

upon the grounds around the parsonage, which produced a large sum of money, and enabled the parishioners to enter into a contract for the erection of another sanctuary. It is gratifying to record that this purpose has been accomplished. A most substantial, appropriate, and well-finished church now stands upon the old and beautiful site, looking down upon the stream below, which flows between luxurious meadows on the one side and a well-wooded slope on the other.

In the autumn of 1857 Mr. Spike resigned the care of the mission, having received an appointment to another parish, and a temporary arrangement was agreed upon with the Rev. Professor Hill, of King's College, Windsor, to discharge the public duties so far as practicable. These were commenced on the first Sunday in October, 1857, and continued until the month of May, 1858, when the Rev. James J. Hill succeeded. The church was consecrated by the Bishop on Sunday, the 27th June, and his Lordship confirmed twenty persons, one of whom had been baptised in the morning by the newly appointed missionary, who then for the first time received a member by this sacred rite into the Church of God.

We trust that the spirit of God will rest upon His little flock in Newport in an abundant mea-