

castle, and A. S. Fidler, of Whitby. The sermon, on Proverbs xx. 29, "The glory of young men is their strength," was delivered by Rev. C. W. Paterson, B.C.L., of Aurora. The singing of the choir, who have been carefully trained by Mr. C. E. D. Wood, and the admirable manner in which the organist, Mr. Arthur J. Fidler (one of the elder boys), performed his duties were noteworthy. Besides the clergy whose names have been mentioned, the following were present:—Revs. J. S. Baker, St. Mark's, Port Hope; H. F. Burgess, Bethany; J. D. Cayley, St. George's, Toronto; H. D. Cooper, Colborne; J. A. Hanna, Garden Hill; R. H. Harris, Omamee; Professor Jones, Trinity College, Toronto; F. W. Kirkpatrick, St. James', Kingston; W. Logan, Fenelon Falls; Dr. O'Meara, St. John's, Port Hope; Canon O'Meara, St. John's College, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

In the School Hall the chair was taken by the Lord Bishop, supported by Hon. G. W. Allan, Chancellor of the University of Trinity College. Among those present: Judge Sinclair, Hamilton; Messrs. J. R. Cartwright, J. A. Worrell and H. Scott, of Toronto; J. H. Dumble, of Cobourg; W. Ellis, of Prescott; S. Macklem, of Clark Hill, Chippawa; C. Brent, of Newcastle; M. P. Robertson, of Buffalo; Lieutenant-Colonel Williams, C. H. A. Williams, W. Fraser and R. S. Cox, of Port Hope. After prayers the headmaster read a list of former pupils of the school who had obtained distinction during the past year at the universities and elsewhere. These included five valuable scholarships and a first-class degree in classics. The reports of the examiners were then read. These were in divinity, the head-master; in classics, J. A. Worrell, M.A.; in mathematics, Rev. Professor Jones; in French and German, Mr. H. J. Galton, M.A., of the High School, Brampton; in music, Mr. Sutherland Macklem, B.A.; in history, geography, etc., the masters of the school. In Divinity the work of the whole school was excellent, judging from the fact that out of 118 boys examined no less than 83 obtained honorable mention (66 per cent of the marks being required for the purpose) in one or both of the subjects. Mr. J. A. Worrell, who examined the fifth, fourth, and third form in classics, spoke very highly of the work of many of the boys. He especially commended Lampman and Davidson in the fifth form; Broughall, Hague, Murray and Porter in the fourth; Cayley, Dumble, Peiler, Fidler, major, and Perry, major, in the third. Rev. Prof. Jones, who examined in nearly all the mathematics, gave a very full account of the work. He stated that, in mathematics, the work of the school, taken as a whole, will compare very favorably with that of any other school in the country. Mr. Galton, the examiner in French and German, spoke very well of the work, that of some boys being excellent. Mr. Macklem highly commended the results of the instruction in vocal music.

The handsomely-bound prizes were presented by his Lordship the Bishop, who especially commended the work of some of the boys in divinity.

The following is the prize list:

CHRISTMAS EXAMINATION, 1878.—*General Proficiency*—5th form, A. Lampman; 4th form, G. H. Broughall; 3rd form, E. C. Cayley; 2nd (upper), V. E. Bayly; 2nd (lower), H. N. Moody; 1st (upper), R. R. Ogilby; 1st (lower), W. J. Scott.

MIDSUMMER EXAMINATION, 1879.—*Prizes for General Proficiency*—5th form, the Chancellor's prize, A. Lampman; 4th form, G. H. Broughall; 3rd form, E. C. Cayley; 2nd form (upper), C. C. Ambery; 2nd form (lower), C. A. Bogert; 1st form (upper), H. N. Rose; 1st form (lower), L. M. Ogilby. *Divinity*—1st, the Lord Bishop of Toronto's prize, A. Lampman; 2nd, E. C. Cayley; 3rd, C. C. Ambery; 4th, C. A. Bogert; 5th, W. F. Sowden; 6th, T. T. Aldwell. *Mathematics*—1st, Rev. Prof. Jones' prize, J. C. Davidson; 2nd, J. A. Porter; 3rd, J. E. Fidler; 4th, H. H. Fauquier, extra prize, C. A. Bogert; 5th, (Arithmetic), Rev. Prof. Jones' prize, E. K. Robertson. *Greek Grammar*—Rev. A. J. Broughall's prize, A. Lampman; 2nd form prize, J. H. Cooper. *Latin Grammar*—1st prize, A. Lampman; 2nd, G. Griffin; 3rd, the Lyttleton prize, L. M. Ogilby. *French*—1st prize, A. Lampman; 2nd, H. E. Clarke; 3rd, N. G. Hugel. *German*—Modern form prize, H. L. Peiler. *English*—1st prize, H. N. Rose; 2nd, C. C. Van Straubenzee. *History and Geography*—1st prize, A. Lampman; 2nd, N. G. Hugel; 3rd, H. N. Moody. *Natural Science (Botany)*—1st prize, H. H. Wootton. *Book-keeping*—Modern form, F. A. Pasmore. *Writing and Drawing*—Writing, A. B. Stennett; 1st, drawing (Mr. Sutherland Macklem's) A. E. Abbott; 2nd

do., do., C. Thompson. *Book of Common Prayer*—Rev. W. E. Cooper's prize, J. C. Davidson. *Sunday Lessons*—Rev. W. C. Allen's prize, S. G. Fuller. *Music*—Mr. C. E. D. Wood's prize for vocal, W. J. B. Jones; Mr. Gilmore's prize for instrumental, G. Griffin. *Drill*—H. M. Yerington. Mr. Worrell's special Latin composition prize, A. Lampman. Mr. Highton's special prize in the 3rd form for uniformly steady and conscientious work, J. F. Dumble. The bronze medal for "steady perseverance in integrity, industry, and courtesy," D. O. R. Jones.

The boys "honourably mentioned" by the examiners, in addition to the prize winners, were the following:—*General Proficiency*—5th form, Davidson; 4th, Porter, Hague, Murray; 3rd, Peiler, J. E. Fidler, Dumble, Lewin, Cameron; upper 2nd, H. N. Moody, Fauquier, Cooper; lower 2nd, Tremayne, Griffin, Robertson, Ogilby, Wolcott, A. R. W. Moody, Wootton, Sowden, A. M. Cayley, C. J. Christie, Worsley, Holland, W. Clarke, A. C. Allan; upper 1st, Sinclair, H. A. H. Thomson, Schofield, Macadam, Hewett; lower 1st, S. G. Fuller, C. C. Van Straubenzee, Cole, C. Thompson, T. T. Aldwell, W. E. Pasmore, Pousett, Scott, E. W. Strathy.

Divinity—The number is so great—no less than 83—that we shall only give the names of those who came next to the prize men, viz.: 5th form, J. C. Davidson; 4th, Hague; 3rd, J. E. Fidler; upper 2nd, Martin; lower 2nd, Wootton; upper 1st, Worsley; lower 1st, Stranbenzee.

Classics—5th 4th and 3rd forms, see above; upper 3rd, Cooper, Ambery, H. N. Moody, Bayly, Kirkpatrick; lower 2nd, Griffin, Bogert, Tremayne, Wolcott, Robertson, Sowden, Wootton, Ogilby, A. R. H. Moody, Martin; upper 1st, Sinclair, Schofield, H. Thompson, Rose, H. McInnes; lower 1st, Ogilby, S. G. Fuller, C. Stranbenzee, C. Thompson, P. T. Greene, Cole, W. E. Pasmore, Pousett, T. T. Aldwell, Corby, Huff.

Mathematics—5th form, Lapman, Noble; 4th, Broughall; 3rd, Peller, E. C. Cayley, Cameron, P. J. Strathy; 2nd, C. Ambery, H. N. Moody, Bethune, R. S. Morris; 1st, A. M. Cayley, Sowden, Ogilby, H. Thomson, Ggilvy, W. Clark.

History and Geography—Ingersoll, H. Clarke, Hague, H. C. Davidson, Broughall, Noble, Murray, Porter, E. Cayley, Dumble, J. E. Fidler, B. J. Macdonell, Peiler, C. Perry, L. Aldwell, C. Ambery, Fauquier, A. C. Allan, E. Bayly, Griffin, Holland, Lauder, Mackay, Robertson, P. Thompson, Tremayne, Wolcott, Worsley, Bogert, Gamon, Ogilby, Hewett, Rose, Schofield, Sinclair, H. Thomson, T. Aldwell, S. G. Fuller, W. Pasmore, Scott, Strathay, Straubenzee.

French—J. C. Davidson, Broughall, W. J. B. Jones, Hague, Bethune, Peiler, C. Perry, C. Ambery, Cooper, H. Moody, F. Pasmore, D. McInnes, C. T. Christie, Griffin, Martin, Wolcott, MacAdam, Sinclair, Ogilby.

English—1st form, Robertson, Ogilby, Wolcott, Griffin, Tremayne, Bogert, Worsley, Pasmore, Aldwell, Fuller, Straubenzee.

A pleasing episode in the proceedings was the presentation on the part of the boys of two handsome volumes to A. J. Fidler, in recognition of his valued services as organist in the school chapel. After the awards had all been made the Lord Bishop of Toronto addressed the assemblage in the following terms:—"In presiding for the first time during a speech day at Trinity College School, I wish to express the gratification I have experienced from my visit here. I have been looking forward with pleasurable anticipations for some time past to these exercises, because, amongst the offices which are incident to my position as Bishop of this Diocese, one of the most pleasing which falls to me is that of presiding at your annual speech day. I must say that I have been more than pleased with all I have seen in the short visit I have paid to Port Hope. I can hardly realize that, since my last visit to this town thirteen years ago, this spacious, handsome and so eminently suitable a building has come into existence. When we compare it and the magnificent play grounds surrounding it, with that nursery, I may term it, in which the early days of Trinity College School were passed, I am sure you will all agree with me that the greatest credit is due to the present head-master for both the untiring energy and deep interest which he has taken in the welfare and prosperity of this institution, and also for the uncommon ability he has brought to bear in producing the excellent results, and fruits of which we witnessed here today. I can hardly express how deeply I feel the value of such an institution as this School in the Diocese, and the efficient state in which I find it. I look forward to much prosperity for Trinity College in years to come through its instrumentality. In this School, the Diocese of Toronto is singular in possessing the only School of the kind,

at least in the Province of Ontario—a school conducted on the principles of the Church of England and for the sons of gentlemen, where an education and training are received—which are hardly inferior to those of the best Public Schools such as have been for centuries the pride of old England herself. Now that the school has attained to this position I trust its success in the future is fully established and insured; and so long as we have the privilege of possessing one to preside over the school and regulate its studies, who is so devoted to the work as Mr. Bethune, supported by such an able and efficient staff of masters, we shall not fear for its prosperity."

After some very interesting remarks which were specially addressed to the boys, the Bishop went on to say: "I do look forward to Trinity College School as a hopeful nursery to supply our future candidates for holy orders. I cannot but refer to the services I attended this morning, and how I enjoyed worshipping God in your beautiful chapel. I trust these services will not be without an effect upon your lives and hearts, and that many of you will compete for prizes in divinity. I trust, too, that a great many of you may be led, not only by these lower inducements, but by the Spirit of God directing you, to devote yourselves to the highest work to which you can give your lives—the service of God and of His Church. We are much in want in this country of well-educated clergymen, and I do hope a great many of the boys of Trinity College School may come to me at some future day as candidates for ordination, and that I may have the pleasure of ordaining them as humble, honest and faithful clergymen in the work of this diocese." After a few further remarks his Lordship wished the boys a happy holiday, and expressed a wish that he might often be present on similar occasions in the future.

Hon. G. W. Allan next addressed the assembly. He said that there were two things which gave him especial pleasure that day. One was the list read by the head-master of old boys of the school who had distinguished themselves elsewhere; and the other was that part of Professor Jones' report in which he stated that the best proof of the efficiency of the masters of the school was in the work done by the boys under their charge. In this he saw a guarantee for the continued success of Trinity College School. He then reminded the boys how much the name of the school depended upon themselves, and expressed the wish that hereafter every Trinity College School boy, when he goes out into the world, should be known as a good cricketer, a good scholar, and a good, honest, faithful Christian man.

The proceedings were much enlivened by the singing of some capital songs by the boys, and the playing of some instrumental music on the piano by W. Macklem. The Bishop pronounced the Benediction.

WOODBIDGE.—*Christ Church*—The Lord Bishop held a confirmation in our pretty little church on Sunday morning, 20th inst. The usual weekly celebration of the Holy Communion took place at 9.30, his Lordship acting as celebrant, and after Matins the confirmation service began. Thirty candidates—14 men and boys and 16 women and girls—who had been carefully prepared for the solemn service by Rev. P. Ford were presented, and admitted into full membership in the Church of Christ. The Bishop's address to the candidates was truly an excellent one. The church choir, under their painstaking leader and organist, Mr. C. W. Edwards, sang—as usual—well. An anthem very suitable to the occasion, "The Lord is mindful of His own," with a "Hallelujah" chorus, were admirably rendered. The choir is composed of male voices, some of the ladies of the congregation occupying front seats in the nave and assisting in the singing. The Church was packed with people, seats in the aisle being needed for over half its length. In the afternoon the Bishop preached at St. Stephen's, Vaughan, five and one-half miles distant, and at night he preached here. His Lordship was the guest of N. C. Wallace, Esq., M.P.

PENETANGUISHENE.—Thirty-five inmates of the Provincial Reformatory were confirmed on Friday, 4th inst., by the Bishop. His Lordship expressed great pleasure at the heartiness of the service and the reverent behaviour of the lads while at Chapel.