

which she brings upon herself. Her child also suffers both in disposition and happiness, and while the mother secures, in the one case, the love and regard of all who come into communication with her, she rouses, in the other, only their fear or dislike. The remarkable influ-

ence of the mother in modifying the dispositions and forming the character of the child has long been observed; but it has attracted attention only in the instances of intellectual superiority.—*Combe on Infant Training.*

CHURCH AT BOWMANVILLE.

The sacrament was dispensed at Bowmanville, on Sabbath the 4th inst., by the Rev. Thomas Alexander, of Cobourg, assisted by the Rev. David Rintoul, ordained missionary. The circumstances of this congregation are well fitted to show the strong attachment of the people of Scotland to the church of their fathers. Though scattered like sheep without a shepherd, they have yet kept together, and by a spontaneous movement of their own, they have erected a church which, in respect of elegance and commodiousness, might serve as a model for all future Presbyterian churches in the Province, excepting always those in large towns. We must observe, however, that

that much is due to several excellent men who had been elders at home for some years, and who organized themselves into a sort of session, and took a fatherly care of the people—discourtenancing evil, and encouraging good. They have thus been instrumental in keeping alive among them a reverence for the Sanctuary and for its ordinances—and now a congregation has been formed, and on the day referred to, the first in which the sacrament has been dispensed, there were upwards of one hundred communicants. We hope and pray that the good work thus begun, by the blessing of God, will prosper more and more.

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DATE.	Thermometer.		Barometer.		WEATHER.
	9 A. M.	9 P. M.	9 A. M.	9 P. M.	
Sept. 1	60°	62°	29.06	28.97	Clear a. m.; cloudy p. m.
2	61	55	28.80	.92	Partly cloudy; slight shower in the evening.
3	56	56	29.00	29.11	Fair; partly cloudy.
4	57	54	.18	.15	Fair and clear.
5	57	57	.12	.10	Do do.
6	60	62	.16	.19	Do do.
7	65	64	.21	.17	Do do.
8	65	68	.00	28.88	Cloudy; occasional slight showers.
9	68	64	28.90	.84	Fair and clear a. m.; thunder shower evening.
10	61	55	.85	.88	Partly cloudy.
11	52	50	29.00	29.17	Do do.
12	52	59	.28	.31	Fair and clear.
13	59	61	.35	.36	Do do.
14	59	63	.35	.25	Do do.
15	61	62	.16	.12	Do do.
16	61	62	.11	.05	Do do.
17	63	52	28.76	28.80	Rainy; windy.
18	51	51	.81	.83	Cloudy; occasional slight rain.
19	52	50	.85	.72	Mostly cloudy; windy.
20	58	48	.55	.80	Windy; flying showers.
21	44	43	29.00	29.17	Partly cloudy.
22	46	53	.28	.22	Fair and clear.
23	55	60	.21	.25	Do do.
24	58	55	.32	.25	Hazy.
25	55	54	.22	.14	Do.
26	62	68	.08	28.92	Fair and clear; evening cloudy; shower in the night.
27	55	51	.01	29.12	Partly cloudy.
28	54	55	.18	.16	Fair and clear.
29	55	56	.14	.08	Fair a. m.; misty; slight rain p. m.
30	55	55	.03	28.98	Very rainy.
Means.	57.23	57.13	29.066	29.064	

Mean temperature of the month, 57.18°. Highest, 76°. Lowest 34°.