

may remind the world of ancient offerings, which this age was deemed too niggardly or too irreligious to attempt. In boldness of conception, and beauty of detail, it is not to be compared with those noble edifices. It has been matter of surprise to some persons, whose attention has been called to the undertaking by the recent notice of the portion of the Church which has been consecrated, that Scotland should be the scene of the work. Scottish history and Scottish associations do not appear, at first sight, very favourable to the establishment of a religious society. Without venturing to analyse the motives of the founders and benefactors, we may express the idea which we have formed for ourselves of the sphere of the duty marked for the collegiate body, to whose guardianship the new Cathedral has been solemnly committed.

It cannot be questioned that the modern Church of Scotland, notwithstanding its Episcopal Government, has presented itself externally too much in the character of an appanage to the state and comfort of its wealthier members. That rich noblemen and gentlemen, when they returned to their country houses in the north, should find a pew in the chapel in the nearest town, seemed to be with many of its lay members of the higher class to be the only end of its existence. They actually discountenanced the zeal which would preach the Gospel to the poor, or strive to unite all Christians in unity of faith and worship. With such feelings predominant it was no wonder that the clergy should be miserably supported, the chapels meagre and unsightly, and the services too frequently cold and lifeless. The Church was presented to the view of her opponents, or of strangers, in an uninviting aspect, with nothing that could meet their devotional feelings or attract their love. There have been instances, from time to time, of religious munificence on the part of wealthy landowners, but it was not until lately that we have seen her show signs of preparing to manifest herself in her beauty and dignity. The fair building which towers above the houses of Perth is the standing expression of its founders' belief that Christians have no higher employment than the worship of God, and that His worship cannot be too reverently or too zealously offered. For these ends, the Dean and Canons will be lodged in the precincts of the Cathedral, not to be the mere chaplains of the neighbouring gentry, but to serve in their several degrees to the due advancement of the glory of their Maker in Heaven. Their is to be an evident example, their practice a guide for the help of their brethren, their institution a centre of unity and Christian fellowship to the diocese in which they have their mission.

In their immediate neighbourhood they have a work of yet greater urgency. The coldness and apathy which have infected the Presbyterian Establishment have allowed great numbers of its nominal adherents to live in practical unbelief.—The Free Kirk secession drew to itself a large proportion of the zeal and energy of Presbyterianism in Scotland, leaving behind it comparatively little that could be relied upon for vigour or enthusiasm in the great work of converting the wanderers.—We draw attention to this state of things, lest it should be supposed that the Chapter of St. Ninian's, at Perth, has no other object than to make proselytes from the Scottish Establishment. It has a vast field open to it, untrodden by the ministers of that society. Perth is a great town, with the vices of a great town; and in Perth alone there are many thousands who never frequent the places of public worship recognised by any religious body, but spend their Sundays in a stupid devotedness to their national beverage, which they deem not inconsistent with the strictness of reverence for the day of rest professed throughout North Britain. These multitudes must be taught a holier practice as well as a purer faith. This part of the work has been already commenced. During the last three years an active and self-denying clergyman, who is now a Canon of the new Cathedral, has been faithfully labouring amongst the poor of the city, out of whom a godly congregation has already been formed. His hands will be strengthened, and his work advanced, by the support and sympathy which he cannot fail to receive from the society of which he is now a part, and by the presence of the noble fabric in which it is his privilege to minister. Of the benefit to be derived from the parochial labours of the clergy of St. Ninian's, not even their opponents, we think, can seriously entertain a doubt.

It must be regarded as a circumstance of additional interest in the undertaking of which we have been speaking, that it has in its vicinity the scenes of the only great educational movement which Scottish Churchmen have attempted in our times. Trinity College, Glenalmond, is already flourishing to an extent which its promoters could hardly have anticipated when they first announced their design. The idea of a Cathedral Church, with its resident Chapter, is in harmony with all the feelings and hopes that have led so many of our English readers to watch with anxiety the successful endeavours of Mr. Wordsworth to produce a living portraiture of Christian boyhood in a public school. We cannot doubt but that the Warden of Trinity College and the Dean of Perth will co-operate with mutual advantage in the great work, of which they have each assigned to them no inconsiderable portion, and

for which they each possess undoubted qualifications. That the newly-elected Dean should add to those higher requisites for the headship of a religious society, which we could not with propriety describe, the possession of personal endowments and social influence seems to be a circumstance of more importance in the eyes of Scottish gentlemen than we should have been disposed to expect. To them the Church may confidently appeal for their support in things temporal to an institution at present without endowment or attraction of any kind, except that which high hopes and religious sympathies can give under all difficulties or discouragements to the Christian missionary's work. What can be effected under such circumstances, in the absence of all temporal inducements or pecuniary prizes, they who have known the Dean of Perth in the sphere of his English ministrations need not to be told. We can only add our hope that the same energy in a new and wider sphere may be blessed with the like encouragement, and with equal success.

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DONALD BETHUNE, Jr. BARRISTER AND ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery and Bankruptcy, CONVEYANCER, &c. DIVISION STREET, COBOURG, CANADA WEST. Cobourg, Oct. 21, 1845.

MR. ALEX. KEEFER, BARRISTER AND ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, No. 98, (Chewett Buildings,) King-street West. Toronto, September 9th, 1850. 7-1f

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The erection of the Church, which is a substantial brick edifice cost £1000; of which £350 remains unpaid. The following ladies have consented to act as a Committee to make the necessary arrangements for the Bazaar, by any of whom contributions of articles suitable for such a purpose will be most gratefully received:

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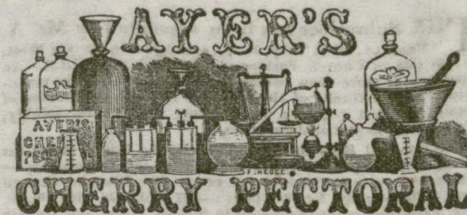
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