





Poetry.

BY AND BY.

A school-boy sits with a troubled look... He has pondered long o'er that useless book...



The Church.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THIS BRANCH WILL BE HELD (N.V.) IN THE HALL OF THE MECHANICS' INSTITUTE, HAMILTON, ON THURSDAY EVENING, THE 13TH MARCH NEXT, AT HALF-PAST SEVEN O'CLOCK.

THE MISIONARIES ARE REQUESTED TO TRANSMIT ANY INFORMATION THEY HAVE FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE CHURCH, AT LARGE IN TIME FOR INSERTION IN THE SECRETARY'S REPORT.

DIVINE SERVICE WILL COMMENCE AT 11 O'CLOCK. THE CLERGY ARE REQUESTED TO APPEAR IN THEIR BLACK ROBES.

THE LORD BISHOP OF TORONTO HAS SUMMONED A MEETING OF THE SYNOD IN THE CATHEDRAL, TORONTO, ON THURSDAY THE 17TH APRIL NEXT, TO TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION VARIOUS IMPORTANT MATTERS, AFFECTING THE WELFARE OF THE CHURCH.

THE NEW BISHOPS. This town in which we were residing at the passing of the British "Reform Bill" happened to be one of the new boroughs; a young man who was desirous of the honour of being one of its representatives, but was somewhat late in the field, fearing that the voters generally were already pledged to one or other of his rivals, indulged in a strain of caustic remarks, as to the childishness and want of considerate principle manifested in such hasty conduct.

Our tale has a moral! It is this. That in a matter so immeasurably more important— even the election of a Bishop of Christ's Holy Catholic Church,—the Clergy and Laity of the proposed new Diocese, it is to be most earnestly hoped, will not fall into the error committed by the rat voters of the new English Borough, or that if unfortunately any of them should do so, they will profit by the advice so wisely given by its youthful representative, and immediately withdraw a pledge so hastily, and as we think so improperly given. The selection of a Chief Overseer over the House of God, is a matter, the awful importance of which can scarcely be over-estimated, and yet the Anglican Clergy and Laity have been so long deprived of any share in that selection, that in being first called upon to exercise so sacred a function—there is perhaps some danger lest they should not be fully alive to its truly fearful responsibility.

True, would also, have conveyed no distinct impression. The Pope, the so-called Methodist Bishop of New York, and even the Moderator of the Scotch Kirk would each say the same! We repeat it then, we require Prayer-Book Bishops. Men who believe the doctrines of the Prayer-Book, one and all, in their full, plain, grammatical sense, to be true and lucid exponents of those of the Bible. Men who heartily approve the forms, ceremonies, and ritualism of the Prayer-Book. Men who having avowed their belief in its doctrines and sworn obedience to its commands, have learned no subtle casuistry by which to satisfy their conscience in dividing their allegiance with either Rome or Geneva; but while they love, believe, and obey themselves, will with gentleness and patience, but yet with firmness and determination require the same from their clergy.

THE KINGSTON BISHOPRIC. Another proof is furnished of the general feeling throughout the proposed Diocese, by the expression of the large and influential meeting held at Cornwall, on the 20th February, for the purpose of considering the Ven. Archbishop of Kingston's communication in regard to the appointment of the Rev. Thomas Hincks to the See, and the endowment thereof. The Constitutional says: Among those present we observed, the Hon. P. Vankoughnet, Judge Jarvis, Dr. Dickinson, Guy C. Wood, A. J. Barnhart, H. Baker, T. S. Rubidge, E. J. Chesley, James N. Dixon, A. Shearer, Esquires, and the Rev. Messrs. Patton, Boswell, Kerr, Harris, Stephenson, Mountain, and Rev. Dr. Lewis.

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