

Poetry.

THE MINISTRY OF ANGELS.

How precious, when earth looks deserted and dreary, And for comfort in vain through life's follies we roam...

CHURCH DOCTRINE, A WITNESS AGAINST WORLDLY TIMES.

(By the Rev. F. W. Faber, M.A.)

We live in very worldly times. No one can doubt this who hears or reads even so little of what is going on around him. The times are very worldly. We are wiser than our forefathers, but only in the ways of getting riches...

tian truth, which recommend themselves to us, as leading us from the world, lifting us above it, making us humble with great thoughts and cheerful with great hopes: doctrines which carry us off from ourselves...

and impressed upon us by some superior influence.—For of such dreams we have plain and undeniable instances in history, both sacred and profane, and in our own age and observation.

steady and determined, at all hazards, to abide by their principles and profession." From the Rev. H. Canon:— Halifax, May 10th, 1776.

prehensive have been since realized, with the addition of many others, which I at that time hardly supposed possible. Close confinement, scarcity of provision, and even cannonading and bombardment, I was in some measure prepared for; but I must confess I had not the least suspicion that the army would ever have evacuated Boston.

of Rome, or dissent, as to the scriptural nature of our Church." The Committee have agreed to adopt and publish this translation of the Liturgy, which they find that the Bishop of Toronto, to whom they have sought for advice on the subject, recommends their undertaking it.