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IN MEMORIAM

A SUDDEN CALL TO REST.

It was a matter of real regret to us that we last month omitted to notice an event, which brought a pang into many of our homes, we mean the drowning accident at Riviere du Loup, on Thanksgiving Day, by which Stening, the elder son of our good Missionary, the Rev. Geo. T. Harding, and his young friend Walter Jarvis, were suddenly called, as we trust, to a higher and better world. We will not attempt to describe what took place. Our object is simply to offer to all the surviving parents our heartfelt sympathy, and to say how much we rejoice to learn that the good lads, of whom so much was hoped and expected here, were apparently ready for their call, so that we may well believe, they were removed from our midst, in order that they might render higher and more important service to Their Master nearer to His Throne.

DISTRICT NEWS.

WATERVILLE.

The Rev. R. C. Tambs writes :—

North Hatley—The Bishop of the Diocese officiated at St. Barnabas' Church on Saturday afternoon, November 18th, assisted by the Incumbent. His Lordship dedicated the Daves Memorial Altar Cross, administered the rite of Holy Baptism to six adults and confirmed six candidates, including two of the newly baptized.

Eustis and Capelton.—On the evening

of the same day a Confirmation Service was held here at Christ Church, when seven young people received the Apostolic blessing in the presence of a full Church.

Waterville. At St. John's Church on the following morning, Sunday, there was a good Congregation and eight persons were presented for Confirmation, including five young men, one of whom was baptized by the Bishop at the beginning of the Service.

The Services at the three places were all very impressive.

MAGOG.

The Lord Bishop visited this Mission on Sunday, October 29th, and confirmed 13 Candidates at the 11 o'clock Service. A large Congregation was present, considering the very wet weather, and listened with great attention to the very instructive words that fell from the Bishop's lips. In the afternoon the Bishop proceeded to Stanstead via Fitch Bay.

The Annual Harvest Thanksgiving Service was held in St. Luke's Church on October 13th. The Church was very prettily and tastefully decorated by the ladies of the Congregation. The Service, which was held at 7.30, was bright and hearty, and the Rev. H. A. Brooke, M.A., Rector of Stanstead, preached a most appropriate and excellent Sermon, which was very much enjoyed by the large Congregation present.

The Harvest Supper took place on Thursday evening, October 19th (Thanksgiving Day), and was fairly well attended and a most enjoyable evening spent in listening to music, instrumental and vocal.

The electric light has been placed in the Church this autumn, and the result well repays the efforts of those who collected and subscribed for it. There are in all 24 lights.

Since I last wrote we have lost several more Church families by removal, —all will be missed very much indeed.

The Services at Cherry River and Castlebrooke have been regularly kept up and the attendance has been very encouraging.

The residents at Castlebrooke neighborhood have lately added a shed for horses to the McDermott School