

Rector and instituted on the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul, 1912. The Bishop of Montreal officiated and the Very Rev. H. P. Almon Abbott, Dean of Niagara, preached the sermon.]

In the year 1913 several meetings of the Vestry were held to consider the change of parish bounds in order to meet the request of St. George's Church for a site.

The block on the south side of Dorchester Street West, between Mackay and Aqueduct Streets, was desired by the corporation of St. George's for their proposed new church. The Vestry acceded to the request and the south-east corner of St. James the Apostle parish, bounded as below, was added to St. George's parish. From Mountain Street on the east to a line running south from Mackay Street on the west; Dorchester Street on the north, and Grand Trunk tracks on the south. This means that practically four blocks were surrendered by St. James' to St. George's.

So great had become the pressure on St. James' by the increasing congregation that enlargement again became a necessity. The Jubilee year of the church seemed to be a fitting time to undertake the work. The city desired a strip from the St. Catherine Street front of the church property in order to widen the street, and the purchase of this strip provided the money for enlargement. The Bishop Street wall had suffered through settling and it became urgently necessary to take it down. So the enlargement was made by pushing the east wall out fifteen feet and building an east transept to correspond with the one on the west. A tower was added in the interests of symmetry, the whole addition being very effective. This gave 200 extra sittings and relieved the congestion of the past few