

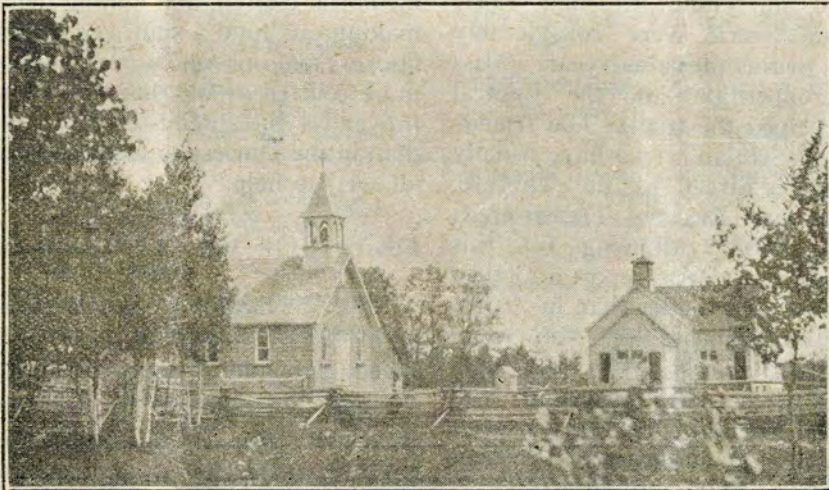
Now it is high time to  
awake out of sleep.



He maketh His sun to rise,  
on the evil and on the good

# The Algoma Missionary News

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### THE ALGOMA ASSOCIATION

The following extracts from the report of the Hon. Secretary of our English Association, read at the recent annual meeting, will be read with great interest, and with deep gratitude for the unceasing prayers and efforts of the friends of Algoma in the Motherland.

"The past year has been one of steadily quiet work. War activities still engrossed many of our helpers, and only the same three branches as in 1917—Beckenham, Bristol, and Guildford—had sales, the results of which were considerably above those of the previous year. Miss Rooper's competition and the Central Sale again helped the funds. The friends of Algoma in Scotland, who have usually sent their money direct to the Diocese, paid through our English Treasurer a sum of £13. 7s. 6d. Allowing for this the Treasurer was able to report a total of £966, which is £27 better than in 1917. The sums from branches are £20 more than in that year, but still £83 less than in 1916. Now that such large sums will not be needed for Red Cross work we sincerely hope that our branches will recover and bring their £630 up to £1000 at least. We were just able to send out the £220 which we promised annually for the Sustentation Fund, for which £1800 has still to be raised. An anonymous donation of £20 was given for two churches, and £696 went out for the General Fund from which the stipends of the clergy are made up."

"We are hoping to be able to help substantially towards a memorial church, where the names of those here whose lives have been given during the war may be commemorated in the New World by those who loved them; others, whose friends have been spared to them, may welcome the opportunity to let their thank-offering take the form of a share in this war memorial church. We are ask-

ing for £500. As yet we have not had half that sum. We hope that after this meeting the idea will be more realized, and when it is we believe that many more will wish to join in a memorial which would be so directly for the glory of God in furthering His Kingdom. The church would be at Lagona, a district of some 4000 steelworkers at the west end of Sault Ste. Marie, where a small room has been their only place of worship."

"For this year our motto must be to carry on, working steadily for the General Fund, the Sustentation Fund, and the memorial church, and aiming definitely at making our total a sum well on into four figures; and our whole work more and more centred in and bound round with prayer for the spread of Christ's Kingdom in the Diocese in which we have been allowed to help."

### DEATH OF MR. WILLIAM JENKIN

On Friday the 23rd of May there passed away one of the best known and most loved of the old pioneers of Emsdale. Mr. William Jenkin came to Emsdale more than forty years ago. At that time what is now a thriving farming centre was virgin forest. He was known and respected far and wide throughout the district. He was always the same, cheerful and courteous, considerate and kind to everyone. He loved God's House, and was always in his place unless actually prevented by circumstances beyond his control. For many years he held the office of lay reader. During the last weeks of his life, when too ill to move, his thoughts were with those who were worshipping in St. Mark's Church, and he sent his accustomed offering. By his will he has bequeathed \$200 to the church. The large and representative attendance at his funeral testified to the great esteem in which this truly Christian gentleman was held.



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## ARCHBISHOP'S APPOINTMENTS

JULY 1919

- 1 Tuesday—Sudbury, Summer School
- 2 Wednesday—Sudbury, Summer School.
- 3 Thursday—Sudbury, Summer School.
- 4 Friday—Sudbury, Summer School.
- 5 Saturday—Train to Sault Ste. Marie.
- 6 3rd Sunday after Trinity—Sault Ste. Marie.
- 7 Monday—Indian Homes Committee.
- 8 Tuesday—Executive Committee.
- 9 Wednesday—
- 10 Thursday—Nepigon.
- 11 Friday—
- 12 Saturday—Nepigon House.
- 13 4th Sunday after Trinity—Gull Bay.
- 14 Monday—
- 15 Tuesday—Grand Bay.
- 16 Wednesday—Grand Bay.
- 17 Thursday—Orient Bay.
- 18 Friday—Schreiber.
- 19 Saturday—Return to Sault Ste. Marie.
- 20 5th Sunday after Trinity—Sault Ste. Marie.
- 21 Monday—Sault Ste. Marie.
- 22 Tuesday—Sault Ste. Marie.
- 23 Wednesday—Sault Ste. Marie.
- 24 Thursday—Sault Ste. Marie.
- 25 St. James Apostle and Martyr—Sault Ste. Marie.
- 26 Saturday—Boat to Richard's Landing.
- 27 6th Sunday after Trinity—St. Joseph's Island.
- 28 Monday—Return to Sault Ste. Marie.
- 29 Tuesday—Train and boat to Gore Bay.
- 30 Wednesday—Silver Water.
- 31 Thursday—Sheshigwaning.

We are glad to note that the Boy Scout movement is making good headway among the boys of St. John's Sunday School, North Bay. Mr. William Osborne is deeply interested in the work, and before long it is expected a goodly number of boys will be enrolled as Tenderfoot Scouts.

## INTERCESSION

The weary ones had rest, the sick had joy that day

And wondered how.

The ploughman, singing at his work, had prayed

"God help them now."

Alone in foreign lands, they wondered how  
Their feeble word had power.

At home the Christians, two or three, had met  
To pray an hour.

So we are always wondering, wondering long  
Because we do not see

Some one, unknown perhaps, and far away  
On bended knee.

I would be true,

For there are those who trust me;

I would be pure,

For there are those who care;

I would be strong,

For there is much to suffer;

I would be brave,

For there is much to dare;

I would be friend of all—

The foe—the friendless;

I would be giving,

And forget the gift;

I would be humble,

For I know my weakness;

I would look up—

And laugh—and love—and lift.

—Howard Arnold Walter.

The Rev. F. H. Hincks, M.A., Rector of Bracebridge, has been appointed Rector of Haileybury, in succession to the Rev. J. C. Popey who has gone to St. Luke's, Fort William.

A driving shed has recently been erected in connection with the church at Kearney.



## DIOCESAN NEWS



### ARCHBISHOP'S VISITATIONS

On Friday the 23rd of May the Archbishop visited Franz, and confirmed three persons in the house of Mr. Selkirk. In the course of this visit His Grace inspected the site for a small mission building, which it is hoped will be erected soon. Mr. Simpson holds services here regularly, and the people are thankful and responsive.

#### MISSANABIE

On the following day services were held morning and evening at Missanabie. Numbers were not great, but the interest shown was very marked. We owe much to the Hudson's Bay Company's agent here, Mr. Finlayson. Several faithful families still remain in this mission, though most of the Indians have gone back into the bush to follow their usual avocations. The removal of a number of families to Franz has depleted the mission: still our little church is usually well attended, and the offerings are sometimes surprising.

#### WHITE RIVER

On Sunday the 25th the Archbishop visited White River, and had three exceedingly encouraging services. Mr. Simpson is making good progress with the new parsonage scheme, and hopes to begin work in the near future. It is much needed. Included in the services of the day was an informal gathering in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, where the Archbishop gave an address. The after-noon service was in connection with the Sunday School, and showed exceeding promise in the way of attendance and interest.

Altogether Mr. Simpson's work is notable. He travels about 150 miles east and west on the Canadian Pacific Rail-

way, and the whole length of the Algoma Central, to say nothing of the large Michipicoten mining district which he visits with unfailing regularity.

#### SLATE RIVER

From White River the Archbishop proceeded to Fort William, where he was the guest of Mrs. Laverty. On Tuesday the 27th of May he drove to Slate River, which is in charge of the Rev. A. J. Bruce of St. Thomas, Fort William. Evensong was held in the beautiful little church at this place, and the Archbishop preached a Rogation sermon, from the text: "Whatsoever ye shall ask the Father in My name He will give it you." (John 16: 23). This mission also has suffered from removals and is sorely weakened in consequence, but still is doing well.

#### OLIVER

On Wednesday the 28th the Archbishop held service in Oliver sixteen miles west of Fort William, where no service has been held for the past two years and more. It was encouraging to see the interest of the people who have been so long left to themselves.

#### ST. GEORGE'S, PORT ARTHUR

On the evening of the same day St. George's Mission was visited, and a good congregation assembled. Here also there is need of a missionary, the Rev. R. F. Palmer having resigned his work in this place.

#### ST. LUKE'S, FORT WILLIAM

On Ascension Day the Archbishop was the guest of the Rev. J. C. Popey, and inducted him into the charge of St. Luke's parish at an exceedingly interesting service in the evening. Mr. Popey be-

gins his work with much promise, and the people are to be congratulated on having one so capable and devoted to succeed the rural Dean, Canon Burt, who had won all hearts.

~~On Friday the 30th St. Michael's and Fort William, was visited and eight~~  
 On Friday the 30th, <sup>PORT ARTHUR,</sup> St. Michael's and Brent Park missions, Port Arthur, were visited. It was cheering to note the interest and devotion manifested in both places, which, with St. George's, are awaiting a new spiritual guide.

On Sunday the 1st of June, the Sunday after Ascension, the Archbishop was at St. John's in the morning, and confirmed forty-three persons. The church was crowded and the service was hearty in the extreme.

In the after-noon St. Thomas, West Fort William, was visited and eight persons confirmed. In the evening the INDUCTION OF THE REV. W. H. TRICKETT into the rectorship of St. Paul's, Fort William, took place. The church was well filled, and great interest was manifested in the service. The new form from the Canadian Revised Prayer Book was used and carried out in due form. The admonitions were particularly impressive.

According to the new form of service the Bishop and incumbent visit in turn the font, the prayer desk, the lectern, the pulpit, and the altar. At each place an appropriate passage of Scripture is read, and the newly inducted priest is admonished as to his duty in respect to Baptism, public prayer, reading of Holy Scripture, preaching, and the celebration of the Holy Communion. To each of these admonitions the priest answers, "I will so do, the Lord being my helper." Then turning to the people, the Bishop reminds them of their duty to their minister, closing with the words, "Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ."

The Archbishop preached from the text, I Peter 4: 10—"As every man hath

received the gift, even so minister the same one to another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God." Nineteen persons were confirmed.

Mr. Trickett has already made a good impression, and his charge of the parish promises much success.

## NEW RECTORY AT NORTH BAY

A further step forward has been made by the people of St. John's Church, North Bay, in the purchase of a rectory to replace the very unsatisfactory one which has done duty for so many years. The new rectory is No. 85 Worthington Street East. The lot is a full-sized one, and the house is in splendid repair, and in every way desirable for a residence for the Rector. The price was \$6300.00, and is considered very reasonable. The cost is to be met by a system of monthly contributions, which it is hoped will produce a sufficient and steady income to pay off each year a good part of the debt, so that no "whirlwind campaigns" may be necessary for meeting this liability. It is realized that regular and systematic giving on the part of all is the fairest, easiest and most satisfactory way of meeting financial obligations which are the duty of all.

Capt. the Rev. F. G. Sherring, C.F., now in England, has been chosen Rector of Bracebridge, in succession to the Rev. F. H. Hincks. Capt. Sherring went overseas with the 37th Battalion, and has done splendid service at the front.

We learn that George Shingwauk, a brother of the late Chief John Shingwauk whose death we chronicled last month, is now the "big chief" on the Garden River Reserve. At the election held recently he defeated his opponent by twelve votes, one hundred being polled. The new chief was one of the delegates representing the Algoma Indians at the Great Council of the Ojibway tribe held at Parry Sound in May.

## EDITH CAVELL MEMORIAL SERVICE

Four thousand school children and fully two thousand citizens of Sault Ste. Marie took part in a most impressive memorial service on May 15th, the anniversary of the death of the heroic nurse, Edith Cavell.

Early in the after-noon the children gathered on Bruce Street where they were formed in groups accompanied by their teachers. Over one hundred boys from the High School in the Michigan Sault came over to take part in the ceremony. Each carrying a flag, the children marched along Albert Street to the grounds in front of the Central School, where the service was held. The parade was led by Sergt. Merrifield, V. C., M. M., carrying a large Union Jack; while beside him marched a Michigan Sault school cadet carrying the Stars and Stripes.

The positions of the various schools, including our own Shingwauk Home, had been well arranged to the right and left of the platform which had been erected in front of the Central School for the speakers and other representative men and women. Directly in front of the platform seats were provided for the hospital and Red Cross nurses, while facing the platform was a brigade of school girls dressed in the Red Cross uniform. The Community Choir, a newly formed children's musical organization, led the singing.

During the early part of the after-noon, while the children were gathering, the weather was very threatening; but fortunately the sky cleared, and just as the vast audience was singing the last verse of "O Canada," and reached the words "Beneath thy shining skies," the sun burst forth. In the bright sunlight the thousands of young faces and the brilliant colours of the flags made a scene of indescribable beauty.

Addresses were given by His Honour Judge Stone, Mayor G. A. Boyd, Mr. J. A. Hussey, representing the separate Schools, Superintendent Malcolm of the schools on the American side, the Rev. J. G. Bowles, and Chairman James Stroyan of the Public School Board.

His Grace the Archbishop was then called upon to dedicate the elm tree which will grow in front of the entrance to the school as a living memorial of the heroic nurse. The Archbishop offered the dedicatory prayer, while Miss K. Templeton, the Public School Nurse, stood by and afterwards assisted in planting the tree.

At the conclusion of the prayer, Bugler E. Walker sounded the "Last Post," and the girls dressed as nurses formed an avenue from the platform to the sidewalk, while the Rev. H. J. Pritchard dedicated a row of maple trees planted along the front of the school. The audience then sang the favourite hymn of Nurse Cavell, "Abide with me," and the service closed with the National Anthem.

Much credit is due to Mr. J. H. Jones, one of St. Luke's staunch Churchmen, who was chiefly instrumental in having this impressive gathering held. It was an occasion which will long live in the memory of the children who took part in it. May it inspire them to live in the spirit of the martyred nurse, whose last message was: "Standing as I do, in view of God and Eternity, I realize that patriotism is not enough; there must be no bitterness nor hatred in my heart against anyone."

Edith Cavell was a daughter of the parsonage, and there has never been a nobler exemplification of the lessons of conscience, duty, and steadfastness which are so often learned beneath the roofs of the English clergy.

No man can really save another unless he saves himself. It is the good man, by his good deeds, that gives life to the world.  
—Phillip Brooks.

## THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

### ANNUAL MEETING HELD IN BRACEBRIDGE

The Annual Meeting of the Algoma Diocesan woman's Auxiliary was held at Bracebridge on Wednesday and Thursday, June 11th and 12th, about 55 officers and delegates attending.

The proceedings began with a celebration of Holy Communion in St. Thomas' Church, taken by the Rev. P. J. K. Law, assisted by the Rev. Canon Altman. Mr. Law preached from the text: John 2: 17, "The zeal of Thine house hath eaten me up."

The meetings were held in Browning Memorial Hall. The Diocesan President, Mrs. J. A. Reid, presided. An address of welcome was read by Miss Sibbarts, President of the Bracebridge branch, and responded to by Mrs. Sellers, Vice-President of Thunder Bay Deanery. Letters of greeting was read from the Dominion Board, and the Diocesan Boards of Quebec, Montreal, Ontario, Toronto, Huron and New Westminster.

### STRENGTH OF THE W. A.

The report of the Recording Secretary showed 63 branches of the W. A. in the Diocese, with a total membership of 1319, including 46 life members. There are 11 Girl's Branches with 209 members, 4 being life members. 17 branches of Juniors have a total of 254, and 492 are enrolled in the 21 Babies' Branches.

### FINANCES

*The Treasurer's report showed for the*  
The amount raised by the Juniors was Woman's and Girl's branches, receipts amounting to \$3614.66, disbursements \$2618.69, leaving a balance on hand of \$995.97. The thank-offering amounted to \$241.46.

The amount raised by the Juniors was \$251.00; and after pledges were paid a balance of \$158.23 remained on hand. The Babies' branch receipts (including a balance on hand at the beginning of the year) amounted to \$169.92, expenses

\$7.36, balance on hand \$162.56.

The Extra-cent-a-day Treasurer reported 20 branches contributing to this fund, with a total of \$270.50. Two amounts were voted away in October and January, leaving a balance on hand of \$148.42.

\$150 of the Junior money was voted as follows: An extra \$10.00 to pledges, \$50.00 to the Lytton Hospital for supplies, \$45.00 to the boat, "Western Hope," of Caledonia, and \$45.00 to the Indians of the North West.

The Babies' Branch money was voted \$2.00 for Port Essington, \$50.00 to Miss Spencer for her work in Japan, and the balance for kindergarten work in Japan.

The senior branches' money, consisting of life membership fees, thank-offering, and extra-cent-a-day fund, was voted as follows: Help for a sick clergyman \$50.00, Church at Temagami \$50.00, moving and travelling expenses of two missionaries \$50.00 each, and the balance to the Sustentation Fund.

The Literature Secretary-Treasurer's report showed, receipts \$9.38, expenditures \$8.18.

The Dorcas Secretary-Treasurer gave a splendid report of the year's work, and urged every branch to take up some form of Dorcas work. A letter from Miss Halson, Dominion Dorcas Secretary, was read, appealing for more workers, both at home and in the foreign field.

### AMENDMENTS TO CONSTITUTION

The Constitution was amended by the addition of three officers: a First Vice-President, to be a resident of Sault Ste. Marie; a Candidate and Girls' Secretary; and a Prayer Partner Secretary. The annual affiliation fee was raised from 10 to 25 cents. The annual fee of the Juniors was raised to 2 cents.

### ANGLICAN FORWARD MOVEMENT

Mrs. Bigwood spoke of the Anglican Forward Movement, and the following resolution was passed by a standing vote:

"Resolved, that we, the officers and members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Algoma, wish to express our entire sympathy with the Anglican Forward Movement. Each member pledges herself to co-operate in every possible way with the Forward Movement Committee, by praying definitely for the movement, by distributing literature on the subject, and especially by a new and complete self-surrender to Christ."

The officers elected for the Forward Movement were: Diocesan Chairman, Mrs. Cole-Bowen, Mrs. T. H. Johnson for Algoma Deanery, Mrs. Sellers for Thunder Bay, Mrs. Struthers for Nipissing, Mrs. McKinley for Parry Sound, and Mrs. Kingsmill for Muskoka.

#### ADDRESS BY THE ARCHBISHOP

His Grace the Archbishop addressed the meeting, and spoke of the difficulties of the Diocese and the need for united and concentrated effort for Algoma and for the Forward Movement. The thanks of the meeting were expressed to His Grace by a standing vote.

It was resolved, "that each branch of the W. A. in Algoma do its utmost to raise as much as possible in its parish or district, to be given to the Archbishop to meet the needs of either the Diocesan Mission Fund or the Sustentation Fund, and so help to relieve the burden resting on the Diocese, this fund to be known as the "Stipends Increase Fund."

Miss Florence Spencer gave an exceedingly interesting address on her work in Japan. A paper on "Girls' Work," written by Miss Magnus, of St. Thomas Girls' Branch, Fort William, was read by Miss English of North Bay, who had also prepared a paper on the work of the Girls' Branch.

#### ELECTION OF OFFICERS

All officers were re-elected unanimously. They are as follows:

Hon. President—Mrs. Thorneloe.

Hon. Vice-Presidents—Mrs. Ironside and Mrs. P. C. Campbell.

President—Mrs. J. A. Reid, Sault Ste. Marie.

First Vice-President—(to be appointed by the Executive.)

Second Vice-President—Mrs. H. Sellers, Port Arthur.

Third Vice-President—Mrs. J. Purvis, Sudbury.

Fourth Vice-President—Mrs. Bigwood, Byng Inlet.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. F. Bennetts, Sault Ste. Marie.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. F. W. Colloton, Sault Ste. Marie.

Treasurer—Mrs. Cole-Bowen, Sault Ste. Marie.

Dorcas Secretary—Mrs. Thomas, Bracebridge.

Sec.-Treasurer of Junior Dept.—Mrs. Address, Sudbury.

Sec. of Babies' Branch—Miss Goatbe, Sault Ste. Marie.

Candidate and Girls' Sec'y.—Mrs. Dwyer, Sault Ste. Marie.

Sec.-Treasurer of Literature—Mrs. W. S. G. Bunbury, Sault Ste. Marie.

Sec.-Treasurer Extra-cent-a-day Fund—Miss Garland, Sault Ste. Marie.

Sec.-Treasurer of "Leaflet"—Miss Clayton, Sault Ste. Marie.

Thank-Offering Sec.-Treasurer—Mrs. McLaurin, Sault Ste. Marie.

Prayer Partner Secretary—Miss V. Barker, Port Arthur.

The Prayer Partner Secretary has begun her work, and will be glad of names of branches who will adopt a prayer partner. The Treasurer spoke of the importance of having all money in her hands by the 31st March, in order to be included in the year's reports. The branches are to be assessed again this year for pledge money.

On the evening of Wednesday the 11th, the delegates enjoyed a delightful trip down the river and across Muskoka Lake, having tea at Mr. Beaumont's farm house. Mr. Smith very kindly lent his boat for the occasion. The thanks of the meeting



were fittingly expressed to the kind hostesses who entertained the delegates, and to all who had assisted in making the meeting a success.

### ST. JOHN'S, SAULT STE. MARIE

The annual vestry meeting of St. John's church was held on Easter Monday and was well attended. The Rector, the Rev. P. F. Bull, presided at the meeting. Excellent reports of the church work for the past year and a very satisfactory financial report were presented.

It was very gratifying to be able to state that the church and rectory, for the first time in the history of the parish, are entirely free from debt, with a cash balance of about \$120.00 to commence the next financial year.

### WAR MEMORIAL HALL

The plans for the proposed new War Memorial Hall were submitted to the meeting and approved. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded to Mr. A. Lake and Mr. Wemyss for their services given in preparing the plans. A financial and building committee was appointed and given instructions to commence the erection of the hall as soon as satisfactory arrangements could be made for financing the project. A publicity committee was also appointed.

It is proposed to erect the hall on the church property on John Street, the size of the building to be 60 feet by 35 feet, with cement basement. The stone now on the site will be utilized for the walls of the hall.

The object of building the hall is to provide room for an ever-increasing Sunday School, the number now on the roll being nearly 200; also to take care of the social life of the parishioners, especially the young people. The hall is to be built as a memorial to those members of the church who gave their lives on the field of battle for right and liberty.

### MEN'S ASSOCIATION

A most enjoyable evening was spent in St. John's Rectory on Tuesday the 22nd of April, when the members of the Men's Association entertained their friends, upwards of forty being present. The evening was spent in games, with a friendly talk from the Rector, and short addresses from Mr. R. C. Smith and Mr. J. Marlow, the wardens for the ensuing year.

The Association has had a very successful season, both in attendance and the amount of business transacted, and it is intended that social events shall be given during the summer months.

### NEW LISKEARD

The annual vestry meeting of St. John's, New Liskeard, brought out the fact that encouraging progress is being made by the congregation. Mr. James Templeton, the catechist at present in charge of the mission, presided. A debt of \$300 has recently been paid off, and a considerable sum towards apportionments. The duplex envelope system was introduced at Easter, and the wardens and sidesmen are acting as a finance committee, with good results.

The Sunday School is growing steadily. Forty-five children are now on the roll with more expected to join shortly. Eight teachers are working in the school. The quarterly meetings of the congregation have been resumed. The first of these took the form of a banquet given by the "Busy Bees" to the returned soldiers, followed by a concert and social evening, to which the members of the congregation were invited. About 150 attended, The Rev. H. A. Sims of Cobalt, a former incumbent of New Liskeard, and Mrs. Sims were present, and enjoyed the opportunity of meeting many old friends again.

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Receipts by the Treasurer of the Synod to the 31st May, 1919.

## MISSION FUND

Blind River, \$23.58; Korah, \$19.60; Baysville, \$57.00; Sheshigwaning, \$5.00; Port Carling, \$21.00; Schreiber, (special) \$16.60; Espanola, \$2.10; Chisholm, \$14.80; St. John's, Sault Ste. Marie, \$71.00; Elk Lake, \$11.00; Hutton House, \$3.86; Emsdale, \$2.50; Sprucedale, \$1.00; Schreiber, \$25.80; Markstay, (stipend) \$2.00; Rydal Bank, (stipend) \$25.00; Bruce Mines, (stipend) \$87.00; Desbarats, (stipend) \$15.00; Coniston, (stipend) \$12.50.

## M. S. C. C. APPORTIONMENT

Silverwater S. S., \$5.40; Uffington, \$13.00; Purbrook, \$7.00; Vankoughnet, \$9.00; Blind River, \$20.00, S. S., \$22.87; Korah S. S., \$4.40; Webbwood S. S., \$13.31; Nainn S. S., \$1.86; Worthington S. S., \$9.08; New Liskeard 1918, \$40.00; Port Carling, \$20.40; Bala S. S., \$1.01; MacTier S. S., \$3.87; Schreiber, \$20.60, S. S., \$30.40; South River S. S., \$10.67; Gravenhurst 1918, \$2.78; Chisholm, \$14.80; Sundridge, \$15.25; St. John's, Sault Ste. Marie, \$71.00; Bruce Mines S. S., \$5.00; Sand Lake, \$4.50; St. Luke's and St. Stephen's S. S., Sault Ste. Marie, \$50.00; Parry Sound S. S., \$31.83.

## JEWISH MISSIONS

Uffington, \$1.35; Purbrook, 65c; Blind River, \$10.05; Korah, \$4.35; Baysville, \$3.50; Webbwood, \$6.45; Espanola, \$2.20; Nainn, 45c; New Liskeard, \$4.00; Sheshigwaning, \$1.00; Port Carling, \$4.75; Bala, \$2.50; Torrance, \$2.00; Schreiber, \$4.85; South River, \$3.00; Gravenhurst, \$5.00; Chisholm, \$1.50; St. John's, Sault Ste. Marie, \$5.00; Elk Lake, \$1.00; Parry Sound, \$9.35.

## EXPENSE FUND

Vankoughnet, \$2.00; Korah, \$6.85; Baysville, \$8.62; New Liskeard, \$16.29; Port Carling, \$6.97; Emsdale, \$9.20; Sprucedale, \$9.20; Kearley, \$9.20; Gravenhurst, \$47.22; Chisholm, \$5.00; St. John's, Sault Ste. Marie, \$42.86; Parry Sound, \$53.24; White River, \$3.05.

## INDIAN HOMES

Christ Church Cathedral, Hamilton, (for Frank) \$26.00; Grillia, \$35.06; Dominion W. A., \$75.00.

## WIDOWS AND ORPHANS FUND

Rev. C. W. Balfour, \$5.00.

## SUPERANNUATION FUND

Rev. C. W. Balfour, \$5.00; English Association, \$40.92.

## SUSTENTATION FUND

Dominion W. A., \$12.00; English Association, \$170.12; White River, \$7.65.

## SPECIAL PURPOSES

Memorial Church—English Association, \$634.95.

Dorion Church—Dominion W. A., \$125.00.

War Service Commission—Silverwater, 75c. Social Service—Korah, \$1.40; Chisholm, \$2.75.

## Northern Ontario

## A NEW LAND NEARBY

Northern Ontario the great new land of freedom, comprises a region large enough to include half a dozen European countries or the six New England and four middle States of the American Union. Within that region there is an alluvial tract of calcareous clay comprising probably twenty million acres of fertile arable land fit for "mixed farming."

This land is divided into eight great districts: Nipissing, Temiskaming, Sudbury, Algoma, Thunder Bay, Rainy River, Kenora and Patricia. The vast resources of this great heritage are yet scarcely realized, it is but recently known and beginning in settlement.

It is safe to say that from 65 to 75 per cent. of the Clay Belt is good farm land, and that this percentage will be considerably increased by comprehensive drainage, which the rivers will aid in making easy.

This immense region is connected with Southern Ontario by the Provincial Railway from North Bay to Cochrane, and is traversed from east to west by one of the finest railways in the world; the National Transcontinental Line, which runs from the Bay of Fundy to the Pacific Ocean. For twenty years the easterly part of it has been open for settlement, the land being sold to actual settlers at an almost nominal price.

## WHAT SETTLERS THINK OF BUSH LIFE

"Yes, I had two years on the prairie and I would not return. "Bush land is more profitable; you have plenty of firewood and wood for repairing machinery; no blizzards in winter no windstorms in summer; there is shelter for stock and good water; we have better homes and not so great loss with frost and hail. There are beauties beyond description in the spring, only imagined on the long unbroken prairie; it has many advantages—scenery, shelter, fuel, lumber, pine, atmosphere, delightful walks, shaded; there is more employment in the winter months; one can manage with bush life without capital better than in the prairies. I would not think of living on the prairie as long as I could get a bush farm; the bush farm for me."

There are many other advantages, all of which are told in our free literature.

## MANY MILLION ACRES OF FERTILE LAND

Out of so vast an area there are, say, twenty million acres of agricultural land, most of which is good. There is what is called a Clay Belt, which extends westerly from the interprovincial boundary between Quebec and Ontario for over 400 miles, and which varies in depth, north and south, from 25 to 100 miles and more.

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