

ANNUAL OF  
CENTENARY.

Methodist Church Raised About  
\$22,000 During Year.

Will Undertake Financial Re-  
sponsibility of Garth Mission.

Special Efforts For Missions Was  
a Successful One.

The annual meeting of Centenary Methodist Church was held last evening in the Sunday school, and a large number were present. Rev. R. Whiting conducted the opening exercises, and expressed his appreciation of the interest that was being taken in the work, as was manifest by the large gathering. He then called upon Mr. S. F. Lazier, K. C., to occupy the chair.

Mr. Lazier called for discussion in regard to the reports, but very few questions were asked, and they were satisfactorily answered. The reports were then adopted as a whole.

The meeting decided to accept the recommendation of the Methodist Local Union and assume the financial management of the new Garth Street Mission, established last year by Zion Tabernacle, which, in its early days, was a mission of Centenary.

The report of the Sunday school was very encouraging, and a large increase has resulted from a membership campaign, in which the whole school took part. The special effort begun more than a year ago along missionary lines proved successful, and the year's contributions to missions from all sources amounted to over \$4,500.

The report of the deacons was as follows: Canvassing calls, 700; missionary and parish calls, 703; calls upon the sick, 91; business calls, 96; calls received at the home, 35; total number of calls, 1,625; magazines and books distributed, 187; new garments distributed, 161; articles of bedding distributed, 12; articles of furniture distributed, 9; families supplied with food, 30; jars of fruit distributed, 17; delicacies for sick distributed, 1,025; magazines and books distributed, 9; families supplied with fuel, 11; emergency money spent, \$143.11; persons for whom work was secured, 9; number of times teaching in Sunday school, 33; number of times teaching Mission Band, 9; special meetings attended, 7; meetings led, 10; meetings addressed on Deacons work, 9; hours spent in nursing, 19; letters, written, 116. The receipts were \$400.93 and disbursements \$398.05, leaving a balance of \$2.88.

The trust fund receipts amounted to \$5,774.80, and the disbursements to \$5,706.31, leaving \$68.49 still on hand.

The Quarterly Board receipts amounted to \$3,935.57, and the disbursements to \$3,948.17, leaving a balance of \$12.40.

The Mission Band receipts amounted to \$236.93; expenditures to \$233.79.

The financial summary is as follows:

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| Trustee Board             | \$5,432.47 |
| Debt and improvement fund | 3,771.97   |
| Ladies' Aid Society       | 410.88     |
| Superannuation fund       | 476.00     |
| Educational fund          | 236.41     |
| Poor fund                 | 198.11     |
| Firewise Club             | 12.00      |
| Literary Society          | 3,541.81   |
| Adana sufferers' fund     | 3,402.14   |
| Quarterly Board           | 1,117.54   |
| Mission Circle            | 190.05     |
| Mission Band              | 186.84     |
| Sunday School             | 936.99     |
| Deacons Aid Society       | 265.80     |

The church membership report, submitted by F. M. Robinson, clerk of the roll, was as follows: Received by profession of faith, 45; by letter, 84; total, 129. Removed by death, 17; by removal and other causes, 54; total, 71.

The present membership is 810, or an increase for the year of 58.

The officers are:

Ministers—Rev. J. V. Smith (incoming), Rev. Richard Whiting, B. A. (retiring), Rev. R. B. Rowe, Rev. W. S. Pascoe, D. D., Rev. W. S. Griffin, D. D., Local preachers—W. W. Robinson, George Gerrie, H. W. Robinson, S. F. Lazier, Seneca Jones, Mrs. Huggall, Mrs. Joseph Greene, Miss Cartmell, J. L. Stoney, J. M. Peregrine.

District leaders—F. M. Robinson, W. C. Morton, Thomas W. Watkins, S. F. Lazier, M. A. L. B., Recording Steward.

Society representatives: H. H. Fearman, J. A. Griffith, J. G. Cioke, C. A. Birge, J. W. Gierle, E. F. Lazier and P. B. Griffith.

Sabbath School Superintendent—Joa. J. Greene.

Assistant Superintendent—A. E. Manning.

Representative from Trustee Board—J. Orr Callaghan.

President of Ladies' Aid—Mrs. Charles Hardy.

President of Women's Missionary Auxiliary—Mrs. J. S. Atkinson.

President Firewise Club—Ralph C. Ripley.

Trustee Board—J. Orr Callaghan, Church Steward; H. A. Eager, C. V. Emory, M. D.; J. J. Green, Secretary; H. S. Griffin, M. D.; Seneca Jones, S. F. Lazier, K. C.; Wm. C. Morton, J. M. Peregrine, T. H. Pratt, C. A. Birge; W. A. Robinson, Treasurer; W. W. Robinson, George Sweet, Thomas W. Watkins, Alfred Ward, P. W. Stewart; F. W. Watkins.

Few Committee—Alfred Ward, J. W. Morton, Harry Fearman.

RUSSIA'S YELLOW PERIL.

Siberian Districts Overrun by Thousands of Koreans and Chinese.

St. Petersburg, June 16.—A bill has been introduced in the Duma providing that measures be taken against the influx of Koreans and Chinese, and other aliens in the Amur district. The Siberian deputies emphasize the desirability of securing experts to assist in the elaboration of such measures.

## WHITE SLAVERY.

Montreal Third City in America in the Traffic.

Washington, D.C., June 15.—Secretary Nagel is determined to stamp out the white slave traffic in this country and to this end he has reinforced the small army of special agents which is engaged in running down the slave dealers. So successful have been the operations of these agents that in the first five months of this year the dealers and their victims have far exceeded the record made during the entire twelve months of 1908. In the important case of unfortunate girls for unlawful purposes, New York stands first in the list, with Seattle second and Montreal third.

During the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1908, the Government arrested and deported 118 girls and 12 of the "dealers." In January, February and March of this year 82 young women were deported, together with 15 "dealers." In April 33 girls and six "dealers" were deported, and last month 34 victims and seven of their captors were sent back to the countries from which they came.

## DEATH OF J. E. SCOTT.

An Old Resident of Dunnville and Former Government Official.

Dunnville, June 16.—Mr. John E. Scott, a life-long resident of this vicinity, dropped dead about 7 o'clock this evening, apoplexy being the cause assigned. In early life he was associated in business with the late Senator McCallum, and built the piers at Port Maitland, at Burlington Beach, and other important works. In 1871 he was appointed Superintendent of Government Works at Dunnville, a position he held until a year ago, when he was superannuated, and received the Imperial long-service medal. He was a Mason for over 50 years, and a member of the Anglican Church. He is survived by a widow and three children.

## RETAIL MERCHANTS.

Tenth Annual Convention Opened at Brockville.

Brockville, June 16.—The tenth annual convention of the Retail Merchants' Association opened here to-day. During the afternoon the visitors engaged in committee work, and later were given a drive about the town.

At a public meeting this evening the city of Brockville was the scene of a demonstration of the people of the Dominion Government should appoint a Trade Commission, on lines similar to the organization of the Railway Commission. Secretary E. M. Trowen, Toronto, scored the Ontario Government for aiding an organized body of peddlers with headquarters at Hamilton on the last day of the session, giving them rights and privileges that were denied the Canadian retail merchants.

## U. S. INCOME TAX.

President Taft Advocates Some Radical Changes in Constitution.

Washington, June 16.—President Taft's expected message advocating the imposition of a two per cent. tax on the incomes of corporations, and recommending the adoption of a joint resolution submitting to the people of the States the question of amending the constitution to permit a tax to be levied on the incomes of individuals, was sent to the Senate to-day.

Mr. Taft makes the point that besides providing additional revenues amounting to not less than \$25,000,000, the tax on corporation incomes will furnish the means of a closer supervision of the financial and business transactions of corporations. The message was referred to the Finance Committee, and immediately thereafter Mr. Bailey served notice that when the committee reported back a joint resolution to amend the constitution so as to enable Congress to enact an income law he would offer a substitute resolution for a graduated income tax, to be levied immediately.

## SUBSIDIARY NAVY.

Australia Would Undertake to Police the Pacific.

Melbourne, June 16.—Colonel Foxton, Australia's delegate to the Defence Conference, sailed to-day. He is authorized to discuss alternatives to the gift of a Dreadnought, including the provision of a great naval base for the Imperial navy at a great Australian port, and the assumption by the Australian navy of full responsibility for policing the Pacific.

Colonel Foxton will assure the Admiralty of the desire of the Commonwealth to accept British guidance in the construction and management of the proposed subsidiary navy, and to undertake that the whole of Australia's warlike machinery will be so organized as to be instantly available for any Imperial emergency. He will also, however, be able to promise the enlistment of Australians in military forces for other than home defence.

Have You Poor Eyesight?

Blurring of vision, weak or watery eyes, headaches, inflamed eyelids, or eye-balls, or do your eyes tire easily? If so, you probably need glasses. Examination free, and glasses supplied at a moderate price (if required) by J. W. Gerrie, druggist and doctor of optics, 32 James street north.

## AT CARLISLE.

The funeral of Mrs. Joseph Mills took place on Sunday, June 6. Mrs. Mills had been a great sufferer for many weeks, and death came to her relief on June 4. She leaves two sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a kind mother. The service was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Morris, of Carlisle.

At Rosthern, Sask., the coroner's jury which has been investigating the death of Mrs. Dyck, the wife of a foreign settler, has brought in a verdict that death was due to neglect through treatment given her by a man known as Dr. Rolph, and his wife, of this village. They will be arrested.

## TIMES PATTERNS.



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At St. Andrew's Church, King street, Toronto, the marriage of Miss Eileen Nisora, only child of the Hon. Lyman Melvin Jones and Mrs. Jones, to the Rev. T. Crawford Brown, pastor of St. Andrew's, took place yesterday afternoon before a large and fashionable assemblage. The decorations were of the most elaborate design, and were carried out in masses of marigolds, palms and smilax. The church screen was covered with a hanging curtain of smilax, with masses of marigolds, looped back to allow the bride party to pass under the arch. All down the centre were festoons of silken ropes, and a procession advanced to the altar in steps, where a gate of flowers was opened for the procession. The service was fully choral, with splendid choir, and Dr. Anderson presided at the organ. A book with the service complete was ready for each guest. Mr. George Dixon sang a beautiful solo.

The bride came in with her father, who gave her away, preceded by two small flower girls, Miss Annette Osborne and Miss Gertrude Morrison, in prettiest of white embroidered frocks of pale green, and carrying holders of marigolds. The bride's dress was a marvel of the costliest art. A white silver satin and chiffon underdress was covered with an exquisitely embroidered silk net over-dress, the design carried out in pearls, silver, and crystals; splendid Brussels lace was ranged at the foot and edged the long court train of broad silk, the pattern in lily design being again splendidly embroidered in pearls, crystals and silver. This court train was the one worn in presentation to their Majesties, and was carried by two pages, Walter Campbell Macdonald and Master Gordon MacLean, in French Court costume of pale green and white satin, with gold embroidery. The bodice of the beautiful dress was draped with point de Venise lace and the embroidery of net and pearls and silver, long veil of Brussels lace with deep border was arranged over the face with a coronal of orange blossoms, and a shower of lilies of the valley was carried; the only ornament worn was a heavy gold bracelet, set with large diamonds, the gift of the groom. The maid of honor was Miss Louise Manning, Sault Ste. Marie, a cousin of the bride, who wore a lovely dress of palest lemon color marquisette over satin, all plisse, inserted with lace and touch of gold large hat of tulle the same shade as the dress, with big clusters of marigolds with gold centres; long tulle streamers fell over the shoulders of the skirt, caught again with bunches of marigolds at the foot.

The bridesmaids, Miss Davies, Vancouver, B. C., and Miss Elizabeth Black-couper, B. C., wore similar dresses, but in pale mauve. All carried showers of marigolds and pink roses, and wore heart-shaped pendants with baroque pearls, with chain, the gift of the groom, who also presented to the little flower girls bar pins, with pearls, and gold fobs to the pages. The best man was Major Michie, and the ushers were Mr. Eric Armour, Mr. Stephen Jones, Mr. Vincent Massey, Mr. Sidney Band, Mr. Norman Perry and Dr. Burson, who each received a pin set as a memento.

The Rev. Dr. Eakin officiated, assisted by the Rev. R. J. Macdonald, and the Rev. J. M. Macdonald. After the ceremony some six hundred guests were received by Mrs. Melvin Jones at her residence in St. George street, where the rooms were embowered with marguerites and ferns everywhere, an arch of lilies and marigolds being arranged for Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Brown to stand under, with a large bell in the centre of the same flowers. The bride's table was massed with lilies of the valley, and a big marquee was arranged on the lawn.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who came from Ottawa to attend the wedding, proposed the health of the bride in a delightful speech, responded to quite charmingly by the groom.

Mrs. Melvin Jones wore a beautiful gown of orchid mauve, with a mauve-plumed hat. Later on Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Brown left for a trip to Sweden and Norway, the going-away dress being of blue rajah silk, elaborately embroidered in black and gold, with ki-mon-like coat, big black plumed hat, touched with gold. Mr. and Mrs. Brown will be away for the summer. Mrs. Davies, aunt of the bride, wore a pale blue and mauve shot silk, lace tulle hat, with pink roses; Mrs. Hugh Guthrie, pale blue charmeuse, beautifully embroidered with gems, white hat and lilies of the valley; Mrs. Manning, black chintilly lace over white satin, black picture hat. Mr. Thomas Brown, Richmond, Ont., father of the groom, was also present, other guests from out of town being Hon. G. P. Graham, Brockville, and Mrs. Graham; Senator and Mrs. Gibson, Beamsville; Mr. Hugh Guthrie, M. P., and Mrs. Melvin Creelman, Montreal.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier gave a beautiful cameo vase, and the Strathcona Chapter, Imperial Daughters of the Empire, of which the bride is a member, presented her with a pretty silver work table. The bride's gifts to the groom were a silver and a gold pocket watch; the Hon. Melvin Jones gave his daughter a magnificent cheque; a grand piano was one of the many gifts also received from Mrs. Melvin Jones. The officers of the 48th Highlanders, the Rev. Mr. Brown is Chaplain, presented a large silver salver. There were numerous other gifts.

## Watery Blood

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The hundred thousand dollars received by the Government from the G. T. R. Company for a site for the company's new million dollar hotel in Major's Hill Park, Ottawa, will be applied by the Ottawa Improvement Commission in converting Nepean Point embankment into a public park and driveway.

SHE SWORE  
AT SERVANTS

So Says a Former Employee of Mr. and Mrs. Gould.

Had to Leave, Could Not Endure Abuse, He Testifies.

Mr. Shearn Says He Has at Least 50 Witnesses in Rebuttal.

New York, June 16.—Howard Gould did not go on the stand to-day, as had been expected, to testify against his wife, Katherine Clemmons Gould, whose suit for separation he is opposing. Instead there was a continuation of servants' gossip, accounts by menials of their former mistress' eccentricities, humiliating details, as sworn to on the stand, of Mrs. Gould's alleged fondness for alcohol and her manner at such times, when what the witnesses said was influence of liquor brought from her lips remarks that are, to say the least, ill-suited to a woman's tongue. Indications are that the plaintiff must endure for another day, possibly for two, the embarrassing ordeal of listening to the testimony of former servants, all of whom have been called at the instance of her husband to sustain, if possible, his contention that living with his wife was impracticable and decidedly unpleasant, hence that the charge of abandonment, the mainstay of Mrs. Gould's case, is not borne out.

As several other witnesses are to be called by the defence, announcement was made by Justice Dowling just before adjournment of the case in the Supreme Court to-day that late sessions will be held during the remainder of the week.

What Katherine Clemmons Gould heard to-day was but a reiteration, and in some respects an amplification of yesterday's testimony, the basis of which was that at various times at the great Long Island show place, Castle Gould, the had, according to the witnesses, been intoxicated, had abused menials, given arbitrary and unreasonable commands to the servants and had used rather severe language in altercations with her husband.

Cochman, gardener, chambermaid and other servants went on the stand and swore to the demeanor of the woman who used to give them orders. An occasion when she would have fallen from her carriage but for the protecting arm of a coachman, an attempt of her to drive through a closed gate, a falling which intoxicated, as he testified, were among the things alleged as Long Island rustic or former servant went on and passed from the witness stand.

SAID SHE SWORE AT SERVANTS.

A carpenter, Herbert Trotter, was the last witness of the day. He said that once, when he was working in the servants' quarters, Mrs. Gould rushed in and swore at and abused the servants.

"Her voice was shaky and incoherent, her hair disheveled, and she was very profane. She was decidedly drunk," said the witness.

Trotter said he saw Mrs. Gould intoxicated at Blue Gap farm, the Gould place in Virginia.

"One night she came in from driving, drunk," said the witness, "and began to abuse me and a man named Tony. She said to me she wanted the big seven-foot hall clock moved, and I told her I would have it moved, and she said: 'Why, I can move it myself.' She was staggering drunk. She grabbed the heavy clock and both she and the clock fell against the wall together."

Trotter said he refused finally to work at the Blue Gap farm on account of Mrs. Gould's abusive conduct. He testified that Mrs. Gould was only "occasionally intoxicated," during her stay of ten days at the Blue Gap farm, when he was there.

"You mean not as often as at Castle Gould," queried Mr. Shearn on cross-examination.

"Yes."

"How many times do you think she was intoxicated during that ten days?"

DRUNK EVERY OTHER DAY.

"Every other day."

The witness testified that Mrs. Gould once fell off her chair, when intoxicated, and for several days at a time at Castle Gould seemed to be drinking all the time.

Referring to the time when Trotter said Mrs. Gould fell off a chair and lay on the floor helpless, Mr. Shearn pointed his finger at the witness and shouted:

"Did you not put something in Mrs. Gould's coffee that night at Blue Gap farm?"

"I certainly did not."

"Don't you recall that Mrs. Gould accused you of poisoning her at Blue Gap farm?"

"I certainly do not."

Court adjourned until 10:30 o'clock to-morrow morning after Trotter left the stand. After adjournment Mrs. Gould's counsel argued a motion in another part of the Supreme Court for \$20,000 counsel fees and \$3,900 for extra expenses. Mr. Gould's lawyer opposed the motion. The court will take the matter under consideration and decide whether the allowance of \$5,000 granted some time ago by Justice Bischoff is sufficient to recompense Mr. Shearn for his services.

In his argument Mr. Shearn made it clear that the bout trial will continue at least a week. He declared that he had 50 witnesses in rebuttal.

STRIKE LEADERS BUSY.

Outcome of Trouble in Hawaii is Still Uncertain.

Honolulu, June 16.—The four editors of a Japanese newspaper and several others of the seventeen Japanese arrested last Saturday and yesterday on indictments growing out of the strike of sugar plantation laborers, were released on bail to-day and their preliminary hearings set for to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

The situation remained virtually unchanged to-day. No attempt was made by the striking laborers to interfere with such of their countrymen as have returned to work. Many conferences were held between the delegates from bodies of strikers from various parts of the islands, but what plans the strike leaders agreed on were not made known.

Teas may come, and teas may go, but "Salada" goes on—slowly, but surely, winning its way into the homes of millions of satisfied users.

Dr. C. W. Dickson has severed his connection with Queen's University. He had been lecturer in chemistry.

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30c corset cover embroideries at 13c

SHARP at 10 o'clock and for one hour only, as a rare bargain, we will sell good 25c and 30c handsomely embroidered Muslin and Cambric Corset Cover Embroidery; work extends deep down, ribbon heading at top, fast edges, only 13c.

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Up to 35c satin and silk ribbons 5c

RICH, double satin and silk Ribbons, in beautiful qualities and finishes, 2 to 3 1/2 inches wide, suitable for fancy work, dress trimming, etc., in shades of white, cream, navy, brown, gold, reseda, grey, cerise, Nile, pink. Regular good 35c qualities, to-morrow for one hour (11 to 12 o'clock), at, only.

30c umbrella drawers 19c

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A noon and for one hour, 73 only Men's and Boys' nicely made Flannelette Shirts, collar attached, good full make, pearl buttons, neat stripes, in pink blue and brown combinations. All sizes. On sale reduced for first time and while they last for one hour only.

THOMAS C. WATKINS HAMILTON ONTARIO

DUNDAS.

A Number of Events Fixed For Near Future.

Dundas, June 17.—Among visitors in town during this week were Mr. and Mrs. I. Smith, Fruitland; Mrs. Mann and lad, Brantford; Wm. Barncott, Aylmer; Mrs. Ford and daughter, New York; J. B. Kilgour and Mrs. McLaren, Winnipeg; Mrs. Whit. Millard, Saskatoon.

Reeve Binkley, of West. Flamboro', and Mrs. Binkley leave in a few days for an extended westward trip. Going by way of Chicago and St. Paul, they will visit the great World's Exposition, now being held in Seattle. They will return by way of the Canadian North-west, visiting a number of the towns and cities that have grown up there during the past 25 years.

Among people out of town are Miss Birdie Bowly, at Burlington Beach; Mrs. W. H. C. Fisher, in Toronto; Miss Vida Smith, in Toronto; Mrs. Robt. Arthur, in Toronto; Mrs. Harvey Hill, in Brockville; Miss Edith Porter, in St. Thomas; Mrs. (Dr.) Jacques, in Simcoe; Misses Marion and Nona Gwyn, in Toronto; Woodville Cowper, in St. Catharines.

Mr. Robert Kerr, jun., left on Monday on a two weeks' business trip to Eastern Ontario.

Rev. J. T. and Mrs. Smith leave to-day on a two months' holiday at Grimsby, Chataqua and other places.

Geo. Smithdale and family leave for England on Saturday on an extended visit.

Miss Jessie Keagay and Clara Pennington are home from Victoria College, Toronto, both having successfully passed their examinations.

Dr. Bertram left on Monday for a week's visit at his summer home at Canoe Lake, Muskoka. He was accompanied by Fraser and Goldie Pirie.

Major and Mrs. Knowles and Miss Knowles left this morning for a couple of months' visit in the old land. They sail by the Trinidad on Saturday.

Lieut.-Col. Bertram, commander of the Bisley team, left last night for Montreal on his way to England. He was accompanied by Mrs. Bertram and Miss Florence. Colonel Bertram will inspect the Bisley team before sailing to-day.

Coming events:

June 17.—W. C. T. U. and other ladies meet at Y. M. C. A. to arrange for reception to 77th boys on their return from camp.

June 22.—Annual concert, Methodist Church choir.

June 23.—Entrance examinations begin in Dundas.

June 24.—Methodist Epworth League picnic at Amble's Wood.

June 29.—Old-fashioned strawberry husking bee in Baptist Church.

June 29.—Annual garden party at St. James' rectory.

July 1.—House of Providence annual picnic.

July 10.—Dundas Civic Holiday and the great burlesque double circus—a great day.

## 10,000 WILL STRIKE

In Endeavor to Prevent Introduction of Open-Shop System.

Pittsburg, June 16.—More than 10,000 skilled workmen, members of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, who are employed by the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company, a subsidiary of the United States Steel Corporation, will quit work on the night of June 30, at which time the open-shop order of the company becomes effective. President P. J. McArdle, of the Amalgamated Association, says that it has been decided to make every possible resistance to all efforts to carry out that policy.

Welland Liberals.

Welland, June 15.—The following officers of the Welland County Reform Association were elected to-day: President, J. H. Crow; Welland, First Vice-President, C. D. Emmett; Stamford, Second Vice-President, John Logan; Niagara Falls, Secretary, D. B. White; Niagara Falls, Treasurer, V. H. Robinson; Niagara Falls South.

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