

now do equally well at Sherbrooke, building upon the true and solid foundations, which have been so well and wisely laid during the last twelve years by Dr. Thorne-
 loe, and on these grounds we tender to our readers in the Eastern Townships our hearty congratulations upon their choice.

Church Society.

CENTRAL BOARD.

A Stated Meeting of the Central Board was held in the Cathedral Church Hall on the 15th of December, under the presidency of the Lord Bishop. Nineteen members were present. After the ordinary preliminaries, the Committee on "Cookshire Endowment" presented its Report.

The question of mutual protection against loss of revenue from Parochial Investments was discussed at length, and it was resolved to bring the matter before the Church Society at its Annual Meeting in February next, for the consideration of that body, and its action upon the subject. Letters of thanks were read from the Reverends H. A. Brooke, J. B. Debnage and T. Blaylock, for grants promised to Schools and towards erection of new Churches. A retiring pension was granted to Reverend H. J. Petry, whose first work in this Diocese dates from June, 1858. The Reverend L. W. Williams, the Reverend A. J. Balfour and Mr. John Hamilton were re-appointed a committee to make arrangements for the Anniversary Meeting of the Church Society.

English Church Papers.

We have been asked by Archdeacon Roe to publish the following letter, which he has received from Miss Gore Currie, on the subject of English Church Papers, which, through her kindness, are sent regularly to many of our Clergy:

50 High Street, Fareham, Hants,
 November 26th, 1896.

DEAR MR. ARCHDEACON,

I have put down the names of the new applicants for Church Papers, but I am sorry to say I have had very few offers of papers lately. I have sent the names to the Editor of Church Bells, who has often supplied the Clergy with that paper, so I

hope some may be sent in time. I get a Guardian sent to me, and I now send it to Dr., as you said he would like to have it. Canon VonIffland sent me the Quebec Diocesan Synod Journal last year and the year before, I think, with the account of the Synod and list of the Clergy. I have made the changes in the addresses of those you mentioned. I do not think I need send you another list, for, as far as I know, the same papers are continued, but people often leave off sending without telling me.

I heard last year from Mr. Sykes and Mr. Harding, and this year from Canon Thorne-
 loe and Canon VonIffland, but I do not think any others have written. Just a card of acknowledgment now and then helps to keep up the interest of the senders, as I always forward the thanks, but I am afraid I have not been a very good correspondent myself this year.

With every good wish.

Believe me,

Yours sincerely,

G. GORE CURRIE.

P. S.—I am sending you a little life of Archbishop Benson, which I think you may like to have.

University Intelligence.

BISHOP'S COLLEGE, LENNOXVILLE.

The Michaelmas Term has just closed. In the College it has been remarkable for the large increase of Students. The following table illustrates this point forcibly:

1893.....	31 Students.
1894.....	40 "
1895.....	44 "
1896.....	60 "

Fifty-nine Students have been in attendance, and the sixtieth entered this month by matriculation. The increase has been not so much in clerical students as in the lay element. The question of increased accommodation is occupying the attention of the Corporation: it is probable that for the ensuing Term, following the example of Oxford and Cambridge, rooms outside in properly supervised lodgings may be provided for new students, of whom several have signified their intention of entering, but it is hoped before long the way to permanent enlargement of the College may be made open.

Another Lecturer is very much required in the College, steps are being taken to meet this want; as also the want of a per-