

Personal & General

Mr. A. Munro Greer was the speaker at St. James' Parish Hall, Toronto, on March 17th.

The Encenia of King's College, Windsor, will take place this year on Thursday, May 6th.

The Dean of Niagara was the preacher at both services on March 21st in St. James' Cathedral, Toronto.

The Prince of Wales left Portsmouth on the "Renown," on his deferred trip to Australasia on March 16th.

Mrs. J. C. Roper, who has been spending some weeks in Victoria, B.C., with friends, returned last week to Ottawa.

The date of the Rupert's Land Diocesan Centenary celebrations has been fixed for the 11th to the 17th October next.

On Thursday, March 4th, a meeting was held at Windsor for the purpose of re-organizing the Society of the Friends of King's College.

The Right Rev. Frank DuMoulin, Bishop Coadjutor of Ohio, is staying with his mother this week at her home on Huntley Street, Toronto.

Dr. Barnardo's Homes, Stepney, have made the Home Government an offer to look after 690 ex-service men's children who are at present in workhouses.

Mr. Dixon Park Wagner gave a most interesting lecture in the Convocation Hall of Trinity College, Toronto, on March 20th, his subject being "Samuel Butler."

The Rev. Dr. Herbert Symonds addressed the Women's Canadian Club at the Chateau Laurier, on March 17th, his subject being, "Commercialized Vice and Its Evil."

It has been decided by Convocation at Oxford, by a majority of 75 in a House of 793, to make Greek entirely optional for candidates who desire to enter the University.

Owing to ill health, Rev. George Code, Rector of the parish of Athens, Oak Lea and Delta, has tendered his resignation. He was previously Rector of North Augusta for fourteen years.

The Rev. E. H. Knowles, M.A., Ph.D., has arrived from England, and has begun his work in the parish of West Shefford, P.Q. Mrs. Knowles and daughters will join him in a few weeks.

Rev. J. Cooper Robinson, our Senior Missionary, expects to sail from Victoria about April 8th on the "Kashima Maru," to resume missionary work in Japan. He leaves Toronto on March 30th.

On account of ill-health the Rev. Medley Paul Maxwell, late of Christ Church, Sydney, has been obliged to give up his post-graduate studies at Columbia College and the General Theological Seminary, New York.

The Rev. Dr. Thomas Carter, General Secretary of the Zenana Bible and Medical Mission, who is touring Canada in the interests of that organization, is spending a few weeks in Toronto.

The Rev. B. G. Bourchier, Vicar of St. Jude's-upon-the-Hill, Hampstead Garden Suburb, London, when in Halifax lately, visited Pine Hill College, and delivered an address which was greatly appreciated by the student body there.

Archdeacon Henry Beer, who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. L. M. Farrell, in Ottawa, has left for Toronto and Buffalo, N.Y., to visit his nieces and will then proceed to his home in British Columbia. He has just returned from the British West Indies where he spent the winter.

The Bishop of Montreal will hold an Ordination on the 25th March, 1920, in the chapel of the Diocesan College, Montreal, when the following are expected to present themselves for the order of priest, Rev. Arthur James Taylor and for the Order of Deacon, Edward Knowles, M.A., Ph.D.

Canon Fotheringham has been chosen to unveil the memorial to Hon. A. S. Hardy, former premier of Ontario, in the county buildings, on April 1. The speakers will include Brig-Gen. Sir John Gibson, former lieutenant-governor of Ontario, who was a colleague of Premier Hardy, and W. F. Cockshutt, M.P.

The monument to the memory of Joseph Scriven, author of the hymn, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," is to be unveiled at Scriven's grave in Pengeley Cemetery, Rice Lake, on Monday, May 24th, at 2 o'clock. The Premier of Ontario, Hon. E. C. Drury, has promised to be present to perform the unveiling.

The Rev. John Hodgkinson, B.A., at one time Curate at Holy Trinity, Toronto, has been appointed by the Bishop of Chelmsford, to the Vicarage of St. Andrew, Higham Hill, Walthamstow, Essex. Mr. Hodgkinson has recently been filling the senior curacy of St. Jude's, Mildmay Park, London, N.

The funeral of the late Mrs. William Boulbee took place on March 17th from the house, 73 Walmer Rd., Toronto, to St. James' Cemetery. The Rev. G. B. F. Doherty, Rector, St. Luke's Church, of which Mrs. Boulbee was a member for over 30 years, officiated. For many years the late Mrs. Boulbee had been the President of the Governing Body of the Infants' Home, Toronto, and she was also President for some years of St. Luke's Parish Guild.

As a direct outcome of the historic World Brotherhood Congress held in London last September; a similar Congress is planned for Washington in October next. To interest the men of Canada in the Congress and to spread the romantic story of how the Brotherhood Movement is encircling the globe, a number of distinguished leaders will shortly arrive in this country. They include: Mr. Harry Whitehorn, special correspondent to the London "Westminster Gazette"; Mr. W. G. Hooper, F.R.A.S. (whose theory that ether is subject to the laws of gravitation is arousing so much interest in scientific circles); Sir Richard Winfrey, M.P., late President of the Board of Agriculture; General Davey and Mr. Wm. Ward, the Commissioner of the World Brotherhood Federation. The gentlemen will speak in various churches throughout the Dominion and the United States. One main object will be the promotion of good will and brotherly feeling between Canada, U.S.A. and England, beginning at the logical centre—the churches.

Last Friday the funeral of the late R. B. Harcourt, head of the firm Harcourt & Son, Toronto, took place from St. Paul's, Toronto, after a lingering illness of two months, the result of influenza and pneumonia. Mr. Harcourt died on March 16th. For twenty-five years he had been Sunday School Superintendent at St. Paul's, and had always taken the keenest interest in the Church, having served as churchwarden and as secretary on every finance committee for the numerous enlargements of the church during the last twenty years. His warm personality, kindly interest and business ability were marks of the laymen who have been the backbone of our churches all over the land. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife (Eleanor Copp), his daughter, Mrs. Atkinson, of Ottawa, and his two sons, George in the business, and Cecil at Wycliffe College, both of whom have seen military service overseas.

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