

Pembroke College, Cambridge, to the Temporalities and Spiritual rights pertaining to the office of Rector of S. Paul's Church, in succession to the Rev. Canon Richardson, who, having been Rector for seventeen years, was obliged to resign on account of failing health.

The Church was beautifully and tastefully decorated for the occasion, especially the Sanctuary and the Font.

Punctually at the hour of half-past ten the Bishop, accompanied by the Rev. E. A. Dunn, and the Rev. Canon Richardson, entered the Church, the Choir singing Hymn 352. The Bishop and the Rev. E. A. Dunn took their places outside the Chancel Rails, and at the close of the Hymn the Bishop called for a short period of silence for Private Prayer and Intercession on behalf of the new Rector. Another Hymn broke the impressive silence and then the office of Induction and Institution, according to the prescribed form, was duly said.

And now there followed a Service of Thanksgiving for the Ingathering of the Harvest and for all God's other mercies. The Prayers were intoned by the new Rector, the Lessons being read by the Rev. Canon Richardson.

At the Holy Communion, the Bishop celebrated, the Epistle being read by the Rev. Canon Richardson, who also assisted at the distribution of the Holy Elements. Nearly all the congregation remained through the Service and almost all received. The Bishop preached an eloquent sermon on the Spiritual Harvest, which was much appreciated by the whole congregation, and a liberal collection was made on behalf of the Pension Fund of the Church Society.

The Service throughout was choral, and was well executed, especially the Psalms. The singing throughout was bright and hearty, and reflects great credit upon both Organist and Choir, and the Rev. E. A. Dunn is to be congratulated on having

committed to his charge one of the most united and harmonious congregations in the Diocese. Unfortunately S. Paul's Parish feels, perhaps more than any other Parish, the constant efflux of English people from the city and neighbourhood; and it will soon be a very serious question, how it will be able to keep things going. Were it not for this, there is scarcely any other Parish in the Diocese that a Clergyman would rather minister to, than the little united and happy Parish of St. Paul's, Champlain street, Quebec.

### Central Board.

A Stated Meeting of the Central Board was held on the 19th November, the Lord Bishop in the chair, and fifteen members present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. The Secretary read the Report of the Education and Depository Committee. Several new Teachers were approved of. One School, for many years aided by the Society, forfeited this assistance through failure in complying with the conditions governing such grants. Many applications having been received from Clergymen in the Diocese for a supply of "the St. Paul's Series" of the Church Catechism, the Board authorized the said Series to be kept for sale at the Church Depository.

The Report of the Finance Committee, which was read and adopted, included grants of \$100 towards a new Church at Lingwick; \$50 towards a Mission Chapel at Harrington Harbour, Labrador; \$100 towards Parsonage at New Liverpool; \$100 each to two Clergymen for "outfit"; \$35 towards education of a Clergyman's daughter at Compton Ladies' College. The Society agreed to pay a rental of \$50 per annum, for a period of three years, for the use of the Cathedral Church Hall.