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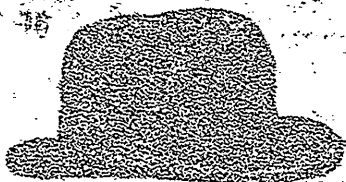
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THE DIOCESAN SYNOD.

In the February number of the Magazine we reported that the Executive Committee had considered the question of the meeting of Synod this year, and had decided that a meeting was not necessary; unless some unforeseen contingency should arise. This contingency has arisen, and the Synod is summoned to meet in Calgary on Wednesday, the 30th. day of July, and following days.

The Synod is the governing body of the Church in this Diocese. It is an incorporated body, under an Ordinance of the North West Territories; and is composed of the Bishop, the Clergy licensed by him, and representatives of the laity, called Lay Delegates. The Lay Delegates are elected by male Communicants of each Parish, at a meeting of Communicants summoned for the purpose; and the number elected depends on the number of communicants (male and female) on the roll of the Parish. Any congregation having over 6 Communicants on the roll may send one Delegate; if the number exceeds 40 it may send two; and three if the number exceeds 100. To become valid every act or resolution of the Synod must receive the assent of the Bishop and a majority of the votes of the members present; in the case of two members desiring it the vote must be taken of the Clergy and Lay Delegates separately, when a majority of the votes of each order is required.

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The meeting then adjourned to meet on July 2nd, the Bishop closing with the Benediction.

THE DIOCESAN SYNOD.

In the February number of the Magazine we reported that the Executive Committee had considered the question of the meeting of Synod this year, and had decided that a meeting was not necessary; unless some unforeseen contingency should arise. This contingency has arisen, and the Synod is summoned to meet in Calgary on Wednesday, the 30th. day of July, and following days.

The Synod is the governing body of the Church in this Diocese. It is an incorporated body, under an Ordinance of the North West Territories; and is composed of the Bishop, the Clergy licensed by him, and representatives of the laity, called Lay Delegates. The Lay Delegates are elected by male Communicants of each Parish, at a meeting of Communicants summoned for the purpose; and the number elected depends on the number of communicants (male and female) on the roll of the Parish. Any congregation having over 6 Communicants on the roll may send one Delegate; if the number exceeds 40 it may send two; and three if the number exceeds 100. To become valid every act or resolution of the Synod must receive the assent of the Bishop and a majority of the votes of the members present; in the case of two members desiring it the vote must be taken of the Clergy and Lay Delegates separately, when a majority of the votes of each order is required.

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desire that they should make use of this privilege to the fullest extent. We desire every parish to be represented by responsible members of its Laity. To this end the laymen of every Parish should take an interest in the election of its delegates; and, as far as possible, select men who will attend the meetings of the Synod, and take an intelligent interest in the matters which are proposed for the welfare and advancement of the Church. The approaching meeting of Synod, to which the Delegates, through the respective Clergy, have been summoned is, in some respects, the most important that has been held since the Organization of the Diocese; and it will be a meeting in which the presence and advice of intelligent laymen is more than ever desired.

The Diocese is at present at a most important point in its history; it is on the eve of separation as an independent Diocese, and its responsibilities become therefore so much greater. The Synod will have to consider the whole question of the financial maintenance of the See, execute deeds of trust, and make permanent arrangements for the proper investment and management of the Endowment.

Then the question of obtaining a See House will have to be considered; a recommendation on this subject will be sent up from the Executive Committee.

The work of the Church since the last meeting of Synod will be reviewed, and plans for the future considered; every opportunity is afforded for the free discussion of matters regarding the Church's welfare.

The work of the Synod of Calgary is carried on in an unusually harmonious way; there has never been anything of the nature of "squabbling" as is not unknown elsewhere; the Clergy and Laity work together, and the unseemly spectacle of one order pulling against the other is never seen. In the whole

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13 years of its existence, the Synod has never yet had a vote by Orders, although it only requires the demand of two members. We are glad to feel that this has been the case, and hope it may long continue. It would be strange indeed if there were no differences of opinion on many matters; but so long as the discussions are carried on in a kindly spirit, each man giving his neighbour credit for honesty in his opinion, so long will the proceedings continue to be harmonious, and the influence of the Church increased.

It remains to be added, that the Sessions of the Synod are open to the Public, so that all may attend and see and hear for themselves what has been done, and what it is proposed to do.

All Clergy and Lay Delegates, who intend to be present at the Synod, must send their names to the Secretary, the Rev. W. F. Webb, Calgary, not later than July 20th., if they desire hospitality to be provided.

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CALGARY. Church of the Redeemer.

Rector:- *The Very Rev. E. C. Paget, D.D., Dean.*

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