

they may be led, that social influence for good which Christian training and graceful culture are sure to carry.

THE COLLEGIATE SCHOOL, (for boys) also appears to be prospering, there having been 59 names on its roll during the term which has just closed. The building has been recently lighted by the Windsor Electric Light Co., thus adding greatly to the comfort and safety of the boys, and those who have charge of them. The steady and rapid growth of the School under the present Head Master and his efficient staff, is very encouraging, showing that in the near future the Board of Governors will find it absolutely necessary to add considerably to the present building. As the matter now stands, only eight more boys can be accommodated—and this only at the expense of the convenience of the Head Master's family, as two of the private rooms will have to be used for dormitories. The school will re-open—after the Christmas holidays—on the 10th of January next.

KING'S COLLEGE.—Rev. Dr. Baum, editor of the *Church Review*, New York, addressed the students of King's College on Sunday morning, 14th Dec., and preached at Christ Church in the evening. Dr. Baum is considered to be one of the best authorities on Canon law in the United States. At a special convocation held at the College on Saturday afternoon, the 13th, the degree of D. C. L. was conferred upon him.

DIOCESE OF FREDERICTON.

RICHBURTO.—At a meeting of the church wardens and vestry of St. Mary's church the 8th December, 1890, the following resolution was adopted.

Whereas, It hath pleased God in His infinite wisdom to remove from amongst us by a sudden death, Mrs. Hackenley, the faithful wife of our beloved pastor, the Rev. Henry Hackenley.

Therefore resolved, That this corporation do deeply sympathize with the afflicted family in their terribly sudden and unexpected bereavement and we pray that this great affliction may be sanctified to their good and the good of all the church and that grace may be given to the sorrowing husband, father, and pastor to sustain him under this solemn visitation of our gracious and loving Heavenly Father and

Further resolved, That this resolution be entered in the records of our church, that a copy be furnished Mr. Hackenly, and published in *The Review*.

JOHN UPHAM BLISS,
Vestry Clerk.

DIOCESE OF MONTREAL.

MONTREAL.—The monthly meeting of the City Branch of the Diocesan S.S. Association was held in the Synod Hall on Monday evening, the 10th Dec., when the Rev. Canon Henderson, D.D., read a paper on the 'Inspiration of the Bible,' and Mr. H. J. Mudge, President of the Lay Helper's Association, submitted one on the ever vexing question, 'How to retain our Elder Scholars.' The Lord Bishop of the Diocese presided and much interest was manifested in both subjects.

THE BISHOP'S JUBILEE has not been unmarked by those who are not under his jurisdiction. The Ministerial Association presented a complimentary and flattering address; and on the afternoon of the 17th Dec., the Mayor of the City, accompanied by a deputation from the Council, consisting of Aids. Rolland, Thompson, McBride and Cunningham, with the City Clerk, waited upon his Lordship at Bishop's Court, and presented an address (beautifully illuminated and engraved in vellum) which had been unanimously adopted by the Council. It is a pleasure to record this kindly act on the

part of a body so largely composed of those of another nationality and faith. The address was in the following terms:

The Right Rev. W. B. Bond, L.L.D., Lord Bishop of Montreal:

MY LORD.—It is with feelings of great pleasure that we approach your Lordship to-day as bearers of a resolution unanimously adopted by the City Council, congratulating you on the fiftieth anniversary of your ordination to the sacred ministry. The Council, as representing the citizens at large, could not let this opportunity pass without giving expression to the high esteem and respect in which your Lordship is held by all the classes of the community, and without paying a well deserved tribute to the able and dignified manner in which you have discharged the high functions confided to your Lordship. We desire also to congratulate you on the harmony and good feeling that have characterized your administration, and which have brought with them so good and fruitful results.

Hoping that you may long enjoy continuous health and strength in the prosecution of the sacred and responsible mission entrusted to your care, we remain, My Lord.

Your obedient servants,

A. GAUNIER, Mayor,
J. D. ROLLAND,
EDWIN THOMPSON,
JAS. McBRIDE,
WILLIAM H. CUNNINGHAM,
CHAS. GLACKMEIER, City Clerk.

Montreal, Dec. 12th, 1890.

St. James the Apostle.—The Rev. John Wm. Dennis, Rector of Lacolle, having received a parcel of most useful articles from the busy bees of the Ministering Children's League, hereby conveys, on behalf of himself and family, their warmest thanks for the same, with the prayer that God will abundantly bless them for their labour of love.

THE LAY HELPER'S ASSOCIATION continues its meetings regularly and its members are doing admirable work, quietly and unostentatiously. Every Sunday finds many of its number on duty as Lay readers, S.S. teachers and superintendents, and at the Hospitals and Jail.

A CHAPTER of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew has been formed in the parishes of St. Martin's and St. Thomas. It is hoped that the other city parishes may soon follow suit.

THE Church of England Temperance Society is distinctly recognized in the Synod reports, and by its action as a Diocesan Institution. There are not, however, many branches in the city; and it would be well if the Executive of the Association would take some steps to bring the advantages and claims of the Society before the people of the Church.

S. S. SUPERINTENDENTS and others will now find in the Depository at the Synod Hall sample copies of many of the excellent books published by the S.P.C.K. for Sunday School Libraries, and for which orders will be received and forwarded. Within a few weeks it is expected that arrangements will be perfected for having an attendant in the room assigned to the Depository on fixed days of the week. The books will be furnished at the lowest possible advance on the cost price.

THE many friends of the Rev. R. Lindsay, M.A., Rural Dean of Hochelaga, will learn with sorrow that his condition has been such for some days past as to excite the greatest anxiety on the part of loving relatives round about him, and many prayers are offered in his behalf.

It is proposed to hold a Sunday School Institute for the Archdeaconry of Bedford at Cowansville, on Wednesday, the 21st January.

The occasion is one of such importance to the Church in this section of the Eastern Township as calculated to awaken and stimulate interest in our Sunday Schools that it is hoped that the Bishop of the Diocese may be able to be present and preside at its several sessions. His large experience as a Parish Priest in the populous parish of St. George, Montreal, and in the large Sunday School thereof renders his presence extremely desirable. It is expected that Papers will be read by Revs. Canon Davidson, M.A., P. W. Chambers, B.A., H. W. Nye, M.A., Rural Dean, and addresses given at the evening meeting by Rev. Canon Thornloe, M.A., of Sherbrooke; Rev. G. Osborne Troop, M.A., of Montreal, and others.

THE Churchman of New York, for Dec. 20th, afforded an illustration in its Nova Scotian correspondence of the truth of the old saw, "one must go from home to learn the news." Referring to the Jubilee of the Bishop the writer says: 'The Diocese (of Montreal), is crowded with Roman Catholics and they are perpetually gaining influence in the country towns. All non Roman Catholics are consequently tempted to unite in worship, and in some instances the Church congregations have been practically wiped out in this way! We do not know what opportunities of knowledge the writer had, or from whence he obtained this astounding piece of information. We, living here in Montreal, the centre and head of the diocese, have not heard of any such uniting, or wiping out. The Church on the contrary is steadily doing its work; and that independent of other Christian bodies, in its own line and on its own system; probably there are fewer union Church buildings in which the Church of England in the Diocese has any part than there were twenty years ago; and we doubt if any foundation whatever exists, in so far as The Church is concerned, for the allegation that they 'are tempted to unite in worship' with other bodies.

Apropos to the foregoing, it may not be amiss to refer to the recent laying of the corner stone of a new Church at Sault-aux-Raccollet by the Bishop of the Diocese. Here there was a Union building in which the Church of England had been holding service one hour of the day, and the Presbyterians at another. The City Missionary, the Rev. E. McManus, commenced work there during the fall, and the result has been that already the building of a new church has been commenced and by spring will probably be finished and ready for occupation. And this is only one of many instances of Church progress.

DIOCESE OF NIAGARA.

GUELPH.—On Saturday evening, the 13th December, the Bible Association of St. George's church held a very successful and harmonious reception for the Bishop of the Diocese in the large school room of the church. Notwithstanding the unfavorable night, there was a large number of the members of the Association and congregation present.

Shortly after eight o'clock His Lordship entered the school room, accompanied by Ven. Archdeacon Dixon, Rural Dean McKenzie and Rev Prof. Lloyd. The rector took the chair, and opened the proceedings by calling for the first number on the programme, being a chorus entitled, "God Made All Nature Free," by members of the Association. Upon the conclusion of this number the chairman called upon Rev. Mr. Seaborn to read an address from the members of the Bible Association of St. George's church to thank his Lordship for his kindness and courtesy in affording them an opportunity of meeting him, and of showing their respect for the high and dignified position he held, as the head of the Church in this part of the blessed Lord's vineyard, and express as their heartfelt wishes that his Lord-