

Personal & General

The Dominion Government has decided to erect a Memorial War Museum at Ottawa.

Rev. A. Ritchie Yeoman, Rector of Aylesford, N.S., is critically ill of pneumonia, which followed an attack of influenza.

The Rev. R. Perdue, Rector of Walkerton, Ontario, has been appointed inspector of the Children's Aid Society of the County of Bruce.

The Bishop of Keewatin sailed from St. John last month for England, where he will visit with relatives and friends, taking a much-needed rest and change.

Word has been received that Gunner A. H. Lea, No. 339934, was decorated with the Military Medal. He has been in France nearly two years, going over with the 24th Battery, 8th Army Brigade, C.F.A.

At a recently-held meeting of the Dean and Chapter of Westminster Abbey, Canon W. H. Carnegie was appointed Archdeacon of Westminster in place of Archdeacon Pearce, now Sub-Dean of Westminster Abbey.

The Bishop of Toronto preached in connection with the seventh anniversary of St. Edmund's Church, Toronto, on Sunday morning, and in the evening in connection with the forty-second anniversary of the Rev. Anthony Hart's ordination at St. Mary the Virgin.

Mr. J. B. Walkem, K.C., a resident of Kingston, Solicitor to the Synod of Ontario, completed half a century in the practice of law at Kingston on New Year's Day. He is now 76 years old and is still engaged in active practice.

Canon Garrett, of Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont., is at present in charge of All Saints' Church, Niagara Falls, Ont., during the absence of Canon Beaver, who has gone south on a two months' vacation for the benefit of his health.

Major Rev. W. E. Kidd, M.C., has been appointed senior Chaplain of the Canadian Segregation Camp at Rhyl, in Wales. Captain Rev. A. E. Wilken has been appointed senior Chaplain of the Borden area. Captain the Rev. W. A. R. Ball has been posted to the London area.

Nursing-Sister Keelands has brought back with her to her home in Strathroy, Ont., a sword presented to her by a wounded French officer, to whom it was given by his father, a veteran of the Franco-Prussian War. With it the son had slain four German officers at Verdun.

The Rev. Henry Masters Moore and Mrs. Masters Moore, late of Bankipur, North India, who have been spending the last four months in Toronto, are leaving this week for Montreal and Quebec en route for Halifax, from which port they will sail for England on the "Olympic" on the 20th inst.

Through the Indian Department, the Six Nations Indians at Brantford, have received a reply from the King to their message of congratulations filed when the armistice was signed. In this the King declared that he joined hands with the Six Nations in

returning thanks to the Great Spirit for the coming again of the blessing of peace.

At the request of the Bishop of Toronto, Mr. J. M. McWhinney, honorary treasurer, and Rev. Canon Vernon the General Secretary of the Council for Social Service, represented the Church of England on the delegation which on Friday last waited on Premier Hearst, of Ontario, in the interest of the establishment of a system of Mothers' Allowances.

Canon Vernon, the organizing secretary of the Social Service Council, is spending this month in Ontario. He met the Executive on January 2nd, and has temporary office quarters at the Toronto Synod office. He will commence duties on May 1st. Last Sunday he preached in St. Alban's Cathedral and Trinity (east) Church, Toronto.

Word has been received from his relatives at Jamestown, N.D., that Capt. H. C. H. Brayfield has been awarded a bar to the Military Cross for conspicuous bravery in action. Capt. Brayfield is an old St. John's College, Winnipeg, boy. He went overseas as a private in "B" company of the 8th Battalion (Little Black Devils), his number being 230.

Amongst the New Year's honours is the name of Captain Anthony M. Reid, adjutant of the 2nd Battalion, Canadian Engineers, son of the Rev. A. J. Reid, Rector of St. Chad's, Earls Court, who has been awarded the Military Cross. Captain Reid has been overseas nearly three years and was wounded at the battle of Arleux, which followed Vimy Ridge. In the last letter received by his people he was with his battalion nearing the German frontier.

Rev. Canon Plumtre, Rev. R. J. Moore, of St. George's Church; Prof. F. H. Cosgrove, of Trinity College; Mr. Justice Hodgins, of the Ontario Court of Appeals; and Mr. Thomas Mortimer is the personnel of the distinguished Toronto churchmen who will visit Detroit next Sunday and Monday as guests of Detroit clergy and laity. On Sunday the pulpits of the larger Episcopal Churches will be occupied by the visitors, and on Monday evening there will be a dinner at the Michigan Church Club in honor of these Canadians.

Colonel George McLaren Brown, of Hamilton, has been made a Knight Commander of the Order of the British Empire. Sir George, who was appointed about three years ago to the position of assistant director-general of railway operations in Great Britain, rendered signal service in transportation of troops and supplies in England. He is a son of Mr. Adam Brown, the veteran postmaster of Hamilton, who has been a life-long member of the Church of the Ascension, and for a number of years a member of the Diocesan Synod of Niagara.

Mrs. Emily McGinnis, the wife of Rev. R. H. McGinnis, Rector of the Church of the Holy Communion, Tacoma, Wash., who died of pneumonia recently in Tacoma, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vose, Toronto. She spent eleven years in Japan where her husband was a missionary. Both Mr. and Mrs. McGinnis were stricken with influenza, and for a time Mr. McGinnis was the worse of the two. Mrs. McGinnis suffered a relapse and did not rally. Rev. Mr. McGinnis is reported to be out of danger. Bishop Keaton, of Olympia, conducted the funeral service.

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