APPENDIX No. 41.

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ORDINANCE. PRESENTATION FURTHER AMEND-MENT.

(As Passed.)

AN ORDINANCE to amend Sections 5, 13 and 16 of the "Presentation Amendment Ordinance of 1912."

The yound of the Diocese of Sydney in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by the Constitutions for the management and good government of the Church of England in the State of New South Wales ordains as follows:—

Repeal of Clauses.

1. Clause 5 and Clause 13 of the Presentation Amendment Ordinance of 1912 are hereby repealed.

Proceedings after Election.

2. The Chairman of each Annual Vestry Meeting which has elected Parochial Nominators in accordance with the said recited Ordinance and the said Amended Ordinance shall forward to the Registrar of the Diocese within thirty days from the date of such meeting a list duly certified by him setting out fully the names occupations and addresses of such elected Nominators. Provided that the omission to send to the Registrar such list duly certified shall not invalidate any election of Nominators but such Nominators may act if the Archbishop is satisfied they were duly elected and so certifies to the Synod Nominators.

Right of Presentation subject to provision for Clergyman.

3. The right of presentation as provided by the said recited Ordinance and the said Amendment Ordinance shall apply only to the Parish in which provision shall have been made for securing to the Clergyman (from local sources) a stipend of at least three hundred pounds per annum together with a suitable residence or an adequate allowance in lieu thereof and which Parish has during the financial year preceding the time being paid and provided for and has since continued to pay and provide for the Clergyman such stipend and residence or allowance as aforesaid and which said Parish shall have paid all amounts due for Synod and Registry expenses up to the thirty-first day of March in the

preceding financial year. The Archbishop may require proof to his satisfaction that the conditions of this Section have been duly complied with and shall so certify to the Board of Nominators before they proceed to nomination.

Provisions not complied with.

4. Should the Archbishop not be satisfied that the provisions of Section 3 of this Ordinance have been complied with, the matter shall be referred to the Archbishop in Council whose decision shall be final.

Incapacity, Inability.

5. In the first line of clause 16 of the "Presentation Amendment Ordinance of 1912" the word "incapacity" is omitted and the word "inability" inserted in lieu thereof.

Archbishop in Council.

6. The words "Archbishop in Council" in this Ordinance shall be directed to be taken as having the same meaning as the like words in the "Sydney Church Ordinance 1912" or any Ordinance amending or taking the place of the same.

Short Title.

7. This Ordinance may be cited as the "Presentation Further Amendment Ordinance of 1919" and shall be construed as one with the "Presentation Ordinance of 1895" and the "Presentation Amendment Ordinance of 1912."

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

E. W. MOLESWORTH,

Chairman of Committees.

We certify that this Ordinance was passed this 26th day of September, 1919.

E. CLAYDON Secretaries W. R. BEAVER of the Synod.

I assent to this Ordinance.

JOHN CHARLES SYDNEY.

14th October, 1919.