

## Wedding at Quebec.

On S. Barnabas' Day, Thursday, June 11th, there was celebrated at the Cathedral, Quebec, the marriage of the Rev. A. G. Hamilton Dicker, Rector of S. Paul's Church, S. John, N. B., and Miss Helen Alice Dunn, elder daughter of the Bishop of Quebec. The hour fixed for the occasion was 9 a.m., and it embraced besides the Marriage Service a special Choral Celebration of the Holy Communion.

The Bishop was himself the Officiant and Celebrant, assisted by the Very Rev. Dean Norman, the Venerable Archdeacon Roe and the Rev. Lennox Williams, and he was attended by the Rev. Professor Parrock, who acted as Chaplain. The other Clergy present in surplices were the Revs. Canon Von Iffland and Canon Thorneloe, H. J. Petry, A. J. Balfour, I. M. Thompson, T. Fyles, G. F. Hibbard, and there was also a large supplied choir of men and boys.

The Bride was given away by her brother, the Rev. E. A. Dunn, and was attended by her sister Miss M. C. Dunn, and the Misses Vera and Jessie Hamilton, and Miss Mary Williams, who acted as Bridesmaids, while Mr. W. H. Thorne, of St. John, N. B., supported the Bridegroom as Best Man, and Messrs. Ernest, George and Harold Dunn, Walter Champion and H. Richardson Goodday were the Ushers. The Cathedral was beautifully decorated with Palms and other plants, kindly lent by R. R. Dobeli, Esq., M. P., and behind the Altar there were four vases of flowers and a floral Cross.

Merbecke's well known setting of the Holy Communion Service to the ancient music of the Church was grandly rendered by the Choir under the direction of Mr. E. A. Bishop, and the whole had a most solemn effect upon the entire Congregation, which was very large. While the Registers were being signed in the Vestry,

the Ladies and Gentlemen of the choir sang Bradley's beautiful Anthem "Seek ye the Lord," and then the Bridal party passed immediately down the Church to the inspiring strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March.

Each of the Bridesmaids had a red-rubric Prayer and Hymn Book, with gilt edges bound in white ivoryine with vellum back, the gift of the Bridegroom, who also gave a small Prayer Book in white ivoryine binding to each of the twenty Choir boys.

The three little Bridesmaids carried Shepherdesses' crooks, to which were tied bunches of pink and white carnations and Miss M. C. Dunn had a lovely bouquet of pink roses and white carnations, given to her by Mr. W. H. Thorne, the Best Man.

After the Service there was a Wedding Breakfast at Bishopsthorpe, and a little later a very extensive Reception and an inspection of the numerous and most handsome presents.

The Bride and Groom left Quebec amid the good wishes of their friends, by the 2 o'clock P.M. Q. C. R. train for the White Mountains, New Hampshire, U. S. A., whence they will return via Boston to their new home, St. John, N. B.

## A Consecration at Mount Hermon Cemetery.

Many of our Quebec readers will be aware that only the old ground, as it is called, at the Mount Hermon Cemetery, has been consecrated and that the extension of this beautiful "Resting Place" for our beloved departed or, in other words, the lower portion of the Cemetery overlooking the S. Lawrence, has never been solemnly set apart for its sacred purpose.

But, by the special desire of their owners, certain Burial Lots have been from time to time specially consecrated. The Lot *e.g.* in which the late revered Bishop Williams was laid to his rest was consecrated by his friend the Bishop of Niagara (now Bishop of Ottawa), and there are other instances.