

ing a prominent position in the choir, Miss Richardson's departure is universally regretted. The number of church people in Lockeport is not large; but the parish has been highly favored with most devoted and self-denying Church Wardens, and a band of earnest christian workers. Owing to financial depression and several heavy mercantile failures, business has become dull and many have had to move to other places. The Church has been very unfortunate in this respect, losing many of its active workers and supporters. But this has not in any way caused those that are left to lose courage or become dependent. The memory of past success, and many blessings unexpectedly bestowed when the outlook was far from being promising sustains them, and renewed energy and life are displayed in the various branches of the Church and her work.

The Sunday School has been re-organized, under the superintendency of George Redding, Esq., one of the best and most earnest Church Wardens; a new library has been ordered from England, and other teachers having volunteered, hopes are entertained that the school will maintain all its former efficiency. The choir has been augmented by a number of boys, and the Ladies Sewing Society is again in active work preparing for their annual sale.

Amherst.

This parish recently enjoyed a visit from the Bishop co-adjutor of the Diocese of Fredericton.

His Lordship confirmed twenty-six persons in Christ Church on Nov. 5th. His visit was greatly appreciated by priest and people.

An exceedingly beautiful and costly window was dedicated at the morning service on Sunday the 8th. The Central Figure represents the Risen Saviour appearing to Mary Magdalene in the Garden. Beneath the window are the following words inscribed on a mural tablet: "This window was placed here by Charles and Amelia Stewart, to the glory of God, and in memory of their beloved daughter Isabella Geraldine Halliburton Boileau, wife of Capt. Boileau R.A., who died April 10th MDCCCXC, aged 23.—R.I.P."

Diocese of Fredericton.

ST. JOHN, TRINITY.—The Missionary Working Party of Trinity Church held their tenth annual sale of fancy and other articles, with high tea, in the afternoon and evening of the 25th ult. and met with their usual and well deserved success. The sale of fancy work and other articles opened at 2.30 o'clock in the large room up stairs, and was in charge of the following ladies: Fancy work, Mrs. Bayard, Mrs. Warner, Mrs. H. Street, Miss K. Bayard and Miss Lillian Hazen. Apron table: Mrs. Chas. Scammell, Mrs. D. Breeze, Mrs. W. F. Best and Mrs. Gilmour. Doll table: Mrs. J. R. Smith, Mrs. Eatough and Mrs. J. Hay. Provision table: Mrs. Jas. McAvity and Mrs. T. W. Bell. Flower table: Miss Warner and Miss Ada Bayard. Tree: Mrs. Steeves and Miss Orr. Ices: Mrs. H. L. Sturdee and Miss M. Smith. The Young Women's Guild looked after the sale of candy, etc. The high tea was laid out on five tables in the large room on the first floor, and was a most recherche and bountiful repast. The several tables were presided over by Mrs. Wm. Harrison, Mrs. Chas. Holden, Mrs. L. H. Harrison, Mrs. F.

Jones, and Miss Wheeler, who had a number of young ladies to assist them in waiting on their guests. The tea and coffee were under the charge of Mrs. C. F. Kinneer, Mrs. C. P. Clarke, Mrs. A. H. Hanington, and Mrs. R. Payne. The following ladies also assisted in connection with the high tea: Mrs. Snider, Mrs. J. M. Taylor, Mrs. Jas. Gregory, Mrs. D. J. Seely, Mrs. R. B. Humphrey, Mrs. Vroom, Mrs. B. G. Taylor, Mrs. Horn, Mrs. C. Campbell, Mrs. McNichol, Mrs. McArthur, Mrs. Sands, Miss Disbrow, Miss Seeds, and Misses Cassidy. The high tea was at 6 o'clock and all in charge of that work were kept busy in waiting on their guests for the next two hours. The attendance was very large and the enjoyment of all seemed to be great. Miss Leonard looked after the entrance money in the upper room, and Messrs. A. M. Smith and G. Frost were in attendance at the door of the tea room to take the tickets. Miss Edith Clarke acted as cashier. We should judge that the proceeds would be satisfactory and that a considerable sum would be raised for the object in hand.—*Globe*.

Diocese of Quebec.

Quebec.

THE CATHEDRAL.—A missionary meeting under the auspices of the Cathedral Branch of W. A. M. A. was held in the Parish Hall in the evening of St. Andrew's Day, when, notwithstanding the society attraction within a few doors in connection with the great Scotch festival, there was quite a large attendance of ladies and gentlemen interested in this great work. The Lord Bishop of the Diocese presided in his usual affable and efficient manner. The Dean of Quebec opened the meeting by announcing the Hymn "Lo! the Church her Watch is Keeping," after which followed the appointed prayers for Missions. The Bishop then in most kindly terms introduced the speaker, Dr. Davidson, Q. C., of Montreal, and after his address, the Dean followed with a few words, and moved a vote of thanks to the speaker which was heartily endorsed by the meeting and gracefully conveyed to Dr. Davidson by the Bishop. The collection was on behalf of Miss Sherlock, the Medical Missionary to Japan. After the singing of the beautiful hymn, "Thy Kingdom come, O Lord," the Bishop closed the meeting with the Benediction. The several Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary in Quebec are actively at work, for the furtherance of the objects of the Association. The new Parish Hall is admirably arranged, and the large room for meetings attractive and well adapted to the purpose. The Dean appears to have quite recovered from the severe illness which he had in the early summer, and is actively engaged in parochial and general good works. A number of the clergy were present, amongst them being Rev. Canon Von Iffland, Rev. H. J. Petry.

Lennoxville.

A most interesting meeting was organized by Miss Roe, and took place at Lennoxville, Nov. 14th,—a convention of members of the Women's Auxiliary, from Richmond, Sherbrooke, Compton, Cookshire and Windsor.

A communion service was celebrated at mid-day, after which the members went to the Church Hall and were sumptuously entertained by the ladies of Lennoxville.

At 3 o'clock the business meeting opened, when papers were read by the various secretaries, and discussions followed.

In the evening addresses were delivered by Archdeacon Roe and Canon Thorneloe.

Bishop's Collège, Lennoxville.

On Monday, Nov. 30th [St. Andrew's Day] the Michaelmas Term Missionary Union was held.

A celebration was held at 7.15 a. m., at St. George's Church, the Rev. Prof. Allnatt, D. D., being celebrant.

A special Evensong was held at 5 p. m., at which a sermon was preached by the Rev. G. Abbott Smith, B. A., a graduate of the University, now assistant at St. James the Apostle, Montreal: on Daniel xii. 3. The sermon was an earnest, clear and thoughtful address to Christian workers. Special emphasis was given to the necessity that the Christian worker should know Christ, should be filled with his spirit.

At 7.30 p. m., the Missionary Meeting was held, the Principal in the chair. A paper was read by the Rev. G. Abbott Smith, B. A., on the Eskimos of the Dominion. The nature, habits and religion of these tribes were described carefully and accurately. They live on a lengthened narrow vein of seacoast facing the arctic waters all the way from Labrador to Alaska. They lie in two immense dioceses, Moosonee and Mackenzie River. The work of Archdeacon Reeve, consecrated Bishop on Nov. 29th at Winnipeg, was graphically described. His endurance had been truly apostolic. The Canadian Board of Missions made no provision for these Dioceses as being neither quite Domestic nor quite Foreign: and yet the Eskimos were really not only our fellow men but our fellow subjects.

After this very interesting and very suggestive paper, a paper written by one of the students, Mr. E. K. Wilson, B. A., on the life of St. Patrick was read. The work of the great apostle to Ireland was carefully described. Some conversation then took place in which Messrs. Avery, Kerr, B. A., the Rev. Prof. Allnatt, the Rev. N. P. Yates, B. A., and the Principal took part: and Mr. Johnson was elected to the vacant office of Vice-President for arts.

The day was very profitable and we were delighted to welcome our old student Mr. G. A. Smith with his bride as visitors to Lennoxville.

Sherbrooke.

The ladies of St. Peter's Guild intend holding their annual Christmas sale on Thursday, Dec. 17th.

On Tuesday evening, Dec. 1st, a service of sacred song was held in St. Peter's Church. The service consisted of solos and choruses from the "Messiah," anthems, hymns, etc. The offertory was in aid of the choir fund.

Fitch Bay and Georgeville.

The Rev. J. Adcock, Incumbent of this Parish, has been soliciting aid in Montreal and elsewhere towards the purchase of a parsonage and has met with good success.

Waterville.

On the evening of the 21st ult., there was a pretty wedding at St. John's Church here, at which the Rev. J. Thompson officiated. The bride, Miss Agnes Cheers, was formerly a scholar in the Sunday School.

Diocese of Montreal.

Montreal.

ST. JAMES.—During Advent special services have been appointed by the rector on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, the selected preacher being