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Petite Riviere.—After waiting about six months, we have succeeded at last in sec. uring a clergyman as our Rector. On Monday, the 30th of November, we unanimously elected Rev Chas. P. Mellor, Incumbent of St. Peter's Parish, New Dublin, as our Rector. Owing to the rapid advance of the winter months, some of our men went with teams the day after the election, and brought over the stock-in-trade of the Rector elect. the 1st of January he began work and now we are looking forward to having regular services once more. Mr. Mellor has agreed to stay for one year with us, but we hope that it will expand into many years. He is to be inducted on the morning of Tuesday, The Revs W. E. Gelling. February 2nd. Rural Dean, G. D. Harris, and Geo. Haslam, taking part in the services, the latter of these being the selected preacher.

NEW DUBLIN.—The Rev. C. P. Mellor, after an incumbency of upwards of four years, has resigned this Parish and gone to that of Petite Riviere. It is probable that no permanent appointment will be made till Easter. The work of the Parish, meanwhile being done a locum tenens. The Rev, E. C. Lawlor is at the present time filling the vacancy.

The special services announced for Christmas Day, had, with the exception of that at West Dublin, to be abandoned, owing to the inclemency of the weather. On the last Sunday in December, the late rector preached his farewell sermons at Mount Pleasant in the morning, at St. Peter's, West Ferry, in the afternoon, at St. James, Lower Dublin in the evening. On the first Sunday in January the farewell sermon was preached at

West Dublin. Upon ail these occasions, the reasons for leaving were given.

The Rev. I. Mellor, Rector of Dartmouth, visited the parish on Saturday, January 16th and remained for a few days. He is an excellent preacher and a good organizer.

## RAWDON.

On the evening of New Year's at the residence of Henry Canavon, Esq., Hillodale, a purse containing \$34 was presented to the Rev. J. Spencer, Rector of the Parish, by a number of parishioners there assembled for the purpose. The presentation was made by Benj. O'Brien, Esq., and speeches made by Messrs. Greene, Conavan, Hopkins, Blois, McClare and McNeil. Mr. Spencer has not been long in the parish and this mark of esteem was all the more appreciated by him. A Christmas Tree for the Sunday School of St. Paul's Church was held on New Years Eve, and brought joy to many a scholar.

## England And Places Abroad.

The Archbishop of Dublin acclares that Protestants now number one-fourth the population of Ireland, and that 250,000 members of the Church of Ireland are found in the three Southern provinces.

The Swedish Mission recently domiciled in the old Universalist Church, 127th. street, New York, is growing steadily in numbers and good works. There are now nearly three hundred communicants.

The Right Rev. Dr. Bardsley who was appointed Bishop of Sodor and Man in 1887, has been appointed to the See of Carlisle, in succession to the Right Rev. Harvey Goodwin, D. D., deceased.

St. Thomas' Parish, New York, numbers 940 Communicants, showing a total gain of 97 during the year. The parish expended for the year on all objects \$98,269.48. The German Mission of the parish has 432 souls under its charge with 112 Communicants and 123 Sunday scholars. St. Thomas' Chapel in the same parish shows a membership of 407.