

class next term in Geology, at which all the students are admissible. The text book will be Dana for Dr. Duncan's prize.

*In Foreign Languages.*—The established text books have been studied, and niceties of Syntax explained, with exercises from dictation; the Converses and Entretiens in French, Adler and Ollendorff in German, Ollendorff and Velasquez in Spanish.

DONATIONS—MICHAELMAS, 1865.

Diplomatic Correspondence of United States, 1862-'64, 4 vol., 8 vo.—J. H. SHERMAN, Esq. Justiniani Institutiones, Basilore 1559—C. B. BOWMAN, Esq. Indian Pipe of State, carved from Vancouver's Island—A. HENSLEY, Esq. Fossil Ferns, from Queen's Pit, Sydney Mines—L. SYMONS, Esq. Manganese, from Tenicope, Hauts—B. SMITH, Esq. Rawdon. H. Perley on Geology of N. S.—NAT. HIST. SOCIETY OF N. B. Map of P. E. Island, by Baker—GOVT. OF P. E. I. Calendar of Harvard University, 1865-'66. Crown Piece of Queen Anne, 1708—Mrs. H. KING. Inundation Papers from the Mauritius—J. R. MOSSE, Esq. Roma Subterranea, &c.—Houble. S. L. SHANNON, M.P.P.

GEORGE McCAWLEY, *President.*

On Sunday, the 31st ult., the Bishop, accompanied by the Dean and Canon Gilpin, drove to the Waverley diggings for the purpose of consecrating the church lately erected there, which was well filled with an attentive congregation. His Lordship explained the meaning of the rite of consecration, and enforced the duty of reverence, when entering the House of God, dedicated to Him, and separated from all common uses. He pointed out the advantage of having a building set apart for worship, so entirely different from all other buildings, that the thoughts suggested by it are unconnected with earthly objects; and expressed entire satisfaction with the style and arrangements of that in which they were then assembled.

The church is 40 feet long, with a chancel of 20 feet, having narrow pointed windows of rolled glass, imported from England. The high pitched roof and the fittings are of stained deal, all being massive in proportion to the size of the building. The erection of this beautiful little church is due to the zeal and energy of Dr. Gilpin, who, having been appointed to the charge of the old church on the Eastern Road, found that the distance, three miles, from the miners, was a serious impediment to his usefulness, and that the majority of the men could not be induced to attend on the Sunday mornings. He therefore determined to provide a House of Prayer, in the midst of the settlement, before their eyes; and we heartily congratulate him upon the success which has crowned his efforts thus far, and we trust that they for whose benefit it is intended may always thankfully avail themselves of the means of grace thus furnished for them.

D. C. S.—The Secretary reminds the clergy that February 9th is the last day on which the W and O premiums can be received.

The appeal of the Ex. Com. relative to the Block Sum of S. P. G. has been sent to each parish. The Secretary has a few copies left, which will be sent to any applicant.

At a meeting of Ex. Com., Dec. 15, the sum of £40 stg. from the Block Sum of S. P. G. was granted to Tuskett Mission.

The next meeting of Ex. Com. will be on Friday, the 10th inst.

It is our painful duty to announce the death of the Rev. T. Crisp, for many years Curate of St. George's Parish. He died on Wednesday morning, 10th inst., after an illness of no long duration, brought on probably by over-exertion.

He was justly beloved by those to whom he ministered, and his loss will be deeply felt by them as well as by his brethren in the Ministry.