

ful readers the "old, old story of Jesus and His love." He has followed the chronological order of Dr. Strong, and has availed himself of the labours of most of the previous writers on this entrancing theme. The manner in which our Bible is cut up into chapters and verses, how convenient soever it makes it for reference, often obscures its meaning to the careless reader. A consecutive and vivid narration of our Lord's life often comes like a new revelation. Such has been the effect upon ourself of Farrar's fascinating volume, and such, we think, will be the effect on many of its readers of the present work. Without possessing the picturesque and poetical beauty of Farrar's style, it will doubt-

less be better appreciated by the class for whom it is intended, and be more practically useful for the young. This book is admirably adapted for Sunday-school teachers and schools, and cannot fail to give a more distinct and vivid apprehension of that which it behoves us all intensely to realize.

*The Fifty-first Annual Missionary Report of the Methodist Church of Canada* has just come to hand as we go to press. It is a bulky document, of 325 pages, and is a wonderful monument of the progress of the Missionary Society during the half century of its existence. We must reserve further comment on this fertile theme till next month.

## Tabular Record of Recent Deaths.

*"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints."*

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	CIRCUIT.	AGE.	DATE.
John Devitt .....	Devitt's .....	Cartwright O. . .	87	Sep. 7, 1875
Mary Shoults .....	Park Hill .....	Park Hill O. . .	33	" 10, "
Walter Olds .....	Simcoe .....	Simcoe, O. . . .	20	" 19, "
M. E. Mellish .....	Union Road ..	Cornwall, P.E.I.	21	Oct. 1, "
Sarah A. North .....	Sheffield Mills	.....	44	" 2, "
Ruth Ann Kirkpatrick	Patterson .....	Queen's Co., N.B.	26	" 6, "
Mary Ann Amberman	Granville .....	Granville Ferry	24	" 9, "
Mary White .....	Yorkville .....	Yorkville, O. . .	66	" 9, "
Martha Crawford .....	Ingersoll .....	Ingersoll, O. . .	31	" 10, "
Olivia Roland .....	Morristown .....	.....	93	" 10, "
Catherine Grogan .....	Spring Grove ..	Aylesford, N.S.	16	" 10, "
Bessie Carter .....	6th Concession	Markham, O. . .	26	" 13, "
Nicolas Ernst .....	Mahone Bay ..	Lunenburg, N. S.	70	" 14, "
Daniel Campbell, Esq.	Sydney .....	Sydney, C. B. . .	60	" 14, "
Rebecca Leonard .....	Poor's Asylum.	Halifax, N. S. .	52	" 17, "
George Moulton .....	Combermere ..	Brudenell, O. . .	30	" 20, "
Jane Baker .....	2nd Concession	Markham, O. . .	..	" 21, "
Abigai Scaffer .....	Moncton .....	Moncton, N. B.	72	" 21, "
Jane Lay .....	Meagher Grant	Middle Musquodoboit, N.S. .	58	" 23, "
Annie Embree .....	Toronto .....	Carlton St. ....	..	" 30, "
Emily Ismena Harper	Toronto .....	Metropolitan ..	21	Nov. 5, "

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