

received in any year, left me with \$962.00. In Mr. Slemin's case I boarded his wife as well, which made Cash, \$300.00; Beard, \$416.00; horse and rig, \$200.00. Total, \$916.00, leaving me out of the \$1478.00 paid that year \$562.00, out of this I had to pay house rent and keep a horse. Truly some Parsons are well paid.

To-day, November 15th, the Church at Coldwater stands indebted to me in the sum of \$76.00; made up as follows: balance of stipend, 1910, \$24.75; balance of stipend, April 1st, 1912, \$32.03; balance of stipend, December 31st, 1912, \$57.04; one valve on organ pipe, \$2.40; to wages paid Beach, \$11.00; to wages paid Challoner, \$18.00; to amount paid in taxes for sidewalk on Craddock street, \$47.10; interest on same for ten months at five per cent, \$7.91, a total of \$198.25. Against this amount there stands as follows: interest on Parsonage mortgage, June 1st, 1913, \$30.00; interest on said sum paid \$9.75; interest due again on December 1st, \$30.00; taxes on Parsonage for year 1913, \$62.50, a total of \$123.25. This balance of \$76.00 should have been paid long ago, as the following resolution shows: Meeting held in the Church, February 3rd, 1913, it was moved by Mr. H. Gover, seconded by Mr. W. Lye, that Messrs. G. T. Tipping, W. J. Sheppard, Jr., and H. Gover be appointed a committee to deal with the arrears of stipend, and that no charges shall be considered until the matter of arrears be declared cleared by the committee.—Carried.

The amounts paid to Messrs. Beach and Challoner, amounting to \$27.00, covers the upkeep of the Church grounds for nearly twenty-two years, all other bills I paid myself.

### COST OF BUILDING ST. MATTHIAS CHURCH,

#### COLDWATER, ONT.

##### Abstract Statement.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURES.
Cash subscriptions from others than the Congregation .....	Wage account as per list....
..... \$1,900.00	..... \$2,947.34
Cash subscription from the Congregation .....	Bills and accounts .....
..... \$65.00	..... \$4,450.87
Insurance .....	
..... \$1,000.00	
First concert .....	
..... \$64.80	
Second concert.....	
..... \$58.00	
Concert Harbour .....	
..... \$25.00	
Laying of corner stone .....	
..... \$65.00	
Offertory Church Opening ..	
..... \$150.00	
Baldwin mortgage .....	
..... \$2,500.00	
Amount due J. H. Sheppard	
..... \$1,550.41	
..... \$7,398.21	Total .....
	..... \$7,398.21

We the undersigned have examined the accounts and vouchers of the Rev. J. H. Sheppard, and find them correct as per this abstract statement.

Signed HOWARD CHESTER,  
JAMES McDERMID.

Dated at Coldwater, this 27th day of November, 1913.

#### LABOR ACCOUNT ON THE CHURCH.

##### Winter 1910, Getting Out Stone.

E. Windebank—23 days at \$1.50 .....	\$ 34.50
J. Gardiner—24 days at \$2.00 .....	48.00