

## CALENDAR.

- June 25th.—*Second Sunday after Trinity.*  
Judges iv; Acts vii. 1-35.  
" v; 1 St. John, i.  
" vi. 11; 1 St. John, i.  
" 26th. Esther i; Acts vii. 35-viii. 5.  
" ii. 15 and iii; 1 St. John  
ii. 1-15.  
" 27th. Esther iv; Acts viii. 5-26.  
" v; 1 St. John iii. 15.  
" 28th. *Fast.*  
Esther vi; Acts viii. 26.  
" vii; 1 St. John iii. 1-16.  
" 29th. *St. Peter.*  
Ezek. iii. 4-15; St. John xxi.  
15-23.  
" iii; Acts iv. 8-23.  
" 30th. Job i; Acts ix. 1-23.  
" ii; 1 St. John iii. 16-iv. 7.  
July 1st. " iii; Acts ix. 23.  
" iv; 1 St. John iv. 7.

## NOVA SCOTIA.

YARMOUTH.—The Bishop of the Diocese arrived in this parish on the evening of Tuesday, the 30th of May. The following Wednesday night he administered the rite of Confirmation to fifty-one persons; four of whom being pupils from St. Margaret's Hall, were presented by the Principal, the Rev. J. Padfield. In the course of the address which usually succeeds Confirmation, the Bishop was pleased to note, with unqualified approbation, the several signs of progress which he observed in the parish. He commended the people highly for what they had done, which was, however, he observed, chiefly for themselves; and he invited them now to do as much as in them lay, for their poorer brethren, by increasing their offerings to D. C. S., to the funds of which, as it is, the parish of Yarmouth is the third highest contributor in the diocese. The Bishop argued that the parish had been in several respects exceptionally blessed; and that therefore, the people should be exceptionally liberal. His Lordship, who appeared to be in excellent health, was highly favoured during his visit with very fine weather; and the cordial intercourse which he had with many of the laity, will, no doubt, before long, yield very good fruit.

TUSKET.—On Tuesday, the 30th ult., the Lord Bishop arrived at this mission for the purpose of Confirmation and re-opening the Church which had been closed for some weeks for alterations and improvements. Service was held at four o'clock. Prayer was said by the Rev. J. R. Campbell, the Lessons being read by the Rev. J. T. Moody. The Bishop as usual delivered a touching and appropriate address, and was also the preacher. There were two adult baptisms during the service, and nine candidates for Confirmation. There was a large and attentive congregation, and the Bishop commended them for the heartiness of their worship.—*Halifax Church Chronicle.*

## FREDERICTON.

CONFIRMATION.—The Lord Bishop administered the rite of Confirmation to a number of candidates in St. Mary's Church, Waterloo street, on Tuesday, June 6th. Some of the candidates had reached the adult age. His Lordship held a Confirmation service at Rothesay, Wednesday, after the completion of the consecration services of St. Paul's Church.

## MONTREAL.

THE ST. LAMBERT CHURCH OF ENGLAND MISSION.—An enjoyable meeting of the St. George's Young Men's Christian Association was held Thursday evening in St.

George's school house, Dean Bond in the chair. There was a large attendance. Mr. J. L. Foley read an essay upon the twentieth Article of the Church of England, and Rev. J. Carmichael one on a letter which recently appeared in the *Witness* upon the Queen's new title and the future of Britain. Several readings given by members were received with applause. The proposed Church at St. Lambert was then spoken of. The Secretary then read a letter from R. W. B. Webster on the subject. He then stated that it was suggested to build the edifice half way between the railway track and the Methodist Chapel, on land belonging to Mr. George Moffat. The cost would be between \$1,200 and \$1,500, of which \$600 had already been subscribed at St. Lambert. Mr. A. McNally said he thought it was a very good opportunity to spread the Gospel. The Association would not be called upon to spend any money, but only to supply the pulpit and give the necessary personal aid. He then moved, seconded by Mr. W. C. Buckley, "That the thanks of this Association be tendered to the Church of England residents in St. Lambert, for the confidence they have expressed in deciding to entrust the Association with the funds collected for the purpose of building a church; and that a committee be appointed to confer with them further on the subject; said committee to report to the executive of the Association, who shall have power to arrange definitely what shall be done." The following are the names of the members of the committee appointed:—Dean Bond, Messrs. Radford, Chipman, Hill, Putman, McNally and Buckley. After this business had been attended to Rev. J. Carmichael stated that many Christian persons in the city, feeling that Dr. Johnson's address on "Religion and Science," delivered at the Convocation of McGill College, was of such a valuable nature that it should have a wide circulation had asked him to publish it for the benefit, especially, of young men. This Dr. Johnson had kindly done, and had presented the St. George's Young Men's Christian Association with one hundred copies of the pamphlet. The speaker moved a vote of thanks to Dr. Johnson for his donation, which was passed unanimously.

## NIAGARA.

THE Guelph papers contain full reports of the visit of the Bishop and Mrs. Fuller to that important and flourishing parish. On Trinity Sunday a confirmation was held, when, notwithstanding the intense heat, the Church was crowded—seats had to be put in the aisles, and some stood through the services. Sixty-two were confirmed, the Bishop laying his hands on each one, among whom were some far advanced in life. His Lordship delivered a most excellent address, and in the evening, standing in front of the chancel, gave an eloquent exposition of the Ten Commandments, which was listened to by all with the greatest attention. The after proceedings we take from the *Guelph Herald*:

As mentioned in Monday's *Daily Herald*, the Lord Bishop of Niagara and Mrs. Fuller arrived in Guelph on Saturday by the evening train on the Great Western Railway, and proceeded to Rosehurst, where they were the guests of the Rev. Canon Dixon. On Sunday the Bishop preached at both services in St. George's, and also administered the rite of confirmation there. On Monday the Bishop and Mrs. Fuller, accompanied by Mr. George Elliott, senior churchwarden, visited the General Hospital, with which they expressed themselves exceedingly pleased. In the evening they held a reception at Rosehurst, which was attended by about

300 members of the congregation, who were presented to the Bishop and Mrs. Fuller by Canon Dixon, who entertained the large number present in an exceedingly hospitable manner. The grounds of Rosehurst are among the most beautiful in Guelph, and were evidently much appreciated on Monday evening. Shortly before nine o'clock the front of the house was nicely lit up, when Mr. George Elliott approached the Bishop, who stood at the principal entrance door, and read him the following

## ADDRESS:

To the Right Rev. Thomas Brock Fuller, D.D., Bishop of Niagara.

May it please Your Lordship,

We, the churchwardens and lay delegates, on behalf of the parishioners of the parish of Guelph, take this opportunity of your Lordship's visit to express to you the feelings of respect and affection with which we regard you as our Diocesan. The formation of the new diocese of Niagara will, we trust, under God's blessing and your Lordship's administration, promote the best interests of the Church within its borders, and we pray that the peace and harmony that have characterized our diocese since its organization may long continue, and that Christ's kingdom may grow and increase therein. We pray that your Lordship may be spared to rule over the Church in this diocese, and that you may enjoy the blessing of seeing the fruits of your labours. With our kindest regards to Mrs. Fuller, we are, Your Lordship's obedient servants, George Elliott, F. J. Chadwick, Churchwardens; George Elliott, Frederick Biscoe, A. A. Baker, Lay Delegates. *Guelph, June 12, 1876.*

To this the Bishop made an eloquent and earnest reply, in the course of which he referred to the great gratification which he received from such expressions of regard at the hands of those who composed the Church in his diocese. Since his elevation to the bishopric everything in connection with its affairs had, he was glad to say, gone on in a pleasant and satisfactory manner, and although at the time the division of the diocese of Toronto was first proposed, some of the members of the Guelph congregation were opposed to the alteration, he believed they had since altered their opinions, and now felt that what had been done had been for the good of the Church and the more effectual furtherance of Christ's kingdom. He warmly congratulated the congregation of St. George's on their evident zeal in the cause of their great Master, as evidenced by the beautiful church they had erected, and by the fact that Guelph stood the highest of all churches in the diocese in its contributions to the Mission Fund. In all the matters which he was called upon to transact he had endeavoured to promote the best interests of the diocese, and referred particularly to the large number of appointments he had made, in all of which he had been influenced, not by any desire to please his friends, but by a regard for the good of the Church. One of the principal appointments he had made was that of Canon Dixon, as Rector of Guelph, and he was glad to find that it had met with the warm approval of the congregation. In conclusion, he impressed the necessity of earnest prayer for the Church, for its individual members, for its clergy, and for himself, as its spiritual head.

Refreshments were served in the dining room of the residence, and during the evening a choice and well rendered programme of music was given in the drawing room. Miss Madeline Parker sang, "When the tide comes in," and "Dear little heart"; Miss Jones sang "I am waiting for thee" and another piece, the name of