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## Bishop's Appointments for June.

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## Notes by the Way.

Attention is drawn to the change of Treasurer of the diocese. See another column.

Rki. T. J. Hay, missionary at Mlurillu, destres us to say that his post eflace ad dress is West Furt William, Ontanu.

TORONTO, JUNE 1,1 Sg9.
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Thiske are half a dozen new places where the services of the Church are being asked for. lack of more means at present holds the Bishop back from enierng the open door.

Mr. Ju-l.pil Warine, arrived from ling land in tume to meet a number of Agoma unssonaries at the Sundridge conlerence. We were in error in stating that Mr. Warmy came from St. lionface College, War munster. He was at St. Bees'.
lils. mcumbency of the misston of Emsdale, which became vacant bs the death of Kev. A. W. 11. Chowim, has been accepted by Kev. A. H. Allman, at present of C'fington. Mr. Allman takes charge about ist of Augus: next.
ikev. F. J. Brithan Stoker, deaconincharge of Haileybu:y and other statuons in the Temiscamingue District, is reported to be very poorly, being obliged to give up duty and some out for medical advice. He seems to be suffering from nervuus exhaustion and depression.

The more we do, and the mure we give, the greater are the opportunties which open to be "bought up" and the larger are God's splendid claims on all we are and all we have, and, if He demands all our oil and all our meal, we have bus to have faith to find that both barrel and cruse are inexhaustible. - Tice Bishap of 1/ashonaland.

Tin Afission Chrimicle of the Scoll:sh Episcopal Church for April last contans an appreciative article in memory of Bishep, Sullivan. At its conclusion $1 t$ urges our friends in Scotland to send this year a contribution to our Bishop to assist in forming the much needed Sustentation Fund now being established as a memorial to his predecessor.

Civerk the head of ".tcknowieds ments" on the last page of our May
number the bhenese of Gueber W. A., is credited with the sum of $\ddagger+00$ pad to wards the Bishop Sullivill Memormal Sustemation Fund by Mo, Irvine, who writes us to say tha. Hough sent from Yuebec, Mrs. Irvile, as Proviteral Treas urer, furwarded the mones whoth came from the lafe Members' fees of th Pro vinctal Board.

Kel. C. J. Mums, who was to leave England by the steamshup /omennom on May isth, to resume worh in the doceese, will in all probatility tee with us before this appears to tgpe. Mr. Machin is a veleran S. P. G. dequtatuon and leave: again in the fall fur England, where en gage.nents ate already made tur than for the last three months of i יy
. 1 wh is cotnmg when it will matter nothing where we heed, nur in what occu pation, nor amudst what circumstances, but only horel we wrought and 11 what spirt we suffered. There have been those who in the fanth of Jesus Clirst have not only performed fathfully unwelcome du tes, but even turned them mina splendid service. - Deall V'tughant.

The widow of the late Kev. A. W. If. Chowne thanks of gomg to luranto los live. In that case her summer campl cot. tage on the banks of the river at liunts ville will be to remt. Sonne vistor to the Muskoka Lake region might lec glad to ubtain the use of the little camy during the season. Mrs. (howne has also a tent ( $12 \times 20 \mathrm{ft}$.) which she would like to sell.

Thit, uniy futter that stagnates over the dram bars in the heart of the foul city is no: altogether base, down in that, if you will look deep enough, you may see the dark serious blue of the far off sky, and the passing of the pure clouds. It is at yout own will that you sec, in that des pied strean, ether the rifuse of the street, or the mage of the sh) Rusk.n

The people to whom Rev. J. P. Smitheman ministered at Korah made presents to him and to lus wife on the eve of their departure for schreiber, a point on the C.l.R., on the north shore of Lake Supenor. Mr. Smitheman has a goodly sued mission. It is about 250 moles in length, though there is but here and there a place where the mission widens beyond the settlements on the line of railway.

Tilie report of the Society for the l'rop agation of the (iospel in looreign Parts for 1898 , just to hand, contains an excellent map of the world showing the Bishoprics of the Anglican Communion in foreign parts. The list includes the home and missionary bishoprics of our sister Church in the L'nited States. If the map can be procured, mounted or unmounted, separate from the report, there is no parish or mission, however small, but should possess it as an article necessary to missionary education.

Arier the proceedings of the conference at Sundridge last month, the clergy of the Rural Deanery of Parry Sound met together and unanimously submitted to the Bishop the name of Rev. G. Gillmor, of Rosseau, to succeed the late rural dean. The Bishop was pleased to make the ap. pointment in accordance with the expressed wish of the clergy interested. The Rev. Rural Dean Gillmor received the hearty congratulations of all his brothers present at Sundridge. Tue Algoma Missionary News voices the whole diocese when it joins it the congratulations.

Tue flaming headlines and sensational paragraphs, described as cablegrams, apropos of "the crisis" in the Church in England, give to newspaper readers in Canada a false, and in most cases the only, report concerning matters in dispute there. Church people as a whole in England are supposed to be fairly described in these highly-colored cablegrams, which can surely be written by none except a determined and unscrupulous foe. Scraps of speeches made by prominent men have a dif. ferent interpretation when read with their context. Different opinions might exist, too, if the reader in Canada knew that very often the defamer of the Church was a member of some antagonistic body.

Our English friends had their annual mecting on April 28th last. They were
kindly granted the use of the Church of Al! Saints', Ennismors Gardens, S. W., when Kev. W. (i. Woolsey, one of the Bishop's Commissaries in England, celcbrated the Holy Commumon at it a.m.1 with special intercession for the Diocese of Aygoma. The Misses Swimburne gave the use of their house in Onslow Syuare for a drawing-room meeting, which was presided over by the Bishop of Chichester. Other speakers were liev. C. J. Machin, one of our own missionaries : Kev. Leonard Dawson ; Kev. l'tt leewis, of Toronto, and Rev. Charles Kirby, once in Algema, and now in the liucese of Chchester.

RLs. Jant.s Burubit., M.A., Examining Chaplann, left Braceobridge for Sudbury amid hearty expressions of good will on the part of the Church people there, and began work at Sudbury at the beginning of May. Soon after his arrival he visited the neighbouring mining centre of Coppercliff and began arrangements for a regular service there. It is hoped that the Church will soun be in a positoon to minister fully to the people at that place. Already there are edifices for public worship either erected or in course of erection belonging to the Roman Catholics, the Methodists and the Presibterians. Mr. Boydell is an expert bicyclist and will not take much time to traverse the few miles between Sudbciay and Copper. cliff.

Tulst: are days when much is heard about services other than those in the Book of Common Prayer and their regulation and sanction by the Bishops of the Church. Extra services are not altogether of modern origin. Early in the 17 th century "Barbary pirates" made prisoners of Englishmen as well as other Christians, whom they sold into slavery. Amongst such were some who apostatized when in Moorish slavery, but who, on their release, desired to be reconciled to the Church. For this reconciliation Bishop Wren, the uncle of Sir Christopher Vren, was by Laud requeited to prepare a service, which is known as the "Form of Penauce and Reconciliation of a Renegado or Apostate from the Christuan Religion to Turcism."

Father Damen's work among lepers cannot be belittled, but it should not be supposed that the Roman Catholic only can point to hees sacrificed in caring for the spiritual and temporal well-being of
the leper. No sketch of Church life in South Africa would be complete which left out the labours of devoted missionaries of the Church on Lehalf of the lepers gathered at Kobben Island. Not much is heard of the Anglican priest who has ministered to these people for eleven years, who has among other means taught the lepers to believe in the love of God by the manifestation of his own love to them. "I have seen him," said a Bishop, "take a leper into his arms, after his confirnation, and carry him home." Mr. Watkins is assisted by Mr. Englehart, also in priests' orders. A recent description in the Church Times of a vist to Robben Island, incidentally speaks of lives of heroic sacrifice for Christ's sake among those whose silent misery was iong ago set forth in the words "but he was a leper."

Goou government is said to consist, amongst other things, in providing for the benefit of the greatest number. If so, it is time something was done at the nickel mines at Coppercliff to abate not only the nuisance but the baneful, yes, fatal, results of roasting the ore in the open air. As the works are enlarged the fumes of sulphur emanating from the roast beds are becoming more dense. There are times when the people resident there are unable to stir out of doors, almost afraid to open the door. We have heard of a tsother taking her children with her to the cellar to escape the chok. ing and difficulty to breathe in such an atmosphere. There is, too, a mortality among children that is terrible to contem plate. It would seem that infant life, and life up to ten gears, cannot survive the struggle to breathe in air so impreg. nated with poisonous fumes. The great mining corporation is the owner and controller of all things local. For that reason not much surprise will be evinced because local health authorities do not move. The matter should be investigated and a stop put to the state of affairs complained of by the Provincial Board of Health. The interests of the lives of the people are surely of far greater importance than the saving of dollars to a corporation, even to a wealthy corporation. What farming land there is within an area of some miles around the mines is rendered valuelessthe leaves of trees are burned by the poison at a great distance, while near at hand no vegetable life survives. A smaller item is the waste in the escape of the sulphur.

The New Treasurer of Algoma.
After June 3oth, the last day of the present monin, Mr. Kemp, who has filled the office so faithfully and efficiently tor the past ten years, will cease to be Treas uret of the Diocese of Algoma, and Mr. II. Plummer, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., will take his place.

All correspondence and remittances in connection with the various funds of the diocese-excepting only the Bishop Sulli. van Memorial Sustentation Fund, of which the Bishop of Algoma is treasurer -should be sent to Mr. Plummer after the date named.

It has not been without serious weigh. ing of the pros and cons that this im. portant change has been decided upon. There are many obvious advantages in the old arrangenient. Mr. Kemp's wellknown efficiency and fidelity to duty are themselves a very important consideration. It involves not only pain but loss to part with so faithful and tried an officer. Nevertheless, the necessity of having the treasury nearer to the See House and more directly within the Bishop's reach has made itself increasingly felt until it has come to outweigh all other considerations.

The diocese is to be congratulated on having secured the services of such a man as Mr. H. Plummer.

## Rome and the Newspaper.

The time was and that not long since that the Roman Catholic Clurch was almost invariably described as an enemy of a free press because of persecution of pressman and reader at its hands. If there has been a change of tactics to day Rome's proud boast of semper cadem surely marks the policy which seeks to restrain the frecdom of the press to day. No longer pursuing a course of indis criminate persecution by ban, Roman Catholicism among English-speaking penple has turned a right about face. The newspaper is welcome, is used as an engine to subtly do the work the old and discarded policy failed to perform. The policy of Rome in respect to the press to day is evidently that which seeks control at any cost, by any means. Then what Rome wishes to be said will be said ; what Rome wants suppressed can be suppress €d. Rome knows nothing of fair play. Not a few things occur to us which have happened during the last quarter of a century that furnish a mass of cumulative evidence to the above statement. But we do not purpose to draw on our store just now. Our object is to diaw our readers' attencion to evidence of sup. pression of reports in the public prints of
things done by Rome. Chicfly we refer to Cardinal Vaughan's recent letter to Spain.

The fault is not all Canadian. It seems to be English, too. By.the way, it is not long since a Roman Catholic Lord Major of L.ondon (Knill) sn violated by his con duct the confidence reposed in him by those who elected him, that he was called to account by the Court of Aldermen (May gth, 1803) for proposing "The Holy liather and the gucen" as the first toast at a banquet given in April preceding. The Canadian press in its telegraph columms was silent concerning such a remarkable mecting of the Hoard of Aldermen of the Capital of the Empure. Why? Is there a conspiacy to sheld Rome's aggressive moves and mistakes? it is time we got our cable news in another way than by that of New York. Another day we will give particulars of the outspoken way in which the disloyal toast of Lurd Nhayor Knill was treated.

Attention is drawn to a letter which Romanists are keenly anxious should escape observation. It is not so surprising that the Canadian newspaper press told us nothing of it when Cimerch Bills and Illustrated Church Neius says that the total suppression of the letter referred to "in the leading dailies is no doubt due to the presence of the Romanists on the staff o! most of these journals, whose influence is allowed far too free a scope. We are in a position to state that the utmest efforts have been made by leading Churchmen to induce the dailies to notice this document, which refers to the past grand work of the National Church as 'three centuries of blasphemy and heresy against the divine Majesty, and in which the coronation vow is stigmatized as a iurmal act of apostass.'"

The leiter is written by Cardinal Vaughan to the "Spanish Church, and all the constituted authorities in union with the Holy Apostolic seat." The bearer of the letter was the Cardinal's brother. Of course such a document was meant not to be seen by the Cardinal's fellow-countrymen. Its transla. ton and publication in Britain was no doubt a surprise. Insulting to the Queen and nation as well as to the Church of England, no little effort must have been put forth to keep it out of leading papers. Any charitable hope that existed that the publication of the Cardinal's letter was a hoax is now dis pelled. The silence with which the damaging document has been rectived by the Cardinal and Romanists generally but adds to the silence that suppressed the letter.
Spain is solicited to help in a scheme for the conquest of England to the faith the Cardinal professes and which teaches that souls need an intercessor with our Lord. Spain once undertook to make England bow to the Roman yoke. The Armas.a was well supplied with thumb. screws and other like persuasives. That attempt failed. The present attempt will chieve failure, too.

## Port Arthur

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The time-honoured festival of St. (icorge was kept in this place by the attendance at church of the members of the sons of lenghand. The pulpit was draped with the Unon Jack, and the banner of Si. Cieorge was homsted on the hagstaff, which was erected in the parsonage grounds during the Juhilec gear.

Ascension Day was observed by two services. The Holy Communion was fixed for 10 a.m., and was administered by Rev. J. Smitheman, assisted by Kev T. Hay, of Murillo, the rector being too unwell to take part.

A chapter meeting of Thunder Bay Deanery was called for the afternoon and held in the schoolroom, the rural dean presiding. Papers were read by kevs. IE I Harper and I I' Smitheman. 'The Rev. T. Hay was elected chapter clerk. It was decided to attempt to hold a ruridecanal conference of clergy and laty at the time of the Bishop's annual visitation.

The fourth annual choral festival of the united choirs of lort William and Port Arthur was celebrated on the evening of the same day, the service being intoned by Rev. F. J. Harper, of Fort Willan!. The first lesson was read by kev. I'. J. Hay, and the second by our lay reader, Mr. (E. H. Feldtmann, who is at all times glad to be of service to the Cnurch and who has rendered valuable assistance in times of need. The opening hymn, 1.47, was sung as the procession of lay reader and fourclergyentered from the vestry (this is the best muster of clergy we ever had, I believe, although I have not consulted the oldest inhabitant). The sermon was preached by the Kev. J. P. Smitheman, of Schreiber.

We are pleased to notice that the rector has almost entirely recovered from his severe cold and was able to take the usual Sunday services (three) and to attend the Sunday School.
B. S .

## The Bishop of Algoma in Toro nto

The Toronto World of April 2 Sth gives some details of the second day's session of the Toronto Dincesan Woman's Auxiliary to Missions. We are interested in the public missionary meeting held under the presidency of the Bishop of Toronto.

Our Bishop was the first speaker, fol lowirg the charman. Meginning his address with an earnest expression of gratitude to the members of the huxiliary for their invaluable assistance alwass extend ed to his missionary diocese, and particularly for their latest gift, the life miember ship fees for the year, amounting to $\$ 325$, which had been voted by ballot in the afternoon to the Bishop Sullivan Memorial Sustentation Fund, the Bishop pro ceeded to speak about the work of the Church in this vast missionary diocese. He is reported as saying that there were
misapprehensions he was desirous to currect. Ahpoma llocese is not a wild, barren country; it has a promising fulure. Only one-seventh of its area is already settled. It is five tirnes the size of the Diocese of Toronto. The later has 9, (,000 square miles, Algoma nearly 50,000 sefuare miles. Algoma is slowly being developed, p:oof of which the Bishop gave by statistics as to the growth of Sault Ste. Marie, Port Arthur, Sudbury, Parry Sound, Huntsville, and the Muskoka district.

There was no reason to despair of the Church in Algoma. It would emerge from the difficulties that hamper it. It was a misconception of the tourist to say that the bincese of Algoma should be sclf supporting. The tourist only touched the fringe of Algoma. North Bay is only 100 miles from its southern border, but the diocese extends 650 miles beyond North llay. Here there is a scattered population difficult to reach and necessitating men and money. Its undeveloped state and shifting population make Algoma different from other dioceses.

The lishop have two reasone for aid to Algoma: (1) lecause she is poor at present: (2) because she is rich in much undeveloped resources. It was, he said astonishing how few of the Algoma settlers were Churchmen. The unhappy divisions of Christians were a source of weakness, two churches often being erected in a place where one would suf. fice. Toronto Dlocese, he confessed, had voted him $\$ 1,000$, but, though close is the end of the financial year, he had not yet received it. The great Church societies in England were whthdrawing aid from Canada to give it to "Darkest Africa." Gradually $\$ 4,000$ per annum was being withdrawn from Algoma by the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel. By this operatoon his receipts this year were reduced $\$ 1,000$.

## English Letter.

liathowin, Solssa, N. Ahbica, Drg: G, 1890. -The Jamaa Kalur, or great Mosque, is the most remarhable, though not, perhapis, the most ancient : its coults, vestibules and the most sacred part emploged for prayer and preaching, contain some 600 pillare of all kincts of rich maille and porphyry from all jarts of the Chris. tian world, whech (aller every Moslem conquesi) the Churches have been ufled and pillaged of. and here the trophics of their tiumph over the cross are massed together in a promiscuous col. lection, yet orderly arrauged enough in eight rous on each side as you walk up to the E end, besules many scores of them luilt into the walls. liosily, however, they have leeen carried off from the Aifican churches in the ternble devastation of them in the 7th century. I can only hope and pray that the glorious old promise may yei come lue in this land, thes otat be of thet shall hailh the ahd araste places; then shalt mise up the loundations of many gencrations, elc.

The diary from which the above extmet is taken was that of Thomas Valpy French, first Bishop of Lahore, India, whose honoured name must forever stand connected with the Christian assault upon Mohammedanism in the Punjab, in Persia, and in Arabia. Following as
closely as clocely as possible in Henry Martgn's steps, after resigning his see, be took long and painfut journeys, preach. ing the gospel wherever he could obtann bearers, and finally, after scattering the precious seed in taith, worn out with labour of the most arduous description, departed, at Muscat, the very stronghold of the Moslem, to be wath the Masier to whom his whole life had been consecrated in utmost devotion. In generations to come, so we may well beleeve, the old arasle places will indecd be built up, and on the foundations laid by these ploneer missionaries who suffercal hard ship in the same spirit of unswerving atal and love as fired the heart of their great prototype, S. Paul.

The once glorious Churches of N . Africa and Asta Minor are not to te thought of as if they were deat. Nothing dies. If nature, then surely all lite, all spritual life, is instinct with re.generation, with renewal, with resurrection. Utterly extinct as through the long roll of the centuries they seem to have been; given over for the sins and divisions of Chris. tian people into the hand of the Moslem, shadowed by unbelief, darkened by vice, all outward progress, even, arrested, these lands - God's heritage of old - shall doubtless be raised to more than their ancient glory through the might of God the Holy Ghost, the Life giver. But even as He ever works through the human agent, so may we be certain that the work of evangelization which He has entrusted to the Church of to day is only to be accomplished through a colossal fath, a faith that has yet to pulsate and thrill through the members of Christ as onc man, until they rise to an adequate sense of their high calling in Him. and realize the very purpose of their existence, viz., to be telluavilurkers with Jim.

The Mohammedan religion numbers $150,000,000$ adherents. Over 60,000 . 000 of these the Queen of England rules, her Christian subjects heing in a minority of $10,000,000$. About $50,000,000$ Mohammed ns are to be found in India alone, and peihaps it is true to say that the contest between Christianity and Islam in that country has scarcely more than begun. The ground has been slowly preparing, the forces are being marshalled; results remain to be seen. If, after fourteen centuries, the faith of Mahomet is still so decply rooted, stal so aggressive, it will hardly yield without a struggle far more vigourous than any that has yet taken place. Not by force of arms was it God': will that the holy places of the earth should be wrested from the Turk, and "not by might nor by power," but by His Spirit, will the light ppnetrate, and the citadel capitulate. For Mohammedanism has still its universities and its $n$ issionaries. At the mosque at Hazas, nfar Cairo, 12,000 students, from diffeent countries, are recenved, free of expense. The Mahommedan propaganda is a real force in Africa to day. In Hausaland, that vast country lying between the Niger River
and Lake Trohad, comtainurg about half a milhon square mules, and its population aseragng one per cent. of the whole world, Mohammedanism, at the beginnang of the present century, leegan to exercise a dominant influence. About one hird of the llausas are nominally tollowers of the l'rophet, and there seems to be no reason why all should not become so, if England continues to turn a deaf ear to the burning words of appeal for men and means wherewith to enter this open door which have agan and again rung through the land.

When Chistans are united, i.e., of one mind in the apostolic sense (1'hil. ii. 1,2 ), not necessarily all thinking alike any more than did the lewish and (jentile converts whom St. l'aul exhorted ; when we have done with narrow views and conceptions, and self will and self-assertion and self-indulgence and the love of money; when we have learned a little more of what the lively sacrifice of "ourselves, our souls and bodies" really means; and when we see the great missionary socicties working harmoniously - not side by side-but together, in accordance with St. Paul's teaching and the mind of Christ-then (;od shall give us His blessing, and all the ends of the earth shall fear Him.

1. B.T.

## Cheerful Help.

In hus recent visit to Toronto, on the occasion of the annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Coronto Diocese, the Bishop of Algoma was greatly cheered by the sympathy and aid extended to him and his work. Among the many proofs given by the meeting of warr. interest in Algoma, and of affectionate remembrance of Bishop Sullivan's devoted labours, may be mentioned the whole-heatted way in which the Membership Fees and the Special Thankofferings were voted to our work. Nany of the envelopes containing thankofferings were specially inscribed "for the Bishop Sullivan Memorial Fund," while almost every one bore certain added words of goodwill, affectionate remembrance and trustful reliance upon God. "From a mother," "The memory of the just is blessed," "Yender unto God the things that are God's," "Thankoffering for many mercies,"" They rest from their labou.s and their works do follow them," "From my heart," "From a littie boy," "For mercy to our children from father and mother," "A thankoffering for dear friends," "Inasmuch as ye did it unto one of the least of these ye did in unto me," "The love of God constraineth me," "His mercies fall not," "May (iod prosper the work." Such were some of those added inscrip. tions.

A peaceable man docs more good than one who is very learned.

## The Best Investment.


Few things are sad der than the muserably unworthy view a vast number of re spertable men and women take of the duty of aln sgiving. They never practise the Apostolic precept to give regularly "upon the first day of the week "and-propor-tionately-"as God hath prospered" them. And almsgiving which is not regulated on these principles is sure to be a very poor and unworthy thing. I am quite ashamed of the niggardliness of many of our wealthy Church people. I am afraid our old endowments have taught them not to give. They have been quite content that their forefathers made some sort of provision at least for the ministrations of the Church, and they are quite content habituall; to offer to God that which costs them nothing.

Why have we not more persons conscientiously dedicating to God's servic in almsgiving a tenth of their income? Charities are everywhere lan. guishing, great causes retarded, good works at a standstill, clergy struggling with a dire poverty, the poor and outcast uncared for and unhelped, when all would be thriving and prospering if only the pinciple of proportionate almsgiving were accepted and acted upon by more of our people. A few of our best and truest do act on this principle, and bring blessing to thousands, not to speak of the blessing that they win for themselves. I know various people differing much in means and in social rank who make it a rule to give away regularly one-tenth at least of their incomes. The Jew of old had to do so by God's law. Is the Christian to be more straitened in his charity? I earnestly commend this good old rule to all who would try to do their duty in the sight of God in this matter of alnisgiving Set apart God's portion. Let tbat be at least a tenth of your income. And then seck to apportion this to the various slaims which come before you so as to do the most good you can.-Free and Open Churcik Adiucate.

Think that "To day" shall never come again.


This month we publish a "cut" from a pholograph of St. John's Church, Beau maris. The litte sacred building is picturesquely situated near the waters' edge of L.ake Muskokn, which abounds with islands and shores dotted with summer residences of well to.do people as well as resorts where the soltary or poorer tourst may enjoy the fresh air and beaut ful scenery of the Muskoka Lake region. Wering the saason of $1 S 9 y$ the residents and visitors will be ministered to by Rev. C. J. Machin.

Our other picture is the reproduction of a photograph given us some time ago by the late Bishop Sullivan. It represents three Indians in a bark canoc rounding

Church of St. John, Beaumaris, Muskoka. Ont.
Otter's Head-a point 700 feet high, in Lake Nepigon.

## Notes from Temiscamingue.

The missionary here must be a good walker. It is a new country. Hurses are scarce. Roads are rough and wet. 'Tis better to tramp. Of course there are trips that can be made on the water.

The non-Episcopalians are on the ground. One disadvantage we experience arises from the possibility of Methodist, Preshyterian, Baptist and other sectarians working as one against the Church. Then the missionary finds he is unable to cover the ground that three other minis ters work.

When the authorities changed the name of the post-office at Liskeard and named it after our Bishop it is a pity they did not spell his name correctly. They have left out the first $e$.

Kev. F. Brittan Storer had 1 .enten wer vices at Hailegbury, Thomloe and lowe son's l'oint, and mamaged on hold services at the same points on basier lay. The children at these places contributed $\$ 3.28$ towads the Indian llomes.

On Easter Monday an entertainment was held at Haleybury on behalf of the fund to erect a church there, or, perhaps, on behalf of the debt on the buildion as it now stands. The result was a profit of マ50.00.

## Emsdale Mission.

The annual lizster Vestry of St. Mark's Church, limsdale, was held on Easter Monday, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year Clergyman's warden, S. C. S. Courtney ; people's warden, Kobert A. Burk; clergyman'ssidesmen, Benj. Passmore and Morton Burk; people'ssidesmen, Wm. Slorach, S. B. Smith ; vestry clerk, W. LE.Sireat. field.

The accounts, being audited by W. I.. B. Mamlin, showed that the station's quota to. wards stipend was paid up in full and that the only lia. bility is one of $\$ 59$ due in Octo leer, against which there is money in hand to the amount of $\$ 42$, so that $\$ 17$ would make the station clear of debt.
Seeing that the mission has sustained so great a loss in the death of its late pastor, the Rev. A. W. H. Chowne, since the Easter Vestry, it is with special thankfulness we know that he was spared to see all the improvements inaugurated since he came here, nine years ago, amounting to nearly $\$ 2.3^{30}$, and which is practically free of debt.
W. S.

To Otk Sulncribern.-(1) Kindly look at the label on your paper. If it bears a date prior to this date you will notice that your subscrip:on to our missionary paper is due. A postal note payable to Rev. Charles Piercy, Sturgeon Falls, is a convenient and inexpensive method of remitting small sums. (2) Plcase notify us of any charge of address. By so Joing you will confer a favour.

## Baysville.


On the 22nd of April last the meum. bent was the recipient of a very nice present. A number of the members of the congregation of St. Andrew's Church presented him with a very beautiful cassock as a token of their esteem. On the same occasion some of the members of the choir presented him with a fine hawn surplice in recognition of the work done by him in forming and training then. Both gifts were accompanied with a note enclosed in the parcel, expressing the good wishes of the donors. These gifts came as a very pleasant surprise, the incumbent being in ignorance that any such thing was about to take place.

Any church family contemplating a holiday might spend a pleasant time in and around llaysville, on the most beautiful of Muskoka lakes (the lake of hays). The incumbent would gladly assist any Churchman in the selection of a suitable boarding house.

> A. W. H.

The Bishop Sullivan Memorial Sustentation Fund.

Below is given the particulars of receipts since date of writing for our May number. An increase of eleven hundred dollars is made to the above mentioned fund-a fund we, in Algoma, are anxious that our Bishop shall soon see established (1) because we desire to honour the menory of our late diocesan ; (2) because we are desirous of seconding, if we may say so, the efforts our Bishop is putting forth to maintain the Charch's work in localities where the people are very poor when the aid from the S.P.C. stall have ceased; (3) because the constant care and worry and anxiety, inseparable from this and kindred objects, may strain the powers of the third Bishop of Algoma as well as those of his predecessors, and (4) because these cares sat'sfied the Bishop will he able, as he will be more happy, to devote more time to the distinctly spiritual duties of his high office. In connection with the last-mentioned reason reference may be made to the Bishop's letter in the (English) Supplemint to the Aigoma Misstontary N'acts, just to hind, in which he says to 0:r kind Irends and tellow-workers in Eingland: "With not a htile thankfulness in $m y$ heart that things are no wolse than they are with us, I am trying to reduce still lurther the expenditure of the diocese. As I go about this task a feeling of sorrow zuill mingle with other feelings, because my mind cannot be nocre largely given up to the spiritualities of my charge; to the true and really important cffices of a father in Cod. But at present I must watch closely after the " temporalitues."

We hope that friends in Canada will soon enabie us to chronicle the receipt of $\$ 10,000$. Our aim is $\$ 50,000$ Nothing short of that will suffice.

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Wits boted for his strict eruthfilliess and readiness to obey his instructors at all times.

The boy appeared in his usual good health up (o) Sunday, Apsil 16 (h, but on his return from attending selvice in St. Luke's l'ro Cathedral was taken ill with pntumonia. He was carcfully nursed and cared for and on the 2 oth and $2 \boldsymbol{j}^{1 h}$ seemed much better and strong hopes of his recovery were entertaned, but the following day a relapse occurred, and from that date medical skill proved powerless to clicek the disease, and the boy rapioly grew worse and died in our Shingwauk Hospital on Monday, May ist. The end came very peacefully. The boy had no fear of death. He was most patient and resigned, and during his illness repeatedly expressed the most implicit faith and trust in his Saviour. He was confirnied by the Bishop of Algoma a year apo last Whit-iunday, since when he had been a regular communicant, and recelved the sacrament two days before he died. We laid him to rest in our Shingwauk cenetery on May 3 rd. Ilis Lordship the Bishop of Ngoma, who only returned from Toronto the previous night, came down from IBishophurst and conducted the burial service. The colfin was covered with wild lowers gathered in the woods by the Shingrauk boys, and flowers sent from Bishophurst, and was carried from the Memorial Chapel to the cemetery by six of the seniur hoys. The service was most impressive and his i.ordship's deeply touching and earnest address in the chapel will never be for gotten by those present.
G. L. K.

## Uffington Mission.

REV. A. II. AILMAN INCUMIBENT.
The Easter season came and went, but lett behind joys peculiar to itself. Easter D.y was duly observed by two celebrations of the Holy Communion, and fair cougregations gathered at the three services, which were conducted by the incumbent. Eister Monday and Tuesday weie cccupied with the annual vestry meetings of St. Paul's, Uffington, and Chnst Church, Purbrook. The wardens accounts showed tha:, nolwithstanding the very hard winter that followed upon a poor harvest and the partial depopulation of the neighbourhood, the churches had been able to hold their own. Indeed, Clinst Church had a balance of $\$ 4$ in hand and ro debts. Ther was a very strong feeing that, in response to the Bishop's letter, a higher assessment ought to lee adophed, tut how to manage it setmed a hard problem. At Uffington Messrs. W. H. Tinkiss and W. T. Kirkpatrick were re-elected wardens for the ensuing year. At Purbiook Messrs. I. T. Colson and A. Crozier were also reelected. Vankoughnet has becomedepopu lated to a very serious extent. St. Siephen's has only left to it now three or four Church families, and has been re. duced to an unorganized mission station.

I'he services are regularly maintained, but there is no financial prospect and no one is able to assume any responsibility. The late wardens have gone to Edmonton and Ramy liver, and the latter place 1, soon likely to receive more families from this same locality.

Notwithstanding the extreme severity of the winter, with its constant storms and heavy ruads, only one service at each church was lost. The incumbent's report for the geat showed 170 services, with 32 celebrations; also to baptisms, i burials, 8 candidates prepared for confirmation, 10 meetungs, 3 Sunday school gatherings, 25 Bible classes, 4.10 visits, upwards of 100 calls received, and t,000 miles travelled, whit garden parties, etc., thrown $\mathrm{i} \cdot \mathrm{I}$.

## Indian Vestry Meeting - Easter, 1899.

"It is always interesting to read about Indians" they say, so I send an account of an Indian ves try meeting at Garden River, at which I was present. It was the more important because the Bish. op of Algoma honoured theproceedings with his presence, which, of course, shed a lustre over the meeting. There were only a few Indians there when we entered the church, but it was suggested that a bell should be rung to let the Indians know that it was time to begin. Judging by results this was the signal that was waited for, as very soon twenty or more arrived and the Bishop took the chair, and asked the missionary to pray.

The accounts were looked over and found satisfactory, after some calculations and explanations. The Indian churchwardens produced their statements and though there were some minur dis crepancles, a few corrections made it all right. After an appeal to former minutes, all understood and were satisfied.

The Bishop made a few remarks, in the cuurse of which he expresstd the very great pleasure he felt in seeing that the Indians had kept the agreement they made with him when he visited them some time before and had paid the quota of assessment toward the support of their missionary. He also praised them fur the cleanli.ess of the chure h and other mat.


Rounding Oiter's Head,' Lake?Nepigon, Ont. was accepted after discussion. The Indians agreed to raise the greater part of the amount within a month and the Bishop would add a part as a personal offering.

Then came some words from his lord ship about some Indian hymn looks which he had promised to procure for them. He explained that the books wert vut of print, but expected with the help of S.P.C.K. to get some printed, ur at least would endeavour to do so.

The Benediction was pronounced and meeting closed.

That is the best thing for a man which God sends him, and that is the best time when He sends it.-Marcus Antoninus.

## Missionary Work of the Prayer Book.

The Bishop of Kinsas furmshes the following three instanes of the minsion ary work of the lbook of Common Prayer out of many, he says, withon his experience:
lirst. The principal of the ligh school in one of the towns in his diocese called upon him and asked if he might be per matted to use the prayers in opening the services. Of course he was told that the Prayer book was common, and that the Bishop was glad he yroposed to use it. This request came from a Congregation alist.

Second. At another time the Bishop missed his ttain and was in a small town where the Church was net known. He called at the bank to find out if there wery any of our Church families living there. The !anker told nim there were one or two; that he himselt was a Methodist, but that $h^{e}$ had lost all his aversion to the Episcopal Church from the time that the Methodist bishop advised him and a large number of other local preachers to study the Prayer Book of the lepis. copal Church for thetrucexpression of devotion.

Third. A: an. ther time the 13:shop, at a mis. sion service, saw a man sitting near the doer much interested. Im. mediately after the service be hurried to the door and spoke to the man, ex pressing his pleas. ure to see him there. Hes at once answered : "Is this the Church that owns this book ?" When the Bishop assured him that this Church had given the Prayer Book to her children and that they had used it for public worship for many ages, he again answered. "Why, I have used this book for years in my home fur family prayers." He was a Baptist, and had never before attended a service of this Church. Suffice it to say that he and his family afterward were confirmed and became devout communicants. - The Spirit of Missions.

Nothing really clevated, beautiful, or good has been done upon earth except at the cost of suffering and selfabnegation. -Lacondaire.

## Martyr Pilkington＇s Death．

In June， 1893 ，the Soudanese garrisons mutinied and there was again some fight－ ing，though the mutiny was speedily sup． pressed．More serious trouble of a simi－ lar sort occurred in October，1897，when the Soudanese mutinied a second time， and the Mission passed through a terrible period of anxiety and danger．News of the revolt reached Mengo，the capital， October 18 th ．It was finally stamped out at the fight of Luba＇s Hill．December 1th．But that victory cost the C．M．S． the life of one of its best and bravest，one who，it seemed，could ill be spared－the ＂true Muganda，＂as the natives lovingy described him－George L．Pitkington． He had been called upon by Major Macdonald to serve as interpreter to the forces，and died in the discharge of his duty，shot in the attack upon a rebel fort．
＂My Master，you are dying－death has come，＂said his faithful boy．Aloni．
＂Yes，my child，＂replied the wounded man，＂it is as you say．＂
＂My Master，＂said Aloni again，＂he that belicveth in Christ，although he die， jet shall he live．＂
＂Yes，my child，it is as you say．＊＊＊ shall nezer die．＇

The Arail and Empire（Toronto）of Saturday，April 2and last，says：－Appli－ cation was jesterday made in the Surro－ wate Court by Mrs．Frauces Mary Sulli－ van，widow of the late Bishop Sullivan， rector of St．James＇Cathedral，for powed to administer his estate．The late Bish－ op＇s will，which is remarkable for its terseness，bequeaths the enture estate to the widow，and appoints the son，Edward Alan Sullivan，and John Frederick Re－ naud，as exccutors．The executors de－ clined to act，however，and Mrs．Sullivan， as sole legatee，in consequence made application for prower to administer the estate，filing the will with her applica． tion．

The estate is valued at $\$ 15,732$－59．It consists of $\$ 3,000$ in household furni． lure，$\$ 1,460$ in book debts and promis－ sory notes，$\$ 5,204.22$ i：2 life insurance， $\$ 5,600$ in bank and other stocks，and Et6S．35 in cash in bank．

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