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CANADIAN CHURCHMAN

never on the pursuit of gain or on amusement? If there are two things going on at the same time in town. why should the Church service always be the loser?

Your answer will be prompt, if you are candid.

A SONG OF AUTUMN.

Ho! for the bending sheaves, Ho! for the crimson leaves, Flaming in splendor! Season of ripened gold, Plenty in crib and fold, Skies with depth untold, Liquid and tender.

For, like the smile of God, See how the goldenrod Ripples and tosses! Yonder, a crimson vine Trails from a bearded pine, Thin as a tread of wine Staining the mosses.

Bright 'neath the morning blue Sparkles the frosty dew. g Gem-like and starry, Hark, how the partridge cock Pipes to his scattered flock, Mindful how swift the hawk Darts on his quarry!

Autumn is here again, Banners on hill and plain Blazing and flying. Hail to the amber morn, Hail to the heaped-up corn, Hail to the hunter's horn, Swelling and dying!

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-James Buckham, in Onward.

"THE FINGER OF GOD."

The finger of God and the Spirit of God are, in Scripture, interchangeable terms. When our Lord is speaking to the Pharisees of the power of dispossessing devils, ar cording to St. Matthew, He says, "If I cast out devils by the Spirit of God"; in the parallel passage of St. Luke it stands, "If I with the finger of God cast out devils." The "Finger of God" is that by which, so to speak, He reaches and leaves His pressure on created life, moulding and perfecting it. The fingers are used, not only as means of exercising strength, but also as instruments of thought and feeling whereby the conceptions of the mind are fixed and imparted, and are themselves an index of mind and character. All forms of beauty and operations of delicacy are wrought by their agency. The designation, "Finger of God," then represents the Holy Spirit ,the Last Person of the adorable Trinity, the Revealer of the Divine Will, touching created life, and acting upon it, for the purpose of bringing it into order and beauty and final accordance with the mind and will of God.-Archdeacon Hutchings.



Remarkable Sale of Good Organs.

We are offering for sale a special lot of Organs well worth much more than the price stated. These organs are taken on exchange account as the result of the tremendous sale of our well-known piano. They are all in first-class condition. This is a splendid opportunity for out-of-town buyers.

1-DOMINION ORGAN, low back, 5 octaves, two stops, 4 sets of reeds -BELL ORGAN, low back, 5 octaves, 4 stops, 4 sets of reeds and of reeds and knee swell \$35.00 6-DANIEL BELL ORGAN, high back. 5 octaves, 9 stops, 4 sets of 7-THOMAS ORGAN, high back, 5 octaves, 9 stops, 4 sets of reeds, couplers, grand organ and knee swell...... \$42.00 8-DOMINION ORGAN, high back, with music rack, 5 octaves, 11 stops 4 sets of reeds, treble and bass couplers, grand organ and knee swell...\$44.00 9-BELL ORGAN, high back, with music rack, 5 octaves, 9 stops, 4 sets of reeds, including vox humana stop, grand organ and knee swell. \$43.00 -BELL ORGAN, high back, with music rack, 5 octaves, 10 stops, 4 sets of reeds, treble and bass couplers, grand organ and knee \$45.00 swell 11-DOMINION ORGAN, high back, with music rack, 10 stops, 5 octaves, including vox humana stop, 3 sets of reeds, treble and \$47.00 9 stops, including vox humana stop, 4 sets of reeds, treble and bass couplers, grand organ and knee swell; a very handsome parlor \$49.00 organ . 14 - UXBRIDGE Walnut Piano-cased Organ, 6 octaves, 11 stops, including vox humana stop, 4 sets of reeds, treble and bass couplers and grand organ and knee swell. This organ is practically new, having only been used two or three months; has full length music rack, with carved panel in top door; an exceptionally good bargain at \$75.00 15-THOMAS ORGAN, walnut piano case, nicely decorated top door, full length music rack, with rail top and mirror, 6 octaves, 11 stops, including vox humana stop, 4 sets of reeds, treble and base couplers, grand organ and knee swell; used less than 3 months; a beautiful parlor organ; regular price \$125 00. Special...... \$87.00 16-DOHERTY ORGAN, 6 octave piano-case, with rail top and mirror,

13 stops, including vox humana stop, treble and bass couplers, grand organ and knee swell, mouse-proof pedals, etc., an exceptionally handsome organ, only slightly shop worn. Regular price \$125.00. Special,...... \$89.00 17—THOMAS ORGAN, with rail top and two mirrors, nicely decorated top door, full length music tack, with 6 octaves, 11 stops, including

vox humana stop, 4 sets of reeds treble and bass couplers, grand stops, 5 sets of reeds, with treble and bass couplers, grand organ and knee swell, vox humana stop, mouse-proof pedals. This is one of the handsomest organs we have seen, and has been used less than two months. Regular price \$150.00. Special......\$95.00 LARGE ASSORTMENT of melodeons by Andrew Bros. and R. S. Williams, at...... \$10 00 to \$17.00



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THE CANADIAN NORTH-WEST

HOMESTEAD

REGULATIONS.

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the North-West Territories, excepting 8 and 26, which has not been nomesteaded. or re-served to provide wood lots for settlers, or for other purposes, may be homesteaded upon by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less. 160 acres, more or less.

ENTRY.

Entry may be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land to be taken is situate, or if the homesteader desires, he may, on application to the Minister of the Intericr, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, or the local agent for the district in which the land is situate, receive authority for some one to make anter for him receive authority for some one to make entry for him. A fee of \$10.00 is charged for a homestead entry.

HOMESTEAD DUTIRS.

A settler who has been granted an entry for a homestead is required by the provisions of the Do-minion Lands Act and the amendments thereto to perform the coaditions connected therewith, under ne of the following plans -

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is de-ceased) of any person who is eligible to make a home-stead entry under the provisions of this Act, resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such person as a homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother. or mother.

(3) If a settler has obtained a patent for his home-stead, or a certificate for the issue of such patent, countersigned in the manner prescribed by this Act and has obtained entry for a second homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to ob-taining patent may be satisfied by residence upon the first homestead, if the second homestead is in the vicinity of the first homestead.

(4) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements of this Act as to resi-dence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land

The term "vicinity" used above is meant to indi-cate the same township or an adjoining or cornering township.

A settler who avails himself of the provisions of Clauses (2), (3) or (4) must cultivate 30 acres of his homestead, or substitute 20 head of stock, with build-ings for their accommodation, and have besides 80 acres substantially fenced.

Every homesteader who fails to comply with the requirements of the homestead law is liable to have his entry cancelled, and the land may be again thrown open for entry.

APPLICATION FOR PATENT.

Should be made at the end of the three years, before the Local Agent, Sub-Agent, or the Homestead Inspector. Before making application for patent. the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, at Ottawa, of his interview do co

and do things.

EASY TERMS OF PAYMENT.

These organs are sold under the following conditions: Organs under \$50, \$5 cash \$3 per month. Organs over \$50, \$8 cash and \$4, per month. Discount 10 per cent off for cash. If quarterly or other terms would be more convenient, write us what you can do and name your choice and we will hold it until terms are arranged. Freight paid to any point in Ontario, and satisfactory arrangements made to other provinces.



That the home kitchen, with mother for teacher and a loving. willing daughter for pupil, is the best The only preaching that counts cooking school on earth. is that which makes us be things That "that most excellent thing is just her sincere, earnest, helpful in woman"-a low voice-can only self.

GIRLS SHOULD REMEMBER. be acquired by home practice. That true beauty of face is only possible where there is beauty of soul manifested in a beautiful character. That the girl everybody likes is not affected and never whines, but

of his intention to do so.

INFORMATION.

Newly arrived immigrants will receive at the Immi-gration Office in Winnipeg or at any Dominion Lands Office in Manitoba or the North-West Territorics, information as to the lands that are open for entry, and from the officers in charge, free of expense, ad-vice and assistance in securing land to suit them. Full information respecting the land, timber, coal and mineral laws, as well as respecting Dominion Lands in the Railway Belt in British Columbia, may be obtained upon application to the Secretary of the be obtained upon application to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commis-sioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, Manitoba, or to any of the Dominion Land Agents in Manitoba or the North-West Territories.

JAMES A. SM ART. Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N.B.-In addition to Free Grant Lands to which the regulations above stated refer, thousands of acres of most desirable lands are available for lease or purchase from railroad and other corporations and private firms in Western Canada.

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