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one single clergyman of that Church existed. In those countries I have known every privilege of the Church of England denied to the whole of the inhabitants, with the exception of those few persons inhabiting the capital. Hundreds of persons were not baptized; the rite of confirmation, during many long years, was never conferred upon any inhabitant of these colonies; marriages were solemnized before the civil magistrate of the country; the death bed of the sick was unblessed by the presence of any Christian minister; the remains of the dead were interred in the churchyard upon the solitary hill side, which had been consecrated by no Bishop of the Church of England; and the prayers over the dead were read by any humane friend who would offer to assist on the occasion. Not only, then, were all the consolations of the Church of England denied to the inhabitants of those colonies, but indirect evils of many kinds waited upon them. They were all desirous to obtain the assistance of clergymen of the Church of England, but they knew not to whom to apply. were no persons to make their wants known at home. Hundreds of children remained to a great extent uneducated; the Sabbath was not observed in the distant parts of the colonies; the very sounds of the Sabbath bell were forgotten at the remoter out stations. Evils of various kinds, and of great magnitude, pressed on every person who inhabited the colony. I myself was a witness to these circumstances. I may in truth say that I for years suffered anguish, sorrow of heart, and sorrow of mind, at being unable to alleviate the miseries by which I felt myself and others surrounded. What, therefore, must be my feelings now, at hearing again that a bishopric is to be established in a new colony, I having seen the miseries I have described, and afterwards having had the gratification of seeing a bishopric established in Southern Africa by the same benevolent lady who is now again bestowing a similar benefit? Only those who have witnessed the change which the introduction of the Church of England into a newly-formed colony has brought about,