

of the young people, recently confirmed, coming to the Sacred Feast. Fifty communicated, being the largest number at one time in the history of the mission.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Walters has just started a Sewing Guild, in connection with St. Peter's Congregation. The object is to work for a "Fancy Sale," to obtain, if possible, a much needed new Organ, and a Church Hall, which latter could be constructed out of the Nave of the old Church edifice still standing, a disgrace to the grave-yard, and to the congregation, as well as an eye sore to the Clergyman. A little united congregational effort could soon remedy this.

At a recent informal meeting at Corner of the Beach, it was decided to at once take steps to stain and varnish the interior of the Church. Mr. Geo. Vibert very generously offered \$10 towards the work. But there still remains another pressing want, viz. : a new Church Organ. If the ladies would but band themselves into a Sewing Guild, and work with this one object in view, the music from a sweet-toned Organ, would soon be heard accompanying the praises of the congregation in the Lord's House.

Much credit is due to the young people of the Corner, for their pains in so nicely decorating their Church with flowers, on the occasion of the Bishop's visit.

#### CAPE COVE AND PERCÉ.

The Rev. W. G. Lyster reports :

The Church people of this Mission have been cheered by a short visit from the Lord Bishop, who officiated in both Churches, on Sunday, August 5th.

On the 4th a wagon was driven by Mr. E. Tuzo over the hills to Corner of the Beach, where the Bishop was met and taken back to Percé, at which place he was welcomed by the Rural Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Amy, at the establishment of Messrs. Chas. Robin, Collas & Co.

Here, almost from time immemorial, the

Bishops of Quebec have been hospitably entertained ; and to this house the "New Bishop" came last year, so that on this occasion his Lordship felt quite at home in his old quarters.

The Bishop greatly enjoyed the drive over the mountain, through some of the finest scenery in Canada ; and on his arrival at Percé, the charms of the "Split Rock," the Capes and Bonaventure Island were admired and duly appreciated.

There had been a good deal of rain during the previous week ; but Sunday was what people call a "perfect day." So at 10.30 a.m. a large congregation, including a considerable number of people from quite a distance, crowded the little Church. After Morning Prayer, the Bishop preached a most instructive Sermon, which was listened to with the utmost attention.

After Service, the Rural Dean drove the Bishop to Cape Cove, nine miles, and at 4 p.m. an exceptionally large congregation assembled in St. James' Church, for Evening Prayer, and had the pleasure and advantage of hearing from the Bishop a sound Gospel discourse, upon the Holy Communion.

The intelligent interest in the Sermons, evinced by both congregations, was exceedingly gratifying.

On Monday, August 6th, after a hurried cup of tea at 5 in the morning, the Rural Dean drove the Bishop to the landing place where the passenger boat was awaiting ; and half an hour later, his Lordship was put on board the "Admiral," and was soon on his way to Newport Point.

There were no Confirmations held in the mission on this occasion, for the excellent reason that all the young people of suitable age had already been confirmed.

Nevertheless, the Bishop's visit has been one of great interest and advantage to us all. His Lordship is no longer a stranger, and he will be sure of a hearty welcome whenever he comes.