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## PROSPECTUS

OF THE

## Ecclesiastical Gazette.

The Publisher of the "CANADIAN ECCLESIASTICAL GAZETTE" hopes to receive the patronage of the Right Reverend Prelates, the Clergy, Laity, and Church Societies, in the several Dioceses.

His object in issuing it is to enable all those who take an interest in the progress of the Church, annually to collate, in one small volume, all matters which relate thereto.

Issuing it at the low price of 2s. 6d. paid in advance, or 3s. 9d. at the end of the year, he can only venture for the present to publish it monthly. It will give all the Episcopal Notices and Pastorals; the Minutes of the Proceedings of the several Diocesan Societies; the acknowledgments of the various collections made in behalf of the objects embraced in the constitution of such Societies, so that every parish will without difficulty be enabled to refer, at any time, to the amounts contributed by it. All paragraphs of interest to a Churchman, relating to the Church, whether at Home or in the Colonies, will be copied; all changes and preferments noticed; and in the first number will be found a list of the Clergy and their Post Office addresses, in the three Canadian Dioceses. He hoped to have been able to describe the mission as well; but he found that his columns were too limited to admit of this; he therefore considered that the course he has pursued would be the most satisfactory. A limited number of advertisements will be inserted in each issue. As the Gazette will be simply a Record of Ecclesiastical Events, the Publisher trusts that he will receive that general support which he has been led to expect. He will address the first number to all the Clergy of the three Dioceses, and also to a large number of the Laity. Persons not wishing to be considered subscribers will please return this Number to the Publisher, marked with their names and address. The Clergy will confer a favour by acting as agents, or recommending some person in their neighbour-

hood. The agent for Montreal is Mr. L. Kollmyer, Esq.

We are permitted to insert the following letter from the Lord Bishop of Montreal:—

See House, Montreal, Dec. 17, 1853.  
Rev. Sir,

I shall be very glad to find that you can establish a "Church Chronicle" or "Gazette" on the plan you propose, and I will subscribe for four copies myself, and recommend it to the Clergy and others in this Diocese. The Editor of the Canadian Ecclesiastical Gazette having determined to discontinue that publication, we have now nothing of the kind of which we can avail ourselves; and it will be convenient and useful to have such a means of receiving important facts and documents connected with the Church, whether in Canada or elsewhere. If, as I hope may be the case, being furnished at so small a charge, your paper can obtain a tolerable circulation, it will be an acceptable channel through which I may be able to communicate such general notices and circulars, as, from time to time, it may be necessary for me to issue for the information of my Clergy.

I remain,

Rev. Sir,

Your obt' faithful servant,  
R. MORRIS.

## Ecclesiastical Notices.

### DIOCESE OF TORONTO.

We are requested by the Rev. S. S. Strong, D. D., Rural Dean for the County of Carleton, to publish the following list of appointments for meetings of the Church Society in his Deanery:—

Franktown.....	Friday evening	"	20.
Smith's Falls.....	Saturday	"	21.
Perth.....	Sunday	"	22.
do.....	Monday	"	23.
Carleton Place.....	Tuesday	"	24.
Pakenham and Fitzroy, near Hubbell's Mills, Wednesday evening	"	"	25.
Huntly.....	Thursday	"	26.

The Secretary of the Church Society will (D.V.) attend the above meetings.

### GORE AND WELLINGTON BRANCH ASSOCIATION, C. S. D. T.

MANAGING COMMITTEE, 29th November, 1853.

The following arrangement for holding the Parochial meetings was agreed to:—

Tuesday, 7th February.....	ELORA, 11 A.M.
" " " " " " " "	GUELPH, 7 P.M.
Wednesday, 8th " " " " " "	GALT, 7 P.M.
Thursday, 9th " " " " " "	PARIS, 11 P.M.
" " " " " " " "	BRANTFORD, 7 P.M.

Friday, 10th " " " " " "	.....MT. PLEASANT, 11 AM
" " " " " " " "	.....UPPER CANOGA, 7 PM.
Wednesday, 9th March.....	HAMILTON, 7 P.M.

J. GAMBLE GEDDES,

Secretary.

### NEWCASTLE DISTRICT BRANCH OF THE CHURCH SOCIETY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Parochial Meeting of this District Branch of the Church Society will be held as follows, viz:—

Grants, .....	Tuesday Feb. 7	"	11 A.M.
Colborne, .....	Tuesday	"	7 " 6 P.M.
Percy, .....	Wednesday	"	8 " 2 P.M.
Seymour, .....	Thursday	"	9 " 11 A.M.
Rice Lake, .....	Friday	"	10 " 3 P.M.

CONCORD, GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING..... Mar. 8 " 7 P.M.

The Clergy of the neighbouring Districts are respectfully requested to co-operate in attending these meetings.

By order of the Committee,

J. WILSON,

Secretary.

Grafton, Dec. 20; 1853.

### SIMCOE RURAL DEANERY PAROCHIAL BRANCH ASSOCIATION.

Barrie.....	Monday, January 23,	7 P.M.
Peneanguishinco, .....	Wednesday,	25, 10 A.M.
Orillia, .....	Thursday,	26, 2 P.M.
Cookstown, .....	Tuesday	31, 6 P.M.
Bradford, .....	Wednesday, Feb. 1,	6 P.M.
Trin. Ch. Tecumsoth, .....	Thursday, Feb. 2,	2 P.M.
St. John's Ch. Mono, .....	Wednesday,	8, 3 P.M.
St. Luke's Ch. Mulmur, .....	Thursday,	9, 11 A.M.

(Signed)

T. S. OSLER.

### DIOCESE OF MONTREAL.

It is the intention of the Lord Bishop of MONTREAL to hold a General Ordination in the Cathedral Church on the second Sunday in Lent.

His Lordship also purposes holding Confirmations for the missions of Vaudreuil, St. Andrews, Grenville, Buckingham, Aylmer, and Clarendon early in the ensuing summer; due notice will be given to the different Clergy of the particular time.

The Rev. W. Morris has just been appointed by the Bishop to the mission of Buckingham, vacant by the resignation of the Rev. R. L. Stevenson; and the Rev. F. Wilson succeeds Mr. Morris in the temporary charge of Huntington.

The Rev. A. Allan has also been appointed to the mission of Berthier, vacant by the resignation of the Rev. W. Guerout,