

both in the temper displayed, and the injustice of the charges, to the cry of old, ' Away with such a fellow from the earth ! for it is not fit that he should live.' " I would venture to suggest the propriety of amending and correcting the above passage in the second edition of the " letter." In commenting upon his Lordship's letter, I have endeavored (I hope not unsuccessfully,) to pay every respect to his age and station.—His epistle, it must be admitted, is a most unfortunate production, and can only be compared to the last weapon thrown by Priam :—

*Sic fatus sceles, telumque indigello sine, letu
Coniecit : rance quod protinus ira repulsum,
Et summo clypei nequicquam umbone pependit.*

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

THE VENERABLE BEADLE.

Quebec, 15th October, 1858.

P. S.—I venture to imitate the practice which has been brought into fashion by my worthy and excellent friend, Dr. Nicolls, Principal of the University of Lennoxville, viz. : the adding of a Postscript by way of after-thought. There seems to be a strange delusion in his Lordship's mind concerning the party which is opposed to the innovating tendencies of certain divines in his diocese. He seems to be under the impression that its numbers are scanty, that its influence is contemptible, that

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