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Evensong was said
Rev. Canon Jones, a

The First Lesson v

The Second Lesson

The Sermon was p

M.A., Incumbent of

"And Joshua answered
up to the wood country,
Perizzites and of the giant

The Offertory, in a

\$31.35.

There was a celebra
Paul's Church at 9 A.M.

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The Synod met for
Hall, at 10 A.M.

Prayer was said by

The Bishop appoint

neers to examine, with

the Lay Delegates.

Lay Delegates

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Green.
Claus.

C. Potter.
F. Charles.
Goings.
Spoor.
Martin Crysler.
G. Weagant.
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FIFTEENTH SESSION.

KINGSTON, JUNE 20th, 1876.

SERVICE IN ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Evensong was said in St. Paul's Church, Kingston, by the Rev. Canon Jones, at 7:30.

The First Lesson was read by Rev. Canon Mulock.

The Second Lesson was read by the Rev. C. B. Pettit, M.A.

The Sermon was preached by the Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, M.A., Incumbent of St. James, Kingston, from Joshua xvii, 15:

"And Joshua answered them, If thou be a great people, then get thee up to the wood country, and cut down for thyself there in the land of the Perizzites and of the giants, if Mount Ephraim be too narrow for thee."

The Offertory, in aid of the Sustentation Fund, amounted to \$31.35.

SECOND DAY.

June 21st, 1876.

There was a celebration of the Holy Communion in St. Paul's Church at 9 A.M.

BUSINESS MEETING.

The Synod met for the transaction of business, in St. George's Hall, at 10 A.M.

Prayer was said by the Rev. Dr. Boswell.

The Bishop appointed D. Collins and J. Dumbrill as Scrutineers to examine, with the Lay Secretary, the certificates of the Lay Delegates.

CLERGY PRESENT.

The Roll of the Clergy was called and the following Clergy men were found to be present :—

E. J. Boswell, D.C.L., E. H. M. Baker, W. Bleasdel, M.A., J. J. Bogert, M.A., T. Bousfield, J. W. Burke, B.A., D. F. Bogert, B.A., J. Carroll, A. W. Cooke, E. P. Crawford, M.A., W. B. Carey, M.A., A. H. Coleman, B.A., I. J. Christie, F. W. Dobbs, C. P. Emery, W. T. Earley, W. Fleming, M.A., C. Forest, M.A., J. W. Forsythe, M.A., R. S. Forneri, I. A., S. Foster, M.A., R. Garrett, G. W. G. Grout, M.A., R. Harding, G. N. Higginson, M.A., J. Halliwell, T. Hudson, B.A., T. Bedford Jones, LL.D., K. L. Jones, M.A., George Jemmett, M.A., A. Jarvis, B.A., F. W. Kirkpatrick, M.A., James Lyster, LL.D., J. S. Lauder, M.A., E. Loucks, W. Lewin, B.A., G. J. Low, J. A. Morris, J. A. Mulock, C. P. Mulvany, M.A., W. J. Muckleston, B.A., J. K. McMorine, M.A., S. McMorine, M.A., J. H. Nimmo, M.A., A. J. O'Loughlin, T. A. Parnell, C. B. Pettit, M.A., H. E. Pless, B.A., J. A. Preston, M.A., H. Pollard, S. G. Poole, Arthur Phillips, F. Prime, W. Roberts, T. Stanton, B.A., F. L. Stephenson, B.A., A. Spencer, E. Scammell, F. R. Tane, S. Tighe, B.A., G. W. White, B.A., H. Wilson, M.A., W. Wright, Abm. Dawson, W. J. W. Finlay, R. L. M. Houston, B.A., J. F. Fraser, B.A., M. G. Poole, A. F. Echlin.—69.

LAY DELEGATES PRESENT.

The Lay Secretary called the Roll of the Lay Delegates, and the following Parishes were represented :—

Adolphustown and Fredericksburgh, by A. Neilson; *Augusta*, by J. Dumbrill; D. Collins; *Bellefleur—St. Thomas*, by J. H. Simpson, E. Harrison, F. McAnnany; *Christ Church*, by Frank Wallbridge; *Beachburgh*, by R. M. Moore; *Brockville—St. Peter's* by S. Keefer, Judge Macdonald; *Trinity*, by Ralph Davis; *Carrying Place*, by S. Flindall; *Cornwall*, by Judge Jarvis; *Eganville*, by J. Muckleston; *Elizabethtown*, by F. L. Schofield; *Gananoque*, by T. P. Richardson; D. F. Jones; *Hillier*, by H. A. McFaul; *Huntley*, by A. Abbott, A. Lett; *Kingston—St. George's Cathedral*, by R. T. Walkem, Dr. Henderson; *St. James*, by R. V. Rogers, Jr., E. J. B. Pense; *St. Paul's*, by R. W. Barker; Jas. Shannon, E. Rose; *All Saints*, by Jas. Vincent, G. Creeggan; *Loughboro*, by T. Denison; *Matilda*, by W. Patton; *Merrickville and Burritt's Rapids*, by E. H. Whitmarsh; *Moulinette*, by Jas. E. Baker; *Napanee*, by J. B. McGuin; *Newboro*, by J. H. Butler; *Osnabruck*, by Saml. Weagant; *Ottawa—St. Alban's*, by J. M. Courtney, Fennings Taylor; *St. John the Evangelist*, by N. Godard; Geo. May; *Perth*, by W. H. Radenhurst; *Picton*, by P. F. McCuaig, F. White; *Portsmouth*, by C. B. Wilson, C. Grass; *Prescott*, by W. Ellis, J. F. Harper; *Pittsburgh and Storrington*, S. Todd; *Roslyn*, by Jos. Elliott; *Shannonville*, by R. Loynes; *Smith's Falls*, by Jas. Rath; *Selby and Salmon River*, by Capt. S. McGill, E. U. Brown; *Trenton*, by Wm. Shea, S. Young; *Williamsburgh*, by H. G. Weagant.—38.

ELECTION OF SECRETARIES.

The Rev. Dr. Boswell moved, seconded by the Very Rev. the Dean,

That the Venerable T. A. PARNELL be re-elected Clerical Secretary.—
Carried.

F. McAnnany
That R. V. Rogers

It was moved
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That R. M. Moore

The Rev. Dr. Jones,
That R. T. Walker
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F. McAnnaman moved, seconded by D. Collins,
That R. V. ROGERS be re-elected Lay Secretary.—*Carried.*

ELECTION OF TREASURER.

It was moved by the Rev. Dr. Boswell, seconded by R. V. Rogers,

That R. M. MOORE be re-elected Treasurer.—*Carried.*

ELECTION OF AUDITORS.

The Rev. Dr. Boswell moved, seconded by the Rev. Canon Jones,

That R. T. WALKER and J. MUCKLESTON be re-elected Auditors.—*Carried.*

CORRESPONDENCE.

A memorial from the Secretary of the "Dominion Alliance Association for the total suppression of the Liquor traffic" was read to the Synod.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Rev. Dr. Boswell presented the Report of the Mission Board, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix A.

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

The Rev. Dr. Boswell presented the Report of the Investment Committee, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix C.

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

The Rev. Canon Jones presented the Report of the Committee on "Board of Foreign Missions," and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix E.

The Chancellor presented the Report of the Episcopal Trust Committee, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix F.

R. T. Walkem presented the Treasurer's Report, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix G.

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

NOTICES OF MOTIONS.

By Rev. J. W. BURKE—

To obtain the permission of this Synod to transfer to Mr. C. Coleman, Barrister of Belleville, a portion of glebe land in Belleville in exchange for a piece of land claimed by him, and closely connected with and necessary to the occupants of certain lots on said glebe land, in accordance with a memorial to be presented at time of making the motion.

By Rev. Canon BLEASDELL—

That a Committee be appointed by the Bishop to consider what amendments may be necessary to Canon Ten "on the Constitution of Vestries of Free Churches," in order to remedy any irregularities that may arise from the lack of a more clear definition as to those who are there constituted members of such vestries, and defining more precisely who are those that habitually attend worship in such churches; and that such Committee meet and report, if possible, during this session of the Synod.

By Rev. Canon JONES—

Canon on settlement of Parochial Disputes.

By Rev. G. JEMMETT—

That the whole or a portion of the arrears of Synod assessment of the Mission of Nepean be struck off.

By Rev. J. K. McMORINE—

That he will move to-morrow that liberty be granted to the Incumbent and Churchwardens of St. Paul's Church, Almonte, to apply to the Legislature of Ontario for an Act empowering them to mortgage a certain plot of ground in order to liquidate the debt upon the parsonage lately erected in connection with that parish.

By STEPHEN YOUNG—

That he will respectfully ask the Lord Bishop from the chair whether it would not be more suitable for the congregation to say the responses to the Ten Commandments rather than for the choir to chant them.

By Rev. A. W. COOKE—

For permission to sell a lot of land (1 acre) situated in the Township of Fitzroy.

By Rev. F. L. STEPHENSON—

I give notice that I will move that the proceeds of the sale of a lot of land in the Township of Sydney, Mission of Stirling, be applied to the erection of a Parsonage house in said Mission of Stirling.

By Dr. HENDERSON—

That he will move to Canon 12 at p.

By Rev. G. J.

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By Rev. G. W.

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ELECTION OF SCRUTINEERS.

The Rev. Canon W. Burke,

That the Rev. G. W. the Scrutineers of the Board.—Carried.

It was moved by McGuin,

That Rev. Canon Pro be the scrutineers of the Mission Board.—Carried.

ELECTION OF SCRUTINEERS.

The Scrutineers of the Mission Board report

Revs. G. W. White Forest, E. H. M. Baker,

The following Clergy

Revs. Dr. Boswell, C.

The Scrutineers of the Mission Board report

F. McAnnany, G. A. rison, E. Elliott, E. Rose

The following Laymen

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By Dr. HENDERSON—

That he will move the confirmation of the amendment or addition to Canon 12 at p. 1276 of the Journal of Synod.

By Rev. G. J. Low—

That this Synod give permission to the Incumbent and Churchwardens of Christ Church, Burritt's Rapids, to sell a village lot in the Village of Burritt's Rapids, the proceeds to be invested in the hands of the Synod for the benefit of said Christ Church; also that the Synod give permission to the Incumbent and Churchwardens of Christ Church, Burritt's Rapids, in conjunction with the Rector and Churchwardens of St. James' Church, Kemptonville, to sell a parcel of land (being N.E. half of lot 18, Concession 6, Township of Marlboro), the proceeds thereof to be divided between the two churches.

By Rev. G. W. White—

That authority be given by the Synod to sell a portion of the glebe to buy a site for Rectory.

ELECTION OF SCRUTINEERS OF THE VOTE FOR MEMBERS OF THE MISSION BOARD.

The Rev. Canon Preston moved, seconded by the Rev. J. W. Burke,

That the Rev. G. W. G. Grout, the Rev. G. J. Low and S. Young be the Scrutineers of the ballot for the Clerical members of the Mission Board.—*Carried.*

It was moved by Judge McDonald, seconded by J. B. McGuin,

That Rev. Canon Preston and Messrs. E. H. Whitmarsh and D. Collins be the scrutineers of the ballot for the election of Lay members of the Mission Board.—*Carried.*

ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE MISSION BOARD.

The Scrutineers for the election of Clerical members of the Mission Board reported the following as elected:—

Revs. G. W. White, Canon Preston, J. J. Bogert, J. W. Burke, C. Forest, E. H. M. Baker, F. R. Tane and C. P. Emery.

The following Clergymen were appointed by the Bishop:

Revs. Dr. Boswell, C. B. Petit, Canon Jones and G. W. G. Grout.

The Scrutineers for the election of Lay Members of the Mission Board reported the following as elected:

F. McAnnany, G. A. Kirkpatrick, D. Collins, Jas. Shannon, E. Harrison, E. Elliott, E. Rose, and G. May.

The following Laymen were appointed by the Bishop:

Dr. Henderson, S. Keefer, R. T. Walkem, and A. Code.

BISHOP'S ADDRESS.

The Bishop then delivered the following Address :
To the Clergy and Laity of the Diocese of Ontario.

My DEAR BRETHREN—

I am glad to meet you at this the Fifteenth Session of our Diocesan Synod. The year that is past has been, I think, one of progress, but otherwise uneventful. I shall therefore confine myself to a statement of my official acts during that period, and then draw your attention to a very important Act of Parliament passed at the late session of the Local Legislature at Toronto.

On November 7th last I admitted four candidates to the Holy Order of Deacons, and promoted three Deacons to the office of Priesthood.

I visited the following Parishes, in all of which I held confirmations:

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June	20....Cathedral	14	20	34	34
..	20....Cataraqui	6	12	18	18
..	24....St. Alban's, Ottawa	2	11	13	13
..	27....Christ Church, Ottawa	21	19	40	40
..	30....St. John's, Ottawa (special)	0	1	1	1
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..	4....St. John's, Selby	4	11	15	15
..	7....Trenton	4	5	9	9
..	8....Carrying Place	7	7	14	10
..	9....Hillier	4	13	17	15
..	9....Gerow Gore	3	3	6	5
..	10....Milford	18	33	51	51
..	10....Picton	5	17	22	19
..	28....St. Peter's Church, Brockville	11	25	36	36
Decr.	2....Bath	2	18	20	19
..	3....Fredericksburgh	3	6	9	9
..	4....Amherst Island	14	13	27	21
..	5....Tyendinaga	36	48	84	84
..	27....South Mountain	6	10	16	16
..	28....South March	16	13	29	29
..	29....North March	8	6	14	14
1876.					
Jan'y.	26....Barriefield	16	15	31	31
March	11....Newboro'	14	20	34	34
..	12....New Boyne	21	18	39	39
..	12....Portland	6	9	15	15
April	23....St. John's, Ottawa	5	19	24	24
..	30....St. James', Kingston	5	18	23	23
May	7....Rochesterville	5	3	8	8
..	7....All Saints', Nepean	5	3	8	8
..	14....Merivale	5	4	9	9
June	18....Cathedral	7	24	31	31
..	18....St. Paul's, Kingston	16	35	51	47
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On the 4th of November last I consecrated the Church of St. John, in the Mission of Selby; and on the 14th of May the Church and Cemetery of St. John, Merivale, in the Mission of Nepean.

You will have observed, my brethren of the Clergy, that in the last Journal of Synod I had a list published of all the Confirmation Services which I have held since my consecration. It is as accurate as I could possibly make it, but as still there may be some omissions I shall be glad to hear from any of you of any corrections which ought to be made.

It will be in the recollection of the Synod that in the year 1868 the Provincial Synod, having been empowered by Act of Parliament to modify or amend the Church Temporalities Act, enacted a Canon on Temporalities. According to the Act of Parliament this Canon was to become law if, after having been published in the *Official Gazette* for six months, the Governor in Council should approve of it. The late Minister of Justice took exception to the Canon on the ground that the Provincial Synod had exceeded the powers conferred upon it by Parliament, and also that the Act itself, dealing with Temporalities of the Church, should have been passed not by the Dominion Parliament but by the Local Legislature of each Province.

I am happy to say that during the late Session of the Legislature of Ontario we obtained an Act to amend the Synod and Rectory Sales Acts affecting the Diocese of Ontario. In this Act the first clause is as follows:

"The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario shall have full power and authority to make, and from time to time to amend, such canons, rules, regulations and bylaws as by the said Synod may be considered necessary in the exercise of the powers conferred upon the said Synod under the said Act incorporating the Synod of the Diocese of Ontario, and also for the conduct of their proceedings, regulation of their members, and all such other matters as may pertain to the proper and orderly discharge of their business; and the canons, rules, regulations and bylaws of the said Synod are hereby confirmed: And also, notwithstanding anything contained to the contrary in an Act of Parliament of the Province of Upper Canada, passed in the third year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chaptered seventy-four and known as 'The Temporalities Act,' or of an Act of the Parliament of the Province of Canada passed in the session held in the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of the reign of her said Majesty, chaptered fifteen, and known as 'The Church Temporalities Amendment Act,' the said Synod shall have full power and authority to make bylaws or canons regulating existing vestries and their organization, and the duties of the Churchwardens, and providing for the formation and organization of a vestry in every church erected or to be erected in the said Diocese, and also declaring and defining the duties and powers of vestries and of the churchwardens and vestries and the Churchwardens for the time being of any Church erected or to be erected shall, until changed or modified by the bylaws or canons of the Synod, be subject to the provisions of the said "The Church

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Temporalities Act," and they and their successors may, as a corporation, hold such real estate as may be given, granted or devised to them for the use of their church as a site for a church or parsonage or a schoolhouse, and may from time to time, with the approval of their vestry, signified by a resolution passed at a meeting of such vestry, and with the consent and approval of the Executive Committee of the said Incorporated Synod, mortgage such real estate for the purpose of raising money to be expended in the erection thereon of a church or parsonage, or a schoolhouse, as the case may be."

I understand that during this Session of our Synod a Canon on Vestries based upon the Canon passed by the Provincial Synod will be introduced, and I commend the subject to your most serious attention."

I have been informed also that a Canon on the Settlement of Disputes in Parishes will be submitted for your consideration, and I trust earnestly that you will give it that attention which its importance deserves.

Praying that God may in all our deliberations direct and rule our hearts, we shall now proceed to the business of the Session.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

It was moved by Fennings Taylor, seconded by the Rev. H. Pollard,

That a select committee of members be appointed to enquire into the manner in which the office of Churchwarden is carried on in the Province of Canada, and in other branches of the Anglican Church, and report their observations thereon to this Synod at the next Session thereof.—*Carried.*

Referred to the Committee on "The Constitution of Vestries."

The Rev. H. Wilson moved, seconded by the Rev. A. J. O'Loughlin,

That the Synod adjourn till 4 o'clock, to enable the members of Synod to attend the funeral of the late John Watkins, Esq.—*Carried.*

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Synod re-assembled at 4 P.M.

It was moved by Judge Jarvis, seconded by E. H. Whitmarsh,

Resolved, That the lay members of this Synod do hereby pledge themselves that they will each and every of them contribute one-tenth of their last year's income towards the support of the Church in this Diocese, and that they will continue to do so yearly hereafter; that they will use their influence with their lay brethren in their several Parishes to comply with this scriptural duty.

That it be incumbent on each and every clergyman, four times in each year, to urge this duty in a sermon to his congregation.

That each clergyman to a Parish, Mission or clergyman be married depending upon him. This resolution shall not affect

That each clergyman shall be entitled to have his Board shall deem just years service, such full Board; and on the to receive a further increase

It was moved, in by S. Young,

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It was moved, in by the Rev. C. P. F.

That this Synod do contribute yearly one-tenth of the Church in this Diocese their Lay brethren in the duty.—*Lost.*

Wm. Shea moved

That Judge Jarvis' *Carried.*

It was moved by A. H. Coleman,

That the Mission Board members, of whom three by the Bishop, the remainder appointed by the Bishop shall retire each year, and two years, and that the *ex-officio* members of the Fund, Episcopal and General Fund, Finance and Land members, of whom one-third be eligible for re-election three years. That the Committee shall consist shall retire as in the case the Clerical and Lay Secretary above committees.—*Lost.*

That each clergyman who hath been, or who shall hereafter be appointed to a Parish, Mission or Station, be allowed a salary of \$800 yearly. If the clergyman be married, he shall be allowed \$1000, and for each child depending upon him for support the further sum of \$30 yearly. This resolution shall not affect any clergyman now receiving a larger salary.

That each clergyman on completing ten years service in this Diocese shall be entitled to have his salary increased by such sum as the Mission Board shall deem just and reasonable; and on the completion of fifteen years service, such further sum as may be awarded by the said Mission Board; and on the termination of twenty years service his salary shall receive a further increase, as the said Board shall award.

It was moved, in amendment, by Judge McDonald, seconded by S. Young,

That all after the word "that" in Judge Jarvis' motion be struck out, and the following be substituted: "this Synod respectfully urges upon the Laity of the Diocese the necessity of giving towards the support of the Church, according to their means."—*Lost.*

It was moved, in amendment, by the Rev. C. Forest, seconded by the Rev. C. P. Emery,

That this Synod do hereby recommend the members of the Synod to contribute yearly one-tenth of their last year's income towards the support of the Church in this Diocese, and that they will use their influence with their Lay brethren in their several Parishes to comply with this Scriptural duty.—*Lost.*

Wm. Shea moved, in amendment, seconded by D. Collins,

That Judge Jarvis' motion be laid over till next meeting of Synod.—*Carried.*

It was moved by the Rev. S. Tighe, seconded by the Rev. A. H. Coleman,

That the Mission Board shall consist of twelve clerical and twelve lay members, of whom three clerical and three lay members shall be appointed by the Bishop, the remainder by the Synod; that one-third of those appointed by the Bishop and one-third of those appointed by the Synod shall retire each year, and shall not be eligible for re-election for at least two years, and that the Clerical and Lay Secretaries (and no others) shall be *ex-officio* members of the Board. That the Executive, Clergy Trust Fund, Episcopal and General Endowment Fund, Widows' and Orphans' Fund, Finance and Land Committees, shall each consist of six lay members, of whom one-third of each order shall retire annually, and shall not be eligible for re-election to the committees which they have vacated for three years. That the Divinity Students Fund and Book and Tract Committee shall consist of three clerical and three lay members, who shall retire as in the case of the Executive and other committees, and that the Clerical and Lay Secretaries shall be *ex-officio* members of all the above committees.—*Lost.*

The Rev. S. Tighe moved, seconded by the Rev. Canon Bleasdel,

That a Committee be appointed, to report to this Synod at its next Session, on the advisability of enacting a Canon to promote discipline among the Lay members of the Church.—*Carried.*

The Bishop appointed, as such Committee, Revs. Canon Bleasdel, Canon Preston, W. Lewin, S. Tighe, and Judge McDonald, S. Keefer, Geo. May, and the Lay Secretary.

The Rev. C. Forest moved, seconded by the Rev. Canon Preston,

That Canon XVI be amended by striking out Section 8 and inserting instead the following section :

The Mission Board be and is hereby empowered to take cognizance of the case of any non-commuted clergyman of this Diocese who has become disabled and is by certificate from the Bishop declared to be disabled for duty through disease, accident or superannuation, and out of the funds at its disposal to extend relief to the case or cases thus certified, in such measure as the Board shall deem just ; the allowance in no case to be above the rate of \$200 per annum ; and that, in order to meet this possible drain upon their resources, the Board be hereby authorized to maintain as a reserve from their annual revenue from all sources for mission purposes, year by year, the sum of \$200.

2. That the recipients of this bounty, save in case or cases of superannuation, shall each, on or before the first day of March, June, September and December, in each year, furnish to the Bishop a medical certificate duly attesting the ground on which such disablement is made to rest, and the reason of its continuance.

It was moved, in amendment, by the Rev. E. P. Crawford seconded by the Rev. G. J. Low,

That the offertories taken up in the different parishes throughout the Diocese on Whitsunday be henceforward appropriated to the formation of a Fund for Superannuated Clergymen.

This amendment was ruled out of order.

The motion was then put and carried.

The Synod adjourned at 6 P.M.

THIRD DAY.

KINGSTON, June 22, 1876.

The Synod met in St. George's Hall at 10 A.M.

Prayer was said by the Rev. Dr. Boswell.

The minutes read and, after some corrections,

The Rules of the Synod, notices of motion and resolutions to a Committee.

The Bishop addressed the gentlemen :

The Chancellor and F. McAnnany.

The Bishop read the following bequests by will :

\$3,000 in trust, for the Incumbent of St. James.

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\$2,000 for the same purpose.

\$3,000 for the same purpose.

\$4,000 to the Rector of the Cathedral for the same purpose.

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A letter was read from the Committee appointed to inquire into the authorities of the Synod, ascertaining whether or not with regard to the same.

A memorial, relating to the Incumbent of St. James, was read.

The memorial was appointed by the Bishop to be considered by W. H. Radenbury.

The minutes of the previous day's proceedings were read, and, after some corrections, adopted.

The Rules of Order were suspended in order to allow all notices of motions referring to the sale of lands to be referred to a Committee.

The Bishop appointed as such Committee the following gentlemen :

The Chancellor, W. H. Radenhurst, R. T. Walkem, W. Ellis and F. McAnnany.

CORRESPONDENCE.

The Bishop read a letter announcing to the Synod the following bequests by the late JOHN WATKINS, Esq. :

\$3,000 in trust, to pay the interest, less expenses, to the Incumbent of St. Paul's Church, Kingston.

\$3,000 for the same purpose for St. James' Church, Kingston.

\$2,000 for the same purpose for St. John's Church, Portsmouth.

\$3,000 for the same purpose for the Curate of St. George's Cathedral, Kingston.

\$4,000 to the Rector and Churchwardens of St. George's Cathedral for the benefit of the poor attending that Church.

\$4,000 for the general purposes of the Mission Fund.

A letter was read from the Rev. J. Langtry, Chairman of a Committee appointed by the Synod of Toronto to confer with the authorities of the various Protestant bodies with a view of ascertaining whether a common basis of action cannot be agreed on with regard to religious instruction in Public Schools.

A memorial, relative to the existing difficulties between the Incumbent of Stirling and the congregation, was read to the Synod.

The memorial was referred to the following Committee, appointed by the Bishop :—

W. H. Radenhurst, Jas. Shannon, and the Rev. W. Lewin.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

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

NOTICES OF MOTIONS.

By the Rev. C. FOREST—

That a Committee be appointed to draw up a Canon for the consideration of the Synod at its next meeting, making provision whereby the Bishop may, in case or cases of difficulty between a clergyman and his parishioners, when the interests of the Church are, or may be, seriously damaged, remove such clergyman from the field of strife to some other parish.

By the Rev. E. I. CRAWFORD—

That the total amount raised by the Sunday Schools of this Diocese in each and every year for the Diocese of Algoma be forwarded to the Bishop of Algoma; and if there be any surplus over the \$400 per annum promised by this Diocese towards the support of the Bishop, it be applied in aid of the Mission Fund of that Diocese.

By R. BARKER—

I beg to give notice that I will at the proper time ask for a return of the Churches of this Diocese which are insured, with the amount of insurance on each, and the names of Churches uninsured (if any) and call attention to the desirability of keeping such Churches properly insured.

By FENNINGS TAYLOR—

That the Act passed at the late Session of the Legislature of Ontario be printed with the Journal of the Fifteenth Session of the Synod of this Diocese.

By the Rev. Canon PRESTON—

That in the opinion of the members of this Synod, the time has come when it is advisable to establish a General Purpose Fund, and that a Committee be appointed to prepare a Canon for the formation of said Fund.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The Rev. Canon BLEASDELL moved, seconded by W. SHEA,

That the first paragraph of the second clause of the first Canon on the Constitution be amended as follows:

That the said paragraph be struck out and the following one be substituted—

That the lay representatives shall be male communicants of the full age of twenty-one years, who shall have communicated at the least three times in the previous year, of which Easter shall be one, having previous to such communion been confirmed, or expressed himself in each case ready and desirous to be confirmed, to the Rector or Incumbent of the Parish.

It was moved, in

by S. KEEFER,

That all after the word "and" be struck out and the following

The Synod while representatives being that any case has been the subject.—Carried.

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It was moved, in amendment, by Judge McDONALD, seconded by S. KEEFER,

That all after the word "that," where it first occurs in the resolution be struck out and the following substituted therefor—

The Synod while recognizing the importance and necessity of Lay representatives being regular and consistent communicants, does not find that any case has been made out for a change in the existing Canon on the subject.—*Carried.*

It was moved by Canon BLEASDELL,

That clause seven of the same Canon on the Constitution be amended as follows :

That line fifth of said clause, as printed in the Book of Canons of this Synod, be amended by striking it out and substituting the words "or fail to communicate three times during the previous year, including the feast of Easter, except for reasons satisfactory to the Rector or Incumbent of the Parish.

The motion was withdrawn.

The Rev. Canon BLEASDELL moved,

That clause eight of the Thirty-second Canon, on Sale of Rectory Lands, be amended as follows :

That the Chancellor of the Diocese, or any other duly qualified Conveyancer, as the authorities of the Parish interested may choose, shall prepare the necessary deeds and mortgages. The expenses of conveyances and the usual and customary fees for registration and Sheriff's Certificates shall, in case the Conveyancer selected be the said Chancellor, be paid to him by the purchaser at the tariff to be arranged by the Executive Committee. And in case the Conveyancer engaged be other than the said Chancellor, that such conveyancing fees as may be agreed upon between the said Conveyancer and the parties interested, and the customary registration and Sheriff's fees, shall be paid by the purchaser to the Parish authorities, to be by them promptly disbursed in payment of the Conveyancer's fees, of the necessary Sheriff's Certificates, and of the due registration of the said conveyances and mortgages. And all deeds and mortgages shall be executed thus on behalf of the Synod by the Bishop under the seal of the Synod.

The motion was withdrawn.

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER.

The Rules of Order were suspended to allow of the introduction of the following motion.

It was moved by the Dean, seconded by JAS. SHANNON,

That the Synod of this Diocese has heard with great thankfulness to God the letter communicating the very liberal bequests of the late JOHN ATKINS, Esq., giving the amount of \$19,000 to the Mission Fund of the Diocese and other Church purposes; and desires that the letter and this resolution be entered on the minutes, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the family of the deceased gentleman.—*Carried.*

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

It was moved by the Rev. Dr. BOSWELL, seconded by the Rev. J. W. BURKE,

That the Bishop be requested to appoint a committee of six to carry into effect the resolution respecting the division of the Endowment Fund of the Diocese.—*Carried.*

The Bishop appointed the following as the Committee:—

Archdeacon Lauder, Rev. Dr. Boswell, Rev. Canon Preston, the Chancellor, F. McAnnany, and Geo. May.

It was moved by the Rev. F. W. KIRKPATRICK, seconded by the Rev. W. LEWIN,

That the Clerical Secretary be instructed to obtain from the Rev. F. W. KIRKPATRICK an account of the various sums received from Parishes in this Diocese for two years ending April 30, 1876, on behalf of the Missionary Diocese of Algoma; and that he be further instructed to insert this account in the forthcoming Journal of Synod.—*Carried.*

The Rev. Dr. BOSWELL moved, seconded by the Rev. J. W. BURKE,

That the words in the *twelfth* line of section 7 of Canon 28—"not more than"—be struck out, so that the Canon shall read "a grant of \$200."—*Carried.*

It was moved by the Rev. H. POLLARD, seconded by GEO. MAY,

That Mission Churches in our growing cities and towns, when there are no endowments, have a strong claim for aid from the Mission Fund.—*Carried.*

Archdeacon LAUDER moved, seconded by FENNINGS TAYLOR,

The adoption of a Canon on the constitution of vestries, and as to who shall be entitled to vote at such vestries, in accordance with the Act passed at the last session of the Parliament of Ontario.

The proposed Canon was referred to the following Committee appointed by the Bishop:

Archdeacon Lauder, Revs. Canon Jones, S. Tighe, C. Forest, Canon Preston, the Chancellor, F. Taylor, W. Ellis, F. McAnnany, and S. Keefer.

It was moved by the Rev. C. FOREST, seconded by the Rev. J. W. BURKE,

That the proposed Canon on the constitution of vestries be printed forthwith, and that a copy be forwarded as speedily as possible to each member of the Synod.—*Carried.*

The Synod adjourned at 1 P.M.

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It was moved by H. M. BAKER,

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Synod re-assembled at 3 P.M.

The Rev. Canon JONES moved the adoption of a Canon on the duties of Archdeacons, the visitation of Churches, Parishes, &c.

Archdeacon PARNELL moved, seconded by the Rev. Canon BLEASDELL,

That the proposed Canon be considered clause by clause.—*Carried.*

The Bishop having ruled the Canon out of order, it was withdrawn.

SUSPENSION OF RULES OF ORDER.

The Rules of Order were suspended to allow of the following motions.

It was moved by R. T. WALKEM, seconded by the Rev. E. H. M. BAKER,

That the amendment to Canon XIII, on the Endowment of Parishes, p. 1270, Journal of Synod, be confirmed.—*Carried.*

The Chancellor gave notice that he would move,

That the first clause of Canon XVI, on the Mission Fund, be amended by repealing the addition to the clause at the last session of the Synod, and by adding these words at the end of that clause—"That the election and appointment of the Mission Board shall be the first order of the day after notices of motions at the Morning Session of the second day of the Annual Meeting of the Synod."

And that sub-section 5 of clause 5, of Canon II, on order of proceedings, be amended by striking out the words "The election of delegates to the Provincial Synod shall be the first order of the third day of the Session, if it shall last so long, or, the last business transacted if the Session be of shorter duration"—and these words inserted, "on the second morning of Synod the election of Provincial Delegates shall take place."

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The Rev. Canon BLEASDELL withdrew his motion on the constitution of vestries of Free Churches.

The Rev. Canon JONES moved the adoption of a Canon on the settlement of Parochial disputes.

It was moved by R. T. WALKEM, seconded by the Rev. Canon PRESTON,

That the motion of the Rev. Dr. JONES, respecting the Canon on Parochial disputes, be referred to a Committee to report thereon at the next Session of Synod.—*Carried.*

The Bishop appointed, as such Committee, the Revs. Canon Jones and Preston and Messrs. R. T. Walkem and W. Shea.

The Rev. G. JEMMETT moved, seconded by the Rev. A. SPENCER,

That the arrears of the Synod Assessment due by the Mission of Nepean up to Easter 1876, be struck off.—*Carried.*

The Rev. Dr. BOSWELL moved, seconded by the Dean,

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

The Rev. Dr. BOSWELL moved, seconded by the Rev. Dr. JONES,

That the Report of the Widows' and Orphan's Fund Committee be adopted.—*Carried.*

It was moved by the Rev. Dr. BOSWELL, seconded by the Rev. J. W. BURKE,

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

The Chancellor moved, seconded by the Rev. Dr. BOSWELL,

That the amendment or addition to Canon XII at p. 1276 of the Journal of Synod be confirmed.—*Carried.*

It was moved by the Rev. Canon MULLOCK, seconded by the Rev. C. P. EMERY,

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

The Rev. Canon JONES moved, seconded by S. YOUNG,

The adoption of the Report of the Committee on Board of Foreign Missions.—*Carried.*

R. T. WALKEM moved, seconded by the Rev. Dr. BOSWELL,

The adoption of the Treasurer's Report.—*Carried.*

R. T. WALKEM moved, seconded by the Rev. C. FOREST,

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

The Chancellor moved, seconded by S. KEEFER,

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

It was moved by the Chancellor, seconded by S. KEEFER,

That the Report of the Committee on the petitions for the sale of certain lands be adopted.—*Carried.*—See Appendix K.

The Synod adjourned at 6 P.M.

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FOURTH DAY.

June 23rd, 1876.

The Synod met in St. George's Hall at 9 A.M.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by the Rev. Dr. BOSWELL.

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

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES.

The Bishop appointed the following Committees:—

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Clergy.—The Very Rev. the Dean, the Ven. Archdeacon Lauder, Revs. Dr. Boswell, Canon Tane, Canon Mulock, J. W. Burke, Canon Preston, C. B. Pettit, C. P. Emery, J. Carroll, the Clerical Secretary.

Laity.—Dr. Henderson, Judge Jarvis, W. Shea, A. Code, F. McAnnany, S. Keefer, R. T. Walkem, Judge McDonald, G. A. Kirkpatrick, Geo. May, the Lay Secretary, the Treasurer.

CLERGY TRUST FUND COMMITTEE.

Clergy.—The Ven. Archdeacon Lauder, Revs. Dr. Boswell, R. Lewis, G. W. White, Canon Preston, Canon Tane, the Clerical Secretary.

Laity.—Dr. Henderson, R. T. Walkem, G. A. Kirkpatrick, F. McAnnany, Geo. May, the Treasurer, the Lay Secretary.

EPISCOPAL AND GENERAL ENDOWMENT FUND COMMITTEE.

Clergy.—Revs. Canon Tane, F. W. Kirkpatrick, C. P. Emery, G. W. White, E. Loucks, the Clerical Secretary.

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

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND COMMITTEE.

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

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

DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND COMMITTEE.

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

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

BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE.

Revs. J. Carroll, Canon Tane, Canon Mulock, C. Forest, the Clerical Secretary, T. Stanton, H. Wilson, W. Lewin, F. W. Kirkpatrick, T. Bousfield, the Lay Secretary.

ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.

Revs. Canon Mulock, G. W. White, E. Loucks, Messrs. R. T. Walkem, F. McAnnany, Geo. May, the Lay Secretary, James Shannon, the Treasurer.

LAND COMMITTEE.

Clergy.—Revs. Dr. Doswell, F. W. Kirkpatrick.
Laity.—James Shannon, Dr. Henderson, W. Ellis.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS.

By the Rev. Canon BLEASDELL—

That permission be given to the Rector and Churchwardens of St. George's Church, Trenton, to sell a further portion of the glebe land in West Trenton according to the provisions of the Act obtained in the fourth session, second Parliament, 38 Victoria, 1874; and that the deeds and mortgages thereon arising from such sale be prepared by such conveyancer as may be deemed expedient by them.

By the Rev. Canon JONES—

That in accordance with the Report of the Committee on Foreign Missions—which Report has been adopted by the Synod—the Bishop, the Dean, the Archdeacons, the Lay Secretary, together with the members of the Lay and Clerical, of the Committee already existing, viz: Rev. Canon Jones, Canon Preston, K. L. Jones, J. W. Burke, F. W. Kirkpatrick, C. P. Emery, and Messrs. Tilton, Matheson, McGill, S. Young, Ellis, and D. Collins be a Committee to prepare a Canon to be submitted to the next Synod, and meanwhile be empowered to take such steps as they may consider expedient to carry out the objects recommended in the Report.

By FENNINGS TAYLOR—

I give notice that at the next session of the Diocesan Synod I will move that the delegates to the Provincial Synod be elected for three years, and that the Rules of this Synod be amended, if necessary, to this end.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

F. McANNANY presented the Report of the Committee on the Assessment of Parishes and moved, seconded by the Rev. C. P. EMERY, its adoption.

It was moved, in amendment, by R. T. WALKEM, seconded by W. ELLIS,

That the Report of the Assessment Committee be re-committed, and that they report again after recess.—*Carried*.

Archdeacon LAURENCE on the proposed Canon gave notice that he

R. T. WALKEM proposed the Settlement of P

The Rev. A. SPEER That the Report be re-
Carried.

Archdeacon LAURENCE on the division of the towns, and gave notice of Appendix N.

ELECTION OF DELEGATES The Rev. Canon JONES

M. BAKER, That Rev. G. W. White be the scrutineers of the Provincial Synod.

W. ELLIS moved, That the Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick be the Scrutineers for the Synod.—*Carried*.

REMARKS The Scrutineers of Delegates to the Provincial Synod elected:—

The Archdeacon of Kingston, Rev. J. W. Burrows, Rev. J. J. Bogert, Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, Rev. Canon Jones, Rev. H. Wilson,

The Scrutineers of the Provincial Synod reported the

Archdeacon LAUDER presented the Report of the Committee on the proposed Canon on Vestries and Churchwardens, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix L.

R. T. WALKER presented the Report of the Committee on the Settlement of Parochial Disputes.—See Appendix M.

The Rev. A. SPENCER moved, seconded by Jas. SHANNON, That the Report be re-committed and printed in the Journal of Synod.—*Carried.*

Archdeacon LAUDER presented the Report of the Committee on the division of the surplus Rectory Lands Fund in cities and towns, and gave notice that he would move its adoption.—See Appendix N.

ELECTION OF DELEGATES TO THE PROVINCIAL SYNOD.

The Rev. Canon PRESTON moved, seconded by the Rev. E. M. BAKER,

That Rev. G. W. White, Rev. A. Spencer and Mr. Baker, of Moulinette, be the scrutineers of the ballot for the election of Clerical Delegates to the Provincial Synod.

W. ELLIS moved, seconded by the Chancellor,

That the Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, with J. H. Simpson and R. Barker, be the Scrutineers for the election of Lay Delegates to the Provincial Synod.—*Carried.*

REPORT OF SCRUTINEERS.

The Scrutineers of the votes for the election of Clerical Delegates to the Provincial Synod reported the following as elected :—

The Archdeacon of Kingston, Rev. C. Forest, the Archdeacon of Ottawa, Rev. J. W. Burke, Rev. Canon Preston, Rev. E. H. M. Baker, Rev. J. J. Bogert, Rev. W. Lewin, Rev. Canon Bleasdel, Rev. C. B. Tit, Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, Rev. G. W. White.

Substitutes.—Rev. Canon Jones, Rev. C. P. Emery, Rev. Canon Tane, Dean, Rev. H. Wilson, Rev. Canon Mulock.

G. W. WHITE,
A. SPENCER,
J. E. BAKER.

The Scrutineers of the Lay vote for Delegates to the Provincial Synod reported the following as elected :—

G. A. Kirkpatrick, Judge McDonald, Jas. A. Henderson, R. T. Walkem, Geo. May, S. Keefer, W. Ellis, F. McAnnany, Jas. Shannon, R. V. Rogers, D. Collins, Fennings Taylor.

Substitutes.—W. Shea, W. H. Radenhurst, J. D. Slater, J. B. McGuire, Judge Jarvis, S. Young.

F. W. KIRKPATRICK,
J. H. SIMPSON,
R. W. BARKER.

REPORT OF ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.

F. McANNANY presented the amended Report of the Assessment Committee, and moved, seconded by S. YOUNG, its adoption.—See Appendix O.

The motion being put to the house was carried.

Archdeacon LAUDER moved, seconded by FENNINGS TAYLOR

That the Report of the Committee on the proposed Canon on Vestries and Churchwardens be received and be printed in the Report of Synod so that it may be fully before the members when the proposed Canon comes up for discussion at the next meeting of Synod.

It was moved by the Rev. E. P. CRAWFORD, seconded by the Rev. F. W. KIRKPATRICK,

That the total amount raised by the Sunday Schools of this Diocese each and every year for the Diocese of Algoma be forwarded to the Bishop of Algoma; and if there be any surplus over the \$400 per annum promised by this Diocese towards the support of the Bishop, it be applied in aid of the Mission Fund of that Diocese.—*Carried.*

Mr. BARKER's motion, relative to a return of Churches insured, stands over.

FENNINGS TAYLOR moved, seconded by R. T. WALKEM,

That the Act passed at the late Session of the Legislature of Ontario be printed with the Journal of the Fifteenth Session of the Synod of the Diocese.—*Carried.*—See Appendix P.

It was moved by R. T. WALKEM, seconded by the Rev. Canon PRESTON,

That the Rev. C. Forest's motion be referred to the Committee on the Settlement of Parochial disputes.—*Carried.*

The Chancellor moved, seconded by S. YOUNG,

That Canon XVI and sub-section 5 of clause 5, of Canon II, on order of proceedings be amended in accordance with the notice of motion given by him to that effect.—*Carried.*

W. ELLIS moved, seconded by R. T. WALKEM,

That the sum of \$200 be granted to the Treasurer for his services during the past year.—*Carried.*

It was moved by
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The Rev. J. J.
PRESTON,

That the hearty thanks
the Church people of
of Synod.—*Carried.*

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By R. W. BARKER
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It was moved by Rev. Canon JONES, seconded by S. YOUNG, That the motion in reference to the Report of the Committee on Foreign Missions, of which he gave notice yesterday, be adopted.—*Carried.*

COMPLIMENTARY.

The Rev. J. J. BOGERT moved, seconded by the Rev. Canon PRESTON,

That the hearty thanks of the Synod are due and are hereby given to the Church people of Kingston for their hospitality during the Session of Synod.—*Carried.*

There being no further business before the Synod the Session was closed by his Lordship the Bishop pronouncing the Benediction.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

By R. W. BARKER—

That he will ask for a return of the Churches of the Diocese which are insured, with the amount of insurance on each, and the names of the Churches uninsured (if any), and call attention to the desirability of keeping such Churches properly insured.

APPENDIX.

(A)

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

The Board of Missions, by its Chairman, has great pleasure in stating that by God's blessing the amount collected during the last winter by the deputations—\$2,194.67, by the Parochial Collections \$4,702.37, by the Whitsunday Collection \$501.77, and by the Advent Collection \$571.38 in all \$7,970.20—is \$566.46 in excess of the collections made in the preceding winter. Yet although so much more was collected last year the amount does not reach that of the year before by \$63, the collections in 1874 being \$8,033.25.

By a reference to the reports of the three last years, it will be seen that the balance to our credit at the Bank is yearly becoming less. The balance on 1st May, 1874, was \$2,588.70, 1st May, 1875, \$1,129.72, 1st May, 1876, only \$125.37. This is owing to two causes—the increase of missionaries, the number of whom is now 40, and again that while our missionaries have more than doubled since 1863, our income has increased but very little more than one-third, that is to say, in 1863 the total of the Mission Fund was \$5,852.40, while the total for the year ending 30th April, 1876, was only \$7,970.20: the number of missionaries in 1863 was 18, now 40. And with regard to this balance of \$125, should the gift of the S.P.G. be reduced this year, as it was last year, the balance will be for the first time, since this Diocese was established, against us; and thus unless the collections increase, it will be unsafe to add to the number of our missionaries.

We see from this statement how greatly it stands us in hand to make, if possible, greater exertions to prevail upon the members of the Church to increase their liberality. Our missionaries have doubled, and to double our collections we need \$11,704.80. The amount of salaries this present year is \$9,100, so that were we to collect this \$11,704 we should have only \$2,604 to provide for the payment of missionaries who are likely to be ordained this year, and to give to each the \$100 outfit, which amounted last year to \$467. Were the delegates to bear all this in mind and urge

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Mission Fund as much

There were seventy
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below.

The missions to which
30th June, 1876, are

Elizabethtown.....
Pakenham.....
Leeds and Lansdowne
Amherst Island.....
Loughboro.....
Finch.....
March.....
Franktown.....
Shannonville.....
Rosllyn.....
Kitley.....
Carlton Place.....
Renfrew.....
Leamark.....
Newman and Rochesterville
Edwardsburg and Mount
Merrickville.....
Huller and Wellington.
Fitzroy Harbor.....
Marysburg.....
Pembroke.....
Tarnworth.....
Hawkesbury.....
Pittsburgh.....
Eganville.....
Camden.....
Beachburgh.....
Osgoode.....
Newboro.....
Gloucester.....
Vankleek Hill.....
North Gower.....
Tarnworth.....
Madoc.....
Lansdownefront.....
Plantagenet.....
Sellers.....
Moulinette.....
Superannuated.....
The Sustentation Fund
Report of the Investment

the members of the Church to greater liberality in the cause of Christ and His Church, it would most probably have the effect of enlarging the Mission Fund as much as would be necessary.

There were seventeen deputations last winter, and they collected, as it has been said, \$2,194.67. Of these seventeen deputations only nine have thought proper to send in a report to the Mission Board, and of these, two have not stated how much was collected. These reports will be given below.

The missions to which the Board has made grants for the year ending 30th June, 1876, are (38) as follows :

Elizabethtown.....	Rev. Mr. Auston.....	\$200
Pakenham.....	" Cooke.....	200
Leeds and Lansdowne.....	" Coleman.....	200
Amherst Island.....	" Christie.....	200
Loughboro.....	" Dawson.....	300
Finch.....	" Early.....	300
March.....	" Fleming.....	250
Franktown.....	" Fisher.....	200
Shannonville.....	" Finlay.....	200
Rodlyn.....	" Foster.....	200
Kitley.....	" Forsyth.....	250
Carleton Place.....	" Grout.....	150
Renfrew.....	" Godden.....	300
Leamark.....	" Hudson.....	300
Nepean and Rochesterville.....	" Jemmett.....	200
Edwardsburg and Mountain.....	" Jones.....	250
Merrickville.....	" Low.....	200
Hillier and Wellington.....	" Halliwell.....	100
Finroy Harbor.....	" Vacant.....	250
Marysburg.....	" Mulvany.....	300
Pembroke.....	" Nesbitt.....	200
Tarworth.....	" Nimmo.....	300
Hawkesbury.....	" Phillips.....	200
Pittsburgh.....	" Prime.....	300
Essexville.....	" Poole.....	300
Camden.....	" Roberts.....	300
Beachburg.....	" Simpson.....	300
Oroville.....	" Wright.....	300
Newboro.....	" Tighe.....	200
Gloicester.....	" Higginson.....	200
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The Sustentation Fund, as will be seen by reference to the printed Report of the Investment Fund Committee, amounts now to \$30,697.80.

The Receipts and Expenditures are as follows:

By bal. in Bank, 1st May, '75	\$1,129 72	To salaries for year	\$8,551 00
Grant of Society for P. G.	726 04	Sundry expenses	485 00
Parochial Collections	4,702 37	Outfits	467 00
Algoma	415 29	Algoma Bishopric	400 00
Whitsunday	501 77	Expenses Parochial Coll's.	
Advent	571 39	" Deputations	267 00
Missionary Meetings	2,194 67	Cash, Algoma Fund	43 00
Outfit returned	100 00	Bal. in Bank of Montreal	125 00
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All which is respectfully submitted.

EDW. J. BOSWELL, Chairman.

REPORTS OF DEPUTATIONS.

DEPUTATION No. 1.

The members of Deputation were Rev. J. W. Burke (Convener) and Rev. W. B. Carey, of St. Paul's Church, Kingston. The tour commenced at Carrying Place and ended at Milford, the County of Prince Edward being the district to be visited. The very peculiar nature of the winter presented some difficulties, the total absence of sleighing (the whole journey was performed in buggies and waggons) being a serious drawback; and at one time roads hardened by severe frost, and at another deep in mud, rendered travelling both slow and unpleasant. All the stations on the programme were visited, and supplementary meetings were held at Glen's Settlement Schoolhouse (where the original meeting was not held owing to accidental hindrances) and at Northport at request of Rev. E. Loucks.

The first meeting was held at Carrying Place on January 10th, after Evening Service in Church. The Rev. E. H. M. Baker, Incumbent, presided. The Rev. Canon Bleasdel, who kindly came over from Trenton to assist the Deputation, addressed the meeting. In addition to the speeches of the members of the Deputation, Mr. Samuel Patterson, Lay Reader, spoke in support of the cause. The larger part of the congregation (about 90 in all were present) was composed of persons not members of the Church. The offertory was \$6.50. This was a considerable falling off from \$26.11 collected last year; but it may be noted, in explanation, that the Incumbent had decided to return to the original mode of collecting, dispensing with the envelope system as used in the last two years, and told the congregation that they would be expected to contribute on cards, and not, as in last year, to make the Missionary Meeting take the place of Parochial Collections. Only \$1.50 was contributed on cards last year. A great increase may be expected this year, so as probably to exceed considerably the total of last year. The night was very cold, and severe weather during the day kept many Church people who lived at a distance from coming to the meeting. A sum of \$4.45 had been contributed by the Sunday School.

Algoma Mission Fund was sent by the Convener, Kirkpatrick, for Algoma.

January 11th. Meeting. Here also a large proportion (which was neatly decorated) that services have been closed for some time. indefatigable Incumbent.

January 12th. Agitation. Evening to Glen's Settlement. Notice had been given and determined to postpone 25th February by the of Christ Church, Bel 120; offertory \$3.22.

January 13th. Meeting. Congregation 90. The offertory the plate only came to subscribed on cards after.

January 14th. Meeting. Congregation 60; offertory for \$2, which would be redeemed of course it came.

January 15th. Gero. the usual hour, 7 p.m. Congregation 37; offertory coming to rain, and a day success was better than provided and sent a card meeting.

Sunday, January 16. regarded the services. Primary Meeting was held. The Deputation and Reader. Some of the people of Algoma Bishopric. \$5 were given a large congregation. Preached from Matt. 28, seems a most useful and

January 17th. Another meeting. Muddy streets, rain.

Algoma Mission Fund, which was increased by \$1.52 collected at meeting, and was sent by the Convener, at the request of the Incumbent, to Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, for Algoma Mission Fund.

January 11th. Meeting at Consecon. Congregation 80; offertory \$3.01. Here also a large proportion of the congregation were Dissenters. The Church (which was neatly decorated) seems to require repairs; but it is pleasing to note that services have been resumed in this Church since Easter, 1875. It had been closed for some time. There is a fair prospect that the zealous labors of the indefatigable Incumbent will be now rewarded by a revival of Church life.

January 12th. Again very cold, but bright and pleasant. Went in the evening to Glen's Settlement (St. Stephen's Mission) Schoolhouse. As no notice had been given of our meeting, and as the Schoolhouse was occupied we determined to postpone it. A supplementary one was, however, held here on 25th February by the Convener and Incumbent, aided by Rev. R. S. Forneri of Christ Church, Belleville, and Mr. Patterson, Lay Reader. Congregation 120; offertory \$3.22.

January 13th. Meeting at Red Schoolhouse (St. Paul's Mission.) Congregation 90. The offertory was very poor; which even on a second circulation of the plate only came to \$3.97. It is, however, only fair to observe that \$20 was subscribed on cards after the meeting.

January 14th. Meeting at Massassaga Schoolhouse (St. Mark's Mission.) Congregation 60; offertory \$8.36. A due bill was also given by a person present for \$2, which would have made the offertory \$10.36, but as it was never redeemed of course it cannot be counted.

January 15th. Gerow Gore. The Missionary meeting was held in Church at the usual hour, 7 P.M. Rev. C. H. Mockridge, the Incumbent, presided. Congregation 37; offertory \$4.84, increased afterwards to \$9.04. A snow storm coming to rain, and a damp dark night were unfavorable circumstances, but our success was better than could have been anticipated. Rev. E. Loucks kindly provided and sent a carriage for us, and we went to Picton (8 miles) after the meeting.

Sunday, January 16. No Missionary Meeting proper was held to-day, but regarded the services as partly preparatory to meeting to-morrow. A Missionary Meeting was held for the Sunday School at Conger's Hall at 2:30 P.M. The Deputation and Rector addressed the children. The offertory was presented by some of the pupils. It amounted to the very handsome sum of \$25 for Algoma Bishopric Fund, and was the result of a monthly contribution in the Sunday School. \$5 were added by individuals, so the total was \$30. In the evening a large congregation assembled in Conger's Hall. Rev. W. B. Carey preached from Matt. 28, 19. This service on Sunday evening in Conger's Hall seems a most useful and cheering part of the work of the worthy Incumbent.

January 17th. Another cloudy and gloomy day, damp and disagreeable, with muddy streets, rather chilled our hopes of a successful meeting in the

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DEPUTATION No. 2—*Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, Convener; Rev. R. S. Forneri.*

As Convener of Deputation No. 2, I beg to report that we began our work in the Parish of Trenton on Friday evening, January 7th. After Evening Prayers missionary addresses were delivered by the Deputation, the Rev. E. H. M. Baker, the Clergy of the Parish, assisted by Mr. Shea and Mr. Flindall. The meeting was a successful one, though the collection fell somewhat short of last year, being \$23.02. We held our next meeting in Christ Church, Belleville, on Sunday evening, January 9th. Owing to the fact that this Church depends upon its Sunday offertory, only a partial collection was allotted to the Mission Fund, causing a marked diminution from last year's amount, when the meeting was held on a week day and the whole offertory given. Amount collected \$13.19. On Monday evening we were at Shannonville. Fair success attended this meeting, though the weather was cold and the roads entirely destitute of snow, as indeed they were through our whole tour.

On Tuesday meetings were held in the morning at All Saints', Tyendinaga, and in the evening at Christ Church. In both Churches there were attentive congregations and, as usual, good singing. Collection at All Saints', \$2.98; at Christ Church, \$8.98.

On Wednesday afternoon a meeting was held at Frizzell's Mills. 25 persons were present. Collection, \$2.57. Our route was closed by a meeting at Mill Point, which was large in point of numbers and which gave an offertory of \$7.40.

Owing to local causes and to the unfavorable state of the weather, the route did not yield as large a return for the Mission Fund as usual.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

F. W. KIRKPATRICK, Convener.

DEPUTATION No. 3.

The Convener begs leave to report as follows: The Deputation (Revs. Canon T. Bedford Jones, Convener, and W. J. W. Finlay) started for their work in the County of Hastings on Tuesday, January 18th. The weather was most unfavorable. A complete thaw had taken off all the snow, and there was no possibility of travelling but on wheels. In Shannonville, our point of departure, no vehicle was to be hired for love or money, and Mr. Finlay had to place his own horse and light open buggy at the service of the Deputation. After partaking of the hospitable entertainment of Mr. A. L. Roberts we packed ourselves and the very limited baggage that it was possible to take into the little carriage and left Shannonville in a downpour of rain, which never ceased during the drive of 12 miles to Roslyn. The thaw and rain combined to turn the roads into mud and slush; and when we reached the village tired and dripping, its desolate appearance was not calculated to raise our hopes as to the meeting in the evening. We found ourselves expected by the Misses Anderson, and nearly after our arrival were joined by the Missionary, Rev. Stuart Foster,

M.A. Our tea over, and the time for the meeting come, we picked our way in the dark through the mud and streams on the road to St. Paul's Church. Our dismal anticipations were realized. The congregation consisted of sixteen men and two girls, of whom only eight were members of the Church. However, they all listened attentively to the addresses delivered, and contributed \$2.13. Not caring to face the storm again and take out our horse, we remained for the night in our comfortable quarters at Roslyn.

January 19th. After a violent gale during the night the morning looked brighter, and we drove to Thomasburgh, where we were welcomed at the new Parsonage by Mr. Foster. Your Board may like to know that the house seemed in excellent repair, had been newly painted and papered, and a debt of \$140 paid off. Indeed the whole aspect of things at Thomasburg was encouraging. When we entered the Church (Christ Church) we found it newly painted, the glass of the windows frosted, a new harmonium of a very superior kind supplied, with most tasteful and appropriate Christmas decorations, bearing evidence of Christian faith and love. Our meeting was held at 4 P.M., and we were assured by those present, who numbered in all 21, that this was a very good attendance considering the dreadful state of the roads and the weather. The collection here was \$3.57. The same evening we drove on to Tweed, Mr. Foster taking the Convener to save Mr. Finlay's horse and buggy as much as possible. The roads were indescribably bad, and it was 8:30 before we reached the Church of St. James. We found 26 persons present, and had a far heartier meeting than we anticipated. There was an excellent choir and good general singing. The people seemed to listen with attention and interest, and the collection was \$5.45. Here, too, the Church was decorated with care and good taste, and all the appointments betokened decency and order. Indeed, through this Mission there were plain evidences of sound teaching and earnestness. The night was spent by your Deputation at the house of Mr. Elliott, by whom, as indeed by all who received us during our tour, we were most hospitably treated as well as cordially welcomed.

January 20th. Keen frost during the night. After the heavy rains of the past week the condition of the roads may now be readily imagined. There was a bitterly cold wind from the northwest, and it was possible to proceed only on a walk. It was so cold that we were glad to get out and warm ourselves by walking, and on reaching Madoc we found that it had taken three hours and a half to come ten miles, while the tire of one of the wheels was broken. Chilled through and through, never were travellers more grateful for the good fire and refreshing tea speedily provided by Mrs. Greme, in the comfortable quarters of the Rev. A. F. Echlin. Here, too, we found the Church's work prosperous, and were cheered by a good meeting attended by over sixty persons. The Church of St. John the Baptist was evidently suffering from past neglect, not the fault of the present Missionary. If your Board will suffer the suggestion it might be of much benefit to the Church was there a regular inspection of both Churches and Parsonages at least annually. It is not right that the valuable

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Friday, January 21st. Hard frost during the night and intensely cold morning. The Deputation, with Mr. Echlin, started for Empey's in a good double waggon, and enjoyed the drive through a fine rolling country, chiefly on the Hastings road, for 19 miles. At Mr. Empey's house we were kindly received by Mrs. E., a member of the Methodist denomination; and after dinner started with our host and hostess for the Schoolhouse, where the meeting was to be held. There we found silence reigning supreme: the door was locked, no fire lighted, not a soul appearing. Mr. E. said he thought no one would come. The day was bitterly cold, the roads rough, and any way there were but a few who would turn out! Having waited for twenty minutes after the appointed hour we returned to Mr. Empey's house, and the Convener tried to impress on his host the claims and wants of the Church, so making his speech in the dining room. But from all we could learn this little station has been lost to the Church, owing chiefly to the carelessness of the previous Missionary and the death of Mr. Empey's former wife, a zealous Churchwoman.

At 3 P.M. we started for Queensboro. The wind had moderated, and though the road was rough through this mining country the drive up and down hill for over ten miles was pleasant enough. When we reached the house of the worthy Squire of the Parish, Mr. Thompson, we found that there was something like a panic over the villagers. Diphtheria had become epidemic among them. Three days previously a fair young person, the leader of the choir and Sunday School teacher, whose hands had recently been busy decorating the pretty little Church of St. Peter, had been buried; and our first startling news was that the younger sister had died that morning; while the wife of our host, Mrs. Thompson, had also been attacked and was then lying in a most precarious condition in the large dining room! So a deep gloom hovered over the little village nestling among the hills, and interfered considerably with the meeting, at which everyone seemed depressed. The anxiety of the family was so great that at their request and that of the Missionary the Convener had a special service of prayer in the house of Mr. Thompson. The meeting over, at which \$3 was contributed, a fresh accident occurred to increase the general alarm. While blowing out a lamp in the Church, the Churchwarden fell backwards, and striking his head against the floor with great violence received a concussion of the brain, which rendered him unconscious for several hours. We had to lose no time in driving home to Madoc for a doctor. Meanwhile, however, the Convener with Mr. Echlin paid a visit to the bereaved family, and had an affecting service with the parents in the room where the dead child was laid.

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 Tuesday, January 25th. A worthy old Churchman, Mr. Cotter, drove us to Stirling next morning. Notwithstanding the snow, which at last began to fall, the drive of eight miles by the bank of the Trent was very lovely, and on the way we were pointed a specimen of the black pine tree, now become extremely rare. Arrived at the house of the clergyman, we found we were not expected and that no preparation for a meeting had been made. We visited St. John's Church, outside looking so beautiful, but inside disgracefully dirty. Finding no arrangements made for a meeting in Stirling, we consulted the Church-wardens as to the possibility of getting our people together in the evening, but were then informed that there was a meeting announced for that evening at Rawdon. Mrs. Halliwell showed us a large bill with the place and hour written. Glad to have something to do, we availed ourselves of the kind offer of Messrs. Bull and Baldrick to drive us to the Schoolhouse. The road was very bad: it was neither good sleighing nor wheeling. We scraped along the ten miles, and at the Schoolhouse found a Churchman lighting the lamps for a meeting of the School Trustees! This was very discouraging, and we had to drive back to Stirling having put our friends to all the inconvenience to no purpose.

The collection addressed subscribers. Wednesday, January 26th. Next day there was excellent sleighing and we were driven in the afternoon to the Village of Marmora in Mr. Hagerman's sleigh. Here we found a very neat new Church, named St. Paul's, evidencing the energy and good taste of the people. We had a capital meeting in the evening, the Church being well filled, and were much gratified by the good music and earnest character of the service, as well as by the contribution of \$4.75. It must be \$7.47. Before the Deputation left the Church, the cards taken by the young women were being filled up rapidly.

Mr. Hagerman's good horses took us back to his mansion that night, where we were very hospitably entertained, and we started on our way home next morning, January 27th. On reaching Stirling, where our friends paid our fare by stage to Belleville, we met with a most agreeable surprise. While waiting on the stage in the hotel, Messrs. Bull, Baldrick and Finch requested an interview, and represented that the Churchpeople felt much concerned at our having no meeting in Stirling; and as a proof that this was through no disinclination on their part to give to the Mission cause, or through no want of love to the Church, they had hurriedly made a collection the previous evening, and handed the Deputation \$16.30. We were charged to state that this was out of respect to the Bishop and the Mission Board; and subsequently the Deputation received a further sum of \$18.70 from the Churchmen of Stirling, making in all \$35 to add to our collections.

is brought the work of our Deputation to an agreeable conclusion. A summary is herewith appended of the meetings, the receipts and expenses,

St. Paul's, Roslyn	\$2 10
Christ Church, Thomasburg.....	3 50
St. James', Tweed	5 40
St. John's, Madoc	8 20
St. Peter's, Queensboro.....	3 00
St. Paul's, Belleville	1 30
St. Thomas', "	63 30
Meeting House, Frankford	2 10
St. Paul's, Marmora	7 60
St. John's, Stirling, without meeting.....	35 00
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St. Thomas' Sunday School, Belleville (Algoma)	\$131 75
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Total receipts	\$151 90
Expenses charged	12 50
Transmitted to Clerical Secretary	\$139 40

T. BEDFORD JONES, Conven

DEPUTATION No. 8.

As Convener of Deputation No. 8, I have much pleasure in reporting that we commenced the work of my Deputation in company with the Rev. A. Phillips, of Hawkesbury, at Smith's Falls, on Wednesday, January 5th. We received a hearty welcome from the Rev. C. P. Emery, and were struck with the marked contrast between the well attended and hearty meeting we addressed in the evening and the small one we, the previous year, waded knee deep through the snow to reach on one of the hills of Pakenham. We received valuable assistance from the Rev. G. J. Low, of Merrickville, and Rev. J. R. Forsyth, of Kitley; yet the offertory fell short of that of the year before, owing, probably, to the fact that a local effort was at the time made to raise a handsome testimonial for the Incumbent. The offertory was \$14.63, together with \$6.80 from the Sunday School for Algoma, making a total of \$21.40.

The next day, being the Feast of the Epiphany, we had a celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 8 o'clock A.M., and Morning Prayer at 11. At the 11 o'clock service, at the request of the Incumbent, I delivered an address on Foreign Mission work, and made a small collection, \$1.05, which we added to the treasury of the previous evening.

The following evening the meeting was held at Montague, one of the stations of Smith's Falls. The congregation, in the Orange Hall, was not so large as usual owing to the uncertain state of the roads, there being neither sleighing nor waggoning; and the offertory fell short of the one last year. Forsyth still accompanied us, and gave us valuable assistance.

The next evening (Friday) we made the first gain over last year. The singing was held in the little wooden Church at Port Elmsley, and the offering amounted to \$7.36, being \$4.08 more than last year. A pleasing incident

connection with this meeting was that a \$4 note was placed on the plate by an old man, living alone, a short distance from the Church, and from whom such an act of liberality was not expected.

As the roads were bad, the weather rainy, and the meeting held Saturday evening, we did not repeat our success at Lombardy. The congregation was small, and the offertory, \$4.96, was \$2.88 less than last year.

Sunday morning, January 9th, we drove through slush and rain to New Roynce. The rain ceased as we approached the Parish, and drew up opposite the new Church. Five years ago, in company with the late Archdeacon, I made my last visit to this Parish. The people were then talking of a new church, but we had no idea that they would have attempted such a building as we now saw in a fair way to completion. Of correct architecture, of liberal dimensions, and of handsome material, nave and chancel, and massive tower, would do credit to any parish in the Diocese.

The old Church is still used for service, and there we addressed a congregation which gave us an offertory of \$6.28, not so much, it is true, as we had a right to expect, but still \$1.68 more than they gave last year.

We had a hearty service at Portland in the afternoon, and received an offertory of \$6.08, being 70 cents in excess of that of 1875. Owing to the exertions of the Incumbent, many who were before indifferent to all religious influences have become interested in the Church, and some of them are under instruction with a view to baptism and confirmation.

At Newboro we made the small gain of 10 cents over last year's offertory.

Monday evening we broke new ground in Westport, and addressed a meeting which yielded \$2.07.

We found the Incumbent of Leeds and Lansdowne comfortably settled in a parsonage on the banks of Lake Singleton, where we were hospitably entertained. Both the meetings in his parish were, considering the state of the country, well attended. The meeting at Leeds yielded \$6.50, and that at Lansdowne \$8.09. I found some improvements at the latter Church worthy of mention. A new bell had been placed in the tower, an organ in the Church, a large shed, capable, I should think, of sheltering all the horses in the parish, had been erected in the Church yard since my last visit.

The Mission of Kitley seemed to be prospering under the charge of the Rev. Forsyth. There was a hearty service with excellent singing at Frankford, and the offertory was \$13.78, being \$6.79 in excess of the previous year.

The meeting at Easton's Corners was also well attended, and was interesting being the first held at this station for many years. The offertory was \$4.65. We found a site had been bought and material was being collected to build a Church, but the movement had received a serious check by the commercial embarrassment and withdrawal from the Parish of the chief promoter. However, encouraged the people to persevere, and having said farewell to our labors as Deputation for 1876.

Mr. Phillips was obliged to leave me before the last meeting in order to reach Hawkesbury for his Sunday duty, and I thus lost a pleasant companion and most effective fellow-worker.

K. L. JONES, Convener.

DEPUTATION No. 10—*Rev. G. J. Low, Convener; Rev. A. W. Cooke.*

Our labors commenced in the Parish of Franktown. We held meetings in the four Churches in this Mission; and although the aggregate was somewhat less than that of last year, still the amount contributed was very good, considering the hard times; for indeed, though this is quite a rural community, they have been much straitened by the present monetary condition; more particularly in that, owing to the want of good sleighing as well as the want of market, the farmers have not been able to draw out their firewood and timber and thus a source of revenue has failed them. The total amount obtained this Mission was \$22.26 against \$26 last year. The congregations in all cases were good and seemed to take much interest in the Church's work.

Our next station was St. George's, Gloucester, at present under the charge of the Rev. G. N. Higginson. Mr. Cooke, being unfortunately laid up with a very heavy cold, could not accompany us thither, and we also laboured under the disadvantage of a severe snowstorm. Dr. Wilson, a zealous layman of St. Bartholomew's, came with us and rendered us efficient aid by his speech. The next evening a sleigh-load, consisting of Revs. T. D. Phillips and G. N. Higginson, Dr. Wilson and myself (Mr. Cooke being still too unwell to join us) drove to Dagg's Schoolhouse, a very promising station lately opened by Mr. Higginson. Here, notwithstanding it was an intensely cold night and the road heavy from yesterday's storm, we found a large attendance, and were joined by the Rev. T. Garrett, of Bearbrook, who addressed the meeting warmly on the subject in hand, as did also Mr. Bradley, a layman of the neighborhood, besides our own party. We had in consequence speeches in plenty, and a response of \$5.20 from this most encouraging field.

The next evening (Sunday) was spent by the Deputation in St. Alban's, Ottawa. Here we were cheered by a large and hearty congregation and by the presence and assistance of the Bishop. The service was choral throughout, though there was no choir; I should rather say the whole congregation was the choir, and sustained their part of the Divine Worship in a most animated manner. The offertory amounted to \$80.28, being \$20 better than last year.

We closed our tour the next evening (Monday) with a meeting in St. Bartholomew's, New Edinburgh, where again the Bishop kindly aided us. The congregation was small, but this was to be expected, as all the city clergy testified that it is useless to have any religious meeting on a week day, there are many other attractions every evening in a city like Ottawa. However we were gratified by receiving here the largest collection on the whole route: the offertory was \$131.72, \$100 of this being a cheque from Colonel the Hon. E. C. Lyttleton.

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DEPUTATION No. 11
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26th "	Prospect	7 15
27th "	Ashton	5 31
28th "	St. George's, Gloucester	4 34
29th "	Dagg's Schoolhouse	5 20
30th "	St. Alban's, Ottawa	80 28
31st "	St. Bartholomew's, New Edinburgh	131 72

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G. J. Low, Convener.

DEPUTATION No. 11—*Rev. Canon Bleasdel, M.A., Convener; Rev. G. J. Low, M.A.*

The Convener begs to report that the area assigned to this Deputation was circumscribed to the Parishes of Merrickville and Kemptville, and it commenced its labors in this recently limited field of action on Tuesday evening, January 18th, at Merrickville, and held in succession eight missionary meetings.

The next meeting held was at Burritt's Rapids, but the attendance at this and the one previous to it were largely interfered with, both as to attendance and results, by pelting and unseasonable rain and torrents of mud. The meeting at Merrickville was liberally supplemented subsequently by another one, and the Church members there proved equal to the occasion. From Burritt's Rapids the Convener and his most excellent colleague were driven by the Revs. G. J. Low and A. Spencer into the Parish of Kemptville; and the first meeting held there was at St. Paul's Church, Marlborough. Here they found a neat and fitting ecclesiastical-looking edifice erected recently on a beautiful site overlooking the Rideau River on its north bank, and a credit to the congregation who worship in it, as well as the clergy of the Parish who inspired the work. The meeting here was satisfactory inasmuch as it was greatly in advance of last year in its pecuniary result. The meetings at Oxford Station and Wilson's Schoolhouse followed, with a slight advance upon that of the previous year at the former one, and a decided one in the latter case. A melancholy event and one producing a sore bereavement to the family of Rev. A. Spencer took place at himself, at the Rectory House, occurred on the morning of the 22nd, and caused the meetings at Oxford Mills and Kemptville to be postponed until the 26th and 27th instants, out of respect to their feelings and sympathy with him in their sorrowful trial. The meeting at Wilson's Schoolhouse took place on the evening of the 21st, and was satisfactory, as the collection was somewhat above that of last year. The meeting at Kemptville on the 26th of January was well attended, highly satisfactory in its results, and interesting; whilst the closing meeting at Oxford Mills was not so satisfactory, though the attendance was good. A new stone Church here of an ecclesiastical character, reminding one by its substantial details what it was designed for, bore testimony to the zeal somewhere that had erected such a fitting edifice in this small village, and told the story that it was an edifice of the Church of England neither more nor less.

At Kemptville as well as at Merrickville, Sunday School offerings were made for the Algoma Diocesan Fund; and the former fact is interesting when the Convener remembers that St. James' Church, Kemptville, was the pioneer in these said offerings, which of late years have become more general, other parishes following the good example which it thus set. The total pecuniary results of the eight Missionary Meetings amounted to \$79.21, whilst similar meetings last year in the same places produced \$73.63, being a gain of \$5.58 this season.

The Convener cannot but mention the able co-operation of his colleague, the Rev. G. Jemmett, at every meeting; and also that of R. Leslie, Esq., in the Parish of Kemptville; also Dr. Ferguson, M.P., and his lady, for their hospitality and kindness to them during the trying event at the Rectory of Kemptville, as well as that of Mr. and Mrs. T. Blackburn, to his colleague on the same occasion.

DEPUTATION, No. 12.

In reporting the work of Deputation No. 12, consisting of the Rev. J. H. Nimmo, M.A., and myself, it affords me much pleasure to state that we were enabled to hold meetings in all the Churches and Stations (15) assigned to us, and that unusual success attended our labors. In every instance but one, viz. Prescott (where a special effort greatly swelled last year's returns, and so made a really good collection seem small), a large increase in missionary offerings, notwithstanding the hard times, is to be noted. In the case of Williamsburgh the increase was nearly five-fold. If we except the meeting at Dixon's Corners, which was held on perhaps the coldest and most tempestuous night of the season, all the meetings were well attended, while some were crowded. At the instance of the Rev. Arthur Jarvis the Rev. Canon Preston kindly conducted a meeting at 2nd Concession, Osnabruck, a place the Deputation were unable to include in their programme. The collection, \$6.13, was forwarded by the Incumbent to the Convener. The inaugural meeting in Trinity Parish, Brockville, was a grand success. Six Sunday Schools contributed towards the Funds of the Diocese of Algoma, viz., those of Crysler, Morrisburgh, Iroquois, South Mountain, Prescott, and Trinity Parish, Brockville; the first of these—little Crysler—leading off with the large sum of \$29. Both Crysler and Morrisburgh Sunday Schools assign a share of their offerings to support missions in Algoma.

The following figures show what was received in the various Parishes visited: Parish of Crysler (two meetings) \$49.00; Parish of Osnabruck (four meetings) \$60.96; Williamsburgh and Morrisburgh (two meetings) \$114.50; Iroquois (three meetings) \$38.87; Edwardsburgh and South Mountain (three meetings) \$35.47; Prescott, \$66; Trinity Parish, Brockville, \$70; total, \$435.70. Last year this district returned \$257.08. Included in these sums are the offerings for the Diocese of Algoma—this year \$84.85, against \$64.50 in 1875.

The Deputation greatly rejoiced at witnessing in this important section of the Diocese many evidences of Church life and activity, such as the new Church in South Mountain—a perfect gem; the handsome Rectory recently

erected at Morrisburgh, a beautiful one, projected with the hearty service of a large and devout congregation. Liberal offerings made for the cause of the Church.

The Rev. Messrs. F. and J. gave valuable assistance of their own. Unbounded hospitality to the clergy and laity alike. All which is respectfully

DEPUTATION No. 13.

The Deputation, composed of the Rev. J. H. Nimmo, M.A., and myself, commenced their operations. The meetings were smaller than last year; but due to the good weather, the meetings were successful. In two cases the returns were in excess of the previous year. Certain gentlemen, who had been in the Report for 1875 put forward, only reached \$10, the collection amounted to \$20.70, a result to be ascribed to the excellent work done wherever we went. Excepting distances to be gone, we were able to do much when we ought to have done more.

DEPUTATION No. 14—R.

This Deputation held meetings in each of the stations, where the collection testified to the growth of the Church. Christ Church, Ottawa, showed an increase in the collection, and the members of the Deputation in this connection were very successful. Osgoode Station, who are in the best of circumstances. For when

ected at Morrisburgh, and the foundation of that more costly, if not more beautiful one, projected at Iroquois. These enterprises, taken in connection with the hearty services the Deputation were privileged to participate in, the large and devout congregations which met them in almost every place, the liberal offerings made for the extension of Christ's Kingdom, plainly indicate that the cause of the Church is taking deep root in the hearts of the people.

The Rev. Messrs. Forest, Jarvis and White, with Canons Mulock and Preston, gave valuable assistance to the Deputation in the Parishes contiguous to their own. Unbounded hospitality was accorded to the Deputation by both the clergy and laity along their route.

All which is respectfully submitted.

E. H. M. BAKER, Convener.

DEPUTATION No. 13.

The Deputation, consisting of the Revs. C. P. Emery and J. Halliwell, commenced their operations in Cornwall on 16th of January. For the first week the meetings were small, and the offertories, with one or two exceptions, less than last year; but during the second week the weather was favorable, the roads good, the meetings excellent, and the offertories in advance of last year. In two cases the returns were less than last year, but at the same time the offertories were in excess, the extra of last year arising from the liberality of certain gentlemen, who are now in different parts of the Diocese. For instance the Report for 1875 puts the offertory for Hawkesbury at \$45.07, whereas it only reached \$10, the extra being added afterwards, whereas this year it amounted to \$20.70, a little more than double. We were much pleased to observe the excellent work being carried on by the Church's missionaries wherever we went. Expenses of the Deputation were heavy on account of the long distances to be gone over, and the fact of having to hire on several occasions when we ought to have been forwarded.

C. P. EMERY, Convener.

DEPUTATION No. 14—Rev. J. J. Bogert, M.A., Convener; Rev. A. Spencer.

This Deputation held meetings at the places assigned to it. The attendance each was large, and the interest which was manifested had a cheering effect on the members of the Deputation and the clergy in charge. Everywhere they were met by the cry of "hard times," and yet (with the exception of free stations, where the deficiency was but slight) everywhere the amount of collection testified to higher appreciation of responsibility in this matter. Christ Church, Ottawa, where the Bishop aided the Deputation, the collection showed an increase of 75 per cent on that of last year. While acknowledging with gratitude the various acts of hospitality and kindness received by members of the Deputation throughout their tour, they feel constrained to mention in this connection the name of Mr. Willis, "mine host" of the Hotel Osgoode Station, who assisted them and stuck to them under very trying circumstances. For when they failed to obtain a vehicle to carry them from

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I heartily endorse the sentiments of my reverend brother who visited this Parish last year, as to the zeal and devotion of the Torbolton people.
If I might be permitted to add a recommendation to my report, I should be glad if the Synod would give the power to the Board of Missions, by the enactment of a Canon or otherwise, to reward any missionary who would send up sufficiently liberal contributions to the Mission Fund. I feel sure that upon the Missionaries themselves depends in a very great degree the augmentation of this Fund, which is absolutely necessary for the carrying on of our present missions and the opening up of new ones. Our missionaries who derive a portion of their stipends from this Fund ought therefore to feel it to be their duty to use every means to arouse the people to become interested in the Mission work of the Diocese in order that the Board may be enabled to make their grants to the Missions as large and liberal as possible.

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The amount collected was in all \$132.26; number of people addressed, 671.
All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES A. PRESTON, Convener.

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DEPUTATION No. 16—*Rev. A. C. Nesbitt, Convener; Rev. G. Noel Higginson.*

The Deputation held meetings at the eight places below named, but were hindered by the storms from holding meetings at the 9th Line of Fitzroy and also at both Churches in the Mission of March.

consisted of Rev. Subsequently, however, the Missionaries in charge had meetings. The results of this year's efforts compare favorably with those of last year.

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Name of Station.	1875.	1876.	Increase.	Remarks.
Corners, Christ Church....	\$3 33..	\$11 00..	\$7 67	
mond, St. John's Church....	6 45..	6 55..	10	This table shows that
bourne, St. Thomas' Church	4 45..	8 59..	4 14	at the meetings which
dean, St. Paul's	9 37..	19 35..	9 98	the Deputation were
ville, St. Margaret's.....	1 42..	4 09..	2 67	able to hold the re-
ley, Christ Church	5 87..	12 19..	6 32	sult is almost double
ley, 6th Line.....	3 78..	9 66..	5 88	of last year.
Village	7 54..	12 00..	4 46	The last named three
oy, 9th Line		5 00)		places are to be re-
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REPORT OF WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND COMMITTEE

The Chairman of the Committee for the management of the funds for the support of Widows and Orphans of Clergymen has to Report as follows :

The total of Mortgages amounts to	\$9,100
The total of Debentures	9,090
Amount of Investments at present time	\$18,190
Being an increase over those of last year of \$300.	

The receipts for the year are—

By balance in Bank 1st May, 1875	\$ 157
Investments	9,090
Interest	1,450
Subscriptions	290
Collections	730
Cash	150
	\$11,738

The expenditures have been—

To Cash 1st May, 1875	\$ 5
Investments	9,360
Pensions	1,270
Express charges	140
Expenses	1,010
Balance in Bank	1,010
	\$11,738

We have the same number of Widows on our list as during last year but two more children.

Mrs. Blakey	\$200 00
Mrs. Armstrong	200 00
Mrs. Grier	200 00
Mrs. Harper	200 00
Mrs. Mockridge	200 00
Mrs. Armstrong's child	40 00
Mrs. Mockridge's two children	80 00
	\$1,120 00

Mrs. Took, lately upon our list, is dead.

All which is respectfully submitted.

EDW. J. BOSWELL, Chairman

REPORT

The Chairman of the Committee for the management of the funds for the support of all Securities and the interest accruing thereon in Canon 25, section 1, has to Report as follows :

Mortgages covering principal	\$9,100
Interest on same	9,090
Debentures covering principal	9,090
Interest thereon	9,090

Mortgages covering principal	\$ 157
Interest on same	9,090
Debentures	1,450
Interest	290
Shares of Corporation of	730
Interest	150
Shares of Dominion Stock	150
Interest	150
Shares of Montreal Bank	150
Interest	150
Shares of Bank Stock	150
Interest	150
Deposit Receipt Bank of	150
Interest	150

Debentures covering principal	\$11,738
Interest	11,738
Shares Dominion Stock	11,738
Interest	11,738
Shares Bank Stock	11,738
Interest	11,738

WIDOWS'

Mortgages covering principal	\$1,120 00
Interest	1,120 00
Government Debentures	1,120 00
Interest	1,120 00
County Debentures	1,120 00
Interest	1,120 00
Shares British American Insurance	1,120 00
Interest	1,120 00
Shares Dominion Stock	1,120 00
Interest	1,120 00
Shares of Bank Stock	1,120 00
Interest	1,120 00

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REPORT OF INVESTMENT COMMITTEE.

The Chairman of the Investment Committee makes the following report of all Securities held by the Diocese, and the amounts, together with the interest accruing thereon, in accordance with the directions contained in Canon 25, section 5:

EPISCOPAL FUND.

Mortgages covering principal sum of.....		
Interest on same.....		\$33,685 62
Debentures covering principal sum of.....	\$2,603 56	
Interest thereon.....	1,466 68	24,444 67
	<u>\$4,070 24</u>	<u>\$58,130 29</u>

SUSTENTATION FUND.

Mortgages covering principal sum of.....		
Interest on same.....		\$9,893 65
Debentures.....	\$702 95	
Interest.....	879 96	14,666 00
Share of Corporation of St. George's, Kingston...		200 00
Interest.....	16 00	2,000 00
Shares of Dominion Stock.....	120 00	438 15
Interest.....	61 34	500 00
Shares of Bank Stock.....	40 00	3,000 00
Interest.....	120 00	
	<u>\$1,940 25</u>	<u>\$30,697 80</u>

DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND.

Debentures covering principal sum of.....		
Interest.....		\$1,973 34
Shares Dominion Stock.....	\$118 40	
Interest.....	30 00	500 00
Shares Bank Stock.....	60 00	750 00
Interest.....		
	<u>\$208 40</u>	<u>\$3,223 34</u>

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

Mortgages covering principal sum of.....		
Interest.....		9,100 00
Government Debentures.....	640 00	
Interest.....	133 83	2,675 67
County Debentures.....		3,500 00
Interest.....	210 00	200 00
Shares British American Insurance.....	13 00	1,400 00
Interest.....	84 00	1,320 00
Shares Dominion Stock.....	105 60	
Interest.....		
Shares of Bank Stock.....		
Interest.....		
	<u>\$1,186 43</u>	<u>\$18,196 67</u>

RECTORY LANDS.

62 Mortgages covering principal sum of.....		\$69,24
Interest.....	\$4,861 02	
2 Government Debentures.....		97
Interest.....	48 66	
105 County Debentures.....		78,06
Interest.....	4,683 81	
2 Deposit Receipts.....		31
Interest.....	12 74	
	\$9,606 23	\$148,59

CLERGY TRUST FUND.

Capital invested.....		\$274,60
Annual Income.....	\$14,605 46	
Total principal of all funds invested.....		\$533,45
Total income arising from same.....	\$31,717 01	
Being an increase of principal since last year of....		\$13,17
And of income.....	\$1,182 10	

Which is nearly 6½ per cent; this again being a gain over the per centage of year.

All which is respectfully submitted.

E. J. BOSWELL, Chairman

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS
the first, 1875.
Cash on hand.....
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Amount of sales to da

Examined and found
Kingston, 6th June, 1875

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REPORT OF BOOK AND TRACT COMMITTEE.

The Book and Tract Committee beg leave to report that, notwithstanding the great depression in business generally, they have much cause for thankfulness. The amount of sales in the Depository during the year was only about \$50 less than that of the previous year. This, they think, is in a measure owing to the very excellent selection of Books on the shelves, as well as the steady demand for a class of good books. The stock is now better in quality and quantity than it has ever been before.

Acting upon the resolution of last year's Synod they have voted to pay the Manager of the Depository a salary of \$20 a month instead of the former per centage.

Appended is an Abstract of Receipts and Expenditure for the past year.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN A. MULLOCK, Chairman

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\$69,24		STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS <i>by the Rev. Thos. Bousfield for the financial year ending 30th April, 1876.</i>	
861 02	97	May 1st, 1875.	May, 1875.
48 66	78,06	By Cash on hand	By paid Clerical Secretary ..
683 81	31	Received from Clerical Sec. 1,579 01	for Stock
12 74		Amount of sales to date .. 1,087 84	Commission on Sales and Manager's salary
306 23	\$148,59		Freight & Express chgs.
	\$274,60		Postages
505 46			Fuel wood and cutting
	\$533,45		Cleaning office
17 01			Insurance
	\$13,17		Customs
82 10			Petty items
per centage of			Printing
			May 1, 1876.
			By Cash on hand
		\$2,769 47	10 83
			\$2,769 47

Examined and found correct.

ELL, Chairman Kingston, 6th June, 1876.

I. J. CHRISTIE, Auditor.

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REPORT OF BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

ITTEE. The Lord Bishop, Clergy, and Laity assembled in Synod of the Diocese of Ontario.

at, notwithstanding the much cause the Committee on Foreign Missions appointed at the last Synod (1875) during the year. This, they consider it highly desirable that a "Board of Foreign Missions" be established for the Diocese of Ontario.

tion of Books and good books. The business of this Board should be—1, To create and encourage an ever been before the Missionary work of the Church of England outside the have voted to of the Diocese. 2, To hold and dispense the funds contributed for head of the for purpose. For the present the Missionary Diocese of Algoma should be regarded as having special claims on these funds and be the Board's concern.

for the past year. Our Committee recommend that this Board consist of six Presbyters six Lay members of the Synod, and be nominated annually by the

Bishop at the meeting of Synod ; and that the Bishop, the Dean of Cathedral, the Archdeacons, the Clerical and Lay Secretaries of Synod *ex-officio* members.

That the said Board hold their meetings at the same times of month as the other Committees for the transaction of business, and present Report annually to the Synod of the operations of the year, with account of the monies received and disbursed.

That the said Board be empowered to frame and adopt such regulations, and take such measures for the carrying out of the objects contemplated as may be by them deemed expedient.

Your Committee would respectfully ask that the funds contributed on the Day of Intercession, or on some one day in each year on which great and important Missionary work of the Church abroad is brought before our people throughout the Diocese, be placed at the disposal of this Board.

That on the adoption of this Report, a Canon embodying its substance and any amendments introduced by the Synod be introduced at the next Session.

All which is respectfully submitted.

T. BEDFORD JONES, Chairman

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REPORT OF EPISCOPAL TRUST FUND COMMITTEE

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

The Mortgage Securities on Real Estate, Municipal Debentures and cash belonging to the Episcopal Trust Fund at the end of the fiscal year are as follows :

Mortgages, securing a principal sum of	\$33,685
Debentures, representing a principal sum of	24,444
Cash in Bank of Montreal	1,611
Making a total of	\$59,932

There are arrears of interest due on Mortgages, and which are covered good, \$750.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. A. HENDERSON, Chairman

Kingston, June 20th, 1876.

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The Treasurer begs to

General Statement of the
April, 1876, together
Bank of Montreal.

Statement of the Receipts
Fund, Interest Account
separate list of cheques

Statement of Receipts and
Capital Account, for

Statement of Securities held by the
1876, showing the annual

The changes in the Securities

Invested Capital 30th April

since matured and paid

Windsor Debentures ..

Frontenac " ..

Renfrew " ..

Blackville " ..

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TREASURER'S REPORT.

KINGSTON, 17th June, 1876.

THE SYNOD OF THE DIOCESE OF ONTARIO.

The Treasurer begs to submit the following statements :

General Statement of the several Funds of the Synod of Ontario on the 30th April, 1876, together with certified balances of the Accountant in the Bank of Montreal.

Statement of the Receipts and Payments on account of the Clergy Trust Fund, Interest Account, for the year ending 30th April, 1876, with separate list of cheques paid Commuted Clergy.

Statement of Receipts and Payments on account of the Clergy Trust Fund, Capital Account, for the year ending 30th April, 1876.

Statement of Securities held by the Commutation Trust Fund on the 30th April, 1876, showing the annual income derived therefrom.

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

Invested Capital 30th April, 1875\$275,291 63

Less since matured and paid—

Windsor Debebtenture	\$ 300 00
Frontenac "	10,000 00
Renfrew "	750 00
Rockville "	6,000 00
Windsor "	1,400 00
Windsor Mortgages	260 55
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	18,710 55

Balance transferred from other Funds—

\$256,581 08

Key Debentures	\$3,000 00
Castings "	4,027 00
Frontenac "	4,000 00
Windsor "	3,000 00
Wellington "	2,000 00
Windsor "	2,000 00
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	\$18,027 00

Present invested Capital.....\$274,608 08

Less of Capital Account in Bank.....\$953 95

Less of Interest Account with Bank.....\$739 82

R. M. MOORE, Treasurer.

General Statement of the Several Funds of the Synod of Ontario on the 30th of April, 1876.

At Credit Divinity Students' Fund	\$ 430
" Episcopal	1,611
" Clergy Trust Fund, Capital account	953
" Mission	581
" Rectory Lands	231
" Sustentation	335
" Widows' and Orphans' Fund	1,016

At Debit Assessment Fund	\$758 05
" Algoma Fund	131 29
" Prayer Book Fund	210 22
" Clergy Trust Fund, Interest account	739 82
	\$1,839

Amount due by Bank to Synod

Audited and found correct.

R. M. MOORE, Treasurer

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

Kingston, 17th June, 1876.

Certificate of Bank Balances.

BANK OF MONTREAL,
KINGSTON, 15th June, 1876.

I hereby certify that the balances of the undermentioned accounts of Synod of Ontario, as shown by the Books of the Bank, on the evening of 30th April, 1876, are as follows:—

At Credit Divinity Students' Fund	\$ 430
" Episcopal	1,611
" Clergy Trust	953
" Mission	581
" Rectory Lands	231
" Sustentation	335
" Widows' and Orphans'	1,016

At Debit Assessment Fund	\$758 05
" Algoma Bishopric Fund	131 29
" Prayer Book	210 22
" Clergy Trust	739 82
	\$1,839

Balance due by Bank of Montreal

A. M. KIRKLAND, Accountant

Date, 1875.	Particulars.	Amount.
June 24,	By Express charges on Coupons to Toronto	\$ 60
June 24,	Proportion of Synod grant to Treasurer	90 00
Sept. 22,	Ven. T. A. Parnell, Clerical Secretary ..	102 50
Sept. 22,	Express charges, Windsor Debenture ..	62
Nov. 6,	Ven. T. A. Parnell, Clerical Secretary ..	102 50
Dec. 21,	Express charges, Brockville Debentures	2 50
June 24,	To Balance	623 21
June 23,	Bowmanville Coupons	180 00
" "	" "	180 00
" "	" "	690 00
" "	" "	360 00
" "	" "	120 00
" "	" "	191 50
May 1,	Halton	
June 23,	Oxford	
" "	Toronto	
" "	Wellington	
" "	Elgin	

.....	\$ 43
.....	1,61
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758 05	\$5,160
131 29	
210 22	
739 82	\$1,839
	\$3,321

Date.	Particulars.	Amount.	Date.	Particulars.	Amount.
May 1,	To Balance	\$ 623 21	June 24	By Express charges on Coupons to Toronto	\$ 60
June 23,	Bowmanville Coupons	180 00	24,	Proportion of Synod grant to Treasurer	90 00
"	"	180 00	30,	Ven. T. A. Parnell, Clerical Secretary	102 50
"	Oxford	690 00	Sept. 22,	Express charges, Windsor Debenture	102 50
"	Toronto	360 00	30,	Ven. T. A. Parnell, Clerical Secretary	102 50
"	Wellington	120 00	Nov. 6,	Express charges, Brockville Debentures	102 50
"	"	191 50	Dec. 31,	Ven. T. A. Parnell, Clerical Secretary	102 50
"	Bruce	209 40	Nov. 10,	Accrued int. on Debentures transferred	166 01
"	Frontenac	120 00	Dec. 6,	Stationery	7 43
"	Waterloo	89 75	29,	Express charges on Coupons to Toronto	80
"	Malden	59 75		Collecting Windsor Debenture	76
"	St. Thomas	369 00	1876.		
"	"	179 50	Jan'y. 4,	" Elgin	3 50
"	Canada 5%	252 00	19,	Accrued int. on Debentures transferred	28 26
Sept. 14,	Toronto General Hospital Coupons	80 00	Mar. 31,	Express charges on Hamilton Coupons	80
"	"	120 00	31,	Ven. T. A. Parnell, Clerical Secretary	102 50
"	Frontenac Coupons	180 00	April 30,	Amount paid Clergy per Separate list	14,824 78
"	Logan, Elma & Wallace Coupons	300 00			
"	Brome Coupons	360 00			
"	Renfrew	67 50			
"	Hamilton	1,025 00			
"	Hastings	432 00			
"	Windsor	17 75			
Oct. 9,	Frontenac	300 00			
Nov. 6,	Peterboro	240 00			
10,	Brockville	180 00			
26,	Warwick Mortgages, interest	78 10			
Dec. 28,	Bowmanville Coupons	179 55			
"	Toronto	360 00			
	Forward	\$7,544 01		Forward	\$15,536 06

Dec. 28,	Forward.....	\$7,544 01	\$15,536 06
"	Coupons.....	180 00	
"	"	690 00	
"	"	269 33	
"	"	120 00	
"	"	150 00	
"	"	252 00	
"	"	369 00	
"	"	221 45	
"	"	89 75	
"	"	209 48	
1876.			
Jan. 19,	London	1,214 70	
Feb. 13,	"	1,217 49	
Mar. 8,	Farmer & de Blaquiére, rent	283 18	
10,	Warwick Mortgage, interest	21 91	
31,	"	33 44	
"	Renfrew Coupons	45 00	
"	Windsor	8 75	
"	Frontenac	270 00	
"	Logan, Elma & Wallace Coupons	300 00	
"	Toronto General Hospital	80 00	
"	"	120 00	
"	Hamilton	1,025 00	
April 25,	Malden	59 75	
28,	Warwick Mortgages, interest	22 00	
30,	Balance.....	739 82	
		\$15,536 06	

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

Examined and found correct.

Kingston, 17th June, 1876.

List of Cheques

No. of Cheque.	Name
1569	Rev. Jas. Har
70	" R. Hardin
85	" T. Stanto
89	" E. Louck
98	" G. A. An
99	" W. Bleas
	Mrs. E. A. Har
1600	Rev. E. J. Bos
1	" T. Bousfie
2	" E. C. Bow
3	" J. Carroll
4	" F. W. Do
5	" R. Garret
6	" Jas. Godfr
7	" Jas. Harri
8	" R. Hardin
9	Ven. J. S. Lau
10	Lord Bishop of
11	Rev. R. Lewis
12	" J. A. Morr
13	" J. A. Mul
14	" C. B. Pett
15	" H. E. Ple
16	" R. V. Rog
17	" R. L. Step
18	" J. B. Wor
19	" E. H. M. I
20	" J. A. Prest
21	" F. R. Tane
22	Ven. T. A. Parr
23	Rev. T. Stanton
624	" G. W. Whi
25	" E. W. Beav
36	" J. J. Boger
7	" E. Loucks
8	Lord Bishop of
9	Ven. T. A. Parr
40	" J. S. Laude
2	Rev. G. A. And
3	" W. Bleasde
4	" E. J. Boswe
5	" T. Bousfield
6	" E. C. Bower
7	" J. Carroll
8	" F. W. Dobb
9	" R. Garret
50	" Jas. Godfrey
1	" Jas. Harris
2	" R. Harding
3	Ven. J. S. Laude

List of Cheques paid Clergy, Diocese of Ontario, from 1st May, 1875, to 30th April, 1876.

<i>No. of Cheque.</i>	<i>Name.</i>	<i>Amount.</i>
1569	Rev. Jas. Harris	\$100 00
70	" R. Harding	121 66
85	" T. Stanton	100 00
89	" E. Loucks	100 00
98	" G. A. Anderson	120 00
99	" W. Bleasdel	121 66
	Mrs. E. A. Harper, balance of late husband's stipend	263 32
1600	Rev. E. J. Boswell	206 83
1	" T. Bousfield	100 00
2	" E. C. Bower	100 00
3	" J. Carroll	100 00
4	" F. W. Dobbs	75 00
5	" R. Garrett	121 66
6	" Jas. Godfrey	100 00
7	" Jas. Harris	100 00
8	" R. Harding	121 66
9	Ven. J. S. Lauder	100 00
10	Lord Bishop of Ontario	150 00
11	Rev. R. Lewis	120 00
12	" J. A. Morris	120 00
13	" J. A. Mulock	100 00
14	" C. B. Pettit	100 00
15	" H. E. Ples	100 00
16	" R. V. Rogers	121 66
17	" R. L. Stephenson	120 00
18	" J. B. Worrell	100 00
19	" E. H. M. Baker	100 00
20	" J. A. Preston	100 00
21	" F. R. Tane	100 00
22	Ven. T. A. Parnell	100 00
23	Rev. T. Stanton	100 00
624	" G. W. White	100 00
25	" E. W. Beaven	100 00
36	" J. J. Bogert	100 00
7	" E. Loucks	100 00
8	Lord Bishop of Ontario	86 48
9	Ven. T. A. Parnell	50 00
40	" J. S. Lauder	50 00
2	Rev. G. A. Anderson	120 00
3	" W. Bleasdel	121 66
4	" E. J. Boswell	206 83
5	" T. Bousfield	100 00
6	" E. C. Bower	100 00
7	" J. Carroll	100 00
8	" F. W. Dobbs	75 00
9	" R. Garrett	121 66
50	" Jas. Godfrey	100 00
1	" Jas. Harris	100 00
2	" R. Harding	121 66
3	Ven. J. S. Lauder	100 00

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Examined and found correct.

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Kingston, 17th June, 1876.

4 Lord Bishop of Ontario.....	150
5 Rev. R. Lewis.....	120
6 " J. A. Morris.....	120
7 " J. A. Mulock.....	100
8 " C. B. Pettit.....	100
9 " H. E. Plees.....	100
60 " R. V. Rogers.....	121
1 " R. L. Stephenson.....	120
2 " J. B. Worrell.....	100
3 " E. H. M. Baker.....	100
4 " J. A. Preston.....	100
5 " F. R. Tane.....	100
6 Ven. T. A. Parnell.....	100
7 Rev. T. Stanton.....	100
8 " G. W. White.....	100
9 " E. W. Beaven.....	100
70 " J. J. Bogert.....	100
1 " E. Loucks.....	100
1672 " C. Forest.....	100
3 Lord Bishop of Ontario.....	86
4 Ven. T. A. Parnell.....	50
5 " J. S. Lauder.....	50
9 Rev. G. A. Anderson.....	120
80 " W. Bleadell.....	121
1 " E. J. Boswell.....	206
2 " T. Bousfield.....	100
3 " E. C. Bower.....	100
4 " J. Carroll.....	100
5 " F. W. Dobbs.....	75
6 " R. Garrett.....	121
7 " Jas. Godfrey.....	100
8 " Jas. Harris.....	100
9 " R. Harding.....	121
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3 " J. A. Morris.....	120
4 " J. A. Mulock.....	100
5 " C. B. Pettit.....	100
6 " H. E. Plees.....	100
7 " R. V. Rogers.....	121
8 " R. L. Stephenson.....	120
9 " J. B. Worrell.....	100
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1 " J. A. Preston.....	100
2 " F. R. Tane.....	100
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8 " E. Loucks.....	100
9 " C. Forest.....	100
10 Ven. T. A. Parnell.....	50
11 " J. S. Lauder.....	50
1712 Lord Bishop of Ontario.....	86

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18 " E. J. Boswell.....	100
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Kingston, 17th June,

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150	16 Rev. G. A. Anderson.....	120 00
120	17 " W. Bleasdel	121 66
120	18 " E. J. Boswell	206 83
100	19 " T. Bousfield.....	100 00
100	20 " E. C. Bower.....	100 00
100	2 " F. W. Dobbs	75 00
121	1 " J. Carroll.....	100 00
120	3 " R. Garrett	121 66
100	4 " J. Godfrey	100 00
100	5 " Jas. Harris	100 00
100	7 Ven. J. S. Lauder	100 00
100	8 Lord Bishop of Ontario.....	150 00
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121	38 " J. A. Preston	100 00

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Examined and found correct.

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

Kingston, 17th June, 1876.

R. M. Moore, Treasurer, in account with Clergy Trust Fund, Capital Account,
Diocese of Ontario. from 1st May, 1875, to 30th April, 1876.

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Date.	Particulars.	Amount.	Date.	Particulars.	Amount.
1875.					
September 22	To Windsor Debenture matured ..	\$ 300 00	November 10	By Grey, Hastings, Frontenac, Elgin Wellington & Bruce Debentures	\$11,846 60
October .. 9	" Frontenac " " "	10,000 00			
	" Renfrew " " "	750 00	1876.		
November 10	" Brockville " " "	6,000 00	January 20	" Transferred from other Funds at market value.....	5,910 00
26	" Paid on acct. Warwick mortg's	21 90	April....30	" Balance	953 95
1876.					
January .. 4	" Elgin Debenture matured	1,400 00			
March. ...10	" Paid on acct. Warwick mortg's	124 09			
31	" " "	114 56			
		\$18,710 55			\$18,710 55

Examined and found correct.

Kingston, 17th June, 1876.

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

Securities held by the Commutation Fund of the Diocese of Ontario 30th April, 1876.

Register Number.	Description.	Amount.	Rate of Interest.	Annual Income.	Remarks.
1, 2,	Malden Debentures	\$2,000 00	6 %	\$120 00	
47-51	Logan, Elma & Wallace Debentures	10,000 00	"	600 00	
52, 83-84	Toronto General Hospital "	5,000 00	8 "	400 00	
71	Windsor Debentures	300 00	6 "	18 00	
105-112	Peterboro "	8,000 00	"	480 00	
126-128					

Securities held by the Commutation Fund of the Diocese of Ontario 30th April, 1876.

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1, 2.....	Malden Debentures	\$2,000 00	6 %	\$120 00	
47-51.....	Logan, Elma & Wallace Debentrs	10,000 00	"	600 00	
52, 83-84	Toronto General Hospital "	5,000 00	8 "	400 00	
71.....	Windsor Debentures	300 00	6 "	18 00	
105-112.....	Peterboro "	8,000 00	"	480 00	
126-128.....	Bowmanville "	6,000 00	"	360 00	
171, 188-201, 364-370.....	Hastings "	11,227 00	"	673 62	
190.....	London "	40,880 00	"	2,452 80	
193.....	Vansittart Mortgages	21,200 00	"	283 18	Held for collection by City Bank, London, Eng.
202-210.....	St. Thomas Debentures	18,500 00	4 "	740 00	Rent paid during the year. No interest rec'd.
211-220, 310.....	Hamilton "	41,000 00	5 "	2,050 00	
274-276, 324-331, 359-363	Frontenac "	14,000 00	6 "	840 00	
242-243.....	Renfrew "	1,500 00	"	90 00	
245-253.....	Canada 5%	10,220 00	5 "	511 00	
269-271, 372-3.....	Bruce "	9,000 00	6 "	540 00	
211, 74, 76, 321, 4.....	City of Toronto "	12,000 00	"	720 00	
283-6, 308-12, 355-7.....	Grey "	9,000 00	"	540 00	
289-94.....	Brome "	6,000 00	"	360 00	
295-8.....	Waterloo "	3,000 00	"	180 00	
300-1-6-7.....	Wellington "	6,000 00	"	360 00	
313-17, 358, 74, 5.....	Elgin "	8,000 00	"	480 00	
218-323.....	Halton "	6,000 00	"	360 00	
332-354.....	Oxford "	23,000 00	"	1,380 00	
284.....	Warwick Mortgages	2,781 08	"	166 86	
Total Securities		\$274,608 08		\$14,705 46	Annual Income.

Examined and found correct.

Kingston, 17th June, 1876.

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

(H)

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We the Auditors appointed to examine the accounts of the Treasurer and Secretary of the Synod of Ontario for the year ending the thirtieth day of April last, submit the following Report of our labors :

We have examined the Securities belonging to the various funds under the control of the Synod. Those belonging to the Clergy Trust Funds were ascertained by us to be in the joint possession of the Treasurer and Secretary, with the exception of the London debentures mentioned in the Auditors' Report of last year, which are still in possession of the City Bank of London, for the purpose of conveniently collecting the interest accruing due from them. The certificate of the Manager of that Institution, showing the purpose for which these debentures are held by it, was produced to us. The total amount of the Permanent Clergy Trust Securities, including interest, is the sum of \$274,608.08. We have also examined the Securities held by the Synod for the undermentioned funds, and have found that those transferable by delivery were in the joint possession of the Treasurer and Clerical Secretary, and that the mortgages were in possession of the Clerical Secretary. The capital sums represented by these Securities are :—

Episcopal Fund	\$58,130 29
Sustentation Fund	30,697 80
Divinity Students' Fund	3,223 34
Widows' and Orphans' Fund	18,196 67
Rectory Lands Fund, comprising	
Kemptville	12,764 92
Cornwall	4,073 34
Picton	3,775 15
Trenton	5,870 93
Richmond	6,163 97
Bath	8,794 45
Tyendinaga	500 00
Augusta	9,610 88
Kingston	43,259 28
Adolphustown and Fredericksburgh	10,898 00
Napanea	9,404 53
Perth	3,922 51
Belleville	21,600 00
Williamsburgh	2,728 57
Franktown	418 60
Plantagenet	100 00
Matilda	4,785 75
Frankford	1,000 00

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Montreal on the 30th

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Episcopal (credit)...
Mission (credit)....
Prayer Book (debit).
Sustentation (credit)
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Assessment (debit)..

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Kingston, 20th June, 18

REPORT OF DIVINITY

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The balances at the credit or debit of the various Funds in the Bank Montreal on the 30th day of April last are as follows :

Clergy Trust—Interest Account (Dr.).....	\$ 953 95
“ “ —Capital Account (Cr.).....	739 82
Divinity Students (credit).....	430 25
Episcopal (credit).....	1,611 96
Mission (credit).....	581 66
Prayer Book (debit).....	210 22
Sustentation (credit).....	335 74
Rectory Lands (credit).....	231 17
Algoma Bishopric (debit).....	131 29
Widows' and Orphans' (credit).....	1,016 00
Assessment (debit).....	758 05

We found that the various balances in the Bank agreed with those in books of the Treasurer and Clerical Secretary, with the exception of Mission, the Episcopal, the Rectory Lands, the Sustentation, and the Divinity Students' Funds, the discrepancies in which are explained in Secretary's account current.

We have examined the Clerical Secretary's books of account, and in order to have availed ourselves of the assistance of Mr. Christie, formerly professional accountant. The payments, with the exception of some amounts paid for Bank Commission for collecting coupons, and a sum of \$54 for expenses of selling Rectory Land at Matilda, were all made by cheque, and in other respects the entries seemed to be correct. In respect of this sum of \$54 above referred to, we were informed that it represented an amount deducted from the purchase money before it was paid to the Clerical Secretary. This course appears to have been regular, as the Synod are the statutory vendors of the property, and payments should be made through the Clerical Secretary in the usual way.

Which is respectfully submitted.

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

Windsor, 20th June, 1876.

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REPORT OF DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND COMMITTEE.

Synod of Ontario :

The Divinity Students' Fund Committee beg leave to report that the Divinity Students received aid from their Fund during the past year,

viz. : Messrs. D. C. Pattee, \$150 ; J. R. Serson, \$47 ; Joseph Elliott, \$100 ; Archibald Elliott, \$150 ; C. M. Harris, \$100 ; J. E. Halliwell, \$100

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF FINANCES.

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By balance 1st May, 1875.....
 " Collections during year
 " Interest

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To paid grants to Students..... \$748 01
 " Expenses 78 76

Balance.....

Amount invested to date, \$3,223.34.

The Committee for the last time, seeing that former allusions subject have produced little or no effect, draw the attention of the to the large number of Parishes in default as regards the annual tion for this Fund—this year 19 against 20 in the year past.

The following are the Parishes in default :—

Arnprior, Brockville, Westmeath, Cumberland, Clark's Mills, Eggleston, Fitzroy, Huntley, Lanark, Lyn, Marysburgh, Mountain, Osnaburgh, Nepean, Roslyn, Renfrew, Stirling, Tamworth, Vankleek Hill.

All which is respectfully submitted.

E. H. M. BAKER, Chairman

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS FROM DIFFERENT PARISHES FOR SALE OF LANDS.

The Committee to whom was referred the following Memorials report.

That as to the Memorial of the Rev. J. W. Burke, the Rector of St. John's, for the sale and purchase of certain lands, they recommend the whole of Town Lot No. 11 and that part of Town Lot No. 10 lying of the railway and on east side of Greer street be conveyed to Mr. L. Coleman at the price of \$400 ; and that Mr. Coleman convey for consideration to the Synod of Ontario the gore of land lying be

Joseph Elliott, \$1000
Halliwell, \$1000

As to the Memorial from Almonte, the Rev. J. K. McMorine's motion, that as the land was conveyed to the Bishop in trust for the Church at

..... and has no power to grant the prayer of the Memorial, but recommend
..... if required, the consent of the Synod be given.

..... \$748 01 is to the Memorial from Fitzroy, the Rev. A. W. Cooke's motion, that
78 76 it requires a conveyance from the proper authorities.

With reference to the Memorial from Leeds and Lansdowne, the Bar

ark's Mills, Eg
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the Memorials from Finch and the Mission of Merrickville and

the Memorial from Iroquois, the Rev. G. W. White's motion, for
apply to the Legislature. *See* *ibid.*

FROM DIFFERENT SOURCES, this Committee recommend that the consent of this
DS. be given to the application.

which is to apply the monies invested by the Synod (the interest on which is devoted, as is asserted, towards the annual income of the

the Rector of [redacted] at Stirling) for the purposes of aiding in the erection of a [redacted] in the Village of Stirling, recommend that the prayer of the [redacted] be granted.

...the lot and parsonage house thereon proposed to be erected,
...of the Church at Stirling to guarantee to keep the parsonage

land lying be to the satisfaction of the Executive Committee.

As to the Memorial from Pittsburgh, the Rev. F. Prime's motion the Lord Bishop be authorized to sell the three acres at Brewer's and apply, under the direction of the Executive Committee, the proceeds towards the purchase of a site for the parsonage, and the balance, to be devoted towards the erection of the parsonage house.

The Memorial from Christ Church, Huntley, the Rev. S. McM motion, that as the deed of the land sought to be sold stands in the name of the Rev. James Godfrey, that on the completion of the title vested by him in the Synod upon same trusts as in the deed of the Rev. James Godfrey, your Committee recommend that the land be sold and the proceeds be devoted, under the instructions of the Executive Committee, in accordance with what was asked for in the Memorial.

JAS. A. HENDERSON, Chairman,
WILLIAM ELLIS,
WM. H. RADENHURST,
F. MCANNANY,
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Kingston, June 22, 1876.

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PROPOSED CANON ON THE ORGANIZATION OF VESTRY AND THE OFFICE AND DUTIES OF CHURCHWARDENS

In accordance with the powers vested in Synod by an Act in the Legislature of Ontario, 1st Session, 3rd Parliament, 1875, intituled an Act to amend the Synod and Church Sales Acts affecting the Diocese of Ontario.

1. WHO SHALL BE MEMBERS OF VESTRY.

All communicants, all pew-owners and pew-holders in Churches of age of twenty-one years, being members of the Church of England, and members holding sittings therein and paying therefor such sums as the Vestry may determine, and all other members being subscribers to the Church, in Churches where the pews and sittings are not free, shall form a Vestry for the transaction of all business connected with the Temporalities of the Church, provided always, that no person shall be allowed to vote at any Vestry Meeting who shall

have held a pew or sitting at such meeting, or who has not paid the rent or dues that may be due for such pew or sitting.

2. CHAIRMAN.

At all Vestry Meetings the Chairman shall preside as Chairman, or in his absence the Assistant Minister, or in his absence the Curate or Assistant Minister. The name of the person who shall preside at each meeting shall name; and in case there be no person named as the Chairman shall name, and the proceedings of the meeting shall be kept for that purpose by the churchwardens.

3. ANNUAL VESTRY MEETING.

An Annual Vestry Meeting shall be held once a year, after notice thereof given for the purpose of appointing churchwardens and churchwardens on all pews and sittings, and on other business connected with the meeting the rent to be paid for the pews and sittings shall be made without the intervention of a lawful meeting of Vestry.

4. SPECIAL MEETING.

A Special Meeting shall be in the power of the churchwardens whenever he shall give notice thereof, on the business of the church, and moreover be his duty to give notice in writing by at least one week upon such written notice, and if the churchwardens shall refuse to do so, then one week after the refusal, and six members to call a meeting at such doors, at least on

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have held a pew or sitting in the Church thereof for six months previous to such meeting, or who shall not have paid all arrears of subscription or rent or dues that may have been rated or assessed by the Vestry on his pew or sitting.

2. CHAIRMAN AND SECRETARY OF VESTRY MEETING.

At all Vestry Meetings the Rector or Incumbent of the Church shall preside as Chairman when present, and in his absence the Curate or Assistant Minister, or in the absence of both the Incumbent and the Curate or Assistant Minister, such person as the majority present at such meeting shall name; and the Vestry Clerk, when there is one, and present, or in case there be no Vestry Clerk, or he be absent, then such person as the Chairman shall name shall be Secretary of such Vestry Meeting; and the proceedings of such Vestry Meeting shall be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose and preserved in the custody of the Churchwardens.

3. ANNUAL VESTRY TO APPOINT CHURCHWARDENS AND REGULATE THE TEMPORALITIES.

An Annual Vestry Meeting shall be held on Easter Monday in the forenoon, after notice thereof given during Divine Service on Easter Sunday, for the purpose of appointing Churchwardens and regulating the charges and rents on all pews and sittings for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of other business connected with the Temporalities of the Church. At this meeting the rent charge to be paid on pews holden in freehold, and the rent to be paid for pews and sittings leased or rented shall be regulated by the majority of the members present. And no alteration shall be made without the consent of two-thirds of the members present at a lawful meeting of Vestry called for the purpose.

4. SPECIAL VESTRY MEETINGS MAY BE CALLED.

It shall be in the power of the Incumbent to call a Special Vestry Meeting whenever he shall think proper to do so, giving at least two weeks notice thereof, on the Lord's Day, during Divine Service; and also specifying the business for which such Vestry Meeting is called. And it shall moreover be his duty to call such meeting upon application made in writing by at least six members of such Vestry aforesaid; and upon such written application being made as aforesaid, such Incumbent shall refuse or neglect to call such meeting or to give such notice, then one week after such demand made, it shall be in the power of at least six members to call the same by notice to be affixed to the outer doors, at least one week previous to such intended meeting.

9. FILLING UP V

If from any cause an incumbent of a Church or Chapel shall be absent on Monday or any other day in the month of April, or shall be absent from the office of Churchwardens and Vestry notice being given, may be called in manner hereinafter provided, except office, deprivation or change of residence, and if he shall be chosen Churchwarden or Vestryman, either or of both of said offices, he may be called within one month after the nomination by the Vestry as the case may be, and if he whose office was vacated shall be called within one month after the nomination by the Vestry as the case may be.

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shall be the duty of the Vestry to lease and rent the same, and if the meetings are not held at such place appointed at Vestry Meeting; and all pews and seats shall be let at such dues as may from time to time be ordered at such Vestry Meeting.

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If from any cause an Annual Vestry Meeting shall not have been held on Monday or any other day in Easter week, the nomination and election of Churchwardens and the transaction of other business as aforesaid, notice being given, may take place at any subsequent Vestry Meeting, to be called in manner herein provided; and in case of the declining to accept office, deprivation of office, resignation in writing to the Incumbent or change of residence to ten or more miles from the Church of which he was chosen Churchwarden, or of incapacity to act, or of the death of either or of both of said Churchwardens, a Vestry Meeting shall be thereupon called within one month, in the manner provided for in this Canon, or the nomination by the Incumbent or for the election by the said Vestry as the case may be, of a new Churchwarden, in the place of the one whose office was vacated from any of the causes aforesaid.

10. CHURCHWARDEN'S PERIOD OF OFFICE.

The Churchwardens shall hold their office for one year from the time of their appointment or until the nomination or election of their successors.

11. CHURCHWARDENS TO LEASE AND RENT PEWS AND SITTINGS.

It shall be the duty of the Incumbent and Churchwardens from time to time to lease and rent pews and sittings in Churches where such pews and sittings are not held in freehold, upon such terms as may be settled and appointed at Vestry Meetings to be holden for that purpose as proposed; and all pews and sittings shall be subject to such annual rent and dues as may from time to time be rated and assessed in respect thereof at such Vestry Meetings.

12. SALE OF PEWS FORBIDDEN.

Before and after the passing of this Canon no sales of pews shall take place in any Church in this Diocese. But in the case of the absolute sale of a pew in any Church as aforesaid, before the passage of this Canon, the same shall be construed as a freehold of inheritance, not subject to forfeiture by change of residence, and the same may be bargained, sold and assigned to any purchaser thereof, being a member of the Church of England; and such purchaser, provided the same shall have been duly voted and conveyed to him, shall hold the same subject to the annual charge or other dues rated and assessed, and which may from time to time be rated and assessed in respect thereof.

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The Incumbent and Churchwardens being a Corporation shall as soon as possible after the death of the last Incumbent use the name and style of the Incumbent and Churchwardens of..... Church [designating the Church] at and shall represent the interests of such Church and the members thereof, and shall and may in such corporate name sue and be sued, answer and be answered unto in all manner of suits and actions whatever, and may prosecute indictments, presentments and other criminal proceedings for and in respect of such churches, churchyards and burying-grounds attached or belonging thereto respectively, and all matters and things appertaining thereto; and

VESTRY. The Incumbent and Churchwardens, as such corporation, shall, if required, make and execute leases to pewholders and grant certificates to those who shall have rented sittings. And, for the purpose of this Canon, every man licensed by the Bishop to any sole charge shall be deemed to be the Incumbent or Parson of all Churches in the district specified in his license. The soil and freehold of all Churches of the Communion of the Church of England in the Diocese of Ontario now erected or hereafter to be erected, shall be in the Parson or Incumbent thereof for the time being; but the soil and freehold of the churchyards and burial-grounds attached and other Church property belonging thereto respectively, shall be in the Incumbent for the time being and the Churchwardens; provided also that no Churchwarden or Churchwardens shall alienate the Church or churchyard or burying-ground to be used for the purpose of holding Divine Service or for interment without the consent of the Meeting. In the absence of the Incumbent thereof.

15. VESTRIES AND CHURCHWARDENS OF FREE CHURCHES. In all Churches in which the pews and sittings are free, the members of the congregation of each such Church shall have power and authority to constitute and form a Vestry and elect Churchwardens in the manner prescribed by this Canon; and such Vestry shall consist of all communicants of the age of twenty-one years, and of all persons of the age of twenty-one years as shall declare themselves in writing, on or before Ash Wednesday in each year, in a book to be kept for that purpose by the Churchwardens, to be members of the Church of England, and habitually attending worship in such Church, and not to be registered in any other congregation as accustomed members of any other congregation, and to be contributors to the funds of such Church of not less than five dollars per annum, and not to be in arrears with respect to such contributions. And the Incumbent of such Churches shall be invested with all the powers and subject to all the obligations now conferred and imposed upon Incumbents and Churchwardens by this Canon. This Canon will supersede Canon X now in use.

APPOINTMENT OF SUBORDINATES BY INCUMBENT AND CHURCHWARDENS.

The Organist, the Vestry Clerk, the Sexton and other subordinates, of the Church, shall be nominated, removed and appointed by the Incumbent and Churchwardens for the time being; and their salary and wages shall be brought into the general account to be rendered as required by the Churchwardens; but choristers or members of Church Choir shall be appointed and removed by the Incumbent.

17. CHURCH AND COMMUNICANT—INTERPRETATION OF WORDS

"The word "Church," wherever it occurs in this Canon, shall be to include every description of Church or Chapel; and the word "communicant" shall be held to mean one who has received the Holy Communion at least three times a year, for the purpose of this Canon.

J. S. LAUDER, Chairman

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DIVISION OF RECTORY SURPLUS.

The Committee on the division of the surplus of the Kingston Rectory beg leave to report that they would respectfully recommend the following as the basis of distribution of the surplus of said Rectory for the support of the Churches outside of St. George's:

St. Paul's, Kingston	\$400 00
St. James', "	400 00
All Saints', "	400 00
Portsmouth, "	400 00
Cataraqui, "	400 00

The latter on the condition that it becomes an independent Mission

J. S. LAUDER, Chairman

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REPORT OF ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.

The Committee on Assessment of Parishes beg to report the scale for the current year as follows:

Adolphustown & Fredericksburgh	\$ 8	Beachburgh	.....
Amherst Island	6	Brockville	{ St. Peter's
Arnprior	5		{ Trinity
Almonte	8	Camden	.....
Augusta	8	Carleton Place	.....
Barriefield	5	Carrying Place	.....
Bath	8	Cornwall
Belleville.	{ St. Thomas	Cumberland
	{ Christ Church	Eganville
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North Augusta	6	North Gower	6
Osgoode	5	Osnabruck	7
Ottawa { Christ Church	30	Ottawa { St. Alban's	15
Ottawa { St. John the Evangelist	20	Pakenham	7
Pembroke	6	Perth	15
Pictou	15	Portsmouth	7
Prescott	12	Pittsburgh and Storrington	4
Richmond	8	Renfrew	4
Roslyn	5	Rochesterville and Nepean	5
Shannonville	5	Smith's Falls	8
Stirling	5	Selby and Salmon River	3
Tamworth	5	Trenton	8
Tyendinaga	5	Vankleek Hill	5
Wolfe Island	4	Williamsburgh	8

North Augusta	8
North Gower	5
Osgoode	4
Osnabruck	5
Ottawa { Christ Church	5
Ottawa { St. Alban's	8
Ottawa { St. John the Evangelist	7
Pakenham	8
Pembroke	7
Perth	12
Pictou	35
Portsmouth	10
Prescott	12
Pittsburgh and Storrington	3
Richmond	5
Renfrew	5
Roslyn	6
Rochesterville and Nepean	4
Shannonville	4
Smith's Falls	5
Stirling	6
Selby and Salmon River	8
Tamworth	7
Trenton	5
Tyendinaga	4
Vankleek Hill	12
Wolfe Island	6
Williamsburgh	6

Committee are informed that a great many Parishes are in arrears amount of their assessments for several years past, in consequence of the burden of paying the expenses is thrown upon the others, and would suggest that some stringent measures be taken to remedy this.

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F. McANNANY, Chairman.

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REPORT OF CLERGY TRUST FUND COMMITTEE.

Committee of the Clergy Trust Fund, through the Chairman, has reported as follows:

Report of the Treasurer of the Synod states that the total invested of this Fund is now \$274,608.08; that the total income arising is \$14,605.46.

The number of Clergymen placed upon this Fund as annuitants now nine. None have been added since last year.

The various Securities belonging to this Fund will appear in statement.

All which is respectfully submitted.

EDW. J. BOSWELL, Chairman

Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, in account with the Algoma Mission Fund, in the Diocese of Ontario, for the two years ending April 30th, 1876.

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To St. George's, Kingston....	\$148 58
St. James', "	68 38
St. Paul's, "	43 25
All Saints', "	1 40
Christ Church, Ottawa ..	196 90
St. Alban's, Ottawa.....	129 22
St. Peter's, Brockville....	26 25
St. John's, Smith's Falls..	85 51
Hawkesbury	15 00
Perth	29 00
Prescott	42 28
Belleville	17 45
Trenton	23 40
Napanee	9 71
Shannonville	8 88
Gananoque	15 00
Almonte	22 92
Carrying Place	5 97
South Mountain	1 00
Osnabruck	30 00
Kingston Missionary Union	15 00
Kemptville.....	47 70
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By paid expenses, stamps, &c. \$
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April 30, Cash on hand.....

I hereby certify that the above is a correct statement of all received by me from the Diocese of Ontario for Mission work in the Diocese of Algoma.

May 18th, 1876.

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AN ACT

To amend the Synod and Rectory Sales Acts affecting the Diocese of Ontario.

[Passed January, 1876.]

Whereas the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario have petitioned that the said Act may be amended and extended, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition :

Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, enacts as follows :

1. The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario shall have full power and authority to make, and from time to time to amend, such canons, rules, regulations and bylaws as by the said Synod may be considered necessary in the exercise of the powers conferred upon the said Synod under the said Act incorporating the Synod of the Diocese of Ontario, and also for the conduct of their proceedings, regulation of their members and all such other matters as may pertain to the proper and orderly discharge of their business ; and the canons, rules, regulations and bylaws of the said Synod are hereby confirmed : And also, notwithstanding anything contained to the contrary in an Act of Parliament of the Province of Upper Canada, passed in the third year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chaptered seventy-four and known as "The Church Temporalities Act," or of an Act of the Parliament of the Province of Canada passed in the session held in the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of the reign of her said Majesty, chaptered fifteen, and known as "The Church Temporalities Amendment Act," the said Synod shall have full power and authority to make bylaws or canons regulating existing vestries and their organization, and the duties of the churchwardens, and providing for the formation and organization of a vestry in every church erected or to be erected in the said Diocese, and declaring and defining the duties and powers of vestries and of the churchwardens ; and vestries and the churchwardens for the time being of any church erected or to be erected shall, until changed or modified by the bylaws or canons of the Synod, be subject to the provisions of the "The Church Temporalities Act," and they and their successors as a corporation, hold such real estate as may be given, granted or sold to them for the use of their church as a site for a church or parsonage or a schoolhouse, and may from time to time, with the approval of their vestry, signified by a resolution passed at a meeting of such vestry, and with the consent and approval of the executive committee of

the said Incorporated Synod, mortgage such real estate for the purpose of raising money to be expended in the erection thereon of a church parsonage, or a schoolhouse, as the case may be.

2. The said Incorporated Synod may invest all or any of the funds entrusted to its care, including those derived from the sale of rectory lands, notwithstanding the Act passed in the session held in the twentieth and thirtieth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter sixteen, and intituled "An Act to provide for the sale of Rectory Lands in this Province," in government securities, municipal debentures, stocks of any permanent building society or in first mortgages of real estate; but nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to give the said Incorporated Synod power or authority to apply the income derived from any such investments otherwise than in strict accordance with the special trusts relating to such funds respectively.

3. Upon the death, retirement or removal of any incumbent of a rectory of the United Church of England and Ireland, in the Diocese of Ontario, the Incorporated Synod of the said Diocese shall have the power and authority to sell and absolutely dispose of any of the lands referred to in the said Rectory Act, passed in the session held in the twentieth and thirtieth years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria and chaptered sixteen, and belonging to any of the said Rectories, and any deed executed by such Incorporated Synod shall vest in the purchaser a full, clear and absolute title to the said lands, subject only to any leases thereof, or rights granted therein, by competent authority prior to such sale, and also to any mortgage that may be executed thereon to secure all or any of the purchase money thereof.

4. No incumbent of any such Rectories in the said Diocese, who may be inducted therein after the passing of this Act, shall receive, out of the proceeds of such sales, invested as in the said Rectory Act last mentioned, a sum larger than will, together with the rents, issues and profits of the lands of the said Rectory of which he is incumbent, then remaining unsold, amount to the sums following, that is to say: as to the Rectory of Kingston, the sum of three thousand dollars a year; as to the Rectory of Belleville, the sum of two thousand dollars a year; and as to the Rectories in other townships, the sum of one thousand six hundred dollars and all and any excess of interest arising from the proceeds of such sales and of the rents, issues and profits of the lands of such rectory respectively remaining unsold, beyond such annual payments aforesaid, shall be apportioned to and divided among the incumbents of the other churches of the said Church, in the city, town or townships in which the lands belonging to such rectory are situate, or which to such rectory

belongs respectively shall, by resolution,

5. Section five of the Act so far as relates to the

Held by the Incorporated Synod of the mentioned Fund April, 1876.

Mortgages, covering the
County Hastings Debentures, Nos.
Town of Peterborough
Town of Bowmanville
City of Hamilton, No.
" " (1/2 Cl)
Town of Picton, No.

Mortgages, covering the
Debentures—
Government 5%, 04325
" " 02605
County Frontenac, 46,
Bruce, 11, 12,
Hastings, 93.
Grey, 7, 8, 94
Elgin, 172.
Town of Peterborough
County Oxford, 66 (1/2 W)
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belongs respectively, in such proportions as such Incorporated Synod shall, by resolution, bylaw or canon, from time to time order and direct.

5. Section five of said Rectory Act last mentioned is hereby repealed, so far as relates to the said Diocese of Ontario.

SECURITIES

Held by the Incorporated Synod of Ontario in Trust for the under-mentioned Funds, as reported by the Clerical Secretary, 30th April, 1876.

EPISCOPAL FUND.

Mortgages, covering the principal sum of		\$33,685 62
County Hastings Debenture, No. 90	\$378 00	
City of London, Nos. 27 and 28	4,866 67	
Town of Peterborough, Nos. 34, 35, 36 and 45	4,000 00	
Town of Bowmanville, Nos. 20 and 21	4,000 00	
City of Hamilton, No. 4199	4,000 00	
" " (½ Clergy Trust) No. 4200	3,000 00	
Town of Picton, No. 9 to 20	4,200 00	
		<u>\$24,444 67</u>
		<u>\$58,130 29</u>

SUSTENTATION FUND.

Mortgages, covering the sum of		\$9,893 65
Debentures—		
Government 5%, 04325 and 04326	\$973 34	
" " 02605 (½ W. and O. Fund)	1,216 66	
County Frontenac, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50	2,500 00	
Bruce, 11, 12, 13, 14	4,000 00	
Hastings, 93	476 00	
Grey, 7, 8, 94	3,000 00	
Elgin, 172	1,000 00	
Town of Peterborough, 46	1,000 00	
County Oxford, 66 (½ W. and O. Fund)	500 00	
Ice, Corporation, St. George's, Kingston	200 00	
		<u>14,866 00</u>
Stocks—		
Shares Dominion Stock	\$2,000 00	
" Montreal Bank Stock, 364	438 15	
" Merchants' Bank Stock, 1401	400 00	
" Bank of Commerce, 1161	100 00	
		<u>2,938 15</u>
Deposit Receipt, Bank of Montreal, 11634		<u>3,000 00</u>
		<u>\$30,697 80</u>

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

Mortgages, covering the sum of	\$9,10
<i>Debentures—</i>	
3 Government 5%, 00370, 01536, 01537	\$1,460 01
$\frac{1}{2}$ " " 02605 ($\frac{1}{2}$ Sustentation)	1,216 66
3 County Oxford	3,000 00
$\frac{1}{2}$ " 66 ($\frac{1}{2}$ Sustentation)	500 00
<i>Stocks—</i>	
4 Shares British American Insurance	\$200 00
14 " Dominion Stock	1,400 00
4 " Merchants' Bank	400 00
4 " Bank of Commerce	200 00
18 " Ontario Bank	720 00

DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND.

<i>Debentures—</i>	
2 Government 5%, 04280, 04281	\$973 34
1 County Elgin, 120	1,000 00
<i>Stocks—</i>	
5 Shares Dominion Stock	\$500 00
15 " Bank Commerce	750 00

RECTORY LANDS.

<i>Rectory of Kemptville—</i>	
Mortgages, covering the sum of	\$10,16
1 County Bruce Debenture, 3	\$1,000 00
$\frac{1}{2}$ Elgin, 199 ($\frac{1}{2}$ Bath)	500 00
$\frac{1}{2}$ Waterloo, 94 ($\frac{1}{2}$ Napanee)	500 00
1 Share Dominion Stock	100 00
1 County Frontenac Debenture, 42	500 00
<i>Rectory of Cornwall—</i>	
2 Government 5% Debentures, 05144, 05145	\$973 34
$\frac{1}{2}$ County Simcoe ($\frac{1}{2}$ Augusta) 48	500 00
1 " Frontenac, 5	400 00
1 " Grey, 10	1,000 00
3 " Waterloo, 8, 44 and 141	700 00
5 Shares Dominion Stock	500 00
<i>Rectory of Richmond—</i>	
Mortgages, covering the sum of	\$3,76
1 County Frontenac Debenture, 6	\$500 00
1 " " 41	500 00
$\frac{1}{2}$ " Grey ($\frac{1}{2}$ Perth) " 9	500 00
4 Shares Dominion Stock	400 00
1 City of Kingston Debenture, 16	500 00

Rectory of Bath—
Mortgages, covering the sum of

County Bruce Debenture

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" Frontenac

" Hastings

6,17 " Waterloo

" Elgin ($\frac{1}{2}$ Kemptville)

" Halton, 49

2,92 Rectory of Adolphustown—
Mortgages, covering the sum of

County Hastings Debenture

" Halton

" Waterloo

1,23 Rectory of Augusta—
Mortgages, covering the sum of

Bruce Debenture,

Frontenac

" Simcoe

" Hastings, 89 and

Halton ($\frac{1}{2}$ Belleville)

Oxford, 89

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2,60 Rectory of Kingston—
Mortgages, covering the sum of

Bruce Debentures,

Simcoe

Frontenac

Wellington ($\frac{1}{2}$ Napanee)

Hastings, 94, 201,

Grey, 92, 242, 243,

Elgin, 133, 134, 135,

Halton, 45-47, and

Oxford, 63, 64, 65

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		<i>Parish of Bath—</i>	
\$0,10		Debentures, covering the sum of	\$3,394 45
\$1,460 01		County Bruce Debenture, 15	\$1,000 00
1,216 66		" Simcoe " 47	1,000 00
3,000 00		" Frontenac " 9	1,000 00
500 00		" Hastings " 196	400 00
	6,17	" Waterloo " 9	500 00
\$200 00		" Elgin (½ Kemptville) 199	500 00
1,400 00		" Halton, 49	1,000 00
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2,92		<i>Parish of Adolphustown and Fredericksburgh—</i>	
\$18,18		Debentures, covering the sum of	\$5,498 00
\$973 34		County Hastings Debentures, 207 and 209	\$400 00
1,000 00		" Halton " 48	1,000 00
	\$1,97	" Waterloo " 40-43	4,000 00
\$500 00			5,400 00
750 00			<u>\$10,898 00</u>
	1,25	<i>Parish of Augusta—</i>	
\$3,22		Debentures, covering the sum of	\$4,532 88
\$10,16		County Bruce Debenture, 16	\$1,000 00
\$1,000 00		" Frontenac " 7	500 00
500 00		" Simcoe " (½ Cornwall) 48	500 00
500 00		" Hastings, 89 and 215	578 00
100 00		" Halton (½ Belleville) 50	500 00
500 00		" Oxford, 89	1,000 00
		" " 132	1,000 00
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500 00		<i>Parish of Kingston—</i>	
400 00		Debentures, covering the sum of	\$14,492 28
1,000 00		County Bruce Debentures, 4, 5, 8	\$3,000 00
700 00		" Simcoe " 46	300 00
500 00		" Frontenac " 10	1,100 00
	\$4,07	" Wellington (½ Napanee) 3	1,000 00
		" Hastings, 94, 201, 202, 222	667 00
		" Grey, 92, 242, 243, 244	4,000 00
\$500 00	\$3,76	" Elgin, 133, 134, 135, 173, 174	5,000 00
500 00		" Halton, 45-47, and 72-75	7,000 00
500 00		" Oxford, 63, 64, 65	3,000 00
400 00		" " 136	1,000 00
500 00		" Frontenac, 6	1,000 00
	\$2,40		28,767 00
	\$6,16		<u>\$43,259 28</u>

Rectory of Belleville—

Mortgages, covering the sum of			
2	County Waterloo Debentures, 11, 12	\$1,000 00	
1	" Elgin " 103	1,000 00	
1	" " " 198	1,000 00	
2	" Grey " 245, 246	2,000 00	
$\frac{1}{2}$	" Halton ($\frac{1}{2}$ Augusta) 50	500 00	
2	" Frontenac, 53, 54	1,000 00	
4	" Oxford, 90-92, 137	4,000 00	
4	" Grey, 3, 4, 5, 6	4,000 00	

Rectory of Perth—

Mortgages, covering the sum of			
$\frac{1}{2}$	County Grey Debenture, ($\frac{1}{2}$ Richmond) 9	\$500 00	
2	" Hastings, 187, 188	1,000 00	
$\frac{1}{2}$	" Oxford, 87 ($\frac{1}{2}$ Picton)	500 00	

Rectory of Napanee—

Mortgages, covering the sum of			
$\frac{1}{2}$	County Wellington Debenture ($\frac{1}{2}$ Kingston) 3	\$1,000 00	
1	" Grey " 247	1,000 00	
1	" Elgin " 200	1,000 00	
$\frac{1}{2}$	" Waterloo " ($\frac{1}{2}$ Kemptville) 94	500 00	
1	" Oxford " 88	1,000 00	
1	" Simcoe " 49	1,000 00	

Rectory of Matilda—

Mortgages, covering the sum of			
1	County Frontenac Debenture, 51		

Rectory of Williamsburgh—

Mortgage			
1	County Frontenac Debenture, 52		

Frankford Endowment—

1	County Oxford Debenture, 66		
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Tyendinaga Endowment—

1	City of Kingston Debenture, 15		
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Frontenac Endowment—

Mortgages, covering the sum of

County Frontenac Debenture, 51

Waterloo "

Rectory of Picton—

Mortgages, covering the sum of

County Oxford Debenture, 90-92, 137

Waterloo "

Rectory of Franktown—

Mortgages, covering the sum of

County Oxford Debenture, 87

Receipt

Rectory of Plantagenet—

Receipt

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Account with the Inc

ending

Salaries for year

Expenses

Bishopric

Parochial Colls.

Deputations

Algoma Bishopric

Bank Montreal

Amount

Secretary's Books

Outstanding cheques

Algoma Bishopric Fund

Bank of Montreal

1876

Frontenac Endowment—

gages, covering the sum of

County Frontenac Debenture, 45.....

Waterloo " 45.....

\$5,270 93

\$500 00

100 00

600 00

\$5,870 93*History of Picton—*

gages, covering the sum of

County Oxford Debenture, 87 (½ Perth).....

Waterloo " 10

\$500 00

500 00

\$2,775 15

1,000 00

\$3,775 15*History of Franktown—*

Page, covering the sum of

Receipt

\$200 00

218 60

\$418 60*History of Plantagenet—*

Receipt

\$100 00

THE CLERICAL SECRETARY

Account with the Incorporated Synod of Ontario for the year
ending 30th April, 1876.

MISSION FUND.

Salaries for year.... \$8,551 66

Expenses

Bishopric

Parochial Colls. 88

Deputations

Algoma Bishopric

Bank Montreal

Total

\$10,341 25

Secretary's Books \$125 37

Outstanding cheques.... 325 00

Algoma Bishopric Fund 131 29

Bank of Montreal

1876..... \$581 66

By balance in Bank Montreal

1st May, 1875

Grant Society Propagation

Gospel

Parochial Collections

Algoma "

Whitsunday "

Advent "

Missionary Meetings....

Outfits returned

\$10,341 25

EPISCOPAL FUND.

To deposit in excess, 1875 ..	\$150 00	By balance in Bank Montreal	
Expense account	60 00	1st May, 1875	
Investments	17,807 44	Investments	
Bishop of Ontario	3,746 00	Interest received	
Accrued interest	98 64		
Int. on overdrawn acct.	82 69		
Bank Commission	13		
Bal. Bank Montreal acct.	1,801 96		
	<u>\$23,746 86</u>		

Balance in Secretary's Books

Less cheque on Rectory Lands charged in error

Add amount credited by Bank on 8th April, 1876

Balance as per Bank Book, 1st May, 1876

SUSTENTATION FUND.

To investments	\$9,800 00	By balance Bank of Montreal	
Accrued interest	7 50	1st May, 1875	
Expenses	211 24	Collection at Synod	
Bal. Bank of Montreal	595 09	Investments	
		Interest received	
		Cash	
	<u>\$10,613 83</u>		

Balance as per Secretary's Books

Less short credit in Bank December 30

Balance as per Bank Book 1st May, 1876

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

To cash 1st May, 1875	\$ 5 10	By balance Bank of Montreal	
Investments	9,360 00	1st May, 1875	
Pensions	1,272 52	Investments	
Express charges "int."	20	Interest	
Expenses	145 00	Subscriptions	
Bal. Bank of Montreal	1,016 00	Collections	
		Cash	
	<u>\$11,798 82</u>		

Bal. in Bank Montreal 1st May, 1876, \$

DIVINITY STUDENTS' FUND.

To expenses	\$ 78 76	By balance Bank of Montreal	
Grants to Students	748 01	1st May, 1875	
" Bishop's Fund	216 66	Cash	
Cash	14 45	Collections	
		Bishop's Fund Grant, Socy	
Balance Bank of Montreal	272 72	Propagation Gospel	
	<u>\$1,330 60</u>	Interest	

Balance as per Secretary's Books	\$272 72
Add 5 cheques outstanding	199 99
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Less Balance Bishop's Fund	\$472 71
	42 46
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Balance Bank Book, 1st May, 1876	\$430 25

ASSESSMENT FUND.

Balance due Bank Montreal 1st May, 1875.....	\$526 04	By Parochial Assessments ..	\$459 00
Sundry expense:—		Balance due Bank	708 05
Share Secretary's salary	120 00		
" acct. for audit...	10 00		
" amt. voted Treas'r	20 00		
" Printing for year.	250 00		
" Stationery "	42 34		
" Office rent.....	60 00		
Taxes on Offices.....	48 00		
Gas acct.....	10 00		
Share of acct for ballot boxes.....	18 00		
Office desk.....	10 00		
Food and cutting.....	15 00		
Postage			
Twigg, attendance at at Synod, Office, &c..	40 32		
Expenses of bill to amend Synod Act	34 50		
Balance at debit General Purposes Fund 1875 transferred.....	5 00		
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	\$1,167 05		\$1,167 05
Balance due as per Secretary's Books	\$708 05		
Add cheque on Rectory Lands charged in error to this Fund	50 00		
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Balance in Bank as per Bank Book, 1st May, 1876	\$758 05		

• PRAYER BOOK FUND.

Expenses	\$ 55 00	By balance May 1st, 1875 ..	\$244 16
Add to Depository	1,579 01	Receipts from Depository	1,179 63
		Balance.....	210 22
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	\$1,634 01		\$1,634 01
Balance 1st May, 1876..	\$210 22		

RECTORY LANDS FUND.

BELLEVILLE.

Investments	\$3,960 00	By Investments	\$960 00
Expenses.....	14 00	Sale of lands	3,567 80
By Rector.....	1,230 00	Interest account.....	1,138 34
Accrued interest	55 23		
Bank Commission.....	1 00		
Balance	405 91		
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	\$5,666 14		\$5,666 14
		By Balance 1st May, 1876..	\$405 91

BATH.

To paid Rector	\$418 20	By interest account	\$561 70
Balance	143 50		
	<u>\$561 70</u>		

By balance 1st May, 1876 .. \$143 50

AUGUSTA.

To investments	\$990 00	By Investments	\$1,750 00
Paid Rector	628 42	Interest account	628 42
Accrued interest	19 37		
Bank Commission	20		
Balance	754 78		
	<u>\$2,392 77</u>		

By balance 1st May, 1876.. \$754 78

CORNWALL.

To Paid Rector	\$150 00	By interest account	\$234 00
Bank Commission	18		
Balance	83 82		
	<u>\$234 00</u>		

By balance 1st May, 1876 .. \$83 82

KEMPTVILLE.

To paid Bank Commission ..	\$ 20	By Investment account	\$320 00
Rector	475 00	Interest	80 00
Balance	714 50		
	<u>\$1,189 78</u>		

By balance 1st May, 1876 .. \$714 50

KINGSTON.

To expenses	\$ 45 00	By land account	\$1,000 00
Paid Rector	2,450 00	Investments	1,375 00
Insurance	18 75	Interest	2,545 00
Bank Commission	2 50		
Balance	1,564 15		
	<u>\$4,080 40</u>		

By balance 1st May, 1876 .. \$1,564 15

RICHMOND.

To investment account	\$500 00	By investments	\$500 00
Paid Rector	256 82	Interest	220 00
Accrued interest	7 50	Balance	30 00
	<u>\$764 32</u>		

To balance 1st May, 1876.... \$39 50

ADOLPHUSTOWN.

To paid Rector	\$565 00	By interest account	\$400 00
Bank Commission	50	Balance	160 00
	<u>\$565 50</u>		

To balance 1st May, 1876.... \$160 50

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PERTH.

Expense account	\$22 00	By investment account.....	\$20 00
Paid Rector	164 66	Interest	164 66
		Balance	2 00
	<u>\$186 66</u>		<u>\$186 66</u>
Balance 1st May, 1876....	\$2 00		

NAPANEE.

Investments	\$990 00	By investments.....	\$750 00
Paid Rector	600 00	Interest account.....	530 90
Accrued interest	13 80	Balance.....	323 50
Bank Commission.....	60		
	<u>\$1,604 40</u>		<u>\$1,604 40</u>
Balance 1st May, 1876 ..	\$323 50		

WILLIAMSBURG.

Investments	\$495 00	By interest received	\$241 96
Paid Rector	166 28	Balance	426 30
Accrued interest.....	6 98		
	<u>\$668 26</u>		<u>\$668 26</u>
Balance 1st May, 1876..	\$426 20		

FRANKTOWN.

Investments	\$28 00	By interest received.....	\$28 00
Paid Rector		By balance 1st May, 1876	28 00

FRANKFORD.

Investments	\$990 00	By interest received.....	\$60 00
Paid Rector	78 49	Balance.....	1,029 03
Accrued interest.....	20 54		
	<u>\$1,089 03</u>		<u>\$1,089 03</u>
Balance 1st May, 1876..	\$1,029 03		

PICTON.

Investment account	\$495 00	By land account.....	\$227 60
Expenses	91 00	Investments	199 25
Paid Rector.....	261 31	Interest	261 31
Accrued interest.....	11 78	Balance	170 93
	<u>\$859 09</u>		<u>\$859 09</u>
Balance 1st May, 1876 ..	\$170 93		

TRENTON.

Expenses	\$47 60	By land account.....	\$414 35
Investments	495 00	Investments	394 93
Paid Rector	79 44	Interest	86 08
Accrued interest.....	9 69		
Bank Commission	57		
Balance	<u>263 06</u>		<u>\$895 36</u>
	<u>\$895 36</u>		
By balance 1st May, 1876 ..	\$263 06		

MATILDA.

To expenses	\$54 00	By land account.....	\$714
Investments.....	495 00	Interest	150
Paid Rector.....	150 00		
Accrued interest.....	6 98		
Balance	158 30		
	<u>\$864 28</u>		<u>\$864</u>
		By balance 1st May, 1876 ..	\$158

TYENDINAGA.

To investments	\$495 00	By investments	\$622
Accrued interest.....	6 98	Interest	11
Balance	131 88		
	<u>\$633 86</u>		<u>\$633</u>
		By balance 1st May, 1876 ..	\$131

GENERAL EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

To balance 1st May, 1875..	\$1,626 16	By balance	\$2,006
Sundry expenses	380 00		
	<u>\$2,006 16</u>		<u>\$2,006</u>
To balance 1st May, 1876..	\$2,006 16		

..... \$714
..... 150

..... \$864
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MADE IN THE DISTRICT OF ONTARIO DURING THE YEAR ENDING THE 30th OF APRIL, 1876.

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COLLECTIONS IN THE DIOCESE OF ONTARIO—Continued.

COLLECTIONS FOR MISSION FUND.										Clergyman's Annual Subsc'n	Grand Total.	Name of Clergyman.
Whitsunday 1876.	Advent.	Missionary Meetings.	Parochial Collections.	Total.	For Bishop of Algoma.	Divinity Students.	Widows and Orphans.	Synod Assessment for 1876.				
	Stafford, St. Patrick's.	...	5 76	9 80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	" St. Stephen's.	...	3 23	12 60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Forrester's Falls.	...	4 00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Wilberforce.	...	2 04	10 75	63 55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Cornwall.	13 33	11 72	29 60	101 42	156 07	21 00	26 00	11 00	64 55	...	Rev. J. H. Simpson.
14	Carleton Place.	3 77	3 50	21 25	49 05	...	3 50	6 40	...	227 07	...	" J. A. Preston.
	Ennisville.	5 48	3 00	17 61	42 85	146 51	3 60	4 00	5 00	178 01	...	" G. W. G. Grout.
15	Clark's Mills	82	1 31	4 64	20 82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Newburgh.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Yarker.	...	...	2 44	6 30	36 33	...	...	...	41 33	...	...
16	Carrying Place.	4 27	3 44	6 93	30 77	...	3 04	2 34	...	...	...	...
	Consecon.	...	2 07	3 01	8 75	...	93	72	...	...	...	...
	St. Paul's Mission.	1 29	...	3 97	19 75	...	1 28	...	...	...	...	...
	Glenn's School House.	...	...	3 22	2 75	...	...	...	...	106 89	...	...
	Massassaga Point	...	...	8 36	98 58	...	...	...	...	...	...	E. H. M. Baker.
17	Cumberland.	1 40	...	8 70	34 00	...	1 20	2 40	...	...	...	...
	Russell.	1 90	...	13 59	18 15	...	1 50	4 60	...	126 60	...	...
	Navan.	2 20	...	9 41	24 00	113 35	1 95	1 60	...	...	...	T. Garrett.
	Edwardsburg.	4 75	4 65	16 64	62 40	...	3 35	13 10	5 00	...	...	...
18	South Mountain	...	2 00	10 30	...	105 84	5 00	...	...	139 54	...	...
	New Moon.	...	...	5 10	...	...	1 00	...	...	...	...	K. L. Jones.
21	Franktown	1 30	1 32	6 00	25 80	...	2 17	2 00	5 00	...	...	...
	Prospect	1 17	1 12	7 15	27 95	...	1 20	1 06	...	...	...	...
	Montagne.	57	82	3 80	25 05	...	94	1 16	...	...	...	...
	Ashton.	1 45	1 56	5 31	25 45	135 82	1 29	2 07	...	...	...	...
22	Finch.	2 00	1 00	19 00	43 31	...	3 80	1 50	4 00	152 71	10 00	A. Fisher.
	Roxboro.	1 65	1 00	5 90	12 19	86 05	1 20	...	...	...	...	...
23	Gananoque	...	...	28 25	4 10	...	11 50	...	8 00	111 55	65 00	W. T. Earley.
	South Lake	...	...	6 05	...	75 40	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Huntley North.	...	...	12 19	19 20	...	11 00	1 84	7 00	106 00	...	J. Carroll.

Massassa Point	1 30	1 32	6 00	25 80	8 36	98 58	106 89	E. H. M. Baker
17 Cumberland	1 17	1 12	7 15	27 95	8 70	34 00	1 20 2 40	"
Russell	57	82	3 80	25 05	13 59	18 15	1 50 4 60	T. Garrett.
Navan	1 45	1 56	5 31	25 45	9 41	24 00	1 95 1 60	"
18 Edwardsburg	2 00	1 00	19 00	43 31	16 64	62 40	3 35 6 25 13 10 5 00	K. L. Jones.
South Mountain	1 65	1 00	5 90	12 19	10 30		5 00	"
New Hope			28 25	4 10	5 10		105 84	"
21 Franktown	1 30	1 32	6 00	25 80	8 36	98 58	106 89	"
Prospect	1 17	1 12	7 15	27 95	8 70	34 00	1 20 2 40	"
Montague	57	82	3 80	25 05	13 59	18 15	1 50 4 60	"
22 Ashton	1 45	1 56	5 31	25 45	9 41	24 00	1 95 1 60	"
Finch	2 00	1 00	19 00	43 31	16 64	62 40	3 35 6 25 13 10 5 00	"
Roxboro	1 65	1 00	5 90	12 19	10 30		5 00	"
23 Gananoque			28 25	4 10	5 10		105 84	"
South Lake			6 05					"
24 Huntley			12 19	19 20				"
" North			9 66	20 40				"
Hazeldean			19 35	16 25				"
Stittsville			4 09					"
25 Hawkesbury	14 15	4 22	12 00	7 25				"
L'Orignal	1 91		20 70	42 55				"
Wellington	5 00	3 12	28 27	48 85				"
26 Gerow Gore	3 63	2 40	12 25	20 60				"
Kingston, St. George's	1 50	1 20	9 04	14 60				"
Cataract	37 00	34 65	138 00	322 01				"
27 Kingston, St. James'	5 15	5 55	20 07	70 08				"
" St. Paul's	10 52	10 42	22 36	40 00				"
" All Saints'	14 65	10 28	34 00	101 10				"
28 Kempville	1 41	2 02	9 05	8 50				"
Oxford Mills	4 50	5 00	30 10	35 00				"
29 Marlborough	2 50	2 50	5 55	15 90				"
Oxford Station	1 00	3 80	3 65					"
30 Acton's School House			2 72	2 45				"
Wilson's			5 00	11 75				"
31 Kitley			2 86	1 25				"
Easton's Corners	1 48	59	13 78	89 65				"
Redan	2 00		4 65					"

COLLECTIONS IN THE DIOCESE OF ONTARIO—Continued.

No.	Parish or Mission.	COLLECTIONS FOR MISSION FUND.					For Bishop of Algoma.	Students.	Widows' and Orphans.	Synod Assess- ment for 1876.	Grand Total.	Clergyman's Annual Subsn.	Name of Clergyman.
		Whitsunday 1875.	Advent.	Missionary Meetings.	Parochial Collections.	Total.							
33	Daggs	1 38	62		17 50	115 01					131 26		Rev. J. W. Forsythe.
	Lanark			5 99	9 75								
	Balderson's			5 00	9 75								
	Bathurst			2 40	10 30								
	Rokeby			2 57	8 20				33				
	Oso			3 35	20 25				30				
	Olden					85 31					85 94		" T. Hudson.
34	Leeds (rear)	2 75	1 05	6 50	62 00			1 84	1 67				
	Lansdowne	1 25	1 20	8 09	36 55	119 39		1 44	1 53		125 87		" A. H. Coleman.
35	Loughboro			7 04	8 25				2 50	4 00			
	Murvale			2 02					27				
	Odessa			5 25	7 05	29 61					36 38	5 00	" A. Dawson.
36	Lyn	0 65	2 85	5 20	13 00			1 10					
	New Dublin	1 23	1 00	6 33	41 75			0 75					
	Yonge	1 25	0 58	4 00	26 00	103 84					105 69		" H. Auston.
37	Lansdowne (front)			4 77	37 40				1 25				
	Escott				13 45	55 62					56 87		" R. L. M. Houston.
38	Madoc			8 22	20 00				3 11				
	Queensboro'			3 00	15 75				1 55				
	Empey's								34				
	Downey's					46 97					51 97		A. F. Echlin.

42	Marysburg	80	1 15	3 42	12 00	21 51			2 20	1 00				" G. J. Low.
	Millford	1 20		2 94		58 93			20 45	5 00	4 69	24 71		" C. P. Mulvany.
43	Monlinette	7 50	5 00	10 28	36 15				4 13	3 57	5 00	93 38		" S. G. Poole.
44	North Augusta			2 42										
	" St. James'			2 49						90				
	" St. Andrew's		50	1 80		8 27			83			22 70		" J. A. Morris.
45	Napanee	11 95	12 62	42 45	81 60	148 62			24 65	13 23	15 00	217 26		" J. J. Bogert.
46	Newboro'	3 10	2 00	6 50	19 00				5 00	2 00	1 00			
	Portland	1 00	80	6 08	25 00					60	70			
	New Boyne	60	70	6 28						50	40			
	Westport			2 07		73 13								

37	Landowine (trone)	80	1 15	3 42	12 00	21 51	2 20	1 00	56 87	" R. L. M. Houston.
38	Escott	1 20	2 94	13 45	55 62	58 93	20 45	5 00	51 97	" A. F. Echlin.
	Madoc	7 50	10 28	20 00			4 13	3 57		" G. J. Low.
	Queensboro'		2 42	15 75			83	90		" C. P. Mulvany.
	Empey's		2 49				24 65	13 23	22 70	" S. G. Poole.
	Downey's		50	1 80			5 00	2 00	217 26	" J. A. Morris.
42	Marysburg	1 20	5 00	36 15	21 51	58 93	20 45	5 00		" J. J. Bogert.
43	Moulinette	7 50	1 06	2 42	8 27	148 62	4 13	3 57		" S. Tighe.
44	North Augusta									" A. J. O'Loughlin.
	" St. James									" G. Jemmett.
45	Napanee	11 95	12 62	42 45	81 60	148 62	24 65	13 23	22 70	" G. N. Higginson.
46	Newboro	3 10	2 00	6 50	19 00		5 00	2 00	217 26	Ven. J. S. Lauder.
	Portland	1 00	80	6 08	25 00					Rev. H. Pollard (Curate)
	New Boyne	60	70	6 28			60	70		" T. Bedford Jones.
	Westport			2 07			50	40		" W. Wright.
47	North Gower	1 21	1 50	11 00	19 95	73 13			89 33	" A. Jarvis.
	Kars	1 00	1 25	10 86	16 55		1 45	1 10	6 00	
	Vaughan, 1st line	75	1 00		12 30	77 37	1 25	1 25		
48	Nepean			5 27	2 25		95	75	90 12	
	Rochesterville			9 61	4 55			3 41		
	Merivale			8 00		29 68		1 93		
49	New Edinburgh		4 25	131 72			6 50	27 92	36 51	
	Gloucester			4 34	11 00					
	Daggs' S. House			5 20	15 00	171 51		1 56	207 49	
50	Ottawa, Christ Church	41 22	33 32	72 76	110 00	257 30	27 47	50 66	335 43	
51	" St. John's	37 80	28 35	29 83	170 50	266 48	16 25	22 41	390 39	
52	" St. Alban's	33 96	13 74	80 28	27 00	154 98	2 65	12 52	208 56	
53	Osgoode	3 47	2 60	9 08	34 65		2 50	4 20		
	Gloucester	2 18	1 40	2 85	17 20		75	60		
	Billing's Bridge									
54	Osnaburck, St. Peter's	6 25	4 00	27 00	91 25	73 43	12 25	6 44	83 88	
	" St. George's		3 10	16 80	21 75			2 40		
	Aultsville		3 00	11 03				3 61		
	Osnaburck, 2nd Con		2 40	6 13		192 71		2 30	226 71	
55	Pakenham	2 00	2 25	6 78	16 40		2 25	4 50		

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