

of Qu'Appelle to a very considerable degree, as the people who reside in the Diocese are to a very large extent engaged in farming. (2) The failure of the Commercial Bank of Manitoba in which various funds of the Diocese were placed, has again been a most disastrous event. It is a matter of great congratulation that the Bishop's endowment fund was not materially affected by this failure. There was about £1,000 worth of money loss by this bank failure, and its loss has seriously hindered what ought to have been an advance and progression throughout.

Last autumn the Rev. Welbury Mitton of Moosomin offered to visit England and try to do something to stir up a greater help and interest in the work of the Diocese. The needs of the Diocese were explained as a whole, namely, £1,000, and the circular was endorsed by the Bishop, who had kindly promised to add to his already great work by taking the parochial duties at Moosomin. The benefit of the Bishop at Moosomin may be readily inferred and the good it will do to the people of the parish is untold.

Since Mr. Mitton arrived in England, January 18th, he has been travelling to various centres and giving lectures on the work in the Diocese.

January 20th, two sermons at Sherburn House. January 27th, morning at St. Oswald's, Durham, evening at St. Margaret's. The Rector of St. Margaret's kindly gave the offerings of the whole day towards Qu'Appelle Diocese. February 3rd, St. Barnabas, Heaton, in the morning, and St. Paul's, Manningham, evening. From February 4th to the 10th Mr. Mitton visited Leeds, Rotherham, and Kimberworth, and on Sunday, February 10th, sermons were preached at Masborough in the morning, and at Greasborough at night. This week the towns of Lincoln and Doncaster were visited. Sunday, February 17th, sermons were preached at Thornton Dale morning and evening, and during the week a meeting was held in St. Andrew's school, at Lincoln; the rest of the week was given to visiting friends of the Diocese at Nottingham and Derby. Sunday, 24th, the cause was pleaded at St. Olave's, York; 26th, a branch of the Qu'Appelle Association was opened at York, Miss Hey acting as Secretary. On the following Sunday, March 3rd, an address was given to men at St. Thomas's, Winchester, and sermon preached at evensong at the same Church. Tuesday, March 5th, the Rev. Canon and Mrs. Fisher had arranged for a drawing-room meeting at St. Peter's Vicarage, Bournemouth, and very kindly had placed all the work for the Diocese out for inspection. Miss Galpin, the Secretary, most kindly allowed this to be sent off at once to the Diocese. Wednesday, March 6th, an address was given to the workers at St. Luke's, Southampton. Sunday, March 10th, sermons were preached morning and evening at Kingsworthy Church. On Wednesday, March 13th, the cause was pleaded at Holy Innocents, Hammersmith. On Thursday, March 14th, Lady Northbourne had very kindly arranged for a meeting at her house. Canon Liddell, the Bishop's Commissary, took the chair. Sunday,