

Mr. Malcolm Mathie has also given two acres and a-half in the Township of Grenville, for the site of a church and a burying-ground.

Mr. Walton, late of Châteauguay-Basin, has also made over to the Society a valuable farm at that place—principally with the view of maintaining a clergyman upon the spot. But, at present, there is but a small field of labor there. To secure this property to the Society by a clear title, a certain outlay was necessary—the interest of this, however, is fully covered by the rent of the farm, and when the property increases in value, the surplus will be available for the purpose contemplated by Mr. Walton.

The late Baron de Longueuil had promised 500 acres of land, in the Township of Upton, to the Society, but the deed was, unfortunately, never passed. The present Baron is unable, from his property being entailed, to give a valid title, but he has liberally intimated his intention of having the land valued, and presenting the Society with the amount.

Travelling Missionaries.

The want so long and so painfully felt of clergymen to fill the important office of Travelling Missionary was partially supplied by the appointment, in December last, of the Rev. Thomas Shaw Chapman. Immediately on his appointment he proceeded through the destitute parts of the District of St. Francis, to those in the west of the District of Montreal. It was his intention, also, to have gone up the Ottawa, in conformity with the instructions given him by the Lord Bishop, but he was unfortunately taken ill, at St. Hyacinthe, with a fever, the effects of which incapacitated him from any active labour for several weeks. Upon his recovery, he proceeded again to the District of St. Francis, dividing his time princi-