

## Personal & General

Dr. Eden, Bishop of Wakefield, England, was sixty-three years of age on September 9th. He has been a Bishop for twenty-five years.

The Rev. Canon McMillan, of Lethbridge, Alberta, is at present in Eastern Canada. He has been compelled through ill-health to give up his parochial duties temporarily.

Captain the Rev. A. P. Shatford, of Montreal, who has been serving in France as a Chaplain for the past 18 months is returning to Canada, as is also Captain the Rev. W. H. Harris, of Red Deer.

Another grandson of the Rev. Canon Broughall, of Toronto, has lost his life at the front in the person of Lieut. Maurice Machell, son of Dr. Machell, of Toronto. Dr. Machell has two more sons at the front.

Captain the Rev. C. K. Masters, formerly of Warton, is at present serving at the front as Chaplain to the 38th Batt., 9th Brigade, in succession to Captain the Rev. C. E. Jeakins, now returned to Canada.

In a recent casualty list the name of Private Robert H. McKnight appears as having been wounded. Private McKnight was for 22 years a member of the choir of Holy Trinity, Toronto. He belongs to the 83rd Battalion.

The Rev. W. E. Norton, D.D., for many years Superintendent of the Baptist Home Mission Board, died in Toronto on Wednesday, September 20th. A man of deep earnestness and sane judgment, he won the confidence and respect of all who knew him.

Dr. Cooper, the Bishop of Armidale, N.S.W., has died after a year's illness. He was consecrated in 1895 as Bishop-Suffragan of Ballarat, and six years later he became the Diocesan of the united Dioceses of Grafton and Armidale.

Capt. the Rev. F. Brydges, who went overseas with the 123rd Battalion, has been appointed Chaplain of the Moore Park Barracks Hospital, Shornecliffe. A week or two ago he preached by request in St. Margaret's, Westminster, and after the service a great many Canadians waited to greet him.

News has been received in Toronto of the safe arrival in Japan of the Rev. Percy Powles and Mrs. Powles, who have gone to that country to work under the M.S.C.C. They left Toronto on August 24th. Mr. Powles is a graduate of the Diocesan Theological College and McGill University, Montreal.

Another clergyman has been awarded the V.C.—namely, the Rev. William Robert Addison, Chaplain, who early lived in a Canadian lumber camp. He carried a wounded man and assisted several others to cover. By his splendid example of utter disregard of danger he encouraged the stretcher-bearers to go forward under a heavy fire.

Lieut. H. E. Moore, son of the Rev. R. J. Moore, Rector of St. George's, Toronto, is reported to have been slightly wounded in the late offensive on the western front. He went overseas with the 81st Battalion. Prior to the outbreak of the war he was an undergraduate at Trinity College, Toronto. He is 19 years old.

The Very Rev. Maurice Day, Dean of Waterford, died lately after a brief illness at Court Macsherry, County Cork, where he had been spending a holiday. The late Dean came of a family with an ecclesiastical tradition. His father was the Right Rev. Maurice F. Day, former Bishop of Cashel, who is still affectionately remembered. He was also cousin of the present Bishop of Clogher.

Lieut. Maurice Machell, who was killed recently in action, was a graduate of Trinity University, Toronto, and at the outbreak of the war he was taking a post-graduate course in Divinity at the General Theological College in New York. The late Lieut. Machell was a son of Dr. Machell, of Toronto, and a grandson of Canon Broughall, late Rector of St. Stephen's, Toronto.

Her Highness Princess Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein, President of the Ladies' Auxiliary Committee of the Y.M.C.A., recently announced the receipt of a most generous gift of £1,000 from Major General His Highness the Maharajah Scindia of Gwalior, G.C.S.I., G.C.V.O., A.D.C., etc., for use of the British and Indian troops on active service—a portion of which is to be devoted to the troops in Mesopotamia.

The Rev. W. E. Taylor, Ph.D., who was compelled to return to Canada last spring owing to his wife's ill-health, has decided to continue his connection with the Foreign department of the International Y.M.C.A. He will not return to China, though, but will work in the United States and Canada. It was hoped that he would take up the work of Secretary of the Anglican Laymen's Missionary Movement, which he was considering favourably, and it was only recently at a conference with Dr. Mott and other Y.M.C.A. leaders that he decided definitely to stay with the latter organization.

Dr. Yeatman-Biggs, the Bishop of Worcester, who arrived last week at New York from England, in speaking about the British army at the front, in an interview said: "Ninety per cent. of the army now fighting in France are members of the Church of England. At the last ordination I accepted only two applicants, they being unfit for military service. No men fit for service in the army are applying for ordination, and none would be accepted if they did apply. They are to a man for their country in need." The Bishop has a son at the front. He is one of the delegates appointed by the Archbishop of Canterbury to represent the Church in England at the forthcoming General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, which is to be held at St. Louis.

The fiftieth year of the Bishop Strachan School has opened auspiciously. The entries have filled the School nearly to its capacity and all departments are marked by activity. The Junior School numbers ninety-four, of whom thirty-six are under eight years of age. It is accommodated in spacious and attractive quarters under the headship of Miss Rosseter, late head of the Third Division of the Ladies' College, Cheltenham. The Rhythmic Movement of M. Jacques Delage forms part of the physical training there. The Domestic Science Department, the Matriculation side, and other departments of the School are busy, too. Last year's Matriculation results numbered five honours certificates, nine full pass certificates, six certificates for eight papers or more, making a total of twenty successes.

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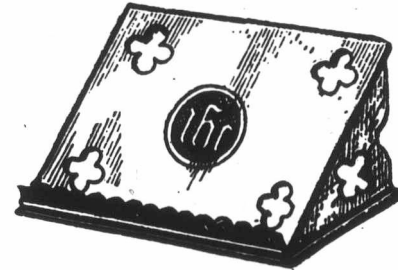
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