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OBITUARY.

The Rev. F. L. Stephenson, of the Diocese of Ontario, died at Brockville on the 24th of January, from the effects of the prevailing influenza. Born in Ireland and educated at Lennoxville, he was well adapted to do the work of the Church, and was stationed successively at Bearbrook, Newboro, Sterling, Almonte, and finally became Rector of St. Peter's Church, Brockville.

THE Rev. Canon O'Meara, of Winnipeg, has met with considerable success in pleading for help for the Church in Rupert's Land.

THE Bishop of Qu'Appelle, Hon. Dr. Anson, rightly thinks that the granting of separate schools to the Church of Rome a grave anomaly if not a gross injustice. The latter is the proper term to apply to it, and the Protestants of this country should resent it.

DEATH has been busy among great and honored names in the Christian Church. Immediately after the death of Bishop Lightfoot comes that of Rev. Dr. Littledale, the great champion of the Church against the false doctrines and practices of the Church of Rome.

THE Bishop of Moosonee, Dr. Horden, lately ordained to the ministry William Dick, a pure Cree Indian, thirty-seven years of age. His ordination was a day to be remembered at York Factory. It is hoped he will be a useful missionary among his brethren.

THE Bishops of the North-West receive but little aid from our Board of Management, and it is little wonder that they feel much disappointment at it. In 1888 Bishop Pinkham, of Saskatchewan and Calgary, received \$579.98 and in 1889 only \$314.26. Certainly the Board ought to grant more than that, but the trouble is that it can't give more than it gets. When the people of our parishes will contribute liberally the Board will be able to make liberal grants.

THE recent destruction of the Toronto University by fire is an event deeply to be deplored, for, however grand the restored building may be, there were many valuable things lost which can never be replaced. Such a building should be supplied with much better appliances for extinguishing fire than it seems to have possessed, and the lesson probably will be beneficial upon other valuable institutions. Are our own universities and colleges and schools and churches sufficiently well equipped for a speedy battle with the flames?

THE people of Brunel, Muskoka, are trying to build a church. Contributions in aid of this object will be received thankfully by Mrs. Ferguson, Newholm, Brunel, Muskoka.