## ONTARIO CONFERENCE.

The Ministry is not in need of intellectual dwarfs, but giants. The Minister is constantly addressing people of learning. These he desires to win and help. But should these hearers discover errors in argument or in statement of historical facts how soon will they lose confidence and feel that their Minister cannot be regarded as competent to teach and lead others.

Just as the reservoir, after receiving its supplies, sends then out again to bless humanity, so the mind of the Minister, having freely received, freely distributes to cheer, to comfort, to persuade and to save the sons of men. But let us not think that when a college course is completed and a degree obtained or a church course finished there is nothing more to do in the matter of education. This is but the beginning This only prepares for further investigation into the various subjects in which we are concerned. Every Minister should be a student. No congregation should be asked to drink from a stagnant pool, but from a flowing stream. While there is the going out there should also be the coming in so that the supply may b ever fresh and never exhausted.

But we would not so magnify education as a Minister's qualification as to imply that this is the supreme one. It is not. The supreme qualification is the Baptism of Fire.

A Ministry with minds well trained and filled with knowledge and consecrated to God, and with a gracious baptism of the Holy Ghost upon it, will at least have some of the most important elements that tend to make it a power in the world for the ushering in of the glad day of the Saviour's reign.

Respectfully submitted,

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## Elders' Orders.

Your Committee on Elders' Orders examined J. C. Grenzebach according to discipline, and found him accurate in his answers and sound in doctrine. We, therefore, do recommend him for ordination.

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