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HOLY TRINITY'S NEW RECTOR  
INDUCTED YESTERDAY MORNING

Canon Hill, of St. Thomas, Officiated—The Rev. James Walter Hodgins Preached his First Sermon Last Night—Made a Strong Impression

The Rev. James Walter Hodgins, late of Seaford, was inducted as rector of Holy Trinity Church yesterday morning and in the evening he preached his first sermon as pastor. There was a large attendance in the evening and the congregation had the pleasure of listening to a splendid sermon, logical and convincing. Mr. Hodgins has a clear, pleasant voice and is an acquisition to the preaching fraternity of this city. His manner is pleasant and once again Holy Trinity Church is in charge of a rector of much more than ordinary merit.

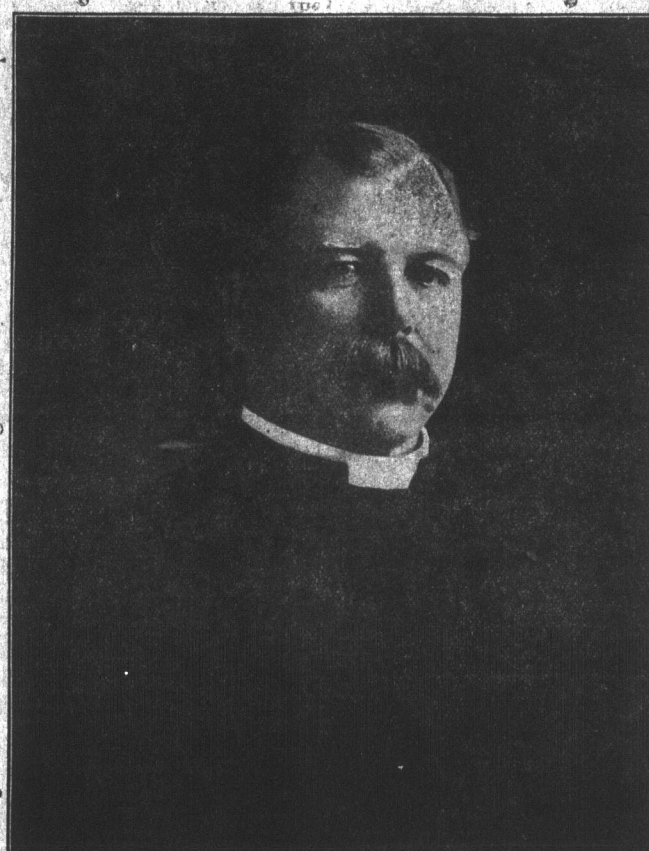
Yesterday morning, Canon Hill, of St. Thomas, read the Bishop's warrant and inducted the Rev. Mr. Hodgins as pastor of Holy Trinity Church, and Wardens C. E. Beeson and W. J. Moore formally handed

keep you, rector and people, and so fill you with spiritual benediction and grace that you may so live together in this life that in the world to come you may have life everlasting.

The Rev. Mr. Hodgins preached his first sermon in the evening from the text: "Wherefore I take you to record this day that I am pure from the blood of all men. For I have not shunned to declare unto you all the counsels of God."

He said that he thought it proper that he should preach from the above text as this was the day of the commencement of a compact between Holy Trinity church and himself. His responsibility was great as he had to answer for how he acted and spoke. He also wished to say that a great responsibility was also laid on the church.

Two great difficulties confronted the minister. One was to see that he made clear the proper meaning of what he taught. The depth and



THE REV. JAMES WALTER HODGINS

THE NEW RECTOR OF HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

over the keys. Mr. Hodgins accepted the charge.

Canon Hill preached a very appropriate sermon from the text, "So they read in the book in the law of God distinctly, and gave the sense and caused them to understand the reading." He said that he would endeavor to gather some practical lessons concerning the duties of the rector and of the members of the church and the adherents. The pulpit was the place from which God's law was read and expounded. The whole Bible was a book of God's will. How the Bible should be handled in the pulpit was suggested in the text. The duty of the pulpit was to give the sense of the Scripture and when the pulpit faithfully gave the sense and caused the people to understand, then the pulpit's power for good transcended the possibility of human calculation. The living voice of the living man was more powerful for good than the mere printed page. A great responsibility rested upon the minister as an ambassador for Christ. God spoke to the people by him.

No man stood more in need of the daily support of grace and guidance from on high than did the minister. Therefore, the congregation of Holy Trinity Church should constantly and carefully pray for their minister and should beseech the Holy Spirit to guide him. It was also the duty of the congregation to all "gather themselves together as one man" twice a day on Sunday. It was grand to see a congregation so gathered and it was a wonderful help and stimulus and encouragement to a new rector. The congregation should also join heartily in the prayers offered by the minister. They should also remember that it was one thing to listen to a minister and quite another thing to put his teachings in practice.

Canon Hill ended with the benediction from the marriage ceremony, in which he united pastor and people, as follows:—"God bless you, brother; God bless you, people of Trinity Church. May the Lord bless and

height, the length and breadth of God's word was so great that it was not always possible to fully comprehend it. Therefore the congregation would of necessity have to be charitable in their criticism of him. The other difficulty was that in preaching the full counsel of God he was apt to make an enemy of the carnal man. He had not only to preach and advise, but it was his duty in visiting them to point out the whole counsel of God. He would be glad to be able to say when leaving them the words Paul had used in the text. When the people did well in standing to the Christian church Paul commended. If they transgressed he admonished them, but he always faithfully and honestly set the right before them. The Rev. Mr. Hodgins promised to try to follow in Paul's footsteps.

At the morning service the new rector regretted that the Lenten services had not been held regularly in Holy Trinity church, but he promised to see that these services were attended to as far as possible for the rest of Lent. The first evening service will be held on Wednesday evening. He also stated that he would be unable to visit any but the sick till after Lent.

At both services excellent music was rendered by the choir under the direction of Mrs. R. V. Bray.

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## MANY FIRMS BURNED OUT.

Three Firemen Injured in Two Fires at Montreal.

Montreal, April 3.—The warehouse of Joseph Ward & Co., on the north side of Youville square, is a ruin this morning. A fire started there Saturday night, and the loss, mostly to the building, is roughly valued at \$50,000. Three firms occupied the building.

A second fire was in Craig street, in a building owned by D. A. McCaskill, now in Italy, and the following firms suffered losses as follows: Canada Trust Factory, \$1,000; Buntin, Gillis & Co., wholesale paper dealers, \$5,000; J. Cohen & Co., wholesale clothing, \$500; Abbey Effervescence Salt Co., Limited, \$10,000, fully insured; G. W. Dawson, die sinker and engraver, \$2,000; N. Tourangeau & Co., manufacturers of trusses, \$2,500; L. E. & A. F. Waters, printers, \$7,000; Royal Dye Works, \$300; Rice, Johnston & Gladwin, photo supplies, \$2,500; Carters' Ink Co., \$2,000.

Firemen, Charbonneau, Culley, Thom and Melloyer were injured, but will recover.

## TOLD TO STAB AND SHE DID.

Girl's Anger and Youth's Folly Lead to a Tragedy.

Lancaster, Pa., April 3.—Ralph W. Kline, aged 28 years, an artist, was fatally stabbed yesterday by Jennie Good, aged 18.

Kline and Miss Good were members of a party who were fishing in the Little Conestoga, near Long Park. Kline and the girl had a quarrel, during which Miss Good threatened to cut out his heart. Thinking that she would not execute her threat, Kline threw out his chest and told her to stab. She did, plunging a knife into his breast near the heart. He is at a hospital, unconscious. The girl fled and has not yet been arrested.

## CHINESE MINERS STRIKE.

Serious Disturbances in Krugersdorp Results in Many Injured.

Johannesburg, April 3.—There was a serious disturbance near Krugersdorp on Saturday, arising out of a strike of Chinese miners. The police were called upon to restore order and in the conflict which followed several of the police and many Chinenmen were injured. Numerous arrests were made.

## Seagull Bought by Government.

Windsor, April 3.—The Department of Marine and Fisheries has purchased the steel steamer Seagull from the Far-ry Sound Lumber Co. and will use her as a lighthouse supply boat. The Seagull was built at Toronto in 1886, and measures 555 gross tons.

Happiness is found frequently in the most commonplace occurrences.

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THE SATELLITE

That new electric road will doubt send a wire to Wallace.

The electric road's brilliant eclipsed the new market in the eye.

I expect to see a rail connecting Chatham and Burg soon.

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When that electric railroad is built there'll be some new ties that will bind Chatham and Wallaceburg in close union.

I wonder if those duffers down at Toronto feel sufficiently honored? The editor of this G. H. J. is visiting them this week.

The only reason that there is no news of another Russian defeat is because Oyama's legs are not quite as long as Linievitch's.

The editor's away and natural things aren't running just as smoothly around here as usual. If you notice any rough places in the paper, smooth them out yourself.

ALL A BLUFF! A Satellite admits that he is so supremely wise. I admit that I am supremely foolish. Each admission as our acquaintances know, a w hime piece of bluff—Banner.

## WILD BIRDS

T. W. Smythe, Wellington, N.Z., is very much interested in T. Planet's crusade to stop the slaughter of the robins and the other feathered friends of the fruit grower. Mr. Smythe points out that the County Council in the native island of Lincoln, England, has taken a matter up and advertise in the papers that any one killing the wild birds or destroying their eggs will be promptly punished. In this way the penalty is kept forcibly before the thoughtless people.

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