

practical discourse on the great duty of Confession of Sin—was preached by the Rev. J. DIXON CARDER of Connecticut.

At half-past six o'clock another service was held. Evening Prayer was said by the Rev. Mr. KETCHUM and the Rev. Mr. PODMORE. The First Lesson was read by the Rev. Mr. NEALES, the Second by the Rev. Mr. SHORE. The sermon—exceedingly appropriate to the occasion—was preached by the Bishop of FREDERICTON.

We have only to add a notice of a transaction which occurred on the day before the Consecration. On Tuesday morning, in the Cathedral Library, Bishop SOUTHGATE presented the Bishop of FREDERICTON with a congratulatory letter from the Parish of the Advent, Boston. There were present the Rev. Dr. EDSON of Mass., the Rev. Messrs. CARDER and BRONSON of Conn., the Rev. C. M. PARKMAN of North Carolina, and Dr. F. E. OLIVER of Boston, besides a large number of the Clergy of the Diocese.

Bishop SOUTHGATE made a few remarks, stating the circumstances which called forth this letter. The Rev. Mr. PARKMAN was then appointed by him to read it. After the reading it was delivered to Bishop MEDLEY, who, in his few words of thanks, alluded most feelingly to his first knowledge of this Parish. He spoke of the late rector, Dr. CROSWELL, in affectionate sorrow for his loss, and bade the Parish "God-speed" with all his heart.

We doubt not that all our readers will join with us in wishing the good Bishop and his Diocese "God-speed." "Peace be within thy walls and plenteousness within thy palaces."