

November. CANON MAYNARD gave an address on my invitation at the Mission Hall during Synod week. ARCH-DEACON PHAIR, of Winnipeg, spoke on Indian Work in the North West in December, and the REV. J. A. RICHARDSON, of St. Luke's, Winnipeg, preached in behalf of Missions in the Diocese of Rupert's Land in February. The REV. J. B. PYKE has helped us on several occasions. The REV. FRED. WILKINSON has preached on two occasions. MISS BIRD of the C. M. S. Missions in Persia, gave an address on Missions in December. The REV. J. MACQUEEN BALDWIN, of Japan, assisted at the Easter service.

THE ADVENT COURSE OF LECTURES on the Bible, arranged by the Committee of the Church of England Institute, and held in St. Paul's Church, was fairly well attended. Your Rector gave a lecture on "The Bible in Relation to Modern Thought." The Rev. David Neish, of Londonderry Mines, on "The Inspiration of the Bible." The Rev. Canon Vroom, Professor of Divinity in King's College, Windsor, on "The Bible and Higher Criticism," and the Bishop of Nova Scotia, on "The Credibility of the Bible."

#### THE THIRD JUBILEE OF ST. PAUL'S.

We hope to be able to celebrate the 150th Anniversary of the first Church of England service in Halifax, on the Natal Day of the City, 21st June, 1899. The Bishop of the Diocese has kindly consented to be the special preacher at the Sunday service. It is an interesting fact that the records of St. Paul's Church begin earlier than those of the City, and of the Province. The first entry in the Provincial records is that of the first Council held on board the "Beaufort," in Halifax Harbour, 14th July, 1749, under Edward Cornwallis, Captain-general and Governor-in-Chief. The first entry in St. Paul's Parish Register, is on the day of the foundation of Halifax, 21st June, 1749. The first clergymen were the Rev. Wm. Tutty, of Emmanuel College, Cambridge and the Rev. Wm. Anwyl, B. A., of the Diocese of Chester, England.

It is confidently hoped that some suitable memorial of the Jubilee will be erected. The suggestion which the Vestry of the Church favours is that of the enlarging and