of the continent of Africa, and the labor, missionary and other, and a the expenditure he would but he will do what he can. But of years would have been lost—most likely what that will be neither he nor any one sies can tell. On the Prohibition question he declines to commit himself and his party, and on the Manitoba school question the exigencies of party require him to be non-committal. Of course Mr. Laurier and by no means wholesome influence in the most charming manner possible. His eloquence delighted his hearers, but we are greatly mistaken if the country or even the Liberal party will be satisfied with the very meagre bill of fare he sets before them.

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our affections and allegiance, and these we cordially tender you, trusting that the connection may be long conduced to the glory of God and the happiness of each one of us.

Signed A. BRANLANDS. REC. or
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J. H. GORDON,
JOHN WOOD
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Bishop Perrin made a felicitious reply, expressing the pleasure he felt at the cordial sentiments expressed by the congregation, and trusting that before long they would see the present building superseded by the new one, the plans of which he had been looking over.

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The choir boys, through Master Darrell Kent, presented the Bishop with a large photograph of themselves, and were thanked in a pleasant little speech by the recipient. Refreshments were afterwards served and the remainder of the evening was spent in listening to the music and in conversation.

DECORATION DAY.

The joint committee of Far West and Sunset lodges, and Victoria Division No. 2, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, met last evening to make arrangements for the decoration of the graves of deceased Knights on the 25th inst. The band of "C" Battery was engaged and a committee was appointed to meet the visiting Knights. The procession will start from Pythian hall at 2-30 o'clock on Sunday in the following order:

Alkman, plano lamp; Mr. and Mrs. Alkman, table; Misses Armstrong and Arrowsmith, game carvers; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Alexander, china pitcher; Mr. F. V. Austin, carvers.

B—Mrs Burns, silver five o'clock teaspoons; Mrs. Berkeley, sugar lade: Mr. and Mrs. R. Crow Baker, candelabra; Mr. Harry Barnard, silver entree dish; Mr. and Mrs. Bou ton, Doulton ware vase; the Misses Barker, silver fora bowls; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Belyes, silver fora bowls; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Belyes, silver ice cream knife; Mr. Brammer, etching; Mr. F. Bakeman, pie liffer.

C—Mrs. and the Misses Christie, Japanese flower bowl; Bishop and Mrs. Criott, silver picture frame; Mrs. Chesley, Ottawa, drawn work tea cloth; Miss Claxton, silvershoe horn; Miss Corson, Eder down quilt; Mr. Carne, cut glass flower stand with roses; Mr. Cuppage, silver tablet; Mr. and Mrs. Connan, silver cheese hoop; Mr. J. W. Church, ebony table; Mrs. Cauldwell, glass salt cellars; Mr. Allan Cameron, cut glass idtoher and tumblers, it—Drs. Duncan, fruit knives and forks; Mrs. J Dunsmuir, silver picture frame; Miss Deverguax silver jewel hole er; Mrs. Dunsmuir, s. It cellars.

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F.—Mr. and Mrs. J, Sterling Floyd, cake knife; Mrs. Flumerfelt, white ostrich fan.

G.—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. C. Galletty, bemboo tea table; Mr. A. Goward, Japanese bric-a-brac; I Miss Gaudin, embroidered table cover. Messrs. Gatpin, Kirk and Webber, silver-mounted biscutt j.rr. Mr and Mrs. Graveley, pudding dish; Mr. Tom. Gore, carvers; Mr. and Mrs. Gore, teaspoons.

H.—Mrs. Hanington, silver hair brush; Mrs. Hibben, bric-a-brac stand and vase; Mr. C. W. Higgins, opera glasses; Mr. Mrs. and Miss Hall, silver stand with sugar bowl and oream jug; Dr. and Mrs. Helmacen, silver pudding dish; Mr. J. P. Hibben, etching; Mr. Frank Higgins, Gladstone bag; Hon. D. W. Higgins, check; Hon. J. S. Helmacken, hand-painted china and engraving; Miss Harrey, china tea set; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Higgins, china tea set.

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