

"I sold and gave away some of my property, and packed up a part. I offered my services to the Rev. Mr. M., for board and lodging, without any earthly prospect. I applied for my 'bene decessit.'"

In another note he says:—

"I did my utmost to leave."

Must it not be then by the desire of his own Bishop that he remains where he still is?

How I could have "told him to get up a petition from some of his congregation and then he would be reappointed," and on the same day, and at the same time, advise him as a friend unconditionally to leave the mission "without any understanding between the people and himself" and, "under all the circumstances, that it would be better for him to leave without any idea of returning," I leave to the judgment of the reader!

I trust I have effectually disposed of this case.

Although scarcely expecting, even by the complete vindication of myself from every charge you brought against me, to remove your Lordship's prejudices—as every successful refutation of your attacks only increases the awkwardness of your position—yet before the tribunal of public opinion, to which your Lordship has appealed, I feel confident that my replies must be both satisfactory and convincing.

The next point in your Lordship's last Pastoral is one which I am unwillingly forced to notice again.

After your Lordship had implicated General Evans in the charges of "a manoeuvre," and "an attempt to take you in"; after you had defamed him equally with myself to the Bishop of Huron, in relation to the Sherbrooke street Church, in the following words, which the Bishop is ready most solemnly to attest as having been uttered by you—notwithstanding your Lordship's denial—viz.: "He" [i. e. your Lordship] "*had seen through the trap which was thus laid for him, and discovered that General Evans and Dr. Hellmuth had conspired to obtain from him his consent to a measure which was only intended to enhance the value of General Evans' property and to obtain a church in the city for his son-in-law; but which would, in the end, prove highly injurious to the church;*" and after extricating yourself from this difficulty, and its possible legal consequences by denying the correctness of the Bishop of Huron's statement, I was certainly not prepared for your Lordship's assertion that Gen. Evans' statement of having had two interviews with you on the subject of Sherbrooke street Church was untrue.