

D. The Development of our use of modern technique in religious teaching and evangelism through film projectors and wireless. Capital sum of £5000 together with £1500 for the purchase of Equipment. Total £6500.

The Church to-day must use modern methods for vigorous teaching and evangelism. Films and wireless are becoming indispensable instruments. They can be especially valuable in reaching the remote areas of a Diocese such as ours.

E. The endowment of an Ordination Candidates' Fund, £10,000.

We need fully-staffed Parishes to meet the spiritual needs of the people, and a properly trained ministry to serve them. From our present resources we can only offer full training to one man a year.

F. Other progressive plans for the Diocese, £7000.

Some of the plans outlined above may require more money than has been allotted to them. In a live Diocese of a living Church new needs are constantly being found. With funds in hand we can rise to the occasion.

I hereby certify that the Ordinance as printed is in accordance with the Ordinance as passed.

B. T. BARNES, Chairman of Committees.

We certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Synod of the Diocese of Grafton on the 14th September, 1949.

OLIVER N. MANNY, Clerical Secretary.

W. L. MEEK, Lay Secretary.

I assent to this Ordinance.

CHRISTOPHER E. GRAFTON, Bishop.

Cathedral (Amendment) Ordinance, 1949

AN ORDINANCE.

To amend the Cathedral Ordinance 1937 in connection with the appointment of Dean of the Cathedral and other matters.

The Bishop, the Clergy and the Laity of the Diocese of Grafton in Synod assembled declare, ordain and enact as follows:—

SHORT TITLE.

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as "Cathedral (Amendment) Ordinance 1949."

(2) The Cathedral Ordinance 1937 is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

(3) The Principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance may be cited as the "Cathedral Ordinance 1937-49."

2. Section 3 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by omitting the words "Christ Church" where secondly therein appearing.

3. Sections 4 and 5 of the Principal Ordinance are omitted and the following section inserted in lieu thereof:—

4. The Bishop shall have the chief place among his Brethren in Choir and Chapter, and shall take such part in Divine Service in the Cathedral, Grafton, and shall preach and shall likewise appoint preachers at such times as he shall think fit giving due notice to the Dean of his wish to do so. He shall be in charge and have complete authority to order all such Services as are connected with Episcopal and Diocesan functions and all matters pertaining thereto.

5. (a) There shall be a Dean of the Cathedral to be known as the Dean of Grafton, and the Rector of the Parish of Christ Church, Grafton, shall be and is hereby appointed to be Dean of Grafton, and he or any other holder of such office shall vacate the same if he should cease to be the Incumbent of the Parish of Grafton, or if his resignation in writing as Dean shall have been accepted by the Bishop.

(b) When and so often as the Dean shall cease to hold office, the Bishop shall, subject as hereinafter provided, become Dean and possess and exercise all the jurisdiction and powers incident to that office. The Bishop shall within two calendar months thereafter convene a meeting of the Board of Electors by written notice to each member giving at least fourteen days before the date of meeting, under seal of the Bishop of the Diocese. The Board shall consist of three members chosen by the Cathedral Chapter from among its number and three members chosen by the Cathedral Council from among its number. At any meeting of the Board of Electors there shall be in attendance besides the Bishop who shall be Chairman, at least three members of whom at least one shall be a chosen member of the said Chapter and at least one shall be a chosen member of the said Council. Until released by the Bishop all proceedings of the Board shall be confidential to the members thereof.

(c) The Bishop shall nominate to the Board of Electors a Clerk in the Holy Order of Priesthood for election as Dean and as Rector of the Parish of Grafton. And if a majority of the electors then present concur in the nomination the Bishop shall proceed to instal the said Clerk as Dean. Should the Clerk so nominated be not so approved then within one calendar month, the Bishop shall

(d) The Dean shall have the next place after the Bishop in Choir and Chapter, subject to the rights reserved by this Ordinance or otherwise belonging to the Bishop as Ordinary. The Dean shall have the ordering of Divine Service in the Cathedral and the appointment of preachers and shall be responsible for the due performance of the service, for the good order of the Cathedral, and for the fulfillment of their duties by the officers of the Cathedral. The Dean shall be inducted to the Cure of Souls within the Cathedral Parish of Grafton and shall have full and complete charge as Rector of the Parish. The Dean as Rector and the parishioners of the Cathedral Parish shall retain all parochial rights and privileges and perform all their respective duties save only in so far as they are specifically limited by this Ordinance.

6. Section 6 of the Principal Ordinance is omitted and the following Section inserted in lieu thereof:—

The Chapter is a body of persons the advisers of the Bishop in things spiritual of which the Bishop is head and executive officer. The said Chapter shall consist of the Bishop, the Dean, the Archdeacons of the Diocese as Canons ex-officio and two other Clerical Canons being licensed Clergymen of the Diocese of not less than six years standing in the Holy Order of the Priesthood and resident within the Diocese one of whom shall be appointed by the Bishop and one by the members of the Synod, clerical and lay, voting together and of four Lay Canons, being communicant members of the Church of England and unless exempted by the Chapter resident within the Diocese two of whom shall be appointed by the Bishop and two by the Synod of the Diocese voting together.

7. Except where otherwise expressly provided in this Ordinance, the Principal Ordinance is further amended by omitting the word "Sub-Dean" wherever therein appearing and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Dean."

8. Section 7 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting after the word "installed" the words "by the Bishop or his Deputy."

9. Section 12 of the Principal Ordinance is omitted.

10. Section 13 of the Principal Ordinance is omitted and the following section inserted in lieu thereof:—

HONORARY CANONRIES.

(13) There shall be three Honorary Canonries open to the Clergy of the Diocese and conferred as a mark of distinction for meritorious work rendered in

by substituting the word "twelve" for the word "seven" wherever therein appearing and the words "the Bishop, Dean and Chapter" for the words "the Dean the Sub-Dean and the Chapter."

20. Section 30 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words "Bishop Dean and Chapter" for the words "Sub-Dean and Chapter."

21. Section 35 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting the words "by the Dean or his Deputy" after the words "be installed."

22. Section 36 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words "the Chapter" for "the Bishop-in-Council" and the word "an" for the word "any" where lastly therein appearing.

23. Section 46 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words "the Dean and Cathedral Council in consultation with the Bishop" for the words "The Cathedral Council" and by substituting the words "Bishop, Dean or Clerk in Charge" for the words "Sub-Dean or Clerk in Charge."

24. Section 47 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words "drawn up by the Dean and Cathedral Council in consultation with the Bishop" for the words "drawn up by the Council." The words "or Sub-Dean" wherever therein appearing are omitted.

25. Section 50 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by substituting the words "the Bishop Dean and Canons" for the words "the Bishop and the Canons."

I hereby certify that the Ordinance as printed is in accordance with the Ordinance as passed.

B. T. BARNES, Chairman of Committees.

We certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Synod of the Diocese of Grafton on the 15th day of September, 1949.

OLIVER N. MANNY, Clerical Secretary.

W. L. MEEK, Lay Secretary.

I assent to this Ordinance.

CHRISTOPHER E. GRAFTON, Bishop.

The Clergy Provident Fund (Amendment) Ordinance, 1949

AN ORDINANCE.

To further amend the Diocesan Funds (Consolidated) Ordinance 1931 in connection with the Clergy Provident Fund.