

MISCELLANEOUS.

We have much pleasure in announcing the appointment of the Rev. A. C. Scarth, M. A., Rector of St. George's Church, Lennoxville, to the Professorship of Ecclesiastical History in the University. We congratulate the Staff of the College on this acquisition to their number.

The Rev. F. Prideaux, M.A., late scholar of Lincoln College, Oxford, and some time Head-Master of Tiverton School, England has been appointed Assistant Classical Master of Bishop's College School. Mr. Prideaux obtained the high honor of a second class in Classics at Oxford, and his very high attainments, together with his long experience in Tuition, render his appointment a matter of congratulation to all who are interested in Bishop's College. There can be little doubt that a great future is in store for the School; it will be to Canada what Eton and Harrow and Winchester and Rugby have been to England, the training place of its Clergy, its Statesmen and its Orators, and to some extent of its soldiers. And nothing can conduce to this more effectually than that men of the high standing of Mr. Prideaux should be willing to sever the ties which bind them to their homes, and come to Canada to devote their lives, to the work of teaching amongst us. We trust that Mr. Prideaux will receive a hearty welcome, and sincere sympathy in the work he is coming out to undertake.

One of the last acts of the Metropolitan and the Bishop of Quebec, (visitors of the

College,) before embarking for England, was the appointment of Maxfield Sheppard, Esq., as a Trustee of the College.

Mr. Sheppard has four boys at the School, and must therefore be closely interested in the welfare of the establishment. His business powers have been well tested in the Church Society and Synod of the Diocese of Quebec, in whose Board and Committee Rooms he is well known. With the knowledge of these facts, the public will have no difficulty in seeing that his services will be of real value to the College.

The Rev. R. C. Tambs, B.A., graduate of Bishop's College, who has for the two past summers labored at Grosse Isle, has been appointed to the mission of Bourg Louis. From Mr. Tamb's success in past missionary work we augur well of his future career.

We have noticed lately in one of the most influential of Township papers, several communications, calling the attention of the people to this institution. In one respect we fully agree with their writers. We believe that the foundation of scholarships in both Departments would be of incalculable benefit as well to the Institution as to the people of the townships. We hope that the subject will not be suffered to drop now that more than one voice has been raised in its behalf.

The Grammar School of Bishop's College opened on the 2nd instant with an unusually large number of boys.