY OF NAPANEE.	CR.
To balance 1st May, 1872 ...	1 98	By received from sale of land \$1,500 00
To investments	\$2,010 00	" investments 559 98
To paid accrued interest...	30 74	" interest 461 02
" Telegrams... ..	15	
" Rector	434 29	
To balance... ..	43 84	
	<u>\$2,521 00</u>	<u>\$2,521 00</u>
		By balance, \$43.84.

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DR.		RECTORY OF BELLEVILLE..		CR
To investments ...	\$4,956 00	By recvd. from sale of land ...	\$4,862 00	
To paid premium on do....	40 98	" recvd. from investments	343 98	
" accrued interest ...	81 47	" interest on investments	172 50	
" expenses of valuation of land ...	57 26			
" telegram ...	30			
" Rector ...	160 02			
To balance ...	82 45			
	<u>\$5,378 48</u>			

DR.		GENERAL ACCOUNT.		CR.
To paid sundry expenses	\$225 16	By balance...	\$1,061 16	
To Debit balance 1st May, 72	836 00			
	<u>\$1,061 16</u>			
To Balance, \$1,061.16.			<u>\$1,061 16</u>	

DR.		GENERAL PURPOSE FUND.		CR.
To paid for printing Journal of Synod...	\$185 50	By Balance in Bank of Montreal May 1st, 1872	\$426 28	
To balance ...	240 78			
	<u>\$426 28</u>			
Balance in Bank of Montreal May 1st, 1873,	\$240.78.		<u>\$426 28</u>	

Examined and found correct.

RICHARD T. WALKEM, }
J. MUCKLESTON, } Auditors.

3rd June, 1873.

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ANNUAL COLLECTIONS TO BE MADE BY EACH CLERGYMAN HAVING
CURE OF SOULS IN THE DIOCESE OF ONTARIO.

Whitsunday, for Mission Fund.

Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity, for Divinity Students' Fund.

First Sunday in Advent, for Mission Fund.

Fifth Sunday in Lent, for Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

COLLECTIONS MADE IN THE DIOCESE OF ONTARIO DURING THE YEAR ENDING 30th APRIL, 1873.

COLLECTIONS FOR MISSION FUND.

COLLECTIONS MADE IN THE DIOCESE OF ONTARIO DURING THE YEAR ENDING 30th APRIL, 1873.

COLLECTIONS FOR MISSION FUND.													
No.	Parish or Mission.	Whitsunday 1872.	Advent.	Missionary Meetings.	Parochial Collections.	Total from each Station.	Total from Parish.	Diarity Students.	Widows and Orphans.	Synod Assess- ment, 1873.	Total from each Station for year.	Grand Total.	Name of Clergyman.
1	Adolphustown	\$1 86	\$1 39	\$4 35	\$49 70	\$57 30	.....	\$1 71	\$1 00	\$5 00	\$65 01	.....	.....
2	Fredericksburgh	2 64	2 10	5 19	44 71	54 64	\$111 94	2 54	2 10	.....	59 28	\$124 29	Rev. R. Harding.
3	Amherst Island	4 29	5 88	23 35	57 05	90 57	90 57	3 50	6 95	5 00	106 02	106 02	" C. E. Cartwright.
4	Amprior	1 70	7 10	7 75	.....	16 55	16 55	3 00	.....	5 00	24 55	24 55	" E. W. Beaven.
5	Almonte	4 14	9 08	93 28	13 00	119 50	.....	8 82	11 16	7 00	146 48	.....	.....
6	Clayton	1 45	2 57	62 97	.....	66 99	186 49	3 43	2 41	.....	72 83	219 31	" J. K. McMorine.
7	Augusta	4 00	3 32	20 00	35 00	.....	.....	3 25	3 00	6 00	.....	.....	" R. Lewis,
8	Sunday School .....	.....	.....	14 00	.....	76 32	76 32	.....	2 65	5 00	88 57	88 57	.....
9	Barriefield	2 25	4 10	15 28	32 25	53 88	.....	1 75	.....	.....	63 28	.....	" T. A. Parnell.
10	Birmingham's	1 50	2 15	10 91	25 50	40 06	93 94	1 10	1 78	.....	42 94	106 22	" H. E. Pices.
11	Bath	3 00	8 00	20 00	20 00	51 00	51 00	4 50	3 00	6 00	64 50	64 50	Ven. H. Patton.
12	Belleville, St. Thomas	19 75	21 75	65 02	50 00	156 52	156 52	21 25	32 73	20 00	230 50	230 50	Rev. H. Caulfield.
13	" Christ Church	9 16	.....	18 86	.....	28 02	28 02	.....	.....	.....	28 02	28 02	" F. R. Tane.
14	Brockville	13 00	26 00	65 33	140 96	245 29	245 29	.....	26 50	20 00	291 79	291 79	.....
15	Beachburgh	90	.....	1 58	5 50	7 98	.....	.....	1 21	.....	9 19	.....	.....
16	Westmeath .....	.....	.....	1 05	3 75	4 80	.....	1 00	.....	.....	5 80	.....	.....
17	Stafford, St. Stephen's .....	.....	.....	2 25	1 01	17 86	.....	.....	.....	.....	17 86	.....	.....
18	Forrester's Falls .....	.....	.....	4 00	.....	4 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 00	.....	.....
19	Cobden .....	.....	.....	.....	4 25	4 25	38 89	.....	.....	.....	4 25	41 10	" J. H. Simpson.

COLLECTIONS IN THE DIOCESE OF ONTARIO—Continued.

COLLECTIONS FOR MISSION FUND.										Name of Clergyman.	
Parish or Mission.	Whitsunday 1872.	Advent.	Missionary Meetings.	Parochial Collections.	Total from each Station.	Total from Parish.	Intimity Students.	Widows' and Orphans.	Synod Assess- ment, 1873.		Total from each Station for year.	Grand Total.
12 Cornwall	14 07	12 37	70 30	70 40	167 14	.....	16 65	20 59	12 00	216 38	.....
" Sunday School .....	.....	.....	16 05	.....	16 05	.....	.....	.....	.....	16 05	.....
Charlottenburg .....	.....	.....	.....	14 92	14 92	.....	.....	.....	.....	14 92	.....
Eamer's Corners .....	.....	.....	15 90	13 90	29 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	29 80	.....
Moulhnette.....	3 00	6 00	24 14	41 50	74 64	.....	6 74	4 18	.....	85 56	.....
" Sunday School .....	.....	.....	14 00	.....	14 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	14 00	.....
Barnhart's Island.....	.....	.....	.....	10 57	10 57	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 57	.....
Eamer's, 8th Con. ....	.....	.....	.....	10 95	10 95	338 07	.....	.....	.....	10 95	398 23
Carleton Place.....	5 65	4 50	11 34	52 32	74 81	.....	.....	4 72	7 00	86 53	.....
Innisville	6 65	4 50	8 60	50 00	69 75	144 56	.....	3 28	.....	73 03	159 56
Clark's Mills.....	3 00	6 75	16 81	9 45	36 01	.....	90	3 71	5 00	45 62	.....
Newburgh.....	1 01	1 18	4 43	2 75	9 37	.....	41	1 18	.....	10 96	.....
Orange Hall.....	1 57	1 07	.....	.....	2 64	.....	.....	94	.....	3 58	.....
Yarker .....	.....	78	.....	.....	78	48 80	56	89	.....	2 23	62 39
15 Carrying Place.....	3 12	6 00	19 00	26 10	54 22	.....	5 62	6 29	5 00	71 13	.....
" Sunday School .....	.....	.....	8 55	.....	8 55	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 55	.....
Consecon.....	22	43	1 84	22 80	25 29	.....	46	27	.....	26 02	.....
Ameliasburgh	1 21	1 37	2 45	27 00	32 03	120 09	1 22	1 80	.....	35 05	140 75
Cumberland.....	1 30	1 00	10 00	42 00	54 80	.....	4 50	2 00	.....	61 30	.....
" Sunday School .....	.....	.....	2 01	.....	2 01	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 01	.....
Russell	1 93	3 25	14 03	23 45	42 06	.....	1 50	1 15	.....	45 31	.....
Canaan .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

17	Navan.....	2 40	2 95	15 11	34 70	55 16	154 63	1 75	1 10	.....	53 01	167 38	" T. Garrett.
	Eganville .....	.....	.....	4 30	.....	4 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 30	.....	" Vacant.
18	Wilberforce .....	.....	.....	2 80	14 60	17 40	21 70	.....	.....	.....	17 40	21 70	" Vacant.
	Fitzroy, St. George's	2 76	2 95	5 17	70 97	81 85	.....	.....	.....	.....	90 31	.....	" Vacant.
	" S. Paul's.....	66	52	.....	.....	1 18	83 03	1 00	2 46	.....	1 86	92 17	Rev. D. P. Merritt.
19	Franktown	2 94	9 88	.....	27 50	40 32	.....	68	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Consecon.	22	43	1 84	22 80	29 23	1 22	1 80	35 05	140 75	" E. H. M. Baker.
Ameliaburgh	1 21	1 37	2 45	27 00	32 03	4 50	2 00	61 30	.....
16 Cumberland	1 30	1 00	10 00	42 00	54 80	.....	.....	2 01	.....
" Sunday School	.....	.....	2 01	.....	2 01	1 50	1 15	45 31	.....
Russell	1 93	3 25	14 03	23 45	42 06	75	.....	75	.....
Canaan	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Navan	2 40	2 95	15 11	34 70	55 16	154 63	1 75	1 10	.....	58 01	167 38	" T. Garrett.
17 Eganville	.....	.....	4 30	.....	4 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 30	.....
Wilberforce	.....	.....	2 80	14 60	17 40	21 70	.....	.....	.....	17 40	21 70	Vacant.
18 Fitzroy, St. George's.	2 76	2 95	5 17	70 97	81 85	.....	1 00	2 46	5 00	90 31	.....
" St. Paul's.	66	52	.....	.....	1 18	83 03	68	.....	.....	1 86	92 17	Rev. D. P. Merritt.
19 Franktown	2 94	.....	9 88	27 50	40 32	.....	.....	5 50	5 00	50 82	.....
Prospect	.....	.....	5 79	10 75	16 54	.....	.....	1 56	.....	18 10	.....
Montague	2 40	.....	.....	17 70	20 10	.....	.....	1 90	.....	22 00	.....
Ashton	.....	.....	.....	15 50	15 50	92 46	.....	.....	.....	15 50	106 42	" A. Fisher.
20 Finch	3 60	.....	15 41	.....	19 01	.....	.....	.....	.....	19 01	.....
Roxboro'	.....	.....	5 00	.....	5 00	24 01	.....	.....	.....	5 00	24 01	Vacant.
21 Gananoque	.....	.....	26 50	.....	26 50	.....	.....	.....	7 00	33 50	.....
" Sunday School	.....	.....	15 00	.....	15 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 00	.....
Lansdowne, front	.....	.....	7 20	.....	7 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 20	.....
South Lake	.....	.....	5 25	.....	5 25	53 95	.....	.....	.....	5 25	60 95	Rev. J. Carroll.
Huntley	.....	.....	9 31	32 00	41 31	.....	.....	.....	.....	41 31	.....
Hazeldean	.....	.....	18 04	36 05	54 09	.....	.....	.....	.....	54 09	.....
Carp	.....	.....	24 00	.....	24 00	119 40	.....	.....	.....	24 00	119 40	" C. P. Mulvany.
23 Hawkesbury	24 50	13 95	45 00	25 00	108 45	.....	25 00	21 74	7 00	162 19	.....
" Sunday School	.....	.....	15 14	.....	15 14	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 14	.....
L'Orignal	1 50	65	15 00	5 00	22 15	.....	.....	3 46	.....	25 61	.....
Alfred	.....	.....	7 25	9 05	16 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	16 30	.....
Plantagenet	.....	.....	7 00	5 00	12 00	174 04	.....	.....	.....	12 85	232 09	" E. P. Crawford.
24 Hillier	7 40	3 00	14 90	52 36	82 66	.....	.....	85	.....	102 60	.....
Wellington	2 21	3 41	8 88	26 93	41 43	.....	3 30	5 02	7 00	49 75	.....
Gerow Gore	2 42	3 60	4 97	23 58	34 57	158 66	4 00	3 21	.....	41 78	194 13	" C. H. Mockridge.
25 Kingston, St. George's	27 74	50 59	53 00	234 05	365 38	.....	37 51	50 00	32 00	484 89	.....
" Sunday School	.....	.....	11 05	.....	11 05	376 43	.....	.....	.....	11 05	495 94	Very Rev. Jas. Lyster.
26 " St. James'	5 00	10 31	6 50	32 50	54 31	.....	4 85	10 07	8 00	77 23	.....
" Sunday School	.....	.....	19 68	.....	19 68	73 99	.....	.....	.....	19 68	96 91	Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick.
27 " St. Paul's	7 00	8 42	12 26	64 87	92 55	.....	5 00	11 00	16 00	124 55	.....
" Sunday School	.....	.....	10 00	.....	10 00	102 55	.....	.....	.....	10 00	134 55	" J. A. Mulock.
28 " All Saints'	1 70	2 90	5 58	14 79	24 97	24 97	2 37	2 28	5 00	34 62	34 62	" T. Bousfield.

COLLECTIONS IN THE DIOCESE OF ONTARIO—Continued.

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36	March, North	4 30	3 05	7 35	50 00	64 70	192 73	3 00	3 35	71 05	209 43	"	W. B. Carey.
	Weir's School House.	9 00	29 75	38 75	2 00	40 75		
37	Matilda	.....	.....	16 60	.....	16 60	.....	.....	2 71	9 31	.....	
	" Sunday School	.....	.....	11 00	.....	11 00	.....	.....	.....	11 00	.....	
38	Edwardsburgh	.....	.....	25 50	.....	25 50	53 10	.....	2 29	27 79	58 10	"	G. A. Anderson.
	Merrickville	13 10	8 40	25 00	54 47	100 97	.....	10 00	7 00	7 00	124 97	"	C. Forest.
39	Burritt's Rapids	.....	4 60	16 20	37 43	58 23	159 20	6 00	6 00	5 00	195 20	"	S. Tighe.
	Marysburgh	.....	.....	4 35	.....	4 35	.....	.....	.....	8 55	17 90	"	F. H. McKenzie.
40	Milford	.....	.....	8 55	.....	8 55	12 90	.....	.....	.....	.....	"	A. W. Cooke.
41	Mountain	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	"	J. J. Bogert.
	North Augusta	2 05	2 00	5 00	53 35	62 40	.....	4 50	3 00	69 90	.....	"	F. L. Stephenson.
	" Sunday School	.....	.....	10 00	.....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	43 82	.....	"	A. J. O'Loughlin.
	" St. James	1 10	1 10	5 17	22 00	29 37	.....	1 25	95	8 00	243 42	"	J. A. Morris.
42	St. Andrew's	1 05	1 00	5 00	17 65	24 70	126 47	80	55	36 27	.....	"	G. N. Higginson.
	Napancee	19 86	14 35	34 60	48 75	117 56	.....	19 18	19 75	168 49	.....	"	J. S. Lauder.
	" Sunday School	.....	.....	23 11	.....	23 11	.....	.....	.....	23 11	.....	"	T. B. Jones.
	Selby	.....	1 65	6 07	29 78	37 50	.....	3 62	2 70	43 82	.....	"	The Bishop.
	Salmon River	1 20	.....	4 00	.....	5 20	183 37	1 20	1 60	5 00	34 83	"	Rev. W. Fleming.
43	Newboro'	2 32	3 75	10 57	35 00	51 64	.....	3 35	3 70	36 27	.....	"	Rev. R. Garrett.
	Portland	81	1 25	7 97	26 91	36 94	.....	83	50	.....	.....	"
44	New Boyne	1 05	1 00	5 75	24 70	32 50	121 08	1 53	80	.....	.....	"
	North Gower	.....	2 00	13 01	40 12	55 13	.....	.....	2 00	72 13	.....	"
	Kars	.....	1 60	12 10	30 03	43 13	.....	.....	1 00	45 13	.....	"
	Vaughan's, 1st line	.....	.....	.....	7 95	7 95	106 21	.....	.....	8 95	.....	"
45	Nepcan-Hopper's	5 00	.....	8 09	9 09	22 18	.....	.....	.....	23 52	.....	"
46	New Edinburgh	.....	18 50	24 30	36 00	78 80	22 18	1 34	.....	95 70	.....	"
47	Ottawa, Christ Church	23 19	33 31	66 00	134 00	256 50	78 80	11 50	5 40	336 19	.....	"
	" Sunday School	.....	.....	25 00	.....	25 00	.....	22 82	36 87	20 00	361 19	"	
48	" St. Alban's	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	281 50	.....	.....	25 00	.....	"
49	Bishop's Chapel	21 25	20 60	16 30	42 50	100 05	100 05	13 00	26 56	15 00	154 61	"	
50	Osgoode	81 50	72 10	103 65	200 65	457 90	457 90	25 00	66 00	20 00	568 90	"	
	" (front)	2 50	3 00	18 00	9 00	32 50	32 50	.....	2 00	34 50	.....	"
51	Osnabruck	5 50	6 00	16 38	44 50	72 38	5 00	4 50	5 00	86 88	"	
	" (rear)	10 05	10 05	82 43	10 05	"	

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PETITION FROM KEMPTVILLE, HAWKESBURY AND MARYS- BURGH.

The Committee to whom were referred the Memorials from the Rector and Vestry of St. James' Church, Kemptville, from the Incumbent and Churchwardens of St. John's Church, North Marysburgh, and from the Incumbent of Hawkesbury, and the Missionary in charge of Plantagenet, beg to report :

That as to the Memorial from Kemptville, they see no objections to the proposed sale of the east half of Lot No. 15 in the Sixth Concession of Oxford and the four building lots in Kemptville, and that the proceeds be applied as indicated in the Memorial.

That as to the Memorial from Hawkesbury and Plantagenet, they would recommend the sale of the fifty acres of the north half of Lot No. 18 in Seventh Concession of North Plantagenet, and not heretofore sold for taxes, and the proceeds to be invested in the manner asked for in the Memorial and that the Land Committee be empowered to carry out these sales in such manner and for such prices as they may deem advisable.

That as to the Memorial from North Marysburgh, the Committee do not deem it expedient to dispose of the property referred to, but would recommend that the matter be brought by the Incumbent before the Executive Committee.

All which is respectfully submitted.

HY. PATTON, Chairman.