

The terrible accident at Brockville, by which Mrs. Pocock lost her life, was a shock to the whole community. Her absence from home at the time adds to the sadness of the event. Mrs. Pocock was highly esteemed by all who knew her, and was an earnest worker in St. Stephen's Parish. Commander Pocock, who has removed to Woodbridge, and has consequently severed his connection with St. George's, has the deep sympathy of the congregation in his sad and unlooked-for bereavement.

The death of Mrs. Strathy, after a short illness was quite unexpected. The family had removed to the Island on her account, hoping the change would benefit her health. She had been there less than a week, when the sad event took place which has deprived her family of a dearly loved and loving mother. Mr. Strathy and his family have our warm sympathy in their loss.

We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. George Harman, who have lost their youngest child and only daughter after a distressing illness. "None are too young to die," is often said, but not sufficiently impressed on the young, who are too often brought up with the idea that to get on here is the chief aim of life. The "falling asleep" of little children however is always "blessed," for "of such is the kingdom of Heaven." In their deaths Christian parents hear the Saviour's call, "Suffer little children to come unto Me, and forbid them not."

Tender Shepherd, Thou hast stilled
Now Thy little lamb's brief weeping.

In this world of care and pain,
Lord, Thou wouldst no longer leave it;
To the sunny heavenly plain,
Thou hast now with joy received it;
Clothed in robes of spotless white,
Now it dwells with Thee in light.

THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE.

The Jubilee will be observed by our Church in Canada by a special form of service—probably on Sunday, 19th inst. The special Psalms, Lessons, &c., are given below, by way of a permanent parochial record of the occasion. The Sunday School Committee of Synod have used the occasion to issue a special Jubilee Lesson on the Church of England, which will be taught to some 12,000 Scholars in our Sunday Schools. A copy of the lesson is sent with this number of the Parish Journal to every subscriber. In these days of Romish aggression, when efforts are being

made to teach the young in our common schools that the Church of England owes its origin to Henry VIII., it is the duty of each parent who loves his Church to see that his children, at all events, are not brought up in that false notion. If the Church of England is not a true historical branch of the Church Catholic founded 1800 years ago by our Lord and His Apostles, her position before the world to-day is indefensible. It would be a blessed and permanent result of the Jubilee if the occasion were used to teach all the younger members of St. George's the Jubilee Lesson on the Church of England.

Jubilee Service. The sentence at the beginning of Morning and Evening Prayer will be as follows: I exhort, therefore, that first of all supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men, for kings, and for all that are in authority; that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty.—1 Tim. ii. 1, 2.

Instead of Venite, shall be sung Psalm 138. Proper Psalms xv., xxi., xxxiii., or xlvi., lxi., cxxii. Proper Lessons, Deut. iv. 1-14; Isaiah xii.: 1 S. Peter ii. 9; Rev. xxii. 1-15.

Epistle at Holy Communion, Rom. xiii. 1-11. Gospel, S. Matt. xxii. 15-22.

Proper Collect.

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, whose is the greatness, and the glory, and the majesty, for all that is in Heaven and Earth is Thine, and Thou art exalted as Head above all; we bless Thy Holy Name that Thou hast granted unto Thy servant VICTORIA, our Queen and Governor, a long and prosperous reign, and hast given into her hand riches and honour, so that her dominion is from sea to sea, ever to the ends of the earth; now, therefore, O Lord our God, pour into her heart such love toward Thee, that she, loving Thee above all things, may obtain Thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PARISH NOTES.

OFFERTORY.—May 1st, \$50.80; 8th, \$61.76; 15th, \$59.77, and for Divinity Students' Fund \$100.; 22nd, \$69.99, and for Missions \$105.90; 29th, \$56.02, and for Missions \$4.25. Total parochial \$298.34; corresponding period last year \$256.03. The Ascensiontide collection for Missions compares favourably with last year's amount, \$70.37. For the Divinity Students' Fund an amount has been contributed with which no previous collection in this parish can bear comparison: the amount last year was