

APPENDIX.

NOTE A.

At a late eastern provincial synod the question of the comparatively unprosperous condition of the Canadian Church (C. E.), its causes, remedies, etc., gave rise to a long and earnest discussion. The fact does not seem to have been challenged at all. And the *Church Record*, in a late issue, has the following remarks: "The candid observer finds some grounds for apprehension that the day of opportunity is not being seized. We cannot forecast the results of the census to be made this year, but those of the census of 1891 were not very encouraging. In Manitoba the rate of increase of the Church of England was lower than that of any denomination except the Baptists. In the North-West Territories things were rather better, although here the increase of the Presbyterians from 1885-1891 was far greater than the Anglicans. In British Columbia the Anglican increase was less than that of any body except the Roman Catholics. Under these circumstances we think there is an urgent necessity for some movement that shall thoroughly arouse and educate the Church people of both Eastern Canada and Great Britain."

NOTE B.

Our Church universities in Canada are furnishing the ministry with an able and successful body of men. Nor