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DIocese OF QUEBEC.

PARISH OF QUEBEC.—CONFIRMATION.—The Clergy of Quebec have been for a good many weeks sedulously engaged in the instruction and examination of candidates for Confirmation; and on Sunday afternoon last, the Lord Bishop of the Diocese administered that Apostolic rite, at the close of the usual service, to 224 persons, in the Cathedral Church. The Church was crowded in every part. His Lordship was attended within the rails of the holy table, by the Rev. Official Mackie, D. D., and the Rev. A. W. Mountain, (both being of the number of his Chaplains,) and these gentlemen received the tickets of the candidates. The other Clergy who presented the candidates from the several Chapels of the Parish, as well as the Chaplain to the Forces, were present, in their robes. At the close of the ceremony, the Bishop, as usual, made an exhortatory address to the recipients of the rite, which was substituted for the afternoon sermon. The whole scene was in the highest degree impressive, and of good augury, it may well be hoped, for the spiritual advancement, under the Divine blessing, of the rising body among the Parishioners who thus publicly sealed the engagements of their baptism.

On the Festival of the Circumcision, the Annual Sermon in aid of the funds of the Canada Military Asylum, was preached in the Cathedral by the Lord Bishop, and a collection afterwards made, amounting to £17 3 6. The total amount of collections in the Cathedral, from Advent Sunday, to Sunday last, (both included,) has been £141 17 10.

The Annual Christmas dinner to the children of the National Schools, took place on the 30th December, in the school-rooms, which were decorated with evergreens. Several of the clergy of the parish, members of the school-committees, and other friends of the institution, were present, and assisted in the distribution of a plentiful supply of beef and pudding to 186 boys, and 136 girls. Twenty-eight poor families, comprising 109 individuals, were afterwards relieved. Grace was sung before, and hymns after, dinner, by the girls, in a very pleasing manner, and the children of both schools were dismissed with a blessing, by clergymen present.

The weekday evening service at St. Matthew's Chapel has been resumed for the winter months.

Payments received by the Treasurer of the Church Society. General Fund.

Annual Subscription of M. T.....	£1 5 0
Do. of Lieut. Colonel Streatfeild, R. E.....	2 0 0
Collected by Mrs. Harbeson.....	1 7 0
	£4 12 0

Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

Collection at Compton.....	£1 0 0
Donation of H. S. Scott.....	2 10 0
	£3 10 0

Jubilee Fund, S. P. G.

Collection at Compton.....	£2 10 0
Nicolet.....	3 3 0
Riviere du Loup en haut.....	2 10 0
Trinity Chapel, Quebec.....	4 8 0

Donations, as under, from Quebec:	
His Excellency the Governor General.....	10 0 0

The Lord Bishop of Quebec.....	50 0 0*
The Rev. Official Mackie, D. D.,.....	30 0 0†
The Honorable W. Walker.....	10 0 0
Mrs. James Hunt, D. Burnet, Mrs. Burnet, Mrs. Forry h. W. Rhodes, Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Hamilton, W. Hunt & Co., J. Sealy, W. Price, G. Alford, £5 each.....	55 0 0
Geo. Hall.....	7 10 0‡
Stewart Derbishire.....	4 0 0
Rev. Armine Mountain.....	25 0 0¶
Hon. J. Stewart, Hon. H. Killaly, Chief Justice Bowen, Judge Meredith, R. Wainwright, R. Hamilton, S. Keifer, J. Racey, C. Hoffman, W. F. Wood, J. MacLaren, Mrs. Todd, Mrs. Osborne, Miss George, £2 10 each.....	35 0 0
Mrs. Woodbury.....	2 5 0
Lieut. Colonel Grubbe, Mrs. W. Stevenson, £2 each.....	4 0 0
Lieut. Colonel Hon. R. Bruce, Miss Taylor, Mrs. H. G. Forsyth, Miss Hale § £1 10 each.....	6 0 0
Sir H. J. Caldwell, Bart., Rev. W. Wickes, Rev. R. G. Pless, Dr. G. Douglas, Dr. R. H. Russell, J. Cary, N. Godard, J. Green, W. Valteau, G. G. Ardouin, Misses Campbell, £1 5 each.....	13 15 0
Capt. Caulfield, Mrs. Caulfield, Lieut. Col. Antrabus, E. A. Meredith, C. E. Anderson, E. Fletcher, T. Poston, T. Cary, E. Burroughs, C. J. Stuart, R. Roberts, a friend, R. Symes, G. Stevenson, J. Giles, T. Glover, J. S. Fry, M. G. Mountain, W. Patton, J. Fletcher, Mrs. Gardiner, Mrs. E. Desbarats, Rev. C. Haensel, § \$1 each.....	23 0 0
Mrs. Houghton, 15s., A friend, 7s. 6d., J. Poole, 6s. 1d.....	1 8 7
H. Gowen, Mrs. Bankier, J. McDonogh, A. C. G. Webb, W. H. Griffin, W. H. Ashworth, H. Knight, E. King, J. Holgate, R. Ellis, J. V. E., G. Powell, H. D. Thielcké, W. H. Lee, S. Pope, J. C. E., 10s each.....	8 0 0
C. J. Ardouin, W. Wilson, J. Bethel, Mrs. Dyke, Miss Scott, W. Hughes, F. Hesse, J. Worthington, F. Worthington, T. Houghton, B. Daikers, J. Nash, Mrs. Stott, Sergt. Lindenberg, S. Wright, 5s each.....	3 15 0
Sergt. Mowles, Mrs. Millar, F. Hesse, Jr., J. Jackson, S. Thompson, J. Husband, R. Urquhart, 2s. 6d. each, Sergt. Caulfield, Mrs. Sturrock, 1s. 3d. each, J. Bailey, 7d.....	1 0 7‡
From Bourg Louis, (the names of the contributors will be given in the next No.).....	4 5 0
From H. LeMesurier, Jr., (of which the particulars will be given in the next No.).....	67 2 6
	£373 12 8‡
Previously reported,	71 0 1
Total received to date,	£444 12 9‡

- *. For St. Augustine's Missionary College.
- †. £20 for Trinity College, Toronto, £5 for general purposes, £2 10. for Emigrants' Spiritual Aid Fund, £2 10. for Extension of Episcopate.
- ‡. £5 for Trinity College, Toronto, £2 10. for general purposes.
- §. For extension of Episcopate.
- ¶. For Emigrants' Spiritual Aid Fund.

R. SYMES,
Treasurer, C. S.

Quebec, 7th January, 1852.
N. B.—It is PARTICULARLY REQUESTED that all persons who have not yet paid in their donations, will do so AS SOON AS POSSIBLE either to the Treasurer, or to one of the collectors—and that the amounts collected in the country missions may be remitted at once.

DIocese OF MONTREAL.

The Bishop of Montreal intends, by God's permission, to hold his Visitation in the Cathedral, Montreal, on Wednesday, the 21st day of January inst., at half-past 10 o'clock. After his Lordship has delivered his Charge, the Holy Communion will be administered to the Clergy assembled on