

design. The pulpit was occupied by Rev. E. H. Call, curate of the church who preached an able discourse suited to the season. Rev. A. J. Broughall, the rector, took part in the services, which were held at 7, 8, 11 and 4 o'clock, and was also assisted by his son, Rev. G. H. Broughall, of Trinity College, Port Hope. The service was a full choral one, the choir acquitting itself with great credit.

GRACE CHURCH.

The decorations at Grace Church were very pretty and displayed considerable taste. The service was heartily joined in by the large congregation. Rev. J. P. Lewis, the rector, preached a sermon which was admirably in keeping with the occasion.

Rev. Canon Pettit, late rector of Cornwall, died suddenly on Sunday of last week in Toronto, where he had been staying for the past two months. Deceased was one of the best known clergymen in Canada, and had hosts of friends. Canon Pettit was born at Grimsby, Ontario, in 1827. His first mission was the vast field lying between Guelph and the northern shore of Lake Huron. In 1855 he was appointed to the rectory of Richmond, in the County of Carleton, where he ministered twenty-two years, and where he took an active part in the educational work of the county. For these services an address was presented to him in 1877 by the leading men of Ottawa and the county. In that year he was presented to the rectory of Cornwall and also to the canonry in St. George's Cathedral, Kingston.

DIOCESE OF OTTAWA.

Bishop—Right Rev. C. Hamilton, D.D., D.C.L.
Residence—Ottawa.

The congregation of St. Barnabas' church, City of Ottawa, is giving tangible proof of its progressiveness. The contract has been let for a new organ to Messrs. Casavant Bros., of St. Hyacinthe, P. Q., the price being in the neighborhood of \$1,500. It is proposed to enlarge and greatly beautify the church during the coming summer. To this end plans have been prepared and are now being displayed in the vestry of the church. They show a very tasteful design which, when carried into execution, will give St. Barnabas' quite an imposing appearance. Of late, the membership of the church has been increasing steadily.

DIOCESE OF ONTARIO.

Bishop—Most Rev. J. T. Lewis, D.D., L.L.D.
Residence—Kingston, Ont.

There was a large crowd at St. George's Cathedral yesterday to witness the marriage of Miss Edith Nor-

ton Taylor, daughter of Col. D. Norton Taylor, retired British officer to Captain Marsh, of the R. A., Plymouth, England. The Rev. Rural Dean Bogert, of Ottawa, and Very Rev. Dean Smith, of Kingston, officiated. There was a large attendance of guests from Kingston, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal and Halifax. The bride's sisters were her assistants, and Captain Budstall, of "A" Battery, was the groomsmen. After the wedding breakfast, a reception was held at noon. The couple started for England. The bride was an active worker in the Cathedral. Besides many wedding gifts, she received numerous cheques for good amounts.

DIOCESE OF HURON.

Bishop—Right Rev. M. S. Baldwin, D.D.
Residence—London, Ont.

Dean Innes, rector of St. Paul's cathedral, London, Ont., was presented last week with a silver-mounted mahogany chest containing \$500 in gold in commemoration of his twenty-fifth anniversary in the diocese of Huron.

The Bishop of Huron in an address at Clinton recently said some very complimentary things of church choirs, and a few things which are not very complimentary. Gunpowder, he says, has strong explosive properties, so has dynamite, while nitro-glycerine is more explosive still; but for blowing up churches these compounds are not in it with a church choir. The congregation enters by the front door, the preacher enters by the vestry door, but the choir is the avenue through which the devil enters. Nearly every row that took place in any church can be traced to the choir."

DIOCESE OF ALGOMA.

The Rev. Canon Thorneloe, M.A., D.C.L., Bishop-elect of Algoma, was born in Coventry, England, in 1848, and, therefore, is now in his forty-eighth year. He was educated at the University of Lennoxville, in the Province of Quebec, taking his B.A. in 1872, and M.A. in 1877. Last year (1895) his Alma Mater conferred on him the honorary degree of D.C.L. He was ordained to the Diaconate in 1874, and to the Priesthood in 1875, by the late Bishop Williams of Quebec. In 1886, Bishop Williams appointed him to a canonry in Quebec Cathedral. In 1874, he became rector of Stanstead, Quebec, where he remained until the closing months of 1885, when he accepted the important post of Rector of Sherbrooke, Quebec, in which parish he has since worked with great success, and has won the affection and esteem of his large congregation.

The consecration of Canon Thorneloe to the episco-