

Parochial Organizations.

WOMEN'S CHAPTER.

President, Mrs. Williams; Vice-President, _____; Treasurer, Mrs. W. Lawrence; Secretary, Miss Irvine. No. of members, 31. Regular meeting first Monday in the month.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY.

President, Mrs. Williams; Vice-President, _____; Treasurer, Mrs. Barton; Recording Secretary, Miss Hay; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Dgnt. Members of the local Board of Management, Mrs. Beatty and Mrs. Buckingham. No. of members, 27.

BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW.

President, the Rector; Lay Director, Wm. Maynard; Treasurer, M. H. Westbrook; Secretary, R. Neill; Hospitality Committee, H. H. Westbrook and J. Squares. No. of members, 18. Time of meeting, every Monday at 8 p.m.

DISTRICT VISITORS.

President, Mrs. Beatty; Treasurer, Mrs. Johnson; Secretary, Mrs. Wm. Smith. Regular meeting last Thursday in the month.

YOUNG WOMEN'S GUILD.

President, Miss B. Hesson; Vice-President, Miss Carpenter; Secretary, Miss E. M. Smith; Treasurer, Miss S. Watson. Executive Committee, Misses Burritt, Spencer and Fuller. Time and place of meeting, every Monday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock p.m.

KING'S DAUGHTERS.

No. of members, 27. Leader, Mrs. Mooney. Time of meeting every Thursday at 7.30 p.m.

Parish Register.

BAPTISMS.

Aug. 6, George William Johnson, Wellington St.; Maud Gertrude Jezard, Rebecca St. Aug. 13, Jennie Newell, South Easthope. Aug. 20, John Henry Doering, Douro St.

BURIALS.

Aug. 17, Leonard Earl Brooker, St. David St.

MARRIAGES.

Wilson—Kilburn on Aug. 8th, Davis McKee Wilson, to Sarah Elizabeth Kilburn, both of Stratford.

Watling—Weimer on Aug. 9, William Edward Watling, to Margaret Weimer, both of Stratford.

Andrew—Codd on Aug. 15, Rev. J. W. J. Andrew, of Hamilton, to Pallie Codd, of Stratford.

The General Synod.

On September 13th there will assemble in Toronto for the first time the General Synod of the Church of England in Canada. The Synod was called into existence three years ago by the Conference known as the "Winnipeg Conference" of August, 1890. That conference consisted of representatives of every Diocese from Halifax to Vancouver, and formulated an outline of a constitution for the General Synod, under which constitution the meeting in Toronto this month will take place. Subjoined is a copy of the constitution, and it is to be hoped that all loyal churchmen will read it carefully and follow closely the deliberations at this first meeting of the Supreme Council of our Church in Canada:

1. Constitution. There shall be a General Synod consisting of the Bishops of the Church of England in the Dominion of Canada and the Diocese of Newfoundland, and of delegates chosen from the Clergy and the Laity.

The delegates shall be chosen by the several Diocesan Synods according to such rules as they may adopt, or, in a Diocese which has no Synodical organization, may be appointed by the Bishop.

The representation shall be as follows: Dioceses having fewer than twenty-five licensed Clergymen, one delegate from each order; Dioceses having twenty-five and fewer than fifty licensed Clergymen, two of each order; Dioceses having fifty and fewer than one hundred, three of each order; Diocese having one hundred licensed Clergymen and upwards, four of each order.

2. Time and place of Meeting. The Synod shall meet for the first time in the city of Toronto, on the second Wednesday in September, 1893, and shall be convened by the Metropolitan senior by consecration.

3. The Synod shall consist of two Houses; the Bishops constituting the Upper, and the Clergy and Laity together the Lower House.

4. The President of the General Synod, who shall be styled the Primate, shall be elected by the House of Bishops from among the Metropolitans.

The Primate shall hold office for life, or so long as he is Bishop of any Diocese of the General Synod; nevertheless he may resign at any time.

5. The General Synod shall have power to deal with all matters affecting in any way the general interests and well-being of the Church within its jurisdiction. Provided that no canons or resolutions of a coercive character, or involving penalties or disabilities, shall be operative in any Ecclesiastical Province, or in any Diocese not included in any Ecclesiastical Province, until accepted by the Synod of such Province or Diocese.

The following, or such like objects, may be suggested as properly coming within the jurisdiction of the General Synod:—

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