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The hallowed place where little lambs
Come peeping in at morn;
The playful bears and friendly bulls
Who wisely counselled me,
And where I bought at eighty-eight
And sold at twenty-three.—"Life."

Dr. Farrar, a former Assistant-Bishop of Quebec, has been made Bishop of Honduras.

The Rev. Henry Grasset Baldwin and Mrs. Baldwin have arrived in Toronto from England.

The Bishop of Ontario and Mrs. Lennox Mills, who were spending a few days in London, Ont., last week, spent last Sunday in Toronto.

His Royal Highness the Governor-General has arranged to visit the Andrew's Home, Montreal, on the 6th December, and also Church Home.

We regret to learn that Canon Baylis, D.D., of Montreal, is suffering from severe illness and has been removed to the hospital for treatment.

The caretaker of Gore Park was busy cutting grass December 3rd. He said it was the first time in his memory that lawn grass was cut in Hamilton in December.

Prof. W. A. Ferguson, of St. John's College, Winnipeg, is seriously ill. It is hoped, however, that he will be able to resume his work at the beginning of the new year.

A telegram from Quebec was read in All Saints' Church, Toronto, last Sunday stating that the rector, Rev. W. J. Southam, was improving and that his temperature was normal.

The Rev. C. K. Gilbert has just been appointed editor of the New York "Churchman." He is the Executive Secretary of the Social Service Commission of the Diocese of New York.

The hunting season in the United States, which ended recently, cost 135 lives, in twenty-one States, according to a tabulation by a morning paper. In addition, 140 persons were injured, several of them fatally.

Another old and respected member of the Church was called away on Thursday last in his eighty-fifth year. George William Verral died at his home in Toronto. Mr. Verral was an active member of St. Cyprian's Church.

The Rev. William Alexander Dunn, M.A., second son of the Bishop of Quebec, was on Friday, October 3rd, instituted and inducted by the Bishop of Kingston as the first Vicar of the Church of the Holy Spirit, Clapham, London, Eng.

We are sorry to hear of Bishop Montgomery's indisposition. He is suffering from dysentery in Delhi

Mission Hospital. His medical attendants refuse to let him continue his tour, and he expects to leave Bombay for London on December 13th.

His Grace the Archbishop of Ottawa, and Mrs. Hamilton, will have a family party for Christmas-tide. Mr. Charles Hamilton, K.C., and Mrs. Hamilton and their family from Nelson, B.C., Chancellor and Mrs. Kirwan Martin and their family from Hamilton, will be visitors.

A chair presented to the professorship of colonial history at Queen's University, Kingston, was carved in Central India by Mrs. Nanton, known to Canadians as Miss Marguerite Joly, daughter of Sir Henry Joly de Lotbiniere. The chair is carved of specially selected teak of great beauty, and is probably the finest piece of modern wood carving in Canada. The design is symbolic of Canadian life.

The official seal of the Corporation of London was formally "broken" recently and a new one substituted. The old one had been in constant use for 532 years. It had only one predecessor, which was destroyed in 1381 because it was "too small, rude, and ancient." The seal, which was used for the last time to-day, was of silver, about the size of a dollar. It is much worn and blurred. Its probably was used 1,500 times annually.

Recently in the chapel of the Holy Trinity Church, Upper Chelsea, London, the marriage was quietly solemnized of Canon Troop, formerly of St. Martin's Church, Montreal, and Miss Elizabeth Robie Uniacke, formerly of Halifax, N.S., now of South Kensington. The Rev. H. R. Gamble, the rector of the parish and Rural Dean, officiated. Immediately after the ceremony Canon and Mrs. Troop left for the Continent, where they will spend their honeymoon.

Saints are not extraordinary people; quantities of them, the equal of the canonized saints in character and in service to the Church and the world, are, no doubt, living to-day. The call to be saints is a call to a normal, not to an abnormal, life. It is the sinners who are abnormal. Saints necessarily partake of the characteristics and limitations of their age—just like other people. It would be of the greatest help to all of us if we had on the roll of our saints, men and women who had done their duty in spite of obvious mistakes. We have, generally, an altogether erroneous idea of what and who are saints.—The Living Church.

Rev. Canon S. Gould, General Secretary of the M.S.C.C., leaves Toronto on Christmas night for a tour of the mission fields of the world. "I am going on a tour of mission stations in Palestine, India, China and Japan, crossing the Atlantic and then going through France and the Mediterranean Sea to Port Said. From Port Said I will go to Palestine, where I was a missionary for several years; then to India, China and Japan."

The Toronto General Trusts Corporation

Dividend No. 70

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a dividend of two and one-half per cent. (2½ p.c.) has been declared upon the Paid-up Capital Stock (other than stock of the new issue paid up during the current quarter) of this Corporation for the quarter ending 31st December, 1913, being at the rate of ten per cent. (10 p.c.) per annum, and that the same will be payable on and after the second day of January, 1914.

The Transfer Books of the Corporation will be closed from Thursday, the 18th, to Wednesday, the 31st of December, 1913, both days inclusive.

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Toronto, December 2nd, 1913.

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