

Personal & General

Field Marshal Sir Evelyn Wood died in England on December 1st, aged 80.

Mr. F. Ottaway has been appointed to succeed Mr. F. L. McGachin as organist of All Saints', Collingwood.

Dr. Roper, the Bishop of Ottawa, has been appointed Warden of the Sisterhood of St. John the Divine, Toronto.

Lieut.-Cols. Colin Harbottle and Herbert Molson have been gazetted Companions of the Order of St. Michael and St. George.

The Bishop of Niagara has been visiting small towns and rural parishes of his diocese during the past six weeks.

The Imperial Munition Board expended in Canada on behalf of the Imperial Government during the war the sum of one billion dollars.

The Rev. L. J. Donaldson, Rector of Trinity, Halifax, left this month on a visit to California, accompanied by Mrs. Donaldson and their two sons.

Rev. Professor E. A. McIntyre was the preacher at the anniversary services at St. Paul's, Lindsay, recently. \$1,500 was the amount raised for special purposes on the day.

Sir William Osler, the Regius Professor of Medicine at Oxford University, who has been ill for some time past, is, by latest reports, slightly improved in health.

Canon Morley, of Toronto, has published the 1920 edition of his church calendar. It contains the Church Lessons and some attractive devotional quotations.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fisher, Port Arthur, Ont., announce the engagement of their only daughter, Nellie, to the Rev. Owen Lacey Jull, L.S.T., assistant priest of St. John's Church, Port Arthur, Ont.

Rev. W. L. Baynes-Reed, D.S.O., Rector of St. John's Church, Norway, Toronto, who has been confined to his home through influenza for the past week, is now convalescent and will resume his duties shortly.

Archbishop Worrell and Rev. Dr. Hague were the special preachers at the 150th anniversary of St. Paul's, Charlottetown. Dr. Hague gave an address to a crowded Men's Banquet on the following Monday.

The Hon. J. Wanamaker, of Philadelphia, who was lately elected Chairman of the Executive Committee of the World's Sunday School Association, has been actively engaged in Sunday School work for 72 years.

The Rev. S. J. Woodroffe, Rector of Cornwallis, has been unanimously elected to the Parish of Coxheath. He is well known in Cape Breton, having been curate of St. George's and the first Rector of Christ Church.

The New York Bible Society observed its 110th anniversary on December 7th, when the anniversary service was held in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. General Pershing was present at the service.

The steeple of St. Paul's, Port Dover, Ont., was badly damaged during the great storm of November 29th, and it may be found necessary to tear it down. For many years it has been used as a landmark by sailors on Lake Erie.

The M.S.C.C. Church Calendar for 1920 has a significant picture of the consecration of the first Anglican Chinese Bishop. The Canadian Lectionary is used throughout. It is put out in sheet-form and pad-form convenient for the lectern.

At the close of the Inter-Church Forward Movement convention in Winnipeg, the Archbishop of Rupert's Land appealed to the clergy to preach a simpler and straighter Gospel mes-

sage and to laity to bring religion more into the homes.

The Protestant churches of Orangeville, Ont., united in the Forward Movement and took the Opera House for a week, when afternoon and evening meetings were held. Full houses heard the different speakers, who included Rev. Lawrence Skey, of St. Anne's, Toronto.

The Forward Movement in Ottawa was launched on December 9th, at a luncheon given by Sir Henry Egan at the Chateau Laurier. Among the speakers were Rev. Canon Gould, the Duke of Devonshire, and the Bishop of Ottawa. Mr. J. F. Orde, K.C., acted as chairman.

The Anglican Forward Movement was launched in Kingston on December 9th at a mass meeting in St. James' Church. Bishop Bidwell presided, and introduced G. B. Nicholson, M.P., for the district of Algoma, a prominent member of the Church, who gave a most inspiring address.

Many throughout the Dominion will be relieved to learn that Judge Savary, of Annapolis, has so far recovered from his recent serious illness, that his son, Rev. T. W. Savary, of Kingston, has returned to Kingston. The Judge is in his eighty-eighth year, and is looking forward to the next session of the General Synod, of which body he is a familiar figure.

At the Advent ordination held by the Bishop of Niagara in St. George's Church, Hamilton, the Rev. G. Napier Smith, B.A., was advanced to the priesthood. Archdeacon Perry, of Hamilton, preached the sermon from Acts 9:15. The Rev. G. Napier Smith has already spent some time in the Language School at Peking, and will soon return to China to work with Bishop White. He went overseas with a Chinese labour battalion. St. George's Church, Hamilton, guarantees his stipend.

That Queen Mary has been pleased to accept the Indian name of "Canon-Ronh-Nwa" from the women of the Six Nations Indians, whose reserve is near Brantford, is the information received here from Ottawa. The name given is the Indian name of Mrs. Helen Hill, president of the Six Nations Women's Patriotic League. The Queen also extended her gracious thanks for the address sent to her by the Indian women, and presented to the Prince of Wales on the occasion of the visit of the Prince at Brantford on October 20th last.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Rupert's Land, held in Winnipeg recently, it was decided to at once proceed with an increase of stipend for the clergy, the minimum being raised from \$1,200 to \$1,500. The increase proposed is \$100 a year for three years, at the end of which time the \$1,500 will have been attained. Parishes, however, will be asked to make the increase more rapidly where local conditions warrant it. It was also decided to place clergymen in Indian missions on the same footing as regards stipends as the other clergy of the diocese at the present time. This change will go into effect on January 1.

At Mulgrave, Guysboro County, Nova Scotia, there passed away on November 24th Mrs. William Reeves. She had been a great sufferer for over four months, and was eighty-four years of age. All her life she had been strongly identified with the work of the Church, and ever strove to follow in the footsteps of the Blessed Master. The funeral service was conducted on November 26th, by Rev. B. P. Colclough, Rector of Arichat—there being at the present time no incumbent at Mulgrave. She leaves three sons, Fred and Henry of Mulgrave, Edward of Pictou, N.S., and one daughter Annie at home. The family have the sincere sympathy of their many friends.

You be the judge

PEOPLE of good judgment—shrewd buyers—are our oldest and best customers.

The evidence—the facts in the case carefully weighed show that we have satisfactory coal, and deliver it just when wanted.

The Standard Fuel Co. of Toronto

LIMITED

Tel. M. 4103.

SECOND EDITION OF THE Christian Year Calendar

1920 IS NOW READY

Single Copies 20c.

10 Copies \$1.50

Rev. CANON MORLEY
87 Howland Avenue
TORONTO

We have a few blocks of

HIGH - GRADE
ONTARIO
MUNICIPALS
TO YIELD 6%

Write for particulars

C. H. Burgess & Co.
Bank of Hamilton Bldg.
TORONTO

Xmas, 1919

The general kindness of Xmas-time is but a seasonable expression of the spirit underlying Life Insurance—care for the welfare of others.

Think of Life Insurance at this appropriate season. Sum up the worthy actions of the year by securing a good Policy.

Over 75,000 people have decided that the best to be had in Life Insurance is found in the Policies of

THE GREAT-WEST LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

Dept "C"

HEAD OFFICE - WINNIPEG

Ask for a 1920 Desk Calendar

THE HOME BANK OF CANADA

LETTERS of Credit and Drafts issued to over 1,500 principal points in the United Kingdom and the world-wide British Empire, and countries of Europe and Asia not under the War ban. The service is most complete and of unexcelled efficiency.

Branches and Connections throughout Canada

NINE OFFICES IN TORONTO

Blachford Gift Suggestions

House Slippers
Evening Slippers
Skating Boots
Silk Hosiery
Wool Hosiery
Fancy Buckles
Shoe Trees
Skates
Spats

H. & C. Blachford LIMITED
286 Yonge Street, Toronto
(Opposite Dundas East)

Milnes Coal

Quality and Service of The Very Best

HEAD OFFICE

88 KING STREET EAST

TELEPHONE MAIN 5596

The

M ar th marks. Lo celebrated of ancient carousal th celebrated the dark, w would retu tians suppi dedicating Then gifts ing. They of Lights the world, purged an

Some pe the winter give to Je a time of is marked in expensi sinful wo suggestio sity of a board.

And so deal bette a moment wearied v of Christi thought o joy is, ar Christmas

The m what we God beca finite. Th the Chris Christolo something process c St. Paul Jesus Ch He raised tion of h

Christi the estim The teach the one state H which do The spir fess Jes That is of the d

Christ regarding Here is But afte courage. lines of He is h ments w faulty.