

which it is erected. Of course, he has not obeyed the mandate, and now it remains to be seen whether the law will really enforce the claims of the Romish ecclesiastics, or protect the injured and oppressed people. Is it not strange that under the British flag such persecutions have to be endured as have fallen to the lot of these poor Indians?

We are glad to find that during the hot season so many feasts of tabernacles,—camp-meetings,—were held. Our neighbours across the line have been holding a series of Sabbath-school Conventions—one was called a Parliament—on certain camp-grounds. The one at Chataqua excelled all the others, and consisted of a Science, a Temperance, and a Sunday-school Congress. A daily paper was issued for three weeks, containing lengthy reports of the proceedings, which were truly on a grand scale. We trust that the result of the whole will be increased

efficiency in all the departments of the Church.

DEATH ROLL.

FROM all parts of Christendom there comes the same wail. Bishop Cummins, founder of the Reformed Episcopal Church, Archbishop Conolly, Halifax, N.S., Rev. Dr. Eadie, of Glasgow, Rev. John Kelley, Liverpool, Thomas Hazlehurst, Esq., Lancashire, have all gone to their final home. They were all men of great influence and ability in their respective positions. Mr. Hazlehurst had given, during his life, not less than \$250,000 towards the erection of places of worship, at one hundred of which he had been honoured to lay the corner-stones. During the latter part of his life he was much engaged in writing and printing sermons for general distribution, and it is estimated that he gave away over a million copies.

BOOK NOTICES.

Case and His Contemporaries. Vols. i-iv. By the REV. JOHN CARROLL. Methodist Book Rooms, Toronto, Montreal, and Halifax.

WE are glad to know that the demand for this book has been such, that a new edition of some of the volumes has been called for, and is now passing through the press. Nowhere else can such a full and exhaustive history of Canadian Methodism be obtained as in this work, to which its author has devoted many years of careful research. It is marked throughout by his characteristic, genial spirit, and racy style, and a constant play of humour ever enlivens its pages. His delineations of character are of photographic vividness and fidelity. This record of pioneer experience should inspire

lofty courage and noble enthusiasms in the labourers of the present. It is fitting to lay a wreath upon the graves of those who have fallen on the field, and to twine a garland for the silvery locks of those who are yet alive; and who more fittingly can discharge this duty than one who himself has borne the burden and the heat of the day, encountered those privations, and shared those labours? The entire work is bathed with the spirit of earnest piety, and cannot but prove an incentive to diligence in the service of God to all who read its pages with a spark of Christian sympathy.

It is well to preserve from oblivion the already fading memories of those heroic men who laid broad and deep the foundations of the goodly fabric of Methodism in our fair provinces.