

# OUR OLD FRIENDS' DIRECTORY.

In this column we publish each month the names and addresses of one hundred subscribers, together with the dates of their arrival in Canada. Unless otherwise stated the post offices are situated in the Province of Ontario.

NAME.	POST OFFICE.	COUNTY.	DATE OF ARRIVAL IN CANADA.	NAME.	POST OFFICE.	COUNTY.	DATE OF ARRIVAL IN CANADA.
ARNOLD, W. CHAS.	Connor	Peel	April '94	HUGHES, WM.	Heathcote	Grey	March, '93
APPIN, ARTHUR.	Aldboro	Elgin	July, '95	HYDER, ALFRED.	Newcastle	Durham	June, '91
BAALIM, ARTHUR G.	South Woodsee	Essex	March, '93	HESLOP, JNO.	Warkworth	Northumberland	April, '90
BUSH, ALFRED.	Wardsville	Middlesex	March '92	HICKEY, WM.	Kerwood	Middlesex	April, '94
BUXTON, THOS.	Wallenstein	Wellington	July, '94	HALLS, ERNEST	Dunedin	Simcoe	June, '90
BELCHAMBER, HARRY.	Bolton	Peel	June, '90	JEFFREYS, ALFRED J.	Kemble	Grey	March, '87
BAYLIS, EDWIN.	Peterboro	Peterboro	July, '84	JONES, WM. ROBERT.	Glencoe	Middlesex	March, '92
BOWEN, ALBERT V.	Cruickshank	Grey	April, '85	JOYNES, JOSEPH.	Elginfield	Middlesex	April, '94
BRISCOE, WM.	Kettleby	York	June, '93	JAMES, HERBERT.	Glenwillow	Middlesex	July, '94
BATH, JOSEPH.	Rutherford	Bothwell	June, '90	JIGGINS, WM.	Wesleyville	Durham	Aug., '91
COOPER, ALFRED.	Mt Hope	Bruce	June, '93	KING, JOHN R.	Wallacetown	Elgin	April, '95
CROSSWELL, CHAS W.	Malton	Peel	March, '92	LEAVER, WM.	Morganston	Northumberland	Aug., '93
CORBETT, JAS.	Lynden	Wentworth	March, '93	LITTLE, ALFRED.	Norland	Victoria	Nov., '94
CORNWALL, CHAS.	Milton	Halton	March, '92	LEACH, ALBERT.	Christina	Middlesex	March '92
CLARK, GEORGE H.	Dundas	Wentworth	March, '92	LACCOHEE, GEORGE	Louisville	Bothwell	March '92
CHAPMAN, FRED'K.	Coboconk	Victoria	June, '86	LOCKWOOD, GEORGE.	Windsor	Essex	June, '88
CLARKE, GEO. H.	Brigden	Lambton	April, '89	LOTT, GEORGE.	West Magdala	Elgin	March, '92
COX, HARRY T. J.	Cadmus	Durham	July, '94	MARSHALL, MOSES W.	Cedarville	Grey	July, '94
CLEMENTS, EDWARD G.	Kent Bridge	Bothwell	June, '93	MILROSE, GEO. C.	Chippawa	Welland	April, '91
CUTFORTH, FRED'K. Q.	Cairngorm	Middlesex	Aug., '91	MARTIN, CHAS.	Brantford	Brant	April, '88
DIGWEED, HY. GEO.	Chatham	Kent	Aug., '93	MASLIN, ALBERT B.	Christina	Middlesex	July, '92
DAVIS, WM.	Mono Mills	Peel	July, '92	MARTER, THOS.	Bothwell	Bothwell	April, '95
DAINTON, ALFRED	Wallacetown	Elgin	July, '94	NICHOLSON, HERBERT.	Tecumseh	Essex	June, '93
DOUGHERTY, JAS.	Christina	Middlesex	March, '92	NENT, CHAS.	West Magdala	Elgin	July, '94
DRURY, JOHN S.	Blenheim	Kent	April, '89	PETERS, ALFRED C.	Campbellton	Elgin	Sep., '94
DOLLING, GEO.	Essex	Essex	April, '91	PRESTON, CHAS. J.	Powassan	Parry Sound	April, '94
EDMUNDS, CHAS. W.	Milford Bay	Simcoe	July, '94	PCWRIE, ALFRED D.	Winthrop	Huron	July, '95
EVANS, EDWARD	Dresden	Bothwell	April, '94	PRAGNEL, JOSEPH	Nottawa	Simcoe	April, '91
EAMES ERNEST.	Springbank	Middlesex	Sep., '95	PRICE, FRED E.	Cedarville	Grey	March '93
FLETCHER, HARRY.	Northwood	Kent	March, '93	PIPER, THOS. W.	Iona	Elgin	March, '92
FOWLER, THOS.	Mt. Wolfe	Peel	April, '94	ROSE, EDWIN.	Napanee	Lennox	July, '94
FISHER, GEO.	Russell (Man.)		June, '83	ROBINSON, ALBERT.	Craigvale	Simcoe	April, '95
FRISCOE, HERBERT.	Glencoe	Middlesex	July, '92	ROWLAND REUBEN H.	Homer	Lincoln	Aug., '91
FARTHING, GEO.	Kirkton	Perth	April, '91	ROWDEN, GEORGE N.	Newark	Oxford	March, '93
FRANCIS, ARTHUR.	Osman	Middlesex	July, '94	ROOKE, FRED.	Millbrook	Durham	June, '90
FARLEY, ED	Cottam	Essex	Sept., '87	REID, ROBERT.	Baltimore	Northumberland	Nov., '94
GARROOD, GEO. T.	Bothwell	Bothwell	June, '93	RHODES EDWARD.	Maidstone Cross	Essex	Aug., '89
GOUGE, ALF.	Stittsville	Carleton	March, '92	STACEY, CHARLES	Gorrie	Huron	March, '92
GROVER, MURRAY B.	Simcoe	Norfolk	June, '91	SAUNDERS, JNO. E.	Brampton	Waterloo	March, '93
GODFREY, GERALD.	South Monaghan	Peterboro	July, '94	STEVENS, DANIEL	Kettleby	York	April, '91
GRIMSON, DONALD.	Appin	Middlesex	March, '93	STONE, ALBERT.	Leaskdale	Ontario	Aug., '93
GUY, THOS.	Duart	Elgin	July, '93	SCULLY, WM. E.	Springville	Peterboro	June, '88
HAYES, JOHN	Leskard	Durham	March, '93	SMITH, NO. W.	Brigden	Lambton	June, '90
HARRISON, ARTHUR.	Lion's Head	Bruce	June, '90	TODD, ARTHUR.	Durham	Grey	March, '92
HORNBLLOWER, WM.	Queenston	Lincoln	April, '91	TROTT, HENRY.	Jordan Station	Lincoln	July, '94
				TURLE, JAMES.	Mt. Forest	Wellington	July, '94
				TUCKER, THOS.	Beaconsfield	Oxford	March, '93
				UNWIN, HUGH.	Clinton	Huron	Nov., '94
				VINCENT, ALFRED.	Sand Hill	Peel	March, '92
				VENESS, OWEN.	Farquhar	Perth	Aug., '91
				WILLIAMS, FRED'K.	Cookstown	Simcoe	July, '93
				WHITE, HENRY.	Millbrook	Durham	July, '85
				WESTON, THOS.	Bluevale	Huron	April, '91
				WARD, HENRY.	Aurora	York	June, '89
				WILMETT, WM. H.	Box 40, Walkerville	Essex	April, '91

## THE "YOUNG HELPERS' LEAGUE."

OVER 20,000 YOUNG PEOPLE BANDED TOGETHER IN ORGANIZED EFFORT TO RELIEVE SUFFERING LITTLE ONES.

In accordance with our intention, of which mention was made in our last issue, to deal from time to time with some of the more recently created agencies whereby the ever increasing work of Dr. Barnardo's Institutions is carried on, we purpose in this number taking a more or less comprehensive glance at the methods, objects and results so far attained by one "branch of the service," which, although it has only been in existence four years, has already done splendid work in carrying on the war in behalf of "childhood in distress."

We refer to the "Young Helpers' League." As the name implies, this is an association whose membership consists in the main of young people. It is only in comparatively recent years that the immense potentiality of the enthusiasm of youth, consolidated, has been recognized by the majority of those responsible for the mobilization of the militant forces of the various religious, philanthropic and social reform movements with which the Christian world abounds. At least it is only in recent years that recognition of the possibilities of organized youth as an aggressive force has been turned to practical account to any great extent. But this is the age of

organization, and it is, more than any other period in the world's history, the age of Opportunity for Youth.

And to-day the cry all along the line of Christian, philanthropic, or other, effort, having for its object the elevation, spiritual, moral or physical, of mankind, is "organize the young people."

The Boys' Brigade, the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavour, the Epworth League, these are but three of many kindred associations, unknown, perhaps unthought of, even when the youngest of our subscribers was born, which are now most powerful auxiliaries of the churches with which they are affiliated. The number of young people enrolled as active members of the three organizations which we have named reaches into the millions, and these are hard at work on every continent. In addition to the undiminished ardour of youth, the tendency of which is ever "onward," these young workers possess all the advantage, and it is considerable, which accrues from a knowledge that on each individual member rests the responsibility of maintaining the efficiency and good reputation of his Society. Just as a private citizen might under trying circumstances yield to considerations of personal safety, whereas did he wear the Queen's uniform he would run risks ten times as great sooner than allow a suspicion of cowardice to rest upon a member of his regiment, so will the members of an organization of the class we are alluding to be found ready to make greater sacrifices for the well being and good name of their regiment, than they might deem

necessary had each one only him or herself to consider. This is one of the great advantages of union. The interest of self becomes subservient to the well-being of all. When this principle has been thoroughly grasped and taken well to heart by all mankind, what a very different world this will be!

With this new factor, organized youth, making its influence felt on every side in the ever waging battle of Right against Wrong, it was the most natural thing in the world that Dr. Barnardo, always on the alert to add to the forces at his disposal for carrying on the work which to our readers as to ourselves is a matter of warm personal interest, should decide to organize a society of young people whose motto should be, in substance, "Help to the suffering little ones," and whose efforts should be towards the practical exemplification of their motto. This desire on the part of Dr. Barnardo to enlist the active sympathies of the young people in the work of child rescue crystallized in the "Young Helpers' League" which was established on January 1st, 1892.

In tracing the course of the "Y.H.L.," as the association is familiarly termed, since its inception, we shall quote freely from Dr. Barnardo's subsequent annual reports, also from a most interesting article which appeared in *Night and Day* shortly after the "Y.H.L." was established. The article in question was from the pen of Mrs. Eva Travers Evered Poole, a lady whose life is indeed devoted to work for the Master, and who

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