

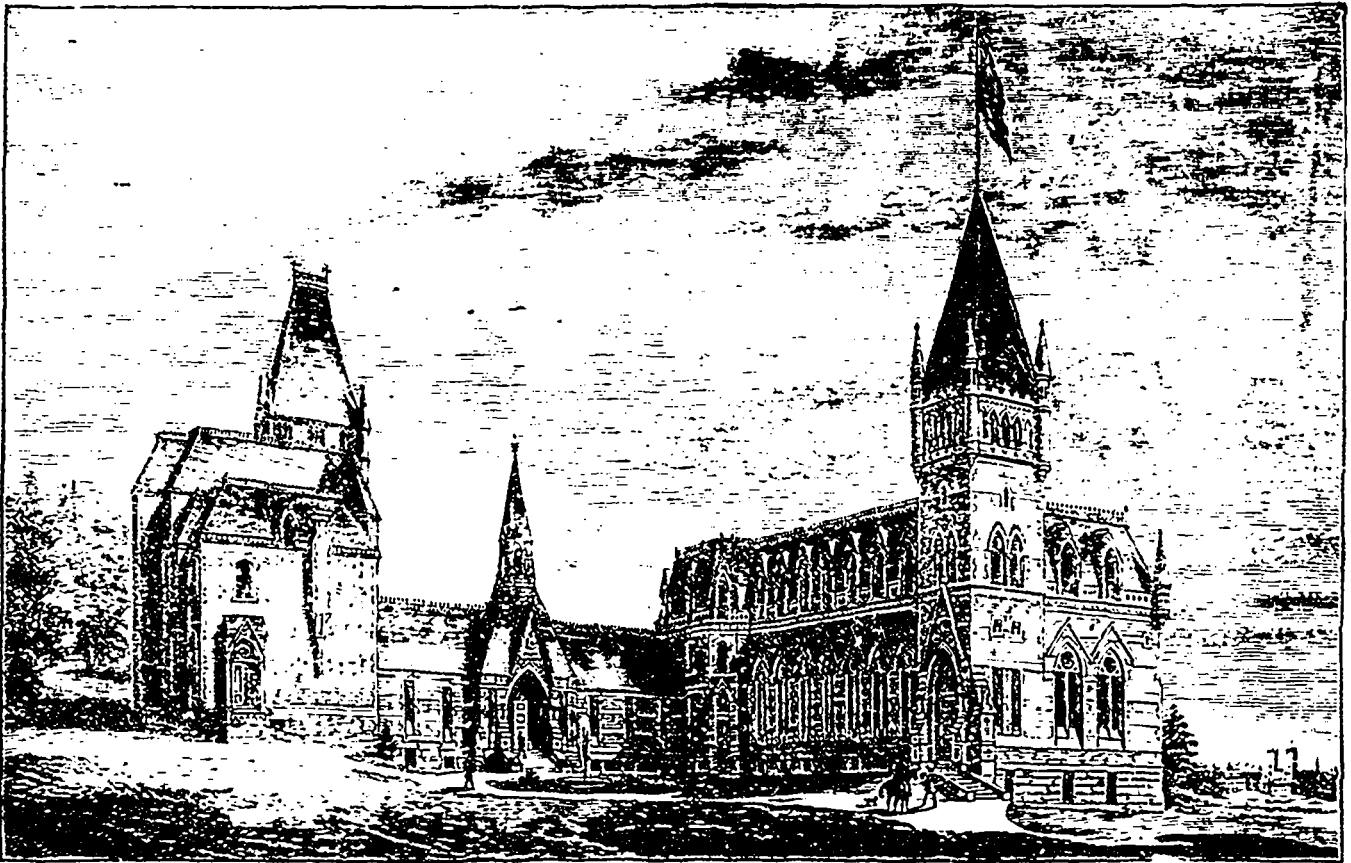
be called on and encouraged to engage in Sabbath School work, the minister himself cannot afford to lag behind or even occupy a second place. Nor should the student, while cultivating a field of Christian work during the summer months, be remiss in this important department of his labours. No other work he performs will come back to him with more abundant recompense. The young and tender plant may be trained and nurtured or even transplanted into a more genial soil; but the old and gnarled tree, whose thousand roots have twisted round the rocks, and grown hard and stiff by the lapse of ages, can only, by a miracle,

Mission Work in Manitoba and the North-West.

It is not an easy matter to bring a sketch, however brief, of Mission work in Manitoba and the North-West, within limits suitable for the columns of the COLLEGE JOURNAL.

Mission work here has much in common with similar work in the new settlements of the Eastern Provinces, with which many of your readers are familiar; but owing to the altered condition of many things here, it has features distinct and peculiar.

WESTERN VIEW.



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be disturbed without destruction. We trust, therefore, that the students of our College will in their summer fields seek earnestly to influence the young. Take life at its beginning, while its course is still to be shaped, and while impressions made pass more readily into the moral life. In some places no Sabbath School may exist. Organize one without delay; and if the nature of your field makes it impossible for you to teach, let all concerned feel that nothing but an impossibility could have withheld you from rendering active aid.

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On the Missionary's arrival in the Province he meets with the Presbytery's H. M. C. in Winnipeg, by whom he is appointed to one of the many new settlements that are always clamoring for the services of a missionary. At the first meeting of the Presbytery following, he is, if ordained, received as a member, and has his name added to the Presbytery roll.

Guided by the advice and suggestions of the ministers resident in Winnipeg—who, I may say, are unsparing in their efforts to facilitate his movements—he procures the necessary outfit, and, as soon after as possible, sets out on a journey