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GENERAL ORDINATION.

The Lord Bishop of Toronto will hold his next General Ordination in the Catherdal, Toronto, on Thursday, Nov. 1st, All Saints' Day.

Candidates for Holy Orders, whother of Deacon or Priest, are requested to communicate to the Rev. H. J. Grasett, Examining Chaplain, their intention to offer themselves, and they are requested to be present for examination in the Lecture Room of St. James' Parochial School, on Saturday, the 27th October, at 9 o'clock A.M., with the usual testimonials and the Si Quis duly attested.

CHURCH SOCIETY NOTICE.

The Clergy are reminded that the time appointed by the Church Society for preaching the Sermon and taking up the Collection for the Widows and Orphans of the Clergy, is during the month of October.

This fund, connected with one of the most interesting and important objects of the Church Society, has hitherto proved equal to the demands upon it. The annual income is represented by the Rent of lauds and interest on money invested, which last year amounted to \$1483,27, and by collections and subscriptions, which were \$1093,76, making together \$2577,03. The outlay of last year was for pensions to widows and orphans, \$2220. Taxes and Insurance, Registry of Deeds and Discount, \$147,92. Total \$2367,92; or, \$209 less than the Receipts.

It must be noticed, however, that the collections and subscriptions of last year, were less than those of the previous, by \$115, the favourable balance in the whole income being produced by a considerable increase in the Rent and Interest.

It is to be hoped, that the collections for the current year will show an increase rather than a diminution; for, from the very nature of the object of this fund, the demands must inevitably increase, and in a rapid ratio. Those demands also are of a character such as no Church can allow to remain unanswered; and the Committee cannot but believe, that if the sacred object of this fund were duly recommended to our congregations, and no opportunity for enforcing its claims were omitted by the Clergy, no such thing as a falling off in the collections for it could possibly occur again.

COUNTY SIMCOE BRANCH OF THE CHURCH SOCIETY.

There will (D.V.) be a meeting of the Executive Committee of the County Simcoe Branch of the Church Society, at the Parochial School House, Barrie, on Taesday, the 9th inst., at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of making arrange ments for Missionary Meetings throughout the county during the ensuing winter, and for the transaction of other business.

ARTHUR J. FIDLER,

Cookstown, 2nd October, 1866.

Secretary C. S. B. C. S.

GORE AND WELLINGTON DISTRICT BRANCH ASSOCIATION OF THE CHURCH SOCIETY.

Communications for the Committee of the above-named Association of the Church Society, are to be addressed for the present (in the absence of the Secretary, the Rev. J. G. Geddes, in England,) to the Rev. J. Hebden, Hamilton.

MINUTES OF MEETING, SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 1866.

Present—Rev. Dr. Beaven in the chair, Rev. Dr. O'Meara, Rev. Mr. Broughall, Rev. Mr. Cayley, Rev. S. Givins, Rev. Mr. Williams, Rev. J. Carry, Rev. Mr. Fidler; R. J. Denison, and J. Brent.

Prayer by Rev. S. Givins.

The Chairman read the following letter:

Chunch Society Office, Aug. 12, 1866.

Sir,—My resignation as Secretary of the Church Society having been accepted and acted upon, I beg to say that if my services are continued until the meeting to be held at the end of this month, I shall require to be paid at the rate fixed for the payment of the salary of my successor.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant, J. W. BRENT.

· To the Chairman.

Moved by Rev. Dr. O'Meara, seconded by R. B. Denison, Esq.,

That Mr. Brent be requested to continue in the office of Secretary till his sucsor shall have been appointed; and that the increased salary agreed on at the Quarterly Meeting of the Society on the 8th inst. be his salary from said date.—
Carried.

Moved by Rev. A. J. Broughall, seconded by Rev. J. Carry,

That this meeting be adjourned until the 18th day of September, to meet in the Society's Rooms, at 11 o'clock, A.M., for the purpose of electing a Secretary and of transacting other business.—Carried.

MINUTES OF MEETING, SEPT. 18, 1866.

Meeting of Church Society, at St. James' School House, Tuesday, Sept. 1866.

Present—The Lord Bishop in the chair, Rev. H. J. Grasett, Ven. A. N. Bethnne, Rev. Provost Whitaker, Rev. H. C. Cooper, Rev. S. Givins, Rev. J. W. Allen, Rev. A. Palmer, Rev. C. E. Thomson, Rev. Dr. Fuller, Rev. Dr. McMurray, Rev. J. W. Broughall, Rev. W. Ritchie, Rev. Dr. Beaven, Rev. W. Belt, Rev. Dr. Lett. Rev. S. B. Ardagh, Rev. J. Fletcher, Rev. S. Briggs, Rev. A. J. Fidler, Rev. J. Van Linge, Rev. J. W. Beck, Rev. Mr. Harrison, Rev. J. Carry, Rev. S. J. Ramsay, Rev. C. J. Bethnne, Rev. R. Shanklin, Rev. W. E. Cooper, Rev. J. Hilton, Rev. J. Simms, Rev. J. Ambery, Rev. E. Baldwin, Rev. J. Hebden, Rev. J. Chance; C. Gamble, Esq., W. Gamble, Esq., F. W. Cumber land, Esq., W. M. Westmacott, Esq., W. Ince, Esq., C. J. Campbell, Esq., Geo. Duggan, Esq., S. B. Harman, Esq., J. F. Joseph, Esq., R. B. Denison, Esq., C. Magrath, Esq., E. M. Carruthers, Esq., Hon. J. B. Robinson, J. Duggan, Esq., Col. O'Brien, R. Spratt, Esq., H. R. O'Reilly, Esq., Judge Boswell, &c. Rev. H. J. Grasett, B.D., Rectory, Toronto.

Dear Sir,—Having been appointed Law Reporter in Judges' Chambers and Practice Court, at Osgoode Hall, a few days ago, I deem it advisable to give up all thought of being made Secretary of the Church Society. The appointment I allude to is within the profession, which I should be sorry to abandon, whilst the Secretaryship would, in a greater or less degree, practically withdraw me from the practice of the law, even if a distinct pledge to that effect were not exacted

from me.

Accept my most sincere thanks for the kind interest you have shewn on my behalf—which feeling I also heartily entertain towards other friends who have expressed themselves so kindly towards me in this matter.

Yours most sincerely, HENRY O'BRIEN.

Moved by Judge Boswell, seconded by Mr. Denison,
That this meeting proceed immediately to the election of Secretary.—Carried.
Moved by Mr. Cumpbell, seconded by the Rev. H. Brent,

That Mr. Wm. Atkinson be appointed Secretary of the Society. Moved by Mr. Cumberland, seconded by Mr. Spratt,

That James Brown, Esq., be appointed Secretary of the Church Society.

Moved by H. R. O'Reilly, seconded by the Rev. John Hebden, That Mr. William Powis be appointed Secretary of the Church Society. Moved by Mr. Harman, seconded by Col. O'Brien,

That Weymouth George Schreiber, Esq., be elected Secretary of the Church

Society. Moved by Mr. Magrath, seconded by Mr. J. Duggan,

That the vote for the election of Secretary of the Church Society be decided by ballot.—Carried.

The Ballot having been taken, it resulted in the election of William Plonder

leath Atkinson, Esquire.

Moved by George Duggan, seconded by Rev. Mr. Palmer,

That the Secretary appointed shall find the following security, to the approval of the Standing Committee, viz.: \$4,000 by two sureties, from a guarantee reciety and himself in \$4.000; and further, that all books and accounts of the Society he audited before transfer to the Secretary now appointed.

The closing prayers were read, and the meeting adjourned.

SPECIAL SESSION OF SYNOD FOR THE ELECTION OF A COADJUTOR BISHOP.

In accordance with the notice previously given, the Synod assembled in the city of Toronto, on Wednesday, September 19th, for the purpose of electing a

Coadjutor Bishop.

At 10 o'clock, A.M., the Clerical and Lay Delegates assembled in St. James' Cathedral, where Divine Service was performed. Prayers were read by the Rev. C. Badgley, B.A.; the lessons read by the Rev. T. W. Allen, B.A.; the antecommunion service and offertory sentences by the Rev. Mr. Givins, and the epistle The sermon was preached by the Rev. Dr. Beaven, read by the Rev. Mr. Baldwin. who chose for his text the latter part of the 5th verse of the 22nd chapter of 1st Kings—"We will inquire of the Lord to-day." The Holy Communion was administered.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At half-past 2 o'clock the Synod re-assembled in St. George's School house, Queen Street West, when his Lordship the Bishop took the chair, and the prayer (especially prepared for the occasion,) was read by the Rev. Mr. Baldwin. In the absence of the regular officers of the Synod, the Rev. Mr. Baldwin was

appointed Clerical, and Mr. Harman Lay Secretary. The list of the Clergy and Lay Delegates was then read by the Secretary.

The minutes of the August session were confirmed.

THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS. '

The Bishop then read the following Address:—

MY DEAR BRETHREN OF THE CLERGY AND LAITY, -I meet you to day on an occasion of great interest and solemnity, and we all approach it, I trust, with befitting feelings. In delegating to other hands, as I am about to do, a large hare of the important duties which, during rather more than twenty seven years, I have been endeavouring to the best of my ability to discharge, I cannot but wel, as I am sure you feel yourselves, the grave responsibility which is thrown upon you in providing one who shall undertake this high and arduous office. There will be in such a case personal feelings, and predilections, and prejudices to, which it may not be altogether possible to suppress, but all must yield to one absorbing obligation—duty to God's Church. From Christian ministers and Christian men nothing individual, nothing selfish must be allowed to interfere with this.

I pray you then, my brethren, to come to the exercise of this responsibility and olemn trust with singleness of purpose, with unbiased minds, with calm and thoughtful feelings-ask carnestly for heavenly direction before you enter upon this sacred duty; regard as a first obligation the welfare of God's Church, and act as you think will best promote its growth and purity and expansion in this land.

Approach, too, the duties preliminary to the most solemn one of all—your choice of an overseer of the Church—without prejudice or passion; in these let a strict integrity and a conscientious sense of justice guide you. I can only say in regard to the clergy who are to give their suffrages for this solemn choice, I desire no needless restriction, no narrowing down of obvious right by rigid rules, or technicalities. I would desire the extension of the privilege to all, without exception, who in past times have been duly recognised as members of the Synod, and who are ministering in this Diocese, with my approval, either in a specific charge or in a more desultory duty. In a moral and equitable view, all alike are worthy to be entrusted with this high responsibility, as all alike are interested in the welfare of the Church, and to the extent of their means and opportunities are labouring for its good.

I shall not further detain you, brethren, but ask you, after fervent invocation of the blessing of God's Holy Spirit, to enter upon and discharge the duty before you in such manner as in your inward souls and consciences you think will most advance the extension of God's kingdom and the growth of His grace amongst us.

JOHN TORONTO.

EXAMINING COMMITTEES.

The following Committees were then appointed:-

Committee to examine the Clerical list of voters and prepare a revised list to be used by scrutineers.—Rev. Dr. McMurray, Rev. A. J. Broughall, Rev. Dr. O'Moara, Hon. J. B. Robinson and Mr. J. Carter.

Committee to examine certificates of Lay Delegates to prepare a revised list to be used by scrutineers:—Judge Boswell, Charles McGrath, Salter J. Vankough-

net, Rev. A. Williams, and Rev. T. P. Hodge.

Here a short discussion arose as to whether Rev. Mr. Wetherall, Military Chaplain, had any legal right to vote. A division was taken, which stood as follows:—

Yeas-Clergy, 43; laity, 45-total 88. Nays-Clergy, 30; laity, 18-total, 48. SECOND DAY.

Thursday, Sept. 20.

The Synod met at nine o'clock, A.M. The Lord Bishop presided, and the proceedings were opened with prayer.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The objections against the returns of several lay delegates having been withdrawn, the Synod adjourned, to meet again in St. James' Cathedral, for the purpose of balloting.

Meeting in the Cathedral.

At eleven o'clock the members of Synod assembled in the Cathedral. The Scrutineers appointed to take the Clerical vote were the Rev. Mr. Dixon, the Rev. Mr. Brent, and Mr. C. J. Campbell; and for the Lay vote, the Rev. Mr. Cooper, Mr. R. Armour, and Mr. F. Joseph. The Clerical Delegates having been requested to take their seats on the right-hand side of the church, and the Lay Delegates on the left, the Rev. Mr. Baldwin, assistant minister of St. James', read the Litany. The hymn Venite Creator was sung, and then the Bishop took his seat in the centre of the chancel, having Archdeacon Bethune on his right hand and the Rev. H. J. Grasett on his left. The Synod having been called to order, the Bishop, through the Registrar of the Diocese, Mr. S. B. Harman, requested that a few moments might be devoted to private prayer, and that during the balloting there should be no manifestation of feeling; but that all, by quiet and orderly demeanor, should pay the deepest respect to the solemnity of the sacred duty in which they were engaged. Tha injunction was fully observed. and the proceedings were conducted with the utmost order, decorum and solemnity.

After a short voluntary had been played by Mr. Carter on the organ, the balloting commenced.

FIRST BALLOT.

	Clerical.	Lay. 21
Rev. Provost Whitaker	39	21
Rev. Dr. Fuller	27	29
Ven. Archdeacon Dethune	26	16
Rov. H. J. Grasett.		14
Rev. Mr. Geddes		ı
Rev. Dr. Beaven	1	1
Lost votes		12

	109	94

Five consecutive bullots having been taken without any satisfactory result, at half-past ten o'clock the Bishop adjourned the meeting till ten o'clock on Friday.

Friday, Sept. 21.—The members of the Synod assembled in the Cathedral at ten o'clock this morning, when Divine service was held.

SIXTH BALLOT.

The Bishop having taken the chair, a few moments were devoted to private prayer by the delegates. Balloting then commenced, and the result of the sixth ballot was, in about an hour, announced by the lay secretary, Mr. Harman, to be as follows.

	Clerical.	Lay.
Provost Whitaker	44	25
Rev. Dr. Fuller	26	36
Ven. Archdeacon Bethune	25	14
Rov. H. J. Grasett	11	R
Rev. J. G. Geddes	l	0
Lost votes		8
	107	91

Three ballots having been taken without any material change in the numbers,

the Registrar read the following announcement:-

The Provost of Trinity College, rather than continue any longer even a passive spectator of the protracted struggle which this Synod has witnessed during the last two days, has begged the permission of his Lordship the Bishop to make known to the Synod, through the Registrar of the Diocese, his desire that no vote may hereafter be recorded in his favour.

NINTH BALLOT.

This Ballot was then proceeded with, and, agreeably to the understanding arrived at, the delegates hitherto supporting the Provost transferred their votes to the Archdeacon of Toronto. The following was the result of the ballot:—

	Clerical.	Lay.
Ven. Archdeacon Bethune	53	47
Rev. Dr. Fuller	22	32
Rev. H. J. Grassett	8	5
Rev. A. Palmer	7	1
Rev. J. Geddes	1	0
Provost Whitaker	1	1
Lost votes		5

The number of the clerical votes necessary to secure election was announced to be 47, and of the laity 46. Mr. Harman therefore declared that the result of the ballot gave the election to the Ven. the Archdeacon of Toronto.

ADDRESS BY THE BISHOP.

The Bishop then rose and addressed the delegates as follows:

My Brethren of the Clergy and Laity, it is with great gratification that I hear read to me officially the result of the election of Coadjutor, which has been now

made. I congratulate the whole diocese, as well as all connected with the Church, on the way in which the proceedings have been conducted. Nothing could be more praiseworthy than the whole of the voting in this sucred editice. It is there fore, with more gladness and gratitude that I can well express, that I find this duty has been so well performed and finally accomplished. The Ven Alexander N. Bethune has been duly elected Coadjutor of the diocese of Toronto; and I trust and hope that his future life will be as the past has been—just and holy and upright in every respect, and worthy of the high station to which he in now called.

His Lordship then pronounced the benediction, and the Synod closed its sitting.

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J. Honderson, Jr	1	00	Stony Creek	1	80
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To the Editor of " The Chronicle."

REVP. AND DEAR SIR.—We must all acknowledge that, under God, our Church in the Rural Districts will only succeed in proportion to the Annual Contributions towards the various funds of the Church Society—the Mission Fund in particular. I rejoice that, in answer to his Lordship's carnest appeal, the collection of last winter exceeded that of the previous year. We must not, however, rest satisfied with that, but use every means to press earnestly upon our people their duty in this matter. That t is may be done more effectually, our meetings must be made as attractive as possible; and to this end there ought to be a greater variety of speakers-first, by securing the assistance of laymen from a distance; and next, by importing a clerical deputation from another county. In this County (Simcoc). we have in past years partially succeeded in securing the assistance of gentlemen from a distance, but have had to a great extent to depend upon the clergy of our own county; this does well enough for a year or two, but after that the same faces appear again, and the interest of our meetings is not sustained as they ought Permit me therefore to suggest a remedy for this evil. Suppose that Revds. A. B. C. and D., from the County of York, be a deputation to address meetings in the County of Simeoe for a fortnight, to remain over Sunday, and hold Divine Service in the Missions of Revd. E. F. G. and H., respectively of this County. Thus those, who have been all the week addressing meetings, will be spared the fatigue of a long journey to their homes, as their places will in turn be filled on Sunday by those whose pulpits they occupy, and there will be an exchange of pulpits,—oxchange agreeable both to clergy and laity. Lot, then each County Branch, through its Secretary, arrange with the Secretary of some adjoining county for a meeting (in the latter part of September,) of some of the clergy of both Counties to settle times and places of Missionary Meetings to be held next winter. Let these arrangements be then submitted to the Bishop for his approval, adding thereto the names of those laymen whose services can be secured. I am patisfied that this plan, of which I have only given a rough outline, if adopted, will work well. One thing I will add, if, according to this plan, the incumbents be absent from any of the meetings in their own missions, their places could be easily supplied by placing the senior churchwarden in the chair. I hope that you will consider this worthy of an insertion in "The Chronicle."

And remain, Rev. and dear Sir,

Craighurst, Co. Simcoc, August 18th, 1866.

Yours very faithfully, R. H. H.

INDIAN MISSIONS.

To the Clergy and Luity of the Diocese of Toronto :-

My Dear Brethren,—At the request of the Committee appointed by the Church Society and Synod, on Indian Missions, I have authorized the Revds. Messrs. Chance and Sims, our Missionaries to the Indians at Lake Huron, with their delegates. Chiefs Puhgwagdeneene and Mizekwonghi, to visit the larger towns and villages in this Diocese, for the purpose of holding meetings to lay before the Church the wants of the Indians under their charge and in the regions beyond, who look to us for aid.

We must confess, with regret, that this, though one of the leading objects of our Church Society, has not hitherto received the support it so loudly calls for. But it is not yet too late, and I am pleased to find a movement is about to be made, which, with the Divine blessing, may be

attended with satisfactory results.

As the Deputation is an efficient one, I shall leave the details to be stated by them; but entertaining a high opinion of the piety and devotion of the Missionaries, and feeling a deep interest in their work, I heartily commend them and their cause to the kind attentions of all good people.

The funds collected will be entrusted to the Treasurers of the Church Society, to be appropriated by the Committee, with the approval of the

Mission Board.

I remain, dear Brethren,

Yours faithfully.

Toronto, 24th September, 1866.

John Toronto.

The Deputation above mentioned visited several of the towns and villages of the diocese, and, with the kind co-operation of the resident Clergy, have held meetings, at which they submitted the wants of the Indians in the North, and urged their claims on the Christian public for aid.

As the object of the Committee is to invest this department of the Church's Missionary work with a permanent and organized character, it will be desirable, wherever practicable, to form small Committees com-

posed of persons interested in the welfare of the Indians, of whom it is believed there are many in the country, who, through their Secretary and Trensurer, will correspond with the Chairman of the Committee at Toronto.

The Secretaries will receive all contributions for the Missions. moneys to be remitted by Bank Check or Post Office Order to W. P. Atkinson, Esq., Secretary to the Church Society, care being taken to mark them "for Indian Missions."

As it may be more convenient for some of their many friends to contribute in kind, the Committee append a list of articles, suggested by the Missionaries, that would be thankfully received.

The Local Secretaries will kindly take charge of and forward any par-

cels left with them.

LIST OF ARTICLES NEEDED FOR MISSIONS.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS AND BUILDING MATERIALS OF ALL SORTS.

CLOTHING OF ALL KINDS, especially warm coats, trousers, vests, shirts, stockings, dresses, perticoats, flannel, blankets, quilts, caps, shoes and boots, needles, thread, sewing cotton.

Provisions for distribution to the Sick and Infirm.—Flour; pork; tobacco: salt; rice; ontmeal; linseed meal; lard; butter; tea,

&c.; combs.

Medicines.—Castor oil; rhubarb; senna; salts; magnesia; Godfrey's cordial; spirits turpentine; sulphur; and all kinds of useful medicines; pestle and mortar.

REWARDS AND REQUISITES FOR SCHOOLS.—First and second national readers; 3rd books; slates; pencils; paper; pens; ink; benches; pictures and picture books; scripture prints; akates; toys, &c.; pocket knives, fishing hooks and lines.

THE IMPOVERISHED CLERGY OF THE SOUTH.

In addition to the sum heretofore acknowledged (\$703.55), the Rev. J. L. Gay, of Melbourne, C.E., has thankfully received the following, to wit:-From St-George's Church, Toronto, \$42; Holy Trinity Church, \$32; Mrs. E. M. L. and her orphans, \$2; a Friend, \$2; A. Mercer, \$5; Charlesworth & Co., \$4; W. Cawthra, \$5; R. Gooderham, \$5; W. B. Phipps, \$5; B. H. Dixon, \$25; Cash, \$3; a friend, \$2; from Clergy in the Diocese of Toronto, \$7; Rev. Dr. Shelton, of Buffalo, \$20; Jacques, Hay & Co., \$1; two friends, \$2; another friend, \$1. Christ Church, Hamilton, \$33; Church of the Ascension, \$16; T. B. H., \$1;

a friend \$2; D. McInnis, \$4; George S. Papps, \$10; two others, through the

Rev. Dr. Neville, \$3.

St. Paul's Church, Kingston, \$14.65; St. John's Church, Portsmouth, \$25.76; St. George's Cathedral, \$27; W. Mingaye, \$2; J. Whitehead, \$5; Mrs. Mucklestone, \$3; D.K., \$1; St. James' Church, Kingston, \$17; Rev. H. Mulkins, \$5; George Creighton, \$10; John Watkins, \$5; Rev. John Stannage, \$1; the Ven. the Archdeacon of Ontario, \$10. Cobourg, per the Ven. the Archdeacon of Toronto, \$21.25; Berkeley, per Rev. Dr. Beaven, \$6.73; Chester, per ditto, Total, \$1087.25. **\$**3.32.

Distributed through the Bishops and other almoners in Virginia, \$125; in North Carolina, \$225; in South Carolina, \$145; in Florida, \$100; in Georgia, \$59.60; in Alabama, \$50; in Mississippi, \$90; in Louisiana, \$86; in Arkansas, \$120.80; in Tennessee, \$59; in Texas, \$20.40. Total distributed, \$1080.80.

Further contributions respectfully and carnestly solicited. Address by mail the September 15, 1866. REV. J. L. GAY, Melbourne, C. E.