

turbed by a single ripple. As an inmate of our family, he was quiet, social and domestic ; as a Curate, he was earnest, single-minded, diligent and conscientious ; and we worked together in the parish with mutual confidence and affection. Of a kind, gentle and amiable disposition, he won the affections of the people among whom he ministered ; and had God been pleased to prolong his life, he gave great promise of future usefulness in the Church of Christ. It has been otherwise ordered. He has been cut off in the flower of his age ; his sun has gone down long ere it had reached its meridian ; nay, in the early morning of his days, and the place on earth which knew him so well, shall know him again no more for ever.

"Our prayers, brethren, are greatly needed for the afflicted ones he has left behind ; an aged, fond and doting father—who is even now with joy awaiting his arrival in a distant land—a tender and affectionate mother, an only sister, and an only but devoted brother. These are left to bewail his loss. This congregation mingles its tears with theirs ; and the preacher, bereft of his fellow-labourer, muses over the mysterious dispensation, and sums up his regrets in the emphatic lamentation of the old prophet of Bethel, as he stood over the corpse of the disobedient prophet, and in the bitter sorrow of his heart exclaimed, 'alas, my brother!'

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The Lord Bishop of Toronto, soon after his return from England, paid a friendly visit of condolence to the Rev. Dr. Macnab and his family ; and preached in