

geniality and urbanity which have ever characterized his intercourse with them, and the zeal, energy and ability with which he has discharged all duties assigned to him. While sincerely regretting to part with Dr. Burus, and deeply sensible of the loss they sustain by his removal, they will not fail to follow him with their best wishes for him and his, and they anticipate for him a large measure of success in the new field of labour to which he has been called."

**FENELON FALLS.**—**CHURCH OPENED.**—On Sabbath 17th Feb. the new church at Fenelon Falls was opened for public worship. The Rev. J. Smith of Bowmanville, preached in the morning from Mat. 13 : 45 and 46, and in the afternoon from Luke 13 : 24. The church was crowded at both services. A soiree was held on the Monday evening. The attendance was so large that all could not obtain seats. Appropriate addresses were delivered by the Rev. J. Paterson of Cambray, the Rev. J. Smith of Bowmanville and others.

**CHINGUACOUSY.**—At the annual missionary meeting of the First congregation of Chinguacousy, which was addressed by the Rev. D. Fletcher, a missionary society was formed, and collectors appointed. On the 23rd Feb. a meeting of the collectors was held, when it was found that they had collected the sum of \$80.13, which was appropriated as follows : College \$30.00 ; Home Mission \$30.00 ; Foreign Mission \$15.00 ; French Canadian Mission \$5.13.

**STREETSVILLE.**—We have received a report of the Missionary Society in connection with the congregation at Streetsville. Our space will not allow us to insert it. It is, however, of a very encouraging character. At the annual missionary meeting, addresses were delivered by the Rev. J. M. King of Toronto and the Hon. John McMurrich. The amount raised, including \$4.72 from the S. S. for Mr. Nisbet's mission, was \$98.19, divided as follows :—Home Mission \$35.75 ; College 14.45 ; Foreign Mission 28.17 ; Synod Fund 9.10 ; French Canadian Mission 6.00 ; Red River from S. S. 4.72.

**TORONTO—YORKVILLE.**—A new congregation has been organized in Yorkville with encouraging prospects. Public Worship is conducted at present in the Town-Hall ; but it is proposed to erect a church. The new congregation is encouraged and aided by the older congregations in the city.

**WALKERTON.**—The Walkerton Congregation, at their last annual meeting, advanced the stipend of their minister, the Rev. R. C. Moffat, to five hundred dollars, said addition to begin from 1866, inclusive. At the settlement of Mr. Moffat, in 1857, the salary was \$266 ; since then it has been advanced to \$300 ; then to \$400 ; and now to five hundred. The stations of West Brant and Hanover, also supplied, in the meantime, in connection with Walkerton, are likewise making steady progress.

**BOWMANVILLE.**—**REV. J. SMITH.**—The Bible class under the charge of the Rev. J. Smith, Bowmanville, lately presented him with a copy of the Imperial Bible Dictionary, accompanied by an address expressive of esteem and attachment. The volumes are splendidly bound, and cost \$28.

**ALLISTON.**—**REV. J. K. HISLOP.**—On the 8th., ult., a number of the members and adherents of the congregations of Burn's Church, Essa, Angus, and Alliston, waited on their pastor, the Rev. J. K. Hislop, and, after expressing their attachment and esteem, presented him with a valuable gold watch and chain ; also, Mrs. Hislop, with several handsome and valuable articles.