

is built on Apostles and Prophets, Jesus Christ Himself being the chief cornerstone, while the vines set forth the Passion and Cup of our Saviour, of which the Apostles had to quaff to be strengthened for eternal life. The other officers in order and the teachers flanked the procession, which, as the Missionary struck up some marches on his organ in the adjoining field, began to move, passed around the church, and up into the same field. Once dismissed, they flew like sparrows to enjoy the swings and other games provided for their amusement. It was surprising to see what an inviting bountiful supper attracted them at 5 o'clock, after the Missionary had sung with them, presiding at his organ, the "Gloria Patri." This being over, another well-prepared table was ready for the others present. But as the people wished to obtain funds to insure their parsonage, they all paid twenty cents admission by ticket to second table, and we heard that fully forty-two were thus provided for. It was a pretty and amusing sight to see the awariness of children flocking after Mrs. Grocer to get some of the candy she had in a satchel for them.

A refreshment table, ably presided over by one of Mr. Grocer's female parishioners, contributed its share to the general success, while the quiet festivities of the evening on the roomy carriage floor of the new barn added not a little to the funds realized. The children had mostly left by dusk, and the rest, after Mr. Groser led at the organ the National Anthem, went home in excellent spirits after 1 to 10 o'clock, all agreed that it was one of the most enjoyable days ever spent at New Ross; and considering that fully \$15.65 were taken in, when little was anticipated as a result, it must be put down as quite a success.

ALBION MINES.—You can have no fuller details of our calamity than the daily press affords. The visitation of the bereaved brought out much that was heart-rending. One woman who a short time ago had husband, three sons, and a nephew, all working at good wages, is now helpless with the three younger children. The nephew went away, one son was drowned at sea, and her husband and other two sons lie at the bottom of the Food Pit, and she is partially a cripple. The men who are thrown out of work behave admirably. A gentleman of high standing, who saw the row mentioned in the *Herald* and *Chronicle* says that one drunken man caused it all. The endless messages of condolence and promises of help continue to pour in. Rev. J. Abbott was amongst the earliest. There was also a very hearty message from Canon Townshend, of Amherst, another from the late Rector of Christ's Church, Dr. Bowman, to whom, of course, many of the missing were old friends. The Committee chosen for the Relief Fund is based upon the "Drummond" Committee of seven years ago, vacancies being filled by the successors in office of those removed, etc., two or three are added. The name of Mr. McDougall, who so freely and ably gave his services as Secretary to the former committee, is a guarantee for economy, while the Treasurer's clear head, and the precision of all that Mr. Carrick undertakes, make the financial department an assured success. Our Church is again mercifully spared from numerous loss—two men now, and one in the previous flood, three only out of 49! We ought to be the more ready and able to help others. There are 103 orphan children, 9 aged parents, and 25 widows. The accident by water left 5 widows and 20 children to be cared for—a total of 162 individuals. The Marquis of Lorne's, our Bishop's, and other large contributions are all named in the secular papers. The writer returned from an outpost service through Stellarton, at 9 p. m. on Friday, and all the three drinking places were shut and dark, not a soul on all the street; one man was talking loudly to another, or the place would have been noiseless.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

P. E. ISLAND.—*Crapaud*.—St. John's Church, has been presented with a newly designed Font of freestone, by two members of the Church. The congregations continue large. The singing is very hearty, and responses becoming more general. The Sunday Schools in the Mission have been very successful, especially in Springfield. The Sunday School in Springfield has been mainly conducted by Messrs. Thomas and Robert Haslem, who have

evinced a warm interest in training the young in Church and religious ways. The various congregations in the mission, continue to manifest a commendable interest in all branches of Church work.

DIocese of NIAGARA.

PARISH OF STAMFORD.—"All Saint's Day" is kept as an annual festival in Drummondville, in commemoration of the opening of "All Saint's Church," on November 1st, 1857. The weather for the season was fine. There was a celebration of the Holy Communion at 9 a. m., and at 12.30 Choral Evensong. The president of De Veaux College, Suspension Bridge, N. Y., the Rev. G. H. Patterson, came over with a Surpliced Choir of boys and men, and conducted the service. There were eight of our own clergy also in the choir. The service was well done, with a great deal of reverence and devotion. Mr. S. Marklem, the owner of Clark Hill, Chippawa, kindly took charge of the organ and played in his usual happy manner. The service was "Barnaby's", the hymns A. & M., were—processional, 242, 428; anthem, Rev. 13, 14, 435, and recessional 215. After the service we adjourned to the Town Hall, where about 80 sat down to a cold collation or picnic dinner. The day passed off well, and we may hope, not without some profit to not a few of the congregation. On Thursday, Nov. 6th, the Bishop of the Diocese, held confirmation in the morning at St. John's, Stamford, when six were confirmed. This little Church is remarkable for having its five windows all "Memorial", beautifully executed by Mr. Causland, of Toronto. At 3 p. m. the Bishop held a confirmation at All Saint's, Drummondville, where 10 were confirmed. At each of these services, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, there was a large congregation, and particularly so in All Saint's; the Bishop was as usual, earnest in his addresses to the newly confirmed. In the evening again a 7 p. m., the Bishop preached in All Saint's on "Occupy till I come", pointing out our duty, and that we were only Stewards of God's gifts which we possessed. May these services all be blessed, and a larger outpouring of the Spirit be the result.

DIocese of QUEBEC.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The rector and wardens of St. Armand, East Quebec, acknowledge with gratefulness and appreciation, the contribution of One Hundred Dollars, by the hands of Mrs. Landsbery, from George Whitfield, Esq., of Barbadoes, towards the Bishop Stewart Memorial Church, now in course of erection at Freligsburgh, Quebec.

The Week.

HOME NEWS.

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—Major Wills, Immigration Agent, states that about one thousand immigrants have come into the Ottawa district during the present year.

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—Both Hon. Messrs. Caron and Mousseau were re-elected by acclamation to-day. Nominations in Montmorency, Joliette and North Oxford take place December 2nd.

The S. S. *Trinacria*, Anchor Line, which sailed on Friday for London via Boston, takes cargo from this port, valued at \$11,695. In the cargo were 1460 bbls apples, 1275 ca. preserved lobsters.—*Halifax Recorder*.

One of the French delegates, now in Canada, had an interview with Sir John Macdonald on Monday, relative to the setting apart of 150,000 acres of land in the North-West for French settlers from Alsace and Lorraine.

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—The comparative value of timber exported is for 1879, \$1,163,400; for 1880 (nine months only) \$1,474,000, giving a total estimated cut of lumber for Ottawa of 235,000,000 feet, which represents a value of at least \$2,820,000.

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—The *Canada Gazette* of to-day contains the formal announcement of the appointment of Messrs. Angers and Macdonald to Superior Court Judgeships. It is announced that application will be made for the incorporation of the Keweenaw and North West Railway Company to construct a line of railway from the north side of Cedar Lake to the forks of the Saskatchewan River and thence to the Rocky Mountains by way of Peace River.

FREDERICTON, Nov. 16.—Capt. Puncot, of the steamer "Kloronoville," which has just arrived, says the river is full of ice within a short distance of this city. The steamer leaves this afternoon for Swan Creek—her winter quarters.

TRURO, N. S., Nov. 20.—A fire broke out to night at nine o'clock, in Archibald & Sons' tannery, near the station, destroying the building, machinery, and finished leather. The loss will not be less than seven or eight thousand dollars, with only one thousand dollars insurance.

MONTRÉAL, Nov. 20.—To day the committee organized in connection with the Stellarton disaster, telegraphed \$2,000 in addition to the \$500 already sent for the relief of sufferers. The city was divided into districts and it is thought that about \$5,000 will be raised in all.

MONTRÉAL, Nov. 20.—The steamship Dominion will leave here on Wednesday, taking part of her cattle on board here, and balance at Point Levis. This will be the last shipment of cattle by the St. Lawrence route this year. 392 cattle and 714 sheep were shipped from this port this week.

STELLARTON, Nov. 20.—Everything is quiet at the Pit. The Relief Committee met at three o'clock this afternoon, under the Presidency of H. S. Poole. The other nine managers were unable to attend. The chief business appears to have been the distribution of 22 quarters of beef and 20 barrels of potatoes, which arrived to-day from Charlottetown. The next meeting will be on Friday at three o'clock. The Governor General has sent one hundred dollars and a kind message; Messrs. Howland, of Toronto, twenty-five dollars, per Rev. D. C. Moore; Rev. Dr. McCulloch, 500 pounds flour and five dollars, per Rev. T. Cummings; a young woman in Boston, five dollars, per Rev. C. Dunn; one ton of oatmeal, from Petitecodiac.

NEWS FROM ABROAD.

AGRAM, Nov. 17.—There have been renewed shocks of earthquake, and the people are panic-stricken.

In 1880 the wool clip of the world was estimated at 220,000,000 pounds; in 1878 at 1,586,000,000.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 21.—The Nihilists have issued a proclamation, stating that the hour of revenge is approaching.

PARIS, Nov. 19.—Another explosion from fire damp occurred at Mars to-day, and 12 persons were killed and many others injured.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 12.—The estimates from all parishes give a total sugar crop in this state of 237,000 hogsheds, and the yield of molasses at 13,000,000 gallons.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The British steamer Mildred, which sailed from New York Sept 28 for Marseilles, foundered in the Atlantic. The crew, 23 in number, were drowned.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—A Paris despatch to the *Telegraph* states that there is an unconfirmed report of another attempt on the Czar's life, and that the Czar has been fatally wounded.

LONDON, Nov. 21.—The *Sportsman* has the following: "Laycock has challenged Hurlah. He says in his letter that he must return to Sydney, and therefore hopes Hanlan will afford him an opportunity of ascertaining who is the best sculler in the world."

LONDON, Nov. 21.—Sir Alexander Cockburn, Lord Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench, died suddenly at 12 o'clock last night, of heart disease. He had a headache at Westminster during the day, and walked home to dinner, and was apparently well.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—A cable from London says the news from Ireland continues alarming. It is now feared there is only too much foundation for the reports that the peasantry are arming and only waiting for a favorable opportunity to defy the authority of the Government. Alarming rumors are continually pouring in from all parts.

Laycock, the Australian, won the final heat in the International Regatta carrying off the first prize of five hundred pounds; Ross, second, three hundred pounds; Hosmer, third, one hundred and sixty pounds; Smith, fourth, forty pounds; Ross and Laycock fouled about Chiswick Eyot. Laycock then took the lead. He not only won on the foul, but won on the race handsomely by seven lengths, in 26 min. 43 sec. Hosmer was a good third.

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