

KALENDAR.

- Nov. 8. **Sunday, 21st after Trinity**
 9. **Monday, The King's Birthday**
 15. **Sunday, 22nd after Trinity**
 22. " **before Advent**
 29. " **Advent**
 30. **Monday, S. Andrew, Apostle and Martyr.**
 Dec. 1. **Monday, The Queen's Birthday**

SERVICE ACCOUNT.—OCTOBER, 1908.

RECEIPTS.

Offertory : Average \$68.75.....	\$275 00
Balance 31st October.....	248 45
	\$523 45

EXPENDITURE.

Balance 1st October.....	\$ 236 23
Clerical Stipends.....	125 00
Organist's Salary.....	41 67
Choir.....	1 50
Vergers : Sexton, etc.....	37 75
Sexton's Sundries.....	7 55
Lighting.....	13 83
Water Rate.....	3 29
Printing.....	7 50
Concrete Walk.....	30 00
Outlays occasioned by construction of New Sidewalk by City.....	19 13
	\$523 45

P.M.C. Collections for July, August and September....\$26 30

SERVICE ACCOUNT.

FROM 1ST NOVEMBER, 1907, to 31ST OCTOBER, 1908.

RECEIPTS.

Offertory.....	\$3247 39
" Christmas.....	144 13
" Easter.....	274 60

Total for maintenance.....\$3666 12

SPECIAL OFFERTORIES :

For Superannuation Fund.....	\$ 1 00
" Prison Work.....	6 17
" Epiphany.....	40 34
" Pan-Anglican Fund*.....	249 31
" Foreign Missions.....	6 00
" Good Friday for Jewish Missions.....	41 98
" S. School Association.....	7 60
" Ascensiontide.....	37 19
" Diocesan Missions.....	10 00
" M.S.C.C.....	10 00
" W.A.....	12 30
" Confirmation.....	24 70
	\$446 63

Balance 31st October, 1908..... 248 45

\$4360 20

EXPENDITURE.

Balance 1st November, 1907.....	\$ 19 78
Clerical Stipends.....	1655 79
Choir.....	633 10
Sexton, etc., Salaries and Expenses.....	457 76
Lighting.....	157 78
Fuel.....	288 82
Water Rates.....	7 13
Telephone.....	30 00
Printing, Books, etc.....	193 31
Repair, etc.....	146 05
Furnishing.....	79 85
Interest.....	70 00
Christmas expenses, etc.....	17 25
Taxes.....	149 14
Insurance.....	3 40
Expenses Pan-Anglican Fund.....	5 00

Total for maintenance.....\$3913 57

Special Offertories as above..... 446 63

\$4360 20

The Average of Ordinary Offertory has been \$63.67 exclusive of Easter, inclusive of Easter \$67.73, as against \$65.83 and \$71.73 in the previous year. Total for maintenance this year \$3666.12 as against \$3850.45 last year, while the expenses have increased from \$3740.73 last year to \$3913.57 in this year. Consequently we close the year with a deficit of over \$200. To meet necessary expenses and carry on the work of the services efficiently requires an average offertory of \$70.

*This is only the amount given through the offertory, and the same as regards other items in Special Offertory.

Mrs. J. L. Walton (*nee* Edith Sweatman) desires to return her warmest thanks to her friends attending St. Alban's Cathedral for their gift, on the occasion of her marriage, of the most beautiful and richly carved Elizabethan Dower Chest of Oak, which she will always treasure in remembrance of the faithful workers of St. Alban's and of their kind wishes for herself and husband.

The Choir Guild held their first Meeting for the season on Tuesday, October 22nd. There was a good attendance, and all seem much interested in taking up the work for the coming winter. As Miss Rounthwaite has gone on a trip to the West, Mrs. Warren Baldwin has been appointed Secretary-Treasurer in her place.

The Cathedral Branch of A.Y.P.A. held its first meeting for the season of 1908-9 on Thursday evening, the 22nd of October. There was a large and enthusiastic attendance of members present, and the outlook for a good season's work is most encouraging. The most important business of the evening was the election of Officers, which resulted as follows:—

REV. CANON MACNAB	Patron
MR. W. F. SMITH	President
MR. BRYAN CHADWICK	Vice-President
MR. W. R. KENT	Vice-President
MISS E. SARGE	Secretary-Treasurer

A new Committee, composed of the Past Presidents and Vice-Presidents, to be known as the Advisory Committee, was appointed. It was decided to hold meetings twice a month, one of the meetings to be of a specially attractive and instructive character. The object of the Association is to encourage a closer union of fellowship and activity amongst the younger members of the congregation, and to strengthen and develop the spiritual, mental and social character of its members. It is hoped that the young people especially, of the congregation will become members; all will be cordially welcomed.

In connection with the Cathedral League, Mrs. Macnab expects to hold her annual 'Kettledrum,' at 120 Wells Street, on Thursday, November 26th, from 4 to 7 p.m. No invitations are issued, but Mrs. Macnab will be pleased to see all her friends.