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DIOCESE OF LONDON

Official Lenten Regulations for the Year 1900.

The following are the London regulations for the Diocese of London:

1. All days of Lent, Sundays excepted, are fast days.

2. By a special indult from the Holy See, A. D. 1884, meat is allowed on Sundays at every meal, and at one meal on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, except the Saturday of Ember week and Holy Saturday.

3. The use of flesh and fish at the same time is not allowed in Lent.

The following persons are exempted from abstinence, viz.: Children under 7 years; and from fasting, persons under 21; and from either or both, those who, on account of ill-health, advanced age, hard labor, or some other legitimate cause, cannot observe the law. In case of doubt the pastor should be consulted.

Lard may be used in preparing fasting food during the season of Lent, except on Good Friday, as also on all days of abstinence throughout the year, by those who cannot easily procure butter.

Pastors are required to hold in their respective churches, at least twice in the week during Lent, devotions and instructions suited to the holy season, and they should earnestly exhort their people to attend these public devotions. They are hereby authorized to give on these occasions benediction of the blessed sacrament. Besides the public devotions, family prayers, especially the Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin, should be recited in every Catholic household of the diocese.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Miss Gertrude Black Edmonds is at the Tecumseh House.

—Two drunks were discharged at the police court this morning.

—The average cost of Hamilton's cement walks is 15½ cents per foot; with curbing, 20 cents.

—Mr. H. A. Sabine, of Spittal, Sabine & Co., who was confined to his home for over six weeks, is able to be out again.

—Messrs. McIntyre and McCartney, of St. Thomas, are shipping again this week several car loads of young cattle to the Western States.

—The result of passing the hat among the staff and employes of the London Asylum for the Insane is a gain of $62 50 to the Canadian patriotic fund.

—Rev. Richard Hobbs, of Wingham, formerly of Askin Street Church, South London, is busy in his new charge, preaching against dancing, skating and curling.

—The employes of Grafton & Co. were hospitably entertained last evening, at the home of Mr. Oscar Evans, who is leaving London to engage in business in Galt.

—The office of Col. F. B. Leys has been removed to the London Hat, Cap and Mantle Manufacturing Company's building, at 355 and 357 Clarence street, for the present.

—A. E. Welch, manager of the Scottish-American Mining and Developing Company, has taken quarters at the old office, 196 Dundas street. He was one of the tenants burned out in the Masonic Temple.

—Miss Lottie Hillier, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. D. Thomas, 420 Piccadilly street, returns to Sarnia on Wednesday next to visit her sister, Mrs. S. T. Maddin, before leaving for Winnipeg and Vancouver on March 7.

—J. H. Wilkey (son of ex-Ald. Wilkey), a member of the Strathcona Horse, wires his father that he will be home on a visit on Sunday next, and will remain for a week here before proceeding to Halifax.

—The concert in the Auditorium tonight, under the auspices of the Mandolin Club promises to be largely attended. Gertrude Black Edmonds, contralto, of Toronto, will sing, among other numbers, a patriotic song, entitled "Her Majesty."

—There was a great crush at the Grand Opera House box office yesterday morning, hundreds of citizens securing tickets for Monday evening's war play, "For Canada and the Empire, or On to Pretoria," for the benefit of the Red Cross fund.

—About twenty ladies of Wellington Street Methodist Church met in the parsonage Thursday afternoon and completed a quantity of sewing for the Red Cross Society. The ladies are very enthusiastic, and intend having a handsome contribution for the next transport.

—The C. P. R. Telegraph Company had to make a hurried exit from their office in the Masonic Temple building this morning. Manager Bowen feels obliged to Mr. D. W. Blackwell, who accommodated him with necessary furniture for the company's present quarters. They were read for business by 8 a.m.

—Judging by the advance sale of tickets for the Y.M.C.A. Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar Club's concert tonight, it will be very successful. The programme that has been provided will be exceedingly pleasurable. A number of the most popular patriotic solos and recitations will be introduced.

—Owing to the destruction of their premises by fire this morning the Dominion Savings Society have secured temporary offices at 354 Richmond street, where they will carry on their business until their former premises are rebuilt, which they intend to reoccupy as soon as completed.

—The Toronto Globe, in revising the list of wounded of B Company of the Canadian contingent in South Africa, gives "Green" as W. J. Green, of the 25th Battalion, St. Thomas, and not "C. Green," of the 7th Battalion, London, as had been surmised. W. J. Green, the wounded man, is a son of Mr. J. M. Green, lumber and sash dealer, of St. Thomas.

—The Anglo-Saxon Union banquet, held in Toronto last night, was attended by over a hundred enthusiastic Canadians. The principal guest of the evening was Gen. Breckenridge, of Kentucky. The widespread interest and co-operation already exhibited in the work of the union was manifested by the letters read from many of the leading men in Canada, Great Britain and the United States.

—The fourth of the series of twilight organ recitals will be given by Mr. W. H. Hewlett, in Dundas Center Methodist Church tomorrow afternoon. In addition to a comprehensive programme of organ music, vocal selections will be rendered by Mrs. A. T. Boles, of Leamington, the celebrated soprano, who will be remembered by her many friends in London as Miss Detta Ziegler.

—The generosity of the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company is fully explained in the following letter sent to Peter Haggart, of Blenheim, by Wm. Woolatt, general traffic manager of the L. E. and D. R. R.: "We will be glad to issue free transportation to any troupe, club or combination of singers or actors between local points on our line in connection with bona fide patriotic concerts, the net receipts of which are intended for the patriotic fund."

—The Ladies' Aid of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church gave an "At Home" at the residence of Mr. G. Wyatt. The programme was all that could be desired. A duet was given by Misses Jennie and Midie Wilson; recitation, Miss Sanborne; instrumental, Miss Katie Wilson; recitation, Miss Pierce, which called forth an encore. Patriotic songs were given by Mr. Wilson, after which Miss Pierce was called on again to recite, and delighted all. Refreshments were served, after which all joined in singing "God Save the Queen."

—A grand entertainment was given last night, under the direction of the Christ Church Musical and Literary Society. Among the numbers on the programme was a farce, "The Wrong Mr. Wright," given by Jack Tucker, Minnie Stevenson, Herb. J. Moorhouse, Rae McElheran and Nannie Brown, while the quarrel scene from "Julius Caesar" was given by Jack J. Mason, Len. O. Clark and Harry Angus. Mr. R. H. McDonald sang three solos; Miss Frankie Cullis also sang, and Rev. J. H. Moorhouse recited "The Soldier's Pardon" and "Duty vs. Pleasure," taken from one of Gough's lectures. By special request Mr. A. E. Welsh recited "The Absent-Minded Beggar," after which a collection, amounting to $13 50, was taken up for the London, England, Mail's fund for the widows and orphans of soldiers killed in the war.

"TALK ON THE TRANSVAAL."

Mrs. H. A. Boomer gave an interesting "Talk on the Transvaal" in the Memorial Church school room last night, under the auspices of the Mother's Union, for the benefit of the Red Cross fund. Rev. C. C. Owen, M.A., presided, and opened the meeting with a short address. Music by the Y. M. C. A. Mandolin Club, a patriotic song by Mr. Archie Becher, and a violin solo by Master James Auld, accompanied on the piano by his brother, followed, with encores. At the close a hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. Boomer and those who had assisted in the entertainment by their music, was moved by Mr. John Higginbottom, seconded by Mr. George Armstrong. A goodly sum was realized for the Red Cross.

ELECTED PRESIDENT.

Dr. H. R. Abbott, of this city, was elected president of the Ontario Dental Society at the annual meeting held in Toronto yesterday.

VETERANS OF 1866.

Col. Holmes states that he would be delighted to have the veterans take part in the demonstration that will follow if Ladysmith is relieved. They will, if in attendance, be allotted the space in the procession to the rear of the members of the council and school board.

CRISPIN—ADAMS.

A very pleasing event took place on Wednesday, Feb. 21, at the family residence, con. 3, of Delaware, when Miss Sophia, eldest daughter of Mr. Thomas Adams, was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph Crispin, Regina. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Cossens, of Lambeth. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. Thomas Adams, while the wedding march was played by Miss Bertha Little. Miss Annie Learn, of London, acted as bridesmaid, while the groom was assisted by the bride's brother, Mr. Crayton Adams. Little Miss Sophia Bodkin acted as maid of honor, carrying a basket of white carnations. The bride and her assistants were suitably attired in white, carrying white and pink carnations. At the conclusion of the ceremony the guests, numbering 65, sat down to a choice wedding breakfast, after which they spent a very sociable evening. There were guests from London, Parkhill, Mount Brydges and the surrounding vicinity. The presents were numerous and valuable, which showed the interest that was taken in their choice by the many friends of the young couple.

SOLDIERS' WIVES LEAGUE.

The following will interest many readers of The Advertiser interested in the war now going on in South Africa, and in the welfare of our men now engaged in it, and the "girls they have left behind them":

"Earnscliffe, Ottawa, Feb. 14, 1900.

"Dear Mrs. Holmes,—My husband's sudden call to go on active service necessitates my return with to England immediately. I cannot leave, however, without a word of kindly farewell to yourself, and to all those who have so kindly co-operated with me in inaugurating the Soldiers' Wives League. There is nothing, I feel sure, that is more certain to bind all the soldiers' wives of the troops of Canada together more than the league which has made so good a beginning. I wish I could have stayed longer with you. I am sorry to leave your country, and especially as it necessitates my husband going on active service; but as a soldier's wife I must bear up bravely, and ask you to remember him when you pray for all those who are now on active service. Believe me, yours very sincerely, (Signed) Eleanor Mary Hutton."

THEIR ANNUAL BANQUET.

The eleventh annual banquet of Lodge British Oak, No. 82, Sons of England, was held in Cullis' Hall, Wellington street, last night. Mr. E. T. Essery presided, and upwards of 75 brethren were present. A splendid supper was provided, and after justice had been done to it, the chairman introduced a toast list, which brought forth many happy replies. "The Queen" was honored in a most enthusiastic manner, followed by "The Prince of Wales and Royal Family," to which Mr. J. T. Dalton sang "God Bless the Prince of Wales." The chairman made a stirring reply to "The Army, Navy and Volunteers," paying a high compliment to the men who took up arms in the defense of Canada in 1837 and during subsequent troublous times. Mr. W. J. Anderson, past district deputy for London district, spoke to "The Grand Lodge of the Sons of England," and Mr. H. J. Gramlick, of the Ancient Order of Foresters, and Mr. Fred Parsons, of the Independent Oddfellows, responded to "Sister Societies." "The Ladies" was coupled with the name of Mr. W. Willmott. During the evening Mr. F. Newton was presented, on behalf of Lodge British Oak, with a past president's jewel. The presentation was made by the chairman. The Imperial Male Quartet gave a number of selections. Mr. A. E. Galpin sang "Believe," Mr. Albert Riddle "Deep, Down Deep," and Mr. J. T. Dalton "Steady, Boys, Steady," all of which were highly appreciated.

Napoleon's shoe, preserved in the Cluny museum, is representative of the flat sole of his time, as also is the curious heel of the yellow silk slipper worn by Mme. de Pompadour, which demonstrates also a transition period.

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Ladies' Button	1 25	1 00
Ladies' Laced	1 50	1 20
Ladies' Laced	2 00	1 60
Ladies' Laced	2 50	2 15
Ladies' Laced	3 00	2 45
Ladies' Oxfords	1 25	1 00
Ladies' Oxfords	1 50	1 20
Ladies' Oxfords	1 75	1 35
Ladies' Oxfords	2 00	1 60
Ladies' Strap Slippers	1 00	80
Ladies' Strap Slippers	1 25	1 00
Ladies' Strap Slippers	1 50	1 20
Ladies' Strap Slippers	2 00	1 60
Ladies' Strap Slippers	2 50	2 10
Girls' Lace Boots	1 00	80
Girls' Button Boots	1 25	1 00
Baby's Boots		25
Baby's Mocasins		20
Boys' Boots, 1 to 5		1 00
Youths', 11 to 13		80
Everything in Footwear at equal reductions.		

	Old Price.	Sale Price.
Trunks	$2 00	$1 60
Trunks	3 00	2 40
Trunks	4 00	3 20
Trunks	5 00	4 00
Trunks	6 00	4 80
Valises	2 00	1 55
Valises	3 00	2 35
Valises	4 00	3 15
Valises	5 00	3 95
Purses	15	10
Purses	25	20
Purses	50	35
Purses	75	55
Purses	1 00	80
Purses	2 00	1 60
Purses	2 50	2 00
Purses	3 50	2 80
Collar and Cuff Sets	75	60
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Music Rolls		40
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Arrived in time, 130 dozen Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 5c, for 2½c
100 pairs Lace Curtains to be closed out at exactly WHOLESALE PRICES.
25 only, Decorated Toilet Sets, special at per set ..... $1 65 and $1 98
5 pieces new Table Linen for this sale, special, per yard 25c
150 pairs Men's and Boys' Braces, at per pair ..... 6c to 25c
The worst bargain in the lot will give you double your money's worth.
25 pieces new Flannelette, special at ..... 3c, 6½c and 5c

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WHEAT PROVINCE AGAIN

William Lloyd, of Oakville, Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills, the Favorite Medicine of the Northwest.

Oakville, Man., Feb. 19.—There is no doubt about it; Dodd's Kidney Pills have become the most indispensable medicine of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories. The latest case reported is that of William Lloyd, of Oakville. Mr. Lloyd had diabetes. For three years he tried to cure himself. A doctor in Portage la Prairie tried in vain to cure him. Mr. Lloyd lost thirty pounds in three months, and thirst made his life a burden.

"I am taking Dodd's Kidney Pills regularly," he says, "three times a day and am picking up very fast. My thirst has left me, and I do not pass half so much urine. I have taken six boxes, and intend to take more. I am 55 years old, but I am confident Dodd's Kidney Pills are curing me."

A new method of preserving telegraph poles is to surround the portion in the ground with an earthenware pipe like a drain pipe. Into the space between the pole and the pipe is poured a mixture of sand and resin.