

and Articles of our Church be taught under the control and direction of the appointed Clergyman.

The Society will learn with gratification that the Lord Bishop, during his visit to Bermuda last year consecrated a new and beautiful Church in the Capital, ordained two Clergymen, (one of whom the Rev. C. P. K. Coombe, was formerly a student in the Theological College of this town), held a visitation of the Clergy, and administered Confirmation in every Church in the Colony. After his return from Bermuda in the Church Ship, his Lordship visited the Southern and Western Coasts of the Island, as far as Cow Cove, and Rocky Harbor in Bonne Bay. The chief events of this visitation, the particulars of which have already appeared in the Newfoundland "*Times*," may be summed up as follows:—Thirty-seven settlements were visited, several not yet included in any Mission, and beyond the reach of any Missionary; in eighteen settlements the Holy Communion was administered and Confirmation in twenty-two; five new Churches and six Cemeteries were consecrated: and in all these places and occasions it may be hoped, some spiritual gifts were imparted, of more permanent and blessed effect, for the glory of God, and the edification of his Church and people.

One of the aforesaid new Churches is of brick with stone facings, the first of such material and character in the Island, and was built at the sole expense of Thomas Newman Hunt, Esq.; in the midst, and for the benefit, of the settlers in the neighbourhood of his establishment in Hermitage Bay. An example of Christian beneficence worthy of all imitation. The workmen and the materials for the Church were all sent from England; it occupied two years in building and the cost, it is believed, would exceed £3,000.

This voyage including the passage from Bermuda, occupied very nearly four months. The Bishop returned to St. John's in October, and in the following month visited all the Missions and Clergy in Concep-