

Personal & General

The Rev. A. S. Hazel, Rector of Woodstock, N.B., has gone with his family for a visit to England.

Rt. Rev. David H. Greer, Bishop of New York, died in St. Luke's Hospital, New York, on May 19th.

The Rev. Sutherland Macklem, who is leaving Toronto shortly for overseas, will go to Rome and will stay there for two years.

Capt. Paul V. Helliwell, M.D., who did such good service in Honan, has gone to Quebec to serve on transport work for invalided soldiers.

Mr. G. B. Westcott, of Collingwood, Ont., is a brother of the Right Rev. F. W. Westcott, of Chota Nagpur, who has just been offered and has accepted the Bishopric of Calcutta.

Rev. James B. Debbage has resumed the Chaplain's work at Grosse Isle, P.Q. He and Mrs. Debbage, who is in poor health, passed the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage last Friday.

The Bishop of Quebec and Mrs. Lennox Williams gave a reception on May 12th in honour of Colonel the Rev. Canon F. G. Scott, D.C.L., C.M.G., D.S.O., on his return from overseas.

Capt. the Rev. F. J. Moore, Curate of St. James' Cathedral, Toronto, has returned from three years' service overseas. Latterly he has been Senior Chaplain at Woodcote Park Hospital, Epsom.

Rev. R. J. M. Perkins, who has been Rector of Ingersoll for the last thirteen years, has resigned that charge to accept the rectorship of Christ Church, Chatham, Ont. He will assume his new duties on July 1st.

The Rev. Canon T. A. Hoyt, a retired clergyman, died at his home, Loch Lomond, N.B., on May 14th, aged 78. If he had lived till next December he would have celebrated the golden jubilee of his ordination to the priesthood.

Early in June the Bishop of Quebec will leave for the visitation of the Labrador Coast. He will be accompanied by the Rev. Charles Bown, who goes to succeed the Rev. H. H. Corey as priest in charge of St. Clements' Mission.

Lieut. Harold Waterman arrived home from overseas by the "Olympic." Lieut. Waterman, who is a son of Rev. R. B. Waterman, the Rector of Renfrew, was attending Bishop's College at Lennoxville, Que., when war was declared.

Thousands of school children and adults assembled at the Sault Ste. Marie schools to honour the name of Edith Cavell. Memorial trees were planted in front of each school. Archbishop Thorneloe planted and dedicated an elm tree in front of the Central School.

On May 9th, the townsmen of Trinity, Newfoundland, met in the Synod Hall, St. Johns, for the purpose of doing honour to their fellow-townsmen, Bishop White. The Bishop was presented with a beautifully illuminated address and a handsome episcopal ring.

Mrs. Coote Grant died on May 10th at her residence in Hamilton, aged 92. She was very highly esteemed and was prominently identified with the Church of the Ascension. She was born at Gibraltar and she leaves six daughters. The funeral took place on May 13th.

The 367,093 members of the Boy Scouts of America will carry out the plan of Lieut.-Gen Sir Robert Baden-Powell, the founder of the Boy

Scouts movement, who has suggested that the millions of Boy Scouts the world over celebrate the signing of peace by appropriate ceremonials and bonfires.

Major the Rev. T. G. Wallace, Rector of St. Stephen's, Toronto, is expected home this week. A reception is planned for him to-night in the Parish Hall. He has been overseas as Chaplain to a Saskatchewan battalion. For some time he was Chaplain to the 2nd Canadian Engineers before leaving Canada.

Miss Wade, who is on furlough from China, expects soon to leave Hamilton, Ont. (her former home), for England, to visit a brother, who, as a member of the Anglican clergy, was a Chaplain in France, and is now in hospital. At the end of the summer, Miss Wade will return via the Mediterranean to China.

A four-page weekly paper, entirely devoted to children under ten years of age, is the latest venture of the Church Record Sunday School Publication Company. It contains story matter on both the uniform and graded lessons, and has other stories, the kind that the "kiddies" like. This "Child's Own" is the only Church of England weekly of the kind.

An altogether admirable and necessary service is offered free by a combined committee of the Ontario Society of Artists, of Architects and of Graphic Art in advising any church, or organization, or individual about war memorials, whether tablets, stained-glass, symbolic figures, bridges, arches, etc. Mr. G. A. Reid, of the Society of Artists, is the chairman.

Rev. Dr. Symonds has returned to Montreal from Overseas and on May 13th he addressed the Rotary Club there. "While the Canadian soldier never talked of his deeds on the battle fields of the western front, there was one thing that he was prone to brag about," said Dr. Symonds, "and that was Canada." Canada, he said, was painted as the most wonderful country and the best land in all the world.

Amongst the delegates who met at Ottawa on May 20th, for the purpose of holding a conference in the interests of temperance from 50 different nationalities, were the Ven. John Howson, Archdeacon of Warrington, in the diocese of Liverpool, and Canon T. H. Masterman, the Rector of St. Mary-le-Bow, Cheapside, in the City of London. The Bishop of Ottawa opened the conference with prayer.

Mrs. Chilcott, the wife of the Rector of Ancaster, died on May 10th, after a three-days' illness. She was a devoted member of the W.A., and took a most active interest in parish matters. Many of the neighbouring clergy attended the funeral on May 12th. The services in the church were taken by the Bishop of the diocese, Rev. Canon Spencer and Rev. Dr. Gardiner, and at the grave by the Bishop and Archdeacon Forneret. Besides her husband, there are left four sons and four daughters to mourn the loss of a devoted mother.

The "Canadian Courier" is running a series of articles on the Church, its Work, its Failure and its Success, written by a number of ministers of different communions, and probably two or three well-known laymen. The object is to try to get a common ground for united work of the Church with regard to the great questions of the day. It is a hopeful sign that a paper which has nothing at all to do directly with the Church should undertake to organize a campaign of publicity for Church purposes. Dr. A. E. Ribourg, of St. Alban's Cathedral, Toronto, had an article last week on the Church's task.

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