

the chamber, rose from his bed and attempted to dress ; but fifteen minutes afterwards, Mr. Leeming returned, and found him dead in his chair ! He had fallen asleep with “ the sleep that knows no waking ; ” the silver cord was loosed, the golden bowl was broken, and the spirit had returned to God who gave it ! And the anxious and sorrowing partner of his toils and trials, arrived only to learn that she was a widow, and her children fatherless.

On Wednesday morning, after a brief service at the house, Mrs. Lillie, accompanied by Professor Cornish, (in the absence of Dr. Wilkes, who, misled by Dr. Lillie's repeated assurance that he was improving, had left the city,) started, with the remains, for Toronto by Grand Trunk Railway, and after a sad and wearisome journey of twenty-eight hours, reached the city shortly before the hour appointed for the funeral. At three o'clock the body was conveyed to the Bond Street Congregational Church, where a large concourse of friends and citizens, including many of the ministers from the surrounding country, assembled to pay their last tribute of affection and respect to the departed. The Rev. Mr. Manly read selections from the Old Testament Scriptures ; the Rev. Dr. Wickson led in prayer, and the Rev. James Porter read from the New Testament, after which the Rev. Thomas Baker, his fellow student at Gosport, and for forty-five years Dr. Lillie's attached and intimate friend, by request of the family, delivered an address, founded on the words of the 24th verse of the 11th chapter of the Acts,—“ He was a good man, and full of the Holy Ghost, and of faith ; and much people was added unto the Lord.” Commencing with a brief sketch of his early history, Mr. Baker portrayed, with a loving hand, Dr. Lillie's unaffected piety, and the eminent services he had rendered to the denomination.

Professor Cornish added a few words regarding the circumstances and manner of his death, and bearing ample testimony from a long and intimate acquaintance with him, to the truth of all that the previous speaker had said. The Rev. Mr. Thomas announced the hymn, commencing,—

“ Give me the wings of faith to rise,” &c.

The Rev. Mr. Marling then concluded the service with prayer and the benediction. and the funeral cortege, headed by the Rev. Drs. McCaul, Willis, Richardson, and Jennings, the Rev. J. Gemley, the Hon. G. W. Allan, J. Roaf, Esq., Q. C., and Mr. John Nasmith, as Pall bearers, moved slowly forward to the Necropolis, where after prayer by the Rev.