

MONTHLY NOTES

SERVICE ACCOUNT—OCTOBER, 1901.

RECEIPTS.	
Offertory : average \$35.58	\$142 32
" Mission Fund	50
Calendars	1 00
Balance, 31st October	157 15
	\$300 97
EXPENDITURE.	
Balance, 1st October	\$117 32
Clerical Stipend	62 50
Sexton's Salary	25 00
Choir	52
Rent of Piano, 6 months	15 00
Lighting	7 61
Water Rates	6 41
Printing : Monthly Notes	3 10
Repairs : Plumbing	\$20 85
Vestibule	23 75
Sundries	12 26
	56 86
Offertory Calendars	6 75
	\$300 97

THE SCHOOL.

The annual distribution of prizes, having been unavoidably postponed from the usual date, was held on 25th October, in the Crypt, the Bishop presiding, and there being a large attendance of parents and friends of the boys. Subsequently, refreshments were provided in the school building, while a team of the school played, and won, a match of football with a team from Upper Canada College. The following is the prize list.

Mr. Goodman's silver medal for the boy obtaining the highest percentage of marks for studies and conduct, Leonard Dixon.

First form—Reading, P. Hanson; writing, N. Ricketts; arithmetic, R. Dixon; English and Church history, R. Dixon; Scripture history and catechism, R. Dixon; drawing, John Barnes; geography, P. Hanson; spelling, N. Ricketts. Second form—Reading, A. Stranger; writing, G. Maclean; arithmetic, G. Tyrrell; grammar, S. Henderson; Latin, John McDonald; English and Church history, Hugh Peters; Scripture history and catechism, W. Ince; drawing, G. Maclean; geography, J. Macdonald; spelling, G. Maclean; French, R. Wodehouse. Third form—Reading, R. Holland; writing, Bryan Chadwick; arithmetic, N. Millman; Latin, F. Macdonald; English and Church history, R. Andras; Scripture history and catechism, K. Thorne; drawing, B. Chadwick; geography, Reg. Holland; spelling, R. Andras; algebra, N. Millman; French, O. Evans. Fourth form—Reading, L. Dixon; writing, C. Flint; arithmetic, L. Dixon; English grammar, L. Dixon; Latin, M. Sinclair; English and Church history, L. Dixon; Scripture history and

catechism, L. Dixon; drawing, W. T. Forwood; geography, L. Dixon; spelling, M. Sinclair; algebra and Euclid, R. Hilton; French, R. Hilton; Greek, L. Dixon.

ST. ALBAN'S CATHEDRAL YOUNG MEN'S ASSOCIATION.

An association has been formed bearing the above title, having for its object the maintenance of friendly intercourse among the young men of the congregation, especially those who have been together in the choir or in the Sunday School during their early boyhood, and the keeping of such young men in touch with good influences during a period of life which presents many difficulties. His Lordship has accepted the position of Honorary President. The other officers elected are, President, Canon McNab; Honorary Vice-president, M. E. Matthews; Vice-president, John Wood; Secretary-Treasurer, Frank Hamilton; Committee G. Robertson, H. G. Archbold, Arthur Ledger, H. Baylis.

THE CHOIR.

The boys of the choir having performed their work of late with commendable diligence, a feeling has arisen that some scheme should be devised by which satisfactory performance by them of their duties should receive recognition, to the extent at least that certain honours should be awarded to those who show especial ability and aptitude and also are diligent and attentive in the work. The plan suggested is that two boys (if qualified) should be appointed Scholars, thus being advanced to a post of honour, although with our present very limited means it would not be practicable to add a substantial accompaniment to the honour, as we should hope to do at some future time. And in order to lend additional encouragement, it is further suggested that if, when such appointments are already held, any boy should display especial merit, he might be appointed a supernumerary Scholar. When these boys necessarily retire in consequence of change of voice, they would remain on the choir list as "Honorary Scholars," while relieved from duty.

It has also been proposed that a fixed number of Choir Bursaries should be established in connection with the Cathedral school, from which certain advantages would accrue to boys of the school who are also choristers, by the reduction of their school fees. This however would involve some expense, probably \$5.00 per term, of which there are three in the year, in the case of each boy, and this would be dependent upon the liberality of friends.