

ANGELICAN.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH

LONDON SOUTH.
REV. W. LESLIE ARMITAGE, M.A., Rector.
11 a.m.—REV. SAMUEL A. B. MERCEUR, Ph.D., D.D.,
(Egypologist, Author and Lecturer, Dean of Divinity, Trinity College, Toronto.)
Subject: "WHAT IS LEFT OF OUR RELIGIOUS FAITH AFTER THE QUESTIONINGS OF THE TIMES?"
7 p.m.—REV. DR. MERCEUR, Subject: "THE CHALLENGE OF OUR TIMES."
A hearty welcome to you. Hear these timely topics discussed by a master mind in a straightforward manner.
New members to be received into the A. V. F. A. at evening service.

Christ Church

Corner Wellington and Hill Sts.
C. R. Gunn, Rector.
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.

Cronyn Memorial

Cor. Queen's Ave. and William St.
QUINTIN WARNER, Rector.
RIDLEY PARSON, Assistant.
8:30—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
3 p.m.—The Church School.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.
Preacher: Quintin Warner.

St. John the Evangelist

Wellington and St. James Sts.
Rev. A. L. G. Clarke, Rector.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion and sermon.
11 a.m.—Holy Communion and sermon.
3 p.m.—The Church School.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.
The Rector at all services.

ANGELICAN.

St. Paul's Cathedral

Rector, the Very Rev. Dean Tucker, D.D.
Organist and Choirmaster, Harry T. Dickinson.
Second Sunday after Epiphany.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.
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Prached: Rev. Principal Walter, D.D.
Anthem—"Turn Thy Face Down, My Lord."
Soloist—Miss Logan.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.
Preacher—"The Dean."
Anthem—"Incense, Thine Incense, Himml."
Soloist—Mr. R. Westby.
The annual vestry meeting will be held at 8 p.m., Monday, the 21st, in the Cronyn Hall.

Egerton Street Gospel Hall

7 p.m.—Subject: "The Unpardonable Sin. What Is It?"
Mr. W. Ludbrook will preach.

METHODIST

ASKIN ST. METHODIST

11 a.m.—Rev. J. T. Cosby Morris, B.A., B.D.
Subject—"GROWING FAITH."
7 p.m.—Rev. Cosby Morris.
Subject—"LION HUNTING."
10 A.M.—THE BROTHERHOOD.
Full Choir under Dr. Smith.

COLBORNE ST. METHODIST

REV. HERBERT J. UREN, Pastor.
10 A.M.—THE BROTHERHOOD.—Address E. N. Hannah.
11 a.m.—"FAITH—AS A GRAIN."
2:45—BIBLE STUDY.
7 p.m.—"THE QUESTION OF PERSONAL SCRUTINY."
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer and Praise, including W. H. LIDDICOTT'S Lesson Study.

DUNDAS STREET CENTER

REV. JOHN GARBUETT, Minister.
11 a.m.—The minister. Subject: "THE LONELINESS OF JESUS." Braga Duet—"Inspire and Healer of Prayer."
2:45 p.m.—Sunday School, Bible Classes and Club No. 8.
7 p.m.—REV. T. A. SYMINGTON, Knox Church.
Soprano Solo—"Hear Ye, Israel" (Elijah). Mendelssohn.
Chorus—"Be Not Afraid" (Elijah). Mendelssohn.
Chorus—"O My Soul" (Elijah). Apollon Ivanov.
J. Parnell Morris, L. Mus., A.C.C.O., Organist and Choirmaster.

FIRST METHODIST

REV. BRUCE HUNTER, B.A., B.D., Pastor.
Rev. E. W. Jewitt, B.A., Director of Religious Education.
10 a.m.—Class Meeting and Brotherhood.

Brotherhood Address—"IMMIGRATION." Rev. R. J. Bowen.
11 a.m.—"INSPIRATION AND CULTURE."—The Pastor.
Presenting the claims of the Educational Dept. of our church.
3 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL IN WESLEY HALL.
7 p.m.—"THE CHOICE OF LITERATURE."—The Pastor.
The third in a series of addresses on "Practical Things to Young People."
8:30 p.m.—SOCIAL HALF HOUR.
Choir Leader, George C. Carrie. Organist, Kingsley N. Ireland.

WELLINGTON ST. CHURCH

Rev. G. T. Watts, B.D., Pastor.
10 A.M.—MEN'S CLASS MEETINGS.
11 a.m.—"IS THE O.T.A. A FAILURE?"—The Pastor.
2:45 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL AND BIBLE CLASSES.
7 p.m.—WOMEN'S MISSIONARY ANNIVERSARY.
Mrs. Gordon Wright, president of the London Branch, Women's Missionary Society.

Centennial Methodist

11 a.m.—"THE SIN WE ARE AFRAID TO SPEAK OF."
6:45 p.m.—Song Service. Illustrated Hymns.
7 p.m.—"God's Twin Laws."
Every member of the congregation is urged to be present.
A. E. M. THOMSON, Pastor.
Theodore Gray, Organist.

Ennyp Ave. Church

Rev. J. F. Chapman, B.A., Pastor.
10 a.m.—Fellowship meeting.
11 a.m.—"The Great Question."
2:45 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—"The Rejected Invitation."
Miss Taylor, Organist.

Hyatt Ave. Methodist

10 a.m.—Brotherhood. Rev. Roy D. Mess.
11 a.m.—"LET NOTHING BE LOST."
(National Thrift Sunday).
7 p.m.—"The Art of Christian Living."
The Sherlock-Manning Company will attend this service.
Sherlock-Manning Quartet and Chorus.
J. McAlpine, Director of Music.
R. J. McCormick, Pastor.

Ridout St. Methodist

J. A. AGNEW, PASTOR.
Res., 87 Windsor Ave.
11 a.m.—Subject: "The Heart's Need."
7 p.m.—Subject: "Have You Good Ears?"
10 a.m.—Brotherhood will visit Beth-emanuel Brotherhood.
Ridout Street South cars stop at the church.
W. Gordon Scott, Organist.
STRANGERS WELCOME.

Robinson Memorial

Rev. W. L. Hiles, B.A., Minister.
11 a.m.—"The Church a Family."
7 p.m.—"A Question in Profit and Loss."

The Salvation Army

NO. 1—CLARENCE ST.
(South of Dundas).
Sunday, Jan. 20—11 a.m., 3 and 7 p.m.
2 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
Captain Woodley, Chatham, Ont.
NO. 2—TECUMSEH AND EDWARD.
(South London).
Sunday, Jan. 20—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
Ensigns Chittenden and Stokes.
NO. 3—RECTOR ST.
(South of Dundas).
Saturday, Jan. 19, 8 p.m.
Sunday, Jan. 20—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
Adjutant Holland.
NO. 4—OAK ST.
(North of Trafalgar).
Sunday, Jan. 20—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
Captain Tate, Lieutenant DeWolfe.
UNITED HOLINESS MEETING.
CLARENCE ST.
(South of Dundas).
Every Friday Evening, 8 o'clock.
Brigadier McAmmond.
(All charge London Division).
(In City Corps, Music and Song).

First Spiritual Church

Rectory street, opposite Nelson street.
Leader, Mrs. M. Rawson, speaker, Mr. D. Mills. Services 3 and 7 p.m. Evening.
"The Thing of Death." Coming entire week Jan. 27 to Feb. 2, inclusive.
Mr. F. Todd, St. Catharines, medium, lecturer and message bearer.
YORK STREET MISSION HALL.
Morning preacher, Mr. Joseph Henry. Evening subject: "Watchman, What of the Night?" Preacher, Mr. J. C. Elliott from the First Methodist Church. Bright singing.

BAPTIST.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST

REV. BOWLEY GREEN, D.D., Pastor.
Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Dr. Green will occupy his own pulpit both morning and evening.

SPECIAL EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS COMMENCE THIS SUNDAY EVENING

A very cordial invitation is given to all.

Adelaide St. Baptist

MORNING:
REV. E. A. BROWNLEE, B.A., of Toronto.

Sunday School at 3 p.m.

EVENING:
REV. E. A. BROWNLEE, B.A.

Wortley Road Baptist

THE CHURCH WITH A MESSAGE.
R. J. MURPHY, B.D., Pastor.
11 a.m.—Subject: "THE TRANSFIGURATION."
7 p.m.—Subject: "FINDING A BRIDE."

Egerton Street Baptist

Rev. A. Burgess, Minister.
11 a.m.—Bible School.
3 p.m.—Bible School.
6:45 p.m.—Organ Recital.
7 p.m.—"Faith." Communion at close.

Maitland Street Baptist

REV. DR. SOWERBY will preach.
11 A.M.—SUBJECT: Belshazzar and the Wages of Sin.
7 p.m.

"Justified by Blood"
"Saved From Wrath"
Choice Song Service.
ALL WELCOME.

PRESBYTERIAN

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Corner Dufferin Avenue and Clarence Street.
Hotel Guests and other strangers will find this a convenient downtown location. Seats in this church are free. Come and worship.
COL. THE REV. WILLIAM BEATTIE, D.D., C.M.G., MINISTER.
MR. GEORGE LETHBRIDGE, DIRECTOR OF MUSIC.
Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.—Church School at 8 p.m.
Evening Sermonette—"SHOULD THE GOVERNMENT REIMBURSE THE HOME BANK DEPOSITORS?"
Sermon: "THE EMPTY HOUSE SWEEP CLEAN."

KNOX CHURCH

WORTLEY ROAD AND BRUCE STREET.
REV. T. A. SYMINGTON, M.A., Minister.
CHARLES E. PERCY, Director of Music.
OPENING SERVICES CONTINUED.
11 A.M.—REV. MATHEW KELLY, PUBLIC WORSHIP.
First Congregational Church, London.
7 P.M.—REV. CAPT. JOHN GARBUETT, Dundas Center Methodist Church.
The new organ is complete and Mr. Percy will give a recital before and after the evening service.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Rev. D. C. MacGregor, D.D., Minister.
Rev. F. W. K. Harris, B.A., Director of Religious Education.
C. E. Wheeler, F.C.C.O., Organist and Choir Director.
Public Worship Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the Minister.
Morning Subject: "WITNESSING IN JERUSALEM."
Evening Subject: "THE LAST JUDGMENT."
10 A.M.—BROTHERHOOD. Mr. G. W. Hoffer speaker.
"SOME MODERN MOVEMENTS IN EDUCATION."
12:15 P.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
3 P.M.—YOUNG PEOPLE'S CLASSES.
A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL SERVICES.

Hamilton Road

M. Fraser Cree, B.A., Minister.
SERVICES AS USUAL.

King St. Presbyterian

W. R. MCINTOSH, MINISTER.
10 a.m.—Brotherhood visits Askin Street.
11 a.m.—Subject: "CHANGING ONE'S RELIGION."
(Studies in Acts).
7 p.m.—Subject: "FUNDAMENTAL QUESTIONS."
No. 2. "Is the Bible Infallible?"
Bible Difficulties Explained.
Questions Answered.

New St. James'

Cor. Oxford and Wellington Sts.
Rev. James MacKay, B.D., Minister.
Pecky Q. King, Musical Director.
Morning: "PEACE FOR THE DISTURBED SOUL."
Evening: "REVELATION OF JESUS CHRIST."
(First of a series on the Revelations)
Sunday School and Adult Bible Study Class, 3 p.m.

International Bible Students Association

Speaker—G. J. Glover.
Subject—"Is There No Death?"
HYMAN HALL, SUNDAY, 3 O'CLOCK.
Seats Free. No Collection.

Hamilton Road Gospel Hall

Corner Grey Street.
ALEXANDER MARSHALL
Veteran Scottish Evangelist, will conduct
SPECIAL EVANGELISTIC SERVICES
for one week only, commencing Sunday at 7 p.m. Week nights (except Saturday), at 8 p.m.
CHORUS AND SONG SERVICE AT 7:45 P.M.
"Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God."
—St. John 3:3.

SPECIAL SERVICES

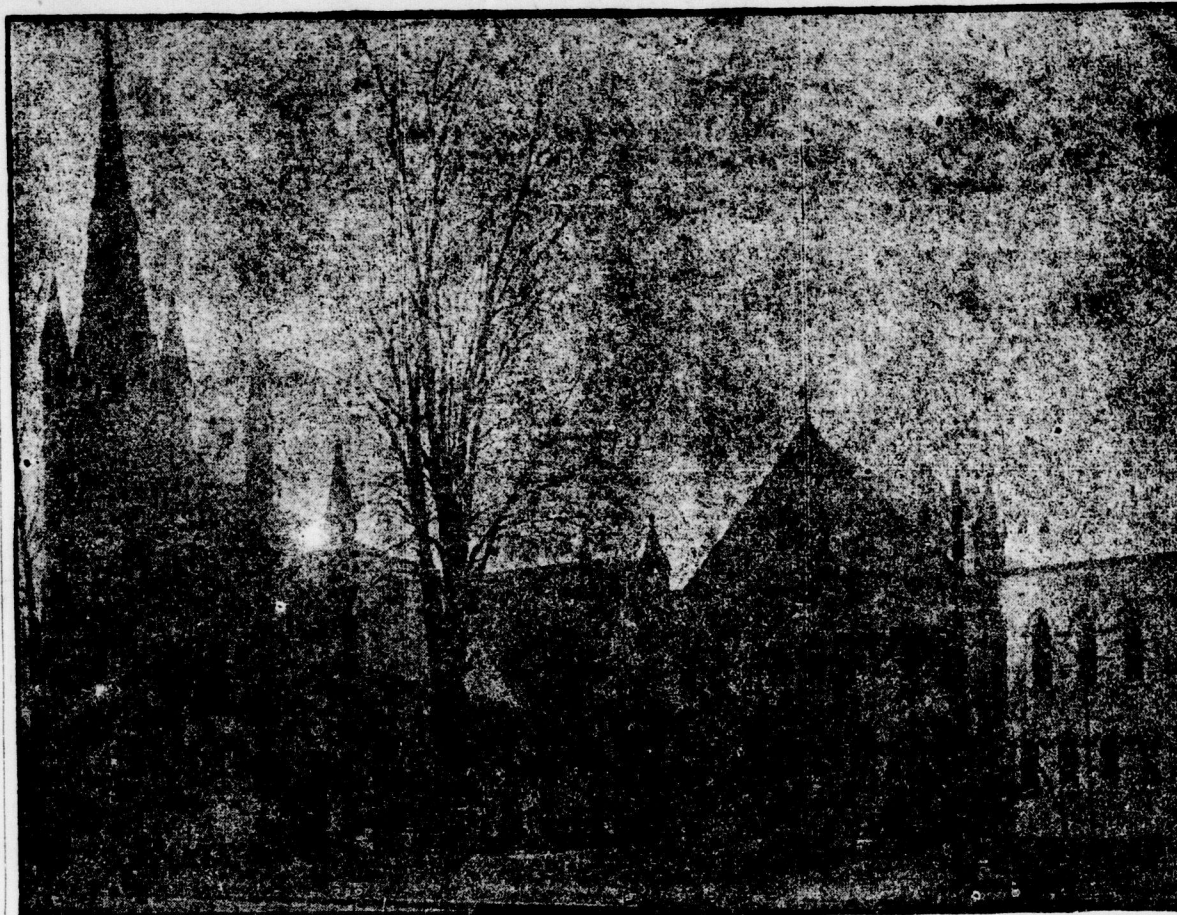
CONDUCTED BY
REV. H. A. KOEHLER
OF BOSTON.
10 TO 12 A.M.—PRAYER SERVICE.
7 P.M.—SUBJECT: "ANSWER TO THE INFIDEL"
Science vs. Religion.

SAINTS CHURCH

Maitland Street, Near York.
EVERYBODY WELCOME.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist
Richmond and Kent Streets
SUNDAY SERVICES, 11 IN THE MORNING, AND 7 IN THE EVENING.
THE SUBJECT OF THE SERMON FOR THIS SUNDAY IS:
"LIFE"
Wednesday evening meeting, at which testimonies of healing through Christian Science are given, is held at 8 o'clock.
THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND THESE SERVICES.
SUNDAY SCHOOL, 11 A.M.
This church maintains a FREE READING ROOM, located in the Bank of Toronto Chambers, corner Richmond and King streets, open daily except Sundays and holidays, from 10 to 5, where the Bible and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read, borrowed or purchased.



BUILDINGS OF ST. JAMES' CHURCH.

The group of handsome buildings which at the present time form St. James' Church, South London.

ST. JAMES ANNIVERSARY RECALLS DEVELOPMENT

Fiftieth Birthday Brings Forth Story of Work in City.

BUT TWO PASTORS

Present Rector Has Worked to Promote Social Life in Church.

By OLIVE HOGG.

Birthdays are a never-failing source of interest. Sometimes individuals stop having holidays. That is when they prefer not to think of approaching time, and physicians even have been heard to say that this is a wise thing. But with institutions birthdays never stop. And a fiftieth birthday is twice as proud an occasion as a twenty-fifth birthday. So recently, when St. James' Church, South London, celebrated its fiftieth anniversary and issued to mark the occasion, a handsome booklet, the affair was one of interest to the hundreds of Anglicans in the city.

St. James' Church is the second child of the Anglican family in the city. Every follower of Christ of England in the city pays obeisance to St. Paul's Cathedral as the mother church, for from it sprang all the Anglican churches where now hundreds of Londoners worship.

Christ Church, known and beloved, was the first offspring of St. Paul's Cathedral. The rector of Christ Church, realizing the growth of the town in its southern quarter, commenced to hold services in the old Askin Street schoolhouse. In the year 1868, and from this humble beginning, St. James' Church, now one of the finest of its denomination in the city had its growth.

The service was first opened for divine worship. A plain little wooden building, 24 feet wide and 42 feet long. But dedicated to the service of God.

Among Anglican churches of the city, particularly the older-established, St. James' Church enjoys this unique distinction—it has had in all its 50 years, but two pastors. For 46 years, the name "Davis" and St. James' Church were practically synonymous. Rev. Evans Davis came as a young man from a mission post at Bayfield, and in 1874 became the first rector of St. James' Church.

After 43 years of service and six months, later, owing to ill-health, the rector resigned, but it was not as Rev. Evans Davis, but as Dean of the Diocese of Huron, and his resignation did not go before a small congregation assembled in the small frame building, but before one of the largest congregations in the city, who assembled in one of the handsomest of the diocesan buildings to give its reluctant acceptance.

Following is a short history of the parish:
"The original church opened in November, 1873, soon proved too small as the congregation grew rapidly, and in 1876, more land was purchased and a new church erected on the site of the present edifice at a cost for building and furnishing of about \$10,000. This church was opened on November 18, 1877, and the old building continued to be used as a Sunday School. The present rectory property was purchased in 1882 at the price paid for same being \$3,700. Throughout the next decade, the church steadily increased in membership.

Beautiful from an architectural point of view, and modern in every respect, these buildings had their origin in a little frame building about 20 by 40. Today they represent one of the finest churches in the diocese.



REV. W. L. ARMITAGE.

present rector of St. James' Church. Mr. Armitage is but the second rector in the 50 years of parish history. He succeeded Dean Davis, after the latter's incumbency of over 42 years.

ship and was in a good financial position, the debt being practically extinguished in 1892, only a small balance of \$200 then remaining on the mortgage.

In 1893 a new Sunday School was erected at a cost of over \$5,000, and in 1897 it was again found necessary to enlarge the church building which was done at an expenditure of about \$8,000, when the former church and part of the move were extended and transepts thrown out on either side. C. B. Hunt was chairman of the building committee at this time, other members being John M. Dillon, A. S. Emery, R. E. Hungerford, George White and Prof. Franklin Harrison, while the finance committee was headed by John Pope with Mrs. C. S. Hyman as treasurer. This extension of 1897 brought forth the complete church building as it is today, but since then, from time to time, many things have been added, and which have increased the beauty, convenience and comfort of the edifice. In 1906 a new organ was installed at a cost of \$2,000, in addition to the old organ, an estimated total of \$4,500.

During the time of the present rector, the rectory has been renovated and modernized, a large part of the church has been re-roofed, a memorial tablet and a sounding board over the pulpit have been erected in memory of those who served in the great war.

motor for the organ has been installed, and chancel guild and the choir vestry have been altered and re-lighting was installed in the chancel, and a valuable set of dosels and communion veils provided.

Men's Club Work.
From the Jubilee booklet is the following passage:
"Among the many improvements carried out in these recent years, so unique as to deserve more than passing notice. It having become necessary to install a new heating system for church and Sunday school, the Men's Club in 1921 undertook to do the work themselves, and under the leadership of W. Thomson and E. B. Hessel, carried this project to a successful conclusion, at the bare cost of materials. A splendid low-pressure heating plant which would in the ordinary way have cost about \$8,000 was put in at an actual expenditure of approximately \$3,500. Those assisting in this work were: W. Arnold, W. T. Baker, H. Clarke, E. J. Dawson, Lewis Hessel, E. Hill, C. Hodgins, Fred Hallett, Francis Hallett, Francis Hallett, H. R. Frank, C. Hushband, J. B. Kermar, J. McNaughton, Colin Palmer, H. E. Palmer, Raymond Smith, J. M. Smith, F. H. Speer, Wm. Watts and W. H. White. A number of others who work gave financial assistance towards it, some \$1,400 being specially subscribed, so that the actual increase of the church debt on account of this great addition to the plant and equipment, valued at \$5,000, was approximately \$2,000 only.

"The Men's Club also contributed an excellent tennis court at the rear of the Sunday school, and a bowling alley in the basement, where a few local women who enjoy a

sides painting the church, rewiring the Sunday school and other minor, but necessary improvements."
In the celebration of its jubilee, St. James' Church realized one of its great ambitions. This was the erection of a modern and sufficiently large parish house, as a free gift, Miss Eleanor S. Emery, deeded to the church a house and lot to the west of the Sunday school building. The house was sold and removed, and on the ground has been built a parish hall of two-story bricks, 20 feet wide and 70 feet deep, with classrooms, classrooms, and a modern kitchen. The building, formally opened by the bishop, June 1 of last year, is valued at \$25,000, and has a substantial claim to being the best of its sort in the entire diocese. From time to time, the architectural beauty of the church has been added to by handsome stained glass windows, mural tablets and other memorials.

Church Memorials.

The jubilee booklet bears the following list: "The Last Supper," bearing the inscription: "In loving memory of John and his wife Sarah A. Kent," on the west side. "The Ascension," "In loving memory of Samuel Burkholder and Margaret Burkholder," in the east transept, a double representation. "The Resurrection," "In memory of A. Puddicombe, died Jan. 31, 1894, and S. Ward Puddicombe, died July 20, 1891," and in the west transept, the "Dean's Window," erected by the members and friends of the congregation. In the west nave, "St. James the Apostle," erected in the memory of William Henry Whitehead; in the east nave, "Christ Blessing Little Children," erected in memory of John Pope, and next to this a representation of "The Good Shepherd," erected by the Sunday school. There are five mural tablets erected to the memory of John and his wife, a missionary, Charles Hutchinson, a crown attorney and clerk of the peace, Richard Becher Hungerford, warden for fifteen years, and Lieut. Col. T. Hodgins, formerly of H. M. 24th Regiment. The other memorials are the pulpit, erected by Archdeacon Davis to his parents; the prayer desk, "sacred to the memory of Matthew Clifford; a second prayer desk, "In memory of Matthew Henry Clifford, who died four years later; a lesson desk, "In memory of Charles Ellis Hyman; a communion table, presented by the Chancel Guild of 1918; the evidence of the memory of Sergt. C. H. Collyer, killed at Killbecke, 1918; the sanctuary prayer desk, "In memory of Corporal Haysman A. Aitken, killed at Cambrai, 1918; a memorial tablet, "In memory of S. and E. J. Emery," the book rest, presented in memory of Ada C. Pope by the Chancel Guild of 1914; a second book rest in memory of Constance Whitehead, the baptismal font, presented by Mrs. H. H. Nelles, and the sounding board over the pulpit, and the roll of honor on the west wall, erected by the congregation in memory of those who served their country in the great war, of whom seventeen did not return: C. Carrae, R. Carrae, C. H. Collyer, W. Baker, R. Mowat, O. A. Hicks, H. Aitken, E. Atkinson, R. W. Whetter, S. W. Carrae, W. York, W. C. Howlett, L. Skelly, A. Aitken, C. Holland, E. L. Morely and A. E. Lilley. The one hundred and nineteen others and the five nurses who also gave valiant service are listed on the honor roll erected on the north wall.

Popular Rector.

During his lifetime, Dean Davis, was known city-wide. He became a canon in 1888, an archdeacon in 1894, and was made dean of the diocese in 1902. During the latter years of his incumbency, he was assisted from time to time by curates. Among these were Rev. A. L. G. Clarke, now rector of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, and Rev. A. S. H. Cree of the Church of the Redeemer.

The present rector, Rev. W. L. Armitage, came to St. James' Church after nearly seven years spent as rector of St. Mark's Church, Toronto. Modern in the sense that he clearly saw the church as an influence on the social as well as the spiritual life of the city, he has applied to St. James' Church has seen progress which itself speaks for the success of his ministry. With the young people and the children of the church he has been particularly successful, aided by Mrs. Armitage, who was not long in the city before her aptitude for girls' work manifested itself, and she was drawn into a large and interesting field of activity. For two years she acted successfully as president of the Girls' Work Board, and still works in this connection. In the Diocese W. A. also, Mrs. Armitage was also prominent. Her bowling alley in the basement, be-

KNOLLWOOD PARK SEEKS EXTENSION OF CITY SERVICES

Ratepayers of the Suburb Will Confer With Mayor and Aldermen.

NEEDS OUTLINED

Knollwood Park ratepayers seek railway extensions and other improvements. A meeting of the members of the Knollwood Park and District Improvement Association has been called for Tuesday night next in the schoolhouse, and Mayor Wenke and the three aldermen from Ward Four, Shaw, Hayden and Smith, have been invited to attend.

A. A. Williams, secretary, explained that the members, as during 1923, seek to co-operate with the city council in all matters pertaining to their district, and they also propose that their organization shall be the most aggressive and useful of any of its kind in the city now or in past years.

Other questions of interest will also be considered at Tuesday's session, including good roads, sewer, water connections, etc.
"We are receiving as good service from the street railway bus as could be expected under the circumstances," the secretary explained, "but we have noticed an appeal for increased transportation service for other sections of the city, and that the city is entitled to more truckage from the company. In view of that we feel that Knollwood Park is entitled to initial consideration."

EMPHATICALLY DENIES KNOWLEDGE OF MURDER

Walter Bennett Faces Court in Windsor For Death of Herbert Bennetto.

Special to The Advertiser.

Windsor, Jan. 18.—Maintaining a calm front throughout an hour of grilling by Peter White, K.C., crown prosecutor, Walter Bennett, 37 years old, Great War veteran, stoutly denied all knowledge of the murder of Herbert Bennetto, his landlord, at Ford on the night of Nov. 13.

The courtroom was packed to capacity when the accused walked, without a display of nerve, to the witness box at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Confronted with a five-foot piece of two by four scantling, which the prosecution alleges caused the death of Bennetto, Bennett repeated, over and over again, his denial, though admitting that he was intoxicated on the night of the crime. He suffered "small shocks" in the last few days, he pleaded in a convincing manner.

"I cannot remember anything at all about what took place," he replied to the crown prosecutor's pressing cross-examination. He hung his head while admitting improper relations with the wife of the slain husband.

Mrs. Bennetto, 26 years old, was in the witness box more than two hours. With the exception of saying that she saw the scantling in Bennett's hands, she failed to give the sensational evidence expected. She admitted with a laugh that she lost her love for the slain husband two years ago, because she accused her of being too friendly with another man.

Joseph Matta, proprietor of the store above which the Bennetto Building stood, said that Bennett told him "Done it."

The case went to the jury at 10 o'clock, after James Clark, counsel for the defence, made a strong appeal for acquittal. No evidence was offered, he submitted, to show that Bennett struck the fatal blow.

"I am inclined to believe," he said to the jury, "that Bennetto was murdered by a blow from a bottle in the hands of some person other than the accused."

L. A. A. INTERMEDIATES ROUNDING INTO FORM

Last night saw fourteen men of the London A. A. Intermediates. A. B. A. squad, all lit up in their new black, red and white outfits, going through a strenuous drill on the armories floor. Among the candidates were Harold Collins, Jack Lightfoot, Art Jackson, Gerry Goodman, George Loveless, Bill Duffell, Buster Reid, Art Bennett, Cud Lawrence and George Douglas.

The next practice will be held Monday night at the armories.

quiet little reputation for being excellent chairwomen and able to hustle through a great many important, but none the less routine matters of business and get down to the chief thing on hand with promptness and despatch. Mrs. Armitage is one of these. A graduate of Toronto University, she spent her girlhood in Cobourg.

Lived in Kincardine.

Mr. Armitage had his home not quite so far from the city, since he came from near Kincardine in Bruce County, attending Kincardine High School before going to Queen's University, of which he is a graduate. Following his ordination, after the term at Huron College, Mr. Armitage became assistant at the Cronyn Memorial, and was also placed in charge of All Saints' Church, then a mission. Later he became assistant at St. John's Church, Peterboro, and while there, peculiarly enough, he was placed in charge of All Saints' Church, of which he later became the first rector. Following this, Mr. Armitage was the vicar of the Church of St. Mary Magdalene, Picton, and from that place went to Toronto to become rector of St. Mark's Church.

Mr. Armitage's belief in co-operation of the churches, leading in time to a still greater unity, is ably demonstrated by his interest in all inter-denominational affairs. Particularly is he interested, as these affairs represent the young people of the city. Small in stature and quiet in bearing, he is now the less resolute, and has the businessman's gift of sifting out of a mass of material the key object, then dealing with it to its solution.