

hundred pounds to the Acadian School for free scholarships to the poor; and five hundred pounds to the Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb.

DIOCESE OF HURON.

ORDINATION IN ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL.—The Lord Bishop of Huron held an ordination in St. Paul's Cathedral on the 28th, of October last at three o'clock, p.m. A peculiar interest was thrown around the ordination, from the fact that the day was the fourth anniversary of the consecration of the Right Reverend Prelate as Bishop of Huron; and we would take this opportunity of offering, both to him and the members of the Church of England at large, our sincere congratulations on the preeminent success that has attended the interests of the venerable communion in this part of the country, since His Lordship's elevation to the high position which he so worthily fills. The following is a list of the gentlemen ordained yesterday:—*Deacon*,—Mr. Shem Du Bordieu, who will probably be appointed to a mission in the County of Huron. *Priests*,—Rev. Ben. Bayley, B.A., St. Paul's Cathedral, London. Rev. Robt. Fletcher, Missionary, in Gosfield, &c., in the County of Essex. Rev. Stephen B. Kellogg, Missionary at Eastwood, in the County of Oxford.—*Prototype*.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE AFTER HARVEST IN HULL, ENGLAND.

Harvest-homes are happily becoming common in country parishes, as associated with Church services; but it is not often that we are able to record such harvest thanksgiving services as that which took place in the parish church of Hull on Wednesday evening the 9th October. It having been unanimously determined by the Hull clergy, with the approbation of the Archbishop of York, that a service of thanksgiving for the late propitious harvest weather should be held in the parish church, the idea was gladly and warmly seconded by the authorities of the borough. The noble church was appropriately and beautifully decorated for the occasion. The pulpit and eagle were wreathed with festoons of corn, vine-leaves, and flowers; a wheatsheaf, banked up with rich flowers, was placed on the altar, and three large sheaves were placed on the rood-screen, under which were scrolls with illuminated texts—"All thy works praise thee, O Lord," and "The joy of the harvest." The organ was also decorated with a handsomely illuminated scroll. At six o'clock a peal of bells was rung, and soon afterwards the congregation began to assemble. The Mayor, aldermen, and councillors first arrived in their robes, preceded by the mace-bearers; the Warden and corporation of the Trinity House came next, preceded by their halberdiers. The magistrates of the borough also came in a body, and with them Lieut.-Colonel Pease, of the 1st York Rifles, in his uniform. At seven o'clock, the organist, G. J. Skelton, Esq., commenced a voluntary—"The marvellous work," and then the procession entered from the vestry, the choir and clergy of the church in surplices, preceded by the churchwardens and synodsmen with wands; then followed the clergy of the town in gowns, and the procession was closed by the Hon. and Very Rev. the