

MISSIONARY QUOTAS.

Last Synod decided that the financial year of the parish should end on the same day as the missionary year, namely, June 30. It is earnestly hoped that this will not be allowed to interfere with the usual effort in June to meet the parish missionary quota.

The financial depression has very seriously affected the missionary work of the Church of New Zealand, and unless more support is forthcoming it must be much further curtailed. Are we going to allow missionaries to be recalled home and much establish-

ed work to be dropped? Please pray this may not have to happen, and do what you can to help your parish to do its full share.

Make the most of the Whitsunday offerings for Melanesia, and remember that the missionaries there have willingly accepted substantial cuts in their meagre pay, and some of the native workers take nothing at all.

The following is a list of the parishes with the amount of their quotas and the amount so far sent in:—

PARISH SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR MISSIONS.

PARISH.

N.Z. BOARD OF MISSIONS

PARISH.	Subscriptions to		Quota.	Amount	
	May 18, 1933.			Required.	
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Clive			15	15 0 0	
Dannevirke	40	0 0	125	85 0 0	
Gisborne	86	4 7	235	148 15 5	
Hastings	46	3 0	200	153 17 0	
Havelock	144	2 4	250	105 17 8	
Napier—St. Andrew's	15	17 5	50	34 2 7	
„ St. Augustine's	35	0 5	90	54 19 7	
„ St. John's	30	3 10	180	149 16 2	
Opotiki			40	40 0 0	
Ormondville	13	14 0	40	26 6 0	
Otane	58	5 1	300	241 14 11	
Patutahi	13	9 3	35	21 10 9	
Porangahau			45	45 0 0	
Puketapu	63	4 2	100	36 15 10	
Rotorua	32	17 9	105	72 2 3	
Takapau			65	65 0 0	
Taradale		13 0	90	89 7 0	
Tauranga	45	19 4	95	49 0 8	
Te Karaka	15	0 0	65	50 0 0	
Te Puke	16	7 3	40	23 12 9	
Tolaga Bay	3	10 0	50	46 10 0	
Waerenga-a-hika	40	0 0	75	35 0 0	
Waipawa	29	4 10	85	55 15 2	
Waipiro Bay	1	4 10	125	123 15 2	
Waipukurau	44	6 6	105	60 13 6	
Wairoa	19	5 6	40	20 14 6	
Whakatane	11	19 11	50	38 0 1	
Woodville	22	19 1	42	19 0 11	
Maori	10	16 0	53	34 6 6	
Sundry	7	17 6			
	£848	5 7	£2790	£1941 14 5	

GENERAL DIOCESAN FUND.

Herewith is a statement showing the fund's position at the end of May. This most assuredly does not represent all the monies that have been raised towards Parish Quotas during the year. There must be numerous sums, large and small, held by Vestries that ought long ago to have been forwarded. Making allowance for all the excuses that will be offered, the figures below disclose such an urgent state of affairs that Churchwardens are asked to send to the Diocesan Secretary without delay every penny that is due from the Parish to the G.D. Fund. Not only so, but Church people are earnestly asked to make sacrifices in order to maintain their Diocese in a sound financial position. The Organiser, Rev. N. F. Benham, has already visited a considerable number of parishes, and it is our sincere hope and prayer that before June 20th the needs of our Home and Maori work will lead the people who have heard his story to give, even if it hurts.

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Subscriptions to	May 18, 1933.		Quota.	Amount	
	Required.			Required.	
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
	3	9 8	37	33 10 4	
	61	1 1	165	103 18 11	
	84	18 2	250	165 1 10	
	96	18 8	400	303 1 4	
	237	18 0	345	107 2 0	
	56	1 10	100	43 18 2	
	19	10 5	115	95 9 7	
	208	1 2	375	166 18 10	
	6	8 4	50	43 11 8	
	80	12 0	95	14 8 0	
	326	9 9	450	123 10 3	
	39	5 2	75	35 14 10	
	34	2 9	90	55 17 3	
	2	2 10	75	72 17 2	
	58	10 11	125	66 9 1	
	2	10 0	75	72 10 0	
	3	10 0	50	46 10 0	
	29	19 4	110	80 0 8	
	44	6 0	90	45 14 0	
	17	17 9	50	32 2 3	
	9	11 0	38	28 9 0	
	63	7 11	95	31 12 1	
	64	3 0	80	15 17 0	
	297	3 3	400	102 16 9	
	31	5 7	100	68 14 5	
	42	7 11	30		
	35	0 0	75	40 0 0	
	35	4 7	50	14 15 5	
	13	5 6	15	1 14 6	
	33	6 11	20		
	£2038	9 6	£4025	£2012 5 4	