

from Toronto, Ottawa, Kingston, and Pembroke, and are acknowledged with many thanks.

Subscriptions are solicited towards the payments due on the parsonage at Korah. The poor people of the mission have done all they can do for some time, and look with hope to their brethren in the faith in Canada and in England to help them. Moneys sent to the incumbent, or to D. Kemp, Esq., Diocesan Treasurer, Synod office, Toronto, will be duly acknowledged.

A SOBER purpose never leaves a man languid and inert. Its inspiration continues; it quickens the desires and strengthens the powers for new efforts.

NEVER bear more than one kind of trouble at a time. Some people bear three kinds—all they have had, all they have now, and all they expect to have.
E. E. Hall.

Optimists weld the great moral forces of the world; doubt is as disease, and trials but blessings in disguise. The highest blessing is a joyous spirit, which with the lips and lives shows forth its praise in God's service.—*Temple.*

How passing strange the misery of suffering is, and how questionable the right which two-thirds of the world assume to themselves of filling their ears with cotton, that the moans may not break in upon their silken repose, and that the cry of the toiling thousands may float by on the blast unheard! But suppose that cry goes up to the ears of God, and He asks, "Whom did you relieve; whom did you clothe; whom did you feed with your tens, hundreds, or thousands?" Assuredly, protest against Kingsley who will, he stood on a deep, awful truth, "God will yet take account of the selfishness of wealth, and His quarrel has yet to be fought out."—*F. W. Robertson.*

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