

OUR OLD FRIENDS' DIRECTORY.

In this column we publish each month the names and addresses of one hundred subscribers, together with the dates of their arrival in Canada. Unless otherwise stated the post offices are situated in the Province of Ontario.

NAME.	POST OFFICE.	COUNTY.	DATE OF ARRIVAL IN CANADA.
ADAMS, HENRY	Dresden	Kent	March, '93
ANDERSON, JOHN	Seckerton	Lambton	April, '95
ALLEN, JOHN	Point Edward	Lambton	April, '91
BROSTER, WALTER	Shelbourne	Grey	March, '93
BOSTON, VIVIAN	Hawley	Lennox	June, '93
BROWN, JOHN THOMAS	Dromore	Grey	April, '91
BLUNT, ALBERT	Blair	Waterloo	March, '92
BUDD, HY. W. J.	Lady Bank	Grey	March, '92
BOLTON, JOHN H. E.	Lang	Peterboro	April, '89
BRANDON, ROBERT	Thorncliffe	Kent	Aug., '87
BRISTOW, ALF. J.	Snell Grove	Peel	April, '88
CLARKE, EDGAR F.	Cairngorm	Middlesex	March, '93
COLLINS, HARRY	Nipissing	Parry Sound	March, '92
CHEESEMAN, GEORGE	Fraserville	Durham	Sept., '92
CANEY, GEORGE	Mansewood	Halton	April, '85
COLLARD, EMILE	Columbus	Ontario	April, '88
CHAPMAN, FRED'K.	Box 69, Coboconk	Victoria	June, '86
DIXON, WM.	Clarke	Durham	Sep., '94
DAVIES, JAS. W.	Andrewsville	Lanark	June, '93
DREWRY, WILLIAM C.	Avonbank	Ferth	April, '89
DAINTON, ALFRED	Wallacetown	Elgin	July, '94
DEVINE, THOMAS	Ivan	Middlesex	June, '91
EDMONDS, CHAS. W.	Milford Bay	Simcoe	July, '94
EVANS, EDWARD	Dresden	Kent	April, '94
FERRIS, ARCHIBALD	Fern Hill	Middlesex	Oct., '93
FREEMAN, GEORGE E.	Mt. Pleasant	Durham	July, '92
FRYER, WILLIAM	Mt. Forest	Wellington	June, '93
FOLEY, DANIEL	Sarnia	Lambton	March, '87
GRANT, AUSTIN	Essex	Essex	June, '93
GUY, WILLIAM E.	Newtonbrook	York	April, '94
GYDE, WM. A.	Hereward	Wellington	March, '93
GRIFFITHS, WM. E.	Fingerboard	Victoria	June, '93
GUDGEON, ALFRED S.	Varency		Aug., '89
HANNA, CHAS.	Derryville	Ontario	June, '90
HURRELL, HY. T.	Redwood	Simcoe	Nov., '91
HALLAM, A. S.	Essex	Essex	Aug., '93
HARRISON, C.	Owen Sound	Grey	Sep., '92
HOLLAND, DANIEL	Wallaceburg	Kent	April, '89
HAWKINS, WM. I.	Wallaceburg	Kent	April, '95
HAWKER, WM. R.	Canton	Durham	April, '94
HOGSDEN, ARTHUR	Napier	Middlesex	July, '92
HOLDEN, HENRY	Cairngorm	Middlesex	June, '93
JONES, HARRY	Box 326, Acton	Halton	July, '92
JONES, ALBERT E.	Goderich	Huron	March, '92
JOHNSON, HY. J.	Lindsay	Victoria	April, '85

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JACKSON, ERNEST	Parry Sound	Muskoka	April, '89
JENNINGS, WM	Thorold	Welland	April, '90
KINGSBURY, GABRIEL	St. John's West	Welland	June, '93
LEVERSUCH, WM. F.	Box 37, Clinton	Huron	March, '93
LING, SAMUEL M.	Carlingford	Perth	March, '93
LUBBOCK, WALTER	Scotland	Oxford	March, '92
LANE, JOHN	Northwood	Kent	April, '94
LEVERINGTON, WM H.	Box 39, Wardsville	Middlesex	Nov., '91
LAW, JOHN	Cedar Mills	Peel	April, '86
LOVELADY, JOHN	Feversham	Grey	July, '94
LLOYD, DAVID A.	Exeter	Middlesex	March, '92
LLOYD, WM.	Thamesville	Kent	Nov., '91
LANGDON, ISRAEL	Wallaceburg	Kent	March, '92
MURPHY, JOSEPH	Reaboro'	Victoria	June, '90
MILLAR, EDWARD	Mohawk	Brant	July, '94
MAFLIN, JAMES.	Southampton	Bruce	March, '93
MORRIS, GEORGE R.	Mono Mills	Peel	June, '88
MILLS, ROBERT J.	Beeton	Simcoe	April, '94
MAYNARD, JOHN C.	Drumquin	Halton	March, '92
NOTT, JOHN D.	Davenport	York	Nov., '91
NORRISON, HY.	Strathburn	Middlesex	June, '90
NICOLAS, HENRY	Arva'	Middlesex	Aug., '93
NEWELL, THOMAS	Thornehurst	Lambton	June, '93
PETTITT, HENRY.	Russell, Man		June, '83
PECKHAM, GEO.	Boyle	Welland	July, '94
PIKE, ALFRED G.	Clandeboye	Middlesex	April, '94
PERRY, JOHN D.	Wyoming	Lambton	July, '92
QUINN, WM. G.	Petrolea	Lambton	June, '91
ROWLEY, JOHN H.	Elmvale	Simcoe	Aug., '91
RICHARD, R. W.	Metropolitan	Perth	Aug., '91
RICKSON, ROBERT W.	Strathburn	Middlesex	March, '92
RELF, ALBERT E.	Cheltenham	Peel	July, '94
RAVINI, ALEX.	Belleville	Hastings	July, '84
SANDERS, ED.	Constance	Huron	June, '89
STEPNEY, WM.	Primrose	Dufferin	April, '91
SMITH, FRED'K	Bowmanville	Durham	April, '90
STANTON, HERBERT	Glencoe	Middlesex	April, '89
SANDFORD, WM.	Kars	Carleton	Aug., '87
SARSON, ARTHUR W.	Camlachie	Lambton	April, '94
TUCKER, WM.	Petrolea	Lambton	Aug., '91
THOMAS, WM.	Ripley	Bruce	March, '92
TIMSON, THOMAS	Blackheath	Wentworth	Sept., '92
TOWNSON, FRANCIS G.	Tuscarora	Brant	April, '95
TURNER, VALENTINE	Mono Mills	Peel	June, '89
TITMUS, ALFRED.	Fowler's Corners	Peterboro'	June, '90
TAYLOR, EDGAR	Badgeros	Grey	March, '87
VIVAL, THOMAS ALF.	Ida	Durham	June, '88
VENUSS, WM. R.	Exeter	Middlesex	July, '95
WILKINSON, GEORGE	Beaverton	Ontario	April, '90
WAY, WALTER G.	Grimby Centre	Wentworth	March, '93
WATKINS, ALFRED J.	Mono Mills	Peel	June, '91
WARD, HY	White Rose	Ontario	June, '89
WOOD, WM, JOHN	Bloomington	Waterloo	July, '85
WILLIAMS, THOMAS H.	Oil Springs	Lambton	July, '95

A FEW PARAGRAPHS FROM THE REPORT OF "DR. BARNARDO'S HOMES" FOR THE YEAR 1894.

Since our last issue, we have received copies of the Director's and Founder's and Committee's 29th Annual Report. From the opening page, with its powerful, forceful appeal for childhood in misfortune, to the last with its columns of figures, telling barely less eloquently of work that has been done during the year, the report teems with interest for those to whom Dr. Barnardo's Homes are something more than a name. For our friends as for ourselves the story of the year's work, told in so masterly a manner, can have but one effect. As they read of trial after trial succeeded by as many triumphs; of opposition, prejudiced and bitter, successfully overcome, and resulting only in fresh friends, greater sympathy and more bountiful help than in the past; well do we know their pulses will quicken and their hearts will be suffused with a sense of intense gratification and thankfulness, not unmixed with exultation.

There are many features of "Dr. Barnardo's Homes," such as some of the various agencies more recently created for extending the work of the Institutions in different directions, accounts of which we think would be read with no small degree of pleasure by our friends. It is our intention to deal with these at length in future issues of our journal. This month all our available space

will be required to publish only a very small proportion of the interesting items which fill the 158 pages of the 29th Annual Report.

"This Report marks the twenty-ninth milestone in a long journey—a journey chequered and toilsome, but yet sweetened with the greatest of earthly pleasures. The march has lain oftentimes through a cheerless and desolate land, encumbered with signs and tokens of wanton neglect and worse than fendish cruelty. Mine has been ambulance work, and often ambulance work under fire; for on the march of rescue I have been harassed with attacks, and in saving the victims I have had continually to fight the oppressors. But weakness often felt has never meant defeat; for the good hand of God has been upon us, and not infrequently has He given us the victory, as well as the precious spoils of the fight."

"And now I pause for a moment in the very midst of the conflict to issue a hasty despatch for the encouragement of "those who tarry by the stuff." For it is in their names, the names of hundreds and thousands of warm and enthusiastic friends who are as yet to me personally utter strangers, that I and my fellow soldiers are carrying on this war. To these friends who have stood by me amid difficulties dire and manifold, and who have inspired me again and again with renewed energy by helpful encouragement, by prayerful remembrances and material support, I humbly dedicate these pages. They contain a brief and all too imperfect sketch of what has been done during the twelve months of 1894; nevertheless I commend the record to their sympathetic perusal, not merely as a story of the past, but as an inspira-

tion for the future. I write in a spirit of the most profound gratitude—gratitude to all my circle of helpers, and, above all, to our Heavenly Father, who has so abundantly blessed His own work in my unworthy hands. For it is, above all and beyond all, Christ's work that the Homes under my care are doing, so that the task of child rescue is placed upon the highest of all levels in motive and in spirit. It is in this light that I would desire the work to be ever regarded by the Church at large, as not merely humanitarian, but as Christian; caring, of course, for the physical and mental needs of the children, but caring far more for their spiritual and moral welfare. To extend the kingdom of God among the children of the slums is, and has ever been, the main hope and aim of my endeavours. In this view of it, our Homes fall into line as a department—and that not the least important—of the whole Church in action, and as such I commend the work of rescue to which God has called me as a sacred charge to the hearts of Christ's people the wide world over."

"The year 1894 has been one of considerable activity and progress. In many directions I have been permitted to make needful extensions, to enter in by new doors of usefulness, and to multiply agencies as well as to strengthen the things that remain." But not without hindrance has this 'Forward Movement' been attempted. Drawbacks, discouragements and obstacles there have been in plenty; opposition, misrepresentation and calumnious attacks have been unceasing; but yet, spite of all these, the course of the work has, on the whole, been one of steady advance.

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