

Essay on "The agency of the Holy Spirit in Regeneration," Rev. J. Campbell.

Plan of Sermon, by Rev. L. P. Adams, also one by Rev. E. J. Sherrill.

Essay on "Christian Perfection," by Rev. George Purkis.

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EATON, QUE., August 3rd, 1870.

During the above meeting of the St. Francis Association, a Church will be organized, on the Tuesday evening, and on the Wednesday evening following (the 7th), the Rev. H. J. Colwell will be installed Pastor.

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London Missionary Deputation.—It is presumed that the proposed visit of Dr. Mullens and Mr. Allon to the Canadian Churches will lapse with the postponement of the Conference of the Evangelical Alliance. Should they, however, fulfil this part of their programme, the Committee have agreed to the following plan :

	Dr. Mullens.	Mr. Allon.
Sunday, 9th October.....	Montreal.....	Montreal.
Tuesday, 11th "	Quebec (Lecture)	Sherbrooke (Lecture).
Thursday, 13th "	Montreal (Lecture)	Ottawa (Lecture).
Friday, 14th "	Kingston (Address)	Kingston (Address).
Sunday, 16th "	Toronto	Toronto.
Tuesday, 18th "	Toronto (Lecture).....	Bowmanville (Lecture).
Wednesday, 19th ".....	Hamilton (Address)	Hamilton (Address).
Friday, 21st "	Brantford (Lecture)	Guelph (Lecture).
Sunday, 23rd "	London	Paris and Brantford.

F. H. MARLING,
Convenor.

Toronto, Aug. 25, 1870.

Obituary.

The Rev. George Sterling, for twenty-one years pastor of the Congregational Church in Keswick Ridge, and the oldest minister of the Congregational body in the Lower Provinces, died a few days ago, after a short illness. Deceased was a native of Scotland, and formerly a Wesleyan. He was well known and highly esteemed.—*St. John Daily Telegraph, Aug. 15.*

Gleanings.

Bishop Clark once met a female parishioner on the street, whom he had not seen for several weeks. His cordial greeting was met by a frigid reserve on her part. He inquired the cause. She replied, "I have been sick for three weeks and you did not visit me once." "Indeed," replied the bishop, "I am sorry to hear that. Were you sick enough to have a physician?" "Certainly, he came every day." How did he know you were sick? "I sent for him, sir," was her reply. "True," answered the bishop, "and if you had sent for me I would have come, too." The point of the anecdote can possibly be seen by people who sometimes complain of the inattention of their pastors.