

**GENERAL GORDON'S BIRTHPLACE.**



THE house stands overlooking Woolwich Common on its eastern boundary, and is almost midway between the Royal Artillery Barracks and the Royal Military Academy. Over the door is placed a marble tablet bearing the following inscription:—

Birthplace of  
CHARLES G. GORDON, C.B.,  
Major-General Royal Engineers.

Born January 28, 1833,  
Died at Khartoum January 26,  
1885.

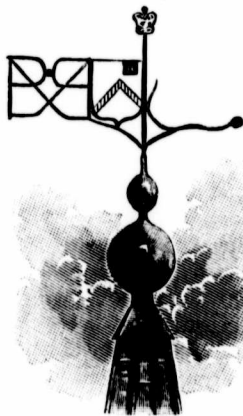
This memorial was erected  
by the Woolwich Antiquarian  
Society, January 28, 1900.

Our illustration is from a photograph specially taken for THE CHURCH MONTHLY by Mr. A. E. Huitt.

**OLD WALLASEY CHURCH.**

ONE of the memories of old residents of Liverpool is the destruction by fire of Wallasey Parish Church, which was situated on the Cheshire side of the Mersey. The tower of the old church is left standing in the churchyard, a little distance from the commodious and handsome new structure which has taken the place of the burnt edifice. The present

Rector of Wallasey is the Rev. Dr. Cogswell.

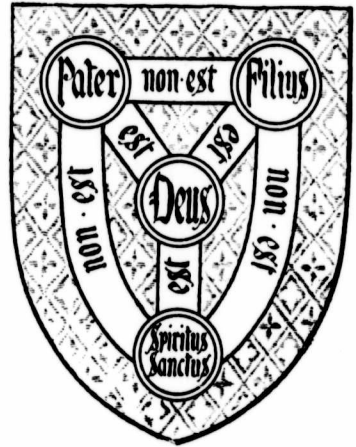


**AN ARTISTIC VANE.**

THE spire of the ancient church of St. Mildred in Bread Street, London, is adorned with the artistic vane of which we give an illustration. It will be noticed that it combines a coat-of-arms with a monogram.

**AN ANCIENT DESIGN ILLUSTRATING THE HOLY TRINITY.**

THE design is taken from a small shield forming part of the ornamentation of the font in the ancient church of Abbots Langley, Hertfordshire. The font itself is very beautiful, and dates from about the year 1400. It is large and octagonal in shape, and is ornamented with carvings representing the emblems of the Evangelists, placed alternately with small shields, whereon are painted designs typical of Holy Baptism. The Trinity design is very rich in appearance, being painted in several colours on a background of gold. Our illustration is from a drawing specially made for THE CHURCH MONTHLY by Mr. A. E. Huitt.



PRAYER-BOOK KALENDAR.—June 1, *Procora, Martyr, Ember Day*; 2, *Trinity Sunday*; 5, *Boniface, Bishop*; 9, *1st Sunday after Trinity*; 11, *St. Barnabas, Apostle and Martyr*; 16, *2nd Sunday after Trinity*; 17, *St. Alban, Martyr*; 20, *Translation of King Edward*; 23, *3rd Sunday after Trinity*; 24, *St. John Baptist*; 29, *St. Peter, Apostle and Martyr*; 30, *4th Sunday after Trinity*.

**Jesus said: "In your patience possess ye your souls."**

ST. LUKE xxi. 19.