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Resident Cleray

AND LAY WORKERS OF ST. ALBAN'S CATHEDRAL.

LERGY.

Dean—The Lord Bishop of Toronto, See House. Canon in Charge—Rev. Alexander W. Macnab,

120 Wells St., cor. Albany Ave. Tel. N. 1931.

Assistant Curate—Rev. Herbert T. Archbold, Wychwood,
P. O. Address, St. Alban's School, Howland Ave.

Priest Vicar; this appointment is at present merged in that of Canon in Charge.

LAY OFFICERS.

E. M. Chadwick, Treasurer, 99 Howland Ave.

Sidesmen—F. A. Hall, Chairman; W.H. Cross, Frank Wootten, Robert Farthing, George Parker, Charles D. Warren, Lionel G. Amsden, Charles W. Ricketts, Æmilius Baldwin, John F. Stone, Charles E. Clarke, Frank K. Ebbitt.

Choirmaster—David Kemp. Vicar Choral—M. E. Matthews. Organist—Sibil C. Holley.

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ALTAR GUILD.

Meets at the call of the Directress.

Directress-Mrs. Amsden, 87 Howland Ave.

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Meets First Tuesday in each Month at 2.30 p.m.

President-Mrs. Macnab.

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BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW CHAPTER NO. 184.

Meets first and third Sundays, 4 p.m., in Schoolhouse

Director-Frank K. Ebbitt.

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Meets for business first Wednesday in each month; and for work, weekly during winter months, Wednesday, 2.30 p.m., in the Chapel. President-Mrs. Sweatman. Vice-President-Mrs. Macnab.

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Meets every Tuesday, 8 p.m.

Hon. President-Mrs. Macnab. President-Miss Madill, 102 Wells St.

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Meets every Thursday, 4 p.m.

President-Mrs. Macnab.

Superintendent-Miss McCollum, 1001 Bathurst St.

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Treasurer-Miss Beatrice Lean.

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Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. John Canavan, 61 Albany Ave.
Collectors—Miss Capreol, Madison Ave.; Mrs. Jessop, Borden
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Mrs. Sinclair, Brunswick Ave.; Mrs. Codd, Albany Ave.

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Patron—Canon Macnab.
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2nd Vice-President—Frank Hamilton.
Secretary-Treasurer—F. K. Ebbitt, 52 Albany Ave.

St. Alban's Cathedral School (Incorporated).

President-The Lord Bishop of Toronto. Vice-President-Rev. Canon Welch.

Board of Management—Rev. Canon Macnab, Rev. Canon Sweeny, John W. G. Andras, M. E. Matthews, Edward M. Chadwick, Lawrence H. Baldwin.

Members of Corporation (besides the above)—Rev. Canon Cayley, Rev. Provost Macklem, David Kemp, M. Matthews, A. K. Goodman, H. E. Caston, W. H. Cross, W. H. Lockhart Gordon, George S. Holmsted, E. D. Armour.

Head Master—M. E. Matthews. Masters:—English, Francis H. Coombs, Harry O. Nash; Mathematics, M. E. Matthews. Assistant Master for Junior School, S. C. Holley; Classics, Rev. Herbert T. Archbold; Modern Languages, J. W. G. Andras, Ph.D.: Divinity, Rev. Canon Macnab, Rev. H. T. Archbold; Drawing, Marmaduke Matthews, R.C.A.; Music, Piano and Organ, S. C. Holley: Drill Instructor, Serjeant White, R.C. Regt.

KALENDAR.

- Mch. 5. Sunday, Quinquagesima.
 - 8. Wednesday. Ash Wednesday.
 - 12. Sunday, 1st in Lent.
 - 15. Wednesday. Ember Day.
 - 17. Friday. " " S. Patrick.
 - 19. Sunday, 2nd in Lent.
 - 25. Saturday. The Annunciation.
 - 26. Sunday, 3rd in Lent.

April 2. " 4th "

Offertory : Average \$57.80

We would draw attention to the very neat and attractive Lenten Leaflet issued by the Clergy of the Cathedral. Everybody in the congregation should have one and keep it for reference in regard to the hours of special services, sermon subjects, etc.

SERVICE ACCOUNT.

FEBRUARY.

RECEIPTS.

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Balance, 1st February												9	77	7
Clerical Stipend													83	3
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Sexton and Assistants													39	-
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" Boys' fees, additional .										 	 *		17	:
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Offertory envelopes, additional													3	1
The News-weekly notices, I yo	ear	•						 					10	
Printing-books, etc													11	1
Repairs—heating and plumbing										 			59	4

AN IMPORTANT PROPOSAL

A member of the congregation has come forward with an offer to give a donation of \$200 to the funds of the Cathedral, if nineteen others will join and give or promise (payable within two years) each the same amount. This is an offer which we must regard as important, for if it can be made available, it means raising a fund of \$4000, which would be a valuable help to the needs of the Cathedral.

Mr. W. H. Worden, to whom St. Alban's is much indebted for generous and timely donations hitherto given, is now presenting a handsome and costly gift of pinnacles for stalls, two of which were lately placed in position, and two more are nearly ready. They are the work of Mr. Thomas Kay, and are in keeping with the work of the same kind executed by the late Mr. Mowbray.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Chapter was held on Thursday, 12th February. Treasurer's statements were presented showing full payment of current interest on the debt up to 31st December last, and a slight reduction of debt.

It being stated that application had been made to the Dean for permission to erect three memorial mural tablets in the Cathedral, which he had granted, a set of rules regulating such matters was discussed and adopted.

A resolution of condolence with the Treasurer and his family, moved by Rev. Canons Cayley and Sweeny, was passed.

The Cadet Corps were honoured by a very large and appreciative audience on the occasion of their Annual Concert on Thursday, 2nd March. The programme, in which none took part but Masters and boys of the school, was of a varied kind, comprising, besides vocal and instrumental music, performances of a military character, extremely well rendered. The school certainly contains within its walls an unusual percentage of persons able to furnish clever and agreeable entertainment and amusement to a public audience. The affair was a decided success.

The first number of a school paper bearing the name of "Crux Aurea," has been issued. It is to appear twice in each term. Its object is, of course, to make matters occurring and to occur in the school known to those interested, and to take note of the school history in the making, and record it when it goes away into the past. It is to be conducted on business principles, which means that there is an annual subscription price, 50 cents, and subscribers are desired.

A branch of the Navy League is in progress of formation in the Cathedral School, with a prospect of a large membership. St. Alban's is the first school in Canada to come forward and take a place beside the many Schools in England where the boys are in this practical way taught that each individual has a place and duty in maintaining the honour and well-being of his country.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TORONTO CATHEDRAL W. A.

It is a very pleasant duty to record such a prosperous year as the last has been for the Cathedral Branch.

Although we have had a great deal of sickness among the members, there have been little serious illness and no fatalities.

Our membership has increased from 46 to 54, (nine Honorary and forty-five Active Members), there being eleven new members. We regret the loss of three of our number, who having moved to distant parts of the city, have been obliged to sever their connection with us and join branches nearer home.

Twenty-nine meetings have been held with an averge attendance of 14-1. The very low average being doubt-less due to sickness.

We sent off two large bales this year. Last year we sent four small ones. The bales this year were valued at \$61.18, and were sent to Rev. W. G. White, St. Andrew's Mission, White Fish Lake, Athabasca. Besides the bales a Christmas parcel was sent to Rev. Canon Harding of Apsley.

We have had one new life member in the Branch this year.

Our finances are in a flourishing condition; we have paid all our pledges and still have a balance in the bank.

Our missionary knowledge has been enlarged in two ways:

ist—By very interesting talks with some of the Missionaries themselves, namely, Miss Durtnall from Lesser Slave Lake, and Miss Archer from Japan. Mr. Iwai, Japanese Student at Trinity, has also given us a short talk about the Mission work at Matsumoto, and Mr. Clarke, another Trinity Student, who has done Mission work at Minden in our own Diocese, told us something of the work there.

2nd.—By answering the Missionary questions. Those who answered the questions or heard the answers read will, I am sure, agree that they were most interesting.

Our Branch is progressing. May I beg you one and all, each to do her share to keep it progressing and not to be absent from the meetings if you can possibly avoid it. I think I cannot do better than to close my report with a quotation from the last Leaflet which applies to us all:—"One person cannot do everything. And I am only one. But I am one. I cannot do everything, but I can do something. If I can do something I ought to do it. If I ought to do it, it is my duty. If it is my duty, it must be done."

J. C. RICKETTS, Secretary.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT, 1st March, 1904 to 28th February, 1905.

| Balance in hand | \$5.24 | | 'Bank | 12.24 | | Life member's fee | 25.00 | | Hon member's fees | 10.00 | | Monthly payments | 46.10 | | Towards pledges | 10.15 | | Extra-cent-a-day | 21.03 | | Thank-offering | 1.24 | | Bible-woman in India | 16.50 | | Blackfoot Hospital (boxes) | 3.22 | | Japan Kindergarten | 5.00 | | Japan Training School | 5.00 | | Chinese in British Columbia | 110 | | Intercession papers | 8.5 | | Refunded freight | 10.02 | | Sales | 3.34 | | Self-denial | 2.26 | | To W. A. funds | 100 | | Interest | 20 | | Sundries | 1.75 | | Sundries | 1.75 | |

EXPENDITURE.

Extra-cent-a-day\$	21 (65
Material	15 (69
Annual fees	4 (80
Matron of Gordon School	2 !	50
Assistant of Lesser Slave Lake Home	2	
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Japan Kindergarten	5 6	
Japan Training School	16	
	3	
Blackfoot Hospital (boxes)		
Blackfoot Hospital pledge	10	
Blackfoot Home "Temiscamingue "	4 0	
Temiscamingue "	2 (
Towards Miss Durtnall's expenses	2 (
Annual Thank-offering	1 :	
Cathedral Debt Fund	10 (00
Self-denial	2 5	26
Intercession papers	1 (00
Annual lunch fund	3 :	50
Chinese in British Columbia	1 :	05
Carpet weaving	3	
Carpet weaving	8	
Freight	2	
Express.	2	
Postage, stationery etc		
"New Era"		50
Life member's fee	25	1 14
Life member's cr. ss.	2	
Balance in hand	3	
Balance in bank	15	9:
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ELEANOR M. ROBERTSON, Treasurer.

PAROCHIAL MISSIONARY COLLECTIONS.

REPORT OF YEAR FROM MARCH, 1904 TO MARCH, 1905.

This work has been undertaken by the following collectors:—Miss Capreol, Mrs. Jessop, Mrs. Smart, Mrs. Ebbitt, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Codd, Miss Tocque, Miss McCollum, Mrs. Cayley, Mrs. Sinclair.

House-to-house collections have been made monthly. In addition to this the envelope system has been introduced, and some subscribers find it more convenient to give in this way.

Six new collectors have been appointed during the year, and there are now twenty-six envelope contributors.

It has been a satisfactory year, the Balance Sheet showing an increase of \$46.00 over that of last year.

A word of praise is due to the collectors, who have manifested their interest by faithful work.

Respectfully submitted,

VIRGINIA C. CANAVAN, Sec.- Treas.

March 1st, 1905.

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Readers of the Monthly Notes will, of course, remember that on the occasion of the Bishop's twentyfifth Anniversary, on 1st May last, it was decided that the congregation of the Cathedral should present a

portrait of His Lordship to the Cathedral Chapter. When this suggestion was first made, we had in our minds something which would be within the means of a congregation not very large, nor containing many wealthy people; it being also decided that whatever was done should be strictly from the members of the congregation, no others being invited to take part. The suggestion, however. proved to be so popular, and contributions to the cost sogenerous, and our wishes were so courteously considered by Mr. E. Wyley Grier, A.C.A., for personal as well as professional reasons, that we have been successful in obtaining a life size portrait of His Lordship, which Canon Welch was able to refer to as "an important adddition to the Art Treasures of Canada." The compliment to Mr. Grier, which this and many similar expressions convey, we feel to be well merited by him. The picture we need not describe at length, as it may be seen at the Cathedral, and it speaks for it-But we may self. note what is an unusual feature, and lends additional interest to the portraitthe introduction of

articles of local interest, utilizing to the utmost the advantage of "local colour." The Bishop appears in his scarlet robes, wearing the exquisite piece of art needle-

stole, in front of his large chair (made from a design by a lay member of the Chapter) which usually stands in the chancel, and before the library desk, made with his own hands, on which is the illuminated and vellum-

bound book of the Cathedral title deeds, the pages of which he is turning over, as if showing them to a visitor. On his disengaged hand is shown the ring presented to him by the Clergy of the Diocese. The back-ground shows a portion of the library, with one of the marble columns.

As has been set forth in all the daily papers, with the usual inaccuracy and disregard of information furnished, which is so marked a characteristic of the press reporter, the unveiling and presentation of the portrait took place in the Crypt on 27th February, in presence of a large gathering of members of the congregation. The portrait was presented by Mr. Hall and other sidesmen, as representatives of the congregation, being unveiled by Mr. Cross, and it was received for the Chapter by by the Rev. Canon Welch, Sub-Dean, and Mr. Chancellor Worrell, accompanied by a number of the members of the Chapter. Among those, we were particularly pleased to notice Archdeaeon Boddy, whose inability to get about so freely as younger men may do, did not keep him from thus showing a indly sympathy

with the Bishop and his Cathedral.

It will be interesting to record that the contributions to the cost of the portrait were almost entirely work, which is locally known as his "Constantinople," spontaneous. There was no canvas for subscriptions, or any effort made to swell the list. The amounts given have not been made known, but we are furnished with a list of the subscribers, whose names we are much pleased to record, as follows: - J. W. G. Andras, Rev. H. T. Archbold, Mrs. Arthurs, A. Baldwin, Mrs. Baxter, Mrs. Beckett, Mrs. Boswell, John Canavan, E. M. Chadwick, C. E. Clarke, S. E. Cork, W. H. Cross, H. A. Drummond, D. C. Edwards, F. K. Ebbitt, R. Farthing, Mrs. Gray, Frank M. Gray, C. H. Greene, F. A. Hall, A. J. Harrington, M.D., W. L. Hunter, Mrs. Hunter, Miss Hunter, Willson S. Howard, E. C. Lean, Mrs. Leavitt, Major Leigh, G. G. Lemesurier, Rev. Canon Macnab, Mrs. McCollum, Miss Margaret McCollum, the Misses Mackellar, H. Gordon Mackenzie, G. W. Monk, W. R. Mumford, David Orr, George Parker, E. Parker, C. W. Ricketts, Mrs. Ross, H. T. Sarge, Miss Sharp, C. Carrington Smith, Fred Smythe, Col. Sweny, Miss Taylor, W. I. Thompson, W. Tyrrell, L. N. Vanstone, F. N. Van Zant, C. D. Warren, E. G. Williams, J. S. Williams, Frank Wootten, and several anenymous. There are some who expressed an intention of subscribing, but have not yet done so; and others who were expected to subscribe but have not done so. The subscription list is not yet closed, and the Treasurer would be glad to hear from some of these persons, so as to enable the required amount to be duly made up.

As enquiries have been made as to the cost of the portrait, we are authorized to say firstly, that contributions have been generous, and secondly, that when Mr. Grier was asked how much could be accomplished with such a sum as we thought likely to be available, we found him glad to have an opportunity of painting a portrait of the Bishop, and very desirous, for professional

reasons, of making it life size and full length, and therefore disposed to meet us generously and to undertake the commission at a price which will enable us to make both ends meet, and for a very much less sum to secure a picture for which the artist should have received \$750.

Handsomely mounted photo copies (size 11 by 15, \$1.00 each) of the portrait can be ordered through Canon Macnab. Sample copy (framed) may be seen in the Library.

On the occasion of the presentation of the portrait, the Bishop, being asked to speak, gave a good deal of information regarding the past difficulties and present brighter prospects of St. Alban's Cathedral, a subject which had been already remarked upon by Canon Macnab, who declared that the Toronto Cathedral "had turned the corner." The Bishop took this opportunity of referring at some length to the valuable services rendered by Canon Macnab, Canon-in-charge, including Mrs. Macnab in his remarks, which elicited hearty applause. He also mentioned Mr. Chadwick's services during the whole period of the existence of St. Alban's. He made special reference to the important question of lack of sufficient accommodation for the congregation, and the urgent need of enlargement by the only advisable plan, namely, the construction of the lower part of the central crossing, with a temporary superstructure to provide room for a larger congregation; with regard to which, however, the difficulties which at present exist are somewhat formidable.

A desire for extension of the building is in many men's minds. Is there anyone to come forward with a practicable proposal.

REPORT OF THE ST. ALBAN'S JUNIOR BRANCH OF THE W.A.,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1ST, 1905.

There is a membership of Forty-nine children. The average attendance has been Twenty.

In May 1904, we sent a bale of articles to the Rev. W. G. White, which was packed with the Seniors' bale.

At Christmas 1904, we sent 67 presents, consisting of warm clothing, Prayer Books, and toys, value \$7, to Mr. Battersby, of Warsaw, from whom we received a letter of thanks and gratitude.

We have had three tea parties, held on the day the Seniors' meet, the proceeds of which enabled us to pay off all our pledges; these gatherings were much enjoyed by the children and their friends, and averaged about \$5.50.

The children are engaged in sewing quilts, hemming towels and stitching carpet rags.

We have a great deal to be thankful for to our Heavenly Father, for we have had a very successful year, and have had no sickness or death among the little ones.

Our pledges are yearly:-

(a) Japanese Kindergarten \$1	00
(b) St. Alban's building fund (interest) I	00
(c) Thank-offering	00
(d) Blackfoot Hospital 2	00
\$5	00
Received during the year \$23	72
Expended " " " 19	83
Balance in hand \$ 3	89

A Boys' Association in connection with the W.A. has been formed under the superintendence of Miss Rounthwaite. Secretary, Lionel Amsden: Treasurer, Gordon Ricketts. The boys are learning chip carving, and will make things to order. Some orders have already been received. The object is to encourage the boys to use their abilities in aid of Mission work.

The Cathedral Chapter

BISHOP-The Rt. Rev. Arthur Sweatman, D.D. D.C.L. (The office of Dean is vested in the Bishop).

ARCHDEACONS.

York-Ven. Samuel Johnson Boddy, M.A. Peterborough-Ven. Thomas William Allen, M.A.

RESIDENTIARY CANONS.

Sub-Dean-Rev. Edward Ashurst Welch, M.A., D.C.L. Chancellor-Vacant. Precentor-Rev. John D'Arcy Cayley, M.A., D.D. Missioner-Rev. Alexander Wellesley Macnab.

TREASURER-Edward Marion Chadwick

NON-RESIDENT CANONS OR PREBENDARIES.

Prebend

Etobicoke-Rev. Francis Tremayne. Innisfil-Rev. Edward William Murphy, B.A. Barrie-Rev. William Reiner. Orillia-Rev. Richard Waddilove Eustace Greene, L.Th Newmarket-Rev. John Farncomb, M.A. Cobourg-Rev. Albert Warburton Spragge, M.A. Haliburton-Rev. Philip Harding. St. Paul, Toronto-Rev. Henry John Cody, M.A. St. John, Toronto-Rev. Hillyard Cameron Dixon. All Saints, Toronto-Rev. Arthur Henry Baldwin, M.A. St. Mark, Toronto-Rev. Charles Leycester Ingles, M.A.

HONORARY CANONS.

Rev. James Paterson Sheraton, D.D., L.LD. " James Fielding Sweeny, M.A., D.D.

" Charles Henry Mockridge, M.A., D.D. (Absent).

LAY MEMBERS

Chancellor of the Diocese-John Austin Worrell, D.C.L. K.C. Registrar of the Diocese-Vacant.

Lav Election. Clerical Election. Edward Marion Chadwick. John Carter. James Henry Plummer. John Robison Cartwright. Lawrence Heyden Baldwin. Major Edward Henry Foster. Henry John Wickham. Columbus Hopkins Greene.

THE GENERAL CHAPTER is the Advisory Council of the Bishop, and consists of The Dean, The Archdeacons, and all spiritual persons who hold Canonries.

THE GREAT CHAPTER is the General Legislative and Executive body of the Corporation, and consists of all the above members, Clerical and Lay.

THE RESIDENTIARY CHAPTER is the Financial Executive of the Chapter, and consists of the Dean, The Archdeacons, The Residentiary Canons, and the Lay Members.