

MONTREAL.

The following are the appointments of the Bishop of Montreal for June, July and August, 1894:—

June 24, Sunday, Lachine, Rev. R. Hewton, M.A.
 June 25, Monday, 7.30 p.m., St. John's, Rev. W. Windsor.
 June 26, Tuesday, 10.30 a.m., Lacolle, Rev. W. C. Barnard, M.A.
 June 26, Tuesday, 2.30 p.m., Noyan, Rev. W. Robinson, R.D.
 June 27, Wednesday, 10.30 a.m., Clarenceville, Rev. W. Robinson, R.D.
 June 28, Thursday, 10.30 a.m., Hallerton, Rev. T. B. Jeakins.
 June 28, Thursday, 7.30 p.m., Hemmingford, Rev. T. B. Jeakins.
 June 29, Friday, 7.30 p.m., Franklin, Rev. W. J. M. Beattie.
 June 29, Friday, 10.30 a.m., Havelock, Rev. W. J. M. Beattie.
 June 30, Saturday, 10.30 a.m., Hinchinbrooke, Rev. Canon Rollit.
 July 1, Sunday, 10.30 a.m., Huntingdon, Rev. Canon Rollit.
 July 1, Sunday, 7.30 p.m., Ormstown, Rev. A. D. Lockhart.
 July 5, Thursday, 10.30 a.m., Hudson, Revs. J. Pyke and J. Carmichael.
 July 6, Friday, 3.30 p.m., St. Andrews, Rev. J. W. Dennis.
 July 8, Sunday, 11 a.m., and 7 p.m., Grenville, W. Harris.
 July 9, Monday, 7.30 p.m., Buckingham, Rev. B. S. T. Marriott.
 July 10, Tuesday, 7.30 p.m., Lachute, Rev. A. B. Given.
 July 11, Wednesday, 11 a.m., Lake Louisa, Rev. A. B. Given.
 July 13, Friday, 2.30 p.m., Lakefield, Rev. R. D. Irwin.
 July 15, Sunday, 11 a.m., Mille Isles, Rev. H. A. Meek.
 July 24, Tuesday, Aylmer, Rev. E. P. Judge.
 July 25, Wednesday, Eardley, Rev. Alex. Elliott.
 July 26, Thursday, Quyon, Rev. W. A. Fyles, B.A.
 July 27, Friday, Bristol, Rev. W. C. Dilworth.
 July 29, Sunday, Portage du Fort, Rev. H. Plaisted.
 July 31, Tuesday, Shawville, Archdeacon Naylor, M.A.
 Aug. 1, Wednesday, Clarke's, Rev. H. Plaisted, M.A.
 Aug. 2, Thursday, Thorne West, Rev. J. M. Coffin.
 Aug. 3, Friday, Thorne Centre, Rev. J. M. Coffin.
 Aug. 5, Sunday, Hull, Rev. F. R. Smith, rural dean.
 Aug. 6, Monday, Chelsea, Rev. A. A. Allen.
 Aug. 7, Tuesday, Kazabazua, Rev. W. E. Kaneen.
 Aug. 8, Wednesday, Wright, Rev. W. E. Kaneen.
 Aug. 10, Friday, Alleyne, Rev. J. H. Bell.
 Aug. 12, Sunday, North Wakefield, Rev. J. Boyd.

ONTARIO.

MISSION OF NORTH HASTINGS.—His Grace, the Archbishop of Ontario, with Rev. Canon Burke of St. Thomas, Belleville, have just completed a tour through this large mission. Confirmation was administered at L'Amable, Bancroft, and at Coe Hill Mines, and the cemetery consecrated beneath the "Eagle's Nest," a tall cliff half a mile north of Bancroft. His Grace and Canon Burke arrived at Ormsby on the C. O. Ry. on Thursday, May 31, and were met by the priest in charge and Mr. Thomas Culbertson, at whose home the party dined. They then drove to L'Amable a distance of twelve miles, amid a down pour of rain, where service was held at 7 p.m., and nine candidates confirmed. His Grace then drove to Bancroft, where he was the guest of Mr. Fred. Mullett, Canon Burke remaining with his old friend, Mr. Henry Jarman, sr. On Friday, June 1st, twenty candidates were confirmed at Bancroft. After the service the Archbishop and clergy drove, clad in their vestments, to the cemetery, where the service of consecration was read. On their return to the village the Archbishop and clergy sat down to a sumptuous luncheon with about a hundred of the laity. From the roofs of many of the houses flags were gaily flying in honour of His Grace. The party then set out amid the drenching rain for Coe Hill, a distance of over twenty miles, stopping for tea at Mr. Stanlick's, at Ormsby. On Saturday twenty-three persons were here confirmed, making in all fifty-two who have through the Archbishop's visit received the apostolic rite of the laying on of hands. On Saturday, at 12.30 p.m., the party set out for Madoc.

MARMORA.—The Archbishop of Ontario held a confirmation at Marmora on Wednesday, May 30th. Thirty candidates were presented by the incumbent, Rev. C. M. Harris. There was a large congregation in attendance. Rev. W. H. Smythe of Stirling, Rev. F. Codd of Frankford, Rev. W. W. Burton of Madoc, and Rev. E. H. Pickford of Peterborough, assisted in the service.

WILLIAMSBURG.—Obituary.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Colquhoun took place at the resi-

dence of her daughter, Mrs. James McNairn, on Saturday the 26th. She passed away on the evening of the Queen's Birthday, her last words being "I am going to sleep in Jesus." The service was conducted and a sermon preached by the Rev. M. G. Poole, who has ministered to her spiritual wants for nearly eight years, and who administered the blessed sacrament to her a short time before she died. The texts chosen by the rev. gentleman were taken from the 14th chap. of St. Mark, 8th verse, and 1 Cor., 7th chap., 31st verse, "She hath done what she could, and the fashion of the world passeth away." Mrs. Elizabeth Colquhoun belonged to an old loyalist family, her maiden name being Froats. Her grandfather, father and uncle all were in the battle of "Crysler Farm." Her grandfather was working in a field when they came to him and said he must leave his occupation and fight for his country and king. He did so and took hold of the gun in place of the plough. Her father told her that after the battle so numerous were the dead upon the field that he saw men piling wood around the bodies and burning them before burial, when they would dig pits and shovel in the ashes. Deceased was 75 years of age.

CONSECON.—Tuesday, June 5th, will be a red-letter day in the annals of Trinity Church. Archbishop Lewis administered the rite of confirmation to 10 candidates, 3 males and 7 females. His Grace made a splendid address, congratulating the rector and Church people for their zeal in restoring the church, and hoped to be spared to soon visit them again. The advice given to the candidates was most practical, and spoken in such a way that the youngest of them could not help receiving instruction. The church was crowded with an attentive congregation, the majority of which had never been present at a confirmation service. The singing was most hearty, the choir nobly doing their part. This church was closed for eleven years and was in a terrible state of dilapidation. Last winter a new chancel was built, doing away with the ancient three-decker pulpit, the half circle with the kitchen table for an altar, and the minister to have to robe behind another three-decker removed from its pedestal and used for a prayer desk. Now there is a nice chancel, vestry and place for the choir, all of which are carpeted. The wood work is grained in dark and light oak; this with the new windows, with colored glass, has made a great change in the old church. The altar has I. H. S. on the frontal, the re-table has Holy, Holy, Holy, separated with maltese crosses, the prayer desk has the Alpha and Omega and the lectern cross and crown. It is gold colored applique work on red, finished with gold silk fringe. It is the work of the rector's wife. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers. The window behind the altar was a mass of pure white flowers. Rev. Rural Dean Loucks of Picton and Rev. G. Rollins of Hillier took part in the service.

TORONTO.

BROOKLIN.—Will you kindly permit me, on behalf of the Columbus Branch of the W. A., to acknowledge the receipt during the month of May, per circular letter, from our friends, the sum of \$11.80, and oblige MARY F. HARRIS, Secretary.

COLLINGWOOD.—On Tuesday, 29th ult., the Bishop of the diocese administered the apostolic rite of confirmation in All Saints' Church. The rector, the Rev. John Lindsay, of Duntroon, and the Rev. J. Robertson, of Stayner, assisted in the service. A large number of all ages were confirmed. In his address, the Bishop reminded the candidates of their being regenerate in baptism, and exhorted them to continual prayer, reading of the Bible and regular attendance at the Lord's Table. The church was crowded and unfortunately there was a good deal of confusion. After the service the Bishop held an informal reception at the rectory, and many availed themselves of the opportunity of paying their respects to their Bishop. We may hope that the reception may be kept up as it is a decided move in the right direction. The Bishop left the following morning at 6 o'clock.

HURON.

WOODSTOCK.—At a meeting of the members of Old St. Paul's Church, on Friday evening, it was decided to purchase the residence of Mr. H. Nelems, on Dundas street. An executive committee was struck with power to raise one thousand dollars by subscriptions from members of the congregation. The price asked for the property is \$2,500, and the \$1,000 it is purposed raising will be cash paid down.

GODERICH.—The Ruri-decanal Chapter of Huron held their summer meeting here on Tuesday and Wednesday. One of the principal features was a large Sunday school convention, at which delegates from every parish in the deanery, with the exception of Exeter, were present. Splendid papers were read

and discussed on important subjects in connection with Sunday school work. A full choral service was held in St. George's Church on Tuesday evening, at which an excellent sermon on "Praise to God" was preached by the Rural Dean. The next convention will be held in Seaford, and the annual deanery meeting will be held in Clinton.

RURAL DEANERY OF ESSEX.—Bishop Baldwin has now completed his confirmation tours through Essex, confirming candidates as follows: Parish of Kingsville, 24 candidates; parish of Colchester, 58 candidates; parish of Sandwich, 61 candidates; parish of Windsor, 49 candidates; and the parish of Walkerville, 18 candidates; total, 210 candidates.

WALLACEBURG.—The Ruri-decanal Chapter of Kent met in Holy Trinity Church here on May 29th. There was an encouraging attendance, and the programme was very interesting, instructive, and spiritual. At 11 a.m. there was a celebration of Holy Communion, at which Rev. Rural Dean Smith, of Morpeth, and Rev. G. M. Franklin, rector, officiated, and a sermon was preached by Rev. Horace E. Bray, of Thamesville, from Eccles. xi. 6. At the afternoon session, the Rural Dean presided, Rev. Arthur Murphy, of Chatham, led in the opening prayers, and, on motion, Rev. G. M. Franklin was selected to act as secretary. The invitation of Thamesville, given through Rev. H. E. Bray, was accepted, and the chapter will (D.V.) meet in that parish in September. The programme was as follows: Paper, "Spiritual Power," by Rev. F. M. Holmes, of Dresden; paper, "How can we Retain our Elder Sunday School Scholars?" by Mrs. G. M. Franklin, of this place; paper, "Woman's Work," by Mrs. Harvey Morris, also of this place; and a paper on "Missionary Needs," by Mrs. A. Murphy, of Chatham. At the close of the papers brief conversations (not discussions) were had, and a vote of thanks was given to the writers and readers of the papers, especially the ladies. A telegram conveying good wishes was received from the deanery of Middlesex, in session at Glencoe. In reply, a motion was carried for the Rural Dean to reply to the message from the Middlesex deanery, and send a suitable telegram to the deanery of Lambton, in session at Alvinston. The meeting was then adjourned. Mrs. Murphy proceeded with a number of our ladies to the Presbyterian Church, and addressed a meeting in the interest of the Order of King's Daughters. Miss Nellie Fraser, on behalf of the Flower Committee, presented Mrs. Murphy with a lovely bouquet, and a number of the King's Daughters escorted Rev. A. and Mrs. Murphy to the train.

ST. MARY'S.—Confirmation Service.—Numbers were unable to obtain admission to St. James' Church on Sunday morning, June 3, upon the occasion of the visit of Bishop Baldwin. Every inch of space was occupied; extra seats were placed everywhere; the vestry and porches were filled and many stood during the whole service, which was most impressive. Twenty-six persons confessed Christ, by the Apostolic custom of "laying on of hands." The Bishop's sermon and his address to the candidates were in his most impressive and eloquent manner. The beautiful arch, wholly made of pure white flowers, was a most pretty sight, and the masses of lilies of the valley and other flowers were very much admired. In the evening the rector conducted the service and preached an earnest sermon upon the words, "Fair as the Moon," giving six points of analogy between that luminary and the Christian. The largest number of communicants in the history of the Church partook of the Holy Communion at the close of the service. In the morning the Bishop congratulated the congregation upon its prosperity, and spoke in warm terms of the work of the rector.

Sad News.—On Sunday evening, June 3, at the close of the service, a cablegram from England was handed to the Rev. W. J. Taylor, announcing the death of his mother, who had died suddenly. Mr. Taylor had not seen his mother for eleven years, and was making arrangements for her to come to Canada to live in a few weeks' time.

RUPERT'S LAND.

DELORAIN.—The Rev. J. J. Bowker is now incumbent of this parish.

SOURIS.—The Rev. Canon O'Meara took duty here Sunday, 27th of May.

OAK LAKE.—This parish is vacant and will probably be in charge of a student until November.

BOISSEvain.—St. Matthew's Church.—A substantial fence has been erected round the church property and a large number of trees planted. On Sunday, June 3rd, the rector, the Rev. C. G. Hill, will preach to the Foresters.

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