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FIRST DAY.

TUESDAY, June 20th, 1871.

The Synod of the Diocese of Toronto, in obedience to the summons of the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, assembled for Divine Service in St. James's Cathedral, on Tuesday, June 20th, 1871, at 10 o'clock, A.M. Morning Prayer was said by the Rev. Canon Beaven, D.D.; the Lessons were read by the Rev. Canon Dixon, B.A., and the Rev. J. B. Worrell, M.A. The Ante-Communion Service was said by the Ven. the Archdeacon of Toronto, and the Rev. Rural Dean Givins. The Sermon was preached by the Rev. V. Clementi, B.A., from the text 1st Cor. iv. 2. The Lord Bishop of Toronto celebrated the Holy Communion, being assisted in the administration of the elements by the Very Rev. the Dean of Toronto, the Ven. the Archdeacon of Toronto, the Rev. Rural Dean Geddes, and the Rev. Rural Dean Givins.

At 2.30 p. m., the Synod assembled for the transaction of business, in St. James's School-House, the Right Rev. the Lord Bishop, President, in the chair.

The Clerical Secretary called over the roll of the Clergy, when the following reverend gentlemen answered to their names:—

Rovs. Alexander (J.L.), Allen, Ambery, Arnold, Baker, Baldwin, Ball, Ballard, Bates, Beaven, Beck, Belt, Bethune, (C. J. S.), Bethune, (F. A.), Boddy, Boultbee, Brent, Briggs, Broughall, Bull, Burt, Carry, Cartwright, Cayley, Chance, Clarke, Clementi, Cooper, (H. C.), Cooper, (W. E.), Cooper, (H. D.), Creighton, Darling, Davidson, Davies, Day, Dixon, Fessenden, Fidler, Flood, Forster, Fuller, Geddes, Givins, Grant, Grasett, Greene, (T.), Greene, (R.), Gribble, Groves, Hall, Harris, Harrison, Haskew, Hebden, Henderson, Hill, (G. S. J.), Hill, (A. C.), Hill, (R), Hindes, Hodge, Holland, Hosken, Jephcott, Johnson, (C. C.) Jones, (W.) Jones, (W. H.), Jones, (S.), Langtry, Lett, Logan, Machin, Middleton, Morgan, Mosley, Murphy, Mussen, Maccarther, Mackenzie, (W. J.), MacLeod, Macnab, (A.,) Macnab, (A. N.), McCollum, McMurray, Nesbitt, Newton, O'Meara, Osler, (F. L.), Osler, (H. B.), Palmer, Paterson, Read, Ritchie, Robarts, Ruttan, Scadding, Shanklin, Shaw, Smithett, Stennett, Stimson, Strong, Sutherland, Taylor, Tocque, Tremayne, Trew, Vicars, (John), Vicars, (Johnstone), Walker, Westney, Whitaker, Williams, . Wilson, Worrell, Wray, Wright.

The Lay Secretary called over the roll of the Lay Representatives, when the following gentlemen answered to their names:—

Messrs. W. Hanna, T. Little, S. J. Van Koughnet, T. K. Morgan, D. Loney, A. Miller, C. J. Campbell, D. McCarthy, R. Power, A. Ardagh, W. Farmer, G. Hallen, R. Snelling, F. J. Joseph, G. J. Mason, H. T. Wickham, W. B. Read, J. Ireton, G. Green, I. M. Chafee, J. Roper, Wm. McLaughlin, J. Cummings, T. Magrath, F. Farncomb, Hon. A. A. Burnham, A. Hewson, Dr. Stephen, W. A. Parlane, J. W. McCleary, G. R. Coleman, C. Dundas, Capt. Harris, J. Goldthorpe, R. Cotton, J. Carter, R. J. Cole, C. R. Loscombe, T. J. Jones, H. Sylvester, Dr. Hodgins, C. J. Blomfield, C. Knowlson, B. Goldthorpe, E. C. Fisher, W. Magrath, A. S. Holland, G. Lewis, W. W. Rowe, J. Duggan, G. S. Burrell, C. Donaldson, W. Gurney, J. C. Chadwick, A. A. Baker, H. Thompson, F. W. Cumberland, Hon. H. B. Bull, W. Powis, F. W. Gates, F. E. Kilvert, Hon. G. W. Allan, B. Haldan, J. Dobson, P. Gregory, S. Dice, I. Davidson, S. W. Farrell, A. R. Boswell, G. Pingle, H. G. Collins, F. W. Kingstone, C. Gamble, T. Rixon, J. Cowin, W. Joyce, A. Cameron, R. Spratt, W. Gamble, Dr. Playter, J. W. Ball, J. B. Plumb, W. Strickland, G. Thompson, H. Ross, J. A. Butterfield, J. W. Williams, W. Y. Pettit, C. S. Gzowski, G. H. Grierson, Col. R. B. Denison, E. Hallen, E. Henderson,

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CERTIFICATES OF LAY REPRESENTATIVES.

The Rev. A.J. Broughall, and Col. R. L. Denison, the Committee appointed by the Executive Committee to receive the certificates of the Lay Representatives, presented their Report, which was read by the Rev. A. J. Broughall, and handed over to the Court on Contested Seats. (It will be found in the Appendix, with the Report of the Court to which it was referred.)

COURT ON CONTESTED SEATS.

The Clerical Secretary announced that the Lord Bishop had, under his hand and seal, appointed the following members of the Synod to be a Court on Contested Seats:—The Chancellor of the Diocese, or, in his absence, the Registrar (Mr. S. B. Harman), ex officio, Messrs. R. A. Harrison, and W. Gamble, and the Revs. Canon Read and G. A. Bull. In the absence of Mr. R. A. Harrison, the Lord Bishop appointed Mr. D. B. Read a member of the Court.

THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS.

The Lord Bishop then delivered the following address:— Reverend Brethren, and Brethren of the Laity:

The events of the past year, as affecting the welfare of our beloved Church, are of great interest and importance. But before I touch upon those of a more general character, I must set before you what refers to its condition and progress in this Diocese.

Since I last addressed you, five clergymen have removed from this Diocese, and one has felt it his duty to transfer his services to the Grammar School at Port Hope, connected with Trinity College. But, in that interval, we have received ten clergymen into this Diocese; four from England, two from the United States, three from the Diocese of Huron, and one from the Diocese of Ontario. Four of these clergymen are employed as curates in this city, and the others are serving country missions.

During the past twelve months the division of several of our larger missions has been effected. The Incumbent of Waterdown, by relinquishing two of his more distant stations, has enabled me to appoint a clergyman to these, in conjunction with some neighboring places, to which, previously, it was found impossible to afford adequate attention.

The too extensive mission of Oro, Medonte, and parts adjacent, has been so far divided as to allow of the settlement of a clergyman at Shanty Bay, with three other stations in charge. This arrangement has enabled the Missionary, recently in charge of the whole, in some degree to concentrate his work, and extend occasional services in the direction of the Muskoka Territory.

The large and laborious mission of Maryboro' and Peel has been relieved of the station at Alma; and the village of Arthur has been separated from the mission of Mount Forest. Alma and Arthur now constitute a new mission, and it will be possible to annex to them some contiguous stations. Two or three other large missions are ready for a similar division, so soon as clergymen can be obtained to supply the separated portions.

On the 9th October last I held an Ordination in St. Stephen's Church, in this City, when three were ordained Deacons and five were admitted to the Priesthood. Two of those admitted to Deacons' Orders were sent to supply vacancies, and the other has undertaken an extensive and laborious charge in the new settlements around and to the north of Lake Rosseau, in the County of Simcoe.

To provide for certain special and pressing cases, an Ordination was held in St George's Church in this City, on the 18th of the present month, when two were admitted Deacons and one ordained to the Priesthood. The remote position of the mission of the latter gentleman rendered his immediate ordination most desirable, as it had been found difficult to obtain the services of a clergyman in Priest's Orders by exchange

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or otherwise. One of the Deacons is appointed to the temporary charge of St. Thomas' Church, Hamilton, rendered necessary by the lamented illness of the Rev. Dr. Neville, and the other is designed for a mission on the north shore of Georgian Bay, provided for through the liberality of Mr. Dodge, with a view to meet the spiritual wants of his numerous workmen in that direction.

We have to lament in the past year the death of the Reverend Bold Cudmore Hill. This occurred in the month of October last, and . was the consequence of an accident which befel him in the discharge of his duties. For more than thirty years he had pursued his missionary work, on the shores, and in the neighbourhood of the Grand River, with the village of York as its centre; and the number of services he performed, and the miles he travelled, in the course of a single week, and continuously throughout the year, have no parallel in the annals of our Diocese. Though at the time of his death he had passed his seventyfirst year, his energy and activity seemed to be unimpaired, and he had relaxed from none of the laborious duties he had undertaken. He was of considerable attainments as a scholar; and, hospitable, genial and obliging, he was an agreeable as well as instructive companion. He was a man of unfeigned piety and blameless life; and he carried to the grave the love and respect of his parishioners, and of all others that knew him.

We have also to regret the death of the Reverend John Pentland, which occurred a few weeks ago. Mr. Pentland, having left the Army in which he was an officer, came to this country about the close of the year 1841, and was placed in charge of the mission of Whitby. He laboured very zealously through the whole township, until the division of the mission in 1863, when he assumed the pastoral care of Oshawa, and its neighbourhood. His health, already impaired, now declined so much that, in less than two years from his settlement at this place, he was obliged to retire from the active work of the ministry. His earlier labours were much appreciated, and were very earnestly pursued. He never spared himself at the call of duty, and endeared himself much to his parishioners by his kind and obliging disposition.

The changes and casualties that have been related,—after every effort to adopt our supply to our need,—caused some important missions to remain for some time vacant; and, at the present moment, one is still unsupplied.

Early in July last year I resumed my Confirmation journeys, which comprehended the more northerly portions of the Diocese. Manitoulin Island, in consequence of the recent settlement of the missionary there, was not ready for a Confirmation; but I paid very interesting visits to Sault Ste. Marie, Garden River, and the Bruce Mines. At the Sault Ste. Marie a handsome and substantial church has been commenced, and I hope to be able to place a clergyman there during the present year, who can render occasional services at Bruce Mines, until it shall become possible to furnish this also with a resident clergyman.

During the progress of these journeys, during the past year, I consecrated seven churches; while many others throughout the Diocese will soon be ready for this ceremonial. Amongst these is a new church in this city, and another in its northern environs. They have been built within the last twelve months, and each is supplied with a clergyman.

Up to the present time, since my last address to you, I have held confirmations at 77 places, and admitted to that rite 643 males and 944 females—in all 1,587. This makes the whole number confirmed, since my entrance upon the Episcopal office in 1867, 7,282.

This is a cheering retrospect; but it would fail of its full gratification, if we regarded numbers alone in our contemplation of the confirmed. There is to be discerned, far and wide, a growing appreciation of the value of this ordinance as a Divine institution, and a channel of heavenly grace. The young have been led so to view it; and it forms, in the lives of very many, an occasion on which to start afresh in the earnest work of the Christian life, and with a better recognition of all their moral and religious obligations. This increased interest is testified also in the large congregations which—on week-days and at the busiest seasons of the year—are gathered on these occasions; and in the fact that, at almost every administration of that rite, a number present themselves who had recently belonged to other communions.

This we shall regard as an earnest of the healthful progress of the Church in every quarter where its ministrations are zealously and judiciously supplied. If we lose too many of our members in consequence of the absence of such ministrations, our brethren of the Laity will permit me to say that the responsibility rests upon them more than upon the Clergy. We of necessity look to their voluntary zeal and liberality to a be supported themselves to comparatively of society in I ministry. amongst the 1 employments est in social p profession off none of the r aim at earthly pre-eminent s mankind. T and all the ho

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liberality to supply the means by which the ministers of Christ are to be supported; and we look to them, too, for the men who are to devote themselves to the ministry. It is much to be lamented that so few, comparatively, from amongst the wealthy and more influential classes of society in this country, devote themselves to the sacred work of the ministry. It cannot arise from any impression that it ranks not amongst the most honorable of professions, and the most gratifying of employments; for, in all ages, it has obtained the services of the highest in social position and in intellectual gifts. If it be that the clerical profession offers, in this country at least, no promise of wealth, and none of the rewards which lure the ambitious and urge on those who aim at earthly distinction, it affords the opportunity, and with it the pre-eminent satisfaction, of being in the most exalted sense useful to mankind. The consciousness of this is superior to all the satisfactions and all the honors that the world can confer.

Connected with what we are privileged to say, of an encouraging character, in regard to Church progress in this Diocese during the past year, it is very gratifying to be able to state that, in many places, laudable efforts have been made to increase the stipends of the clergy; and to mark the appreciation of their services and add to their comforts, by special gifts. This, we trust, is but the commencement of a general movement in that direction; the first-fruits, we shall believe, of the cordial approbation expressed by this Synod last year, of the proposal that in every instance the stipend of a missionary in full orders should not be less than \$800 per annum.

A plan recently adopted by the Diocesan Mission Board for giving practical efficacy to this laudable intention, and for carrying out more effectually the objects of the appointment of that Board, will be laid before the Synod. The plan cannot fail of success if the missions themselves are but true to the desire of having faithful clergymen, and of securing their services by furnishing a liberal and punctually paid stipend.

And here I cannot refrain from adverting to a contemplated wrong on the part of the Legislature of this Province, in proposing to withdraw from the religious bodies within its limits certain fiscal privileges which they have long enjoyed. I allude to the exemption from taxation of the edifices, with the ground contiguous, which have been erected for public worship, and of those sacred spots set apart for the burial of the dead.

In the exemption of these, from the ordinary imposts, and in the reduction of these imposts, in the case of the stipends and residences of the ministers of religion, there has been,-what it is very gratifying to observe,-a tacit recognition of the claims and benefits of our common Christianity; an indirect acknowledgement of the duty of the State to encourage, if it cannot absolutely support, its holy and useful To withdraw this slight recognition of the beneficial ministrations. influence of religion,-where it can be manifested without exciting jealousy, or exposing to the charge of partiality, -cannot be excused on the plea by which it is attempted to be supported; because they, upon whom the expense falls of maintaining the services, and diffusing the blessed influences of religion, are actually providing these benefits to a large class in the community, who are unable, or unwilling, to supply it to themselves. It would, therefore, appear but just that the State should assume, at least, as much of this burden as would be comprehended in the remission of taxes upon churches and churchyards, and in a liberal reduction of such taxes in the case of parsonages and clerical stipends. They ought, I conceive, the more readily to make such exemptions, when they contemplate the amount of property,-originally intended for the support of religion,-which some years ago was placed at their disposal, a property whas been applied to the relief of municipalities from the very burden which they seek to re-impose upon religious communities.

And they may be further influenced to adopt this view of the case from the fact that, in the neighboring State of New York—and probably in most of the sister States—all these exemptions are enjoyed by religious bodies. In a country where the repudiation of any alliance between Church and State has long been so marked, it is gratifying to observe this recognition of the blessings of Christianity, and this encouragement of the bodies who are laboring to maintain and diffuse them. The same exemptions from taxation, I have learned, are made in the case of Colleges and Schools, whether on a public of a private foundation. The example, it is hoped, will not be lost upon us here.

It is with peculiar satisfaction that we notice the desire expressed by so many of our Lay brethren to be useful to the Clergy in conducting the services of the Church—as far as laymen legitimately can—in places to which the Clergy, unless at long intervals, cannot extend their ministrations. And it is gratifying to discover that, in view of the emergency of the case, and the benefit it ensures of a better ob-

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servance of the Lord's day, and a fitter recollection of its peculiar duties, such services are usually well peceived. I have felt it a duty, as well as a pleasure, to encourage such lay-ministrations in every quarter in which the need of them has been pointed out, and where the clergymen in charge have expressed their hearty recommendation of the individuals employed. While we cannot for a moment allow it to be thought that such ministrations are to be looked upon as a fitting substitute for the services of those duly set apart and ordained for the purpose, we shall, in the contemplation of the fewness of our authorized laborers, always gladly welcome the services of those of our lay-brethren who, from love of the Church and love of souls, are willing to undertake this good work.

A staff of such labourers,—comprising for special work devout and earnest women, as well as pious and energetic men—would be a very possible organization in almost every parish or mission. With ministrations occasionally of a more public character, they could pursue, with benefit incalculable, those unobtrusive ones of visiting the poor and the sick, and of directing the sympathies and help of all their brethren towards the alleviation of the temporal and spiritual needs which everywhere exist. This would be converting every parish or mission into a Christian brotherhood indeed. It would gradually break down that isolation of its members, in works of piety and charity, which is now so much complained of; it would blend classes together in active duties for the best welfare of all.

Amongst the subjects of interest and importance about to engage your attention, we cannot overlook what was last year the subject of earnest discussion, and on which some decision may be expected at our present Session—I mean the question of Patronage—so that appointments to Rectories and other Incumbencies may be made in accordance with recognized Episcopal rights, and with a due consideration of the interests and wishes of the congregations concerned.

I have endeavored, in all such appointments hitherto, to meet as far as possible the wishes or expectations of congregations; but the Synod will understand that, without a great sacrifice of other interests in the Church, this is not at all times possible. It is not simply the transferring to a vacant parish of a suitable and acceptable person that is attended with difficulty; but innumerable complications present themselves in supplying the vacancies thus created elsewhere. I am by no means desirous of exercising this difficult duty on my single responsibility; and,

while I contend against anything like direct and absolute popular election as most hurtful to the genuine interests of the Church, I am sensible of the need of giving a careful consideration of the special requirements of the parishes to be supplied, and of the men best suited to meet those requirements. In such consideration, I should desire to be aided; and if the counsels of the Archdeacon and Rural Dean to which the vacant parish pertains should not always be available, there are other experienced and judicious clergymen, familiar with the locality, whose aid could be obtained. I should desire that we should be joined in such consultations by two delegates chosen for this purpose by the parish to be supplied; and while such a course would have the benefit of enlisting the best practical aid in forming my own judgment, it would afford the required opportunity for the expression of the feelings and wishes of the parishioners to whom a clergyman is to be appointed.

An impulse has doubtless been given to the more vigorous and successful working of our Sunday Schools, through the very interesting Convention which was held last autumn on their behalf. The practical effects of this it is almost too soon to witness; but it cannot fail to have suggested a more systematic organization, and a more energetic working of those useful institutions. Where the opportunity afforded in the Sunday School of communicating religious instruction to the young is so short and so unfrequent, it is well that it should be employed with a strict and judicious economy, and that none of the precious minutes which are so assigned, should be misapplied or lost.

I could not advise the manifest inconvenience of a very frequent gathering of the members of the Church for deliberation upon this special department of duty; and I should regard it as quite possible to uphold the interest and benefits of the Convention that has been held, by arranging that there should, in each year, be one evening of our synodical Session devoted to that special subject. One evening has been wisely assigned for giving interest and acceleration to our Missionary work; and we must contemplate with a brightened hope such gatherings, for the important purpose of more widely diffusing the knowledge and influence of the blessed Gospel through the ministry of our Church.

Though not strictly bound by the Ecclesiastical laws of our Mother Country, or directly affected by the judgments of its Ecclesiastical Courts, we cannot feel ourselves uninterested in the proceedings of those Courts, or look unconcernedly upon the judgments they promulgate.

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We must wait, however, for further issues; and employ, in the meanwhile, a universal effort to conduct the worship and carry out the work of the Church without extremes, on the one hand, which awaken suspicion and distrust; or interpretations and acts, on the other hand, which are calculated to restrain its legitimate progress and even to suppress its life.

I am not of the opinion that it is desirable to take a public or formal notice of every aberration from what we should consider the strict line of truth and duty; but when extravagancies on the one hand, or defects on the other, are exhibited, a way can generally be found of restraining or correcting them, without the notoriety and exposure which must always be attended by irritation and injury. Moreover, consideration is to be had for convictions which may be conscientious, while they are unsound; and the hope should influence us that kindly remonstrance and friendly discussion may effect what harsh and imperative dealing would rarely produce. In words which fell from an eminent statesman, during a recent interesting debate in the Mother Country, "let it be remembered that the varying types and the varying passions of mankind require spiritual interpreters as various; that some minds will take refuge in symbols and ceremony, and others will find support in the inspirations of enthusiasm." It is also to be borne in mind that life and activity awakened in the church,—especially after a long period of lethargy and neglect, -will, from the very exuberance of resuscitated energy, drive some honest and earnest minds beyond the limits of discretion. And if we must lament such a disposition, and use our best efforts to restrain and correct it, we have the relief of feeling that it is not the result of an inherent waywardness, but the effect of a zeal and impulse which has not been duly guided and controlled.

Circumstances, however, which have occurred within the last few months, trying and embarrassing to myself, and which have created distrust and apprehension in others, compel me, with not a little reluctance, to offer a few remarks upon the indiscretions to which I have referred; and in doing so, I desire as far as possible to speak in general terms, and avoid a reference to particular cases.

First, then, permit to me say that I must regard societies or associations within the Church, which partake in any degree of a secret character, as entirely alien to the spirit of our most holy faith. "Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works," is our blessed Lord's instruction; and nothing but distrust and division

can possibly result from any attempt at concealment, whether in respect of religious belief or of religious practice. If either the one or the other is supposed to be distasteful to the many, it should still be maintained by those who esteem it, with a candour and boldness which may challenge the respect, and perchance conciliate the favour of opponents.

Again, if a Bishop is to be held responsible for the results of religious movements within his Diocese, it would appear to be nothing more than his due that he should be consulted respecting these move-There are, no doubt, ordinary and recognized institutions, existing within every parish or cure, of which a Bishop is supposed to be fully cognizant, and his interference with which would, generally speaking, be officious and unnecessary. But if organizations of an unusual character-connected with religious associations beyond the limits of the Diocese, or instituted within it, not for parochial but for Diocesan purposes—are to be established, without any reference to the Bishop's authority, and to be maintained in opposition to his judgment and counsel, it becomes apparent that his influence for good, as a centre of unity, is lost. I am fully conscious how widely the organizations which I have attempted to characterize, extend-how very different they will be found to be in their nature and in their purposes; yet I would seriously commend to the attention, both of the Clergy and Laity, whether movements, which some regard as fraught with very serious evil, can possibly be checked, except by the hearty recognition of a general rule, which shall restrict liberty of action to purposes which are, on all hands, admitted to be lawful and excellent. The Church should, in all these matters, act as a body; and the fact that she now possesses in this Synod a representative assembly, would seem to cut away every pretext for the separate action of parties amongst us.

Let me further add how necessary it is that, in respect to the most sacred and mysterious verities of our faith, eager and zealous men should consent to submit their own fancies and persuasions, or at least the language in which they venture to clothe their thoughts, to the approval of those whom God has set over them in the Church—at all events, before those words are put forth in a printed manual, for the use of societies within the Diocese, and as a guide of religious belief and practice. Truth has, again and again, been scorned and hated for the sake of the error, which has so closely intertwined itself with her, that men have held the two to be identical. And so, especially in regard to the Holy

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Supper of the Lord, language which exceeds the reverent bounds of Scripture and of our formularies, instead of enforcing, not unfrequently neutralizes the teaching of God's Word and of the Church, and leads men to deny that life-sustaining Presence, which unwise and unguarded utterances have, in their apprehension, materialized and debased.

In connection with the same unfortunate circumstances to which I have been referring, the question of Prayer for the Dead has been opened. The Church of England has maintained a judicious silence upon this subject; or has certainly expressed no words that bear upon it which could fairly be made the ground of speculative opinion or discussion. She teaches us to "bless God for all his servants departed this life in his faith and fear;" but she affects not so to unvail the secrets of the unseen world, or so to declare the condition or necessities of the departed, as to justify, or render seemly, special prayers on their behalf. There may, in individual minds, be the impulse to remember the beloved departed even in their supplications before God; but even they must feel how unwise and how perilous it would be to invest those private sacred thoughts with words that are to be spread before the world. We discover, indeed, that where such solemn privacy is violated, and expression is given to such thoughts, they are to the great mass of believers objectionable, and even repulsive. They are calculated too surely to suggest to men's minds a belief in a purgatorial condition after death, and to shake their conviction of the solemn trtuh declared by St. Paul, that "we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ; that every one may receive the things done in the body, according to that he hath done, whether it be good or bad."

The new translation of the Holy Scriptures which has been commenced, is an undertaking of interest and anxiety to a large portion of the Christian world. Of interest—because the wisest and ablest of our biblical scholars consider that the time has arrived when it would be no longer prudent to delay a revision of the received translation; for, if postponed, it might be delegated to an age with intellect more warped by a growing scepticism, and more in danger from surrounding secular influences. Of anxiety—because a new translation, however admirable, and however much to be desired, must prove a trial, yes, a shock to many a pious mind used to the phraseology of the Bible; to expressions imbedded in all our literature, and grafted in every Christian mind—assured though we are that as little variation as possible shall be adopted from the words and phrases in present use.

It is no doubt to be lamented that the acute minds and quick intelligence of many of the Divines of the Church in theneighboring United-States should not have been enlisted in this undertaking; but we may resume that opportunity will yet be given for their revision of and concurrence in it. We shall have a hope, too, that similar opportunity will be given to those who are Dissenters from our communion, as being largely interested in this undertaking. In the Colonies, it will doubtless be a general conviction that we can, with perfect confidence, leave this great and holy work in the giant hands of our fathers and brothers in the Church of the United Kingdom, and of such allies outside the Church as they may feel it dutiful to apply to.

The new Lectionary or table of Lessons to be read in Divine Service, exposes to no such risk or objection as a new translation of the Scriptures. It means simply a more judicious and more edifying adaptation of our use of the Word of God in public worship; and though some may consider any change to be unadvisable, there is almost a general persuasion that the present arrangement of Scripture lessons is susceptible of large improvement.

In conclusion, my brethren of the Clergy and Laity, I would urge upon you that, as time is valuable, and your own convenience makes it desirable that our business should be concluded within the present week, subjects should be withheld from the discussions of the Synod of which they cannot legitimately, or even usefully, take cognizance. And I trust that, in the discussions in which you will be required to take part, you will never lose the recollection that we meet here as a religious body, and for holy purposes; that you should be mindful of the charity which beareth all things and hopeth all things in the brethren from whom you may differ; and that every member of the Synod may so speak, and so act, that there shall be no upbraiding from their own consciences, and no reproach from without.

ELECTION OF HONORARY SECRETARIES.

It was moved by the Ven. Archdeacon Palmer, seeonded by the Rev. J. Davidson,

That the Rev. C. J. S. Bethune, M. A., be re-appointed Honorary Clerical Secretary.—Carried.

Moved by Col. G. T. Denison, seconded by Mr. Grierson,

That J. George Hodgins, Esq. LL. D., be re-appointed Honorary Lay Secretary - Carried.

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ELECTION OF SECRETARY-TREASURER.

Moved by the Very Rev. the Dean of Toronto, seconded by Mr Harman,

That W. P. Atkinson, Esq., be re-appointed Secretary-Treasurer .-Carried.

MINUTES OF LAST SESSION.

Moved by the Rev. Rural Dean Geddes, seconded by the Rev. Rural Dean McMurray,

That the reading of the minutes of last Session be dispensed with, as they have already been printed and circulated, and that they be hereby confirmed. - Carried.

CORRESPONDENCE.

The Clerical Secretary read a letter from Mrs. Fulford, widow of the late Metropolitan of the Province, expressing her thanks to the Synod of the Diocese, for their expressions of sympathy with her in her severe affliction.

The Clerical Secretary also read a communication from the Secretary of the Ottawa Clerical Union, respecting the present state of the law and usage respecting the issue of Marriage Licenses.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Very Rev. the Dean of Toronto presented and read the Report of the Executive Committee, and gave notice of a motion for its adoption - See Appendix B.

The Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara presented and read the Report of the Clergy Commutation Trust Committee, and gave notice of a motion for its adoption .- See Appendix C.

The Very Rev. the Dean of Toronto presented and read the Report of the Endowment of See, Rectory Lands, and Land and Investment Committee, and gave notice of a motion for its adoption .- See Appendix D.

The Clerical Secretary, on behalf of the Lord Bishop, Chairman of the Board, presented and read the Report of the Mission Board, and gave notice of a motion for its adoption.—See Appendix E.

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The Rev. Rural Dean Givins presented and read the Report of the Indian Missions Committee, and gave notice of a motion for its adoption.—See Appendix F.

The Rev. T. T. Robarts, in the absence of the Rev. H. C. Cooper, Chairman, presented and read the Report of the Widows and Orphans' Fund and Theological Students' Fund Committee, and gave notice of a motion for its adoption.—See Appendix G.

The Rev. Canon Beaven presented and read the Report of the Sunday School and Book and Tract Committee, and gave notice of a motion for its adoption.—See Appendix I.

Mr. A. H. Campbell presented and read the Report of the Audit Committee, and gave notice of a motion for its adoption.—See Appendix J.

The Lay Secretary presented and read the Report of the Special Committee on the Consolidation of the Canons, and gave notice of a motion for its adoption.—See Appendix L.

RESTRICTIONS ON ALTERATIONS IN THE CONSTITUTION.

Moved by Mr. R. A. Harrison, seconded by the Rev. Rural Dean Lett,

That any proposition for an alteration of the Constitution shall be first communicated to the Executive Committee, and be by it laid before the Synod to be considered at the ensuing meeting of the Synod, and if approved by a majority at that meeting, shall lie over till the next ensuing meeting of the Synod, and if again approved by a majority consisting of two-fhirds of both Clergy and Laity, it shall be adopted.

Note.—As this resolution was already the law of the Synod, it was not thought necessary to re-enact it; the motion was therefore lost.

ON MARRIAGE WITHIN THE PROHIBITED DEGREES.

Moved by the Rev. Canon Beaven, seconded by the Rev. the Provost of Trinity College,

That this Synod do affirm its deliberate conviction that no Clergyman of our Church is justified in celebrating Marriage between persons standing within the Prohibited Degrees of consanguinity or affinity.

Moved in amendment by Dr. Hodgins, seconded by the Rev. E. R. Stimson,

That as great uncertainty is felt among members of our Communion in this country on the subject involved in Canon Beaven's resolution, it is

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The original motion was then put and carried.

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Mr. Harman, Registrar of the Diocese, presented and read the Decision of the Court on Disputed Seats in the Synod.—See Appendix O. At 6 o'clock p. m. the Synod adjourned.

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY MEETING.

The Annual Diocesan Meeting, in connection with the Synod, took place in St. James's School House, at $7\frac{1}{2}$ o'clock p. m. The Right Reverend the Bishop of the Diocese in the Chair.

After prayer by the Rev. Rural Dean Geddes, M. A., the Bishop briefly addressed the meeting on the subject of Missionary work.

Moved by the Rev. Septimus Jones, M. A., of Toronto, seconded by the Hon. Chief Justice Draper, C. B.,

1. That the manifestation of an earnest sympathy in the missionary work of our own diocese, is an indispensable evidence of that true life, without which the Church will fail in the great duty entrusted to it by the Lord of the Harvest.—Carried.

Moved by the Rev. Dr. Paddock, of Brooklyn, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Haight, of New York,

2. That this meeting rejoices to recognize in the Branch of our Church planted in the United States, a faithful fellow-labourer with the Church of England and Ireland, in the propagation of the Gospel of Christ, and cordially desires that the moral and religious influence may become more and more prevalent in that great and powerful community, in which her lot is cast.—Carried.

After which a Hymn was sung, and the collection taken up. The Bishop then pronounced the Benediction, and the meeting separated.

SECOND DAY.

MORNING SESSION.

WEDNESDAY, June 21st, 1871.

The Synod assembled at St. James's School House, at 9.30 a.m.

After the opening prayers had been said by the Rev. Rural Dean Geddes, M. A., the Minutes of the previous day's meeting were read by the Clerical Secretary, and approved.

DELEGATES TO THE PROVINCIAL SYNOD.

Moved by the Rev. H. C. Cooper, seconded by the Rev. Dr. O'Meara,

That the following gentlemen be appointed Scrutineers to receive the ballots of the Clergy for the election of Delegates to the Provincial Synod: The Revs. A. J. Broughall and Canon Baldwin, and Mr. J. H. Perry.—Curried.

Moved by Mr. A. H. Campbell, seconded by Mr. S. H. Blake,

That the following gentlemen be appointed scrutineers, to receive the ballots of the Laity:—Sheriff Jarvis, Mr. G. Green, and the Rev. A. G. L. Trew.—Carried.

The election was then proceeded with.

TEN MINUTE RULE .-- APPOINTMENT OF ASSESSORS.

The Very Rev. the Dean of Toronto read the 4th clause of the Report of the Executive Committee, and moved that the last paragraph of it be adopted, as follows:—

That every speaker, except in moving and seconding any motion, be limited to ten minutes, and that all speakers be timed by an Assessor or Assessors, to be appointed by the Bishop, to aid in the maintenance of order and obedience to the rules of the Synod,—Carried.

The Bishop named the two Archdeacons as his Assessors.

PROVINCIAL SYNOD AND MARRIAGE WITHIN THE PROHIBITED DEGREES.

The following rider to the resolution carried on the previous day was moved by the Rev. Canon Beaven, seconded by the Rev. the Provost of Trinity College,

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That the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto respectfully requests the Provincial Synod to take measures to effectually restrain the Clergy of this Province from celebrating Marriages between persons within the prohibited degrees of consanguinity and affinity, as defined by the United Church of England and Ireland.—Carried.

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LATE VOTES FOR DELEGATES TO THE PROVINCIAL SYNOD.

Moved by Mr. D. B. Read, seconded by the Hon H. B. Bull,

That the vote of any Delegate who was not in the room till the passage of this resolution be admitted, and that the ballots be received by the Scrutineers at the hand of the Secretary-Treasurer.—Carried.

ADMISSION TO A SEAT IN THE SYNOD.

The Rev. Rural Dean Lett moved, that the Rev. W. Bleasdell, M.A., of the Diocese of Ontario, be admitted to a seat in the Synod.—Carried.

THE PATRONAGE OF THE RECTORIES.

Moved by the Rev. the Provost of Trinity College, seconded by Mr. J. W. Gamble,

That on the vacancy of any Rectory, Incumbency, or Mission within the Diocese (with the exception of Missions sustained, in whole or in part, by the Mission Board, the mode of appointment to which Missions shall continue as heretofore) the appointment to the vacancy shall rest in the Lord Bishop of the Diocese; it being, however, provided that, before making such appointment, the Bishop shall consult with Representatives of the vacant Parish or Mission elected from year to year for that purpose at the Easter Meeting, or in default of such election, with the Churchwardens and Lay-Delegates of the same (if such Lay-Delegates are resident within the said Parish or Mission).

Moved in amendment by Prof. Wilson, seconded by Mr. A. H. Campbell,

That all the words from "heretofore" in the 8th line of the printed Proceedings be expunged, and the following added:—"the nomination to the vacancy shall rest in the Congregation; it being, however, provided that, before an appointment is made, the Representatives of the vacant Parish or Mission elected from year to year for that purpose at the Easter Meeting, or in default of such election, the Churchwardens and Lay-Delegates of the same (if such Lay-Delegates are resident within the said Parish or Mission) shall consult with the Bishop, for the purpose of his advising them, and stating any objections which he may have against the proposed appointment.

DELEGATES TO THE PROVINCIAL SYNOD.

During the progress of the debate on the Patronage question, the following reports were presented:

The Rev. Canon Baldwin read the report of the Scrutineers on the vote for Clerical Delegates to represent the Diocese at the Provincial Synod next September, and announced that the following Reverend gentlemen were duly elected:

Clerical Delegates.—Rev. Provost of Trinity College, Rev. Rural Dean Geddes, Rev. Canon Beaven, Ven. Archdeacon of Toronto, Rev. W. S. Darling, Rev. C. J. S. Bethune, Rev. A. J. Broughall, Rev. Canon Brent, Rev. H. Holland, Rev. J. D. Cayley, Rev. Rural Dean Allen, Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara.

Substitutes.—Rev. W. E. Cooper, Rev. Rural Dean Givins, Very Rev. the Dean of Toronto, Rev. Rural Dean McMurray, Rev. Canon Read, Rev. Canon Baldwin.

The Rev. A. G. L. Trew read the report of the Scrutineers on the vote for Lay-Delegates to represent the Diocese at the Provincial Synod, and announced that the following gentlemen were duly elected:

Lay-Delegates.—Chief Justice Draper, Prof. Wilson, Messrs. S. H. Blake, Sheriff Jarvis, Clarke Gamble, T. M. Benson, C. S. Gzowski, B. Homer Dixon, A. H. Campbell, Dr. J. G. Hodgins, F. A. Ball and G. H. Grierson.

Substitutes.—Hon. J. H. Cameron, Messrs. S. B. Harman, F. W. Cumberland, C. J. Campbell, J. H. Perry, Hon. G. W. Allan.

At one o'clock, p.m., the Synod adjourned for an hour.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

WEDNESDAY, June 21st, 1871.

The Synod re-assembled at 2 o'clock P. M.

APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The Lord Bishop announced to the Synod that he had appointed the following gentlemen members of the Executive Committee: The Very Rev. the Dean of Toronto, Ven Archdeacon of Toronto, Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara, Rev. Rural Dean Geddes, Rev. H. C. Cooper, Hon J. H B. Homer

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Hon J. H. Cameron, Messrs. S. B. Harman, S. H. Blake, L. Moffatt, B. Homer Dixon. (For elected members of this Committee see page 41).

The Lord Bishop appointed the following gentlemen scrutineers to receive the ballots for the election of the remainder of the Executive Committee:—

For the Clerical Vote.—Rev. W. S. Darling and Mr. Grierson.
For the Laity Vote.—Rev. J. B. Worrell and Mr. S. J. Van-koughnet.

The election was then proceeded with.

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PATRONAGE OF THE RECTORIES.

The debate on the Patronage of the Rectories was then resumed. After a prolonged discussion, Prof. Wilson's amendment was put to the Synod and lost by the following vote:—

CLERICAL.—Yeas, 6; Nays, 93. Majority, 87. LAY.......: Yeas, 59; Nays, 87. Majority, 28.

It was then moved in amendment to the original resolution, by Mr H. O'Brien, seconded by the Very Rev. the Dean of Toronto,

That the following words be added to the Provost's resolution: "And that no appointment be made contrary to the expressed wishes of a majority of the Delegates.—Lost.

The Provost's resolution was then put to the vote, as follows:-

That on the Vacancy of any Rectory, Incumbency, or Mission within the Diocese (with the exception of Missions sustained, in whole or in part, by the Mission Board, the mode of appointment to which Missions shall continue as heretofore) the appointment to the vacancy shall rest in the Lord Bishop of the Diocese: it being, however, provided that, before making such appointment, the Bishop shall consult with the Churchwardens and Lay-Delegates of the vacant Parish or Mission (if such Lay-Delegates are resident within the same.)

The resolution was adopted on the following division:-

CLERICAL.—Yeas,—Revs. Alexander (J. L.), Allen, Ambery, Arnold, Baker, Ball, Ballard, Bates, Beaven, Beck, Belt, Bethune, (C. J. S.) Bethune, (F. A.), Boultbee, Brent, Briggs, Broughall, Bull, Burt, Carry, Cartwright, Cayley, Clarke, Clementi, Cooper, (H. C.), Cooper, (W. E.). Darling, Davidson, Day, Dixon, Fidler, Flood, Fuller, Geddes, Grant, Greene, (T.), Greene, (R.), Gribble, Groves, Hall, Harri-

son, Henderson, Hill, (G. S. J.), Hill, (R.), Hindes, Hodge, Holland, Jephcott, Johnson, (C. C.), Jones, (Prof.), Jones, (W. H.) Langtry, Lett, Logan, Machin, Middleton, Morgan, Mosley, Murphy, Mussen, MacKenzie, (W. J.), MacLeod, Macnab, (A.), McCollum, McMurray, Nesbitt, Newton, Osler, (F. L.), Osler, (H. B.), Paterson, Read, Robarts, Ruttan, Scadding, Shaw, Smithett, Stennett, Sutherland, Taylor, Tremayne, Trew, Vicars, (John), Vicars, (Johnstone), Walker, Westney, Whitaker, Williams, Wilson, Worrell.—89.

Nays.—Revs. Baldwin, Boddy, Chance, Fessenden, Grasett, Harris, Haskew, Jones, (S.), Maccarther, O'Meara, Palmer, Wray.—12.

LAY.—Yeas—Alma and Arthur, Ancaster and Dundas, Aurora, Barton and Glanford, Beverley, Brampton, Carleton, Clarke, Cookstown, Credit, Creemore, Dysart, Emily, Fenelon Falls, Fergus, Georgina, Grafton and Colborne, Grimsby, Gwillimbury (East), Gwillimbury (West), Christ Church (Hamilton), Innisfil, Louth and Port Dalhousie, Lowville, Markham (St. Philips'), Markham Village, Milton and Hornby, Mulmur (West), Muskoka, Newmarket, North Douro, Oakville, Penetanguishene (St. James's), Perrytown, Pickering, Shanty Bay, St. Catharines, Thornhill, St. Paul's, St. George's, Holy Trinity, St. John's, St. Stephen's and St. Luke's (Toronto), Tullamore, Uxbridge, Waterdown, Welland, Whitby, Woodbridge, York Mills, Christ Church (York Tp.)—52.

Nays.—Albion, Barrie, Bobcaygeon, Cartwright, Cobourg, Darlington, Dunnville, Etobicoke, Fort Erie, Georgetown, Grantham, Guelph, Ascension (Hamilton), Keswick, Lindsay, Manitoulin, Medonte, Norval, Norwood, Orillia, Oshawa, Parry Sound, Penetanguishene and Wyebridge, Peterboro', Port Colborne, Port Hope, Saltfleet under the Mountain, Saltfleet and Binbrook, Scarboro', Stamford and Drummondville, Tecumseth, Thorold, St. James's, Trinity, and St. Peter's (Toronto), Weston.—36.

Lost Votes.—Chippawa and Clifton, Collingwood, Manvers, Niagara, Streetsville and Churchville, St. Anne's (Toronto).—6.

TOTAL CLERICAL.—Yeas, 89; Nays, 12; Clerical majority 77. TOTAL LAY —Yeas, 52; Nays. 36; Lost Votes, 6; Lay Majority 16.

ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The Rev. W. S. Darling presented the report of the Scrutineers on the vote of the Synod for the election of the Executive Committee, as follows:

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VOTES OF THANKS TO DOMINION TELEGRAPH COMPANY AND AMERICAN CLERGY.

The Lay Secretary read a communication from the Secretary of the Dominion Telegraph Company, offering to send messages free of charge for the Members of the Synod during the Session.

Moved by the Rev. Rural Dean Lett, seconded by the Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara,

That the marked thanks of this Synod are hereby tendered to the Dominion Telegraph Company for their very liberal proposition as contained in the latter of the Secretary of the said Company now read.—Carried.

Moved by the Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara, seconded by Professor Wilson,

That the best thanks of the Synod are due, and are hereby tendered to our brethren, the Clergy of the American Branch of the Church, who kindly attended our Missionary Meeting last evening, and delighted and instructed all who heard them; and that a copy of this resolution be sent to those gentlemen.—Carried.

At six o'clock, p.m., the Synod adjourned.

THIRD DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

THURSDAY, June 22nd, 1871.

The Synod met at St. James's School House at 9.30 A.M.

After prayers had been said, the minutes of the previous day's meeting were read by the Clerical Secretary, and approved.

MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS.

The Clerical Secretary read (1) a memorial from the Churchwardens of St. Stephen's Church, Toronto, respecting the amount at which their parish is assessed; and petitions from (2) the Incumbent and Church-

wardens of Orangeville, and (3) the Vestry of St. James's, Albion, respecting the endowment of the Rectory of Toronto.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.

The Venerable Archdeacon of Niagara presented and read the Report of the General Purposes, Statistics and Assessment Committee, and gave notice of a motion for its adoption.—See Appendix H.

VOTE OF THANKS TO TORONTO MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.

Moved by the Rev. J. D. Cayley, seconded by Mr Grierson,

That the thanks of the Synod be conveyed to the authorities of the Toronto Mechanics' Institute for their kindness in according the use of their Reading Room to the members of the Synod.—Carried.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT.

The Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara presented the Report of the Executive Committee (Appendix B.) and moved, seconded by Mr. Knowlson,

That the Report be adopted.

Moved by the Hon. H. B. Bull, seconded by the Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara,

That the following words be added to the 2nd Clause—"but that each Clergyman and Lay Representative sign his name in a book to be kept for that purpose,—Carried.

Moved in amendment to Clause 3, by the Rev. H. Holland, seconded by the Rev. the Provost of Trinity College.

That the next Order of Proceedings, after No. 6 (Constitution, section 36), "Taking up unfinished business," shall be No. 7, "Consideration of Reports," and that "Consideration of Motions" shall be No. 8.—Lost.

Moved by Dr. Hodgins, seconded by the Ven. Archdeacon of Toronto,

That the confirmation of the Report of the Executive Committee be the first item of business after the election of the Secretary-Treasurer, at the next Session of the Synod.—Carried

The Report as amended (Appendix A.) was then adopted.

REPORT OF THE CLERGY COMMUTATION TRUST COMMITTEE.

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Mr. Harman, Registrar of the Diocese, presented and read the Decision of the Court on Contested Seats in the Synod.—See Appendix O.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON SEE ENDOWMENT, RECTORY LANDS, &c, MISSION BOARD.

The Rev. Canon Read (in the absence of the Very Rev. the Dean, Chairman) presented the Report of the Endowment of the See, Rectory Lands, and Land and Investment Committee.—Appendix D—and moved, seconded by the Rev. A. J. Broughall,

That the Report be adopted. -Carried.

The Ven. Archdeacon of Toronto (on behalf of the Lord Bishop Chairman) presented the Report of the Mission Board—(Appendix E)—and moved, seconded by the Hon. H. B. Bull,

That the Report be adopted ·-- Carried.

BY-LAW FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF THE MISSION FUND.

Moved by the Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara, seconded by Mr. J. Ham. Perry,

That the By-law for the Expenditure of the Mission Fund be adopted. At 1 o'clock P. M., the Synod adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

THURSDAY, June 22nd. 1871.

The Synod re-assembled at 2 o'clock P. M., and resumed the consideration of the By-law for the Expenditure of the Mission Fund.

On being taken up clause by clause, the first four clauses were adopted, (with an emission in clause 3; and some slight verbal alterations) as follows:

In order to carry out more effectually the mission work of this Diocese, it is desirable that the By-laws for the expenditure of the moneys of the

Mission Fund should be repealed; and that in framing new ones, the following principles and objects should, as far as possible, be kept in view:

1. To apply the Mission Fund so as to elicit the greatest amount of local effort, and to render each Mission, as soon as practicable, self-supporting.

2. To grant each Mission just so much aid as it requires; taking up

each case upon its own merits.

3. To raise the present scale of pecuniary remuneration to our Missionaries.

4. To render the payment of stipends to Missionaries as certain and as regular as possible, without wholly destroying that wholesome degree of

stimulus, necessarily implied in the voluntary system.

5. To relieve the Missionary from the unpleasant, invidious, and derogatory task of pleading, before his people, for his own individual remuneration; and yet make it his duty and his interest to urge the claims of the Mission Fund on them.

- 6. With a view to securing the last mentioned result, that the stipends of our Missionaries be paid wholly through the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod; and, by consequence, the contributions of the people be sent into that official.
- 1. To carry out the above plans and objects, there shall be elected annually, at the time of the election of the other officers of the Synod, by the members of the Synod, for each Rural Deanery, two Clergymen, and two laymen being communicants and living in the Rural Deanery for which they shall be elected, who, with the Archdeacon and the Rural Dean of the locality, shall constitute a Committee on Missions for that Rural Deanery: and a quorum of said Committee shall consist of the Archdeacon, or Rural Dean, and any two elected members.
- 2. Before a graft is made by the Mission Board in aid of any Mission, it shall be the duty of said Committee to visit such Mission in order to confer with the several congregations thereof, for the purpose of ascertaining their resources and liabilities, and of arranging with them as to the amounts which they might fairly be expected to raise towards the stipend of their Missionary; and said Committee shall report to the Lord Bishop, within one week of their visit, the result of their enquiries, the arrangements which they have made with the several congregations, and the action they would recommend.
- 3. This report, with such remarks thereon as the Lord Bishop may deem fit, shall be laid before the *Mission Board* at its next ensuing meeting,—when the Board shall decide as to the amount which they are able and willing to grant toward the support of a Missionary in said Mission; which decision shall regulate the amount to be given to such Mission from the funds at the disposal of the Board, from the date of the agreement

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with the several congregations of the Mission; or, in the case of new Missions, or of the appointment of a new Missionary, from the date of the appointment of the Missionary to said Mission.

4. In case the several congregations of any Mission fail to make up their quota of a Missionary's stipend required by the Mission Board, in conformity with the following scale, viz: \$800 as the stipend of a Missionary in Priest's orders, and \$600 for those in Deacon's orders, then the said Committee on Missions for the Rural Deanery shall re-visit the several congregations of said Mission, and endeavour to induce the people to raise the proportion payable by them towards the stipend of their Missionary to the amount required, and report within one week of the time of their visit, to the Lord Bishop, the result of their labours; which report the Lord Bishop shall transmit to the Mission Board, with his recommendations in regard thereto, at its next ensuing meeting.

Clause 5, was then read as follows:

5. That whenever the Mission Board and the several congregations of any Mission have agreed as to the amounts which they shall severally contribute towards the stipend of their Missionary, (which stipend shall never be lower than that recommended by the Synod of 1870), then it shall be the duty of the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod to enter into a written agreement in duplicate, with [the several congregations of such Mission, through their respective Churchwardens] according to the accompanying form:—

Articles of agreement between the Board of Missions of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto, [and the Churchwardens] of the Congregation of the Mission of witnesseth that the undersigned Churchwardens of said congregation do hereby undertake and agree, on behalf of said congregation, to have the sum of dollars, lawful money of Canada, collected and paid quarterly to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod of said Diocese, so long as the ministrations hereafter agreed upon to be afforded to said congregation shall be continued.

The services referred to in the above paragraph shall be

and in consideration of the regular and punctual payment of the above mentioned sum, the Board of Missions aforesaid hereby undertake to maintain such ministrations of the Church, in the place and at the time mentioned above, so long as the said sum shall be paid.

The present agreement is for the term of three years, counting from the Signed in Duplicate.

Moved by Mr. Chafee, seconded by the Hon. H. B. Bull,

That the 5th clause be amended as follows:—Instead of the words in the first paragraph, 'The several congregations...... Churchwardens,'

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after the words, "in duplicate with;" the following be inserted, "Two or more members of such Mission, approved by the Mission Board." And that the second paragraph be amended as follows:—After the words, "Diocese of Toronto," read, "and two or more members," instead of the words, "and the Churchwardens."—Carried."

The clause as thus amended was then adopted.

Clauses 6 to 14 inclusive were (with some verbal alterations, and an omission in the 13th clause) then adopted as follows:—

- 6. These agreements having been thus entered into, it shall be the duty of the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod to pay quarterly the stipends of the Missionaries, out of the general Mission funds of the Diocese, according to a list furnished him by the Lord Bishop, but subject to regulations contained in the subsequent clauses of this By-law.
- o7. Every engagement between the Board of Missions and the congregations of any Mission, shall be binding upon both parties for three years, unless otherwise agreed upon; but it is expressly understood, that every such engagement shall be liable to revocation or modification at the end of each three years; or on a change of the Missionary in charge; or whenever two-thirds of the members of the Board present at any meeting of the same, see sufficient reason to alter their estimate of the pecuniary ability of the Mission; notice of such proposed modification or revocation must be given at one meeting of the Board, and discussed and disposed of at the next.
- 8. Whenever any Mission shall fail to remit the amount agreed to be paid into the Mission Fund, by the several congregations of said Mission, or any part thereof, then three months after the sum shall have fallen due (the amount still remaining unpaid) it shall be the duty of the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod meanwhile to suspend payment to the Missionary of his stipend; to report the said failure to the Lord Bishop, who shall order the Secretary-Treasurer to transmit to the Missionary, and also to the Churchwardens of the congregations in arrear, a copy of the following notice:

To the Churchwardens and Members of the Congregation of

I have been directed by the Mission Board to notify you that the contribution due from you to the Mission Board of the Diocese, not having been paid on day of the services of your Mis ionary will, after Sunday next, (or from this day) be suspended by order of the Bishop, in accordance with a standing rule of the Synod to that effect, until the payment as agreed upon is duly made.

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This notice shall be read to the congregation in arrears, on the two Sundays on which service is held, next after the receipt thereof.

9. That it shall be the duty of the Missionary, whose services have been thus suspended, to report that fact, within one week, to the Lord Bishop of the Diocese.

10. That when thus notified the Lord Bishop shall direct the Committee on Missions for the Rural Deanery, to ascertain as soon as practicable the reason of said failure.

11. It shall be the duty of the Missionary in charge of the defaulting congregation, and the Churchwardens thereof, to appear before this Committee on Missions, when notified by the Chairman thereof of the time and place of their meeting, which place shall be in the Mission.

12. That a full written report of all the evidence taken by the Committee, with their opinion on the merits of the case, shall be forwarded to the Lord Bishop within one week after the completion of their enquiry, by the Archdeacon or Rural Dean presiding, and authenticated by his signature; and, on receiving this report, the Lord Bishop shall forthwith forward it to the Mission Board, with any remarks appended thereto that he may deem proper.

13. That, when the congregation are found in fault, and they can show no just cause for complaint against their Missionary, and they still continue in arrears, then their Missionary, if he desires it, shall be sustained in his position, at the discretion of the Lord Bishop.

14. That in case the congregation shall continue in arrears in regard to their engagement after having been reported in fault, and shall still refuse or neglect to pay up such arrears, then the Lord Bishop shall direct the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod to pay to such Missionary so much from the Mission Fund of the Diocese, as will enable him to remain on the spot for a period not exceeding three months, at the discretion of the Lord Bishop; or as will enable him to remove to some other Mission in the Diocese to which he may be appointed; and it shall not be lawful for the Secretary-Treasurer to pay any moneys to a new Missionary in said Mission until all arrears shall have been paid to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod by said Mission as due to their late Missionary for services performed; and also until they shall have paid to the Secretary-Treasurer

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Clause 15 was then read as follows:-

15. That, on the contrary, if it should be ascertained by the Board of Missions that the fault has been with the Missionary, that, then, three months' notice shall be given to him, and, at the expiration of that time, if no field of labour can be found in the Diocese for him, the arrears from his mission still continuing unpaid, his connection with the Board shall cease. In every such case the Mission Board may aid in sustaining another Clergyman to serve the Mission at such time and on such conditions as [they] shall deem right.

Moved in amendment by the Ven. Archdeacon of Toronto, seconded by the Rev. Rural Dean Geddes,

That all the words in Clause 15, down to the word "cease" be omitted, and that the remaining portion of the clause be appended to Clause 14, as a portion thereof, with the substitution of the words "The Lord Bishop" for the word "they," in the last line.—Carried.

The remaining clauses were then adopted, as follows:-

16. No Clergyman or layman shall serve on the Committee on Missions when his own Mission forms the subject of enquiry; but the Missionary in charge shall have the right of objecting to any elected member of the Committee on showing cause for so doing to the satisfaction of the Lord Bishop, who shall then appoint another in the room of the one objected to as far as this case is concerned.

17. That the actual necessary expenses of the Committee on Missions in each Rural Deanery, incurred in carrying out the provisions of this By-law, be paid by the Secretary-Treasurer out of the general Mission fund of the Diocese to the Chairman of the Committee, who shall pay the expenses of the several members of the said Committee.

That the By-laws of the late Church Society for the management of the Funds of the Mission Board are hereby repealed.

The whole By-law, as thus amended, was then adopted.

The Rev. Rural Dean Lett brought forward his resolution, extending the provisions of the foregoing By-law to Parishes other than those assisted by the Mission Fund, and gave notice of a motion for its adoption at the next session of the Synod, as unfinished business.

REPORT OF THE INDIAN MISSIONS COMMITTEE.

The Rev. Rural Dean Givins read the Report of the Committee

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on Indian Missions, -(See Appendix F) -and moved, seconded by the Rev. Rural Dean McMurray.

That the Report be adopted, and that the Lord Bishop be authorized to take the necessary steps for carrying out the recommendations contained

At 6 o'clock P. M., the Synod adjourned for an hour and a half.

EVENING SESSION.

THURSDAY, June 22nd, 1871.

The Synod re-assembled at 7.30 P. M.

REPORT OF THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' FUND COMMITTEE.

The Rev. H. C. Cooper read the Report of the Widows and Orphans' Fund, and the Theological Students' Fund Committee, -(Appendix G.)—and moved, seconded by the Rev. H. Holland,

That the Report be adopted. - Carried.

BY-LAW FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE WIDOWS ORPHANS' FUND.

The Rev. H. C. Cooper presented the By-law to make provision for the due administering of the Widows and Orphans' Fund of the Diocese of Toronto.

The Preamble and clause 1 were adopted at the last session of the Synod, as follows:—

Whereas by the Act of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, passed in the 32nd year of the reign of her Majesty Queen Victoria, entitled "an Act to Incorporate the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto, and to unite the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto herewith," all moneys and property held in trust by the said Society for the benefit of the Widows and Orphans of Clergymen of the said Diocese, have been transferred to the Incorporated Synod of the same :

It is therefore necessary to make such amendments in the By-law of the said Church Society for the administering of the Widows and Orphans' Fund as are required in consequence of the passing of the aforesaid Act, as well as other alterations now deemed by the said Synod to be expedient:

1. Be it therefore enacted as follows: - The said Fund shall consist as heretofore of all rents, issues, or profits of lands or tenements now held,

or that may hereafter be given, for the relief of the Widows and Orphans of Clergymen, and of all moneys and securities of whatever kind, now held, or that may hereafter be given or granted for the same purpose, unless special provision be made by the grantor or donor of the same for the distribution thereof.

Clauses 2nd, 3rd, and 4th, were read, and adopted as follows: -

- 2. Each Clergyman whether Rector, Incumbent, or Travelling Missionary, having cure of souls in this Diocese, or licensed as Curate or Assistant Minister therein, in order to entitle his widow or children, to claim the annuity hereinafter provided, shall pay annually to the credit of the Widows and Orphans' Fund the sum of \$5, and in the event of any such Clergyman omitting so to do, the amount so omitted to be paid, together with compound interest thereon at the legal rate shall be deducted either from the first payment of annuity to be made to the Widow or Orphans of such Clergyman, or by instalments from successive payments of annuity, as the Committee of Synod for the administration of this Fund shall determine.
- 3. Each Clergyman, whether Rector, Incumbent or Travelling Missionary, having cure of souls in this Diocese, shall observe the directions, from time to time, given by the Lord Bishop or by the Synod of the Diocese, in respect of the annual collection to be made in all churches and stations, for the Widows and Orphans' Fund; and it shall be the duty of the aforesaid Committee to state, in their Annual Report to the Synod, the names of all such Clergymen as may have omitted to make the said collection.
- 4. A Committee shall be appointed annually by the Synod for the care and management of the Widows and Orphans' Fund; which Committee shall have full power to transact all business relating to the investment and improvement of the same, and to grant annuities according to the terms and conditions of this By-law; and no matter connected with the management, investment, or appropriation of the said Fund, shall be decided upon by the Synod till it has first been submitted to, and reported upon by the said Committee; and such Committee shall report annually to the Synod, making a full statement of the condition of the fund, the amount invested, and the nature and proceeds of the investments, the receipts from collections in churches and stations, from the annual payments of Clergymen, and from all other sources; also of the annuities paid and granted within the past year, and the expenditure within the same period.

Clause 5 was next read, but before being adopted, clause 1 of the scale of annuities was read, as follows:—

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Moved in amendment by Mr. A. H. Campbell, seconded by Mr. S. H. Blake,

That the following be substituted for clause 1 of the scale of annuities: Every widow with private income, or with a private income not exceeding four hundred dollars, shall be entitled to an annuity on her own behalf of two hundred dollars; and should the private income of any widow exceed the sum of four hundred dollars, such annuity shall be reduced by the amount of the private income of such widow in excess of that sum, so as to be extinguished in any case in which the private income of the widow amounts to six hundred dollars.—Carried.

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FOURTH DAY.

MORNING SESSION.

FRIDAY, June 23rd, 1871.

The Synod assembled at 9.30 A, M., at St. James's School House. After Prayers had been said, the minutes of the previous day's meeting were read by the Clerical Secretary, and approved.

On motion of Dr. Hodgins, the Memorial of the Churchwardens of St. Stephens' Church, Toronto, respecting the assessment of their parish, was referred to the General Purposes and Assessment Committee.

REPORT OF CHURCH MUSIC COMMITTEE.

The Rev. Canon Beaven presented and read the Report of the Church Music Committee,—[Appendix K]—and gave notice of a motion for its adoption.

BY-LAW ON THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The consideration of the By-law for the administration of the Widows and Orphans' Fund was then resumed.

Clause 2 of the Scale of Annuities was read, as follows :-

2. Every widow having children shall, in addition to the above, be

entitled to an annuity on their behalf, as follows: viz., for one child, eighty dollars: for two children, one hundred and forty dollars; for three children, one hundred and eighty dollars; and for four or more children, two hundred dollars; and in the event of a clergyman deceased leaving children, but no widow, or in the event of the death or re-marriage of a widow, such annuity shall be paid to the lawful guardians of such children, provided that all such annuities shall cease in the case of boys on their attaining the age of sixteen years, and in the case of girls on their attaining the age of eighteen years; provided, also, that such annuities shall be reduced to the extent to which such orphans shall be in the enjoyment of income from other sources, as in the case of widows, and as provided in section five of this By-law.

Moved in amendment by Mr. Powis, seconded by Mr. Gaviller,

That clause 2 of the Scale of Annuities be amended by expunging all the words after "to the extent to which," and substituting the following:— "the income of such orphan or orphans from other sources shall exceed the amount of annuity herein named respectively."—Carried.

Clause 2 of the Scale of Annuities was then adopted as amended. Moved by Mr. A. H. Campbell, seconded by Mr. Powis,

That a 3rd clause be added to the Scale of Annuities, as follows:

3. Should, the Fund at any time be insufficient to meet the demands upon it, it shall be the duty of the Committee to make any reduction in the amounts paid which may become necessary, by reducing first the amounts paid to Widows or Orphans with private incomes, and the amount of such reduction shall be in proportion to the amount of such private income; provided that no reduction shall take place which shall reduce the total income of any Widow or Orphans below the amount which would be payable to them were they entirely without private means.—Carried.

Clauses 5 to 8 inclusive, of the By-Law itself, were read and adopted, (with slight verbal alterations in clause 8) as follows:—

5. From and after the passing of this By-law, the Synod will pay to the widow of every Clergyman, who at the time of his decease shall have been duly appointed to the cure of souls in this Diocese, or licensed as a Curate or Assistant Minister therein, or who shall have been placed on any superannuated list, with the consent of the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, or to the children of such Clergyman, such annuity as the state of the Fund will admit, in accordance with the scale hereinafter provided, and subject to the provisions of the second section of this By-law; the said annuity to be payable in four equal quarterly instalments on the first days of January, April, July, and October in each and every year, and to commence from the day of the death of such clergyman, or from the day on which his stipend from the public funds of the Church shall have

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ceased: provided that an application for the pension, in the form and manner required by this By-law, shall have been lodged with the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod within three months after the death of the said Clergyman; but if a longer period shall have elapsed, then the annuity or annuities, if granted, shall commence, and be payable, from the quarter-day next preceding the day on which such application shall have been so lodged; and such annuity shall be continued to the widow during her natural life, or so long as she shall remain a widow, and continue to be entitled to the same under the provisions of this By-law. And in case such widow shall, at her death or re-marriage, have children by her late husband, an annuity shall be paid to the guardians of such children in accordance with the said scale; provided also, that all annuities shall cease from the quarter day next preceding the marriage of any person entitled by this By-law to any such annuity.

- 6. All moneys in the hands of the Treasurer, which may not be required to meet the annuities payable to the Widows and Orphans of the Clergy, shall be from time to time permanently invested in some good and sufficient security; and in no case shall capital be applied to the payment of annuities.
- 7. Every widow of a Clergyman, or the guardian of the orphans of a Clergyman, shall, in order to obtain an annuity from the said Fund, apply by a memorial, addressed to the Widows and Orphans' Fund Committee, and supported by the recommendation of the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, and of two or more Incumbents within the same, setting forth the time of the decease of such Clergyman, the name of his widow, and the names and ages of his children, together with a statement of the income of such widow or orphans from all sources, which Memorial shall be taken into consideration by the aforesaid Committee at their next meeting after the receipt of the same.
- 8. Every Widow being an annuitant on the Widows and Orphans' Fund, and the guardians of orphans annuitants on the same, shall quarterly, before receiving any portion of an annuity, make one of the following declarations in the presence of a Clergyman or Magistrate, which declaration shall be attested by the Clergyman or Magistrate before whom it is made:—

Declaration to be made by a Widow.

I——, do hereby declare that I am the widow of the late Reverend
; that I am entitled to an annuity from the Widows and Orphans'
Fund of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto; that I am still a widow,
and that my income for the past twelve months from all sources, has been

, not including my own earnings, or annuity from the Widows and Orphans' Fund.

Signed before me.

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Declaration to be made by the Mother or Guardians of Children.

I—, hereby declare that I am the duly appointed Guardian of the children of the late Reverend—, whose names and ages are respectively written below; that they are entitled to an annuity from the Widows and Orphans' Fund out the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto; and that their income for the past twelve months, from all sources (not including wages earned by any of them, or annuity from the Widows and Orphans' Fund), has been \$

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The whole By-law, as thus amended, was then adopted.

LIST OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Very Rev. the Dean of Toronto, presented and read the Report of the Executive Committee on the Standing Committees of the Synod, and moved that it should be adopted.

The several Committees were submitted separately to the Synod for adoption, as follows:

THE CLERGY COMMUTATION TRUST FUND COMMITTEE.—Clergy, Ven. Archdeacon of Toronto, Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara, Revs. Rural Deans McMurray, Osler, Geddes, Rev. H. C. Cooper, Canon Brent, and Canon Baldwin. Laity, Messrs. J. W. Gamble, C. J. Campbell, A. H. Campbell, S. H. Blake, J. H. Perry, W. Ince, F. Farncomb, and G. H. Grierson.—Carried.

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The Rev. W. E. Cooper requesting that his name should be withdrawn, the name of the Rev. F. Tremayne was inserted in his place, and the Committee, with this alteration, was adopted.

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The Rev. J. Davidson requesting that his name should be withdrawn, the name of the Rev. J. Carry was inserted in his place, and the Committee, with this alteration, was adopted.

THE INDIAN MISSIONS COMMITTEE.—Clergy, The Very Rev. the Dean of Toronto, Rev. Rural Dean Givins, Rev. Dr. O'Meara. Laity, Prof. Wilson, Messrs. J. Graham and J. H. Perry.

THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' FUND AND THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS' FUND COMMITTEE.—Clergy, Revs. Dr. O'Meara, H. C. Cooper, T. T. Robarts, W. Belt, J. D. Cayley, F. Tremayne. Laity, Chief Justice Draper, Col. O'Brien, Messrs. W. Powis, W. Y. Pettit, F. W. Gates, S. H. Blake.—Carried.

THE GENERAL PURPOSES, STATISTICS AND ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.—Clergy, Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara, Revs. S. Houston, C. J. S. Bethune, H. C. Cooper, John Fletcher, J. B. Worrell. Laity, Messrs. A. H. Campbell, T. Hodgins, J. Graham, A. Marling, W. Gamble, F. A. Ball.—Carried.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL AND BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE.—Clergy, Revs. Canon Beaven, Canon Read, Provost of Trinity College, J. D. Cayley, S. J. Boddy. Laity, Dr. Hodgins, Messrs. S. G. Wood, S. B. Fairbanks, A. Marling, J. Gillespie.—Carried.

THE AUDIT COMMITTEE.—Clergy, Revs. Rural Dean McMurray, Canon Baldwin, A. J. Broughall. Laity, Messrs. A. H. Campbell, R. Spratt, J. Graham.—Carried.

THE CHURCH MUSIC COMMITTEE.—Clergy, Revs. Canon Beaven, R. Shanklin, J. D. Cayley, Rural Dean Geddes. Laity, Messrs. G. H. Dartnell, J. Carter.—Carried.

COMMITTEES ON MISSIONS IN EACH RUBAL DEANERY.

(The Archdeacon and Rural Deans being ex-officio members.)
West York.—Revs. H. B. Osler and J. Carry; Messrs, J. W. Gamble and
W. Magrath.

EAST YORK.—Revs. J. D. Cayley and W. Belt; Messrs. J. H. Perry and D. Ledingham.

West Simcoe.—Revs. J. Davidson and A. J. Fidler; Messrs. A. Gaviller and G. Moberly.

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Lincoln.—Revs. Canon Read and D. I. F. MacLeod; Messrs. J. W. Ball and G. Lewis.

East Simcoe.—Revs. E. Morgan and J. Flood; Messrs. D. McCarthy and S. Rowe.

DURHAM.—Revs. Canon Brent and W. H. Jones; Messrs. J. G. Williams and Dr. Turner.

NORTHUMBERLAND.—Revs. W. T. Smithett and J. S. Baker; Messrs. A. H. Campbell and G. Burrell.—Carried.

At one o'clock, p,m., the Synod adjourned for an hour.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At two o'clock, p.m., the Syond re-assembled.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. A. H. Campbell presented and read the report of the Audit Committee (Appendix J), and moved, seconded by the Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara, that is be adopted.

After the omission of the last paragraph, "In conclusion present arrangement," the report was adopted.

The Rev. Canon Beaven presented the report of the Sunday School and Book and Tract Committee ($Appendix\ I$), and after reading the portion relating to Sunday Schools, Dr. Hodgins moved, seconded by the Rev. J. Carry,

That it be adopted, with the insertion of the following paragraph on page 4, before that beginning with the words, "The following synopsis:" A most agreeeable feature of the proceedings of the Diocesan Sunday School Association, was the reception by the Convention of an influential deputation from the Sabbath School Association of the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec. The Deputation presented to the Lord Bishop and the members of the Convention, a highly interesting and fraternal address. This address was received and replied to by the Bishop in terms most fitting to the occasion, and expressive of his Lordship's high appreciation of the great work of Sunday School instruction.—Carried.

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The Rev. Canon Beaven next presented and read the portion of the Report of the Sunday School and Book and Tract Committee, relating to Book and Tract business,—(Appendix I)—and moved, seconded by the Hon H. B. Bull,

That the Report be adopted.—Carried.

The Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara presented and read the Report of the General Purposes, Statistics, and Assessment Committee,—
(Appendix H)—and moved, seconded by Mr. A. H. Campbell,

That the Report be adopted.

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That the first two clauses be omitted.

Moved in amendment to the amendment, by Col. O'Brien, seconded by the Rev. Dr. O'Meara,

That the Report be referred back to the Committee, and that Rectors having objections to make be requested to communicate them to the Committee.—Carried.

BY-LAW ON PATRONAGE.

The Rev. the Provost of Trinity College presented and read the by-law for the exercise of certain Ecclesiastical Patronage in the Diocese of Toronto, and moved, seconded by Mr. S. H. Blake, that it be enacted as follows:

By Law for the exercise of certain Ecclesiastical Patronage in the Diocese of Toronto.

The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Toronto enacts as follows:--

That on the vacancy of any Rectory, Incumbency, or Mission within the Diocese (with the exception of Missions sustained, in whole or in part, by the Mission Board, the mode of appointment to which Missions shall continue as heretofore) the appointment to the vacancy shall rest in the Lord Bishop of the Diocese: it being, however, provided that, before making such appointment, the Bishop shall consult with the Churchwardens of the said Parish or Mission, and with the Lay Representatives of the same, provided that such Lay Representatives are resident within the said Parish or Mission.—Carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Rev. Canon Beaven presented and read the Report of the Church Music Committee (Appendix K), and moved,

That it be adopted. —Carried.

The Rev. H. C. Cooper presented the Report of the Special Committee on the Consolidation of the Canons (Appendix L), and moved, seconded by Dr. Hodgins,

That the Report be adopted, and that the Committee be re-appointed with instructions to have their compilation of the Canons printed with the additions named in their report, and send to a copy of the same to each member of the Synod before the next annual meeting thereof.—Carried.

MARRIAGE LICENSES,

Moved by the Rev. Rural Dean Givins, seconded by the Rev. Rural Dean Lett,

That the Lord Bishop be requested to nominate a Committee (of legal gentlemen) to enquire into the disabilities under which the Church in this Diocese labours in not being able to issue Marriage Licenses to her members—a privilege enjoyed by a leading denomination of Christians in this Province, and that such Committee, with the co-operation of his Lordship, be authorized to take the necessary measures to seek redress for this grievance.—Carried.

The Lord Bishop appointed the following Committee:—Dr. Hodgins (Convener), Messrs. D. B. Read S. H. Blake and T. H. Spencer

LOT IN NOTTAWASAGA.

Mr. S. H. Blake presented and read the Report of the Special Committee on the sale of the lot in Nottawasaga (Appendix M), and moved, That it be adopted.—Carried.

ENLARGEMENT OF THE DIACONATE.

Col. O'Brien moved, seconded by the Rev. E. Morgan, the following resolutions:—

- (1) That there is a sad want all through our Churchiof means of instruction, even in the first rudiments of religious knowledge and training, not only among our young people, but even more so among those of adult age. This want is not only a grievous present evil, but it is also a growing one. The means of religious instruction now in operation do not keep pace with the increase of population, accompanied as it is by largely increased means of secular teaching, together with a flood of cheap literature often of a most deleterious description.
- (2) That in the opinion of this Synod, the enlargement of the Diaconate, making it a more real and permanent order in the Church than it is at present, and accepting in such lower and subordinate station, a

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- (3) That the measure now generally sanctioned by our Bishops, and adopted in many Dioceses, for the employment of the gratuitous services of Laymen, willing to consecrate a portion of their time to the more immediate service of the Church, indicates another source from which much valuable assistance may be obtained.
- (4) That it is advisable for the permanency and enlargement of the order of Deacons, to substitute a sound English education for that competent knowledge of Latin, involving a College or University course, which is now required before admission to Orders. But this substitution shall not be held to extend to those who may be at the time, or shall afterwards become, Candidates for admission to Priest's Orders.
- (5) That it shall be imperative on every Dearon before admission to Priest's Orders, to declare himself a Candidate for the same, and to undergo such further examination as may then be required. And, unless such Candidate shall have already passed through such College course as is now demanded, he may, after a lapse of not less than—years from passing such examination, and, after having gone through such additional course of reading as may be required of him during that time, be presented for admission to Priest's Orders; but should the Candidate have passed through such College course and training he may be presented for admission to the higher order, after a lapse of one year from entering the Diaconate.
- (6) That in accordance with 5the principle pervading the "Form and manner of making Deacons," and the "Form and manner of Ordering Priests," no Deacon shall be placed in the independent cure of souls, but shall always be associated with a Priest, as his assistant, to whom he shall be subordinate, and to whom he shall apply for the performance of those offices in the ministry forbidden to the Deacon.
- (7) That the outward form for the admission of Laymen to use the Scriptures, and otherwise assist in the administrations of the Church as herein contemplated, together with the necessary declaration of obedience, is a matter to be decided by Episcopal authority; and, for the purpose of obtaining a uniform practice, it is desirable that the same be submitted togethe House of Bishops.
- (8) That these Resolutions be submitted to the Lower House of the Provincial Synod; also, that a Memorial founded on them be presented to the House of Bishops, by his Lordship the Bishop of this Diocese, praying their favorable consideration thereof, and that in the meantime his Lordship be requested to take such action in the premises, as may seem to him desirable.—Carried

Moved by Col. O'Brien, seconded by the Rev. J. Flood,

That his Lordship be requested to name a Committee to draft a Memorial to each House of the Provincial Synod in accordance with the above Resolutions.—Carried

His Lordship appointed the mover and seconder and the Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara, as the Committee.

LAY-READERS.

The Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara moved, seconded by the Rev. E. Morgan,

That under the circumstances of the Diocese, with a scattered population in large Parishes and Missions, it is very desirable that Lay-Readers should be more generally employed than is now the case; that such Lay-Reader should be recommended to the Lord Bishop by the Incumbent of the Parish or Mission—should be entirely under his control and direction—and should be removed at his request; and that he should be publicly received as a co-worker in the Parish or Mission by the Lord Bishop or by an official of the Diocese appointed by his Lordship.—Carried.

AMENDMENT TO THE BY-LAW ON THE DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND.

Moved by the Rev. the Provost of Trinity College, seconded by the Rev. S. Jones,

That the following be added to the By-law relating to the administration of the Divinity Students' Fund: That no applicant shall be eligible to receive an exhibition, except he shall produce a written certificate from the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, stating that his Lordship, after a personal interview, considers him a person well-fitted to enter on a course of study for Holy Orders, and that his Lordship be respectfully requested to cause to be printed in the Journal of the Synod, at the end of the Clergy List, the names and residences of gentlemen accepted by him as Divinity Students in this Diocese.—Carried.

CASE OF THE REV. S. BRIGGS, M.A.

Moved by Mr. D. B. Read, seconded by the Rev. S. Briggs,
That this Synod do order the immediate payment of the balance of
the \$200 ordered to be paid to the Rev. S. Briggs by the Synod at its
Session last year.

Moved in amendment by Mr. S. H. Blake, seconded by the Rev. Rural Dean Givins.

That the matter of the Rev. S. Briggs be referred to a Committee consisting of three—one to be appointed by his Lordship the Bishop,

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His Lordship appointed Mr. J. Carter; and Mr. Briggs named the Rev. the Provost of Trinity College.

INCREASE OF THE MISSION FUND.

Moved by the Rev. T. S. Cartwright, seconded by the Rev. J. B. Worrell, that the following resolution be referred to the Mission Board:

That considering the rapid growth of population in the Province of Ontario, the numerous Townships and Villages in which the ministrations of the Church are not established, the necessity existing, and the facility afforded for opening missions in such places, the inadequacy of the Mission Fund to meet the demands which are made upon it, and the practicability of securing a large increase in the contributions of the Diocese—the Synod hereby resolves that special efforts be made to raise the annual income of the Mission Fund to at least \$50,000.

That in furtherance of this object both Clergymen and their Parishes be required to observe the regulations laid down in section 27 of the Constitution of the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Toronto, which provides that an Annual Missionary Meeting shall be held in every Church or School in which Divine Service is held on a Sunday, and to adopt such other means as may to them seem expedient. That it be recommended to every Clergyman and Parish to form a Parochial Missionary Association, to secure as far as practicable systematic offerings by weekly, monthly, or quarterly subscriptions, to employ Mission boxes among Sunday School Children and other suitable persons, and to hold occasional meetings for the diffusion of Missionary intelligence and for stimulating Missionary seal—Carried.

MISSIONARY BISHOPS

Moved by the Rev. T. S. Cartwright, seconded by the Rev. Rural Dean Lett,

That seeing the large accession of territory, and the vast increase of population enjoyed by Canada consequent on the recent confederation, and the admission into the Dominion of British Columbia, Manitoba, and other important districts of country; and recognising the imperative duty of the Church to supply every part of the Dominion with the appliances of education and the ministrations of religion: this Synod is of opinion that the great Mission work of the Church, especially in the Indian and newly formed settlements of the Dominion, may be more effectively carrie on under the direction and control of a General Mission Board appointed by the Provincial Synod, than by the separate Dioceses as at present attempted.

The Synod would, therefore, strongly urge upon the Provincial Synod the importance of appointing, without any unnecessary delay, Missionary Bishops in conformity with the Canon passed on this subject at the last meeting of the Provincial Synod. And to aid in carrying out this desirable object, the Synod would further recommend the election of a General Mission Board, to consist of the Bishops and an equal number of Clerical and Lay-Representatives from each Diocese, under whose superintendence, subject to the approval of the Provincial Synod, the necessary regulations and appointments shall be made.—Carried.

Moved by the Rev. T. S. Cartwright, seconded by the Rev. W. S. Darling,

That a Memorial be prepared for presentation to the Provincial Synod praying for the adoption of the suggestions contained in the foregoing resolution, and that his Lordship the Bishop be requested to appoint a Committee to prepare such memorial.—Carried.

His Lordship appointed the Mover and Seconder of the foregoing resolution a Committee to draft the Memorial.

MEMORIAL OF THE LATE BISHOP OF TORONTO.

Moved by the Rev. T. S. Cartwright, seconded by the Rev. Rural Dean Givins,

That considering the long and valued services which were rendered to the Church and Country by the late Right Reverend Dr. Strachan, first Bishop of the Diocese of Toronto, and the general and well-deserved estimation in which the character of his Lordship is held, not only by the Church of this Diocese but by the community at large, this Synod is of opinion that it will be a graceful tribute to his memory to erect some fitting memorial in which all the members of the Church and the public generally can unite; and that without reference to any scheme which máy hitherto have been proposed, his Lordship the Bishop be respectfully requested to nominate a Committee consisting of an equal number of Clergy and Laity, who shall immediately consider the subject with due regard to the claims of the venerable Prelate and both the necessities and resources of the Diocese, and who shall report to the present Synod a practicable plan for performing this imperative and too long neglected duty; and that should the Synod concur in the report of the Committee, the plan recommended be forthwith carried into effect. - Carried.

SUSTENTATION FUND.

Moved by the Rev. J. Carry, seconded by the Rev. Rural Dean Givins,

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And in order to give effect to the foregoing Resolution: Resolved—That a Sustentation Fund shall be established, from the interest of whose invested capital shall be made annually the disbursements necessary to the supplementing aforesaid. Resolved—That the steps necessary for setting on foot the Sustentation Fund be taken without delay, in such order as a Committee of Synod, to be appointed for that purpose, shall determine.

At 6 o'clock P. M. the Synod adjourned for an hour and a half.

EVENING SESSION.

FRIDAY, June 23rd. 1871.

The Synod re-assembled at 7.30 P.M., and proceeded with the consideration of the Rev. J. Carry's resolutions respecting the formation of a Sustentation Fund. After some discussion the consideration of these resolutions was deferred till the next Session of the Synod.

TRINITY COLLEGE.

Moved by the Rev. Rural Dean Lett, seconded by the Rev. J. Carry,

That this Synod hereby expresses its desire that the Corporation of Trinity College do so change its statutes, or take such other measures as will in the future election of the members of the said Corporation, other than the ex officio members, vest in the Synod such a voice in the said election as will be conducive to the best interests of Trinity College, and will be satisfactory to the members of the said Diocese.—Carried.

Moved by the Rev. Rural Dean Lett, seconded by the Rev. J. Carry,

That his Lordship the Bishop be respectfully requested to communicate to the Corporation of Trinity College the above resolution—Carried.

MEMORIAL ON MISSIONARY BISHOPS.

The Rev. T. S. Cartwright presented a draft of a memorial to the Provincial Synod respecting the appointment of Missionary Bisheps, which was read and adopted, as follows:—

Memorial of the Diocesan Synod of Toronto to the Provincial Synod of Canada, assembled in Montreal.

Respectfully sheweth that the subject of extending the Missionary operations of the Church in the Dominion of Canada, by the employment of Missionary Bishops, and the election of a General Mission Board as representative of the whole Church in the Dominion, by whom the necessary practical arrangements may be made and carried out, has engaged the serious attention. Synod of this Diocese, whereupon, after extrest discussion, the following resolution was unanimously passed:

That seeing the end accession of territory, and the vast increase of population enjoyed. Canada consequent on the recent confederation, and the admission in the Dominion of British Columbia, Manitoba, and other important and cts of country; and recognizing the imperative duty of the Character to supply every part of the Dominion with the appliances of eduction and the ministrations of religion: this Synod is of opinion that the great Mission work of the Church, especially in the Indian and newly formed settlements of the Dominion, may be more effectively carried on under the direction and control of a General Mission Board appointed by the Provincial Synod, than by the separate Dioceses as at present attempted.

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Your memorialists would, therefore, urge upon the attention of the Provincial Synod the importance of immediate and decided action in carrying out the suggestions contained in this resolution, as a course demanded by the growing population and increasing wants of the country, and as likely to be attended with unspeakable advantages to the Church; and believing that both the requisite funds, and the suitable men may be obtained for the work, your memorialists pray that no time may be lost in giving effect to the Canon proposed by the House of Bishops at the last meeting of the Provincial Synod for the election of a Missionary Bishop, in choosing a field, collecting funds, and electing a Bishop in accordance therewith.

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PRAYER FOR UNITY.

Moved by the Rev. Rural Dean Lett, seconded by the Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara,

That in addition to the prayers heretofore used at the opening of the Synod, and in the several Churches previously to the meeting of the Synod, the following prayer from the "Accession Service" be also used:

A Prayer for Unity.

O God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, our only Saviour, the Prince of Peace: give us grace seriously to lay to heart the great dangers we are in by our unhappy divisions. Take away all hatred and prejudice, and whatsoever else may hinder us from Godly union and concord: that, as there is but one Body, and one Spirit, and one Hope of our Calling, one Lord, one Faith, one Baptism, one God and Father of us all, so we may henceforth be all of one heart and of one soul, united in one holy bond of Truth and Peace, of Faith and Charity, and may with one mind and one mouth glorify Thee, through Jesus Christ our Lord.—Amen. Carried.

SYNOD HOUSE.

Moved by Dr. Hodgins, seconded by Mr. Knowlson,

That the following resolutions (in the report of the Synod House Committee) having been adopted by the Synod in 1868, it is expedient that no further time be lost in giving them effect; and that the Assessment and General Purposes Committee be authorized and directed to carry out the first and second resolutions, and the Executive Committee the third, viz:

- (1) That, with a view to provide funds for the erection of a Synod House, an additional assessment, sufficient to produce \$500 be imposed proratâ, on the several parishes in this Diocese, per annum.
- (3) That the proceeds of this assessment, together with all balances of Synod-moneys left over each year, be invested in Provincial, county, city, or township debentures, until a sufficient fund be accumulated to warrant the Synod in proceeding with the erection of the building, or in borrowing the sum necessary to enable it to do so.
- (3) That the Synod authorize the selection, as soon as practicable, of a suitable site, in a convenient and central part of the city, for the proposed Synod House.—Carried.

SYNOD GAZETTE.

Moved by Dr. Hodgins, seconded by the Rev. Canon Baldwin,
That a Committee be appointed to report at the next meeting of
Synod on the comparative cost and expediency of the issue in its present

form of the Synod Report and the issue by the Secretaries of a Quarterly Synod Gazette under the direction of the Bishop, to be sent free to each member of Synod, and to contain:

(1) A summary of the proceedings of each of the Quarterly and other meetings of Committees of Synod with the names of members present.

(2) The ".Journal," of proceedings of the Synod, now published in a separate form.

(3) Pastorals, &c., issued by the Bishop, and Official Notices from the Bishop, the Secretaries, or other Officers and Committees of Synod.

(4) Copies of Reports of Committees submitted to the Synod by the Executive Committee, as provided in the 20th section of the constitution.

(5) Acknowledgements of all Moneys received from Parishes or Missions on behalf of any Synod object.

(6) Any Circulars or Notices relating to the business of the Synod, not included in the foregoing sections.—Lost.

FREE SEATS IN CHURCHES. *

Moved by the Rev. Rural Dean Lett, seconded by

That in view of the Missionary character of the Church, this Synod strongly recommends that in all cases where it is practicable the seats in churches hereafter built in this Diocese should be free and unappropriated, the support of the ministrations of religion being derived from the offertory system, as recommended by Holy Scripture; and further that the General Purposes Committee be instructed in granting aid to new churches to shew a preference to churches in which the seats are to be free.

The resolution was left over for consideration at the next session of the Synod.

FILLING VACANCIES IN COMMITTEES DURING RECESS.

Moved by the Rev. Canon Beaven, seconded by the Rev. H. C. Cooper,

That in the event of any vacancy occurring in the Committees of Synod during its recess, either by the death, removal, or resignation of a member or members, or other cause, the Lord Bishop shall be notified thereof as early as possible by the chairman of the Committee in which the vacancy occurs, and shall be requested to fill up such vacancy.

At 10.30 P. M. the Synod adjourned.

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FIFTH DAY.

MORNING SESSION.

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST'S DAY, SATURDAY, June 24th, 1871.

The Synod met at St. James's School House at 9.30 A.M.

After prayers had been said, the Minutes of the previous day's meeting were read by the Clerical Secretary, and adopted.

COMMITTEE ON MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Moved by the Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara, seconded by Dr. Hodgins,

That the name of Professor Wilson be added to the Committee on the subject of certain disabilities in reference to the celebration of Matrimony Carried.

COMMITTEE ON THE LAWS OF MORTMAIN.

Moved by the Rev. T. P. Hodge, seconded by the Rev. Canon Beaven,

That the Committee on the Laws of Mortmain be re-appointed.—Carried.

CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE S. P. C. K.

Moved by Dr. Hodgins, seconded by the Rev. Canon Beaven,

That the correspondence between the Rev. Canon Beaven and the Secretary of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, on the subject of Books and Tracts for the Colonies, as reported to the Synod by Canon Beaven, be referred to the Sunday School and Book and Tract Committee.—Carried.

REVISION OF THE HOLY SCRIPTURES.

Moved by the Rev. Canon Beaven, seconded by Mr. John Duggan, That the Synod do memorialize the Provincial Synod at its next Session, praying it to make a representation to the Convocation of the Province of Canterbury, respecting the revision of the English Version of the Holy Scriptures, which has been taken in hand under the authority of that Convocation, with a view to the adoption of further regulations, whereby the concurrence of the Irish and Scottish Churches, the Colonial Church and the sister Church in America, in the principles by which such revision shall be conducted, may be secured.—Carried.

MATRIMONY BETWEEN DIVORCED PERSONS.

Moved by the Rev. Rural Dean Givins, seconded by the Rev. Rural Dean Lett,

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Moved in amendment by the Rev. J. B. Worrell, seconded by Mr. Justus W. Williams.

That the resolution be referred to the Committee on Marriage Licenses with instructions to obtain legal opinion, and to report to the Lord Bishop. Carried.

DAY OF THANKSGIVING.

Moved by the Rev. J. B. Worrell,

That the Secretaries of the Synod, under direction of the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, be instructed to correspond with the Lord Bishops of Huron and Ontario, as well as the Moderators of the Presbyterian Synods, the Presidents of the Methodist Conferences, and the Chairman of the Congregational Union, and the Baptist Church, in this Province, to endeavour to obtain unity in observing a National Day of Thanksgiving for the blessing of Harvest.

Moved in amendment by the Rev. H. C. Cooper, seconded by the Rev. J. Carry,

That the Honorary Secretaries of the Synod, under direction of the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, be instructed to correspond with the authorities of all Christian Bodies in this Province, with a view to obtain united action in observing a National Day of Thanksgiving for the blessing of Harvest.—Carried.

COURT ON CONTESTED SEATS.

The Registrar of the Diocese presented a further decision of the Court on Contested Seats respecting a representative of the Mission of Tuliamore. (See Appendix O.)

CASE OF THE REV. S. BRIGGS.

The Rev. the Provost of Trinity College presented and read the Report of the Special Committee appointed on the previous day to investigate the case of the Rev. S. Briggs, and moved, seconded by Mr. S. H. Blake, (See Appendix P.)

That it be adopted Carried.

Moved by Mr. S. H. Blake, seconded by Mr. D. B. Read,

the General Purposes Fund of the Diocese to the late Rev. J. Pentland, be paid to the Rev. S. Briggs until further resolution of the Synod.—

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aid from entland, Synod.— MEMORIAL ON THE DIACONATE AND LAY-READERS.

The Ven. Archdeacon of Niagara presented and read a draft of a memorial to both Houses of the Provincial Synod respecting the increase of the Diaconate, and the appointment of Lay Readers, and moved, seconded by the Rev. Rural Dean Givins.

That the memorial as follows be adopted.—Carried.

To the Provincial Synod of the Province of Canada in Synod assembled,

The Memorial of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto respectfully sheweth,

That the resolution attached hereto, having been unanimously adopted
by this Synod, recommending "the enlargement of the Diaconate, and
making it a more real and permanent order in the Church than it is at
present;" and also that "Lay Readers should be more generally employed
by the Church than is now the case:" This Synod respectfully requests
the Provincial Synod to take these important questions into consideration,
and to take such action, in regard to them, as in their wisdom may seem
expedient.

And your Memorialists will ever pray.

Moved by the Ven. Archdeacon Fuller, seconded by-

That the above memorial be drafted, and copies thereof be sent to both houses of the Provincial Synod.—Carried.

BY-LAWS OF THE LATE CHURCH SOCIETY.

Moved by Dr. Hodgins, seconded by Mr. D. B. Read,

That in order to compile an authentic record of the By-laws and Standing Regulations of the late Church Society, it be an instruction to each of the various Standing Committees of the Synod to prepare a synopsis of all such By-laws and Regulations now in force, so far as they may affect such Committee, and append them to their Annual Reports to the Synod for next year.—Carried.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PRINTING.

Moved by Dr. Hodgins, seconded by Mr. Knowlson,

That with a view to exercise a strict supervision over the printing expenses of the Synod, be it resolved:

(1) That there shall be a Printing Committee of the Synod appointed at each session thereof, which shall be responsible for the printing of all documents and papers, and shall see that the printing expenses of the Synod be kept within reasonable bounds.

(2) That all printing for the Synod, its Officers, and Committees, shall be by tender, addressed to and accepted by the Printing Committee.

(3) That an arrangement be made by the Printing Committee for sending to each member of the Synod printed slips containing official notices and other information.

(4) That the Printing Committee for the present year be the Rev. H. C. Cooper, the Rev. S. Jones, S. B. Harman, Esq., and the Honorary Secretaries.—Carried.

TABLE OF FEES.

Moved by the Rev. Rural Dean Lett, seconded by the Rev. V. Clementi,

That the Lord Bizzhop be requested to put forth a Table of Fees, in accordance with the provisions of the Church Temporalities Act.—Carried.

VOTES OF THANKS.

Moved by the Rev. Canon Beaven, seconded by the Rev. Canon Ritchie,

That the thanks of the Synod be given to the Rev. V. Clementi for his sermon preached at the opening of the Synod.—Carried.

Moved by the Rev. H. C. Cooper, seconded by Mr. J. W. Gamble, That the thanks of the Synod be tendered to the Very Rev. the Dean of Toronto, for the use of the spacious and commodious hall in which the present Session of the Synod has been held.—Carried.

Moved by the Rev. Rural Dean Lett, seconded by Mr. Grierson, That the members of the Synod desire to place on record their appreciation of the hospitality which has been extended to them during their Session in Toronto, and especially would they tender their acknowledge ments to the Ladies, who not only so bountifully provided refreshment for them each day, but also kindly superintended and assisted at the same.—

Moved by the Rev. Canon Beaven, seconded by Mr. C. J. Campbell,

That the thanks of the Synod be given to Mr. John Carter, Organist of St. James's Cathedral, and to the ladies of the Bishop Strachan School, for their effective assistance in conducting the musical services of the first day of Synod.—Carried.

The business of the Synod being now concluded, the Lord Bishop briefly addressed the members, expressing his gratification at the harmony and good feeling that had characterized its proceedings, and congratulating them upon the amount of practical work that had been accomplished. After the Gloria in Excelsis had been sung his Lordship pronounced the Benediction, and declared the Synod prorogued.

CHARLES J. S. BETHUNE, M.A.,

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REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The Executive Committee begs leave to present the following Report, based upon a Report of a Sub-Committee appointed to revise the Order of Proceedings in Synod:—

It is recommended-

- 1. That a Committee of two, to be appointed by the Executive Committee, shall meet at the Synod Office at least two days before the meeting of Synod and examine the Certificates of the Lay-Representatives sent in to the Secretary-Treasurer by the respective Clergymen in the Diocese, and shall prepare a Report thereon, to be placed in the hands of the Lay Secretary on the opening of the Synod.
- 2. That the calling over of the Roll of the Clergy and Lay-Representatives be discontinued; but that each Clergyman and Lay-Representative sign his name in a book kept for that purpose.
- 3. That the next order of proceeding after "No. 4, Presenting Reports," be "No. 5, Reading and Consideration of same."
- 4. That every speaker, except in moving and seconding any motion, be limited to ten minutes, and that all speakers be timed by an Assessor or Assessors, to be appointed by the Bishop, to aid in the maintenance of order and obedience to the rules of the Synod.

All which is respectfully submitted.

H. J. GRASETT, Chairman.

SYNOD OFFICE, May 30th, 1871.

At the Quarterly Meeting of the Executive Committee held on Wednesday, November 9th, 1870, the following Resolution

"That with the view of insuring greater regularity on the part of the Clergy and Churchwardens in making Special Quarterly Collections in all the Churches and Stations in the Diocese, as regulated by the Constitution of the Synod, and such other Collections as may be directed by the Lord Bishop, it shall be the duty of the Secretary-Treasurer on the first day of each month, for two successive months, to notify Clergymen and Churchwardens of Congregations failing to make returns of such Special Collections, and to report to this Committee all Churches and Missions failing to make said Collections.'

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APPENDIX C.

REPORT OF THE CLERGY COMMUTATION TRUST COMMITTEE

The Clergy Commutation Trust Committee begs leave to report as follows:

Schedule "A" exhibits all the first-class securities held by the Trust. Out of the assets transferred by the Hon. J. H. Cameron to the Trust, and accepted in payment of his indebtedness to the extent of \$80,000, the Committee has realised \$61,000, leaving \$19,000, the most of which will, in the

opinion of the Committee, be made in time from the remaining securities.

The claim against Messrs. Farmer & deBlaquiere is now, and has been for the past year, in suit, and the amount due by them has not yet been ascertained; but taking the account in the books of the Trust in 1868, as a basis of calculation, there would now be due on this debt about \$25,900.

The claim of the Diocese of Ontario against this Diocese, referred to this Committee for settlement, has been finally arranged—the \$26,000 have been paid them and a release obtained.

The \$1600 invested through this Trust in the Farmer & deBlaquiere loan, have been re-paid with interest to the Widows and Orphans' Fund.

The interest received during the past year would seem to shew such a state of matters as would warrant the addition of some names to the paylist; but this interest is, to a large extent, for arrears due, and not the interest payable from May, 1870, to May, 1871. As there is not \$1000 a year surplus revenue, the Committee has not been able to report the funds in such a condition as to warrant any further charge on the Fund.

The Committee reported last year that it could rely upon interest to the extent annually of \$21,600. The Committee now report that the interest received from first-class securities amounts annually to \$25,000.

Schedule "B" gives an approximate estimate of the present condition of the Fund.

Schedule "C" gives an approximate estimate of the charges on the Fund. All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. B. FULLER, Chairman.

SYNOD OFFICE,

Toronto, June 19, 1871.

SCHEDULE "A."

Debentures	***
Provincial Insurance Con	\$380,000 00
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St. Stephen's Parsonage	Mortgage 3,600 00
Yonge Street Block	750 00
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SCHEDULE "C."

List of Clergy upon the Commutation Fund Pay-List, May 1st, 1871, with amount of Annual Stipend paid to each.

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CLERGY TRUST FUND.

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WILLIAM GAMBLE, EDMUND B. OSLER, Auditors.

Toronto, June 13, 1871.

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Debentures	1,166	65
" Loan to St. Stephen's Church	60	00
" Current Balance in Bank	121	90
" Mortgage, H. J. Boulton (in full)	149	10
" Vaughan Road Co	323	50
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6 mos. to June 1st, 1871	180	00
Rent of Yonge Street block	1790	00
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SYNOD OFFICE June 13th

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Synod Office, Toronto, June 13th, 1871.

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APPENDIX D.

REPORT OF THE ENDOWMENT OF THE SEE, RECTORY LANDS, AND LAND AND INVESTMENT COMMITTEE

For the Year ending 30th April, 1871.

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APPENDIX D.

REPORT OF THE ENDOWMENT OF THE SEE, RECTORY LANDS, AND LAND AND INVESTMENT COMMITTEE.

For the year ending 30th April, 1871.

The Committee, in resenting its first Report under the existing Constitution of the Synod, deems it advisable to offer a few prefatory remarks on its present scope and responsibility.

The Committee is an amalgamation of three Committees:

- (1) The old Land and Investment Committee of the late Church Society, charged with sales and investments for all the various funds of that body.
- (2) The Episcopal Endowment Fund Committee, which was a Committee of Synod, afterwards constituted a Committee of the late Church Society, for the purpose of embracing in its management some lands granted to the Church Society for the Endowment of the See.
- (3) The Rectory Lands Committee—the Rectory Lands Fund being a distinct and special one, the Committee managing which had, by virtue of an Act of Parliament, the power of sale.

Thus the three Committees which were clothed with the power of sale and investment, have now been united; and, as the successor to the old Land and Investment Committee, this combined Committee conducts sales and invests the proceeds for all the various Trusts of the Synod, except the Clergy Trust.

ENDOWMENT OF THE SEE.

During the past year there have not been any sales of land on account of this Trust.

The receipts on account of notes and subscriptions have been satisfactory: Collectors having been employed with very fair success. Notes and subscriptions have been paid; some notes have been renewed, and the overdue interest paid; and some subscriptions (or promises) have been converted into promissory notes. The actual amount received appears in the subjoined Financial Statement.

The Committee regrets to find that the receipts on account of income, during the past year, have not equalled the expenditure: the capital account having been overdrawn to the amount of \$177.09. The Committee recommends a strict adherence to the resolution adopted by the Episcopal Endowment Committee in November, 1869, restricting the Episcopal Income to \$2400, or such sum, not exceeding that amount, as the Income will allow.

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GENERAL LAND SALES.

The sales made of lands held by the Synod under various trusts, appear in the subjoined statement:

The Committee has had its attention drawn to the excessive and, in many respects, unnecessary law expenses incurred in effecting the sales of land under the powers possessed by it, owing in some measure to the various provisions which from time to time have been made with reference to the various Trusts, and the want of some more uniform and direct course of action. It is strongly recommended that in future all expenses of conveyancing should be borne by the purchaser, and that such understanding should be made a condition of sale, and that all deeds and other instruments, when completed, should be submitted by the Committee to its Solicitor—any regulation to the contrary being hereby rescinded.

INVESTMENTS.

The great bulk of the proceeds of the sales of Rectory Lands was invested in Dominion Stock. The price of this stock, since its purchase, having risen in the market, the Committee deemed it advisable to sell a considerable portion of it, and invest the proceeds in County Debentures, by which a fair profit was realized. A similar course attended with similar results was adopted in regard to other investments for other Trusts.

A statement of the investments and of the changes made in investments during the past year is appended hereto.

All which is respectfully submitted.

TORONTO, SYNOD OFFICE, June 9th, 1871.

H. J. GRASETT, Chairman

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Dominion Stock and Debentures sold	$\frac{431}{1686} \frac{50}{00}$	
St. Catharines Bond	990 00	
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For the year ending May 1st, 1871.

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RECTORY LANDS

STATEMENT of Sales made during the year ending 30th April, 1871:

MIMICO GLEBE.

- William Thomas Lacen,—South half of Lot No. 3, 2nd Range, (24 acres) for \$720. \$100, cash; balance securred by mortgage, with interest at seven per cent.
- James Thompson,—Lot No. 3, 1st Range (461 acres) for \$1488. \$100, cash; balance secured by mortgage, with interest at seven per cent.

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- George Woehl,-Lot 7, Con. 6, Bertie (100 acres), for \$3070.
- Richard Baker, -Lot 6, Con. 6, Bertie, (100 acres) for \$2000.
- William Spears, -Lot 6, Con. 5, Bertie (100 acres) for \$2875.
- Peter E. Miller,—Lot 7, Con. 5. Bertie (100 acres), for \$2,100. One-seven per cent.

CLARKE GLEBE.

S. B. Chandler,—Front part of Lot 20, Con. 2, Clarke, for \$4,000. \$1,000, cash; balance secured by mortgage, with interest at six

GUELPH GLEBE.

John Pipe,—Ten acres for \$1,300. \$300, cash; balance secured by mortgage, with interest at seven per cent.

TORONTO GLEBE.

- John Worthington .- Lot 2, west of Avenue Road, for \$400 per acre cash.
- Frank Shanly.—Lot 9 east of Avenue road for \$400 per acre. \$500 cash; balance secured by mortgage, with interest at seven per
- John Elstone,—Part of Lot 9, Con. 2, York, for \$60 an acre. One-fifth cash; balance secured by mortgage, with interest at seven per
- George H. White Five and eighty-four one-hundredths acres of Lot 4. north of Davenport Road, for \$400, per acre. \$336 cash; balance secured by mortgage, with interest at seven per cent.

PORT HOPE GLEBE.

- Charles Sparrow,—Lot 16, on plan of lot 9, Con. 1, Hope, for \$175 an acre. \$200, cash; balance secured by mortgage, with interest at seven per cent.
- James Jewell,—Lot 14, on same plan, \$175 per acre. \$100 cash; balance secured as above.
- William Fraser,—Lots 3 & 4 on same plan, for \$250 each; and lot 5 on same plan, for \$175. \$100 cash; balance secured as above. Lot No. 6, oh same plan for \$175 cash.

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- Hon. B. Seymour, -Lots 1 & 2 on same plan for \$250 each, cash; and lot 9 on same plan for \$175 cash.
- Mrs. Margaret Curtis, -Lots 10, 11, and 12, on same plan for \$175 each. \$200 down, balance secured by mortgage, with interest at seven per cent.
- John D. Smith,—Lot No 8, on same plan for \$175. \$50 cash; balance
- Arthur T. H. Williams,—Lot 13 on same plan for \$175 per acre. \$100 cash; balance secured as above.
- John McClung,—Lot No. 7 on same plan for \$17 an acre. \$100 down balance secured as above.

SYNOD OFFICE.
TORONTO, June 9th, 1871.

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WILLIAM GAMBLE, EDMUND B. OSLER, Auditors.

RECTORY LANDS FUND

List of Investments, May 1st., 1871.

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ANCASTER GLEBE.		
County Bruce Debentures	0.2000 00	
" Middlesex "	\$2000 00	
" Lennox and Addington do	. 2200 00	
Mortgage J. Wilson No. 1	730 00	
Mortgage, J. Wilson, No. 1, \$300		
No. 2, 160	00 00	
PRODUCTION OF	4600 00	
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BARRIE GLEBE		
County Middlesex Debentures		4
Mortgage Thos F Parison	800 00	,
Mortgage, Thos. E. Rawson 100	0 00	
Chas. McBride	0.00	
M. Moore	0 00	
D. Faragher	0.00	
Charles Morris.	0 00	
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CAVAN GLEBE.		/ •
Huron and Bruce Debentures	800 00 '	
Co. Middlesex Debentures	350 00	
Mortgage, Alexander Kennedy		
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, ,	-	150 00
CLARKE GLEBE.		- ,
Co. Lennox and Addington Debentures	\$10.00 00	
" Middlesex do	\$1040 00	
Horon and Bruce.	950 00	
Mortgage, Daniel Hays.	100 00	
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DARLINGTON GLEBE.		
County Middlesex Debentures	#2000 in	
"Frontenac, Lennox, and Adding-	\$2000 00	
ton, do	400.00	
Mortgage, W. Oke	400 00	
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" a	490	00 00
GRANTHAM GLEBE.		
County Wellington Debentures	500 00	
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Middlesex	250 00	
" Grey	900 00	
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	Bruce do.	400 00	1
	Huron and Bruce do.	250 00	
	Mortgage, D. Higgins (No. 1.)	\$1300 00	
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	J. Watts	2000 00	
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	GUELPH GLEB	L.	6650 00
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	County Middlesex Debentures	150 00	
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	MIMICO GLEBE.	1.	
	County Middlesex Debentures	200 00	r 29
	Lennox and Addington	200 00	
	Huron and Bruce	750 00	
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	W. T. Lacon	600 00	
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	NIAGARA GLEBE		
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	" Wellington do		
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	Stewart	\$2580 00	
	R. & J. B. Cudney	1000 00	
	W. O'Donnell	1900 00	
	E. Stevens/	2205 00	
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_	PORT HOPE GLEBE	. *	. `
C	ounty Middlesex Debentures	650 00	
	Huron and Bruce do	800 00	
	" Wellington do	920 00	
		<i>320</i> 00	
	Carried town	-	
	Carried forward	\$2370 00	

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PORT HOPE GLEBE-Continued.

Brought forward	\$2870 00	
Mortgage, D. Gray. M. Hallaran. J. Armstrong. C. Sparrow (No. 1.) (No. 2.). W. Fraser. Eliza Jewell.	\$800 00 850 00 600 00 185 33 150 00 575 00 250 00 8410 83	
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THORNHILL GLE	BE,	
County Middlesex Debentures "Wellington do Mortgage, J. Morgan W. Munshaw	1400 00 2060 00 \$1400 00 1600 00	
	3000 00	
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THOROLD GLEE	BE.	
County Grey Debentures 'Huron and Bruce do 'Middlesex do Lennox and Addington do Wellington do	200 00 300 00 350 00 300 00	
Wellington do Mortgage, C. T. Swayze J. Merithew A. Archibald G. Bouk	\$1400 00 \$1600 00 2100 00 1600 00	
	6700 00	20.00
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TORONTO GLEB	Ε.	
Dominion Stock Debenture County Huron and Bruce Debentures Lennox and Addington do	5440 00 1000 00 1300 00 8000 00	
" Essex do " Middlesex do " Simcoe do " Wellington do	10,200 00 4000 00 2000 00 350 00	
Mortgage, Dr. Sangster. J. B. McKay. Charles Brown Rev. E. Wood. A. T. Wood.	\$ 400 00 3000 00 1100 00 1500 00 1000 00	
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WATERLOO GLEBE.

County Lennox and Addington Deben-						
Mortgage William Sagar			1170	00		
Mortgage, William Spears	\$2465	00		,		
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Richard Baker	1714	00				
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WELLINGTON SQUARE	GLEBE.				**	
County Essex Debentures						
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Mortgage, Thomas and John Stock				00		
o o , and o o m block			4400	00		
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WILLIAM GAMBLE, EDMUND B. OSLER, Auditors.

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RECTORY LANDS FUND.

55,400 00

Debentures.

Wellington	
Wellington	\$4200 00
Middlesex.	16,000 00
Frontenac, Lennox, and Addington	400 00
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ridion and bruce	5,000 00
	2,400 00
IJOSCA	12,500 00
AUGUNOTON	11,500 00
Grey	400 00
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I certify that the Securities above described, amounting to fifty-five thousand four hundred dollars, are deposited with this Bank for safe keeping and collection on account of the Bectory Lands Fund of the Synod of Toronto.

H. S. STRATHY, Cashier.

CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE, 8th June, 1871.

Dontinion Stock	, I	*,	\u00fa
,	 		 5440 00
			\$60.840.00

I certify that the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto hold Dominion Stock amounting to five thousand four hundred and forty dollars.

G. H. WILSON, Transfer Clerk, Receiver General's Department.

BANK OF MONTREAL, Toronto, 8th June, 1871. LIST OF D

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Toronto	66		1250 00
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55,400 00 Toronto Glebe, Dominion Stock 5440 00

Ledger Balance, Investment account \$60,840 00

Examined and verified.

WILLIAM GAMBLE, EDMUND B. OSLER, Auditors.

APPENDICES.

RECTORY LANDS FUND.

Statement of Interest accruing on Investments, 1st May, 1871.

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NAME OF GLEBE.	Rate per	Principal.	Interest.
ANCASTER GLEBE.			
County Bruce Debentures	6	\$ c. 2000 00	120 00
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Mortgages Addington Debentures	- 6	730 00	1 30 00
	7	4600 00	≥ 322 00
BARRIE GLEBE.		9530 00	617 80
County Middlesex Debentures	6	800 00	48 00
8-	7	3200 00	294 00
"	6	500 00	30 00
CAVAN GLEBE.		4500 00	302 00
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Huron and Bruce Debentures.	6	800 00	48 00
	6	-350 00	21 00
Mortgage	6	6000,00	360 00
CLARKE GLEBE.		7150 00	429 00
County Longon - Land			
County Lennox and Addington Debentures	6	1040 00	62 40
	6	950 00	57 00
Huron and Bruce Debenture.	6	100 00	6 00
Age	6	500 00	30 00
DARLINGTON GLEBÉ.		2590 00	155 40
County Middlesoy Debent			,
County Middlesex Debentures	6	2000 00	120 00 -
Mortgages Addington Debnt'res	6	400 00	24 00
	8	2500 00	$200 \ 00$
GRANTHAM GLEBE.		4900 00	344.00
County Wellington Debert			
County Wellington Debentures	6	500 00	30 00
	6	200 00	12 00
" Middlesex Debentures " Grey Debentures	6	250 00	15 00
"Grey Debentures	6	200 00	12 00
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GRIMSBY GLEBE.	1	5750 00	391 00
County Essex Debentures		222	
County Essex Debentures "Middlesex Debentures	6	200 00	12 00
"Bruce Debentures	6	700 00	42 00
" Huron and Bruce	6	400 00	24 00
Mortgages	6	250 00	15 00
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STATEMENT OF INTEREST, &c .- Continued.

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NAME OF GLEBE.	Rate per	Principal	. Interest.
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LOUTH GLEBE.		2750 0	
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Essex Debentures Wellington Debentures	6	800 00	48 00
Wellington Debentures Mortgages	- 6	200 00	- 12 00
Mortgages	6	230 00	13 80
	-	4300 00	801 00
MIMICO CLEBE.		6630 00	440 80
County Middlesex Debentures Lennox and Addington D.	,		
" Lennox and Addington D.	6.	200 00	12 00
" Huron and Bruce Debentures	6	200 00	12 00
" Huron and Bruce Debentures	6	150 00	9 00
	7 .	3198 00	223 86
NIAGARA GLEBE		3748 00	256 86
A .			200 00
County Middlesex Debentures			
Wellington Debentures Mortgages	6	1200 00	72 00
Mortgages	6	40 00	2 40
	7	9185 00	642 95
PORT HOPE GLEBE.		10425 00	717 35
County Middlesex Debentures		,	-
" Huron and Bruce Del	6	650 00	00.00
Huron and Bruce Debentures Wellington Debentures	6	800 00	39 00
Wellington Debentures	6	920 00	48 00
Mortgages	7	3410 83	$\begin{array}{c} 55 & 20 \\ 238 & 72 \end{array}$
THORNHILL GLEBE.		5780 33	380 92
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County Middlesex Debentures Wellington Debentures	0	1400 00	
Wellington Debentures Mortgages	6	1400,00	84 00
Mortgages	7	2060 00	123 60
	1.	3000 00	210 00
THOROLD GLEBE.	. :	6460 00	417 60
County Grey Debentures Huron and Bruce Debentures		200	
Huron and Bruce Debentures Middlesex Debentures	6	200 00	12 00
Middlesex Debentures Lennox and Addington Debentures	6	300 00	18 00
Lennox and Addington Debentures Wellington Debentures	6	350 00	21 00
Wellington Debentures	5	300 00	18 00
	3	100 00	6 00
		6700 00	469 00
		7950 00	544 00
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May, 1871.

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STATEMENT OF INTEREST, &c .- Continued.

NAME OF GLEBE.	Rate per cent.	Principal.	Interest
TORONTO GLEBE.		\$ e.	\$.,
Dominion Stock	6 .6	5440 00 1000 00	
County Huron and Bruce Debenture Lennox and Addington Debentures Essex Debentures	6 6	$\begin{array}{c} 1300 \ 00 \\ 8000 \ 00 \\ 10200 \ 00 \end{array}$	78, 00 480, 00
"Simcoe Debentures	6	4000 00 2000~00	
" Wellington Debentures Mortgages	6	\$50 00. 8594 80	21 00 601 69
WATERLOO GLERE,		40884 80	2539 03
County Lennox and Addington Debentures	6	$\begin{array}{ccc} 1170 & 00 \\ 8593 & 00 \end{array}$. 70 26 601 51
WELLINGTON SQUARE GLEBE.	•	97,63 00	671 71
County Essex Debentures Lennox and Addington Debentures	6	1900 00	114 00 3 60
Mortgage	6	4400 00 6360 00	$\frac{264 \ 00}{381 \ 60}$
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Examined and certified.

W. GAMBLE, EDMUND B. OSLER, Auditors.

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GENERAL LAND SALES.

BOLTON ENDOWMENT.

Toronto, Grey, and Bruce Railway Company.—Two To acres of W1 7, Con. 7, Albion, for \$80 an acre, cash.

MEDONTE ENDOWMENT.

Richard Russell, senr. - South-West 10 acres of Lot 11, Con. 11, Medonte for \$50, cash.

ENDOWMENT OF ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, TORONTO.

A. M. Hubbard. - Lot on Esther street, Toronto, for \$200, cash.

FENELON ENDOWMENT.

Anson Moulton-E1 23, Con. 1, Verulam for \$1500; \$100 cash, balance secured by mortgage, with interest at 7 per cent.

CATHEDRAL ESTABLISHMENT.

John Kelvie-E; 4, Con 8, Seymour, for \$1000; \$100 cash, balance secured by mortgage, with interest at 7 per cent.

Synod Office, Toronto. June 9th, 1871.

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Sold £300 sterling Government Sixes, (\$1460) at 104\(\frac{1}{4}\) = \$1522 05 and purchased County Essex Debentures, \$1500	
	* /
Sold Dominion Stock, \$3300 at 1111 = \$3671 25, and purchased County Middlesex Debentures \$3600 at 1031.	
Purchased Township of Boxley Del	3726 00
Purchased Township of Bexley Debentures \$1300 at 96½	1254 50

WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' FUND.

٧	Sold £300 sterling Government Sixes, \$1460, at 1041 = \$1522 05, and purchased County Essex Debentures, \$1500, at	*	,
	Sold Dominion Stock \$1200 1111	1545	00
	chased County Middlesex Debentures \$1400 at $103\frac{1}{2}$	1449 (1910 (

GENERAL PURPOSES FUND

Sold Dominion Stock, \$800 at 1111 = \$890, and purchased		
Sold County Middlesey Debentures \$1400	828	00
and purchased Township of Eldon Debentures, \$1400 at $101 = \$1414$ $Purchased$ Township of Eldon Debentures, \$4200 at $96\frac{1}{2} = Purchased$ Township of Bexley Debentures, \$600 at $96\frac{1}{2} \dots = Purchased$ Township of Bexley Debentures, \$600 at $96\frac{1}{2} \dots = Purchased$	1447	00
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APPENDICES.

LEEMING MISSION FUND.

Sold County Middlesex Debentures, \$3600 at 101 = \$3636, and purchased Township of Eldon Debentures \$3500 at 96½ = and City of Toronto Debentures, \$300 at 93½	3377 50 280 50
Purchased Township of Bexley Debentures, \$400 at 961=	386 00
CHIPPAWA ENDOWMENT.	\$4044 00
Sold County of Midlesex Debentures, \$8000 at $101 = 8080 , and purchased City of Toronto Debentures \$8500 at $93\frac{1}{2}$ =	7947 50
FENELON ENDOWMENT.	3
Purchased Township of Eldon Debentures, \$800 at 961 =	772 00
DARLINGTON RECTORY.	
Sold £200 sterling Government Sixes, \$973 33 at 1041 = \$1014 69, and purchased County Essex Debentures \$1000 at 103	1036 00
Purchased County Lennox and Addington Debentures, \$500	
at 103	515 00
Township Bexley Debentures, \$700 at 96½	675 - 50
BOLTON ENDOWMENT.	\$1190 50
Deposited in Canada Permanent Building Society at six per per cent. interest	\$164 80
MEDONTE ENDOWMENT.	
Deposited in Canada Permanent Building Society at six percent. interest.	\$100.00
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The investments made on account of the Rectory Lands Fund appear in the Accounts of that Trust.

H. J. GRASETT,

Chairman.

SYNOD OFFICE, Teronto, June 9th, 1871.

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APPENDIX E.

REPORT OF THE MISSION BOARD,

For the Year ending 30th April, 1871.

The Mission Board begs leave to report that during the past year fifty-five Missions have received aid from the Mission Fund, the sum of \$9319 11 having been disbursed on this account.

Fifty-four Missions are now on the Mission Board pay-list, receiving aid to the amount of \$10,890.

A Statement of the Receipts and Expenditure for the past year is appended hereto—also a Comparative Statement of the Parochial Collections for 1870 and 1871, shewing the increase or decrease (as the case may be) in the amounts received from each Parish or Mission—also a List of the Missions now receiving aid from the Mission Fund.

With a view of adopting the recommendation made to the Board by the Synod at its last Session, that the salaries of its Missionaries, paid in whole or in part by the Board, be, for those in Priests' orders \$800 per annum, and for those in Deacon's Orders \$600 per annum," the Board has had under consideration, and has adopted, a By-law prepared by the Ven. The Archdeacon of Niagara, for the purpose of regulating the expenditure of the Mission Fund and carrying out more effectually the Mission work of the Diocese.

This By-law will be placed before the Synod for consideration at its present Session.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. N. TORONTO, Chairman.

SYNOD OFFICE, June 20th, 1871.

MISSION_FUND.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure,

RECEIPTS.

On account of Parochial Collections, 1869-70	\$9588 99
July Collection, 1869	•
Thanksgiving Collection, 1869 6 52	784 56
" January Collection, 1870	1200 36
•	975 70
Guarantees 218 75 Cookstown 144 00 West Essa 275 00 Fergus 275 00 Orangeville 159 00	798 75
Collections.	130 13
Synod Service 22 00	
Synod Missionary Meeting in Music Hall, June 23, 1870	
Run-Decanal Chapter of Simood	67 76
Annual Subscriptions	30%00
Donations	82 00
John Carter, payment on Rev. Dr. Macnab's Bond	100 00
Rev. E. Morgan, return of amount paid Ven. Archdeacon Palmer for Deputation Expenses	11 50
Henry Mortgage, on account of Principal	,100 00
Interest on Debentures (Gordon Bequest) 120 00	
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warknam village and Stoutfville	87	50
Maryborough and Peel	208	
	300	
winden	300	
	183	33
Mount Forest and Arthur	200	
Mulmur	200	00
MUSKOKA	183	33
North Douro	200	
North Essa	100	
Norwood and Hastings	200	00
Orangeville	150	00
Orinia	150	00
Parry Sound.	200	00
1 Cirytown and Elizabethville	200	00
Pickering		38
Total Comportie and Marshville	200	00
Rockwood and Erin	200	00
Rosseau	150	00
Saltfleet and Binbrook	325	00
Seymour and Percy	200	00
Shanty Bay		00
Streetsville and Churchville	150	00
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Gwillimbury (West)	167	00	175 00		
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'St. Thomas's		25			1 01
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Perrytown and Elizabethville	59 60	39 75		19 85
Peterborough	129 12	170 62	41 50	
Pickering	83 40			46 45
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MISSION BOARD PAY-LIST, MAY, 1871.

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Alma and Arthur	250 00	Mt. Forest and N. Arthur	\$200 00
Aurora, Oakridges, and		Mulmur	200 00
King	200 00	Mulmur (West)	200 00
Beverley	300 00	Muskoka	300 00
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Caledonia	200 00	Orangeville	150 00
Cookstown and West Essa	200 00	Orinta	200 00
Credit	200 00	Farry Sound	200 00
Creemore and Stayner	200 00	rerrytown and Elizabeth-	
Dunnville		ville	200 00
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Emily	100 00	Ville	200 00
Fergus	200 00	nockwood and Erin	200 00
Grantham	100 00	Rosseau (Muskoka)	300 00
Gwillimbury (East)	200 00	Saltneet and Binbrook	300 00
Innisfil	150 00	Seymour and Percy	200 00
Keswick	200,00	Snanty Bay	200 00
Keswick	200 00	Streetsville and Church-	200 00
Lowville	100 00	ville	200 00
Manitoulin Island	240 00	Tullamore	150 00
Manvers	200 00	Uxbridge	200 00
Markham Village and		Walpole	200 00
Stouffville	100 00	Waterdown	
Maryboro' and Peel	200 00	Welland and Fonthill	100 00
Medonte, N. Orillia, and		Woodbridge and Vaughan	200 00
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APPENDIX F.

INDIAN MISSION FUND REPORT.

The Committee on Indian Missions beg to submit the following report:

1. Garden River Mission.—The Rev. James Chance, the Missionary, and Mrs. Chance, the School Mistress, at this Station, have laboured during the past year with their customary devotion; not however without a renewal of those and oyances from the neighbouring Roman Catholic Mission of which they have so frequently had cause to complain. In the early part of last year these were of so serious a nature as to induce your Committee to demand from the Indian Department a full investigation. A member of the Committee attended the meeting held for that purpose, and afterwards submitted to the Government a carefully prepared statement of our claim to the land in dispute; and as no action was taken on the Report of this investigation, a member of the Committee was deputed to Ottawa in February last with instructions to urge a settlement of the difficulty in time to make use of the land in spring; but your Committee regret to state that notwithstanding the assurance given to the deputation, that it would be immediately decided in accordance with the proposal of the Committee, no communication on the subject has yet been received, to the serious inconvenience of the Mission.

This Mission has hitherto been supported by the liberality of the New England Company; and as their Missionary expressed a wish to remove to a milder region, the health of his family having suffered from a residence of fifteen years in that severe climate, the Company acceded to his request, and with the approval of the Bishop of the Diocese, arrangements were made for his removal this spring to Kanyeageah, one of the Company's Missions on the Grand River, in the Diocese of Huron. In order to prevent a vacancy in the Mission, your Committee lost no time in advertizing and otherwise seeking for a suitable Missionary, but they regret to state that only two applicants responded to their appeal, neither of whom proved to be such as the Committee deemed it wise to select, in view of The immediate the special service for which they were required. difficulty has, however, been met, and the vacant charge temporarily supplied by an arrangement kindly made by the Rev. Edward Wilson, the agent of the Church Missionary Society, who has been authorized to open Missions among the Indians on the North Shore of Lake Superior. The Bishop having approved of Mr. Wilson's plans, he has taken up his abode at the Sault Ste. Marie, and as soon as the proper season arrives, intends to explore the north shore of that lake, and confer with the Indians with a view to establish one or more Missions among them.

The Lord Bishop, after his visitation of that remote part of his Diocese in 1865, strongly urged the establishment of Missionaries or School Teachers at three Stations along that coast, as centres of extended operations, and your Committee were encouraged to hope that renewed zeal would be awakened throughout the Church on behalf of this special field of Missionary labour so peculiarly devolving on ourselves as a Church; but the pressing demands for ministerial services among those of our own race, in the more settled parts of the Diocese, have continued to absorb all available funds, and his Lordship's recommendations have thus far proved wholly inoperative. This is all the more to be regretted, as so far from your Committee being enabled anew to appeal to the Church for the extension of its Mission work among the neglected and perishing Aborigines whom we have

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supplanted in the enjoyment of this fair Canadian inheritance, there is a probability of the New England Company wholly withdrawing the support so long contributed by them to the Garden River Mission, and thus leaving the Church to provide the future expenses from its own Mission funds. Your Committee have exerted themselves to the utmost to avert such great and discouraging hindrances to the Indian Missions; and from the correspondence, and personal interviews held on its behalf recently, they hope that the Church Missionary Society will take it up; and they still trust that the New England Company may be induced to transfer their support to some other enterprise for the benefit of the Indians of Lake

Your Committee cannot allow the Rev. Mr. Chance and his most faithful and efficient fellow-labourer to leave the Diocese without expressing their own sense (and they trust that, also, of this Synod) of the loss sustained by

our Indian Missions in their removal.

The spirit in which Mr. and Mrs. Chance entered on, and carried out their labour of love, is best evinced by the fact that from the commencement of their missionary work they set themselves to master the difficulties of the Ojibway language, and so thoroughly succeeded that for the last twelve years no interpreter has been employed in the Mission,-all the members of the Mission family being able to communicate freely with the Indians in their own language. Moreover, several young Indians whom Mr. and Mrs. Chance, with great sacrifice of domestic comfort, have brought up in their family, are now affording to their brethren useful examples of the blessings of Christian civilization; while others who died under their roof, or shortly after leaving it, gave satisfactory evidence that they "fell asleep in Jesus." The grateful affection of their Indian flock, and the heartfelt sorrow evinced by them at their departure, are among the most pleasing proofs that their labour among them has not been in vain.

Manitoulin Island Mission .- It is now little more than a year since the Rev. Rowland Hill entered on the charge of the Indian Mission on this island, rendered vacant by the loss of our lamented Missionary, the Rev. Jabez Sims, whose death under such painful circumstances, while engaged in his Master's work, we had such just cause to deplore. Your Committee, not being able to provide Mr. Hill with a residence at Sheguiandah, where many of the Indians have settled, and where it is intended he shall reside, a residence has been temporarily provided for him at Little Current, about eight miles distant; but as Sheguiandah is accessible in all weathers, by land or water, he has been able to keep his appointments. His residence at Little Current has also enabled him to repress much mischief among the Indians, who either reside at, or frequently resort to, that chief place of traffic on the Island, and are peculiarly exposed to vicious temptations there. Mr. Hill reports: "Though the weather has been very severe during the past winter, and the snow unusually deep, I have not been hindered from the discharge of my duties. As it is often impossible to use a horse, I am obliged to travel on snow-shoes. This mode of travelling was very wearying to me at first, but I soon got used to it." "The Indians are well disposed to attend public worship, and in general my congregations have been very satisfactory. Their frequent absences on hunting and fishing expeditions seriously interfere with their own improvement and that of their children. Our aim must be to encourage them to get a living by the arts of civilized life. This is gradually being accomplished. There are now several pleasing exceptions to the general improvidence by which they have been characterized. Several have cultivated fields during the past season, and raised abundance of corn and potatoes for their families. From time immemorial, trade with Indians has been found

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very advantageous through their ignorance. Now they are becoming alive to their own interests, and, instead of dealing with those traders who pursue them, they make their purchases in the towns and villages on the mainland, where they get fair value for their money or commodities. This trade is greatly on the increase, to their manifest benefit. Their love for the firewater is the greatest evil we have to contend with. The fatal results of this propensity are constantly manifesting themselves in painful calamities and untimely deaths. The better disposed, however, readily unite in nay effort to prevent these sad effects, and I am anxious to do all I can to check them."

"Our school at Sheguiandah, under Mr. William Stinson, is well attended when the Indians are at home. The children are well behaved and diligent, and their teacher is evidently doing all he can for their benefit in every way. Mr. Stinson also manages the Sunday School in my absence, and it is doing much good."

Last Autumn a Common School was established at Little Current, to which the Indian Department, on application from your Committee, made a grant of \$100 per annum, on condition that the Indian children in the neighbourhood should be allowed to attend it. Several Indian families have availed themselves of this benefit, and Mr. Hill, who visits the school, reports they are improving.

There is also a Sunday School at Little Current, in conducting which Mr. McLean, a gentleman residing there, renders efficient aid. The young Indians of both sexes evince a great aptitude for learning music, and Mrs. Hill, who has now an excellent harmonium, assembles them for instruction in her own residence. Their conduct on such occasions is reported to be very exemplary.

Mr. Hill states that he is making good progress in the acquisition of the Indian language, and expresses himself satisfied with his position and encouraged in his labours.

He acknowledges a liberal donation of children's clothing last autumn, and observes, "If the donors could witness what comfort their gifts have imparted to our poor children in this cold region, they would feel themselves amply repaid." He adds, "I hope I shall not be deemed unreasonable in anticipating a similar supply next autumn, for it will be wanted"

In taking a retrospect of their humble endeavours for the benefit of the Indians in the Lake District, your Committee would express their regret that these claims, which they have annually urged on the consideration of the Church, have not been more generously acknowledged. The income of the Indian Mission Fund is derived—first, from a collection recommended by the Bishop to be taken up in all the churches of the diocese, which last year amounted to no more than \$508.27. Contributions were only received from sixty-three stations,—and in many instances the sums sent in were discouragingly small. The receipts from Sunday School collections and Missionary boxes (sources from which it was hoped considerable aid might have been obtained without interfering with the ordinary operations of the Mission Board) have only amounted to \$161.33; which, with a small sum transferred from the Mission fund, as stated in the Treasurer's report, give a total expenditure of \$704.15.

Your Committee are painfully impressed with the conviction forced on them by evidence of so very practical a nature, that the Mission work among the native Indians of our Diocese does not command that interest which, they humbly conceive, it has a claim to, if the Church is to prove equal to the great trust committed to it in the Apostolic commission of its Divine Head. To this want of zeal they are further compelled to ascribe another and no less discouraging feature, in the unwillingness manifested

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With a view spiritual neces brethren, in t mend that the during the en that part of t steps to meet to by the younger clergy to offer their services in the self-denying but noble Christian work. They venture very humbly but earnestly to press this on the renewed consideration of the Church, as a subject which ought to be seriously laid to the heart; and which will hereafter be reverted to with unavailing sorrow and shame, should other labourers enter successfully on those fields of operation which it has been vainly urged to occupy efficiently.

Your Committee feel that their position before the Church and community has been not a little painful. Entrusted with the conduct of a work which they conceived ought to command the sympathy of every memouragement, by those upon whom they relied for aid,—their plans thwarted, and their requests disregarded by official agents of the Indian Department; while the interests of the poor people they desired to benefit individuals.

Convinced that the most eligible site for their Mission on the Manitoulin Island is that originally selected at Manitowaning, where a prosperous mission once existed, and where a commodious church and other advantages still remain, your Committee have earnestly sought to retain it; but their wishes have been disregarded, or coupled with conditions they had not the means of complying with; and they have now the mortification of seeing this valuable tract of fertile land which had been cleared by the labour of the Indians, or with funds granted from the Imperial Treasury trifling cost.

Under all the circumstances thus set forth, your Committee feel that it is vain for them to attempt to carry out plans which they have repeatedly the Indian Mission work; but which it is impossible to accomplish without the requisite funds. Your Committee, therefore, beg to recommend that, until arrangements can be made for the more efficient oversight and protection of the Indian Missions in the Algoma district, the duties hitherto assigned to them be delegated to the Mission Board; and, in doing so, they would respectfully submit that, as the district for which their efforts have been directed, is now rapidly becoming, the highway to the North-West, and is thereby receiving a vast influx of inhabitants, the time has arrived attention.

With a view to bring more prominently before the whole Church the spiritual necessities of the white inhabitants, as well as of our Indian brethren, in that destitute region, your Committee respectfully recommend that the Lord Bishop be requested to appoint a deputation to explore during the ensuing summer, and report on the capabilities and wants of that part of the Diocese, and that his Lordship be authorized to take such steps to meet the exigencies of the case as may be deemed expedient.

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	" Interpreter	12	00		
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	Mr. Stinson, Schoolmaster			100	00
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APPENDIX G.

REPORT OF THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' FUND, AND THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS' FUND COMMITTEE.

WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The Committee appointed at the last session for the management of the Widows and Orphans' Fund begs leave to submit the following Report:

The Committee is happy to be able to state that the condition of the Fund during the past year has been such as to justify the hope so generally entertained by the Synod at its last meeting, that no reduction in the amount of pensions would be necessary. At the same time, it is obvious that, in view of the certain and regular increase of the demands upon this Fund, the pensions, small as they are, cannot be kept up to the present scale, unless the contributions of the members of the Church be materially increased.

Previous to the annual collection being made in October last, a Pastoral Letter was addressed by the Lord Bishop to the members of the Church, urging the great claim of this Fund upon their Christian liberality, and the result was an increase of about \$400 above the collection of the previous year,-the collection of 1869 being \$1245.51,-that of last year \$1645.44.

The total expenditure for the year ending on the 30th April last, as shewn in the detailed statement hereto appended, has been \$3242.09, while the bona fide income has been \$3356.37, leaving a balance in hand of \$114.21,-a result which cannot be deemed otherwise than satisfactory.

The number of widows in the list for the year ending April 30th, 1870, was fourteen; for the year embraced in the present Report the number has been fifteen; and that number is now increased to sixteen by the addition of the widow of the late Rev. B. C. Hill, so long a devoted and indefatigable missionary in this diocese.

Notwithstanding the additional claims, no encroachment has been made upon the productive capital of the Fund, which now stands at \$13,223.32, having been increased by the net sum of \$1906.62 received from the Kenned restate in full payment of all demands upon the same, and includ-

ing the plance of uninvested capital \$607.03.

The expenditure of the present year, it is estimated, will be about \$3500, which the Committee expects will be met from legitimate sources of income, which, at a phoderate estimate, may be put down at \$3550.

The General Purposes Fund Committee has decided that the annual payments of the clergy shall for the future be placed at once to the credit of the Widows and Orphans' Fund.

Sub-Committees were appointed by the General Purposes Fund Committee and this Committee respectively, to confer upon the adjustment of accounts, who have reported that the sum of \$437.84 is due to this Fund, the indebtedness arising out of transactions connected with the Darlington Glebe accounts. In relation also to the sum of \$3825, assumed by this Committee to be due to the Widows and Orphans' Fund in compensation for annual payments of clergy retained for the General Purposes Fund since the year 1860, your Committee is not able to state whether the General Purposes Fund is in a condition to meet this claim or not.

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The Committee have given a careful consideration to the By-law reported at the last session, but referred back with a view of considering certain amendments proposed by a member of the Synod. These have been considered and incorporated in a By-law or canon which is attached to this Report.

Appended are a Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the past year, the Income and Investment accounts being kept distinct; and an Estimate of probable Income and Expenditure for the current year.

Your Committee cannot conclude their Report without calling especial attention to the necessity for continually increasing the capital of the Fund. The number of annuitants must inevitably increase until the deaths among them shall equal the mortality among the clergy whose wives and children become the future annuitants; and, in view of such continually increasing claims, your Committee would urge upon the Synod, and the members of the Church at large, the duty of making every possible exertion to bring up the annual October collection to such an amount as will eventually meet the payments of the annual pensions, and allow the returns from rents, interest, annual payments of clergy, and other sources, to be regularly added to the capital.

All which is respectfully submitted.

May 29th, 1871.

H. C. COOPER, Chairman.

SCHEME FOR INSURING THE LIVES OF THE CLERGY.

Referred to the Widows & Orphans' Fund Committee (p. 65 of Report of 1871.)

The Committee, in conjunction with deputations from the Dioceses of Huron and Ontario, have carefully considered the Report of the "Committee on the Insurance of the Lives of the Clergy" (see p. 195 of Report of 1870), and the plan therein proposed for insuring the payment of a certain sum to the widow or orphans of a deceased clergyman by general payments of comparatively small amount from all the clergy who would voluntarily combine themselves into an association somewhat of the character of a Mutual Benefit Society. After a full discussion of the subject, the Committee arrived at the conclusion that the plan is surrounded by many practical difficulties, and that the main object in view, viz., the assisting the widows and orphans of the clergy, will be more effectually attained by judicious management and liberal support of the present Widows and Orphans' Fund.

FUND FOR SUPPORT OF SUPERANNUATED CLERGYMEN.

The Committee has not been able to devise any plan for this object which would be practicable at present in view of the large demands on the resources of the Church on behalf of the Mission Fund, the Widows and Orphans' Fund, and the Stipends of the parochial clergy. The Committee would recommend that the matter be allowed to stand over till the next session, in the hope that during the interval some definite plan for securing this object may be suggested.

All which is respectfully submitted.

H. C. COOPER, Chairman.

May 29th, 1871.

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WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' FUND.

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Estimated Expenditure		
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For amount of Capital May 1st, 1871, see List of Investments, Synod General Account, Appendix, page 160.

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By-law to make provision for the due administering of the Widows and Orphans' Fund of the Diocese of Toronto.

WHEREAS by the Act of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, passed in the 32nd year of the reign of her Majesty Queen Victoria, entitled "an Act to Incorporate the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto, and to unite the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto therewith," all moneys and property held in trust by the said Society for the benefit of the Widows and Orphans of Clergymen of the said Diocese, have been transferred to the Incorporated Synod of the same:

It is therefore necessary to make such amendments in the By-law of the said Church Society for the administering of the Widows and Orphans' Fund as are required in consequence of the passing of the aforesaid Act, as well as other alterations now deemed by the said Synod to be expedient:

- 1. Be it therefore enacted as follows:—The said Fund shall consist as heretofore of all rents, issues, or profits of lands or tenements now held, or that may hereafter be given, for the relief of the Widows and Orphans of Clergymen, and of all moneys and securities of whatever kind, now held, or that may hereafter be given or granted for the same purpose, unless special provision be made by the grantor or donor of the same for the distribution thereof.
- 2. Each Clergyman, whether Rector, Incumbent, or Travelling Missionary, having cure of souls in this Diocese, or licensed as Curate or Assistant Minister therein, in order to entitle his widow or children to claim the annuity hereinafter provided, shall pay annually to the credit of the Widows and Orphans' Fund the sum of Five Dollars, and in the event of any such Clergyman omitting so to do, the amount so omitted to be paid, together with compound interest thereon at the legal rate shall be deducted either from the first payment of annuity to be made to the Widow or Orphans of such Clergyman, or by instalments from successive payments of annuity, as the Committee of Synod for the administration of this Fund shall determine.
- 3. Each Clergyman, whether Rector, Incumbent, or Travelling Missionary, having cure of souls in this Diocese, shall observe the directions, from time to time, given by the Lord Bishop or by the Synod of the Diocese, in respect of the annual collection to be made in all churches and stations, for the Widows and Orphans' Fund; and it shall be the duty of the aforesaid Committee to state, in their Annual Report to the Synod, the names of all such Clergymen as may have omitted to make the said collection.

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4. A Committee shall be appointed annually by the Synod for the care and management of the Widows and Orphans' Fund; which Committee shall have full power to transact all business relating to the investment and improvement of the same, and to grant annuities according to the terms and conditions of this By-law; and no matter connected with the management, investment, or appropriation of the said Fund, shall be decided upon by the Synod till it has first been submitted to, and reported upon by the said Committee; and such Committee shall report annually to the Synod, making a full statement of the condition of the fund, the amount invested, and the nature and proceeds of the investments, the receipts from collections in churches and stations, from the annual payments of Clergymen, and from all other sources; also of the annuities paid and granted within the past year, and the expenditure within the same period.

5. From and after the passing of this By-law, the Synod will pay to the widow of every Clergyman, who at the time of his decease shall have been duly appointed to the cure of souls in this Diocese, or licensed as a Curate or Assistant Minister therein, or who shall have been placed on any superannuated list with the consent of the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, or to the children of such Clergyman, such annuity as the state of the Fund will admit, in accordance with the scale hereinafter provided, and subject to the provisions of the second section of this By-law; the said annuity to be payable in four equal quarterly instalments on the first days of January, April, July, and October in each and every year, and to commence from the day of the death of such clergyman, or from the day on which his stipend from the public funds of the Church shall have ceased: provided that an application for the pension, in the form and manner required by this By-law, shall have been lodged with the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod within three months after the death of the said Clergyman; but if a longer period shall have elapsed, then the annuity or annuities, if granted, shall commence, and be payable, from the quarter-day next preceding the day on which such application shall have been so lodged; and such annuity shall be continued to the widow during her natural life, or so long as she shall remain a widow, and continue to be entitled to the same under the provisions of this By-law. And in case such widow shall, at her death or remarriage, have children by her late husband, an annuity shall be paid to the guardians of such children in accordance with the said scale; provided also, that all annuities shall cease from the quarterday next preceding the marriage of any person entitled by this By-law to any such annuity: provided always, that the widow or orphans of a Clergyman herein designated shall only receive such sums as, together with their private income, if any, shall amount to the sums named in the said scale of annuities, or such proportion of those sums as may be awarded by the Committee.

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7. Every widow of a Clergyman, or the guardian of the orphans of a Clergyman, shall, in order to obtain an annuity from the said Fund, apply by a memorial, addressed to the Widows and Orphans' Committee, and supported by the recommendation of the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, and of two or more Incumbents within the same, setting forth the time of the decease of such Clergyman, the name of his widow, and the names and ages of his children, together with a statement of the income of such widow or orphans from all sources, which Memorial shall be taken into consideration by the aforesaid Commitsee at their next meeting after the receipt of the same.

8. Every widow being an annuitant on the Widows and Orphans' Fund, and the guardians of orphans annuitants on the same, shall quarterly, before receiving any portion of an annuity, make one of the following declarations in the presence of a Clergyman or Magistrate, which declaration shall be attested by the Clergyman or Magistrate

Declaration to be made by a Widow.

I ----, do hereby declare that I am the widow of the late Reverend ---- ; that I am entitled to an annuity from the Widows and Orphans' Fund of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto; that I am still a widow, and that my income for the past twelve months from all sources, has been \$ _____, not including my own earnings.

Signed before me.

Name.

Description.

Residence.

Declaration to be made by the Mother or Guardians of Children.

I _____, hereby declare that I am the duly appointed Guardian of the children of the late Reverend -, whose names and ages are respectively written below; that they are entitled to an annuity from the Widows and Orphans' Fund of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto: and that their income for the past twelve months, from all sources (not including wages earned by any of them), has been \$

Names of Children.

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Signed before me.

Name.

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SCALE OF ANNUITIES.

- 1. Every widow with no private income shall be entitled to an annuity on her own behalf of two hundred dollars; which annuity shall be reduced by the amount of private income which any widow may possess, so as to be extinguished in any case in which the private income of the widow amounts to two hundred dollars.
- 2. Every widow having children shall in addition to the above be entitled to an annuity on their behalf, as follows: viz., for one child. eighty dollars; for two children, one hundred and forty dollars; for three children, one hundred and eighty dollars; and for four or more children, two hundred dollars; and in the event of a Clergyman deceased leaving children, but no widow, or in the event of the death or re-marriage of a widow, such annuity shall be paid to the lawful guardians of such children, provided that all such annuities shall cease in the case of boys on their attaining the age of sixteen years, and in the case of girls on their attaining the age of eighteen years; provided also, that such annuities shall be reduced to the extent to which such orphans may be in the enjoyment of income from other sources, as in the case of widows, and as provided in section five of this By-law.

SUMMARY OF BY-LAW REPORTED AT THE SESSION OF 1870.

Preamble; adopted and retained in the amended By-law now submitted.

Sec. 1, as retained, with the addition of the words "or securities of whateve kind."

Sec. 2 made it imperative upon every Clergyman to pay annually \$5 to the Widows and Orphans' Fund, to make all the Quarterly Special Collections, and a Annual Parochial Collection for Missionary objects; Curates not being responsible for the two latter requirements: the Synod, on the recommendation of the Bisho and the Widows and Orphans' Committee, being, nevertheless, empowered to gran an annuity in special cases.

Sec. 3 required an entrance payment of \$40, either in one sum, or in eight annual instalments; uncompleted payments to be deducted from pension; and a payment of \$40 from a Clergyman on his re-marrying.

Sec. 4, as retained, appointing a Committee.

Sec. 5 provided a pension of \$200 for a widow, with or without children: for children, the mother being dead, or having married again, \$60 each, up to \$200, to be held to the age of twenty-one years, unless married before. No pension private income exceeds \$400 per annum.

Sec. 6. Amount of annuity to be settled at the annual meeting of Synod, and be predicated upon the previous year's income of the Fund.

Secs. 7 and 8. Mode of application and declarations to be made by annuitants. Sec. 9 extends time for payments required by 3rd section to the end of the present year.

Sec, 10. Doubts as to interpretation to be referred to the Executive Committee and the Bishop.

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THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS' FUND.

At t e commencement of the year embraced in this Report, there were five exhibitioners upon this Fund, namely: Messrs Clarke, Greene, Woodburn, Armstrong, and Dundas. Mr. Woodburn having been compelled by unavoidable circumstances to discontinue his college studies for a year, and the exhibitions held by Mr. Clarke and Mr. Greene having terminated at the end of June, there were only two exhibitioners, Mr. Dundas and Mr. Armstrong, during the Michaelmas Term of 1870 and the Lent Term of

The payments, therefore, for the past year, including a sum of \$40 to Mr. Woodburn for the previous year, have amounted to \$400, the exhibitions being \$120 each.

The Receipts for the year ending 30th April, last, have been

Balance, 1st May, 1870 Collections received after the Books were closed of April, 1871	
Exhibitions paid, as above	\$964 00 400 00
Balance in hand May 1, 1871	\$564.00

At present there are three exhibitioners, a third, Mr. Doherty, having been added at the commencement of the last Lent Term. One, Mr. Armstrong, will resign his exhibition at the end of this Term. Should Mr. Woodburn return, as expected, in October next, there will then be three, and the amount now in hand will admit of two additional exhibitions being offered at the commencement of the next Academical year. Should there be candidates for them, the expenditure for the current year may be esti-

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In accordance with the 7th Section of the By-law, the College authorities have furnished to the Committee, a tabular Report of the conduct and progress of the students assisted from this Fund, under the following heads: General conduct; Attendance at Chapel, at the Holy Communion, and at Lectures; Application and progress in studies, and examinations. In the case of the two students who will continue on the list the report is highly satisfactory, but not so much so in the case of the third, who, as before stated, will give up his exhibition at the end of this term.

Of the two gentlemen, Mr. Clarke and Mr. Greene, who completed their Divinity course in June last, the former was admitted to Holy Orders in October, and is stationed at Haliburton; the latter has been recently admitted, and is appointed to a Mission on the North Shore of the Georgian

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. C. COOPER, Chairman.

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APPENDIX H.

REPORT OF THE GENERAL PURPOSES, STATISTICS, AND ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE,

For the Year ending 30th April, 1871.

The General Purposes, Statistics, and Assessment Committee begs leave to report as follows:—

GENERAL PURPOSES FUND.

In accordance with a resolution adopted at the last meeting of Synod, "That for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses incurred in the management of the several Trusts and Funds now transferred to, or that may hereafter be vested in the Incorporated Synod, whatever sum may be required beyond that produced by the rent of lands or the interest of investments held for the General Purposes of the Synod, shall be raised by an equal ratable per centage on the several Funds administered by the Synod," your Committee resolved that, in order to meet the future expense of managing the investments, and the proper share of general expenses of Synod chargeable to the Rectory Lands already or in future to be sold and the proceeds invested, there be deducted from the proceeds of each and every sale (whether already effected or to be effected) a sum equal to five per cent. on such proceeds, and that the same be transferred to the General Purposes Fund Committee, to be by it invested as a Special Fund, the interest upon which shall be applied to meet the share of said Rectory investments in defraying the expenses of management.

In regard to all the other Funds, your Committee resolved to levy an assessment of four cents per dollar on the receipts of said Funds for the past year.

With reference to the annual (\$5) subscriptions of the duly recognized Clergymen in the Diocese, heretofore paid to the General Purposes Fund and then transferred to the Widows and Orphans' Fund, your Committee resolved that these annual payments should, for the future, be carried directly to the Widows and Orphans' Fund, thereby simplifying the Synod accounts.

At the last meeting of the Synod the report of the General Purposes Fund Committee in regard to the Darlington Rectory case was referred to this Committee for the purpose of enquiring further into the facts of that case, with power to take the advice of counsel and to act thereon. Your Committee, not having been able during the past year to take any action in the matter, requests that it be referred back for further consideration.

A statement of the Receipts and Expenditure on account of General Purposes for the year ending 30th April last, is appended hereto.

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ASSESSMENT OF PARISHES.

As required by the Constitution, and in accordance with the Resolution adopted at the last meeting of the Synod, "that the proceeds of a revised assessment of the Diocese on a scale not to exceed that of former years on the whole by more than twenty-five per cent., which the Assessment Committee are hereby empowered to make, be applied to meet expenses directly connected with the meetings of the Synod," your Committee, at its meeting in February last, revised the Assessment List, and the list so revised was published in the Church Herald of the 9th of March last.

PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

In answer to the questions which, in accordance with the requirements of the Constitution, were transmitted by your Committee to the Incumbents of the 117 Parishes and Missions in the Diocese, returns have been received from all but seventeen. Returns are still wanting from the following

Alma and Arthur. Fergus. Gwillimbury (West.) Hamilton, St. Thomas's. Louth and Port Dalhousie. Medonte, North Orillia, and Morrison. Niagara. Otonabee. Seymour and Percy. St. Catharines. Thornhill. Toronto, St. John's. 66 St. Stephen's. St. Anne's.

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All which is respectfully submitted.

T. B. FULLER, Chairman.

Synon Office, June 20th, 1871.

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APPENDIX I.

REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL AND BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE.

The Sunday School and Book and Tract Committee submits the following Report, viz.:-

I. Report on Sunday School Business, received from the Committee of the Diocesan Sunday School Association, and adopted by this Committee.

He Report on Book and Tract Business.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL BUSINESS.

(a). Sunday School Association.

The Sunday School Committee of last year, whose Report was heartily approved by the Synod, recommended vigorous action with the view of improving our Sunday School system and affording an opportunity for mutual conference on the suffect, by bringing together the Clergy and Lay Representatives of the Sunday Schools of our Diocese, and establishing an organization composed of those who are engaged in actively promoting the Sunday School work of the Church.

The project thus approved by the Synod was carried out during the year with a large measure of success. The Committee was of opinion that it could best carry out the intentions of the Synod by the formation of a Diocesan Sunday School Association, and the following Constitution was adopted and approved by the Bishop:—

- "1. The Diocesan Sunday School Association shall consist of the Lord Bishop, as President, all Clergymen duly licensed in the Diocese, and representatives to be elected by the Teachers of the Sunday Schools therein. The teachers of each Sunday School shall be entitled to one representative, except in the case of Sunday Schools where there are three hundred scholars or over, which may return two representatives, and each additional two hundred scholars shall entitle the school to another representative.
- "2. The object of the Association is the promotion of interest in the work of Sunday Schools; the collection and diffusion of information on all subjects connected therewith; the circulation of Sunday School literature, and the obtaining of papers and addresses on Sunday School subjects, to be delivered at the meetings, with discussions thereon.
- "3. There shall be an Annual Convention of the Association at such time as may be decided by the managing committee, with the sanction of the Lord Bishop.
- "4. After the opening address at each annual meeting the Association shall appoint five Vice-Presidents, of whom three shall be laymen; a Treasurer, and two Secretaries, one clerical and the other lay, who shall hold office until the close of each next ensuing Convention, and such officers shall be associated in the management of business with the Sub-Committee appointed by the Synod Committee. The Managing Committee thus formed shall frame general rules of order for the conduct of the business of the meetings, determine the order in which all business shall be considered, and the limit

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"5. In the absence of the Lord Bishop, the Managing Committee shall nominate from among the Vice-Presidents a person to preside as Chairman of the Convention.

"6. Forty members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of all

"7. This Constitution shall not be altered except by a vote of two-thirds of the Synod Committee on Sunday Schools, and after three months' notice.'

(b) The Convention.

The Convention was duly held, and was attended by about one hundred Clergy and fifty Lay-delegates. The notice being short, several Parishes were not represented, but there is every reason to believe that a much larger attendance of representatives of the Teachers could be secured for another similar meeting. The following programme was successfully carried out, and an additional short lecture on Illustrative Teaching, kindly volunteered by the Rev. Mr. Bolton of the Diocese of New York, was added. To that gentleman, and to the Right Reverend Bishop Cox, and the Reverend Mr. Hutchins of Buffalo, we are indebted for the most valuable assistance in making the Convention successful.

Programme of Proceedings at the Convention of 1870.

"SUNDAY, 6TH NOVEMBER.

"At 8.30, p.m. a special service will be held at the Cathedral of St. James, Toronto, to be attended by the Sunday Schools of the various City Parishes. On this occasion a Sermon or Catechetical Lecture will also be delivered, and the offertory will be devoted to defraying the expenses of the Convention. As the Committee rely upon this collection to meet all their liabilities, it is hoped the offerings will be adequate.

"Wednesday, 9th November.

1. At 2.30, p.m., the members of the Association will assemble in Convention at the School House, attached to St. George's Church, John Street, when the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Toronto, President, will take the chair. 2. Prayer and Hymn. 3. The President will open the Convention. 4. Report of Committee.—Nomination and election of officers for the ensuing year. 5. Addresses or Papers on Selected Topics, with discussions thereon, in the subjoined order, till 6 p.m. 6. At 6 p.m., Hymn.

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"7. At 7, p.m., Hymn. 8. Address by the Right Reverend A. C. Coxe, D.D., Bishop of Western New York. 9. Hymn.

"THURSDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER.

"10. At 9.30. a.m., Prayer and Hymn. 11. Addresses or Papers on Selected Topics, with discussions thereon, till 1 p.m. 12. At 1 p.m., Hymn.

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"The following are the Topics which it is proposed to discuss on the present occasion, with the Speakers selected, and the order in which they will be called for.

"The Committee deem it necessary to absolutely limit the time for the delivery of each address or paper to twenty minutes, with the exception of the addresses of the Right Reverend the President, and the Right Reverend the Bishop of Western New York. It is further considered requisite to limit the discussion on each Topic, so that the paper and debate thereon may not occupy more than one hour and-a-half. In the discussions, speakers are limited to five minutes.

"TOPICS AND SPEAKERS.

"No. 1. The Duty of the Church to the Sunday School, and the relation of the Sunday School to the Church.—The Venerable the Archdeacon of Niagara.

"No. 2. The Duties and Qualifications of Teachers, and the Discipline of Scholars -Mr. S. H. Blake.

"No. 3. The Duties of Parents to the Sunday School, and the Relation of the Sunday School to Parents.—The Rev. Mr. Hutchins, of Buffalo, New York.

"No. 4. The Management and Instruction of Infant Classes, and their accommodation.—Mr. George Harcourt.

"No. 5. Catechising, and the extent to which it should be used.—The Rev. the Provost of Trinity College, Toronto.

"No. 6. Teachers' Meetings .- The Rev. S. J. Boddy, M.A.

"No. 7. Sunday School Libraries, and their Management,—School Newspapers.—The Rev. Canon Read, D.D.

"No. 8. The Past Success of Sunday Schools -Mr. J. G. Hodgins, LL.D.

"No. 9. Mission Schools-their importance, and the mode of their establishment.-The Rev. W. S. Darling.

"No. 10. The Character and Quantity of the Music and Singing to be desired in Sunday Schools, and the opening and closing Prayers.—The Rev. J. D. Cayley, M.A.

"No 11. The Management of Sunday School Recreations .- Mr. Gillespie."

[An additional lecture was delivered by the Rev. C. W. Bolton, of Mount Kisco, New York, on Illustrative Teaching.]

The Children's Service in St. James' Cathedral on the Sunday afternoon was attended by the scholars of seven of our City Sunday Schools, numbering 1840 children, with their teachers, and an overflowing congregation. The hymns and canticles, having been previously practised under the effective supervision of Mr. John Carter, were rendered with great force, and the Committee express the hope that similar gatherings of our children for united worship and the hearing of some striking address by a speaker selected, as on this occasion, for his special aptitude, may be held periodically in the large centres of population. They not only tend to foster a love for the church and for the beauty of her worship, but are adapted to awaken and encourage The Christian Life in both children and teachers.

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During the Convention much interest was manifested, and at the evening sessions the room was crowded with attentive listeners. The discussions on each paper were conducted with spirit and in kindness, and the general expression of satisfaction at the close, with the acknowledgment of very much valuable instruction received, was an ample reward both to the gentlemen who undertook the preparation of papers and to the Committee who had charge of the general arrangements. A most agreeable feature of the proceedings of the Diocesan Sunday School Association, was the reception by the Convention of an influential Deputation from the Sabbath School Association of the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec. The Deputation preinteresting and fraternal address. This address was received and replied to by the Bishop in terms most fitting to the occasion, and expressive of instruction.

The following Synopsis of Results was drawn up by the Committee at the close of the Meeting, and may be regarded as embodying the general feeling of the Convention on the several topics, as elicited by the discussions.

1.—On the Relation of Sunday Schools to the Church, and the Duty of the Church to the Sunday School.

That this Convention, considering the insufficiency of Clerical ministries, and the too general neglect of parental teaching, regards the Sunday School as an indispensable instrumentality of the Church System, and that the Teachers, Superintendents, and other officers, as auxiliaries to the Clergy in the training of the lambs of the flock, should be in their exclusive selection and appointment.

II.—On the Duties and Responsibilities of Teachers, and the Discipline of Scholars.

That in the conviction of this Convention the Teachers of Sunday Schools should be persons of sincere piety, studious, and persevering; while the children are to be governed and managed in a spirit of patience and love.

- III.—On the Duties of Parents to the Sunday School, and the Relation of the Sunday School to Parents.
- (1) That Sunday Schools do not exonerate parents and sponsors from the discharge of the solemn duty of instructing the children entrusted by God to their charge, in the sacred truths of the Gospel; but that the Sunday School is to be regarded as an integral part of the Church's work, in that the Teachers are the assistants of the Parish Clergyman, appointed by him, and acting in closest concert with him.
- (2) That parents are bound to take an active and personal interest in the teaching of the Sunday School, not only in seeing what lessons their children learn, but also in being present, when possible, at the public catechizing by the Clergyman.
- (3) That it is the duty of the parents to provide, by liberality in contributions for the purpose, the necessary books, &c., of instruction; that these contributions should not be made through the children, but that all offerings made by the children should be devoted to the Missionary and other objects of the Church.
- (4) That it is also the duty of the Congregation to provide the means of enabling the children to meet in some suitable place which will be at once cheerful and pleasant, that the children may thus be induced, not only to attend themselves, but also to bring in others with them.

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That the system of object teaching, and of black-board teaching, explained to the Convention by the Rev. Mr. Bolton, may, in the hands of a judicious teacher, prove a most valuable auxiliary in Sunday School instruction, and may be most profitably employed for a short time at the conclusion of the ordinary lessons.

V. On the Management and Instruction of Infant Classes and their Accomodation

That the establishment of separate infant classes, for the very young pupils in each Sunday School, and for whom a special system of instruction is needed, should be regarded as an important object to be attained. For such a class a separate room should be provided, fitted with picture cards, texts, and decorations, well lighted, and of cheerful aspect.

Great care must be exercised in the selection of the teacher of this class, who requires peculiar qualities and abilities, and a real love for the work and for children. Black-board and object teaching should form an important feature in the work, and special attention should be bestowed on the singing and the other devotions, which should occupy much of the time of the class.

The great object to be sought in these classes is the implanting in the infant mind, not only in as great a degree as possible, sound instruction, but a love for the Blessed Redeemer and for his Church.

VI .- On Catechizing, and the extent to which it should be used.

- (1) That the practice of catechizing in the public Congregation by the Clergyman of the Parish, may, with advantage, be revived in many Churches of the Diocese.
- (2) That preliminary instruction upon the proposed subject of examination is essential to the useful employment of this mode of impressing the truths of our religion upon the mind; and it should be the aim of the catechist, in the public exercise of his office, to render it useful not only to the young catechumens, but also to the adult members of the Parish, who may often be influenced to even a greater extent in this manner than by formal sermons.
- (3) The proper subjects for catechizing are passages of Scripture selected with this view by the Clergyman, and the summary of doctrines contained in the Church Catechism and the Creeds.

VII -- On Teachers' Meetings.

- (1) That such meetings should be weekly, if practicable, and monthly at furthest.
- (2) That at such meetings instruction should be given not only bearing upon the actual lessons to be taught in the School, but upon such other ecclesiastical matters as may enable the teachers to impart information to their pupils upon such subjects connected with the Liturgy and Services as may enable the children with more understanding to join in the worship and ordinances of the Church.

VIII.—On Sunday School Libraries and their management.—School newspapers.

- (1) That the Sunday School Library is a portion of our work which deserves and requires the most careful study and attention, and that it is of the utmost importance that the best system of management should be adopted.
- (2) The Convention learn with pleasure that the Synod committee has now under consideration a scheme for providing greater facilities for the

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IX .- On the past Success of Sunday Schools.

That the ascertained results of the Sunday School system, while many failures are recognized, afford abundant evidence that it has proved under the good Providence of God, the means of effecting great good, and that it must be regarded as an institution which should be fostered and established as a permanent branch of Church work.

X .- On Mission Schools-their importance and the mode of their establishment.

That the work of the Church in the rescue of souls may be in a most important degree advanced by the establishment of Mission Schools in localities where the more ordinary efforts appear to fail in reaching the people, and especially in the back streets of cities, and the more remote parts of the country parishes. It is the opinion of the Convention that such schools, where judiciously founded, may afterwards prove to be the beginning of additional parishes, and a most effectual means for the spread of the Church with all her blessings.

XI -On the character and quantity of the Music and Singing to be desired in Sunday Schools, and the opening and cosing Prayers.

That in the selection or preparation of forms of prayer or praise for Sunday School services, regard should be carefully had to the character of the services of the Church in which the children are being trained to worship.

That on this principle, we should use such forms of prayer as are either responsive, or cast the form of short collects; while, in praise, it is desirable to chant the canticles or the Psalms of David, and to sing hymns which are specially suited for children, as well as those which are used in our Churches.

Report of Proceedings.

The Committee is indebted for a report of the proceedings of the convention to the publisher of the Church Herald, and they are under particular obligation to the editor of the Churchman's Magazine for a report of the papers read at the convention. They understand that he is prepared to publish the paper separately in a pamphlet form, and at a cheap rate, and it is hoped all teachers and others interested in the subject will procure

(d) Local Associations.

The Committee recommend that the subject of Sunday Schools should frequently form the topic for discussion in ruridecanal meetings, and that, where found practicable, local associations of clergy and teachers be formed to promote the Sunday School work in the several rural deaneries.

The Support of Sunday Schools. (e)

While the Committee do not desire to repeat the many excellent suggestions contained in the foregoing summary of the results of the convention, they wish particularly to record their sense of the necessity for recognizing the principle that the money required for the efficient maintenance and accommodation of the Sunday Schools should be furnished

by the congregations to which they are attached, and that the money contributed by the children and teachers should be devoted to the missionary or other work of the Church.

(f) Lesson Scheme.

The Committee is convinced that every school will accomplish its work with more satisfactory results, if its teaching is conducted according to a scheme previously arranged for the year. It finds that this is already being done in some schools; but in very many it is not attempted, and in others the expense of providing a printed scheme is regarded as an obstacle. The Committee regards it as a matter of considerable importance to induce those in charge of the schools to adopt a uniform scheme of lessons, so that, as far as may be, the entire Diocese should on the Sunday take the same subject of instruction in the Sunday Schools, as we use the same Psalms and collect in our Church service. The children must, of course, have their separate lessons according to their capacity and attainments, but in addition to this there may be a uniform scripture subject, and even to a great extent uniform subjects for catechetical lessons, just as there are the uniform lessons on the collect to be taken up in all our schools on the several Sundays.

A Scheme of Lessons for a year, beginning with Advent, in 1871, is accordingly submitted with this report, which, it is hoped, will be found adapted for use; and it is respectfully suggested that those who may find it necessary to modify it in the case of any particular school, may at least accept it as a foundation, in order that there may be as much uniformity of procedure as is consistent with a healthy elasticity. It is intended to publish a scheme for every year, and a sufficient number will be printed to supply the wants of the Diocese.*

(g) Monthly Catechising.

It is recommended that where practicable the class lesson or scripture lesson should be omitted or shortened once a month in order that the clergyman may take twenty minutes for the purpose of catechising the whole school. It would also add much to the value of lessons, where uniform lessons are given throughout the school, if the clergyman or superintendent would give them a practical application at the close of each Sunday's work in a very short address.

(h) Liturgy and Hymns.

The Committee are of opinion that the prayers used in the schools should be chiefly of the responsive character, both as being adapted to retain the attention of the children, and to accustom them to that most valuable feature of our Church service. The "Order of Prayers for the use of Sunday Schools," published by Mr. Rowsell, will be found well adapted to that purpose. It is suggested that there be at least three hymns or chants sung during the school session: one at the opening, another in the middle, at the time there is a change of lesson, and one at the close.

(i) Register Books.

It is of great importance to the orderly conducting of a Sunday School that proper books should be kept. The Class Book, reprinted by Mr.

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- 1. The Teacher's Roll Book.
- 2. General Class Book.
- 3. Sunday School Register.
- 4. Sunday School Minute Book.

In reprinting a Canadian edition of these, some improvements may be made.

(k) Library Scheme.

During the year many inquiries have appeared respecting the best mode of managing a Sunday School Library. The Committee has had the matter under consideration, and suggests the following plan, which is found by actual experience as one of the best. It involves a little extra outlay in the beginning, but will in the end effect a considerable saving in time, and also in the wear of books. It is intended to have the cards referred to printed, so that they may be procured by any school desiring

There should be a printed catalogue in pamphlet form.

Each volume is numbered, and has a separate compartment in the library numbered to correspond.

Each scholar is provided with two cards.

"Library Card" No. 1, has the name of the Scholar, number of Class or name of Teacher.

Card No. 2, has name of the Scholar, Number of Class or name of Teacher, with spaces left for Numbers of Books required for a year or other period. Each scholar is furnished with a catalogue, from which are selected from time to time at home the books desired, always having six or more numbers so selected on the card, any of which the Librarian can furnish.

Card No. 1, introduces the Scholar to the Librarian, and, remaining in the Library, always occupies the compartment of the book in possession of

Card No. 2 always accompanies the book in possession of the Scholar.

Exchanging books is thus managed :- Each Scholar on entering the school, places his book, with Card No. 2 enclosed, on a table or stand stationed at the library door. During the session, the Librarian is engaged in exchanging books, and sorting them by classes, scoring out the number of the book given out on Card No. 2.

Immediately before the closing of the School, the Librarian deposits the books for each class with the Teacher, who distributes them to the Scholars.

Note.-Where found necessary the date of each Sunday in the year can be put on the back of Card No. 1, and scored out by the Librarian, on the

(l) Finances.

The Committee are happy to state that the amounts collected at the Convention were found sufficient to defray their expenses, as may be seen from

^{*}The Cards are already printed and for sale at Mr. Rowsell's, at 60 cents per 100.

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BOOK AND TRACT BUSINESS.

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It was thought desirable that certain rules should be adopted, to guide the Committee in making grants of books, &c., to both parishes and Sunday Schools. The following rules were framed, and, having been acted upon during the year, are found to work well, except that no approved list has

General Regulations under which Grants will hereafter be made by the Book, Tract, and Sunday School Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto ADOPTED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1870.

I. GRANTS TO SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

I. Under this General Regulation a First Free Grant of Bibles, Testaments, Prayer Books, Catechisms, and Library Books, from the accompanying lists, to the value of from \$2 to \$6 (at the discretion of the Committee), will be made to every newly-established Sunday School in any Parish

II. A Second Free Grant from the same lists, but not exceeding \$4 in value, will be made to Sunday Schools in new or poor neighbourhoods, at the discretion of the Committee.

III. Other grants will be made from the same lists to any Sunday School, to the value of double the amount, in Books, of any sum not exceeding ten dollars, which may be sent on behalf of such School for Bibles, Testaments, Prayer Books, and Library Books.

IV. In all cases it will be necessary, before aid can be granted to any Sunday School under these regulations, for the party applying on behalf of such School to fill up and transmit to the Synod Office a blank form, to be furnished by it, containing, among other things, the following information:

(1) The name of the School, Parish, or Mission; the name of the Superintendent of the School, and the number of Teachers, male and femals, engaged therein.

(2) The number of pupils enrolled in the School, of boys and girls; and the average attendance of both kinds of Pupils each Sunday.

(3) The amount which the School or Congregation has contributed during the preceding twelve months towards the expenses of the School-and in what way such sum has been raised.

(4) The number and kind of Bibles, Testaments, Prayer Books, Catechisms, or Library Books, which may be required in the School.

(5) The time when the School was established, and whether it was before aided by the Committee.

V. No grant shall be made to any Sunday School which is not in actual operation at the time of making the application on its behalf.

VI. These Regulations being general in their character may, in special cases, be varied at the discretion of the Committee.

II. GRANTS TO PARISHES OR MISSIONS.

1. A First Grant of Service Books, Bibles, Prayer Books, and Tracts, from the accompanying list will be made to any new Mission or Congregation in the Diocese, to the value of from \$2 to \$6, at the discretion of the II. A Second Grant will be made from the same list to any Parish, Mission, or Congregation, to the value of double the amount, in Books, of any sum not exceeding ten dollars which may be received from such Parish, Mission, or Congregation.

III. In all cases before aid can be granted under these Regulations it will be necessary for the parties applying for such aid to furnish the Committee with the following, among other items of information, on a form to be provided, viz.:

- (1) The name of the Parish, Mission, &c., and of the officiating Clergy-
- (2) The estimated number of persons composing the Congregation on behalf of which the application is made, and the average number of such persons attending each service.
- (3) The amount contributed by such Congregation for all Church purposes during the preceding twelve months.
- (4) The number and kind of Eibles, Prayer Books, and Tracts required.
- (5) The year in which the Congregation was established, and whether the Parish or Mission was before aided by the Committee.
- IV. No grant shall be made to any Parish, Mission, or Congregation, which is not in actual existence at the time of making the application on its behalf.
- V. These regulations being general in their character, may be varied in special cases, at the discretion of the Committee.

(b) Grants during the year.

The Number of Parishes and Sunday Schools aided during the year was. 45

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The Number of the several kinds of Books granted as above was as follows:-

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Reward and Library Books	101
Tracts	1000

(c) Transfer of Stock to Mr. Rowsell.

It was the opinion of the Committee that their business might be better done, if an arrangement were made with a Bookseller, by which a sufficient stock of desirable books should be maintained, it being found a matter of considerable difficulty for a Committee who were not always in attendance, to exercise the supervision necessary in managing such business. Conversation was therefore had with Mr. Rowsell, which resulted in a proposition from him, contained in the subjoined communications:—

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"It will be to my interest to induce as large a demand for the books as possible, by selling to the public at the lowest remunerating prices, which will, in most cases, be materially less than the Committee's present rates.

"I should propose that the stock now on hand should be valued, and the amount placed to the credit of the Committee in my books, against which their orders for grants, &c., shall be charged.

"By this arrangement I feel sure that the main object of the Committee, viz: the Circulation of Books for Promoting Christian Knowledge, will be considerably advanced.

"Toronto, September 8, 1870." (Signed), "HENRY ROWSELL."

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"In reference to the valuation of the stock on hand of the Books and Tracts alluded to in my memorandum of the 8th September, I would be willing to take at the cost price all that has been imported by order of

"There is on hand a large lot of stock which is of no commercial value, being quite unsaleable, but that was not imported by the Committee, nor did they pay any value for it. It consists mainly of the old Church Depository stock, which the Church Society handed over to the Committee for the purpose of sale or other distribution of it.

There is also some stock which at various times the S. P. C. K. have sent free of charge among the Committee's importations. They were sent as old stock, and such portion as was of use has been sold, leaving on hand only what is unsaleable.

The above are what I would not be willing to assume at any price, being commercially valueless. It must be given away, and can remain on my premises at the disposal of the Committee until they may appropriate it.

(Signed)

" HENRY ROWSELL."

"Toronto, December 18, 1870."

The Sub-committee who were charged with the duty of negotiating with Mr. Rowsell, were instructed, in connection with his proposal, to inquire if better terms would be offered by any other parties. They conferred with those who would be most likely to undertake the matter; but found that there was no proposition so feasible and desirable as that contained in Mr. Rowsell's memoranda. The Committee were, therefore, of opinion that the offer should be at once accepted, and are satisfied that the Synod and the public will be better served by an arrangement under which Mr. Rowsell will have a direct interest in making the sales as large as possible, while the prices will be generally lower than before. Under the proposed plan, the books and tracts will be attractively displayed, and classified to meet the wants of customers.

There is a portion of the stock which can be given away in grants, as it not saleable; and perhaps there is a small residuum which the Committee would not desire to distribute, being ill-adapted to the wants of the country, or in too bad order.

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The Committee closed with Mr. Rowsell's offer; and in communicating to him their acceptance, made the additional condition, that after the transfer should be completed, he should issue from time to time a sufficient number of Catalogues of the books obtained for parechial use, so that those who require them may have an opportunity of knowing what is for sale.

The stock as taken by Mr. Rowsell, in pursuance of the above arrangement was as follows (details are in possession of the Committee but are omitted here:)

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It is hoped that all will lend their assistance in bringing to notice improved books of instruction, in order that the catalogues to be published by Mr. Rowsell may contain a thoroughly comprehensive assortment, and that every Clergyman obtaining a grant from the Committee may be enabled to indicate from the list the books or tracts, best adapted to the wants of his Parish.

The Committee are inclined to the opinion that it is not necessary for them to produce an approved catalogue of books, but that the applicants for grants should be unrestricted in their choice. The attempt to compile a catalogue under the sanction of the Committee, would, in their opinion, be impracticable and unnecessary, and the bookseller's catalogue, which will contain all works for which there is any considerable demand, will be far more satisfactory than any the Committee could expect to produce.

The list of books hitherto supplied is somewhat meagre, and is as follows:

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Hymns for Little Children	H. Rowsell
Church Catechism	do
First Steps to the Catechism	. Christian Knowledge Society.
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The unsaleable stock not accepted by Mr. Rowsell will be given in grants to the best advantage, as books may be required, and the whole will shortly be disposed of.

JAMES BEAVEN,

Chairman.

Toronto, 9th May, 1871.

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THE BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE

In Account with

HENRY ROWSELL

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APPENDIX J.

REPORT OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE.

The Audit Committee beg to state for the information of the Synod, that Messrs. William Gamble and E. B. Osler, having been appointed Official Auditors for the current year, reports have from time to time been presented to the Committee by these gentlemen on the state of the accounts, and the usual Statements and Balance Sheets as verified by them are now submitted.

Acting on the suggestions made at the last meeting of Synod, the Committee turned their attention to the mode of Reeping the accounts. By some slight modifications they have effected a considerable saving of labor, without, they believe, any sacrifice of efficiency or clearness.

The certificates of the Bank of Commerce (the Bankers of the Synod) stating the amount of the Securities held by them, and of the Auditors regarding the custody of other Securities, both of which agree with the Statements in the books of the Synod, are appended hereto.

The Committee adopt the suggestion of the Auditors, as to the period o holding the Quarterly Meetings, believing that the additional month would enable the accounts to be presented in a more complete form after each regular Quarterly Audit.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

A. H. CAMPBELL,

Chairman.

- To the Audit Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto.

GENTLEMEN,—We beg to report that we have carried out your suggestion of making the audit as the Accountant proceeded with the Bocks.

Taking the Vouchers as the basis of our audit, we have traced them up to their proper accounts, and we have certified the usual Annual Statements as correctly extracted from the Ledgers of the different Funds. Securities other than those deposited in the Bank, and for which the Banker's Certificate was produced, have passed through our bands, and we have ascertained the payment of Principal and Interest on the same has been duly credited to the respective Funds; and, lastly, we have proved the Bank balances with the Ledger accounts, and found them correct.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. GAMBLE, EDMUND B. OSLER, Auditors.

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Darlington Rectory	243	32
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WILLIAM GAMBLE, EDMUND B. OSLER, Auditors.

SYNOD GENERAL ACCOUNT.

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SYNOD GENERAL ACCOUNT.

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T. Bolster	800 00	
J. Hamilton	200 00	
J. Smith	480 00	
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Wellington	858	1	
Middlesex	6,200	,	
Thorah	2,000		
Frontenac, Lennox, and Addington	2,800		
Victoria	3,000		
Simcoe	5,000		
Huron and Bruce	8,500		
Bruce	1,600		
Mono	5,500		
Eldon	12,000		
Renfrew	1,000		
Essex	4,000		
Lennox and Addington	1,500		
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I certify that the securities above described, amounting to Seventynine thousand and fifty-eight dollars, are deposited with this Bank for safekeeping and collection on account of the Synod General Account, of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto.

H. S. STRATHY,

Cashier.

CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE,

June 8th, 1871.

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APPENDIX K.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH MUSIC.

The Committee on Church Music beg to report that the sales of the Chant and Tune Book have been increased by the means adopted by the Committee, and extended in a measure into other dioceses, 244 copies having been sold since the last annual report; and that this state of things affords a prospect of a liquidation of their indebtedness within no very distant period.

JAMES BEAVEN, Chairman'.

APPENDIX L.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE CONSOLIDATION OF CANONS.

The Committee reports that the Consolidation of the Canons, Resolutions and By-laws is completed up to the date of the close of the Session of 1870, but recommends that the printing of the same be deferred till after the termination of the present Synod, in order that the Canons adopted at this Session may be incorporated with it.

The Committee also respectfully recommends that all Canons of the Provincial Synod, and all Acts of the Legislature affecting this Diocese, be appended to the same.

H. C. COOPER,

May 29th, 1871.

Chairman.

APPENDIX M.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SALE OF LOT IN NOTTAWASAGA

The Committee appointed to investigate the sale of the Nottawasaga Lot, begs leave to Report as follows:

1. The Church at Collingwood offered, and the Church at Creemore agreed, that the fund in question, being the proceeds of the sale of the aforesaid lot should be dealt with as follows:

2. Fifty dollars of the interest from the aforesaid fund to be paid annually to the Church at Creemore from the 2nd day of July next up to the 1st day of July, 1878, or antil the present Rector ceases to be Recto of Collingwood, whichever event first happens.

3. Upon the happening of whichever of the above events first take place, the interest of the said fund is to be paid equally to the Church of All Saints', Collingwood, and the Church at Creemore.

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5. Your Committee recommends that the above settlement be ratified by the Synod, and that it be declared that the said Churches are interested in the aforesaid fund in the manner above set forth.

S. H. BLAKE,

June 23, 1871.

Chairman.

APPENDIX N.

REPORT OF A COMMITTEE APPOINTED UNDER SECTION 36 OF THE CONSTITUTION TO EXAMINE THE CERTIFICATES OF THE LAY REPRESENTATIVES TO THE SYNOD—PRESENTED AND READ 20TH JUNE, 1871.

The Committee appointed to examine the Certificates of the Lay Delegates beg leave to report that they have examined the accompanying list, and compared it with the certificates produced, and that they find it correct with the following exceptions: In the case of the Mission of

Bobcaygeon, one of the Delegates (John Ireton) is reported not to have communicated three times during the past year, Holy Communion having been administered but twice in his part of the Mission.

Brighton. - The fees have not been paid.

Collingwood.—There have been two meetings held in this Parish; but of the second, which was held to elect one Delegate in the place of Mr. R. A. Harrison, resigned, due notice as required by the Constitution seems not to have been given. The Delegate elected at this meeting (Mr. K. Tully), seems therefore to have been irregularly elected.

Garden River.—Two Indians were chosen at the regular meeting to act as delegates; but for some reason there were nominated also two substitutes (Mr. Graham and Mr. Gillespie), for which proceeding there is no provision in the Constitution.

Sault St. Marie.—Certificate irregular. A copy of the proceedings of the Vestry has been sent to vouch for the election of the Delegate, which seems to have been a valid one.

Shanty Bay.—Two meetings were held, at which two Delegates and one Delegate were respectively chosen.

St. Stephen's, Toronto.—The Certificate of one of the Delegates (Mr. Hime), is irregular; but objection has been taken already to this seat, all of which is respectfully submitted.

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APPENDIX O.

Decision of the Court on Contested Seats in Synod.

At a Court held in pursuance of Section 37 of the Constitution of the Synod (with powers for the settlement of Contested or doubtful Seats in the Synod). Present—S. B. Harman, Esq., Registrar of the Diocese, Chairman; Rev. Canon Read, D.D.; Rev. George A. Bull, B.A.; D. B. Read, Esq., Q.C.; and Wm. Gamble, Esq. The following cases were considered and decided as follows:

JUDGMENT OF THE COURT IN REGARD TO CONTESTED SEATS.

NAME OF Mission.	/ DBLEGATES.	OBJECTION.	DECISION,
No. 1. Collingwood.	A. R. Stephen, M.D. W. A. Parlane, Kivas Tully.	consecutive Sundays no having been given of the	In this case Mr. R. A. Har trison, who received a double return for Collingwood and 8s of George's Toronto, having elected to sit for the latter, a nevelection was held for a third Delegate for Collingwood—the formalities in calling which we hold the objection well taken, and with regret must disallow the seat to Mr. Tully We must also call attention to another informality, namely Mr. Harrison's omission to notify the Secretary-Treasurer when he elected to sit for St. Geörge's, so that the notification of the same to the Incumbent of Collingwood might have been made by the Secretary-Treasurer as required by the Constitution instead of by himself.
No. 2. Garden River.	Thomas Augister, H. Puḥurdgarno, James Graham, James Gillespie.	The last two are named as Substitutes, for which there seems no provision in the Constitution.	We are compelled to disallow the seats of Mr. Graham and Mr. Gillespie, the objection being well taken, but we are glad to learn that they are re- gularly elected for another Mis- sion,
No. 3. s Bobcaygeon.		year, the Communion not having been administered in that part of the	whose seat objection is taken, is shown to have Communicated
Shanty Bay.	Col. O'Brien, H. O'Brien, John Steele.	That the election was the result of two meet- ings.	There were two meetings, but they were regularly held, and the seats are allowed.

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No. 5. Sault Ste. Marie.	E. M. Carruthers. [of Toronto.]		and regularity of election being
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No. 6: Brighton.	•	The fees have not been paid.	The Mission is ipso facto dis- franchised as long as the cause of disability is allowed to con- tinue.
1	Colonel Gillmor, Professor Buckland H. Lloyd Hime	(1) That it did not take place until after fifteen days from the receipt of	Denison having secured a dou- ble return, namely, for this Parish and tarry ound, and having elected to sit for the
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,		of the election, or for one eyear previous to the said election. And ineligibility of the Delegate for his not having Communicated three witmes during the year pre	iffect to the first objection, a currely technical one. the Contitution requiring the Incument to give notice (as in case) for two consecutive sundays, thich was done and to hold the lection within fifteen discontinuous.
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In conclusion we regret that on these purely technical grounds the seats of several valued delegates have had to be disallowed—and while, in disallowing them, we have reluctantly discharged an obviously unpleasant

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duty, we trust the record of our decision will lead to greater care and caution for the avoidance of similar rejections in future.

By the Court,

SAMUEL B. HARMAN,

Registrar of the Diocese, Chairman

Toronto, June, 1871.

APPENDIX P.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REV. S. BRIGGS'S CASE.

The Committee, to whom the consideration of the case of the Rev. S. Briggs has been referred, beg leave to report that they see no reason for not concurring in the report made to this Synod, at its meeting in 1870, by the Committee to whom a memorial of the Rev. S. Briggs was then referred, except so far as that report contemplated the further employment of Mr. Briggs in clerical duty, which this Committee cannot recommend.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE WHITAKER,

Chairman.

June 24th, 1871.

APPENDIX Q.

BY-LAW FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF THE MISSION FUND.

In order to carry out more effectually the Mission work of this Diocese, it is desirable that the By-laws for the expenditure of the money of the Mission Fund should be repealed; and that, in framing new ones the following principles and objects should, as far as possible, be kept in view:

- (1). To apply the Mission Fund so as to elicit the greatest amount of local effort, and to render each Mission, as soon as practicable, self-supporting.
- (2). To grant each Mission just so much aid as it requires; taking up each case upon its own merits.
- (s). To raise the present scale of pecuniary remuneration to our Missionaries.
- (4). To render the payment of stipends to Missionaries as certain and as regular as possible, without wholly destroying that wholesome degree of stimulus necessarily implied in the voluntary system.

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(5). To relieve the Missionary from the unpleasant, invidious, and derogatory task of pleading before his people for his own individual remuneration; and yet make it his duty and his interest to urge the claims of the Mission Fund on them.

(6). With a view to securing the last mentioned result, that the stipends of our Missionaries be paid wholly through the Secretary-Treasurer of the to that official.

1. To carry out the above plans and objects, there shall be elected annually, at the time of the election of the officers of the Synod, by the members of the Synod, for each Rural Deanery, two Clergymen, and two laymen being communicants, and living in the Rural Deanery for which they shall be elected, who, with the Archdeacon and the Rural Dean of the locality, shall constitute a Committee on Missions for that Rural Deanery; and a quorum of said Committee shall consist of the Archdeacon or Rural Dean, and any two elected members.

2. Before a grant is made by the Mission Board in aid of any Mission, it shall be the duty of said Committee to visit such Mission in order to confer with the several congregations thereof, for the purpose of ascertaining their resources and liabilities, and of arranging with them as to the amounts which they might fairly be expected to raise towards the stipend of their Missionary; and said Committee shall report to the Lord Bishop, within one week of their visit, the result of their enquiries, the arrangements which they have made with the several congregations, and the action they would recommend.

deem fit, shall be laid before the Mission Board at its next ensuing meeting, when the Board shall decide as to the amount which it is able and willing to grant toward the support of a Missionary in said Mission; which decision shall regulate the amount to be given to such Mission from the funds at the disposal of the Board, from the date of the agreement with the several congregations of the Mission; or in the case of new Missions, or of the appointment of a new Missionary, from the date of the appointment of the Missionary to said Mission.

4. In case the several congregations of any Mission fail to make up their quota of a Missionary's stipe of required by the Mission Board, in conformity with the following scale, viz., \$800 as the stipend of a Missionary in Priest's orders, and \$600 for those in Deacon's orders, then the said Committee on Missions for the Rural Deanery shall re-visit the several congregations of said Mission, and endeavour to induce the people to raise the proportion payable by them towards the stipend of their Missionary to the amount required, and report within one week of the time of their visit, to the Lord Bishop, the result of their labours: which report the Lord Bishop shall transmit to the Mission Board with his recommendations in regard thereto, at its next ensuing meeting.

5. That whenever the Mission Board and the several Congregations of any Mission have agreed as to the amounts which they shall severally contribute towards the stipend of their Missionary, (which stipend never shall be lower than that recommended by the Synod of 1870), then it shall be the duty of the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod to enter into a written agreement, in duplicate, with two or more members of such Mission approved by the Mission Board, according to the accompanying form:

Articles of agreement between the Board of Missions of the Diocese of Toronto, and two or more members of the congregation of the Mission of witnesseth, that the undersigned members of said congregation do hereby undertake and agree, on behalf of said congregation, to have the sum of dollars, lawful money of Canada, collected and paid quarterly to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod of said Diocese, so long as the ministrations hereafter agreed upon to be afforded to said congregation shall be continued.

The services referred to in the above paragraph shall be

and in consideration of the regular and punctual payment of the above mentioned sum, the Board of Missions aforesaid hereby undertakes to maintain such ministrations of the Church, in the place and at the time mentioned above, so long as the said sum shall be paid.

The present agreement is for the term of three years, counting from the Signed in Duplicate.

6. These agreements having been thus entered into, it shall be the duty of the Secretary-Treasurer of the Symod to pay quarterly the stipends of the Missionaries out of the general Mission Fund of the Diocese, according to a list furnished him by the Lord Bishop, but subject to the regulations contained in the subsequent clauses of this By-law.

7. Every engagement between the Board of Missions and the congregations of any Mission shall be binding upon both parties for three years, unless otherwise agreed upon; but it is expressly understood, that every such engagement shall be liable to revocation or modification at the end of each three years; or on a change of the Missionary in charge; or whenever two-thirds of the members of the Board present at any meeting of the same, see sufficient reason to alter their estimate of the pecuniary ability of the Mission; notice of such proposed modification or revocation must be given at one meeting of the Board, and discussed and disposed of at the next.

8. Whenever any Mission shall fail to remit the amount agreed to be paid into the Mission Fund by the several congregations of said Mission, or any part thereof, then three months after the sum shall have fallen due, (the amount still remaining unpaid) it shall be the duty of the Secretary Treasurer of the Synod meanwhile to suspend payment to the Missionary of his stipend: to report the said failure to the Lord Bishop, who shall order the Secretary-Treasurer to transmit to the Missionary, and also to the Churchwardens of the congregations in arrears a copy of the following notice:—

To the Churchwardens and Members of the Congregation of Gentlemen,

I have been directed by the Mission Board to notify you that the contribution due from you to the Mission Board of the Diocese, not having been paid on day of the services of the Church, will, after Sunday next, (or from this day) be suspended by order of the Bishop, in accordance with a standing rule of the Synod to that effect, until the payment as agreed upon is duly made.

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I am, Gentlemen, Your obedient Servant,

Secretary-Treasurer.

This notice shall be read to the congregation in arrears on the two Sundays on which service is held, next after the receipt thereof.

9. That it shall be the duty of the Missionary, whose services have been thus suspended, to report that fact, within one week, to the Lord

10. That when thus notified, the Lord Bishop shall direct the Committee on Missions for the Rural Deanery to ascertain, as soon as practicable, the reason of said failure.

11. It shall be the duty of the Missionary in charge of the defaulting congregation, and the Churchwardens thereof, to appear before this Committee on Missions, when notified, by the Chairman thereof, of the time and place of their meeting, which place shall be in the Mission.

12. That a full written report of all the evidence taken by the Committee, with their opinion on the merits of the case, shall be forwarded to the Lord Bishop within one week after the completion of their enquiry, signature; and on receiving this report, the Lord Bishop shall forthwith forward it to the Mission Board with any remarks appended thereto that he may deem proper.

13. That, when the congregation are found in fault, and they can show no just cause for complaint against their Missionary, and they still continue in arrears, then their Missionary, if he desires it, shall be sustained in his position, at the discretion of the Lord Bishop.

14. That in case the congregation shall continue in arrears in regard to their engagement after having been reported in fault, and shall still refuse or neglect to pay up such arrears, then the Lord Bishop shall direct the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod to pay to such Missionary so much from the Mission Fund of the Diocese, as will enable him to remain on the spet for a period not exceeding three months, at the discretion of the Lord Bishop; or as will enable him to remove to some other Mission in the Diocese to which he may be appointed; and it shall not be lawful for the Secretary-Treasurer to pay any moneys to a new Missionary in said Mission until all arrears shall have been paid to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod by said Mission as due to their late Missionary for services performed; and also until they shall have paid to the Secretary-Treasurer sufficient to repay the Mission Fund the money advanced to their Missionary, to bear the expenses of his removal. In every such case the Mission Board may aid in sustaining another Clergyman to serve the Mission at such time and on such conditions as the Lord Bishop shall deem right.

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16. That the actual necessary expenses of the Committee on Missions in each Rural Deanery, incurred in carrying out the previsions of this By-law, be paid by the Secretary-Treasurer out of the general Mission Fund of the Diocese to the Chairman of the Committee, who shall pay the expenses of the several members of the said Committee.

17. That the By-laws of the late Church Society for the management of the Funds of the Mission Board are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX R.

BY-LAW, TO MAKE PROVISION FOR THE DUE ADMINISTERING OF THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF TORONTO.

Whereas by the Act of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, passed in the 32nd year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, entitled "an Act to Incorporate the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto, and to unite the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto therewith," all moneys and property held in trust by the said Society for the benefit of the Widows and Orphans of Clergymen of the said Diocese, have been transferred to the Incorporated Synod of the same.

It is therefore necessary to make such amendments in the By-law of the said Church Society for the administering of the Widows and Orphans' Fund, as are required in consequence of the passing of the aforesaid Act, as well as other alterations now deemed by the said Synod to be expedient.

1. Be it therefore enacted as follows:—The said Fund shall consist as heretofore of all rents, issues or profits of lands or tenements now held, or that may hereafter be given for the relief of the Widows and Orphans of Clergymen, and of all moneys and securities of whatever kind, now held, or that may hereafter be given or granted for the same purpose, unless special provision be made by the grantor or donor of the same for the distribution thereof.

2. Each Clergyman, whether Rector, Incumbent, or Travelling Missionary, having cure of souls in this Diocese, or licensed as Curate or Assistant Minister therein, in order to entitle his widow or children to claim the annuity hereinafter provided, shall pay annually to the credit of the Widows and Orphans' Fund, the sum of \$5, and in the event of any such Clergyman omitting so to do, the amount so omitted to be paid, together with compound interest thereon at the legal rate, shall be deducted either from the first payment of annuity to be made to the Widow or Orphans of such Clergyman, or by instalments from successive payments of annuity, as the Committee of Synod for the administration of this Fund shall determine:

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4. A Committee shall be appointed annually by the Synod for the care and management of the Widows and Orphans' Fund; which Committee shall have full power to transact all business relating to the investment and improvement of the same, and to grant annuities according to the terms and conditions of this By-law; and no matter connected with the management, investment, or appropriation of the said Fund, shall be decided upon by the Synod till it has first been submitted to, and reported upon by the said Committee; and such Committee shall report annually to the Synod, making a full statement of the condition of the Fund, the amount invested, and the nature and proceeds of the investments, the receipts from collections in churches and stations, from the annual payments of Clergymen, and from all other sources; also of the annuities paid and granted within the past year, and the expendeture within the same

5. From and after the passing of this Ry-law, the Synod will pay to the widow of every Clergyman, who at the time of his decease shall have been duly appointed to the cure of souls in this Diocese, or licensed as a Curate or assistant Minister therein, or who shall have been placed on any superannuated list with the consent of the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, or to the children of such Clergyman, such annuity as the state of the Fund will admit, in accordance with the scale hereinafter provided, and subject to the provisions of the second section of this By-law; the said annuity to be payable in four equal quarterly instalments on the first days of January, April, July, and October in each and every year, and to commence from the day of the death of such Clergyman, or from the day on which his stipend from the public funds of the Church shall have ceased; provided that an application for the pension, in the form and manner required by this By-law, shall have been lodged with the Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod within three months after the death of the said Clergyman; but if a longer period shall have elapsed, then the annuity or annuities, if granted, shall commence, and be payable, from the quarter-day next preceding the day on which such application shall have been so lodged; and such annuity shall be continued to the widow during her natural life, or so long as she shall remain a widow, and continue to be entitled to the same under the provisions of this By-law. And in case such widow shall, at her death or re-marriage, have children by her late husband, an annuity shall be paid to the guardians of such children in accordance with the said scale; provided, also, that all annuities shall cease from the quarter-day next preceding the marriage of any person entitled by this By-law to any such

6. All moneys in the hands of the Treasurer which may not be required to meet the annuities payable to the widows and orphans of the clergy shall be from time to time permanently invested in some good and sufficient security; and in no case shall capital be applied to the payment 7. Every widow of a Clergyman, or the guardian of the orphans of a Clergyman, shall, in order to obtain an annuity from the said Fund, apply by a memorial, addressed to the Widows and Orphans' Fund Committee, and supported by the recommendation of the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, and of two or more Incumbents within the same, setting forth the time of the decease of such Clergyman, the name of his widow, and the names and ages of his children, together with a statement of the income of such widow or orphans from all sources, which memorial shall be taken into consideration by the aforesaid Committee at their next meeting after the receipt of the same.

8. Every widow being an annuitant on the Widows and Orphans' Fund, and the guardians of orphans annuitants on the same, shall quarterly, before receiving any portion of an annuity, make one of the following declarations in the presence of a Clergyman or Magistrate, which declaration shall be attested by the Clergyman or Magistrate before whom it is made:—

Declaration to be made by a Widow.

I—, do hereby declare that I am the widow of the late Reverend—; that I am entitled to an annuity from the Widows and Orphans' Fund of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto; that I am still a widow, and that my income for the past twelve months from all sources, has been \$—, not including my own earnings, or annuity from the Widows and Orphans' Fund.

Signed before me.
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Declaration to be made by the Mother or Guardian of Children.

I——, hereby declare that I am the duly appointed Guardian of the children of the late Reverend——, whose names and ages are respectively written below; that they are entitled to an annuity from the Widows and Orphans' Fund of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto; and that their income for the past twelve months, from all sources (not including wages earned by any of them, or annuity from the Widows and Orphans' Fund, has been \$

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9. Every widow with no private income, or with a private income not exceeding four hundred dollars, shall be entitled to an annuity on her awn behalf of two hundred dollars; and should the private income of any widow exceed the sum of four hundred dollars, such annuity shall be reduced by the amount of the private income of such widow in excess of that sum, so as to be extinguished in any case in which the private income of the widow amounts to six hundred dollars.

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11. Should the Fund at any time be insufficient to meet the demands upon it, it shall be the duty of the Committee to make any reduction in the amounts paid which may become necessary, by reducing first the amounts paid to widows or orphans with private incomes, and the amount of such reduction shall be in proportion to the amount of such private income; provided that no reduction shall take place which shall reduce the total income of any widow or orphans below the amount which would be payable to them were they entirely without private means.

APPENDIX S.

BY-LAW ON PATRONAGE OF THE RECTORIES, &c.

Be it enacted by the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Toronto:

That on the Vacancy of any Rectory, Incumbency, or Mission within the Diocese (with the exception of Missions sustained, in whole or in part, by the Mission Board the mode of appointment to which Missions shall continue as heretofore) the appointment to the vacancy shall rest in the Lord Bishop of the Diocese: it being, however, provided that, before making such appointment, the Bishop shall consult with the Church-wardens and Lay-Delegates of the vacant Parish or Mission (if such Lay-Delegates are, resident within the same.)

APPENDIX T.

AMENDMENT TO BY-LAW RELATING TO DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND.

Be it enacted by the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Toronto:

That no applicant shall be eligible to receive an Exhibition, except he shall produce a written certificate from the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, stating that his Lordship, after a personal interview, considers him a person well-fitted to enter on a course of study for Holy Orders, and that his Lordship be respectfully requested to cause to be printed in the Journal of the Synod, at the end of the Clergy List, the names and residences of gentlemen accepted by him as Divinity Students in this Diocese.

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PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

EXTRACTS FROM THE REPORTS OF INCUMBENTS,

1871.

1. Albion and Mono.—A Brick Church is now in course of erection at Sand Hill; \$1000 has been contributed for the purpose. Two "Mason & Hamlin" organs, and two Sunday School Libraries have also been purchased. There is great need that the Mission should be divided, or an assistant minister appointed. The Glebe could now be made to yield \$200, and the people could give \$300.

7. Berkeley and Chester.—I was led to take charge of the Mission by a representation that I was to receive \$150 per annum; but, in consequence of the non-payment thereof, and the additional expense of horse-hire, I shall be compelled to resign the charge of Berkeley. In Chester I think the church is prospering, but suffers from want of a resident clergyman. I should also add that, whilst the Cathedral of St. James takes large rents from lands in Chester and Norway, the people complain that the church is not supported in part from revenues derived from such lands.

8. Beverley.—One church erected during the year, St. Alban's, Rockton, which is free, the sum of \$1475 having been contributed for that purpose. There remains a debt of about \$100. The Mission would benefit much by being divided; and if Strabane and another convenient station were set off together, Copetown and Sheffield might be worked more advantageously by having service on each Sunday, instead of once a fortnight as at present.

9. Bobcaydeon.—A free church has been erected during the year, and \$1000 contributed; also a parsonage built. The Mission is too large, but will not at present bear dividing.

11. Brighton.—A bell for the church has been purchased.

12. Brock.—Two free churches built; about \$3000 contributed. There are many places in this Mission where good congregations could be gathered together; for instance at Pefferlaw, Vroomanton, Sunderland, Derryville, Manilla, Woodville, and Oakwood.

14. CALEDONIA.—A division of the Mission is required; in fact there is enough work for three clergymen, though no means of support at present.

21. Collingwood.—One free Church in course of erection. Increased church accommodation is required in Collingwood. A second missionary could be advantageously employed, but I should have to pay him myself.

22. Cookstown.—A division of the Mission is required. Plenty of work for another clergyman; but no present means of supporting one.

23. CREDIT. — One church erected; \$2600 contributed. An assistant much required, but support infinitesimal.

24. CREEMORE AND STAYNER.—One free church has been erected at Stayner; \$2400 contributed. A division of the Mission is required; but at present only a Lay Reader can be employed.

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- 25. DARLINGTON. The services of a curate are imperatively required.
- 27. Dysart.—One free church built; \$1100 contributed.
- 28. ELORA. -A new and better church is much required.
- 29. Emily.-Plenty of work for two clergymen; support doubtful.
- 31. FENELON FALLS.—One free church erected. The northern part of the Mission contains a great number of Church families unprovided for, who promised, a year ago, liberal support; this not having been taken advantage of, many have since
- 34. GARDEN RIVER.—A free church built; \$2000 contributed. Missionaries could find plenty of work. The Indian Committee should be urged to more energetic action with the Indian department, so that the latter may be induced to do simple justice, at least, to our Indians and our Indian Missionaries.
- 35. Georgetown.—A Parsonage house in course of erection, to cost about \$1500, one acre of land attached. The small endowment made for the Incumbent's benefit, the congregation wish to claim, so as to make up their stipulated amount
- 36. Georgina.—Another missionary could find ample work; the present Incumbent, however, may, by-and-bye, have to apply for the service of a curate to aid
 - 38. Grafton.—A Missionary is required at Colborne; support very uncertain.
 - 41. Guelph.—A new church in course of erection; \$12,000 contributed.
- 44. HAMILTON. -- CHRIST CHURCH. -- A substantial stone school chapel has been built at a cost of \$2500. The prospects of the parish are encouraging in one sense; and yet by reason of the increase of the population, and non-increase of the clergy, they are discouraging. Several additional Clergymen could find ample employ-
- 47, Innistit. -- A frame Parsonage has been built, value \$1000; one acre of land attached; debt, \$190.
- 50. LLOYDTOWN .-- A division of the Mission is required; but no prospect of support for another clergyman.
 - 52. Lowville.—A Free Church erected at Nassagaweya; \$950 contributed.
- 53. Manitoulin. -- Another Missionary could be employed if there were funds to support him.
- 59. MILTON -- Free Church erected at Omagh; \$1450 contributed. One station should be taken off; it could contribute now about \$100.
- 60. MINDEN.—One Free Church built; contributions, \$250. For five years past the office of Superintendent of Common Schools has been an aid to me to the amount of from \$80 to \$100; but the new act will shut me out, leaving me my clerical income only to support me, namely \$434, all told.
- 61. Minto.—Harriston Free Church finished 25th December, 1870; \$623 paid besides other sums subscribed. The assistance of another clergyman or Lay-Reader is much wanted, but no hope of support at present.
- 63. MULMUR. A parsonage has been erected; \$1200 contributed. A Lay Reader could be employed with great advantage to this church.
- 64. MULMUR, WEST.—Plenty of work for two Missionaries, but no support. 65. Muskoka. - Free Church erected; \$160 contributed. Abundance of work for another Missionary; support very doubtful.
 - 66. NEWMARKET. -\$400 contributed for an organ.

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- 69. NORTH Essa.—About \$350 contributed for Parsonage now erected. It would be desirable to have the Mission divided as soon as possible. There is abundance of work for two clergymen; the second might get \$200.
 - 72. OAKVILLS .- Palermo should be set off.
- 73. OBANGEVILLE.—Another Missionary could be employed and supported, if the Mission Board would give \$200 or \$300.
- 75. OSHAWA.—Another Missionary could be advantageously employed in Columbus and the neighboring villages, and would be supported.
- 77. PARRY SOUND.—\$150 have been subscribed towards the erection of a church (which is much needed), and expect more. There is no Parsonage and we are obliged, six in number, to live in a small roughly built house containing one room.
- 78. Peneranguishene, Wyebbidge, and Waverley.--- A division of the Mission would be very desirable if sufficient support could be found.
- 85. ROCKWOOD.—Free Church in course of erection; over \$500 contributed. A division is absolutely necessary; if the Mission Board would allow \$200, the people of "The Ascension," Rockwood and Acton, could easily make up \$400 or more.
- 89. Scarnorough.—The seats in St. Jude's Church were made free at the last Vestry. A division of the Parish is necessary, but under present circumstances altogether impossible.
- 92. STAMFORD AND DRUMMONDVILLE.—A Parsonage house in contemplation for Drummondville, for which half an acre of land has been given, and \$1000 (now in hand) subscribed.
- 99. TECUMSETH.—An assistant is much required, but there will be great difficulty in raising say more than \$200 towards his support.
- 99. Toronto, St. Paul's.—During the past year, two portions of the area of the Parish have been relinquished to form new parishes; and, as the population is increasing, we may look forward to a further subdivision at no distant day.
- 102. Toronto, Holy Trinity.—Two Mission Chapels erected, both free. When, for convenience sake, a District was assigned to the Church of the Holy Trinity, Toronto, it was distinctly understood that such assignment did not prejudice the right and character inherent in this church by virtue of its founder's design and intention. It was still to be a place of worship freely open to the members of the Church of England, in the city and Diocese, under the control of the Bishop, and subject of course to the Canons of the Canadian Synods, Diocesan and Provincial.
 - 107. Toronto, St. Luke's .- New Free Church erected; \$1900 contributed.
- 109. TULLAMORS. -- Preparations are making for building a church, and \$1200 have been subscribed.
- 110. UXBRIDGE.—A burial ground has been purchased in Uxbridge, and an organ in Prince Albert. A Parsonage is being erected in Uxbridge, and about \$700 have been contributed for house and \$200 for land. A division of the Mission is required. Reach could contribute \$400 and Uxbridge \$300.
- 111. Walpole.—A good sized addition of brick, worth \$500, has been made to the Parsonage house. The Mission has required division for some time; the same answer is given year after year, and that is all that is done towards it. A second Missionary would receive less support now than a year ago.
- 112. WATERDOWN.—A Parsonage house has been erected; \$1200 contributed, leaving a debt of \$700 on the building, not including subscriptions yet remaining unpaid. There are unmistakable proofs that the division of this Mission has been most beneficial to both parts of it.
- 113. WELLAND.—The congregation at Marshville which had been attached to the Mission of Welland for the past two years, was separated in October, 1870.

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115. WESTON.—I would suggest that duplicate blanks should be sent, so that a fair copy might be returned, and the other kept in the Parish.

116. Whith.—No division of the Parish is required; but another Clergyman could be very advantageously employed, if a suitable one could be found content to receive \$200 per annum, and take his chance of making up an income by keeping a school in the new School Chapel. The station at Brooklin (which I regarded as within my Mission till Mr. Mockridge was appointed to it) is now without any service. A Missionary resident at Brooklin would, I think, be fairly supported by the combined stations of Brooklin, Columbus, and Ashburn, if assisted by the Mission Board. These stations are too important to be lost to the church.

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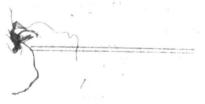
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ERRATA.

Bishop's Address, p. 32, 4th line, "presume" for "resume."

Widows and Orphans' Fund By-Law, p. 51, 8th line, should be "Every widow with no private income," &c.

(Please make these corrections with a pen.)