

FORNALS SESSION

Episcopal Delegates Compelled to Meet Merely as Conference Committee.

CONVENTION CALL WRONG

Annual Assembly Must Be Held in June, Under Rules of Church. General Status of Diocese Is Discussed.

Delegates to the 20th annual convention of the Episcopal Church of the diocese of Oregon met at Trinity Church yesterday and resolved themselves into a conference committee for a consideration of the status of the church in this diocese. After assembling, it was discovered that under the church constitution the annual convention must be held in June...

The diocese of Oregon consists of that part of the state west of the Cascades, including about 50 parishes and missions, most of which are represented in the committee conference, which will conclude its work at a general session this morning...

Bishop's Annual Address.

At the opening of the afternoon session yesterday, Bishop Scadding delivered his annual address, extracts from which are appended. In his report the bishop commented on the division of the state into two dioceses and explained that its real purpose was further to promote the work of the church in this state...

In its report the board made the following recommendations: That parishes and missions be urged to respond more abundantly to the growing needs of missions...

Increase Bishop's Salary.

The trustees of the Episcopal fund recommended that the salary of Bishop Scadding be increased from \$5000 to \$5500 per annum...

List of the Delegates.

- The following delegates registered yesterday: Astoria, Frank Spittle; Eugene, C. S. Freeland; Milwaukie, R. A. Sellwood; Portland, John Sealy, R. W. Hastings, G. A. Nicholson, William H. Smith, James Laidlaw, I. H. Amos, Dr. S. E. Joseph, Dr. F. C. Sellwood, Arthur C. Newell, F. L. Purse; Oregon City, G. A. Hamilton, William H. Smith, J. A. Sellwood; Seaside, S. H. Beach...



TRINITY CHURCH, NINETEENTH AND EVERETT STREETS, WHERE THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESAN CONVENTION IS IN SESSION.

Men of St. Andrew's.

The annual meeting of the local assembly of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, consisting of seven chapters in this city, was held at Trinity church last night. Reports were read and submitted by each of the chapters and the work of each for the year was reviewed.

Comments on Division.

The general convention assembled in Richmond accepted the plan asking that all that portion of Oregon east of the Cascade Range be ceded over to the general board of missionary jurisdiction of Eastern Oregon. I desire to state at the very outset how little is my interest in carrying with me people of Eastern Oregon, from whom I have received so many kind and generous sympathies...

Work of Church Hospital.

Looking back over the work of the hospital for a period of six years, we find the growth almost phenomenal. For the year ending May 31, 1907, the number treated was 1000. For the year ending May 31, 1908, the number treated was 1200. The hospital is now in a position to receive and care for a larger number of patients...

Comments St. Helen's Hall.

Our diocesan school for girls is holding up its excellent reputation, gained under its first principal, Miss Mary B. Rodney. Since the death of Miss Rodney, the school has been in charge of these sisters, known in England as the "Crewer Sisters," have administered and conducted the school in a most successful manner...

Finances of Diocese.

Owing to the inadequate endowment of the Episcopal diocese, assessments have all to be made for the Bishop's salary. It was a missionary district this salary and traveling expenses would be met by the general board, but being a diocese, it has to be met from the interest on the endowment fund...

GROGERS MADE VICTIMS

Frank Thompson Seizes Sugar by Means of Bunco Game.



It, Rev. Henry Douglas Robinson, Episcopal Bishop of Nevada, who will attend the missionary conference this week.

It is pointed out, this controversy between the Council and the Water Board is most unfortunate, and it is said that many districts are in grave danger by fire because of this.

PETITION FOR WATER DENIED

CENTER ADDITION RESIDENTS TOLD FUNDS ARE LACKING. Fire Hydrants Has Tied Up the Water Board's Money.

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Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Lists various individuals and their associated monetary values, such as 'E. J. Finner and wife to L. C. Sanford, Block 42, 46, Sullivan's Addition, 10,000'.

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