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ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH TORONTO, EASTER, 1885.

In placing our financial statement for the past year before the Vestry, we do so without much comment, as we feel there is little to which there is any occasion to direct the particular attention of the Vestry. It will be observed that the offertory shews a small sum less than last year, but this is due to the fact that this year has been shorter than last, so that there is in fact an increase The income from pew rents is a little more than last year.

During the past year the church and its appointments have been kept up as well as our means would admit. It has been our policy, continuing that of our predecessors in office for some years past, not only to keep the church and other parish buildings in good repair, but to effect as far as possible a constant improvement-It is, however, to be regretted that there are some things not at all creditable to us, which we have not yet been able to deal with; we may especially mention the fence in front of the Rectory. The plumbing and drainage system of the Rectory having become out of date and partly unserviceable, has been overhauled and renewed at a considerable expense, part of which has been borne by the Rector and part by the Churchwardens. Arrangements are being made for painting the

interior of the school house, and also for excavating beneath it with a view to putting in a furnace.

Another year has gone by, and the long-talked of improvement and renovation of the interior of the church have not yet been proceeded with. It is to be hoped that the work will be undertaken during the coming summer.

A statement of insurances upon the parish buildings, as now existing, is appended.

We have been asked to complete the establishment of a Parochial Scholarship in Trinity College, a by-law for which has already been considered by the Vestry, and should now be passed. We anticipate that the whole amount required will be made up by subscription.

An appeal has been made to us for a grant in aid of the proposed new parish of St. Mary Magdalene, which is one of several intended to be established in outlying parts of the city. The people of that district are not yet able to bear the whole expense of purchasing a site and erecting a church, and as church extension is manifestly of importance not only to those more immediately concerned, but also to the Church at large, it is not unreasonable that the older parishes should be called upon to help in the work. We are not asked to aid largely, or to undertake a heavy burden.

E. M. CHADWICK, G. F. HARMAN, Churchwardens.

CHURCHWARDENS' ACCOUNT. RECEIPTS. Offertory \$2657 92 " Christmas 150 52 Parochial Association 409 00 Guarantee Fund 307 50 Pew Rents 1753 20 On Parish Journal Account 18 75 Total Revenue \$5296 Offertory—Special Collections 621	Upholstering Fuel Gas Water Rates Insurance Synod Assessment Assessment for expenses of Church Congress Interest Sunday School Appropriated for Schoolhouse Repairs Total cost of Maintenance \$50	208 03 151 88 392 45 148 80 6 00 29 64 8 00 249 88 38 21 100 00
EXPENDITURE Section	Synod for Diocesan Home and Foreign Mission Funds : Ascension Day \$52 45 July Collection 14 32 Thanksgiving Day (Algoma) 26 55 Epiphany 74 14 January Collection 25 39 Synod, for Widows and Orphans' Fund 118 56 If the property of the prope	599 01
ENDOWMENT FUND. Amount at Easter, 1884 \$282 Interest capitalized 15 ENDOWMENT FUND. Segriturest capitalized 15 INSURANCES. Church Building, Farniture, Ac.— Commercial Union, to 1st Feb., 1886. \$10000 00 Fire Ins. Assn., to 18th Jan., 1887. 5000 00 British America, to 7th Feb., 1887. 5000 00 Organ— Phonix, to 5th February, 1888 \$1300 00 Fire Ins. Assn., to 5th Feb., 1888. 1300 00 School House— Guardian, to 18th January, 1888 3000 Rectory— Commercial Union, to 4th February, 1888. 3000 \$28600	ESTIMATE FOR THE COMING YEA EXPENSES. Clerical Stipends Choir—Salaries. Salaries. Salaries. Sexton—Salary and other expenses Vestry Clerk—Expenses Repairs and Sundries Fuel and Gas Insurance Interest Synod Assessment Deficit Unforeseen EXPECTED RECEIPTS. Offertory Parochial Association Pew Rents EXPECTED 11	

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MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS	S.	Expenditure.	
PAROCHIAL AND MISSIONARY ASSOCIA Receipts.	TION.	Rev. E. F. Wilson—Wawanosh Home	75 00 58 11
Per Treasurer, Mrs. J. Macnab (monthly subscrip-		Christmas Festival	42 13
tions	\$500 22		2 50 1 98
" Rector (quarterly subscriptions)	525 00	R. Crashley, attendance, &c	3 50
	\$1025 22	Balance of Debt	
Expenditure.		1	
Balance, Easter, 1884	\$2 25	!	\$258_9
C. W. M. A. Society	24 00		
Mission Fund (per The Bishop) Algoma Fund " "	311 35 200 00	An account is still due Messrs. Rowsell & Hutch there is imperative need of a new Library.	ison; and
S. Joseph's Island Mis'n "	10 00	incle is important nector to new Exetting.	
Mattawa Mission " " Churchwardens—for Parochial Mission Work	10 00 409 00		
Special for Divinity Student	55 00		
Printing and Cards	3 50	,	
Balance		ABSTRACT OF ACCOUNTS.	
	\$1025_22		
PAROCHIAL POOR FUND.		Receipts.	
Receipts.		Churchwardens' Account—	
From Churchwardens (Offertory)	\$207 18	Revenue (less \$409 00 per Parochial Association).	\$4887 89 414 64
Private Communion Alms	21.50	Special collections (less 207–18 in Poor Fund) Parochial Association	1025 22
Mothers' Meeting	5 97 54 20	Poor Fund	288 85
		Sunday School	
	\$288 85	Total Receipts	6812 49
Expenditure.		Credit balance from Easter, 1884— Sunday School	2 92
Balance at Easter, 1884	\$34 46	Debit balances carried forward—	
Relief in Rent	51 96 29 00	Churchwardens' Account	134 27 S 57
Monthly Pensioners	26 80	Sunday School	- 0 01
Fuel	38 20		\$6958 25
Food and Lodging	7 90 1 17 90	•	
Boots and Shoes	10 15	Expenditure.	
S. Stephen's Benevolent Society	10 00 1S 93		55010 ns
Funerals, Medicine, and Sundries	43 55	Maintenance, &c	\$5212 35
	\$288 85	Missions and Charities— Per Churchwardens	
		" Parochial and Missionary Ass'n 613 \$5	
SUNDAY SCHOOL.		" Poor Fund	
Receipts.		*********	1297 57
Balance at Easter, 1884	\$2 92	Sunday School Maintenance	183 19
Children's Offerings	61 89		\$6693 11
" (Wawanosh Home)	36 72 1 93	Transferred to Improvement Fund	9 50
For Expenses of Picnic	74 47	Debit balances from Easter, 1884— Churchwardens' Account \$218 81	
" Christmas Festival	18 65 38 21	Parochial Association 2 25	
п и	2 00	Poor Fund	0== ==
" " Sundries	11 31 2 23	Credit balance carried forward.	255 52
Balance	\$ 57	Parochial Association	0 12
•	\$258 90		\$6958 25

OFFICERS, &c., OF THE PARISH OF ST. GEORGE THE MARTYR, TORONTO.

CHURCHWARDENS.

E. M. CHADWICK, 44 St. George Street. George F. Harman, 20 St. Patrick Street.

SIDESMEN.

HUSON W. M. MURRAY. ROBERT SPRATT. ELMES HENDERSON. ROBERT L. COWAN. FRANK CAYLEY. ALEX, M. BROWNE. BRUCE HARMAN. ALBERT HARVARD. A. J. Burrowes-Close. CHARLES FOSTER. INGLIS LOUGH, M.D. RICHARD B. STREET. Beverley Jones. HARRY HAYES. A. H. LIGHTBOURN. WM. KIRKPATRICK.

JOHN MARTLAND.

CHOIR.

Precentor. --The Rectol, of officio.

Organist and Choir Messer. -E. W. Phillips, 71 McCaul StMembers of Committee. --Mrs. F. Plumb, Miss Parsons,
E. W. Schuch, J. S. Norrie.

Secretary.—F. Lewis-Bird. Treasurer -G. Burton.

SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Superintendent.—J. R. Cartwright, McCaul Street.

2 Treasurer.—Miss Cayley.

REPRESENTATIVES IN SYNOD.

HUSON W. M. MURBAY. EDWARD M. CHADWICK. ELMES HENDERSON.

PAROCHIAL TRIBUNAL UNDER CANON OF SYNOD

THE RECTOR AND CHURCHWARDENS & officio.

RICHARD SNELLING, LL.D. D'ALTON McCARTHY, Q.C.

PAROCHIAL ASSOCIATION.

President.—The Rector.
Vice-President.—Rev. W. Clark.
Members.—All Parish Officers and Workers.

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President.—Rev. J. D. Cayley.
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Parish Workers can obtain copies of the "Vestry List," revised and corrected to November, 1884, on application to Rector or Churchwardens.

The Revenue of this Parish is derived from the Offertory and Pew Rents, of which the former is relied upon as the principal source of income.

Offertory Envelopes will be supplied to those who are willing to contribute in this way to the maintenance of the Church and Ministry.

PAROCHIAL NEEDS.—Besides the means of meeting ordinary expenditure—

- 1. Debt, \$3.500, should be paid off, or at least reduced, but the ordinary revenue is insufficient to provide funds for this purpose. One dollar monthly from every pewholder would soon extinguish it.
- 2. The improvement of the Church, to render it more worthy and suitable for the sacred purpose to which it is consecrated. \$3,000 is wanted for this, and would be provided if every family in the Congregation gave a moderate sum towards it.
- 3. Donations and bequests towards an endowment, of which there is at present a sum of \$280 only.