

tions and abundant labours among them. And we also congratulate the Rev. John Fairlie of L'ORIGINAL and HAWKESBURY upon having fallen among those who rightly appreciate his services, as was evidenced the other day by the gift of a round sum of money to his good lady, towards the replenishing of the manse of which they have just taken possession. In like manner, we can enter into the pleasurable feelings experienced by the Rev. D. W. Morison, lately inducted to ORMSTOWN, on finding himself unexpectedly in possession of the price of a fine charger, for which we wish immunity for all the ills that horse-flesh is heir to, hoping that the minister and his assistant may never fall out by the way. From the "Fergus News" we learn, that a successful bazaar and concert have lately been held in connection with the Sabbath-school of St. Andrew's church there, and that Mr. A. D. Fordyce, who has so long been identified with the church, and with educational interests in that part of the country, has left for a visit to the old land. We trust that he may return to us greatly benefited in health and strength.

INDUCTION AT LITCHFIELD.—The Rev. James Fraser, formerly of Chelsea, the obliging clerk of the Presbytery of Ottawa, was inducted to the pastorate of this wide-spread and important charge on the 27th May last. Rev. Alex. Campbell of Westmeath addressed the people, and the Rev. Joseph Gandier, the minister. There were present on the occasion a large assemblage, and there is every reason to anticipate the happiest results from this settlement.

PERSONAL.—Among the passengers by the "Manitoba," which sailed for Glasgow, on the 26th ultimo, were Professor McKerras and wife, Rev. James Wilson of Lanark, Messrs. W. and J. Caldwell of the same place, and Mr. and Mrs. Kinghorn, formerly of Kingston, now of Montreal.

BUTE HOUSE, MONTREAL.—The an-

nual distribution of prizes took place on the 4th of June, in presence of a large number of the friends of the pupils. Dr. Jenkins presided. We congratulate Mrs. Watson on the marked success which has attended her management of so large an educational establishment. We understand that when the school reopens in September, a class for juveniles will be organized under a well trained teacher in the new mode that has become so prevalent on the continent and also in the United States, known as "*the Kindergarten*," to which we may refer more particularly hereafter.

IN MEMORIAM.

It is with unfeigned regret that we announce the death of a young minister whose name is well known throughout the Church, and who was greatly beloved—the Rev. William Bell, formerly minister of Pittsburgh, Ontario. Mr. Bell left this country early in 1868, since which time he has been engaged in the work of the ministry in Scotland, first, as assistant to the minister of Logie, near the Bridge of Allan, subsequently, under Dr. Robertson of New Grayfriars, as minister of the Grassmarket Church, Edinburgh, and, latterly, as assistant minister in the Parish of Canquhar. Our friend had been in delicate health for some time. About the beginning of April last he became much worse, and repaired to the scene of his first labours in Scotland, the Bridge of Allan, hoping that the change would benefit his lungs; but alas! the disease was too deep-seated; his strength gradually declined, and on the third of June he died. He was buried in the Churchyard of Logie, close by, and his remains were followed to their last resting place by a company of most sincere mourners, several of whom had come from considerable distances to pay their tribute of respect to his memory. It will be comforting to his friends in Canada to know that loving hearts ministered to him with tender-