

probably as good a man in all respects for the position as we could possibly send, and every member of our society ought to make this "our own" mission, a subject of continuous and earnest prayer during the summer.

Mr. A. C. Ascah is appointed as our delegate to the Prison Gate Mission.

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DEBATING AND LITERARY SOCIETY.

Never in the annals of the Diocesan Theological College has the Literary Society attained such an eminent degree of success as at present. This fact is accounted for only by the profound interest manifested in the well-being of the Society, by every one of its members.

The attendance at every meeting this term has been larger than for any previous year. Every member of the Society has had an opportunity to engage in a "Struggle of a Century."

The programme committee is deserving of the highest praise for its choice of subjects; a task not at all times pleasant to perform.

But while the Society has attained this high degree of prosperity now, let us hope for the future that it may attain even—if possible—a higher sphere of success.

The society would be glad to welcome the members of the Alumni at its meetings for the time to come, and thus an outside interest would be brought to bear on its prosperity.

On the evening of January 12th, was held the first of the Literary meetings in 1893.

The usual programme was dispensed with, and the debate made general. This was accomplished by means of three minute impromptu speeches, chosen by the chairman during the meeting. Each member was handed his "Si Quis" and straightway "went to see." It is needless to add the meeting was enjoyed by all present.

Two weeks later was held the second meeting of the Society. An important subject of debate, and one which concerns the whole Christian world at large, was then discussed. Here is the subject of the debate: "Is the world growing morally better?" The affirmative speakers were Messrs. Mount and Wilson; the negative Messrs. Curran and Mason. After combating—for a short space—with the deadly evils of Christendom, the president declared the allotted time expired, and the vote was taken; in the result the affirmative were the victors.

The next meeting will always remain a memorable one—at all events to the class of '93. There was introduced on the debate for the first time, a maritime element in the person of Mr. Hutchings, King's College, Nova