

can only produce in the minds of our readers a very likely source of gratitude, that the Canadian Church is happily free as well from the ignorance as from the tyranny of the Colonial office. By way of counterpoise, we are pleased to note that the vacant See of Bombay has been offered by the Secretary of State for India, to the lion-hearted Dean of Capetown.

The Report of the Upper House of the Convocation of the Province of Canterbury on the subject of the canonicity of the judgment of the Bishop of Capetown, renders it too late for us to do more than chronicle that, apparently amidst much perturbation of spirit and difference of opinion, the Committee find—

1. That substantial justice was done to the accused.
2. That though the sentence having been pronounced by a tribunal not acknowledged by the Queen's Courts, whether civil or ecclesiastical, can claim no legal effect, the Church, as a spiritual body, may rightly accept its validity.

The Bishop of Lichfield has sailed for New Zealand with the hearty prayers and good wishes of all.

Within what he recently styled "six singularly happy months," his Lordship has performed almost herculean labour, the greatest of which perhaps, is the establishment of Synodical Conferences in his own Diocese.