

presented to the Church two dozen new Prayer Books and a dozen Hymn Books, a gift much appreciated by the congregation.

FITCH BAY.

A pleasant evening was spent in Mr. Seymour's Hall on Thursday evening, August 4th, when, in spite of somewhat unpropitious weather, rendering the proposed outdoor amusements, etc., impossible, there was quite a goodly gathering of members of the congregation and their friends. A portion of the sum necessary to meet a small but pressing claim was gathered in.

MAGOG.

The Rev. R. W. E. Wright writes:

Owing to extensive repairs to the Parsonage, the Incumbent only moved in about the first week in July, but the delay has been well repaid. The house has been thoroughly repaired, painted and papered throughout and the outside painted, a new coal furnace, bath and electric light put in besides minor improvements, and the house is one that the Parish should indeed be proud of. The total cost of repairs is in the neighborhood of \$500.00, part of which has been already paid off, and the rest we hope to get rid of by next Easter.

On June 2nd the Masons, about fifty strong, held their annual parade to S. Luke's Church: there was an overflowing congregation present and a bright, hearty Service was rendered.

The "Envelope System" has been revived and the financial outlook seems most promising. It is hoped that all members of the congregation will bring themselves to adopt this systematic plan of giving.

Mr. Hackwell having been obliged, owing to press of other business, to resign his position as Clergyman's Warden, the Incumbent has appointed Mr. W. T. Whitehead to fill the position for the balance of the year.

On Tuesday evening, July 19th, an entertainment was given in the Town Hall for the benefit of the Silver Cross Dispensary Circle of the King's Daughters. It proved very successful, and the proceeds will be used in purchasing articles for the use of sick persons.

On Tuesday, August 16th, another entertainment was given in the Town Hall under the auspices of the Ladies of the Church, and a very excellent programme was given, after which refreshments were served. The amount realized will go towards the Parsonage Repair Fund.

SERVICES AT S. LUKE'S CHURCH.

Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Sundays in month at 11 a.m., other Sundays at 8 a.m.

Matins every Sunday 11 a.m.

Evensong every Sunday 7 p.m.

Friday evening 7.30 with short Address.

SERVICES AT CHERRY RIVER on Sunday afternoons at 3 o'clock.

MELBOURNE.

The Rev. Ernest A. Willoughby King writes:

A pretty new Church 44 by 22 feet with porch and tower 8 by 8 and nearly 40 feet high was begun on June 15th and opened for use on August 30th, 1898, on Melbourne Ridge. Particulars in next issue, (D.V.)

POSTSCRIPT.

The Editor begs to acknowledge the following additional subscriptions received for 1898:

Rev. J. Hepburn (29), Rev. G. R. Walters (41), Rev. A. J. Balfour (16), Mr. G. H. Dunn, Mr. H. C. Dunn, England, Miss Ross, Mr. Benj. Turner, Quebec, Mrs. Wright, Montreal, Rev. J. Almond, Mrs. Daniel Bobbit, Harrington, Mr. John Vibert, Long Point of Mingan, Mrs. Herring, Nelsonville.

Also for 1897:—Mr. John Bobbitt, Harrington.

Also for 1899:—Mr. Benj. Turner, Rev. J. Almond.

All items of news, &c., intended for the October Number, should reach us on or before September 20th.