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A MEDIUM OF INFORMATION TO PERSONS ATTENDING THE SERVICES.
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KALENDAR.

- Dec. 1. Saturday. The Queen's Birthday.
 2. **Sunday, 1st in Advent.**
 9. " 2nd "
 16. " 3rd "
 19. Wednesday. Ember Day.
 21. Friday. *St. Thomas, Apostle and Martyr.*
 " Ember Day.
 22. Saturday. "
 23. **Sunday, 4th in Advent.**
 25. Tuesday. **Christmas Day.**
 26. Wednesday. *St. Stephen, the First Martyr.*
 27. Thursday. *St. John, Apostle and Evangelist.*
 28. Friday. *Innocent's Day.*
 30. **Sunday after Christmas.**
 Jan. 1. Tuesday. Circumcision.
 6. **Sunday. Epiphany.**

SERVICE ACCOUNT.—NOVEMBER, 1906.

RECEIPTS.	
Offertry: Average \$64.75	\$259 00
" For Prison work	11 82
Balance 30th November	67 66
	\$338 48
EXPENDITURE.	
Balance 1st November	\$ 66 90
Clerical Stipends	104 16
Sexton	33 00
Choir	9 00
Choir plate	7 00
Curtains for Crypt	19 00
Lighting	5 04
Fuel	67 26
Printing	7 50
Repairs	14 70
Synod for Prison work	11 82
	\$338 48

Archdeacon Warren has given up his Parochial charge for the purpose of devoting himself to Diocesan work, having accepted the office of Mission Secretary, until recently held by Canon Dixon.

Mr. Charles E. Clarke lately presented the Bishop a handsome and substantial case for the Pastoral Staff.

A paragraph, referring to this gift, was, by an oversight, omitted from a previous number of the MONTHLY NOTES.

Mr. Robert N. Gooch, one of the original promoters of the location selected for the Cathedral, and for many years a prominent citizen of Toronto, died on September 15th. Some months ago, when extension of the building was talked of, Mr. Gooch expressed his intention of becoming a subscriber to the fund for that purpose whenever the Bishop should put forth an invitation to intending donors.

The following communication has been sent to us for publication:

To the Editor of the MONTHLY NOTES:

Sir,—In common with many Church people, I am interested in the Diocesan Cathedral, and as there is a possibility of building operations on the fabric being resumed in the (not too distant) future, perhaps you

would be good enough to permit a few suggestions from a layman. It is quite evident that the choir and chancel are none too wide for a metropolitan Church, especially when there will be gatherings of hundreds of people of whom a high percentage will communicate, a W. A. yearly gathering, for instance. Now, sir, in the plans of the extension as published, there is no trace of an ambulatory being provided. The choir aisles could be utilized for that purpose, but then the south one is to be retained as a library, and the north one is to be used as an organ chamber. A more unsuitable place could not well be imagined. St. Paul's (in Bloor street east) might be cited as a horrible example of thrusting an instrument into a transept with a low roof. This church has attempted to overcome the difficulty by building an echo organ over the west door. I do hope that St. Alban's will not repeat the blunder that the architect of St. Paul's was guilty of. It is quite possible so to design the crossing as to accommodate an instrument in proportion to the building as contemplated, and while plans are in preparation the time is opportune for a full discussion of the needs of the building.

Yours truly,

ANGLICAN.

It gives us much pleasure to insert our correspondent's letter, even if for no other reason than that of the encouragement which is given by an intelligent interest in the work which is at our hand to do.

Anglican's remarks about an organ chamber are quite right. But we think he has been misled by the north choir aisle being noted in the first draft plan as "organ chamber," as it, in fact, formerly was. The intention has been to place the great organ in the future building in the north transept, in which case the north choir aisle would probably be used as an organist's chamber, or library, for the care of music, etc. But the plans now being matured suggest the south transept as perhaps a preferable position for the great organ. In the completed building it is not at all likely that the south choir aisle will continue to be used for the Diocesan library. In our present incomplete condition every room in the building is called upon to serve for two or three purposes, each one of which should be separately provided for. Our correspondent's suggestion as to an ambulatory or some equivalent arrangement, is an excellent one, well worthy of consideration.

The ladies of the Cathedral Guild gave an exhibition of "Talent Work" in the Crypt on Thursday, 22nd November, which drew many visitors, and was not only a pleasant gathering, but seemingly a profitable one also, for we are informed that many orders for work showed that the talents exhibited were duly appreciated. Many of the exhibits were carried off by immediate purchasers. The children, too, carried on a thriving business in ways of their own, for the benefit of the Children's Pier Fund.

Hitherto the grounds about the Cathedral Building have always been open to the public, but of recent years the privilege thus given has been so greatly abused that we have at length been compelled to make up our minds that fencing is unavoidable, and a fence is being put up accordingly. A part of the cost has been provided for by a generous donation from a lady recently visiting in the neighbourhood.

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