

Personal & General

The Rev. Canon and Mrs. Plumtre have left Toronto for the Georgian Bay.

The Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Symonds of Montreal have gone to Knowlton, P.Q., for the summer.

The Rev. E. A. Dunn and Mrs. Dunn left New York for Barbados, W.I., on Friday, July 6th.

Bishop Lennox Williams, of Quebec, and Mrs. Williams, have gone for their summer holiday to Tadousac, P.Q.

Mrs. Hanington, widow of the late Canon Hanington, of Ottawa, is at present paying a visit to the Rev. and Mrs. James Warren in Toronto.

The Rev. E. C. Cayley, of Toronto, Mrs. Cayley, and the members of their family have gone to their island near Ferndale in Muskoka for the summer.

The Rev. H. J. Mikell, D.D., Rector of Christ Church, Nashville, Tenn., has been elected Bishop of Atlanta in succession to the late Bishop Nelson.

Rev. W. M. Trivett and Mrs. Trivett of the M.S.C.C. Mission in Honan, China, are expected to reach Vancouver on furlough towards the end of July.

The Rev. Dyson Hague, of the Church of the Epiphany, Toronto, will preach a series of sermons on "The Cheers of Christ" on the last three Sundays in July.

Dr. Manning, the Rector of Trinity Church, New York, has declined to accept his election to the Bishopric of Western New York, which occurred recently.

Three ex-Nonconformist ministers were ordained to the diaconate in England on Trinity Sunday, one by the Bishop of Ripon and two by the Bishop of Chelmsford.

Colonel Sir Robert Williams, Bart., M.P., has been appointed to succeed Sir John H. Kennaway as President of the C.M.S. Sir Robert has acted as Treasurer of the Society since 1895.

The following movements amongst the Chaplains are announced: Major C. C. Owen has gone to France from England, and Major D. V. Warner has been appointed Senior Chaplain for the Metropolitan District.

Special services in commemoration of the Jubilee of Canada's Confederation were held in London on July 1st in St. Columba's Church, Belgravia, the Marylebone Parish Church and Westminster Cathedral respectively.

The engagement of Miss Abbott, daughter of the late Rev. John Abbott of Halifax, and the Most Rev. C. L. Worrell, Archbishop of Nova Scotia, has been announced. Miss Abbott is a sister of the Very Rev. H. P. Almon Abbott, Dean of Cleveland, Ohio.

Captain John Henry Grasett Strathy, M.C., has been wounded for the second time. No particulars regarding the nature of his wounds have, as yet, been received. Captain Strathy was born at Barrie 35 years ago. He is a nephew of Colonel Grasett, the Chief Constable of Toronto.

With the concurrence of the Archbishop of Canterbury—who was an-

nounced to preach—the Dean and Chapter of Peterborough Cathedral have postponed the fuller observance of the 800th anniversary of the Cathedral which was to have been celebrated on St. Peter's Day, June 29th, until the restoration of peace.

Captain Evans, D.S.O., of H.M.S. "Brooke," who was with Captain Scott on his last Antarctic expedition, was asked to draw a few penguins on the back of a menu card at a private luncheon given in his honour at Liverpool, England, recently. The card was put up for sale and realized £1,000 for the Red Cross.

Capt. the Rev. C. E. Jeakins, Rector of St. Jude's Church, Brantford, and late Chaplain of the 58th Battalion, has been appointed Senior Chaplain at Camp Borden, and he leaves to assume his duties there for the summer very shortly. Capt. Jeakins made the announcement to his congregation at the Sunday services on July 1st.

Sir Herbert Beerbohm Tree, the well-known actor, died in a nursing home in London on July 1st quite suddenly and unexpectedly. A few days previously and very shortly after his return from America he underwent an operation necessitated by his slipping on the stairs and hurting his knee, which was entirely successful. The distinguished actor was born in London in 1853, and since Sir Henry Irving's death he has been the outstanding figure on the English stage.

Mrs. James Innis, who resides in West Anstruther, Fifeshire, entered her 105th year on May 23rd. She was born two years before the Battle of Waterloo. Though now confined to bed, she retains most of her faculties, and has a wonderful memory for events of nearly a hundred years ago. Twice married, she has a number of grandchildren, great-grandsons, and great-granddaughters, four great-great-grandsons, and two great-great-granddaughters. Her son, by her first marriage, is eighty-four years of age.

Captain W. A. Bishop, of Owen Sound, who is only 19 years of age, has created a record in the way of decorations for bravery and gallantry at the front. Word has been received at Ottawa that he has won the Victoria Cross. Previous to the awarding of this great honour he had been decorated with the Distinguished Service Order and the Military Cross. He is said to be the only man alive to have won all of these three decorations. Up to June 10th the young aviator had brought down 21 German airplanes, two balloons, and had been in 57 combats. He has been congratulated by Sir Douglas Haig, and Premier Sir Robert Borden has recently written a congratulatory letter to his father, W. A. Bishop, registrar of Grey County.

Canon Allen Edwards, the Vicar of All Saints', South Lambeth, London, Eng., who was one of the best known of the Evangelical clergy in South London, died very suddenly on June 7th. He was one of the Residentiary Canons of Southwark Cathedral. For the past 43 years he was the Vicar of All Saints', South Lambeth, and he also had in his parish the largest parochial Sunday Schools in the whole of London. The contributions from his Sunday Schools only to the Church Missionary Society often exceeded the sum of £100 in a single year. Canon Allen Edwards was assisted in his work at Lambeth by many admirable curates, the best known perhaps being Bishop Cassels, of West China, who was one of the famous "Cambridge Seven."

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