

comprehend one hundred and ninety-three persons ; yet I count only twenty-two Church members. One has removed from us, having married. In the course of the year I have administered baptism to three children, and solemnized one marriage. A. GEOFFROY.

ROXTON POND, ETC.

This year has been one of hard labour, yet such has not been in vain. We have succeeded in rebuilding our church at Roxton Pond, and of adding to it a neat and comfortable parsonage. The consequence of which is, the re-opening of services which had been for several years discontinued, and a revival of interest in this the head of the Circuit, which cannot fail to have a beneficial effect on a considerable population in the village and around it. The re-opening services of the Church were marked by much of the Divine presence on large and respectable congregations; the savour of which will doubtless be seen after many days. We have commenced in the village a temperance organization; a thing much needed, and which will, we humbly trust, result in much good. We now have two nice and commodious churches on this Mission, in which the congregations are generally very good. We have six other preaching places, in which English and French are largely mixed; and in the services of which places not unfrequently a number of French Romanists are seen. We have had during the year twenty-eight removals and one dropped. We now have sixty-four members, being twenty-five less than last year. EDWARD DEGRUCHY.

WATERLOC.

In this large village, in which are many French Romanists, we have not only a strong Roman Catholic influence to contend against, but one arising from Universalism also, which has spread its pernicious influences among the French people. This is owing to the fact, that the proprietors of several large manufacturing interests, in which many French are working, are of that faith. Believing, or affecting to believe, in the doctrines of Universalism, they see no reason for troubling themselves about any religion; and, therefore, treat with utmost indifference anything which may be said on such a subject.

Nevertheless, our meetings in the village are pretty well attended; and our work, on the whole, may be said to be prospering. We have an appointment at a French neighbourhood in Stukely, and have recently taken up one in Ely. In this last place some eighteen persons, previously connected with the Baptist Church, have joined us. This act was purely their own, and one they have been agitating these years past. Several of them were Methodists in the first instance, and became united to the Baptists because no Methodist Church at the time was near them. This appointment is about twenty miles from Waterloo. Our principal work is visiting from house to house, as it is the only way we can effectually do