



SHERBROOKE, NEAR LENNOXVILLE.

meeting once a term, when a special celebration of Holy Communion is held, a sermon preached on a missionary theme by an invited preacher, more often than not an alumnus of the College; a choral evensong with missionary collects and hymns, followed by a missionary meeting in the College Hall, at which a missionary address is given by an invited clergyman, and a paper on a missionary subject read by one of the students. The various mission fields are thus brought before the notice of the students, and much interest has been thus kindled. One of the old Lennoxville school boys is now Bishop Ingham, of Sierra Leone. The special subscriptions and offertories of the Union are annually sent through the Diocesan official and the S. P. G. to Madagascar.

The type of Bishop's College is that of one of the Colleges of Oxford or Cambridge. The first Principal was an Oxford man, the second and third have been Cambridge, and the parentage of the college is distinctly traceable in many of its regulations and in its curriculum.

Prof. Watkins, who succeeded to the classical chair in 1888, is a scholar of Jesus College, Cambridge, and an old Rugbeian; his predecessor, Prof. P. C. Read, was a scholar of Lincoln College, Oxford.

If the college is a child of the old English Universities, still more emphatically is the school the child of the English Public School system, and especially has this been true since the year 1857, when the Rev. J. W. Williams, formerly a master at Leamington, became Rector of Bishop's College School. The tone imparted in the six years which preceded his election to the See of Quebec has never been lost. He was succeeded by the Rev. G. C. Irving, of St. John's College, Cambridge, who worthily sustained the reputation gained for the college by him. Mr. Irving was drowned while bathing in the St. Lawrence near Riviere du Loup in 1866, a great shock to his friends and a great loss to the school. The Irving Prize commemorates his too brief tenure of the Rectorship. Mr. Irving had been favorably

known at the sister University of Trinity College, Toronto, before he succeeded to the Rectorship. After a brief interregnum, in which Dr. Nicolls administered to both institutions, the Rev. R. H. Walker, of Wadham College, Oxford, became Rector and remained as such till 1870; he was succeeded by another Oxford man, of Queens College, the Rev. C. H. Badgley, who had also been head of the school at Weston, which devel-

oped into Port Hope School, now so flourishing under Dr. Bethune. In 1877 the Rev. P. C. Read became Rector, and in 1883 the two dynasties, so to speak, of college and school, became united in the person of Dr. Lobley. And in both capacities, Dr. Adams, who received the honorary D. C. L. of Lennoxville in 1886, succeeded him. An alumnus of School and College Mr. H. J. Hamilton Petry, M. A., is the sub Rector and senior resident master. The numbers in College in the Michaelmas Term, 1889, were 33, a number never before reached, and for which the accommodation has become inadequate. In the School in the same term the number reached was 110. The increase during the last two years has been from 90 to 143 in the whole Institution. The College and School unite in daily worship in the beautiful chapel which is dedicated to St. Mark. A good organ, the money for which was collected by Dr. Lobley, was placed in the chapel about ten years ago. The choir consists of students and boys, with some of the masters. In sports and pastimes Lennoxville has never been behindhand, and the presence of the two parts of the Institution enables matches in friendly rivalry to be held at cricket, football, hockey, etc. In 1888 a large hall was built called the Bishop Williams Wing, and at the Convocation of 1889 a portrait of the Bishop, subscribed for by many of his old boys and other friends, was placed in the hall in his memory. His happy reply upon thus being called upon to "accept himself" will long be remembered. The additional wing cost \$6,000, more than five-sixths of which was subscribed specially for the purpose. For the new divinity house nearly \$10,500 has been subscribed. A large new infirmary has been added to the resources of the Institution during the last year at considerable cost. A large and unexpected bequest of \$30,000 in 1886 enabled the College to endow the Mathematical Chair, and to establish two new Divinity Exhibitions. The venerable but vigorous societies, S. P. G. and S. P. C. K., still continue their bounty in the form of Exhibitions to candidates