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THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1883.

REMOVAL.

of Post Office.

THE Curators of Edinburgh University have

filled up the Greek Chair, vacant by the resignation of Professor Blackie. nearly \$10,000 a year; and there were twelve candidates, most of them of the first class. rators, with great liberality of feeling, passed over an evidence of this weakness of the pulpit. all Scotchmen and selected Mr. S. H. Butcher, Prelector of University College, Oxford, who matriculated in 1869, and must be less than thirtyenthusiasm for the work.

The DOMINION CHURCHMAN is Two Dollars a for school purposes £27,000,000 under voluntary a consciously had placed in the hands of his puauspices. by two eminent public men-Mr. Bright and Mr. Gladstone-whose anticipations of the beneficial tized at all! ffect that the disestablishment would have upon

The "Dominion Churchman" is the organ of Ireland and the Irish people, have been flagrantly falsified, as may be seen by the disastrous results which followed the disestablishment of the Irish the country, but a part so vital, entering into the entire life of the country, that the severing of the two would leave nothing behind but a bleeding, lacerated mass. Take the Church out of the history of England and the history of England becomes a chaos without order, without life, and without meaning." No words could be more accurate or graphic.

> The struggle of the radical sectarians of England to break up the Church and rob her of her property, is one of the most wickedly fraudulent conspiracies ever planned. The property of the Church came to her almost wholly from private Atheists have gifts, no property is more sacred. just as much right to the property of the Congregationalists and Baptists as they have to that of the Church. Yet, forsooth, we are told to entertain towards those who are seeking to despoil our mother Church of England of her goods, no feelings but those of complacency and friendship!

We over and over again foretold that the rob-The DOMINION CHURCHMAN has removed bery of the Irish Church would bring about an atinto larger and more commodious offices, No. 11 tack upon all property, that disestablishment crisis demands that this spreading philosophy of Imperial Buildings, Adelaide Street East, west would teach the people how to get possession by infidelity be at once counteracted by what St. Paul clamour of their neighbour's goods. Why Churchmen in Canada are to sympathize with organized other words, the urgent necessity of the Church bodies who are at one with those who are agitating seems to be a body of apologists. But to be an able to rob the Church at home, is a mystery.

At a breakfast of the friends of the Tract Soci-The Chair is ety, Toronto, Dr. Wilson, of University College. the best of Edinburgh appointments, yielding spoke of the Press as the most powerful agency of modern times in influencing the mind, beyond The Cu. even the pulpit. Dr. Wilson's own speech affords He has been preached at from a Church of England pulpit for many years, therefore, of course, has been taught the doctrines and principles of the five, but who is a singularly brilliant scholar, and Church. But for all that he avows the completest is guaranteed by the Bishop of Durham as full of approval of the Tract Society whose publications are largely antagonistic to the teaching of the shallow, platitudinous. Complaints of their lack of Church, as is evidenced by their conveying ideas and notions intended to bring one Sacrament into utter contempt, and to make the other of little moment, a mere barren, mechanical ceremony. But the general question is not affected by one unfortunate example. The power of the press is exercised in spheres wholly outside those within acquaintance with heresies of the early Church, range of the pulpit, and the power of the pulpit which are now, it appears, reasserting themselves. works in a sphere beyond the press. Hence a comparison of their respective powers is not a very scientific operation, it is indeed mere fancy. There is this also disturbing element on one side, the press is a terrible agent of evil, the greatest on earth. Who shall weigh then the good it does and the evil, and strike a balance? That only God can do, but any man can see that it is a very doubtful problem. The pulpit is a Divinely ordained power, with all its faults and ... foolishness" and unfaithfulness. To put God's ordained means of good against man's very mixed agency of evil and good is not only not scientific-it is somewhat wanting in reverence.

Two prophecies made a few years age pis books ridiculing Baptism and teaching that members of the Church of England are not bap-

> A correspondent of the Guardian writes; Surely ust now the pressing need of the Church is not mere zealous preachers and fluent declaimers with little or moderate learning, but rather earnest men who are able to write well and to teach well, and at times (out of fulness of their stored knowledge) to preach well, in defence of the faith. Special evangelists are good in their proper place and at their proper time. They are good to strengthen the outposts; but now it is not the outline suburbs, but the very citadel of Christianity that is menaced. An infidel literature of high culture is in circulation in London and in our large towns. These dangerous publications-many of them suited to the higher classes, some to the lower-have for some time been examined by me. They present a a sort of pseudo Christianity in disguise, or Christianity itself in caricature. They enlarge upon such topics as " theosophy " or " occultism " or Budd. hism revived. They reproduce certain features of the Gnostic heresy. This kind of literature is calculated to catch the higher classes, and it does, both in London and in the north—e.g., in the Newcastle Daily Journal of last week, the leading article concludes (I quote from memory):----"The Salvation Army is making as many infidels from the lower classes as philosophical scepicism is from the higher." We are living in a crisis, and the (1 Cor ii.) calls the philosophy of Christianity. In apologist requires learning and constant reading, and much reading asks for much leisure; and, it may be asked, in what department of the Church is this necessary leisure, with maintenance, to be found ready to hand but in our decanal and capitular bodies? The best way to encounter this heretical literature is, I suggest, a lucid and even somewhat deep exposition of the cardinal doctrines of our Creeds. These leading doctrines are not too often taken for granted or merely glanced at in sermons. In fact, the sermons of the present day are, many of them, vague in their teaching.

Scotchmen have too much common sense to put an inferior man in such a post because of his being a Scotchman, as a certain school in Canada contend is the right course. These new lights argue that to teach classics, mathematics, or science, the grand, essential, all-atoning requisite is that the teacher be born in Canada. They wish to convert the Dominion into a second China, and forbid those outside barbarians, the English, Scotch, and Irish to compete with them for professorships, and so forth. Such notions are a few centuries behind the age. The people of Canada are not so stupid as to shut out any educational force likely to enrich the intellectual life of their country because it comes, like they themselves, from the old world.

In speaking of the sects it is usual to speak of them as "voluntary" churches, to distinguish them from the Church of England, which it is implied is not "voluntary." The truth is that the Church is one of the most wonderful instances of the power of the voluntary principle that could possibly be found. A Parliamentary return, made at the instance of the late Lord Hampton, shows that be tween the years 1840 and 1875 there was raised for church-building purposes in the country by voluntary subscriptions the sum of £25,000,000. return only takes account of sums exceeding £500.

It is very advisable for our people especially Sunday-school superintendents and teachers to avoid using in any way the publications of the In point of fact that understates the case, for the Tract Society. Only recently several of them were given as prizes in a Church school and the The principle involved in the return did not stand parents returned them to the donor. a Sundayalone. Between 1811 and 1874 the Church raised school teacher, who was shocked to find that he so proper as our deaueries and canonries?

colour and character appear in the newspapers. If in every decanal and capitular body four out of six Canons, plus one Dean, were in future appointed for sound judgement and intution, as erudition, in theology and scholarship, we should have in All of which exposes how weak has been the in- time a company of more than 200 (not too many for fluence of one pulpit as a Church teaching force. this restless age) able apologists, with leisure to store knowledge, ever adding to a critical or scholarly science of the Greek Testament a thorough No doubt, the growing circulation of insidious anti-Christian literature loudly calls for highly educated teachers, who can present to educated men, in a clear and intelligible manner, the more abstruse doctrines, such has the Incarnation, Resurrection, the workings in the world and in the Church of the logos asarkos and asarkos, &c., for these are points constantly assailed. As to the uneducated masses themselves, also exposed to the infection of a baleful literature, the institution of special evangelists would meet their case, just as that of special apologists would satisfy the requirements of the more cultivated classes. These Home Missioners should be younger men, but well trained in theology. For such a staff of evaugelists a special fund might be created, when required. In the meantime the

pressing necessity of the Church in the present crisis seems to be not so such a body of fervent and fluent preachers as schools of learned apologists, and for these schools of apologists what places era 52

of love, let us eachew all needless expressions which may give offence; above all let us remember that the grand object which we have in view is the discovery of the "Low." The meetings held in the parishes of the wisest methods of work, the strengthening of peace, the firmer cohesion of the members of the Body. By shis course our very differences will serve to bring out more clearly the unity of our faith, and our diversities of thought will be at once a safeguard and protest against any narrowing of the limits which define the membership of our branch of the Catholic Church.-BISHUP MACLAGAN.

PARTY TESTS.

N our initial article under caption "Greeting," of Nov. 2nd last, we expressed a judgment that certain causes of difference amongst us arose "from the imperfect understanding of convictions which, if fully revealed, would be found to be mutually held and cherished." A striking illustration of this has been afforded in the controversy between a certain Rector and his Warden, of which so much has been recently said in the secular press.

After reading very carefully through the very tedious version of this dispute compiled and published by the lay contestant, we arrive at one fact which is manifestly the key to the whole controversy, the pivot point upon which the dispute turns, the mustard seed out of which has grown a tree in which the birds of suspicion and party rancour have made their unclean nests.

This point is thus set forth, as a formal indictment of his pastor, in the words of the belliger ent warden; "Instead of making the evening service of the character of a prayer meeting, he has taken it up into the church to make it nothing more or less than a full evening service." This is given as proof positive of an abandonment of Evangelical and the adoption of High Church views. That he was not alone in considering a prayer meeting a party test practice we discover from the following statement in the same report "On another occasion during a Wednesday evening meeting, which consisted of a simple address and extempore prayers, Mr. LANGTRY was present, and after it was over alluding to Mr. L's presence, the Rector said that the High Churchmen would be adopting their methods and awakening to the necessity of changing the character of their work. Thus both Rector and Warden seem to be at one in regarding a prayer meeting as a party test, as indeed one of the "signs," or "marks," or notes," or specialties of an Evangelical. If we were to affirm that one sign, or mark, or specialty of the Church of Rome is her denial of Transubstantiation, or her objection to any reverent exaltation of the VIRGIN MARY, it would be parallel with a statement that the holding of a par ish prayer meeting is a sign or mark of the Evangelical party. It was never our lot to have much practical knowledge of many such meetings, but at several in various parts of England we have been present. We know, too, very intimately in deed the judgment formed of their value and desirableness by several distinguished Evangelical clergy. We heard, some twenty years ago, the topic fully debated in a private conference of clergy and laity called especially to discuss the question of irregular evangelistic agencies, in which several of the speakers were very pronounced men of opposite schools. We also heard the matter discussed at a ruri-decanal conference, in which we took occasion to state our own views. Now from this experience of practice and opinion we affirm, 1st, That the extreme "High" men hold prayer meet-

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"Let us speak not in a spirit of defiance, but in a spiri not; and, 2nd, that naturally the "High" men are more in favour of holding such meetings than the sainted RICHARD TWIGG, late of Wednesbury. who was very " High," and those we saw conducted by the Rev. GEORGE BODY, one of the ultra-Ritualists, nearly twenty years ago, are a com plete answer to this question so far as practice is concerned. Those meetings were conducted precisely in the same manner as the Wesleyan prayer meetings. No form of prayer was used, no clergy man who attended was vested or conducted; lay men here and there in the room were asked to pray without any plan or fixed rule. These meetings were crowded by parishioners, most of whom had been at morning and evening service where the most advanced ritual were seen and heard. Some who attended came direct from a Methodist service, and these Church prayer meetings established by the celebrated GEORGE BODY, one of the leaders of the Ritualists, who is at the same time one of the most powerful, most successful evangelists in the modern Church, helped much to destroy Methodism in the parish. We knew of similar meetings in other parishes also started and organized by Ritualists or men of very "High" views on doctrine and ritual.

> Of course a negative is less easy of proof, but we know from personal hearing and observation that the late Dr. MILLAR, a leading Evangelical. strongly advised against such meetings, and at the private ruri-decanal conferences above alluded to. the Evangelical clergy were unanimous in ques tioning their utility, their objections being upheld generally by men of all varieties of party hue, with the exception only of a few young clergy of the most advanced Ritualist school. As further evi dence of the relation of the Evangelical clergy to such meetings, we may name that a number or them petitioned the late Bishop of LICHFIELD to place restrictions upon the Revs. R. Twigg and GEORGE BODY in the matter of irregular services and the good old Bishop sent this curt reply: "I would to God that every clergyman in my diocese were a RICHARD Twigg."

The spectacle of an Evangelical layman vehemently calling upon all good Protestants to condemn his pastor because that pastor changed prayer meeting in a school into Divine Service in the church would be highly ludicrous if it did not relate to so serious a matter. The pastor in this case was simply receding from the most advanced line of the Ritualists, who are fond of inventing new forms of devotional exercises, and falling back to the safe position of Evangelical prudence and the conservatism of that experience which teaches all the schools, and in the log run controls all the parties. We do not propose now to touch the question as to the wisdom or unwisdom of holding such meetings. We simply beg partizan Churchmen to consider well the above typical case as a warn ing to beware of setting up these miserably narow, and as we have shown, most deceptive tests of orthodoxy. The feet of the Churchmen are set in a large room. He is unworthy the liberty granted by the Church who, because confinement is more agreeable to him than space and air, worries himself into the heat of controversy in order to bind his brethren in some party closet.

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TRINITY COLLEGE.

SUPPLEMENTAL ENDOWMENT FUND.

"HAT the authorities of Trinity College, Tor. onto, are not slumbering is evident from the recent action of the Board regarding the supplement. tal endowment fund. The aim of the Corporation is to raise \$200,000 in order to complete the quad. rangle, endow additional chairs and build a suitable chapel; of this amount \$44,000 have been already subscribed, and an agent has now been appointed to make a vigorous canvass and raise the balance as speedily as possible. The Rev. Reginald H. Starr, M.A., B.D., of Kincardine, has been appointed to the work and will enter upon his duties the first of February. The everend gentleman has resigned his parish at Kincardine and will reside at Toronto during the prosecution of the canvass. We heartily wish him Godspeed and bespeak for him the cordial support and active co-operation of the clergy and laity of the Church in his laudable endeavours to place the College in such a firm financial basis as will unable it to do the broad and comprehension work of higher and Christian education intrusted to its care.

JACK AND HIS MASTER.

COMMUNICATED.

 \top PON the strength of the very absurd assumption that "Jack is as good as his master." and in the vain endeavour to assert their social equality, a certain class of people in Canada contrive to render themselves most rude and offensive to others. They are constantly thrusting forward their imaginary claim to gentility; which, of course, is ridiculed by all well informed persons, though few care to resent or dispute it.

Some servant-men, and women, young clerks, etc., seem to consider it their bounden duty to be as rude, and concede as little respect as the tenure of their situation renders possible, to their employers; and to all who are in any way by birth, station or education their superiors.

Leaving the claim of birth entirely out of the question, for in a country where, in so many cases, the children of all classes are so much thrown together, and educated at the same public schools, it would be a difficult matter to establish it, surely to position some respect is due.

The master, no matter in what station of life who is in a position to employ "Jack," is entitled to a certain amount of deference from him.

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The Bishop of Bangor has been indefatigable in his personal labours amongst the fever-stricken inhabitants of his cathedral city. The fever tents have been erected in the Palace grounds, and Miss Campbell has ings in their parishes, and that the "Low" men do devouting herself to the work of nursing.

We are not yet Republicans in Canada, and, therefore, cannot claim social equality on that ground; but under any form of government there must and will always be, well defined differences in rank and position in society. It is true that the word "gentleman" no longer applies exclusively to one who is entitled to armorial bearings, we read, not so very long ago, in a Toronto paper, that a gentleman desired a position as groom), but is used somewhat indiscriminately. Generally, however, with reference to those who employ labor in some shape; and who are on that account, entitled to at least a show of respect. A little polite concession, on the part of the inferior to the superior, of the younger to the elder, is pleasant to see, and it does make matters so much more agreeable to both parties concerned.

People, nowadays, seem very much disposed to ignore altogether, that portion of Holy Writ which teaches us to render to every man his due. "Fear to whom fear, honour to whom honour;" but if the children of the Church were more carefully instructed in that portion of their "duty towards their neighbour" which treats upon this subject, good and pleasant results might be attained. As a little leaven leavens the whole lump, so, in time, might the example of properly instructed Churchmen and women have a most beneficial effect upon the community at large.

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it; it would indeed be out of place in a country like on account of their geographical position, been ours, where so many facilities are offered to the brought into contract with those agencies which and respect which they may themselves, some day Church, the tactics it was incumbent on him to be in a position to exact, or at least to expect.

thing. The children at our public schools are indeed taught to read; but how few of them are taught what to read. They devour the sensational trash, published at low and tempting prices, which renders them dissatisfied with their position in life, (especially in the case of domestic servants), in stead of learning to elevate their position by their education. Thus, it is quite a common thing for the sons of well to-do farmers, to throw aside their opportunities of gaining a com fortable livelihoodon the farm, for a clerkship in a store, simply, forsooth, because it is gentlemanly. O tempora ! O mores / As if measuring tape, or weighing sugar, could possibly be a more honourable employment than cultivativating their own land. But this is a subject for agricultural journals.

What I would suggest to Churchmen, through your columns, is that our children, at least, should learn to be content with the station in which they are placed, (that is, of course, if they are not naturally qualified to raise themselves), to recognize the indisputable fact that they have betters, as indeed we all have, and to "order themselves" according to the good old rule laid down in the Church catechism. And above all, let them be taught that it is simply a mark of rowdyism, and NOT of manly independence, to be offensively rude to those who occupy a higher social position than their own.-SIGMA.

BISHOP OF TRURO.

S many amongst the readers of the DOMINION CHURCHMAN are anxious to learn what they can regarding the Bishop of Truro, who has been selected, at a comparatively early age, to be Archbishop of Canterbury, I copy from the London Standard, sent me by a friend, the following remarks regarding him.

T. B. NIAGARA.

Bishophurst, Hamilton, 6th January, 1883.

"The considerations which have weighed with the Sovereign and Her Prime Minister, in the selection of Dr. Benson, as successor of the late Dr. the Catholic Apostolic Church of England. Tait, have not and ought not to have been rigidly ecclesiastical or exclusively theological. The functions of the chief officer of the English Church are administrative, in the first place, and his responsibilities are national, not sectarian. Dr. Benson answers both of these conditions. He has given proof of high administrative capacity. He has shewn consistency in circumstances which have often been extremely difficult-judgment, moderation and rare good sense. He has combined dise cetion with zeal, and has uniformly recognized the point at which energy passed into officiousness. The office to which Dr. Benson was promoted five years ago, viz., to the new Bishopric of Truro, afforded an opportunity for the display of gifts of a very unusual character. Cornwall, had been for a century and a half one of the chief strongholds of English non-conformity. There is no portion of the United Kingdom where Wesley preached has been transmitted with such vividness through so many generations. . . . The spirit of nonconformity has been more powerful in the most westerley county of England than in the midland counties, because it has been more remote, because Synod, as well as members of the Church generally, the great highways of national industry and traffic be invited to aid in the work of the said Society. have not run through it. . . . The situation

lowest in rank to raise themselves, by superior are calculated to develop the best and wisest pas abilities or honest industry, to the highest and toral and parochial efforts. Dr. Benson, in fact most honourable positions, and for this very rea- found that his diocese called for vigorous activity son, if for none other, the children should be in every part. On the other hand, he saw that if taught cheerfully to concede to others that civility Cornish non-conformity was to be won over to the

adopt were those of caution and conciliation. The A little learning is proverbially a dangerous Primate elect may claim the distinction of having exactly comprehended the facts of the situation The record of his administration of the diccese o Truro, may be summed up in a few words. He inspired a fresh spirit of activity into his clergy, he lid not alienate, directly or indirectly, a single disputer. The result is, that whereas the Church in 'ornwall was weak and distressed six years ago, it is now strong and popular. The Church of England has a hold upon the people of Cornwall at the present time that she never possessed before. This fact constitutes sufficient proof that Dr. Benson is endowed with this prime attribute, which should belong to the Primate of all England."

Home & Foreign Church News.

From our own Correspondents.

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NEW BRUNSWICK.

ST. JOHNS.-A peal of bells, from Trinity College. lately arrived at St. Johns. The aggregate weight of the bells is 10,340 lbs. They were made by Mears & Stamback, London, and bear the insription In Memoriam; the Loyalists of 1783. The hours half and quarter hours, will be struck, with clock work for motive power, with probably hymns at noon and other hours of the day.

QUEBEC.

THE MEETING OF THE SYNOD --- (CONTINUED).

The chief resolutions discussed and adopted, were the following :-

Moved by Rev. Charles Hamilton, seconded by Rev. Dr. Lobley-That a Committee of Synod be appointed to correspond with the "Anglo Continental Society," and to take such steps as may seem to them most judicious and practical for circulating that infor mation which this Society aims at disseminating concerning the Reformation of the Church of England, and the principles upon which she acted in denying the supremacy of the Popes of Rome, while she continued to be what she had been from the beginning,

Moved by Rev. Kobert Ker, seconded by Rev. Chas.

with the said Society's circular, placed in the hands of the clergy of the United Kingdom for distribution in their parishes.

That the Lord Bishop be asked further to recommend that the clergymen of the United Kingdom grant letters to emigrants from their parishes, add. ressed to the officers of the said Society or to any of the clergy of the Eastern townships, recommending such emigrants to their care, and inviting them to aid them by their local experience in the selection of farms, and as to the price of land in their several listricts. Such letters should, as far as possible, be not mere formal letters, but should indicate the circumstances and wants of each emigrant.

Then followed reports of the Corporation of Compton Ladies' College, read by Rev. Dr. Roe, and of the Principal, Rev. J. Dinsey, read by himself.

The chief speakers during the morning were Rev. C. Hamilton, Dr. Roe, Dr. Lobley, Isaac Brock, Ernest King, J. Debbage, A. Von Iffland, T. Chapman, G. V. Housman, Mr. Morris, and Dr. Heneker.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Mr. Charnock, seconded by Dr. Heneker, moved and carried a motion with a view to holding the Harvest Thanksgiving festival in September or the beginning of October.

Moved by Rev. Principal Lobley, seconded by Rev. C. Hamilton, "That the Lord Bishop of the Diocese be requested to direct that every clergyman having care of souls within the diocese, shall make one annual collection in each of his congregations for the next three years, in aid of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the Diocese of Algoma."-Carried.

A memorial was presented from the Rural Deanery of Gaspe on the subject of endowments, when it was moved by Mr. M. M. Fothergill, seconded by Mr. W. G. Wurtele, "That Cannon xill be ammended by adding after the word proviso the words 'or missionaries in charge of missions whose endowment funds shall nave been begun during their incumbency and shall have reached the sum which yields \$250 per annum interest.' "-Carried.

Moved by D. Heneker, seconded by Rev. Dr. Roe, "That the members of the Synod desire to express their deep regret at the absence, for the first time from the sessions of the Synod of Mr. H. S. Scott, and their heartfelt sympathy with him in his illness which has kept him from being among us; and their desire to assure Mr. Scott of their prayers that he may soon be restored to his former health and that a copy of this resolution be sent to Mr. Scott."-Carried unanimously.

The Rev. Principal Lobley, seconded by Dr. Heneker, introduced a motion on the subject of selecting candidates for the Sacred Ministry to be trained at the University of Bishop's College. After discussion, the motion was carried unanimously.

The following clergymen were elected delegates to the Provincial Synod :- Revs. C. Hamilton, Principal Lobley, M. M. Fothergill, G. V. Housman, A. A. Von Iffland, F. J. B. Allnott, I. Brock, A. C. Scarth, J. Foster, Dr. Roe, C. W. Rawson, Dr. Reid.

The following were the Lay delegates to the Provincial Synod :- Messrs. R. Hamilton, R. W. Heneker, J. Dunbar, H. S. Scott, J. B. Forsyth, the Hon. G. Irvine, G. J. Hemming, Hon. H. G. Joly, W. H. Car-

Hamilton-That a Committee of this Synod be appointed to take such steps as may be deemed neces sary to counteract as far as possible the widespread infidelity and rationalism and to furnish our people with literature dealing with doubts and peculiar to our times, and tending to build up our people in the principles of our Church.

EASTERN TOWNSHIPS COLONIZATION SOCIETY.

The Committee on the Eastern Townships Coloni

They have made a careful examination of the con stitution of the said Society, and of the circular prepared by the said Society for issue. They find that the Department of Agriculture of the Dominion have undertaken to publish this circular as an appen dix to their pamphlet on the Eastern Townships and that the project of the Society has been approved by the Quebec Government. The Committee are of opinion that the objects aimed at by the Society being such as are likely to benefit the Church in this Diocese more vigorously, or in which his personal influence by the settlement of Church families from the Synod.

Therefore the Committee recommend as follows :-1. That the Synod do approve of the action of the said Society, and that individual members of the ly in the Bishop."

2. That the Lord Bishop be respectfully requested with which Dr. Benson had to deal, on his consecra- on behalf of the Synod to make known the object of lost.

ter, Col. Ready C. Judge, and L. E. Morris The Synod then adjourned.

THIRD DAY.

The Synod reassembled at ten o'clock. After the routine business the Rev. Dr. Roe sub-

mitted the report of the Compton Ladies' College.

This institution has been steadily gaining ground during the past few years.

The following were declared elected as clerical substitutes to Provincial Synod :- Revs. H. J. Petry, G. H. Parker, G. Richardson, I. Thompson, J. H. Jenkins and A. J. Balfour, together with Messrs. F. A. Andrews, H. J. Pratton, Walton Smith, James Patton, R. Campbell and Geo. Lampson as lay substitutes.

The Treasurer's report was adopted.

Rev. C. Hamilton, seconded by Rev. Principal Lobley, moved to amend Canon XIV by inserting an additional section after section 11,-as follows : "Provided that it shall be lawful for the Bishop, when he shall have nominated five clergymen, to notify the Board of Concurrence that he does not propose to United Kingdom, are worthy of encouragement by the submit any additional names, and the appointment if not made within three months from the date of this notification by the Board of Concurrence from among the five names submitted shall vest absolute-

> An amendment was offered by Mr. Morris, giving the right of nomination to the vestry.

Both the amendment and the original motion were

with which Dr. Benson had to deal, on his consecre-tion as Bishop of Truro, required great tact and the Society, the great Missionary Societies of the Church and the Society for the Promotion of Christ-moved and carried a committee composed of the Lord firmness. The Cornish clergy, though by no ian Knowledge, arging on them the desirability of Bishop, Rev. M. M. Fothergill, and Captain Carter, means deficient in many of the qualities that the using their best endeavours to have the Dominion who shall revise the present forms of reports on Church rigidly values in her ministers, had not, Government pamphlet on the Eastern Townships, Church statistics.

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appropriated.-Carried.

Lobley-That a committee be appointed to report in the W. and O. fund of Algoma. the form of a canon, some satisfactory plan for securing the regular and prompt repair of all parsonages. defining the authority by whom such repairs shall be ordered, and the parties, whether the clergyman. or congregation, or both, at whose expense they shall be

made. Carried. The Lord Bishop named the following committee Dr. Heneker (convener), Rev. J. Foster, Rev. H. J Petry, Mr. Morris, Rev. G. Thorneloe.

On motion of Rev. Messrs. Foster and Brock a vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Patton for his valuable services as Honorary Lay Secretary.

Moved by Rev. J. B. Debbage, seconded by Mr. Ross-That the thanks of the Synod be tendered to Mr. E. A Jones for his kind and gratuitous services as Treasurer.-Carried.

Moved by Rev. J. Thorneloe, seconded by Mr Carl Sewell-That the thanks of the Synod be tendered to the Grand Trunk, Intercolonial, Quebec Central and North Shore Railroads for reduction in fares granted to the members of the Synod.-Carried.

Moved by Rev. T. L. Ball, seconded by Mr. Allen-That the warmest thanks of the country clergy and lay delegates are hereby tendered to the citizens of Quebec for their bospitality and kindness during the session of the Diocesan Synod.-Carried.

Moved by Dr. Heneker, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Lobley-That the thanks of this Synod are hereby tendered to the Lord Bishop for his able and impar tial conduct in presiding over their deliberations. Carried, Synod standing.

The Bishop then pronounced the benediction and declared the Synod closed.

The Cathedral .- The Right Rev. Dr. Sullivan, Lord

Moved by Rev. C. Hamilton, seconded by Dr. forth in the prophecies contained in the 24th chapter of more importance they had no widows and orphane

DIOCESAN CHURCH SOCIETY. - The anniversary meeting of the Quebec Diocesan Church Society was held in the Music Hall. There was quite a large atten dance, notwithstanding the severity of the weather. The chair was taken by the Bishop of Quebec.

The Bishop of Algoma, on coming forward, was received with applause, and we regret that pressnre upon our space prevents us from doing more than giving a summary of a very interesting and eloquent address. He said it was not by any means a matter of form, but a sincere feeling of thanks to the Bishop and clergy of Quebec, of presenting to them a cause very dear to his heart and the peculiar circumstances under which the call was presented to him, where the

cause was good and the audience sympathetic. It was owing to imperfect advocacy if the cause did not commend itself to those present, and he had abundant evidence since he came to Quebec of the great interest evinced in the work of the missionary diocese of Algoma. It was necessary that he should go back

some time if he would give them an intelligent account of the work in the diocese to which he had been called some five or six months ago. He was free to confess that some time since he, like others, had thought that setting apart the missionary diocese of Algoma the Church of England had made a mistake, had reason to change his mind very completely, and he believed that the Church of Canada had acted wisely in the course she had pursued. His Lordship then proceeded to draw a distinction between Algoma and Manitoba, and to point out that they had no connection with each other, and he would like to have

churchmen and churchwomen to understand that there was no prospect of Algoma ever being anything Bishop of Algoma, preached from the text, "First but a missionary diocese. If he was asked would he the blade, then the ear, then the full grain in the change this state of things, he said that when he look ear." In a very elequent and beautifully thought out ed upon the dark side he said he would, but when ripening of the golden grain, and employed the famil- working for an object that was far removed from a below the standard and it seemes a pity that iar process to illustrate the gradual springing up, sort of sanctified selfishness which made our own growth and development of Christian life and grace Church or congregation. Their work naturally diviwithin the heart of man. He thus pointed out the ded itself into two parts : that carried on among the rarity of so-called sudden conversions, showing that whites and that which has reference to the Indians. as a general rule the work of religious awakening is gradual and follows the usual order of nature. He of learning the Indian tongue; it took generally three ness and the anxiety of her many friends has been pointed out that even in the case of St. Paul, which years in acquiring the language, but he (the Bishop of

Marsden-To amend Canon XII by inserting the fol- of St. Matthew's Gospel seemed to refer to the des fund, and if one of their missionaries died, they had lowing clause after clause 6.—The Churchwardens truction of Jerusalem, and on to the final Epiphany not sufficient to lury him, much less to make provishall keep a Parish book of record, in which shall be at the end of the world. There are those who now, sion for their widows and orphans. He next spoke snall keep a Parish book of record, in which shall be at the end of the world. There were a sufficient abstract of all titles and deeds by as then, are sceptical and say, "When and where is of the need that existed for a better means of locome, which the lands of the Church, whether site of the day of His coming?" But we need not doubt but tion than existed at the present; they had no railways church, burial ground, glebe, or endowment are held. the day of His final appearance will come. All the in Algoma, and such steam communication as existed showing their date, the names of the donors; situal prophets are voices of the coming. The right rev. was most irregular. He wished to obtain a steam tion, quantity, conditions of trust or gift, when and preacher dwelt very beautifully upon this imagery of tug or whatever they wished to call it : something where registered, and any other information of im the second Epiphany, when Christ shall come as a about fifty feet long, ten feet wide, and drawing portance to the understanding of the same. - Carried. Conqueror for the final separation of the good servant about three or four feet of water and carrying a crew Moved by Rev. C. Hamilton, seconded by Rev. R. Kerr—That this Synod strongly recommends that in all cases where it is practicable the seats in churches hereafter built in this diocese should be free and un come." We are each to be satisfied with our appoint. "more blessed to give than to receive." Men did not ed lot, and to do our duty in that state of life in think so, and yet it was sound philosophy and the Moved by Rev. C. Hamilton, seconded by Rev. Dr. which we are placed. The offertory was devoted to history of the world testified that all men who lived in every department were those who had given their powers for the benefits of mankind; the principle was sound, and was not only good in itself but Christ. like in every way.

The Rev. J. Foster, M.A., then gave an interesting and instructive address on the subject of foreign missions

On motion of Hon. H. G. Joly, seconded by Dr. Marsden, a vote of thanks was given to Bishop of Algoma and Mr. Foster for the valuables addresses they had made. The Bishop closed the meeting by bene diction.

MONTREAL.

There are ten vacancies in the Diocese. This is such a common thing now, that it does not call forth much surprise. But it would be interesting to know upon what principle of selection our good Bishop desires to admit clergymen into his Diocese. The Rev. Arthur French, assistant minister of St. John's Church, Montreal, and head master of St. John's School, was lately united in matrimony to Miss Magdalene Gibb, daughter of James Campbell Gibb, Esq., of Montreal. The ceremony was performed by the Rector of the church, assisted by but from the information since his appointment, he the Rev. Dr. Wright. The service was fully choral with a celebration of the Holy Communion. The happy couple left for an extended tour in the United States. The presents were both numerous and costly. May every happiness attend them both.

The Christmas services in the city churches were unusually well attended and of a bright and cheerful character. The decorations were not so profuse in some of the larger churches as we have sermon, the Bishop alluded to the gradual growth he got upon a higher level he would not because it noticed some years, but much taste was everywhere and development of the seed, from the tiny blade, gave Christian men and women a high and holy object apparent. The musical renderings of the services through all the transformations of nature, until the outside themselves. In a missionary diocese you were of our Church in some of the city churches is far choir should attempt a choral, or even semi-choral, rendering, without due practice and preparation.

Mrs. Mills, wife of the esteemed Rector of Trinity

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Bishop's College, Lennoxville.

St. Matthew's Church .-- In the afternoon the Bishop of Algoma delivered a most interesting and instrucchurch. The offertory was given for the Bishop of Algoma's yacht fund.

St. Peter's Church.-In the evening the Bishop of the doctrine laid down by some that the Indians Algoma preached in this church to a very large con-His wondrous power, fourthly to His stilling of the and from whom had this money come? They would storm, fifthly to His cure of disease, sixthly to His be surprised to hear that it was from the newsboys of sin. This was the first Epiphany, the of Toronto. He had recently addressed a class at St. side of Brome Lake, with an address accompanied

his way to Damascus show that he must for some ful works of God. He then gave some incidents of the time have had misgivings as to the course which he mistakes arising through the ignorance of interpreting. was then pursuing. The offertory was given to the Speaking, for example, of the common expression diocese of Algoma. "children of the forest," when rendered into Indian it

In the evening ap eloquent sermon was preached in was not altogether complimentry, for it was "little the Cathedral by the Rev. Dr. Lobley, Principal of men on big sticks." In one district the Indians lived amlost entirely on fish unless the missionary gives them a feast; tea was the greatest luxury an Indian had gone immediately after his arrival in the diocese, and spoke feelingly of the new names conferred upon Mrs. Sullivan and himself. He strongly repudiated

ought to be left to themselves, on the contrary, he gregation. The singing was very good and the whole held when treated properly they respond readily to service remarkably hearty. The Bishop preached a all efforts put forward in their behalf; they felt, how-beautiful Epiphany sermon, from St. Matthew xxiv. ever, that the most hopeful work was among the chil-84: "Verily I say unto you, this generation shall not dren, and he was glad to be able to say that the two pass till all these things be fulfilled." The preacher homes where the Indian children were taught were referred to the variety of thoughts suggested by the suppled to a great extent by the children of the Sunword Epiphany. Some of these thoughts were exem- day Schools, children of Canada including, he was plified in the Gospels for the Sundays after Epiphany. Our attention is thus directed first to the Magi, sec ondly to the scene between Christ and His earthly Toronto containing \$6, and assuring him that several clergyman in their midst. parent in the Temple, thirdly to Cana of Galilee and presents had been sent to his residence in that ctiy,

second Epiphany would follow at the end of the James' Church, Toronto, mainly composed of such world. They were, however, blended together, boys. He then proceeded to say that the Missionary with a pair of sleigh robes and two handsome of Algoma was greatly isolated; they had no Synodi. The Epiphany shown cal meeting and no clerical associations, and what was mounted set of harness. By the teachers and

The Bishop held an ordination at Trinity Church, Montreal, on the 21st January, when two candidates for Deacon's orders and one for Priest's orders were presented.

FRELIGHSBURG .- The entertainment provided for the children of the Sunday school on Holy Innocent Day was a complete success. Every child can get. The Garden River Mission was next referred was made the recipient of a present from the cargo tive address to the Sunday-school children in this to, and the interesting ceremonies through which he of two heavily laden ships upon the platform. magic lantern and dissolving views added to the enjoyment of the evening.

> DURHAM.-The Ladies' College opened on the 15th, of January with a larger number of attendants than before. A large proportion of the present students are American young ladies.

> LONGUEIUL .- No appointment has yet been made to this important parish. It seems hard that members of the Church should be deprived of the services and sacraments when so willing to support s

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ONTARIO.

RURAL DEANERY GRENVILLE AND DUNDAS. - Deputa tion No. 2;-Rev. Stearne Tighe, B.A., Convener Rev. A. W. Cooke, Coadjutor. Meetings will be held as follows :- Maitland, Jan. 25th, 7 p.m.; Temperance Hall, 26th, 7 p.m.; Lord's Mills, 27th, 7 p.m. North Augusta, 28th, 10.30 a.m; St. James's, 2.30 p.m.; St. Andrew's, 7 p.m.; Merricksville, 29th, 7 p.m.; Burritt's Rapids, 30th, 7 p.m.; Montague, 31st, 7 p.m.

RURAL DEANERY OF HASTINGS AND PRINCE EDWARD.-Deputation No. 4 :- Rev. Rural Dean Nesbitt, Con vener; Rev. W. D. Mercer, B.A., Coadjutor. Mis sionary meetings will be beld as follows :- Sterling, Jan. 18th, 7.30 p.m.; Rawdon, 8th Line, Jan. 19th, 7 p.m.; Belleville, St. Thomas, Jan. 21st, 7 p.m.; Rawdon, 12th Line, Jan. 22nd, 7 p.m.; Marmora, Jan. 23rd, 7 p.m.; Madoc, Jan. 24th, 7.80 p.m. Queensboro, Jan. 25th, 7.30 p.m.; Millbridge, Jan. 26th, 7.30 p.m.

KITLEY.—The concert given at Frankville in aid of S. Thomas' Church, on the 2nd inst., was a great success from every point of view. The Christmas tree entertainment at the Redan school-house was also very successful, and the greatest praise is due to all those who assisted in arranging it. Suitable presentations have been made to the organists of S. Thomas', Frankville, and S. Anne's, Easton's Corners, in acknowledgment of their highly appreciated services. A week-night service has been commenced in Hornick's school-house for the convenience of a large number of parishioners who are unable to at tend either of the churches.

PAKENHAM.-The building of the church of S Mark was begun a year after the present Incumbent, the Rev. A W. Cooke, was appointed to the parish. It was opened six years ago, and now the congregation and the incumbent have rejoiced together in seeing it consecrated to the service of God. This very Thomson, rector of Weston, Canon Tremayne and day, the 5th inst. . A very large congregation assem- was held at Weston, which was very well attended. bled to meet their Bishop and to take part in the ser- and proved to be a most interesting as we hope it vices of the day. Of the clergy there were present will prove to have been an edifying one and fruitful. the Revs. F. L. Stephenson, of Almonte, and T. Codd, of Huntley, deputation work preventing sev. Rural Dean Osler, Canon Tremayne, the Rev. J. P. eral others from coming. The church cost about Lewis and Mr. John Hague. Mr. Hague took occa-\$3,000, Gothic in style, and was built according to sion to draw attention to the sad conviction of two plans furnished by Mr. K. Arnoldi, Architect. The young men that day for manslaughter, at Leslieville, plans furnished by Mr. K. Arnoldi, Architect. The young men that day for manslaughter, at Leslieville, site was obtained many years ago by the Rev. C. P. as terrible evidence of the neglect of mission work Emery, a former incumbent. After the consecration in that district, as for years there has been a large service was ended, the rite of Confirmation was ad-population practically unshepherded and uncared for, ministered to thirty five candidates. The Bishop while the agencies of evil have been multiplied. then delivered an address in his usual clear and forcible manner. Then followed the Communion Service, a majority of the large congregation, including the newly confirmed, partaking. In the afternoon a very pleasant affair took place. The Churchwardens of St. Mark's, and of St. John's, Antrim, together with other members of the Church, met at the parsonage to present their clergyman with some valuable offerings and an address. St. Mark's congregation presented a handsome phæton from the works of Dixon, Toronto; St. John's congregation presented an elegant cutter, made by Abbott. of Ottawa. The Drew, \$13.00. Incumbent made a suitable reply to the address. The Bishop also expressed his pleasure with the services of the day, and his great satisfaction at seeing lection .- Elora, \$12.00; St. Catherines, St. Thomas', such signs of the progress of the Church in the par \$13.42; Niagara Falls, \$47.8; Queenston, \$2.30. ish of Pakenham. And he further stated his behef Shingwauk Homes .-- Guelph S. S. 85 cents. that Mr. Cooke would succeed and prosper in any other field of labour in the Church, to which it may please God to call him. During the eight years of of the Ascension, on Sunday, 4th inst., were interestand getting some necessary repairs done on it. The lect, the Bishop walked to the front of the chancel, tent of at the least \$600. Laus Deo.

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RURAL DEANERY OF STORMONT. - Deputation No. 1. churchwarden, then presented the newly inducted a handsome silver chalice, and by the inmates of Rev. Rural Dean Baker, convener; Rev. T. Bailey, rector with the keys of the church. The bishop then B.A., coadjutor. Moulinette, Sunday, 28th January 10 a.m.; Eamer's Corners, Sunday, 28th, 3 p.m. Cornwall, Sunday, 28th, 7 p.m.; Newington, Monday. of thy conduct in dispensing God's Holy Word, in 29th, 7 p.m.; Crysler's, Tuesday, 30th, 7 p.m.; Ches terville, Wednesday, 31st, 7 p.m.; Wales, Thursday 1st February, 7 p.m.; Woodlands. Friday, 2nd, p.m.

TORONTO.

HASTINGS .- The teachers of St. George's Sunday school desire to thank those ladies and gentlemen who by their literary and musical talents contributed to the success of a concert and Christmas tree, as well as those who patronized the entertainment. seasonable gift to the Rev. John McCleary was accompanied by the following address : "Presented by the members of St. George's Church, Hastings, as a small token of affection and good will toward their beloved pastor," which was gratefully acknowledged.

DURHAM AND VICTORIA .- The next quarterly meet ng of the Ruri-decanal Chapter will be held on Thursday, 1st. February, at the parsonage, Lindsay. Scripture subject for considertion will be the 2nd chapter of Philippians, from the 12th verse to the end of the chapter. Will those who purpose to attend the meeting intimate the same to Mr. Jones. J. W. FORSTER. Secretary.

HIGHER EDUCATION OF WOMEN .- We are pleased to see that the examination in music will be open to women at Trinity College, We understand that several young ladies are being prepared for the first examination in October, at Mrs. Lampman's School of Music. The staff of teachers at this institution will almost insure success. The opening of these examinations to women is a step in the right direction. Many young women of superior talent have heretofore had no inducement to study music as a professien, as there has been no recognized institution to obtain a diploma from.

WESTON AND CARLTON MISSION MEETINGS .- On the 18th inst., a meeting on behalf of missions was held at Carlton, which was addressed by the Rev. C. A. solemn and interesting ceremony took place on Fri- Mr. John Hague. The next night a mission meeting Peter iii. 15. The subject was "Natural Theology," The rector presided, and addresses were delivered by

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presented the books of the church to the rector, say ing, "Receive these books, and let them be the rule leading the devotions of the people. in administering the Sacraments of Christ, and in exercising the discipline of the Church, and be thou, in all things, a pattern to the flock committed to thy care." The bishop preached an appropriate and practical sermon from Acts xx. 28: "Take heed therefore unto yourselves, and to all the flock over which the Holy Ghost hath made you overseers to feel the church of God, which he hath purchased with his own blood.'

St. Thomas' Church Literary Society .- The annual commemoration of this excellent association was observed on Thursday evening, the 11th inst., by a dinner, at which were several invited guests, in the Sunday-school and lecture room adjoining. About 70 accociates were present, with the active and genial president, the Rev. Canon Curran, M.A. Addresses were made by several, in response to calls by the president, or vice president Mr. Kittson, which deservedly elicited applause. Culture was apparent, which is the laudable aim of the society, besides that of fostering the spirit of fraternity. Professor Aldons, B.A., among others, made some very thoughtful remarks on kindred tastes in music and painting, and said that classical music had not been so well susstained or so lighly regarded, of late years, in England, as in the chief cities of Europe, but that attention was now directed towards improvement in this respect by members especially of the Royal family. The Rev. D. B. Bull spoke of the necessity of direction and judicious aid to literary pursuit, in the days when indifference and perversity are so observable. The Rev. L. DesBrisay, in response also to a call. spoke upon the great standard of all books, the Bible, but maintained that variety of reading was not only useful but necessary to improve intellect and reason. It will be seen that the Literary Society of St. Thomas' parish, Hamilton, is much to be commended. Weekv meetings are held during the winter months, for reading prepared papers, recitals, debates, discussions, music and song, and are invariably well attended.

BARTON.-Holy Trinity Church. - The Bishop of Niagara attended this church at the evening service of Sunday, the 14th inst., and preached from 1 introductory of a series in relation to Christian evidences. The Bishop's arguments and illustrations were very striking and well sustained, commanding the closest attention of a deeply interest. ad congregation.

HURON.

CHATHAM.-The Christmas decorations in Christ Church were very slight this year, owing to the chan-cel being altered and re-painted. The Christmas offertory was \$86.50, which was given to the Rev. N. H. Martin. The Sunday-school is very prosperous, having 400 on the books. The school house was

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HAMILTON.-Receipts at Synod Office during the seasonably decorated for Christmas by the teachers. month of December, 1882.

MISSION FUND.—Offertory Collection.—Guelph \$43.52. Parochial Collections .- Niagara, \$209.06; Ridgeway, the Church of England Institute, was held Dec. 19th, 75 cents : Welland, \$2.10. On Guarantee Account .--Drayton, \$15.00; Palermo, \$52.00; Luther, \$14.00; ed, that women have done more for the advancement

ALGOMA AND NORTH-WEST MISSION FUND .- Offer. tory Collection.-Guelph, \$110.87. Thanksgiving Col-

HAMILTON.-Induction.-The services at the Church his incumbency Mr. Cooke has succeeded, chiefly ing and impressive, the occasion being the formal in. civilization that which man, with his natural sternthrough the liberality of a few, in clearing Antrim duction of Rev. Hartley Carmichael, M.A., to the ness of character, inventive genius and physical church of a debt of \$600, besides purchasing an or- rectorship of the Church of the Ascension and parish. strength, could never have accomplished. The negagan and Communion vessels for the same church, After singing a hymn, at the close of the third colparsonage has also been improved in value to the ex- the rector to be inducted standing at his side. Adam it was argued that the world had become more civil-RURAL DEANERY OF HASTINGS AND PRINCE EDWARD. RURAL DEANERY OF HASTINGS AND PRINCE EDWARD. Brown, rector's churchwarden, then addressed the bishop, saying, "that at a meeting of the vestry of the Church of the Ascension, held on September 19, and political genius of man. At the close of the de--Deputation No. 3. Rev. E. A. Hanington, B.A., 1882, it was decided to place the name of the Rev. bate, the chairman reviewed the arguments, and renconvener, assisted by the local clergy and the clerical Hartley Carmichael, M.A., of Highgate, London, be- dered his decision in the affirmative. secretary. Tweed, Tuesday, 30th January, 7 p.m.; fore your lordship as the unanimous choice of the Thomasburgh, Wednesday, 31st, 7 p.m.; Roslyn, vestry for their rector, and request you to appoint Thursday, 1st February, 7 p.m.; Belleville, St. Johns, him—that was on the 20th of September, the com-

LONDON.-A public debate, under the auspices of in Bishop Cronyn Hall. The subject was : "Resolvand civilization of the world than men." The Rev. A. Brown took the chair, and called on the leader ef the affirmative, Mr. Luscombe, to open the debate. The other debaters on the affirmative were Messrs. Tennant and Jewell. Very strong arguments and facts were brought forward by them in favor of the resolution, the chief of which was that women had, by their moral character, religious example, instruction and influence, done towards the advancement of tive was ably represented by Messrs. Stevenson, Morphy and Innes. In opposition to the resolution,

SARNIA AND KETTLE POINT INDIAN MISSION .- The Christmas tree entertainment on the Sarnia Indian Thursday, 1st February, 7 p.m.; Belleville, St. Johns, Friday, 2nd, 7.30 p.m.; Lonsdale, Saturday, 3rd, 2 p.m.; Kingstord, Saturday, 3rd, 7 p.m.; Tyendinaga, Christ Church, Sunday, 4th, 11 a.m., All Saints, 3 p.m.; Deseronto, St. Mark's, Sunday, 4th, 7.25 p.m. The Rev. A. Spencer, clerical secretary, will address only the Tyendinaga and Deseronto meetings. pastor and superintendent of the Sunday school, the where he started a new sect. Rev. J. Jacobs, Chief Joseph Wawanosh, Churchwarden Gray, Chief N. Plain, and Mr. A Jacobs. Chief Wawanosh amused the audience by singing the alphabet, and was loudly cheered. The Rev. J Jacobs mentioned in his address that the fruits of the beautiful tree were the generous gifts of the scholars of St. James Cathedral and St. Peter acknowledge the receipt of the following sums: which was brilliantly lighted up. At the call of the J. Hamilton, Esq., Jr., Quebec, \$20; Tooke Bros school were all kindly treated by good old Santa. The women of the mission also received presents evening, which will not soon be forgotten. The genthankful hearts.

The Sunday-schools on the Sarnia Reserve and at Kettle Point are making good progres in the Chris- Mrs. E. Ross. tian instruction imparted to them. The pastor and teachers receive much encouragement in their work of faith and labour of love. The Indian Children sing beautifully and sweetly hymns and carols, and English and in Ojibway.

LONDON. -At St. Paul's the congregation, on Christmas Day, way unprecedentedly large. There were two celebrations of the Holy Communion. The offertory, presented by the Rector to Rev. A. Brown, as sistant minister, was one hundred and thirty dollars. The offertories, for the last few months, have increased to fourteen hundred dollars. The number of communicants is four hundred, an increase, in a few years, of over one hundred per cent.

Chapter House .- The congregation, all but those grounded in the faith, having left for pastures new,

of the forest. Mr. Charles Kiyoshk, a good looking was equally fatal to Rev. Wm. Brookman, after a Indian, was appointed chairman, who filled the dubrief study at St. Augustine's, he was ordained, and ties of his office most efficiently. St. Peter's Sunday served in various parishes. We next meet him sit school children sang sweetly several Christmas car ting at the feet of a Baptist minister in Woodstock ols and hymns, which were loudly applauded. Short, and ministering to a congregation of Baptists. Disspicy, and interesting addresses were given by the agreeing with their doctrines he went to Toronto.

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The Treasurer of the Diocese of Algoma, begs to Church Sunday-school, Toronto; C. W. M. A., Tor- Episcopal Endowment. - A friend, Quebec, \$500. Mis onto, per Mrs. O'Reilly; and Messrs. Blake, B. Ho. sion Fund.-Dr. and Mrs. Barrett, Montreal. \$100. mer Dixon, and C. S. Gzowski, Toronto. The ladies A. Smith, Esq., \$10; S. H. Blake, Esq., Toronto, of Hellmuth College, per Miss Clinton; Christ Church Sunday school, per Canon Smith, London; Christ Church Sunday-school, Chatham, per Rev. A. H. ber of the Cathedral, Toronto, \$5. Willows' and Martin. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Orphans' Fund -H. Stanloy Smith, Esq., Quebec, \$50 the generous donors, which was loudly responded to by the whole andience. At about 9 p.m. two Santa Clauses appeared (Mr. Adam Kiyoshk and Mr. Jo-Dunn, Griffilis & Co., \$100; Mrs. Girdlestone, Galt. seph Kahgog) in comical costumes, wearing comical \$5. Steam Yacht Fund.-T. H. Dunn, E.q., Quebec masks. They were welcomed by many rousing \$25; H. Stanley Smith, Esq., Quebec, \$20; W cheers, after some funny remarks, and having sung "Around the Christmas tree," they proceeded to bec, \$21; Miss Walker, Quebec, \$20; G. O'Kill pluck the fruits off the beautiful heavily laden tree, Stuart, Esq., Quebec, \$20; A friend, Quebec, \$100 names every Sunday-school pupil went up with a Montreal, \$20; Geo. W. Craig, Esq., Montreal, \$20; quick step and with a thankful and joyful heart to A. F. Gault, Esq., Montreal, \$50; Per Mrs. Major. receive his or her present at the hands of Santa Montreal, \$25; Per Miss Brooks, Montreal, \$10.50 Claus, who appeared to be very generous. Little Mrs. W. H. Hutton, Montreal, \$10; Charles Spragge children who are not old enough to attend Sunday- Esq., Montreal, \$5.00; Ladies' Aid, St. George's Montreal, \$228; Mrs. Freer, Winnipeg, \$5. Garden River Church .- " Friends from Niagara," \$5; Offer from the tree, sent by the C. W. M. A., Toronto, and tory, St. George's Church, Clarksburg, Per Rev. F. D. the ladies of Hellmuth College, London. The enter Brown, \$10; Per Rev. James Cleaner, Tyrconnel. tainment was kept up until nearly 11 p.m., when all Children, St. James' Sunday School. 510; Mr. Robert dispersed to their homes after enjoying a very happy Backus, \$5; Mr. T. L. Pearson, \$5; Mr. Andrew released and placeed under instruction. Backus, \$2; Mr. S. Backus, \$1; Mr. John Pearson. erous contributors of the tree will long be remember- \$1; Small sums, \$3.15. The Bishop of Algoma also marked :---- When the 'Church and Modern Thought ed by these children of the forest, with glad and desires to make grateful acknowledgement of a box of clothing, and of \$8 (especially for communion ves sels), received from the "20 Minutes Society," per

The Rev. Alfred W. H. Chowne begs to acknowledge with hearty thanks, the following sums towards the read the Scriptures and recite their Catechisms in Parsonage Fund, viz.: \$1 from Mr. Goldsmith, be one of mistrust and autagonism. Guelph; Mr. Kingsville, \$1; 25 cents, name un known; box of toys for Sunday school, Miss Dixon, Guelph, also a pair of overshoes, per the same lady, for Mrs. Chowne.

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BRANDON.-St. Matthews Church.-A Christmas tree entertainment was provided for the children of the

Sunday school. No matter how often recurring in their lives the Christmas tree never fails to have attractions for the little ones. On this occasion eagerthe number of communicants is one-half the number ness was depicted in the faces of all of them, and to of the congregation-eighty. The Sunday school is a more or less extent, according as they had expecta tions. Many of the "children of larger growth." too, betrayed more or less anxiety, although unwilling to acknowledge it. Their reason for anxiety will be seen later on. There were two Christmas trees on enlarged. The Sunday-school increases in numbers, the platform, both well covered with gifts, and, while there are in attendance 100 scholars. More teachers awaiting the arrival of Santa Claus to distribute them, are needed, they have had a Christmas-tree festival, the children entertained the grown up friends with dead. the two carols : "Christmas men rejoice," and "Christ the Lord is King," singing both very nicely without accompaniment. We could not help noticing how suitable both were for Christmas tide.

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BRITISH.

We under (and that there is every probability that the Revised Version of the Old Testament will be completed by the end of next year. The work upon it cannot be expected to compare with that of the Revised New Lestament, but still it will be of magnitude. and the Hebraists will have shown equal industry with their colleges who have finished their labours.

A very useful experiment is about to be tried in Dorsetshire, Lady Wolverton, of Iwerne Minster, Shafte-bury; is endevouring to start an association, to be called the Dorsetshire Needlework Guild, to which shall belong as members all classes of society who choose to join it, and who will undertake to supply useful articles of clothing (from two to six per annum) for free distribution among the hospitals, homes, and poor parishes of the county. The idea of the promoter is to have such a branch in every large town in Dorset, with an honorary president in each case to receive the work and to perform other administrative duties. No subscription is to be asked for. and anyone wishing to become an associate has only to express her wish to the president of her branch, on which rules and all necessary information will be sent to her by those who are forming the guild.

The return of Bishop Crowther to his African dierese was marked by a farewell meeting in Liverpool. The career of the Bishop is most remarkable. He has crossed the ocean thirteen times; he has fifty native elergy and a self supporting mission, which in its turn is beginning active aggressive missionary work in the country surrounding Sierra Leone.

The Universities' Mission to Central Africa has resulted in the turning of the old slave market of Zanzibar, where 30 000 slaves were annually sold. into a Christian centre, with church, school-bouse, and mission house. Last year 180 +laves were

In a leader on the Church Congress, the Times reis placed on the programme, and when the subject is subdivided into such topics as ' The Limits of Authors ity and Free Thought 'The Harmony of Science and Faith,' and ' The Dependence of Morality on Revelation,' it may be taken as a proof that, so far as the Church is concerned, it is determined that the relation of the Church to modern thought is no longer to

A lease of 999 years is generally regarded as equivalent to freehold, but such a lease has recently expired, and the property has reverted to its orignal owner, the Church of England. It is thus legally decided that the Church has had a corporate entity for at least a thousand years. This for ever disposes of the question as to the identity of the Church of England to day with the Church of the Ante Reformation centuries.



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very large, giving good hope for the future. There is now no choir of boys.

St. George's .- The enlarged church needs to be reand some of the teachers are rejoicing in fruit rereived from its branches.

We have had no reports from the country parishes of the diocese.

LONDON.-The Bishop of Huron intends (D.V.) leaving Liverpool for New York on March 1st, in the Germanic.

Huron College.-Mr. K. L. Jones, a student of Huron sents. We must congratulate him on the fine taste Church. Having been ordained deacon, he was elect. could hardly refrain from tears. ed minister of St. Thomas' Church, St. Catharine .. Protestantism, and was appointed professor in the gave entire satisfaction. Roman Catholic college of Sandwich. Want of study

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Meanwhile Santa Claus was ushered in and he immediately proceeded to distribute the gifts. Not a child was forgotten, everyone receiving some gift; some of them both beautiful and useful. Santa Claus had included in his list a good many grown up people too, for there were numbers of them for whom he had pre-

at college he took every opportunity of deriding the some gentlemen present received "dolls," some "ratcross, and every symbol of the religion of the Cruci-fied. He studied neither ecclesiastical history nor wants suggested. Seeing the look of 'utter" happiany of the writings of the divines of the primitive ness on their faces as they received their gitts we

Many ladies received both beautiful and costly gifts. giving his resignation, stating that he disbelieved the the presentation to Mrs. Boydell, on behalf of St. Luke xxiv. 39. creeds of the Apostolic Church, of which he had at Matthew's congregation of a beautiful Astrachan his ordination declared his belief. Again in Detroit jacket, accompanied with best wishes. Rev. Mr. he was, by a Church clergyman, converted to the old Boydell, on her behalf. thanked the congregation for Church, and secured an appointment to the small the most acceptable gift. The entertainment closed mission of Walkerville, in Huron. In a short time with an exhibition of Punch and Judy and other celeafter he recanted what he said were the errors of brities of like talent. Mr. Hellyar, as Santa Claus,

THE CATECHISM.

Q. What next do we profess to believe respecting Jesus ?

A. That the third day He rose again from the

Q. What do you mean by this ?

A. That the same Soul of Jesus which descended into the place of departed spirits came back again, and re-animated the same Body which had been crucified, and was dead, and buried.

Q. What proofs have we of the reality of this resurrection?

A. He was seen by ten of the Apostles at once, on the day of His Resurrection; then, eight days after, by the eleven; and, on the shores of the Sea of Galilee, by five, and, according to St. Paul, by five hun-College was the lowest of Low Churchmen. When displayed in the selection of the gifts. For instance dred brothers at once, in Galilee, where His followers were most mumerous, and His Person the best known.

Q. Can you mention any other proofs?

A. He ate and drank with them after His Resurrection. (Luke xxiv. 43; John xxi. 9-16); and He in-After a short time, he wrote to the Bishop of Niagara One of the most pleasing features of the evening was spirit hath not flesh and bones as ye see me have."vited them to handle Him : "Behold my hands and

Q. How many appearances of our Lord are recorded.

A. Eleven: (1) Mark xvi. 9, John xx. 14; (2) Matt xxviii. 9; (3) Luke xxiv. 31; (4) Luke xxiv. 84; (5) Luke xxiv. 33-46, John xx. 20; (6) John xx. 26; (7) John xxi. 1, 2; (8) Matt. xxviii. 16; (9) to James (10) to the five hundred brethren, 1 Cor. xv. 6, 7; [11] Luke xxiv. 50.

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Q. Were these all the appearances ?

A. No: for "He was seen of the Apostles forty days," and nearly halt of the appearances mentioned ary who scarcely knew how to make both ends meet. were on the first day.

Q. Did He appear to all the people ?

Acts x. 41.

Q. Were the Apostles ready to believe that He had risen?

A. No; they all apparently doubted till they had seen Him for themselves; and He reproved them sharply for their unbelief. Matt. xxiii. 17, Mark xvi. 11, 13, 14, Luke xxiv. 25.

Q. What does this prove to us?

A. That they were not credulous persons, who would be led away by any idle report, but that at first they sinned deeply on the side of unbelief.

Q Is the belief in the resurrection of Jesus a ne cessary part of the faith?

A. It is the most necessary of all.

Q. What is the proof of this?

A. When an Apostle is chosen, it is that he should be a witness of the Resurrection. Acts i. 22.

The united testimony of the Apostles is described in the words, "With great power gave the Apostles witness of the resurrection of the Lord Jesus."-Acts they are not such as should daunt any right minded 'after meetings' than did Heber or Keble." He iv. 33.

St. Paul says, "If Christ be not risen, then is our preaching vain, and your faith is also vain," 1 Cor. xv. 14; and the one thing which he bids St. Timothy especially to remember is, that "Jesus Christ, of the seed of David, was raised from the dead according to his gospel," 2 Tim. ii. 8.

exalted a place?

A. Because the Resurrection of Jesus is God's own sign, seal, and assurance of the truth of the gospel.

Q. What are the proofs?

A. St. Paul tells us, that the gospel of God is concerning His Son Jesus Christ . . who was declar to be the Son of God with power, by the Resurrec tiou from the dead.-Rom. i. 1.4.

When the Jews demanded of our Lord a sign of His authority, He said, " Destroy this temple, and in temple of His body."-John ii. 19-21.

Correspondence.

All Letters will appear with the names of the writers in full and we do not hold ourselves responsible for their opinions.

The Rev. WM. ROBERTS, Amhurst Island, writes :-In last week's notice of the improvements in, and reopening of, St. James' Church, Tweed, it is said that now "the altar is a real altar, not a kitchen table." Allow me to state that in December, 1868, when I took charge of the parish, Tweed Church was furnished with a borrowed dining table, a four legged time the chancel was furnished with "a real altar," material and workmanship, and a good melodian. As Fleming is not a church architect, he certainly must profession of the circular: "We are desirous of givhave been a most faithful priest to have done the work in any parish now, yet it is not fair to forget or speak slightingly of the very real and good work done by their predecessors. Present workers should remember and thankfully acknowledge that other men laboured in the past, and they are entered into their labour.

Canada, from Bishops down to the struggling mission-

and what I have seen of these "men of the cross" I think are the last men to stand aloof from good work and many pleasures. The clergy of Canada generally would not hesitate for a moment about coming to work in the Lord's Vineyard of Muskoka, even if they were convinced they would not have the enjoyments peinted out by your correspondent. The man whose heart is in the work cares for none of those things We must look for something else than the want of luxury, etc., as the reason why men do not willingly offer themselves for work in Algoma, and the reason they can give is one that ought to rouse the laity of

Canada, and make them say, we will soon remove that difficulty.

There is no Widows' and Orphans' Fund connected with the Diocese of Algoma, and it would be sinful her and her children, if she has any, should he succumb to the hardships of the life he must necessarily

man, and these hardships may be too much for many alludes to Moody and Sankey's meetings. a man who is willing and, in appearance, is able to would mix with an intelligent class of people, many even of good birth and education, from England, and, ville congregation alone, I could mention several and have the blessing of Him for Whose glory our work is carreid on.

Yours, etc.,

WILLIAM CROMPTON,

Travelling Clergyman, Dio. of Algoma. Aspin, P.O., Jan. 10th 1883

THE RECORD.

SIR.-In common with, I believe, the rest of the Once more, the first writer concludes his series clergy, I lately received a specimen copy of the thus: "Anglicanism is nothing better than a device Record, in its new shape as a weekly, accompanied by to concest from view the way of life, and to entice the desk, a melodeon, shaky legged, all borrowed; and a circular bearing the names of all the leading Low unwary traveller, lured by immunity from all personal Churchmen at home, who solicit the assistance of (italics sic) trouble, and encouraged by the company tapestry carpet, two prayer desks, a lectern of good the company the clergy to forward the interests of the paper. I of a crowd, into another road, a broad road with a material and workmanship, and a good melodian and Churchmanship, so I read it through with care, and thurchmanship, so I read it through with care, and churchmanship, discovered the folly of belight in the folly of belight and to the design of the church, I may add, that if Mr. and too certainly discovered the folly of believing the unspiritual and uncharitable enough to write this sentence; but I cannot understand how any person, good work he did in that mission, when the settlers had hardly learnt the A B C of giving to the Church, has the fourth and last ment of a carrier o ing all fair liberty to those who differ in things which had hardly learnt the A B C of giving to the Church. has the fourth and last part of a series of papers on clusion is that the Record has neither changed its head nor its hide. But fortunately, once more, the "With reference to the High Church movement antidote is furnished in the same issue. the writer notices two tendencies of an entirely opthe writer notices two tendencies of an entirely op-posite character. "There is a tendency amongst the Protestant clergy to place the Church and their own order on a somewhat higher level than formark order on a somewhat higher level than formerly. of this world's wealth (only a little over £300 per an-Without admitting the fact to themselves, there is an num) nor yet such rich, and often realized, promises inclination to act as if they had tacitly conceded the of martyrdom, lives jeoparded to the death, as the High' Church theory. late lamented Bishop Steere could offer." O si sic That says something for the power of the "move ommes ! ment," so the writer's warnings are manifestly need And yet another "rector" has the sense and coured, and they are instinctively given. "Whatever age to maintain that the Scotch Communion Office, fosters the notion of nullus episcopus nulla ecclesia, in its prayer of Invocation, "is the best safeguard I whatever widens the separation betweem minister know of against " Transubstantiation ; though I well and people, is doing deadly harm to the Church.' remember when Evangelcal Bishops thundered And the evangelical clergy are warned not to make against it, and it was an essential article of Protes-'concessions in apparently trifling matters of detail, tant orthodoxy to believe it Papistical. So much for for the sake of peace with their clerical neighbours, the pros and cons of one number of the Record. all acomputatij. Carry. estranging vast crowds of human souls who are not present to plead their own cause, nay, who do not Port.Perry, 9 Jan., 1888. the Million of Line bris Watches can be so finely regulated that the vari-ation from the standard time is scarcely perceptible. Woltz Bros. & Co., 29 King-Street East, have at pre-Now, in all sobriety of judgment and speech, were addition to any amount of good fishing, deer hunting, as this, it would appear no longer as a company of re- sent the inest-regulated watches that are to be found camping out and pleasant lake pic-nics, would, to my ligious men, but as a reckless faction. But, in spite in this country. They also keep the most skilled in this country. They also keep the most skilled working, visiting parsons. It has been my pri- The quotation made, if it means anything, means in this country in the thoroughly understand adjusting the finest grades of Chronometers and Minute Repeaters.

vilege to meet with a great number of the dergy of this: That the wholly indifferent and godless mass, who care nothing for religion, except to hate its claims, are to be the rule of our teachings and worship! The heathen Seneca could say, Vulgus veritatis pessions interpris,-the rabble is the worst interpreter A. No; only "to witnesses chosen before God," for Jesus because they could not have much comfort of truth. It is not only enough to sadden a Christian's heart, but to make it burst with grief, to hear the spokesman of a great religious party speak so. The liberal Spectator said not long ago (I quote from memory) that "the sign of a strong church was not to have the nation on its side, but to be able to resist the popular will." The Evangelicals of olden times taught the Church to resist the world; but the new Evangelicals insist that the Church shall obey the world!

In spite of the warning against nullus episcopus nulla ecclesia, another writer says, " True Churchmen must prepare to protect episcopal authority from contempt, even when it adopts methods no doubt for the best, but which we feel are not satisfactory." And yet for any man to bring into this country, or induce a another writer rebels against the suggested abolition wife to come, unless he is able to make provision for of the difference between clergy and people, as promoting the perfection of the Church, and he observes : "Such men as Marsh and Bickersteth never approved lead. I do not dony that there are hardships, but of solo singing in church, and no more sanctioned

The first quoted writer asks, "Why have we writbear them. Remove this difficulty, raise at least ten so strongly against the figment of an externally \$10,000 as a nucleus for the W. and O. Fund, and organized Universal Church? Because in this not on then I am certain you will find men who will look up we recognize the great hindrance to the Church's and take courage. I am not pleading for any advant highest usefulness." Unfortunately there is, in tage to myself or family. My children are all too another column, a dreadful comment on the outcome Q. Why is the Resurrection of our Lord put in so old to come upon such a fund if it were established of this doctrine in Switzerland. The writer speaks to morrow, nor do I think they would allow their of "the traditions which represent the Swiss as a mother to do so. I am merely telling you what men hardy, contented, moral race, superior to most of have said to me when I have met them in the front. 1 their neighbours, and very loyal, at least in the Prohave met with men whom I, for one, should be proud testant Cantons, to the principles of the Reformation. to welcome in the work in Muskoka, and such, if they This, however, is very far from a true description." were here, would find far more comforts, yes and He describes them as "coarse and unhappy." "There pleasures too, than the country gets credit for. They is a sad increase of crime, and a sad decrease of social prosperity. Theft is becoming very common, murder not uncommon, whilst mendicancy is a perfect pest.' (tho' they may be short of that useful article yclept On one side is Ultramontanism, on the other " such "money"), who can give a parson a chance of an in-breadth or rather laxity of view as to amount to a three days I will raise it up; but He spake of the tellectual conversation now and then. In the Hunts perfectly Christless Protestantism. Which of these two forms is the worst it is rather difficult to say, (!) clergymen's sons from the old country, and several but it is generally thought that in the so-called Proyoung men of "good" family. I trust the idea I have testant Cantons of Central Switzerland the state of here put forth may be as seed sown in good ground, things is even more unsatisfactory, than in those of the Roman Catholics. Protestant clergy boldly deny the Atonement, and even the Divinity of our Lord, and treat the whole of the Bible as a succession of fables, and the natural result is a steady abolition of religious externals, as well as of spirituality. For instance, the Lord's day is in no way distinct from other days, except as a holiday; services, indeed, are held, but the large majority of so-called Protestants take no heed to them." So much for nullus cpiscopus nulla ecclesia, which Swiss Protestants never felt the blighting influence of !

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SIR.—Kindly give me space for the following acknowledgements, viz.: \$1.50 from Mrs.Bedford-Jones, Napanee, and \$1.00 from a friend who wishes well to the good work, post-mark Ottawa.

At the same time I would mention that I picked up a copy of the DOMINION CHURCHMAN, of date Dec. 28th, in a settler's shanty about forty miles from my home, and read the statements made as to Algoma but to remember that while they are conciliating hardships. It is about time the talk was ended as to them they are alienating the heart of the nation, "hardships." I repeat what I have said before, Muskoka does not deserve the name given to it, and I fear many speak and write disparagingly of Muskoka desire to plead it, and are quite content for the Church from imagination, not knowledge. Those who may to drift away further and further from them." feel they would like to work in the highlands of Canada, because there is a degree of luxurious living, in the Evangelical party to be judged by such language

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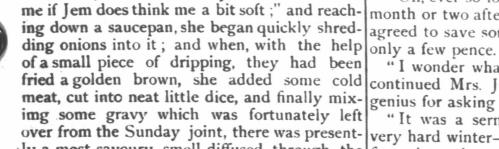
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" "Seems to me I'd best try Mrs. Robertson' way of doing things," said Mrs. Jenkins to hereverything up, and then I really would begin to speak," she added. and pay as I go on. I'd like my boy to have me that, and I know she's a tidy sum put by; to save. she's one that knows how to manage, though having my Jem home as sulky as a bear, I suppose, same as he was when he went out," and Mrs. Jenkins gave a savage wring to the

if he'd behave to her as my Jem has to me." which Mrs. Jenkins wished. ... She thought sometime over this, and seemed to have some difficulty in making up hav'nt you, Mrs. Robertson?"

her mind, for she took her hands from the wash tub, dried them on her apron, and walked man. almost to the door of the little larder, and

kitchen with a quick, decided step, saying as affairs. she did so, "I can but try, and it won't kill



"I'm not afraid of that," said Mrs. Jenkins, his bank-book, the same as Johnnie has, and laughing, "and I'll come down to your house was never the best of listeners, "that's what I should like to feel I'd a little something put presantly and fetch the child home." She I should have thought he'd say; but you told by against a rainy day. I must find out how made up her mind at that moment to consult me the sermon was about saving; how did Mrs. Robertson began to save-she didn't tell her neighbour about the best way of beginning that come in?

she does seem so quiet and stupid-like, and I'd very long Mrs. Jenkins had tidied her kitchen. The vicar said that he knew very well that a as soon go to ther as to anyone for she's hung out her washing, and made herself "fit good many had brought this on themselves by very close. . . . Surely that's never ten strik- to be seen ;" and indeed in an afternoon Mrs. being so thriftless and extravagant when they ing? It is though, and by and by I shall be Jenkins was often very smart, and hardly to were earning good money. He told us that be recognised for the drabbly, somewhat dirty some men he had seen that week, thankful for woman she often looked in the morning.

shirt she was washing, as if to vent her feelings and fortune certainly favoured her that afternoon, it all as fast as they earned it, and then when on that garment. She worked busily on, but for Johnnie and Percy were out in the back- hard weather came they had nothing but the somehow she could not get Mrs. Robertson garden where Johnnie was doing the honors pawnshop to fall back on. Every honest man out of her head that morning, and she kept of his own bed to the admiring Percy, and Mrs. should save, and it is dishonest for men to speculating how her neighbour would behave Robertson was darning some socks, so that spend all they earn and never put by anything in her place. "I wonder how she'd treat John evrything seemed to favour the quiet chat for what we call a rainy day. Bad times must

then suddenly changed her mind, and began Mrs. Jenkins, who, once started, was not bur-lieve the more you learn to save the more washing again. At last, however, she settled dened with that delicacy which prevents people you'll have to give. The two things work the point, whatever it was; and left the back- from inquiring too closely into other people's together the same as the bricklayer makes

me if Jem does think me a bit soft ;" and reach- month or two after we married that John and I thing put by. . . 'I'll try that plan,' said agreed to save something every week, if it was John to me as we walked home; and so we

"I wonder what first put it into your head?" fried a golden brown, she added some cold continued Mrs. Jenkins, who certainly had a

over from the Sunday joint, there was present- very hard winter-you remember it surely, the seem honest of me to save." ly a most savoury smell diffused through the first winter that ever we came here." as often as not, and indeed invariably on a house. But surely you never managed to put them." washing-day, had to put up with cold and anything by that winter did you? I should little besides a dinner of bread and cheese, "Well it was about both things. It was like me for the money." which would* probably have some more hard this. I can't give you his words, of course, but what sulkily home, and was greatly surprised est that had been known in England for many his wife say in a cheerful voice, "Here you are, enough as I know, for John had found a thrush more than I should save." Jem, in the very nick of time. I was just frozen to death in the garden that very mornlatish, you'll know where I am, and that'll he began, all this misery must be put a stop by. make up this week's short money," and with to. We shall none of us, I think, sleep happily

this--the nearest approach to an apology that to-night if we have not done our utmost to Jenkins had ever made-he strode quickly help our suffering brothers and sisters; all of away. Mrs. Jenkins could not but acknow- you can give something; some can give ledge to he herself that her plan of reconcil-money, and money is sorely wanted; so let iation had succeeded beyond her brightest those who have it give freely; not just what hopes, and she cleared away the dinner-things you can spare, there's little pleasure in giving and swept up the kitchen with a lighter heart that ; give what you must deny yourselves to than she had possessed for many a long day, give, and then you'll find giving a pleasure. self as she closed the door behind them ; "my She had just finished when Mrs. Robertson Just try the plan. I know, and I can assure plan don't seem to answer. I'm sure I've looked in to say she had told Percy he should you that it is nothing but the naked truth, that never been able to save, nor to give much come home to dinner with Johnnie, as she had no one ever has regretted or ever wanted the either, for that matter; and yet I owe money kept him out so late and made him miss his money they have denied themselves to give. to the grocer and the baker, and there's Percy's own dinner; "not but what they have had a Perhaps, however, you haven't all money; new suit not paid for, nor my new boots neither. good slice of seedcake each from the house- have you then not time to offer to the poor? . . I wish I could once get straight and pay keeper at the Hall; so they're not starving, so We want helpers very badly, and if any one who can spare an hour a day, or '

"Well, but," interrupted Mrs. Jenkins, who

"So it was too," said Mrs. Robertson. "Let A willing heart makes light work, and before me see—how did he put it? Yes I know now. even a small loaf of bread, had been having She was soon at Mrs. Robertson's house, good wages in the summer, but they had spent come to every one sooner or later, and then "You've a bank-book same as your boy has what must those do who have no savings? You all know what they must do. They must "Yes, to be sure," answered that little wo-leither starve or live on other people's money; and both these ways of life are very hard. I "And how long have you had it?" pursued want every one hear to learn to save. I bework for the carpenter; and never be satisfied "Oh, ever so long! I think it was only a until out of every week's wage there is somehave, and that's now we started a savings-bank book.

"Well, I wish I'd one," said Mrs. Jenkins meat, cut into neat little dice, and finally mix-img some gravy which was fortunately left "It was a sermon the vicar preached that so much, one way and another, it would hardly fretfully; "but it's no use my saving. I owe "Oh, yes, it would, Mrs. Jenkins," urged "Bless your heart! I shall not forget that Mrs. Robertson. "If I were you I'd save to Mrs. Jenkins had been a cook before she winter for many a long day-how all the pipes get out of debt; at least, I know I could not married, and could, when she chose, turn out burst, and how we had to give a penny a pail bear the feeling that any one was wanting my many little dainty dishes. Jenkins, however, for every drop of water that came into the money, and grumbling because I had not paid " No, you're right there ; it is a horrid feelcomfortless dinners, for Mrs. Jenkins was fond have thought if the vicar preached about any-ing," admitted her neighbour. "I daren't of her ease. Certainly to-day her husband ex- thing in that hard weather, it was more likely pass by Miss Moreen's lodgings. She makes Percy's suits, you know, and she is always at words to accompany it; so he trudged some- he told us about the frost, how it was the hard- then make the little fellow's suits yourself." "Well, pay her and have done with it, and to find the door opened for him before he was and many a year, and how the very birds and haven't the money; and is it likely that I can "How can you talk like that ! I tell you I half-way up the little flagged path, and to hear beasts suffered from it - and that was true begin tailoring at my age? I should spoil " Oh, no, you wouldn't, I promise you, Mrs. ing; and then he went on-the vicar, I mean Jenkins," said Mrs. Robertson eagerly. "'Tis "Now I must be off to work again," said - to tell us how terribly the poor suffered, and easy enough making suits for such little boys. Jenkins, rising from his seat and walking to-he told us things about some of the poor chil-Percy is about the same size as my Johnnie, wards the door, where, however, he stopped, dren and people in the lanes about here, that isn't he? I could help you in the cutting out, and said somewhat awkwardly, "I shall be really I could hardly bear to hear, it sounded and put you in the way of making it as well." bringing some extra money home this week, I so pitiful; and then, just as I thought he had mrs. Jenkins returned home with a firm re-hands for over-work to carry out a large order, his voice, and I shall never forget what he called, by which she meant to pay her debts and I may as well do it as another; so if I'm said, it was so clear and plain. Dear people, her debts, and feel at liberty to begin and put

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"MY FATHER."

A NEW YEAR'S PRAYER.

Father, thou mad'st this little frame, Fashioned with wondrous skill; To Thee I dedicate its power, Teach me Thy holy will.

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And gaze with gratitude and love Upon Thy works so fair.

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To Him glad anthems raise.

- These hunds shall bind the bleeding wounds
- Of sorrowing children here; These feet shall run on errands swift, The sad in heart to cheer.

This beating heart shall love and bless All thou did'st die to save,

() Lamb of God, who bore for us The thorns, the cross, the grave.

My Father, help a little child ; Grant me Thy grace, I pray, To live thus wholly unto Thee, Throughout life's little day.

THE LOST AND FOUND. OR,

CHILDREN OBEY YOUR PARENTS.

BY MRS. SIGOURNEY.

young about the advantage as well from school. from school would ask for her, and ed. tottering footsteps.

ttering footsteps. But Charles, with all his kindness play, and questioned his compan-her heart, in place of the child she ternational Throat and Lung Institute, But Charles, with all his kindness ions, but in vain. The neighbours had lost. She brought him the 18 Philips Square, Montreal, P.Q., or of heart, had a sad fault. He would collected, and attended the father coarse garments of her dead son, sometimes disobey his parents when in pursuit of his lost son. What and he was obliged to put them on he was out of their sight. He did was their distress at finding his for he had no other. not remember that the Eye of God clothes in a remote recess near the His heart sank within him when always saw him, both in darkness river's brink! They immediately on going out of the door he could acea for Rheumatism, Stiff Joints, Pain, In and in light, and would take note gave him up as drowned, and see no roof save the one where he flammation, &c. of the sin that he committed, commenced the search for his had lodged. Some little rocky though his parents knew it not. At body. There was bitter mourning islands were in sight, but none of a short distance from his home was in his once happy home that night. them inhabited. He felt as if he a beautiful river, broad and deep. Many weeks elapsed ere little Caro- was alone in the world, and said, His parents had strictly charged line ceased calling for her "dear this is the punishment of my dis him never to venture in, and had Tarle," or the sad parents could be obedience." Continually he was explained to him the danger which comforted. And it was remem- begging with tears to be taken to of Consumption. His child is now in a boy of eight years old would in- bered amid their affliction that the his home, and the men promised this country enjoying the best of health. beloved child whom they had en- "when we go so far again in the cur in a tide so strong. Notwithstanding this, he would sometimes deavoured to teach the fear of God boat we will carry you." But their seek a spot where the banks or the had forgotten that All-seeing Eye manners were so stern that be be manners were so stern that be be gives this recipe free, only asking two gan to fear to urge them as much three-cent stamps to pay expenses. trees upon the shore concealed him, when he disobeyed his parents. But while they were lamenting as he wished. So every night, This herbalso cures night-sweats, nausea and take off his shoes and step into when he had retired to sleep, the the water. He grew fond of wading, their lost son, he was not dead. and would occasionally stay in the While faintly struggling on the woman said to her husband, "We water a long time. Then he greatly river, he had been discovered and will keep him. He will be condesired to swim. He frequently saw taken up by an Indian canoe. He tented. His beautiful blue eye is larger boys amusing themselves in had been borne by the swift cur- not so wild and strained as when this way, and longed to join them. rent far from the place where he you brought him. My heart yearns has very largely increased in that locality, and But he feared lest they might men- first went into the water. And it towards him, as it did over the one adds that he hears very favorable opinions extion it to his father, and determined was very long after he was rescued that shall wake no more." She took him with her to gather to go alone. Here was the sin of the little boy, not only in continuing to dis-obey, but in studying how to de-

ceive his kind parents. One fine with two huge Indians. He shriek- her nest, and how to trace the swift afternoon in summer, school was ed, and begged to be taken to his steps of the heron, as with whirring dismissed at an earlier hour than father's house; but they paid no wing half spread it hasted through usual. Now, thought Charles, I can attention to his cries, and silently the marshes to the sea. And she make a trial at swimming, and get proceeded on their voyage. They taught him to dig roots which conhome before my mother misses me. wrapped a blanket around him, be- tain the spirit of health, and to He sought a retired spot, where he cause he had no clothes, and offer- know the herbs that bring sleep to had never seen his companions go, ed him some parched corn, but he the sick and stanch the flowing and hastened to throw off his had no heart to eat. By the rough blood; for she trusted that in inclothes and plunge into the water tossing of the boat he discovered dustry and the simple knowledge He did not imagine it was so deep that they were upon the deep sea, of nature he would find content. These eyes shall read Thy blessed Word, there, and that the current was so and the broad moon rose high, and At first she brought him wild flowexceedingly swift. He strugggled shone long ere they drew near to ers, but she perceived that they with all his might, but was borne land. Stupified with terror, one of always made him weep, for he had farther and farther from the shore the Indians carried him in his arms been accustomed to gather them The sea was not a great distance to a rude hut, and gave him to his for his little Caroline. So she from the mouth of the river, and wife. "What have you brought?" said wild recesses, and instructed him the tide was driving on violently,

and what could he do? Nothing, she, as she loosened the blanket, how to climb the trees where the but to exhaust his feeble strength, and discovered the dripping locks grapevine hung its airy clusters. and then give up and be carried and shivering form of the affiright-And she gave him a choice bow onwards. He became weary of ed child.

beating the water with his feet and "A white pappoose," answered liant feathers, and encouraged him hands to no purpose, and his throat the hoarse voice of the husband. to take aim at the birds that sung was dry with crying, and so he Poor Charles looked up with a cry among the low branches. But he floated along like a poor uprooted of horror and despair. The woman shrank flack at the thought of hurtweed. It was fearful to him to be regarded him earnestly for a mo-ling the warblers, and she said hurried away so, with the waters ment.

roaring in his ears. He gave up "He is like my son that I buriall hope of seeing his dear home ed," said she; and she folded her woman is not in spirit like his red again, and dreaded the thought of dark arms around him and wept. brother. He who sleeps in the being drowned and devoured by She kindled a fire to warm him, grave was happy when he bent the monstrous fishes. How he wished and pressed food upon him, but he bow and followed his father to the that he had not disobeyed his good was sick at heart. She laid him in chase.

parents! and he earnestly prayed the rude bed of her dead child, and God to forgive him. he sobbed himself into a deep, long At Charles Morton's home, his sleep. It was late in the morning mother had prepared a bowl of when he opened his eyes. Who bread and milk for him, because he can describe his distress ?- no kind 3,000 Spirometers, the invention of M. I have something to say to the usually was hungry when he came parent to speak to him, no little Souvielle, of Paris and Ex-aide Surgeon

as the duty, of obeying their par- At length she began to look neek; nothing but a dark hovel ents. My story will be of an inter-from the window, and to feel un-land strange Indian faces. esting boy, who was named Charles easy. Little Caroline crept to the woman, with her husband and tion in its first stages, and many dis-Morton. He had a pleasant temper, door, and continally called "Tarle! father, were the sole inhabitants of eases of the head, throat and lungs. and almost always wore a smile. Tarle!" But when the sun disap- the hut, and of this lone, sea-girt He ardently loved his sister Caro-peared, and Mr. Morton returned, island. A dreadful feeling of deso-people showieg certificates can have

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And day by day He'll give me work My happy childhood through ; Some task of patience and of love, Which only I can.do.

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"I PUNISH MY OWNSELF.

"Allan! Where is Allan?" A moment ago he was playing with his little cart in the yard, man. But Allan is gone; there is his cart.

"Allan! Allan!"

voice from the back parlor.

"What are you there for?" asked his mother, opening the door and looking in.

Allan did not answer at first. He was standing in the corner with a very sober look on his face.

"Come out to your little cart," said his mother; "it is waiting for another run."

"I'se not been here long 'nuff," said the little boy.

"What are you doing here at all?" asked his mother.

"I'se punishing my ownself. I picked some green currants, and **BEAUTY AND WISDOM** they went into my mouth," said Allan.

" Oh, when mother told you not to! Green currants will make my little boy sick," said his mother in a sorry tone.

"You needn't punish me," said Allan; "I punish my ownself."

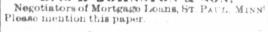
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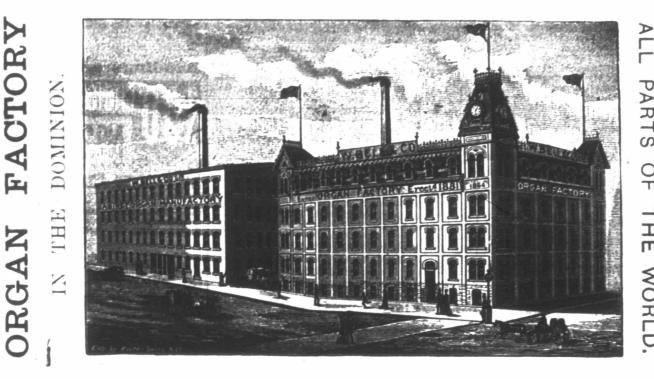
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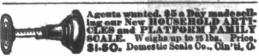
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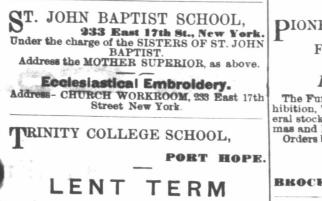
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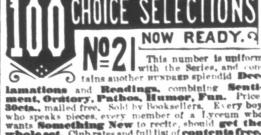
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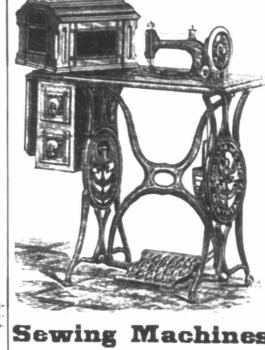
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