

KALENDAR.

- February. 2. Tuesday. Purification of B. V. M.
 7. Sunday. Sexagesima.
 14. Sunday. Quinquagesima.
 17. Ash Wednesday.
 21. Sunday, 1st in Lent.
 24. St. Matthias, Apostle and Martyr.
 24, 25, 26, Ember Days.
 28. Sunday, 2nd in Lent.

SERVICE ACCOUNT

JANUARY.

RECEIPTS.

Offertory: Average \$44.78	\$223 89
" Epiphany Collection	41 34
Girls' Auxiliary, for Choir Guild	5 00
Balance, 31st January	61 79

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EXPENDITURE.

Balance, 1st January	\$ 98 41
Clerical Stipend	83 33
Organist's Salary	37 50
Sexton's Salary	25 00
Verger's Fees	6 50
Choir	6 50
Lighting	29 39
Water Rates	1 70
Sexton's Expenses, etc	2 35
Synod, for Epiphany Collection	41 34

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The Rev. Canon Sanson died on 8th January. Comme cing work in this Diocese very shortly after the Diocese was constituted, he leaves a record of faithful and unremitting service, which for long unbroken continuance is quite exceptional. In the Cathedral Chapter he was regarded with especial respect and esteem.

Mrs. Macnab desires to thank all her friends of the St. Alban's W.A. for their munificent and seasonable gift; and to assure them of her entire appreciation of their kindness and generosity.

The above has reference to a Christmas gift made to Mrs. Macnab by the ladies of the St. Alban's Branch W.A., consisting of a winter coat lined with Persian lamb fur.

[This should have appeared in our January number, but, with several other items was unfortunately crowded out.

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P. M. C.

A meeting of the Parochial Missionary Collectors was held at the house of the Secretary Treasurer in December last. A number of new Collectors were appointed and Canon Macnab gave a brief outline of the

method of working, each collector being provided with a list of the names of those upon whom she should call and request to become subscribers to the various missionary funds.

The Bishop has expressed himself as most anxious that every member of the congregation of St. Alban's should recognize it as an important duty to contribute to the Missionary work of the Church.

Subscriptions to the amount of \$34.20 have been received by the Secretary Treasurer for the months of December and January.

W.A. ITEMS.

Letters have been received from the Clergy House, Minden, thanking our Girls' Branch for their "splendid bale" of clothing and gifts for Christmas; also from Kinmount, to whom our Juniors despatched a large box containing some sixty presents for the Sunday School Christmas tree.

The Woman's Auxiliary also sent off a bale, but on account of the long journey it had to travel, (White Fish Lake, Athabasca), there has not been time for any acknowledgement.

A WORD FROM THE CHOIR GUILD.

Mr. Kemp and the members of the Choir are kindly giving a concert in the Crypt on February 11th, for the benefit of the Choir Guild, which is sadly in need of funds.

Last year, through the kindness of Mrs. Grayson Smith, a nice sum, realized by "Mrs. Jarley's Waxworks," came to the hands of the Guild. This was expended in material for cassocks; fourteen new cassocks having been made since October 1st, besides two surplices.

A recent gift of \$5 from the Girls' Auxiliary has been very acceptable.

More surplices are urgently needed.

S. ALBAN'S CATHEDRAL

Missionary Contributions, for 1903, have been as follows:—

Epiphany	\$ 41 01
Good Friday	34 11
Ascension	36 76
Synod Service	16 10
Thanksgiving Day	30 50
Additional Offerings	4 00
	<u>\$163 38</u>
S.S. Lenten boxes	46 26
Collections for General Fund	208 00
" " Domestic Missions	9 00
" " Foreign Missions	3 00
	<u>\$519 64</u>

This is exclusive of the P.M.C. per the W.A.