

PARISH NOTES.

OFFERTORY.—July 2nd \$34.85, and for Diocesan Missions, \$22.47; 9th, \$29.22; 16th, \$31.64; 23rd, \$24.40; 30th, \$32.14. Total, parochial, \$152.25: for corresponding period last year, \$126.25.

THE annual Summer Festival of the Sunday School took place on Thursday, 13th July, to High Park, and went off very successfully, the weather being favourable, and all arrangements having been satisfactorily made and carried out. The number of children present was rather a falling off from previous years, which is due to the constant increase in facilities afforded for summer outings, making an occasion such as the present much less a novelty to children than it used to be.

WE have recently been honoured by a visit from the Right Reverend Dr. Quintard, Bishop of Tennessee, who preached in St. George's on Sunday morning, 17th July. He was accompanied by his Chaplain, Rev. A. L. Wood. On Monday evening, 18th, he addressed a large audience in the School-house on the subject of "Woman's work in the Church," with especial reference to the Sisterhood which a number of Churchmen and women are now arranging to establish in Toronto. It is stated in the secular papers that his Lordship's address is to be printed for general circulation among those interested in this movement.

THE Churchwardens have been notified that the pupils of Upper Canada College will no longer attend St. George's Church. Although there are some reasons why their withdrawal is not greatly to be regretted, still we cannot avoid expressing a regret at the severance of a connection which has continued since the infancy of our Parish, and which at the time was one of very active co-operation, when the choir was kept up, and we learn from the public press of the day, most creditably kept up, by the boys of Upper Canada College, under the direction of Mr. Barron.

OUR neighbours of the Church of the Ascension have sustained a great loss in the death of Mr. Samuel Boies Smith, whom most of our older members will recollect as having been for many years identified with St. George's. When the Parish of the Ascension was formed Mr. Smith became interested in it and ultimately became its chief financial supporter, and it is currently reported on good authority that the support does not cease with his death but is to continue subject to certain conditions, and to eventuate in an endowment of \$30,000. Would that our Canadian Church had a few more such sons.

ANOTHER Church has within the past month been established in the immediate neighbourhood of our Parish—St. Thomas', formerly at Seaton Village, but now near the upper end of Huron street, which was reopened in its new situation on Sunday, 23rd July.

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BAPTISMS.

- July 2.—Caroline-Valentine, *d.* of John-William and Mary-Hannah Hopper
- " 2.—Mary-Eleanor, *d.* of John-William and Mary-Eannah Hopper.
- " 6.—Reginald-Griffith, *s.* of Sydney and Louisa Davies.
- " 17.—John-Watson, *s.* of George and Helena Bartlett.

MARRIAGES.

- July 3.—George-Langley Backus to Beatrice-Amanda Parsons.
- " 5.—John-Tobias Lennox to Fanny E. Jarvis.
- " 12.—Henry Castle to Ellen Sarah Hiseoe.