

nada and England, a good deal is already in hand and the rest is a grant from the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, which is given conditional upon the parishioners doing what they promised. \$5,000 has been promised locally, and nearly everything depends on the three instalments being paid punctually.

The site of the new church will be nearly the same as the present one, only according to a most ancient custom it will be placed east and west; not as the present temporary church, north and south, and the vacant plot of land to the south of the rectory will be utilised.

The S. P. C. K. have generously made the parish a grant of prayer books, bibles, and pictures for the Sunday School. This society is constantly helping us in one way or another, and we owe them our hearty gratitude.

The Rector has lately received an ominous list of defaulters as regards their subscriptions to the *Church Messenger*. Most subscribers in the Regina District owe for 1890 and '91. A slip of paper in the May number reminded us of our debt. We trust everyone will send in what they owe without having to be dunned for it.

It was encouraging to learn from the Diocesan treasurer's report that the *Messenger* would pay if only subscribers paid their dues.

Many kind friends in England, amongst others the Rev. J. W. Gregory, sent out parcels of useful and tasty articles for our Ladies' Aid sale in October. Mr. Gregory had clearly not forgotten his old parishioners, as his interested and definite inquiries showed. He and

Mrs. Gregory lead a very busy life at Parkstone in Dorsetshire.

#### BAPTISMS.

May 10. In S. Paul's Church, Charles Edward Watson, son of Thomas and Amy Watson.

May 24. Arthur Francis, son of Isaac R. and Theresa Alice Riley.

May 24. Minnie Bell, daughter of John T. and Jeannie Stenshorn.

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#### Churchbridge.

The first summer meeting of the C. E. T. S. was held on Thursday, June 11th. The Rev. T. A. Teitelbaum, President, in the chair. Mr. H. Macafferty, Secretary-Treasurer, read the minutes of the last meeting and gave a statement of the society's funds. It was decided to meet every month, and to take up some question relating to temperance for discussion. The subject for the next meeting will be "The use of wine in the Sacrament"; the President was asked to read a paper on the subject.

A circulating library containing forty volumes was opened for the use of the juvenile members.

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#### Fort Pelly.

The Rev. T. W. Cunliffe had a very narrow escape as he was on his way to take part in the Synod at Qu'Appelle. He had only proceeded a few miles on his journey, when he found he had to pass through a bush fire. As the wind was with him he did not anticipate any difficulty in getting through, but as he got further in, he found that the trail itself was on fire, and a sudden change in the wind caused the fire to bear down di-