

the (then) new Church erected a few feet distant from the school. That sacred Edifice, though it has been renovated, is now in its fifty-third year, and is still in use. For the new acquisition the sum of \$450 had to be secured. Towards this sum the vendors, Messrs. Frank and Adelbert Gale, have each contributed \$25 by diminution of the purchase money, the Lord Bishop of the Diocese has promised \$25, and the Reverend T. L. Ball a like sum, leaving \$350 still to be collected in order to meet the loan at six per cent. When that amount is paid off funds will still be required to provide the Victoria Hall and the shelter for the horses of those, who drive to Church and other appointments.

Any generous reader who has an interest in the past, present or future of Waterville is invited to contribute his or her offering to the important objects above named, either through the Missionary in charge or the Church-Wardens.

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CAPELTON AND EUSTIS.

With a kindness and consideration beyond all that is usual on the part of our Roman Catholic brethren, the Victoria Guild of Eustis and Capelton were allowed to use, with a generous and unlimited freedom, the large house and fine premises of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O'Connor, in Lower Capelton, for a festive gathering on the evening of July 30, and to distribute ice-cream and cake for a small fee, to be devoted to the objects of the Guild.

In the spirit of that Eastern welcome which says to an arriving guest 'Now, all that you see about you is yours' Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor heartily received all comers. There was a large attendance, and the revenue which came in for Church purposes was beyond expectation, encouraging to the willing workers, who deserved much praise for their enterprising energy. It was a fine evening and the young people found it pleasant to amuse themselves in the open air. Tables and lanterns were carefully dispersed about the lawn, and with the moving crowd, furnished an attractive picture. From the upper balcony, the Reverend E. King said a few words of well merited acknowledgement to the hospitable entertainers, and a vote of thanks to them was made unanimous by enthusiastic clapping and cheers.

About an acre of land, surrounding Christ Church, has now been assigned with definite and generous boundaries by the Eustis Mining Company, and a lease of it formally granted to the Church for ninety-nine years at a *very small* annual rate.

NORTH HATLEY.

By a disastrous fire early in the season, which destroyed the fine public hall where the annual festivals have been held heretofore, the visitors of North Hatley have been deprived of the opportunity of raising money for Church purposes in their accustomed way, viz., by a Fancy Fair, but they are contributing in other ways to much-needed funds.

By the kind permission of Mrs. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Fisher an Afternoon Fête was held on their beautiful grounds on the 12th of August from 2 to 6. Refreshments were served in the roomy and very prettily decorated boat-house, and a concert took place from 4.30 to 5.30 on the extensive verandah of their fine house. The arrangements were complete, the success most gratifying and appreciation of the privileges afforded by Mrs. Thomas and family was universally felt.

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Also for 1896:—Mrs. Furnivall (2), Reverend J. Almond.

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