

the following:—"The last century witnessed the following issues, viz:—1723, 1738 (also, with a new title page 1746,) 1756, 1767, (appendix 1776) and 1784. An unauthorized edition was published in 1769, (8vo.) which was virtually that of 1767.

CRUSADERS' Lodge, No. 1677, of London, presented two large stained glass windows to the parish church of St. James, Clerkenwell, and on October 13th, these windows were unveiled by the Lord Mayor of London, Bro. Sir J. Whittaker Ellis, J. G. W. The windows were designed and executed by Bro. Chas. Evans. The subject of the north-east light is the "Building of the Temple." The architect is represented studying the plans with compasses in hand; in the background various workmen are represented at work in the erection of the Temple. In the renaissance ornament bordering this window is introduced the "working tools," and the seal of the Crusaders' Lodge occupies a prominent position above, and the whole is surmounted by the All-seeing Eye, which is introduced in both windows. The window in the south-east has a representation of the Queen of Sheba's visit to Solomon on the completion of the Temple. King Solomon is shown seated, surrounded by his attendants, with arm extended, pointing out the beauty and grandeur of the edifice. The Queen of Sheba is introduced in the foreground, while numerous eastern potentates are grouped around, bearing costly presents for King Solomon. In the border of this window are the various jewels of office, and the arms of the Grand Lodge are introduced

above. The windows have the following inscription at foot:—"To the glory of the Great Architect of the Universe. Presented by the Crusaders Lodge, No. 1677, A. D. 1882."

REFRESHMENTS.—The question of refreshments is attracting the attention of the brethren in New Zealand, as we gather from an editorial in *The New Zealand Mason* and the following, which is the report of the committee appointed by St. Augustine Lodge, Christchurch, for the purpose of enquiring into the system which exists in regard to refreshments, etc.:

—"Your committee, together with the delegates from the Southern Cross Lodge, Kaiapoi; Canterbury Lodge, Christchurch; Ionic Lodge, Leeston; Conyers Lodge, Sydenham; Concord Lodge, Papanui; and the Robert Burns Lodge, Christchurch, have had two meetings, and, after mature consideration, decided to lay before you the following report:—Your committee would like you to note that the recommendations embodied herein do not in any way affect the working of country lodges, they being differently situated. The matter of yearly banquets following upon installations has not been entered upon, being left a matter for future consideration. Your committee are of opinion that the system of refreshments which at present exists in most of the lodges in and around Christchurch is becoming in a manner excessive, and absorbing funds which might be devoted to purposes of benevolence, and that, with a view of remedying the growing evil, this committee do recommend:—(1.) That the refreshments upon ordinary lodge nights be of the simplest