Personal & General

The Bishop of Ottawa spent a few days in Toronto last week.

There passed away at Toronto on February 26th, Elizabeth, wife of Henry O'Brien, K.C.

The parish of Kirkton and Saintsbury, Ont., of which the Rev. C. O. Pherrill is Rector, with an objective of \$940, have subscribed \$1,254.

The parish of Erindale, Dixie and Lorne Park, Ont., with an objective of \$1,000, has contributed to the Forward Movement \$5,200, over five times the objective.

The Rev. E. W. Gardner, who for fourteen years was missionary at Battle Harbour, Newfoundland, will be connected with the circulation department of the "Canadian Churchman."

Mrs. C. W. Tebbs, wife of the Rector of St. Luke's Church, Burlington, has been presented with a life membership on the Dominion Board of the W. A.—a gift of the Junior Girls', and Womens' Auxiliaries.

Dr. Grenfell, C.M.G., the head of the Labrador Mission, was a fellowpassenger of Sir Robert Borden's on board the "Carmania," which arrived at Halifax from England last week en route to New York.

Rev. E. J. McKittrick, Rector of Calvary Church, Silverthorne, Toronto, was presented with a gold watch chain by his returned men in gratitude for his kindness to their wives and families in their absence.

Mr. Evelyn Macrae, who has done invaluable work as lay organizer of the A.F.M. in Toronto, has been appointed Dominion Commissioner to finish up the work. His duties will probably extend over two years.

The combined parish of St. George's, Clarksburg, and Holy Trinity, Collingwood Township, subscribed the sum of \$3,600 on a \$2,000 objective. Of this amount St. George's contributed \$3,000 and Holy Trinity, nearly \$600.

A native Chinese Bishop, the Right Rev. Dr. Sing, of Chekiang, was the preacher at the consecration of the Right Rev. G. F. Mosher, the new Bishop of the Philippines, which took place on February 25th, in St. John's Pro-Cathedral, Shanghai.

The central organization of the Anglicans in London, Ont., have decided to hold a thanksgiving service on March 14th, which will be observed by all the Anglican churches in gratitude to God for the success of the Forward Movement campaign.

Trinity parish, Cornwall, Ont., the old mother-parish of the Diocese of Ottawa, with an objective of \$3,870, has given \$11,096 to the Forward Movement, and of this amount there was no one subscription of more than \$200.

A portrait of Dr. William Hudson Ellis, one of the founders of the present Faculty of Applied Science and Engineering of the University of Toronto, and for some time Dean of the Faculty, was unveiled in Hart House lecture hall last week.

During a recent snowstorm, the famous tree named "El Butini" in the garden of Gethesmane, was blown down. According to tradition this tree would fall when the Turkish Empire had fallen. Twice it was bound round with iron braces to prevent it from falling.

Mr. James Monro, C.B., ex-member of the Indian (Bengal) Civil Service, ex-commissioner of the London (Metropolitan) Police and founder

of the well-known medical mission at Rhanaghat, some 40 miles from Calcutta, died lately at Cheltenham, England, aged 81.

Mrs. J. C. Roper, wife of the Right Rev. J. C. Roper, D.D., Bishop of Ottawa, left Ottawa on February 29th for Toronto, en route to Vancouver and Victoria, B.C., where she will spend a few weeks with friends. Mrs. Roper will visit her son, Mr. John Roper, at the Naval College, Esquimalt.

About 150 ex-students of St. John's College, Winnipeg, gathered for dinner recently, the Archbishop Matheson presiding. Ways and means of providing buildings and equipment to meet enlarged attendance, particularly in connection with the boys's school were discussed. The council has approved a plan to provide additional classrooms, etc., at a cost of \$70,000 to \$100,000.

The Parochial Mission at St. Luke's Church, Toronto, will commence Saturday, March 6th, and will last for two weeks. Besides Sunday services, there will be week-day services each evening, as well as services for children. The Mission will be conducted throughout by Rev. W. H. Frere, head of the Community of the Resurrection, Mirfield, Gorks, Eng., assisted by Rev. H. King, M.C.C.R.

Canon H. C. Dixon's Sunday School, of Trinity Church, Toronto, gave in coppers, the past year, for missions, \$805.48, and for the support of the school, \$284.88. Removal from the parish has lost to this school valuable teachers, and the Rector is anxious to hear of consecrated capable young men or women who would be able to take up this important form of Christian work.

Mr. John F. Hall, of the Indian Civil Service, lately acting judge and cellector of the District of Calicut, Malabar, and Mrs. Hall, with their daughter Molly, have taken passage on the "Minnedosa," sailing on May 14th, intending to spend some weeks of their vacation with Mrs. Hall's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. John Tate, of Thessalon, Ont. Mr. Hall was recently awarded the O.B.E.

St. Thomas' Church, Walkerton, Ont., has nearly doubled its objective of \$1,500 in the Forward Movement campaign. But St. Thomas' is also contributing to the cause, that which is of far greater value than money. Miss James, eldest daughter of F. B. James, county engineer, a talented lady of the congregation, the organist of the church, teacher in the Sunday School and captain of the Girl Guides, has offered herself for missionary work in the foreign field.

The death occurred recently of the Rev. Leighton Buckwell, M.A., Vicar of Newington, in England, Folkestone, Kent. The deceased was well known to a large number of Canadians who, while serving overseas had occasion to pass through Shorncliffe Camp. He was Vicar of Newington for 41 years and is survived by his wife and 13 children, 7 boys and 6 girls, three of the children residing in Canada, Edward of McLeod, Alberta; Henry of Calgary and Mrs. C. Heathcote Graham, of Ottawa.

After thirteen years of continual service in the Saskatchewan Church, the Rev. A. J. Child, with Mrs. Child, leave Arcola, Sask., for a six months' change and rest in England. It is interesting to note that during this period Mr. Child has never left the confines of the Province of Saskatchewan, and has had charge of the following Missions and parishes: Marwayne, Humboldt, Condie and Arcola. Mr. and Mrs. Child will sail on the S.S. "Minnedosa" from St. John, N.B., on March 19th for Liverpool.

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