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Notes by the Way.

CHRISTMAS.

This day to man came pledge of perfect peace ;

This day to man came love and unite ;

This day man's grief began for to surcease ;

This day did man receive a remedie.

—Francis Kintwelmersh, 1750.

THE clergy of the Rural Deanery of Parry Sound are summoned to meet at Powassan on December 7th.

IN connection with the work of the Church in the Mission of Burk's Falls, a new station has been opened. Services are to be held at intervals in the building known as Ely schoolhouse.

DURING November, the editor has visited and preached or given addresses at Rosseau, Port Carling, Gravenhurst, Baysville, Bracebridge, Sudbury, Marksville, Jocelyn, Richard's Landing, Bruce Mines, Korah, and Sault Ste. Marie.

REV. A. J. YOUNG leaves North Bay at the end of November for Manitowaning, Manitoulin Island, one of the oldest missions of the Church in what is now the Diocese of Algoma. No appointment has yet been made to North Bay.

IN the absence of the incumbent, the Ven. Archdeacon of Algoma took morning and evening services at Burk's Falls on Sunday, November 21st. Archdeacon Llwyd's visit was fully appreciated by those who were at church that day.

ALL catechists in the diocese are under the direction of a neighbouring priest. Nor may they make appeals to the public or the W. Auxiliary unless such communications are endorsed by the clergyman who supervises them and who is responsible.

MR. T. SCARLETT and Mr. Godolphin are catechists recently appointed to work in the diocese. The former is at Webbwood, vacant by the departure of Rev. Sidney H. Morgan—now at King's College, Windsor, N.S. The latter, who was at Sturgeon Falls, is now at Dunchurch.

ON Sunday, October 31st, Rev. Charles Piercy, of Burk's Falls, was at South River for the purpose of administering the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper to the Church people there. Rev. Mr. Gander, deacon-in-charge of the Mission of South River, assisted in the services. Mr. P. drove to Burk's Falls for Evening Prayer.

REV. W. A. J. BURT, lately incumbent of Port Carling Mission, and now *locum tenens* at Gravenhurst, has resigned his post at Port Carling. The Bishop has filled the vacancy by appointing Rev. T. E. Chilcott, recently missionary at Duck Lake, in the Diocese of Saskatchewan. Mr. Chilcott commenced his duties in October.

THE first two weeks of November is the season for deer shooting. In Muskoka and Parry Sound Districts deer are said to be plentiful. It is a shame that dogs are allowed to chase the poor creatures in order that the sportsman (?)

may shoot them. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals might well bring all the influence they can to bear upon the Legislature to prohibit hunting with hounds.

AT Bruce Mines and Ottetail Sunday services have been held, since Rev. Mr. McConnell's departure, by Mr. Wilson, a lay reader and a member of St. Andrew's Brotherhood, resident at Sault Ste. Marie. On Sunday morning, November 21st, the editor of THE ALGOMA MISSIONARY NEWS took duty at Bruce Mines. The Sacrament of Holy Communion was administered on the occasion. Very few availed themselves of the opportunity.

WITH much concern was the news received in Algoma that Bishop Sullivan was lying seriously ill in Toronto. On Sunday, November 21st, at Sault Ste. Marie (and, doubtless, at other points) the prayers of the Church were offered on his behalf. In the more outlying points in the diocese the knowledge of his illness would not be known at that time. It is with thanksgiving we are able to say that Dr. Sullivan is decidedly better.

ANNIVERSARY services are to be held in the Church of St. Thomas, Bracebridge, on Sunday, December 5th. It is now a year since the Church people of Bracebridge first occupied their new and beautiful brick church. We believe we are correct in saying that they foster the idea of being able to meet all liabilities on the same by Easter next. Should they do so, they will, indeed, have done well. The Bishop, it was hoped, would preach on December 5th. However, it was impossible for him to be in Bracebridge on that date.

Garden River.

REV. P. FROST, INCUMBENT.

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