

ment of His Sacred Body and Blood. A collection was then taken up, and after the prayer for the church militant, those who did not intend communicating withdrew. Upon the whole the service was a very interesting and solemn one, and it must have been a matter of great satisfaction to the Rev. Mr. Hensley, that he has been able to be the means of having so good a church built and consecrated in the district. It is by Mr. Hensley's zeal and earnest labours, under God's blessing that the church has been erected, may the material building be a type of the spiritual temple of living stones of which Christ's faithful ministers are wise master-builders. I had almost forgotten to say that the New Church is called St. Michael's.

Yours very truly,

ONE WHO WAS PRESENT.

CLERICAL MEETINGS OF THE COUNTY OF LUNENBURG.

THE third of these revived meetings was held at Bridgewater, on Wednesday, August 29th, under the presidency of the Rev. W. H. Bullock, B. A. The other clergy present were the Revs. C. J. Shreve, H. M. Spike, W. H. Snyder, H. L. Owen, and D. C. Moore. The services in the morning were divided amongst the clergy present,—the holy communion being celebrated by Mr. Bullock, who was assisted in the distribution of the elements by the Rev. W. H. Snyder.

Mr. Moore preached in the morning, and by request of the president repeated the sermon preached in St. Luke's Cathedral, on one of the evenings while the synod was in session on "*Work in the Parish.*"

The evening sermon by the Rev. H. Spike, was an excellent discourse on "the relation between the pastor and his flock."

The congregations were large, that in the evening especially, but that in the morning was remarkable, when the very uncertain state of the weather is taken into consideration, weather which renders every sun-shiny hour doubly valuable to those engaged in farming. The number of communicants too, showed that the church in Bridgewater, has a full proportion (when compared with other missions) of those who delight to obey the touching command of our Great Master, at other opportunities, even than the usual monthly communion.

Between services the clergy dined at the lodgings of the missionary, (the parsonage not yet being erected) and enjoyed an excellent repast, which did great credit to the housekeeping and skill of Mrs. Jacob Wenzell, Mr. Bullock's hostess. After dinner, Tim. ii. 2. was discoursed pretty fully and the subjects of rural Deaneries,—the Church Institution, &c. came before the meeting.

The Rev. J. Shreve, as the senior clergyman of the newly laid out deanery No. 1., announced his intention of calling the clergy together to elect a rural Dean, at Lunenburg, on Thursday Sept. 27th. The Rev. H. L. Owen, invited the clergy to attend the fourth meeting of the clerical meetings of the County of Lunenburg, at the same time and place.

Nothing could exceed the kindness and hospitality of the Bridgewater people, among whom may be mentioned besides Mr. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. Wenzell,—Mr. Hanley, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. W. Owen, Mr. DesBrisay, Mr. Miller, Mr. Waterman, and Mr. Joshua Cooke.

On Thursday, a third service was held in the pretty little church at Conquerall, which was well filled. Morning prayer was said by Mr. Bullock, Mr. Spike read the lessons, and the sermon was preached by Mr. Moore, on "*the sole claim to the ministry of the Gospel, of those who have received episcopal ordination in succession from Christ and His Apostles.*"