

very severe weather, there was a good congregation, all of whom were deeply interested in the remarks of both speakers.

The Bishop of the Diocese spent the 12th and 13th in this Mission. His Lordship was met by the Incumbent at Coaticook, 9 a.m., Tuesday, and conveyed to Perryboro' for a Service at 11 o'clock, at which he baptized one adult, who, with another member of the congregation and his daughter, received "the laying on of hands." At this point in the service, the Bishop delivered his first address, after which came the Communion Service, followed by a second address. The Service was bright and hearty, thirty, out of about forty persons, present, some of whom were children, received the Holy Eucharist, and the Bishop's earnest, practical words on this occasion will not soon be forgotten.

After lunch and a pleasant visit to Mr. Perré's, whose hospitality has become a by-word, the journey to Dixville was made without any interruption, save the calling for a few minutes at the Church Warden's house.

At 7.30 p.m., the Bishop gave a very interesting and instructive lecture on some incidents in Early English Church History, at St. Cuthbert's Church, during which he showed clearly that the Church in England had always resisted as far as she could the encroachments of Rome, and had shaken herself free from them when she was able, always preserving her own identity.

At 11 o'clock next morning, His Lordship preached and celebrated the Holy Communion at St. Lawrence's (known as Dr. Ward's) Church.

After a most hospitable reception at Dr. Ward's, the journey to Stanhope was proceeded with, at which place a few calls were made, and a stop for tea with Mr. S. A. Baldwin, who is always delighted to entertain the clergy and their friends.

Next came a Service at St. Paul's Church, at 7.30 p.m. After the baptism of an adult, the Bishop gave an earnest and heart stirring account of the progress Christianity has made in the world.

The good congregations assembled at each place were delighted to have their Chief Pastor among them, and listened to his loving words

with rapt attention. Such visits are bright spots in the life of a country clergyman.

Leaving Dixville by the early train Thursday morning, the Bishop proceeded to Bishop's College, Lennoxville, to lecture to the students.

#### INVERNESS.

The Rev. Isaac Thompson, Rector of Levis, paid a visit to this Mission on the 3rd of February, and held morning Service at Campbell's Corner, and administered the Holy Communion to forty members; the Church was crowded, and Mr. Thompson preached an eloquent sermon; he held the Congregation spell-bound for an hour. In the afternoon, at 3 o'clock he preached at St. Stephen's from the text, Eccles. 1-7. "All the rivers run into the sea," addressed principally to the young people: a strikingly impressive address, which was listened to with rapt attention, he drove over to Leeds after Service and preached there in the evening. His visit was very much appreciated by the Incumbent of Inverness and his family, and by the whole Mission.

#### Postscript.

Annual Subscriptions for 1895 have been received from the following:—

Rev. E. King (3), Rev. T. L. Ball (10), Rev. J. B. Delmage (3), Rev. T. W. Fyles (1), Rev. G. G. Nicolls (23), Rev. J. S. Sykes (9), Rev. P. Roe (11), Rev. F. Boyle (4), Rev. J. Hepburn (20), Rev. L. W. Williams (23), Rev. F. Boyle (7), Rev. L. V. Larivière (1), Rev. T. Rudd (12), Rev. A. J. Balfour (15), Rev. A. A. Von Iffland (23), Rev. H. J. Petry (1), Mr. W. H. A. Eckhardt (37), Miss E. Atkinson, New Liverpool (3), Mr. Anderson, Levis (13), Mrs. H. Price, Montmorency (1), Miss Hepburn, Montmorency (1), Mr. Harold McLean, Windsor Mills (10), Mrs. H. Smith, Quebec (1), Miss Austin, Quebec (1), Miss E. Boomer, Quebec (1), Mrs. Staveley, Quebec (1), Mr. W. Corcoran, Quebec (1), Mrs. Sewell, sr., Quebec (1), Mr. Smith, Quebec (1), Miss A. Nowland, Boston (1), Rev. C. B. Washer (8).

We have received a letter from the Rev. R. C. Tams suggesting that we should publish the results of the special offertories throughout the Diocese. We propose next month to print the return of the Epiphany Appeal. The incumbents, who have not yet done so, should send these in at once to the Hon. Treasurer, Geo. Lampson, Esq., Quebec.

All contributions intended for our next issue should reach us on or before March 21st. Matter for the press should be written on one side of the paper only.