

Quebec, at which it was decided to erect as a memorial to the deceased a new arts building in connection with Bishop's College, to which institution Mr. Hamilton gave a good deal of moral and financial support. The proposed cost of the new building is \$15,000, and already a fair sum has been subscribed towards the necessary fund.

—THE "ORIENTAL TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION" held its second regular session at Hull, on Friday evening and Saturday, December 2 and 3, 1893. The number of teachers present was small considering the amount of territory within the compass of the association, but this may be owing to the fact that the association is still young and its existence may not be known to many of our teachers.

The Friday evening session was well attended, the audience being made up largely of the parents and friends of the district. It is the intention of the association to have the Friday evening sessions open to the public, so that all who wish may attend. At eight o'clock the President opened the session by asking the convention to join in the singing of a familiar hymn. The addresses of the evening were made by Inspector Gilman, Rev. Mr. Taylor and Rev. Mr. Smith. Inspector Gilman impressed upon the teachers present the necessity of procuring good educational periodicals as an aid to them in their profession, while the Rev. Mr. Taylor spoke of the qualities necessary to a successful teacher, and the Rev. Mr. Smith dealt with the moral and spiritual side of school life. Recitations were furnished by the Misses Carter and Gillespie, while the two compositions, on "School Pleasures" and "School Hardships," read by pupils of the school, were received with much applause. The programme was varied with songs and music, the selections given by Rev. Mr. Taylor upon the auto harp and harmonica being heartily encored.

On Saturday forenoon the association was addressed by Rev. Mr. Scott on the subject of "Patriotism." As this subject is now becoming very prominent in our schools, we will mention a few of the heads from which Mr. Scott spoke:—

1. We must be truly patriotic ourselves, and ready to sacrifice for our country. Patriotism strikes at the very root of selfishness.
2. Look at our great resources.
3. Canada has a great history. Have pictures of the