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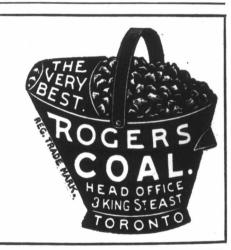
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Frances Ridley Havergal.

St. Peter's Church, Astley, Worcestershire, is a fine old Norman alien priory church, which has been falling into decay, and an appeal is now being made through Church Bells not only for its restoration, but the extension of its schools and the erection of a mission church in a growing district. To this generation the most interesting fact connected with Astley is that it was the birthplace, and is the last resting place of Frances Ridley Havergal, who was born at the rectory, on December 14th, 1836, baptized in Astley Church, the 25th January, 1837, and laid to rest in Astley churchyard on June 9th, 1879. On her tombstone are inscribed the words:

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The Picture Postcard.

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The Polish Bishops

It may not be forgotten that in the spring we called attention to two movements among the Poles for their recognition by the Church in the States. One was in the New England States, the other, the larger, was from the Western States where a large autonomous body was gathered under Bishop Kozlowski, who had been ordained by the old Catholic Bishops. To prevent their joining us great efforts are being made by the Roman body in the States, and they suggest either the appointment of one or more Polish Bishops, or placing them under the oversight of special vicars general. The New York Times says: "In interested circles here this note is regarded as the final effort to prevent the going of 80,000 Poles, under the leadership of the schismatic Bishop Kozlowski, into the Protestant Episcopal Church. It was sent direct to Cardinal Gotti, Prefect of the Propoganda, and official news was received yesterday by the local branch of the Alliance that the question is now being considered by a committee composed of Cardinals Gotti, Rampolla, Vannutelli, Agliardi, Martinelli, Satolli, Steinhuber, and Segna. In the event of three Polish Bishops being appointed before the fall meeting of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of New York, it is believed the followers of Kozlowski will return to the Catholic Church. Kozlowski has been assured by Bishop Potter that his proposition will be accepted, and is now in this city waiting for the

annual convention of the New York Diocese. The note to the Vatican did not recommend any priest for the Bishopric, but urged the early consideration of appointments 'for the best interest of Polish Catholics in the United States.' The Archbishops of the country are said to favor the appointing of missionary Bishops for all the foreign elements, but whether they will give consent to such Bishops having direct jurisdiction is another question."

Emigrants.

A great outcry was raised about a year ago, in consequence of the outbreak of fanaticism among the Doukhobors, an agricultural people who had been brought from Russia to our own Northwest. The unexpectedness and picturesqueness of the incident was seized on by the purveyors of news and imaginative artists all over the world, and advertised Canada in one way; but not a very desirable one. Yet if a little reflection be bestowed on the subject, we think this outbreak of a few immigrants should not prejudice us against the people as a whole. We would infinitely prefer as settlers our own race and then northern Europeans, but next to these the most desirable races are the physically strong, religious Russians of German origin or character. What we want is a farming class, but where is it to come from? Not from the old land now that race has gone. The statistical register of the German Empire of 1903, just published, gives among other details the following table, which is full of instruction and warning, of the occupations of the people of various

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In England, 10 only out of every 78 are now engaged in agriculture. No wonder that the military authorities are in despair at the continuous decline of the physical standard. Every care is now taken to improve the physique of the urban population, but what Oliver Goldsmith wrote, although now decried, is worth remember-

"Ill fairs that land to hastening ills a prey, Where wealth accumulates and men decay." The farmers and peasants are the backbone of a

Immigrants.

Now that peoples are carried by the million in each year from one continent to another, it is right that we in Canada should conserve as far as we can the character of our immigrants, and restrict so far as can be done the importation of undesirable peoples just as we would keep weeds out of our fields. The Outlook points out the enormous flood of immigrants to the States in the following table:

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and proceeds: Nothing like the present flood of immigrants has ever been known except in 1882, and even that year's flood was radically different from the present. The six countries which have contributed most largely to our population sent the fellowing number of immigrants in the twospect of years.

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Greater Britain	276,000	69.000
Seandinavia	105,000	78.000
Germany	251.000	40.000
Italy	32.000	230,000
Austria	29.000	206.000
Russia	21.000	136.000

The aggregate immigration from Great Britain. Scandinavia, and Germany has fallen from 632,-000 to 187,000, while the aggregate immigration from Italy. Attenta, and Russia has risen from 82,000 to \$72,000 Mr. Beecher's happy optimism. regarding the rapel assimilation of "immigrant hay" by the American ox is no longer so easily justified. Twenty years ago our immigrants were chiefly of the same race- that had peopled England, and quiltly formed a homogeneous, element in our national growth. The bulk of the immigration to-day is from races historically remote, and to-day widely separated from us by the different social, industrial, and political environments. The process of assimilation necessary to national unity is thereby rendered far more difficult, and the difficulty is still further increased by the illiteracy of the majority of the immigrants, and their tendency clannishly to settle in communities of their own in our great cities. The extent to which the present immigrants are adding themselves, en masse to our urban wage-earning population, instead of becoming their own employers on Western farms, seems to Immigration Commissioner Sargent to promise serious complications when a period of industrial depression again sets in. The Commissioner urges the enactment of the measure held up in the senate to restrict this class. The Outlook holds that the first duty of a people is not to create an apparent economic prosperity by cheap labour, but to create good citizens.

"Trinity Federation."

Canoni Sweeny, Toronto, writes: Before you close your columns to the discussion of this question agitating the Church. I desire to say that I regret that an urgent message called me away from the Thursday evening meeting at Trinity College before the vote was taken. Had it been otherwise, the vote would have stood 121 to 74. I am emphatically and unalterably opposed to federation, and intended saying so last Thursday evening. With the protest so many of us signed I am heartily in accord, and every word of Mr. Armour's temperate speech in support of his amendment I cordially endorse. His arguments appear to me to be simply unanswerable.

The Name of the Church.

The voluminous writing and careful research in the United States upon the name "Protestant Episcopal," has unearthed some unexpected facts. One is the probability that the name was first used in the colonies to designate the Moravians. Dr. Hart, the Bishop of Lexington, in contributing a leaf to the mass, refers to an allegation that the phrase "Protestant Episcopal" had occasionally been used, not as a title but purely as a descriptive phrase, since the time of the English Revolution. Dr. Hart, indeed, shows that the word Episcopal is extremely recent as an English word; just one example (in the time of Henry VII) being found of its literary use "till well into the seventeenthcentury. The Living Church has been indefatigable in this research, and agrees with the Bishops of Lexington in expressing a sense of obligation to the Rev. Dr. Elliott for his careful investigation into the rise of the compound term in this country. Dr. Elliott's papers, The Living Church says, are of much historical value; but they only show what no one has deniedthat the term had its origin, as a proper name,

within the decade preceding the adoption of the constitution of the American Church. He has not succeeded in going back of the date—1780—which was named in our Handbook of Information as that of the first technical use of the name Protestant Episcopal. The term was "accidental," and "glided in "—phrases criticized by the Bishop of Lexington—only in the sense that they were not the result of a direct consideration of what term might most wisely be applied to this Church. Nor does anyone maintain that the term was "purloined" from the Moravians; but it is beyond question that as a descriptive term it had been applied to that body as far back as the year 1747.

Grosse Isle.

The Lord Bishop of the diocese is anxious to meet with a young man to act as lay reader and school teacher at Grosse Isle. Magdalen Islands. It will not be necessary for him to head a diploma, so long as he can teach the elements to young children, keep good order, and is a godly, well-disposed young man. It is possible that some clergyman may know of a young man who will fill these requirements, and would recommend such an one to the Bishop of Quebec.

A SCHOOL INSPECTOR ON EDUCATION.

Mr. J. L. Hughes, Inspector of Public Schools, Toronto, is reported as having said recently at the opening of Dominion Industrial Fair, that "he thought the most important part of training was in their emotional and spiritual nature, teaching a boy a belief in himself, and then in his country and race. A boy so trained would then have faith in his God. But it was impossible to give a boy this faith in God until he had first learned something more definite. We should rather put it the other way, teach a boy to have faith in his God, and then he will have faith in himself, his country and his race. Self-reliance is good, but reliance in God is better. Humility and reverence form a better basis of character than self-confidence, and so the wise man thought, when he said, "By humility and the fear of the Lord, are riches, honour, and life." Reverence and courtesy are lacking too evidently in the youth of our land, and if they are taught belief in self first, and belief in God afterwards, we cannot be surprised at it. We wonder at such sentiments being expressed by one who has had experience, as an educationalist, and can only hope that such opinions do not generally obtain among men occupying the position of school inspector or teacher.

MAN WORSHIP.

The tendency to man worship is ever present and always seductive, and the individual, his personal gifts or character, are only too likely to overshadow his message, and to be regarded of more importance than his principles, or what generally he may embody or represent. This was manifest especially in the Church at Corinth, and was reproved by St. Paul, who would have them regard what he preached, Christ crucified, rather than the preacher, whether it were himself, or Apollos or Cephas. As he said in his second epistle to them, "For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord, and ourselves your servants for Jesus sake." The tendency to man worship is confined to no church or sect, it is ingrained in human nature, and the Roman Catholic may have his favorite confessor or preacher as well as the Anglican or Nonconformist. People charmed by a magnetic personality, a pleasing voice, or graceful oratory, may accept with more readiness misleading doctrines, than if they came stated in a less pleasing manner. The disposition to magnify the individual preacher

and to indulge in man worship seems to be greater among Protestant sects fhan in historic communions. In the latter men rest more on an ancient creed and organization than they do on any individual, and a stately ritual environed by splendid architecture, and accompanied by enchanting music, detracts from any individual however prominent either as celebrant or preacher. When the service is severely simple, when the preacher and sermon are more prominent than any preliminary or accompanying ceremonies, when these are all subordinate to the preacher and his utterances, and exercise 1.0 restraint upon him, then more than under any other conditions we find the man most exalted—and the tendency to man worship. greatest. Here the preacher has the greatest treedom, and here the sermon, as it does oftentimes, deals closely with social and political questions, rather than those of a scriptural and doctrinal character, with what is exciting and sensational, more than with what is sober and devotional, and this amid crowds, who express more or less sympathy, or approval of the preacher, as he voices their sentiments, or accentuates their prejudices; here under these favouring conditions, do we find man worship most prominent, and multitudes incapable, many of them, of weighing truth swayed by passionate utterances, and fascinated and dominated by a powerful personality. Today more than anything else, in politics, or religion, personality is admired, and immense influence attaches to it, when it is pleasing and powerful. Hence we hear of calls to preachers, their characteristics are dwelt upon, their pictures are printed in the papers, and their utterances are published by the daily press, especially if they are eccentric, sensational, personal, or in any other way exciting, and likely to cause comment or controversy. Hence preachers who want to be advertised, or to make themselves notorious, abandon edifying gospel themes, and enter upon the discussion of curious, exciting or controversial subjects, social and political, and a certain class of hearers fond of pulpit fireworks flock to hear them. As little devotion as a regard for decency in a place of worship will permit is sanctioned, and the greater part of the time is devoted to the intellectual and exciting treat which is to be furnished by the preacher. In the Roman Catholic or Anglican Church there is not so much of this, as in some other bodies, for reasons which we have indicated. Their movements and sayings, because quiet and unsensational, are not so often reported and commented on in the daily press, nor do the curious or the sensation-monger flock to them in such crowds as they do to those who pander to their morbid love of what is exciting, and do not weary them with too much that is religious or devotional. An illustration of the tendency to man worship among Nonconformists is evident in the enormous crowds which flock to listen to the sermons of the Rev. Mr. Campbell, of the City Temple, London, and who express their approval of his strong accentuation of their social and political prejudices with applause. Mr. Campbell is, we do not question, an able man, but there are in London in connection with the National Church, many men in all respects the equal of Mr. Campbell, either as a thinker or preacher, who preach to comparatively small congregations, because they adhere to strictly gospel themes, and to quiet and unexciting methods. There is a staff of able preachers at St. Paul's, and Westminster Abbey, who do not attract so great a multitude as the City Temple preacher, because their topics and environment chasten and restrain their eloquence. Whether the Church might not give greater scope to some of her gifted sons to elucidate from the pulpit, prefaced by brief devotions, the great questions of the day, as they affect, or are affected by religion, may be

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PAPER ON PREACHING, III.

By Presbyter.

He who would preach must have grasped this first great principle. He has a message to deliver, once, twice, three times a week. Where is he to get his ever-needed, ever-fruitful, everblest and blessing message.

His reservoir is the Word of God. In other words, from God the message comes, in so far as he has revealed Himself in His Word. There is no relief for a perishing world in any other message. Religious essays are good in their way. Moral disquisitions, and the discussion of current events, and philosophic fads, and controversial arguments, and childish crudities, may satisfy some minds, and serve to cover up the deficiencies of the ministry in real solid scriptural and doctrinal teaching. But to a world that lieth in wickedness, unreconciled to its God, whose inhabitants are ever crossing the bar with no Pilot in sight, the message of life must come from the fountain of life!

How is the preacher to get it? In two ways. I. From his fellow-men. II. On his knees. 1. From his fellow-men. We may lay it down as a law, that the place in which a man finds himself, (always provided he has not intrigued and pulled wires to get it,) (and if he ever does that he will surely find his punishment) is the place which God intends him to occupy. He wisely makes himself acquainted with it. "This is my field, and I must know it." So he goes in and out among his people, and gains their confidence, and opens his stores of love for them, and ascertains their wants, and estimates their calibre, and comes to know what they habitually think and talk of, and learns their spiritual needs, and sees the weak spots, and penetrates the secret griefs, and goes to his study overwhelmed oft times with the greatness of his burden, and falls down before his God in an agony of prayer for guidance. But week by week his message suggests itself, and assumes its shape and dimensions. And when it has formed itself, then to the word and to the testimony. The Word is studied in its original tongues. "Open thou mine eyes, that I may see the wondrous things of thy law." No preacher of the Word should ever be satisfied till he can read the originals of the scriptures. We try all of us to do this with the New Testament. Few read the Hebrew of the Old. We have a good translation of it into Greek, in the Septuagint. We have a better into English in our own Authorized Version and Revised Version. But nothing can take the place of the original inspired Hebrew, and no expounder of its mysteries will cease to labour until he has mastered the massive simplicity of the grand vehicle of the Oracles of God, the sacred Hebrew tongue. Many and many a time the prayerful study of the original will bring flashes of light and floods of sanctified thought, when the human versions had yielded nothing. And the preacher as he labours, will have his people in his mind. It is for them he toils, and prays. It is their uplifting he seeks, and he teaches himself and them simultaneously.

Would not our dear people listen a little better sometimes, even though the manner should be dull, and the speech tedious, if they thought of their pastor thus getting ready for his task? And is it not clearly seen how

oddness and eccentricity are absolutely barred out by this conscientious carefulness about the meaning of Scripture? Dr. Eachard, in his book illustrating the condition of the English clergy at the close of the 17th and beginning of the 18th century, furnishes some curious examples of eccentricity in choice of texts, and in inference from them. He tells us of a preacher who selected Acts 16:30, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved." and preached on the divine right of episcopacy. "For Paul and Silas are called 'Sirs;' and 'Sirs' being the Greek Kugioi, and this meaning 'Lords,' it is plain that episcopacy was not only the acknowledged government, but that bishops were peers of the realm, and ought to sit in the House of Lords."

Another preacher of the time of Chas. II. preached from "Seek ye first the Kingdom of God," and then inferred that kingly government is most in accordance with the will of God. "For it is not said, 'Seek the parliament of God, the army of God, or the committee of safety of God; but it is the Kingdom of God."

Another, discoursing on Is. 58: 5, "Is it such a task that I have chosen, a day for a man to afflict his soul. Is it to bow down his head like a bulrush?" deduces the proposition that "repentance for an hour, or a day, is not worth a bulrush. Another took the text, Ps. 94:19, "In the multitude of my thoughts within me, thy comforts delight my soul," and preached on election and reprobation," saying, that among the multitude of thoughts there was doubtless a great thought of election and reprobation!

An aged New England minister, during the colonial period, once preached before a very unpopular deputy-governor from Job 20:6, 7. "Though his excellency mount up to the heavens, and his head reach unto the clouds, yet shall he perish forever!" Another, to newly married couples, from Ps. 72:7, "and abundance of peace so long as the moon endureth." Dean Swift to the associated tailors of Dublin from "A remnant shall be saved." And among his printed sermons is one on Eutychus who fell down asleep from the 3rd loft, which begins thus, "I have chosen these words with design if possible to disturb some part of this audience of half an hour's sleep, for the convenience and exercise whereof, this place, at this season of the day, is very much celebrated."

The ideal of Christian preaching delineated above, and to which we all doubtless subscribe, will keep the true preacher from all contortions of passages of Scripture, such as found a place during the prevalence of Rationalism. The doctrines of sin and grace having been rejected, substitutes were found in semi-religious or wholly secular themes. Thus, the finding of the Child Jesus in a manger was used as a text for a discourse on the most effective methods of feeding cattle, and the appearance of Jesus walking in the garden at daybreak on Easter morn, was connected with the benefit of rising early and taking a walk before breakfast. Not a word was heard regarding the atonement, and faith, and sin, and the judgment, salvation, grace, or Christ's Kingdom.

NOTES FROM NEW YORK.

Steady progress is being made in the erection of the Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine. The four supporting columns of the centre will be put in place before the close of the year. Each column will be formed of two large stones, weighing 90 tons. These are now being unshipped at the wharf, and the task of transporting them to the Cathedral is taxing the ingenuity and resources of the contractors. Mr. A. Mosely, the South African millionaire, is sending over a commission of thirty experts to examine the systems of education in the United States, in their bearing upon national commerce and industry. In selecting his commissioners, Mr. Mosely's aim has been to secure the co-

operation not only of trained students of education, and of men connected with educational administration in all its branches; but also of leaders in the important centres of commercial, industrial, and intellectual life. One object of the commission will be to ascertain the method of education which best fits the scholar for a successful commercial career. One commissioner, the Rev. T. L. Papillon, formerly fellow of New College, Oxford, and now Vicar of Writtle, Essex, has been specially selected to represent religious education, and to study the questions discussed in our issue of August 6th, under the head of "The Church and Education." Mr. Papillon, in a letter which is before us, states that his investigations will include an enquiry "to what extent, if at all, ethical or moral teaching in the public schools, or definite religious teaching in private and Sunday schools makes up for the deliberate abandonment by the state of religious teaching in its common and high schools. It is a point that may at any time be of interest here (England), where there is always a possibility that the religious difficulty may land us in a purely secular system of state education." The commission will reach New York about October 10th, and its itinerary, which is being arranged with the assistance of President Butler, of Columbia University, New York, will include visits to typical high and elementary schools in that city, and to manual and ethical culture schools. Next comes Boston with a visit to Harvard University. Then Philadelphia, where there is much of educational interest,—the University of Pennsylvania, with the school of higher commercial education, the Drexel Institute, etc. Subsequently visits will be paid to the Johns Hopkins University at Baltimore, to Washington, Pittsburg, and Chicago, Detroit, Niagara Falls, Ithaca, (for Cornell University), Schenectady and Albany. The commission will probably stay in the States about 6 weeks. The Rev. Dr. Babbitt, rector of the Church of the Epiphany, New York, preached Sunday, (August 30th), on the "Sins and Foibles of Fashion," and laid stress on the dangers attending the useless display of wealth. He said in part as follows: "There are many ways to look at the selfish, wasteful, indecorous, baleful, and often inane class of the so-called 'Smart Set,' who either seem to make a crusade to get themselves in the newspapers before the public, or the newspapers make a crusade to get them, as enthusiasts impale butterflies for exhibition in a museum. Whichever it be, the result is the same. The senseless class in the public imitate them, the sober, thinking class has a pitying contempt for them, the earnest Christian blushes for them, the patriotic American abhors them, and the genuine aristocracy of America and Europe laughs at them. The amount they spend on their dinners, on their balls, on their automobiles, dresses, and yachts is vulgarly ciphered out to astonish the crowd. Many wealthy men in this city and country are utterly unworthy of the endowment of wealth they carry. Their aim seems to be to make a laborious business of trifling, to kill both time and money, and incidentally to kill themselves by social exhaustion. Many of these men are capable of better things. They need but to throw off the imperious thrall of a selfish fashionable life, and to be like their fathers, useful and honored American citizens, setting examples like our worthy Mayor, of devotion to the public good, or like young Cornelius Vanderbilt, pouring the tide of their energies along useful channels of daily service to mankind."

A sum of nearly £3,000 has been received and promised towards the £3,500 required for the episcopal throne and choir stalls in St. Alban's Abbey as a memorial to the late Bishop. It is hoped that the erection of the throne and stalls may be completed by St. Alban's Day, 1904.

THE BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW IN CANADA.

Head Office, Imperial Bank Chambers, Toronto.

Object.—The spread of Christ's Kingdom ameng men, especially young men.

Rules, (1) The rule of prayer is to pray daily for the spread of Christ's, Kingdom among men, especially young men, and for God's blessing upon the work of the Brotherhood.

(2) The Rule of Service is to make at least one earnest effort each week to lead some man nearer to Christ through His Church.

The Brotherhood has chapters with full organizations throughout the United States. England, Scotland, the West Indies, and Canada. Any clergyman or other Church person knowing of any young man moving to any place in any of these countries can ensure some attention being paid to him and probably his receiving the right hand of fellowship by a brother Churchman, by forwarding his name and address to William Walklate, general secretary of the Brotherhood in Canada, Imperial Bank Chambers, Toronto. The matter will then be followed up through the various Brotherhood offices.

Brotherhood Notes. A meeting of the executive committee was held on Tuesday, September 8th, when the following chapters were enrolled: Christ Church, Listowell, Ont., (273), and St. Mary's, Powassan, Ont., (274). The question of place of meeting in Toronto for the convention was thoroughly discussed.

A well attended meeting of St. George's and St. James' chapters, Guelph, was held on Friday, September 4th, to talk over matters concerning the Brotherhood, and the coming convention, and also to have an address from Mr. J. P. Cleal, of Dayton, Ohio, U.S.A. Mr. Cleal gave a capital speech on his work in connection with the Brotherhood in Dayton, and his efforts in torming a mission in the West End amongst the negroes.

Denver is to be the scene of this year's Convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, which meets in October. The St. Andrew's Cross gives the following description of the place of meeting: "Denver is situated in the valley of the South Platte, twelve miles from the foot-hills of the Rocky Mountains. The site of the city is neither level nor hilly, but pleasantly diversified by the rolling, undulating surface. The altitude is about 5,000 feet above the sea. A most magnificent view of the mountains is to be had from the streets of Denver, the best being one from a point east of Capitol Hill, at the end of Eleventh Avenue, which is at the highest point in the immediate vicinity. Bayard Taylor is said to have stated that the view from this hill was one of the best mountain views in the world. The distant ranges are visible for 200 miles. Pike's Peak, 70 miles to the south, seems, when the air is clear, to be quite near; and Long's Peak, almost as far to the northwest, appears to be within a short walking distance. To the north the panorama terminates with the Laramie Plains, and on the west the chief sentinel is Mount Evans, with its towering peak of snow and ice reaching a height of 14,331 feet."

Lord Nelson takes a great interest in the Brotherhood, and writes in Church Bells: "It is a great trial in working for the 'Brotherhood of St. Andrew,' to find the Church as a Body so utterly listless to our appeals for help. If we had £1,000 in hand for an advance movement, or a guaranteed £300 ā year for three years, we should soon have as many Chapters as they have in the United States, bringing a direct influence to hear upon the advance of Christ's Kingdom, with some 13,000 young men communicants pledged to this special object. This is another work which properly carried out

a sld all the churches, and restore the Church's full influence among men. This work influences all classes and all schools of thought, for true work gives no time to think of minor matters, when the saving of our fellow-men and the advancement of our Lord's Kingdom is the first motive of our lives."

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NOVA SCOTIA.

Frederick Courtney, D.D., Bishop, Halifax, N.S.

The Board of Governors of King's College, Windsor, are finding no little difficulty in their endeavour to secure a suitable man to succeed the Rev. Dr. Willetts in the presidency of that institution. There ought to be the right man somewhere in Canada to whom this would approve itself as a great opportunity, and which he would embrace with alacrity and enthusiasm. To take hold of the University just at the time when, in response to an energetic canvass, its friends throughout the Maritime Provinces are rallying to its support, and giving to develop its efficiency, and carry it on as the working head and centre to a gratifying success, is a prospect which to many would be singularly attractive. Such a man would need, in addition to zeal and determination, sound scholarship to render him the equal of any member of the Faculty, the skill to govern young men at a most difficult period of their life, the tact to co-operate with his fellow-instructors and the Board of Governors, and such an address as would make him an acceptable speaker at public meetings. Surely our younger educationalists, who are qualified for such a position, cannot know of this opening or the Board of Governors would be besieged by them, and their only difficulty would be to make the best and wisest selection for the practical head of this ancient University. The Board of Governors of King's held a very important meeting at Halifax on Tuesday, September 8th, at which the scheme for reconstruction of the Faculty and general reorganization of the College was adopted. Under the new scheme there will be two Professors of Divinity, three Professors of Classics, Natural Science, Modern Languages and Engineering, and three Lecturers in Mathematics, English Literature, History and Economics, and Chemistry, thus increasing the teaching staff by one professor and two lecturers. The president, if a clergyman, will hold the new Professorship in Divinity, which is to be known as the Alexandra Professorship, and has been founded and is to be supported by the Woman's Auxiliary to King's College. A new Science building is projected, and a permanent committee has been appointed to revise the syllabus of the College, in consultation with the Faculty, and to prepare a schedule for the degree of Ph.D., and also make arrangements for the granting of diplomas in music to associates and licentiates and degrees of Mus. Bac. and Mus. Doc. The Rev. S. Weston Jones, who for the past year has been conducting a most successful canvass on behalf of the Alumni Association to raise funds for the College, has now been appointed agent of the Board of Governors, and it is hoped that the result of his efforts will be not only to increase the annual income of the College by some \$4,000 or \$5,000, but also to raise a considerable permanent endowment. The Board found itself already assured of an increased income of \$2,500 through his energetic efforts. The threatened danger of amalgamation of the old Church University with an undenominational institution, and its virtual extinction as a Church institution, seems to have roused the Church of England in the Maritime Provinces to come to the aid of King's as it has never done before.

MONTREAL.

William Bennett Bond, D.D., Archbishop, Montreal, Q.

James Carmichael, D.D., Bishop-Coadjutor, Montreal, Q.

Montreal.—His Grace Archbishop Bond was in receipt of many messages of congratulation on the 10th inst. that he had reached his birthday in such health and usefulness as few who have lived in his day and generation may say. Among the first to wish His Grace a happy birthday was his son. Lieut.-Col. Bond. and then followed many calls afterward from relatives and friends, both in clerical and lay life. His Grace the Archbishop was born in Truro, England, on Sept. 10, 1815, and was educated in his early days at Truro and in London. He went first to Newfoundland, where he was in business for a time, but his bent was otherwise, and he was prepared for holy orders by the late Archbishop Bridge. He went to Quebec in 1840, and was raised to the priesthood by the late Bishop Mountain. He travelled in the Province of Quebec afterwards, and in 1842 became incumbent of Lachine, having been called to St. George's. Montreal, in 1848. What he was to that church for more than thirty years, and what His Grace is to-day in the affections of his people could hardly be said. It may be, however, safely said that His Grace does not belong altogether to his own communion, but to the community generally-for there are men of all creeds to whom his friendly word has been long regarded as very much to them. In the public service His Grace has never held back, and their best wish goes to him, along with those of his relatives and iriends, upon his birthday.

St. George's.—Bishop Carmichael preached the sermon on Sunday night, the 6th inst., in this church to a large congregation from the text, Psalm 37:23: "The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord." After speaking of the way in which our paths in life are ordered by God, and especially of the significance of earthly partings, he referred to the departure of the Rev. Dyson Hague, who left last week for his new work as rector of the Bishop Cronyn Memorial Church, in London. "Well, we of St. George's to-day part with a friend, not through ruptured iriendship, but in the way of God's providence, our friend, Rev. Dyson Hague. He leaves us, not, indeed, for a wider field of usefulness, but for more immediate personal responsibility, and I am sure that there is not one who has realized the earnest pleadings of his impassioned heart as week after week he has presented to you for your soul's salvation a living Saviour, Jesus Christ, and Him crucified, or who in your homes have felt the spell of his devoted ministrations, that will not wish him God-speed as he goes, and the richest blessings on his future work. I would wish it to be clearly understood that while he leaves me with my blessing, he does not leave me at my desire. I feel that our parting with him will be a spiritual loss, not only to St. George's, but to the city of Montreal and the whole diocese. But after the scriptural principles I has brought before you to-night, it is not for me to murmur or complain, for such partings of friends are in the hands of God. There is often a bright side to them that we do not see all at once, and God may have a great work for our friend to do where he is going, greater, maybe, far than here. May God's Holy Spirit go forth with him and his into his iuture, and make him a blessing and help and comfort to others elsewhere, as he has been blessing and help and comfort to many here." The Rev. Dyson Hague was made the recipient, at the hands of his Bible class of St. George's Church Sunday School, of a handsome travelling clock on the occasion of his leaving to assume the rectorship of the Memorial Church, London, Ont.

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of the Lord Bishop of Huron, has accepted this living in succession to the late Rev. Canon Evans. The matter has been in abeyance for some weeks past. The new rector is a graduate of Trinity University, Toronto, where he took his degree in 1806. He afterwards took a special course in theology at Wycliffe Hall, Oxford.

ONTARIO.

William Lennox Mills, D.D., Bishop, Kingston.

Tweed.—Harvest thanksgiving services were held in St. James' Church on Thursday, Sept. 3rd. There was an early celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 8 a.m., the incumbent being assisted by Rev. C. E. S. Radcliffe, B.C.L., of Camden East. At 3 p.m. first evensong was said by the incumbent, Rev. R. W. Irvine, B.A., of Flinton, reading the lessons, and Rev. C. E S. Radcliffe, B.C.L., preaching an excellent and practical sermon. At 7.30 p.m. second evensong was said by the incumbent, Rev. Messrs. Radcliffe and Irvine reading the lessons, and Rev. Rural Dean Young, of Sharbot Lake, preaching a highly appreciated discourse touching "God's unspeakable mercies to the world." The offertories and donations totalled \$71, and the money is to be applied to reducing the debt on the parsonage. Laus Deo.

Camden East.—Yarker and Newburgh.—The Sunday School picnics were a great success in these parishes. Camden East went to Varty Lake, and Yarker and Newburgh to Ontario Park, Kingston. Harvest thanksgiving services will (D.V.) be held at St. Anthony's Church, Yarker, and St. John's Church, Newburgh, Sunday, Sept. 20th, when the Rev. T. F. Dowdell, B.A., rector of Selby, will be the special preacher. Camden East will celebrate their festival on Thanksgiving Day, when the Rev. G. Ross Beamish, M.A., rector of St. Thomas', Belleville, will preach at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. A series of garden parties at Newburgh and Camden East went off well this summer.

Belleville.—Christ Church.—The Rev. Professor Howard, of Montreal, has been taking the duty here for the Rev. W. B. Heeney, the rector of the parish for the past few months. On Saturday, the 5th inst., the following address, which was beautifully illuminated, was presented to Mr. Howard on the occasion of his leaving the parish. The address was accompanied by a handsome silk

"To the Rev. Prof. Oswald W. Howard, B.A., B.D. Dear Sir,-It gives me intense pleasure to represent a congrgation who in turn represent your many sincere friends and admirers, who have listened to your well-thought-out and earnestly delivered sermons, and on their behalf to ask you to accept this address and accompanying umbrella as a very slight token of their appreciation of your services You have earnestly taught us God's Word, visited and comforted our sick, and bestowing marked attention to our Sunday Schools. We feel that you have the assurance that 'Duty faithfully performed crowns the hours with flowers.' Signed on behalf of the congregation of Christ Church, Belleville, Ald. L. B. Cooper, Warden.

"Belleville, August 29, 1903."

TORONTO.

Arthur Sweatman, D.D., Bishop, Toronto.

Trinity University.-At the recent meeting on the 9th inst. of the Alumni of this University the "Quiet Hours" were conducted by the Rev. W. Hayes Clarke, rector of St. Barnabas Church, Toronto. Papers were read by the Revs. Canon Farncomb, C. B. Kenrick and F. C. C. Heathcote on the subject of "Confirmation" in its different aspects. The evening meeting was taken up with the discussion of general business and the cause

of missions. The Rev. A. U. de Pencier presented a report of the Trinity Alumni Mission in Japan, where the Revs. C. H. Shortt and E. Ryerson are working. On Thursday evening, the 10th, a meeting was held in the Convocation Hall for the purpose of discussing the subject of Federation. The hall was crowded to the doors. After a lengthy discussion the original motion was carried in the face of strong opposition, the vote standing at 121 to 73. The Lord Bishop of the diocese was in the chair.

Wycliffe College.—A valedictory meeting was held in the Convocation Hall of this College on the evening of Tuesday, September 8th, for the purpose of taking leave of the Rev. R. H. Haslam and Miss Jean Hoyles, M.B., who are going out to India very shortly as missionaries of the Canadian C.M.S. The meeting was largely attended, and was a most interesting one throughout. The Bishop of the diocese presided, and besides himself addresses were delivered by the Rev. C. L. Ingles, T. R. O'Meara, C. Boyd, a missionary on furlough from China, the Rev. C. Du-Vernet and Mr. T. H. Mortimer. Short addresses were also given by the departing missionaries. Miss Jean Hoyles was married to the Rev. R. H. Haslam on Saturday afternoon last in the Church of the Redeemer, and started the same day on their long journey to the Orient via England. They will be stationed for the first two years of their residence in India at Clarkabad, in the Punjaub. They will leave England for the East on October 24th.

Grafton.—St. George's.—This church has been beautifully renovated within, thanks to the devotion and persistent effort of the Parish Guild, and has been celebrating its feast of rededication. The walls have been tinted a restful greyish green, bordered with stencilled patterns of red and gold. The chancel has been papered with crimson and gold fleur-de-lis below, plain crimson above, a green and gold moulding separating them, then a handsome border shading off to the pink of the ceiling. The seats, wainscoting, etc., have been grained in light oak, the chandeliers bronzed, a new carpet laid in the sanctuary and new matting on the aisles. By the kindness of Mrs. Cameron two bracket lamps have been placed over the reredos, and Col. and Mrs. Rogers have ornamented the chancel arch with a scroll bearing the illuminated text, "Hear, Thou, in heaven, Thy dwelling place, and when Thou hearest, forgive. All express themselves as much pleased with the changes made. They have cost the ladies about \$200-all paid for, and they are to be both thanked and congratulated. For the furnace about to be put in a \$200 contract has been given to a Colborne firm, and excavation has just commenced. On August 30th, in the midst of the deluge without, there were special prayers of reconsecration and Holy Communion within; seventeen communicants present. On September 6th there was a good congregation, many visitors among them; morning prayers and Holy Communion, with special Psalms, lessons and prayers from the consecration service. Rev. John Cunningham, of Dundee, Scotland, on a visit to relatives in the village, assisted all day, preaching in the morning from the story of the Good Samaritan: the wounded man, suffering humanity; the Good Samaritan, our Lord; the priest and Levite, the Mosaic Law and its proven inability; the inn, Christ's Church. In the evening the rector, Rev. Charles H. Brooks, preached from the motto on the chancel arch. Thus has the old church renewed her youth. While the congregation cannot do great things, they are doing what they can.

HURON.

Maurice Scollard Baldwin, D.D., Bishop, London.

Markdale.-The ruri-decanal chapter of the Deanery of South Grey met in regular session at Christ Church, Markdale, Tuesday, September 1st;

also the County Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary, who had a good attendance and mostinteresting meeting in the basement of the church. The session was preceded by a celebration of the Eucharist. Ante-communion service was said by the rector, Rev. J. R. Newell, assisted by Rev. Rural Dean Ryan and Rev. W. Hinde. The sermon was delivered by the Rural Dean. The preacher chose as his text St. Matthew 24: 14, and dwelt largely on a review of church work during the past fifty years and the progress made.

. . . Luncheon was served at the rectory for all visiting clergy and delegates. The deanery chapter meeting was held at 2.30 p.m. in the church. Rural Dean Ryan presided. There were present the Rural Dean, Rev. Messrs. Newell, Hill, Hinde and the secretary, Rev. C. L. Mills, also Messrs. J. B. Lucas, M.L.A., and Thomas Bradey, of Markdale. Interesting discussions took place on different subjects pertaining to the Church in this deanery It was decided that hereafter at regular sessions one or two papers bearing on Christian work should be read by some of the clergy, and open for discussion by the members of the chapter. During the session the rules of order were suspended while the Rural Dean conveyed on behalf of this deanery a motion of condolence to Rev. W. Hinde expressive of their sincere sympathy to him in this the hour of bereavement in his great personal loss he had sustained in the death of his son, and pray that we bow in humble submission to the will of the Almighty, 'who gave and who hath taken away.' The meeting was now closed by the Rural Dean pronouncing the benediction. Dundalk was chosen for next May meeting.

St. Mary's.—The Revs. Rural Dean McCosh, W. Craig, B.D., and C. Miles, M.A., the commissioners appointed by Bishop Baldwin to look into certain matters connected with a neighbouring parish, passed through St. Mary's last week. They visited the St. James' Church property and much admired it. Mr. McCosh said that for the beauty of its grounds and the taste shown in the furnishing of its interior it could not be surpassed in the diocese. The Rev. W. Craig said since he last visited the town a few years ago the improvement in the church property was surprising. The Rev. W. E. Taylor, son of the rector, who took the duty in this parish during the three months' absence of his father in the Northwest Territories and in British Columbia, has returned to Wycliffe College as Divinity professor. The Rev. W. J. Taylor has much improved in health by his holiday and since his return.

Listowel. — Christ Church. — This important parish in the second town of the County of Perth has had an interesting history, and is now in a condition of prosperity and progress. In 1863 the Rev. E. E. Newman, at that time diocesan missioner, visited the families and held the first services. The first church was erected on the McLean farm, on the south side of Main Street west. The Rev. E. T. Miller took charge in 1865, and the minutes of the first vestry meeting are dated April 22, 1867. Services at this time were held fortnightly, as the first incumbent had a mission including Gorrie and Fordwich. The members present at the first Easter vestry were: Rev. E. T. Miller, chairman; Messrs. W. T. Waugh, J. A. Halstead, John Lang, George Draper, Wm. McKeever, Sr., Wm. Fennell, Jos. Fennell, Jos. Ellison, Dr. Sill, R. Martin, W. Chamney, W. Gibson and A. J. Collins. The second rector was Rev. W. T. Magahy, who was appointed in 1869, and whose memory is fragrant in the parish even yet. The other clergymen who served the parish are as follows: Rev. Edward R. Jones, 1875; Rev. Hugh Cooper, 1877; Rev. G. O. (Troop, 1877; Rev. G. B. Taylor, 1880; Rev. H. Bartlett, 1881; Rev. Jeffrey Hill, 1883; Rev. Mark Turnbull, 1885; Rev. E. W. Hughes, 1888; Rev. J. F. Parke, 1890; Rev. J. H. Fairlie, 1895; Rev H W Jeanes, 1896; Rev. A. P. Moore, 1899; and the present rector is Rev. C. H. Buckland, who began his work Feb. 1. 1903. The old church was moved to the site of

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the present edifice in the year 1885, and, after being improved from time to time, was consumed by fire in 1895. Plans for a new church were prepared by Mr. John Bamford, a member of the congregation, in connection with the well-known ceclesiastical architect, Mr. F. Darling, of Toronto. A strong committee on building was appointed composed of Rev. J. H. Fairlie, rector; Messrs. A. St. George Hawkins, chairman; H. B. Morphy, secretary; J. H. Stuart, L. S. Hunt, J. H. Guenther, R. Woods, H. Goddard, R. K. Hall and R. T. Kemp. The Finance Committee were: Messrs. L. S. Hunt, chairman; Guenther, Morphy, Woods, Darling and Hawkins. The contract for the whole work was given to Messrs. Bamfer Bros. The corner-stone of this beautiful building was laid August 4, 1896, by the Lord Bishop of the diocese, who was attended by Revs. Rural Dean Deacon, Stratford; Jeffrey Hill, Southampton; T. G. A. Wright, Millbank; C. R. Gunne, Gorrie; S. R. Asbury, Atwood; McKee McLennan, Toronto, and the rector, Rev. J. H. Fairlie. The mayors of Listowel (J. W. Scott, Esq.) and Kincardine (J. A. Macpherson, Esq.) were also present officially. A procession was formed at the parish room, which proceeded to the spot selected singing "The Church's One Foundation." The Lord Bishop of Huron having laid the stone with the usual formalities, addresses were delivered by the Bishop, several of the clergy and the two mayors, after which the wardens, Messrs. J. H. Guenther and R. K. Hall, presented his Lordship with the silver trowel used on the occasion. The church was opened for divine service on May 16, 1897, the Lord Bishop of the diocese directing the service and preaching the sermon from Psalm 118:22, 23. The rector at this time was Rev. H. W. Jeanes, and the Revs. J. F. Parke and C. R. Gunne were present and assisted in the service, Rev. S. R. Asbury being present in the evening. A children's service was held in the afternoon, and the Bishop administered the rite of confirmation to thirtyfour candidates in the evening. The interior is very well arranged, and the fittings are very appropriate. The ceiling is finished in natural pine, laid diagonally in panels, and extends to the apex of the roof, the wooden principals and plates being exposed. The walls above the wainscoting are finished in stucco plastering, and the floor of the nave and transepts is of maple, also laid diagonally. A handsome oak pulpit, octagon in shape, the gift of the rector, commemorates the golden jubilee of Her Majesty Queen Victoria. The altar and altar drapes, also kneeling cushions, were presented by Rev. J. H. Fairlie. Drapes for special occasions were given by the Literary Society. Drapes for pulpit and prayer desk were given by Mrs. H. B. Morphy. Dorsal curtains were presented by Mrs. Jeanes and Mr. Hunt. Handsome brass standards support the communion rail. The windows impress one with their churchly design and handsome appearance. Three memorial windows in painted glass occupy the chancel end. The centre one represents "The Ascension," and is "In memoriam" of Rev. W. T. Magahy, second rector of the parish, being placed by Mrs. Magahy. The two other windows are memorials of the late Rev. H. Bartlett, who died while rector, and of James and Sarah Wood, the latter a loving tribute by their daughter, Miss S. Wood. The leaded work is very effective, and was executed by the Hobbs Manufacturing Co., London, Ont. The seating was supplied by the Globe Furniture Co., of Walkerville. The church is well lighted by the Auer light, and two Clare furnaces in the basement furnish ample warmth. The total cost was about \$9,000, and with the pipe organ represents fully \$10,000. This instrument was made by Messrs. Edward Lye & Sons, of Toronto, has two manuals and a full set of pedals. It is probably one of the best organs for its cost and specifications in the Province of Ontario, and the congregation are well satisfied with it. The seating capacity of the church is 400, and the furnishings are plain and comfortable. A marble tablet placed in the vestibule under the tower

records the main facts relating to the erection of the present building. The exterior appearance is quite striking. Being situated on the main street of the town, the church forms at once an architectural ornament and an ecclesiastical attraction. It is a fine specimen of modern Gothic architecture, having a well-proportioned nave and transepts, a large and commodious chancel, organ chamber and vestibule entrances. The tower is sixteen feet square, and as high as the roof-ridge, viz., forty-five feet. Massive stone buttresses, in harmony with the greystone of the walls and tower, the material for which came from the Mono quarries, make a most substantial appearance, and give a worthy, dignified impression to the observer. Durability is added to plainness in the plan of this edifice, which is without a doubt one of the most churchly in the Diocese of Huron. The Sunday services are of an attractive and ornate type. The organist is Prof. Charles J. Keller, and in his hands the instrument is used to the best advantage. A surpliced choir of thirty members-boys, men and young ladies-lead the service of praise in an effective manner. The rector is supported by zealous wardens, Messrs. John Watson and A. S. Tassie. The chapter of the B.S.A. is doing good work, and the other parochial organizations are the Sunday School, Woman's Auxiliary, Ladies' Guild and Choir Society. The Rev. C. H. Buckland came here from Gravenhurst, in Algoma Diocese, and is a graduate of Trinity University. His sermons are much admired, and the congregations at Sunday services are large and growing. There are no extremes of ritual in the services here, and the parish is at peace with itself. The accompanying cut will furnish a fair idea of this beautiful and substantial church in this prosperous and busy town.

RUPERT'S LAND.

Robert Machray, D.D., Archbishop and Primate,

Winnipeg.—The Rev. Charles Wood, rector of Stonewall, Man., has been appointed to Fort Frances, Ont., in the new diocese of Keewatin, and will leave for his new charge the last of September. Rev. Rural Dean Garton, of Morden, is taking his annual holiday among his former parishioners at Emerson. The services at Morden are being supplied from the college. The Rev. James Briscoe, B.A., missionary at Ninga, Man., has tendered his resignation, and is leaving at the end of October for Toronto, where he will enter Wycliffe College, for a postgraduate in Theology. He will pursue also a course in elocution and voice culture. Mr. Briscoe is an honour graduate of Manitoba University, and prizeman in St. John's College, Winnipeg. While at college he was conspicuous as a debater, being a subtle reasoner. In the mission field he is untiring and conscientious in every effort put forth. He was at Binscarth previous to coming to Ninga. The Rev. G. E Lloyd, chaplain and leader of the All-British Colony recently planted in the Northwest, and the settlement of which is called Britannia, preached in Holy Trinity Church, Winnipeg, on Sunday, August 30th, at the morning service. It will be remembered that Mr. Lloyd is the successor of Rev. Mr. Barr, the originator of the All-British Colony. Mr. Lloyd is making arrangements for a further immigration next year. The Young People's Society, in connection with the church at Boissevain, (Rev. J. W. Matheson, M.A., rector), is preparing a list of subjects, to be taken by various clergymen throughout the diocese, at the weekly meetings during the coming winter. The Rev. W. E. Edmonds, B.A., incumbent of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, had a very narrow escape from drowning in the Saskatchewan River a few weeks ago. He was out in his skiff-"The Saucy Nancy," when it capsized in a very swift *running current. Unable to upright the boat, he succeeded in getting astride, and in this man-

a deep bend in the river, where he was able to strike the shore. Mr. Edmonds lost his coat and several valuable articles, which were rapidly borne away in the direction of Lake Winnipeg. A word or two about the present incumbent of Saskatoon. Mr. Edmonds is an old Woodstock boy. He was one of the most popular graduates of St. John's College. At college he took a keen interest in the field sports, having won, in 1900, the championship, and the "Schultz Trophy," (this is a cup presented a number of years ago to St. John's College, by Dr., afterwards Sir John Schultz, and a former Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, to be contested for each year at the field sports). Mr. Edmonds was also editor of the College Magazine for three successive years, and through his literary abilities, the columns of the magazine were raised to a high state of efficiency. His literary abilities are considerably marked in other ways, he having been a contributor at times to the Boy's Own Paper, The Canadian Magazine, and other publications. The poem, "The Wedding of the Flowers," seen in the book entitled, "The Little Manitoban," containing an article by Mr. Thompson-Seton, and prefaced by Lady Minto, is from Mr. Edmond's facile pen. During the inrush of the Barr colonists, Mr. Edmonds saw Saskatoon grow from a village to a city in a single night-an experience, few people have ever had. At present the incumbent of Saskatoon is on a holiday jaunt, enjoying a few days duck-shooting, and renewing acquaintances at Duck Lake and Prince Albert. The Rev. J. S. Mahood, B.A., incumbent of Duck Lake, Saskatchewan, is at present in England. He will be returning shortly and will reside in future at Rosthern. Mr. Mahood is the author of a lengthy poem entitled "Evolution." The Rev. J. Johnson, of Stratton, Ont., an Indian missionary on the Rainy River, is spending a week or two in Winnipeg. The Rev. Mr. Roche, of England, has succeeded the Rev. Mr. Easton, resigned, to the incumbency of Melita. Mr. Easton has returned to Prince Edward Island, where he has been appointed to an important living. Much guessing anent the Coadjutor Bishop of Rupert's Land is going on among the clergy and laity at present. The appointment will be made in October. The names mentioned most frequently are Dr. Matheson, Dean of Rupert's Land; and Bishop Grisdale, of Qu'Appelle diocese. In regard to the new Bishop for Saskatchewan, Archdeacon Holmes, and Archdeacon MacKay's names, seem the only ones mentioned. Should Bishop Grisdale, of Qu'-Appelle, be appointed Suffragan for Rupert's Land, with the view to succeed His Grace the Archbishop, it is said that the successor to His Lordship the Bishop of Qu'Appelle will likely be Rev. Rural Dean Harding, of St. Matthew's, Brandon, or the present Dean of Rupert's Land. But then—it is all speculation at present. Mr. Seymour DeKoven Sweatman, B.A., who has been out for the summer months on a mission field under the charge of Rev. J. W. Matheson, of Boissevain, Man., is returning to his Theological studies at Trinity, Toronto, this month. It may be interesting to readers of the Churchman to know that Hamber (locally known as "Tammy,") of the famous eight-oared crew of the Argonauts, Toronto, is the son of Mr. Eric Hamber, Headmaster of St. John's College Boys' School, Winnipeg, and organist of St. John's Cathedral. "Tammy" Hamber is a graduate in classics of St. John's College, and after leaving college entered the banking business. Miss Dalton, Principal of Havergal Ladies College, Winnipeg, has returned from England where she was spending her vacation. college opens this month with a large number of students. This institution has become very popular in the West. Within one year of its inception, it was found necessary to enlarge its accommodation, and it is but a matter of an-

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"The voyageur smiles as he listens To the sound that grows apace; Well he knows the vesper ringing Of the bells of St. Boniface."

"The bells of the Roman mission That call from their turrets twain, To the boatmen on the river, To the hunter on the plain!"

Chester-le-street parish church, where the curfew is still rung at 8 p.m. and a "masons'" bell at 5 a.m., is in urgent need of restoration.

The Right Rev. T. Clark, Bishop of Rhode Island, the senior Bishop of the Church in America, died on the 7th inst., after an hour's illness at his home at Newport. He was 91 years old. He was ordained both deacon and priest in 1836, and was consecrated in 1854. Bishop of Rhode Island. In 1898, he retired from the active duties of the episcopate.

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THE SCIENCE DEPARTMENT OF TRINITY COLLEGE.

Sir,—I respectfully ask space in your columns for the correction of a statement contained in recent address by the Rev. E. C. Cayley, of this city. In that address it was stated that, if no honour science students should go to Trinity after federation Trinity would be no worse off in this respect than in the past. In reply to this I desire to say that the foregoing statement is not correct. Indeed it is far from being correct. The students and many others know, and the records of Trinity will show, that, in the matter of numbers the science department is not behind the other departments, and it has about as many honour students as any other of the seven or eight departments of Trinity College. Notwithstanding the undoubted need of more appliances and instructors, the number of science students, both pass and honour, has been increasing for several years past. Last year there were nearly fifty students taking science work in Trinity, and thirteen of these were honour science students. If specialization can be truthfully said to be accomplished in any collegiate undergraduate course, that is to say, before the student receives the Bachelor's degree, it can be only in the higher years, and the number of honour students or "specialists" in the last two years of any undergraduate school or college is comparatively small. During the academic year 1902 and 1903 there were nine honour science students in the second and third years of Trinity, and this number compares favourably with that in honour classics or mathematics, or other departments of the University. In fact, the number of those taking honour science last year, as well as in some recent years, would compare favourably with the records of many colleges and universities, as may be seen from their official reports. Moreover, it should be remembered that the undergraduate course in Trinity is only three years in length. The year is longer in some other institutions; but there are only three years of students in attendance at any one time. It would, therefore, be manifestly and decidedly unfair to institute a comparison as to numbers with any four-year institutions, without making full allowance for the absence of at least onefourth of the Trinity students, they having graduated and gone out into the various professions. The academic year ought not to be shortened; but, another year might have been added to the course long ago. But whether this should have been done or not, it is clear, that, all other things being equal, an institution with only three years' classes of students cannot be expected to have as many students in attendance at any one time as there would be if the students were kept in attendance for a fourth year. Hence, in all comparisons which are just and correct, this fact must be taken into account and ample provision must be made for it. In conclusion, it is proper to mention, that, the Kev. Mr. Cayley has expressed his willingness that the injustice done by his statement be cor-HENRY MONTGOMERY. Trinity College, Toronto, Sept. 12th, 1903.

IT IS A SHAME.

Sir,-Publication of the following may cause some improvement. A young woman left here seven years ago to take service with a family in

Toronto. For three years circumstances allowed her to attend early celebration every Sunday. Then it became necessary to divide her devotion between Eucharist and Common Prayer. In seven years only six Sundays passed without attendance in God's house. Yet no priest or lay person ever took the least notice of such an exceptionally regular worshipper. How much longer will this communicant be treated as a total stranger by priests who present to her the sacred elements and by Christians who kneel beside her at the altar so frequently as the above true record indi-S. D. HAGUE, cates?

MEN NEEDED FOR THE WEST.

Sir,-Once more from Eastern Canada thousands of men are pouring into the West to assist in garnering the millions of bushels of grain which, in splendid condition, awaits the labours of the harvesters. God has again richly blessed the husbandmen of the West, and again we rejoice at the prospect of another year of great material prosperity which now seems assured. Notwithstanding the increased acreage and the enormous output of the fruits of the soil, we are likely to experience no lack of labourers this year to handle the magnificent harvests. Commensurately with the increase of the material harvests increase also the harvests that are spiritual. Only we who are on the ground here can form even a faint idea of how, in this Diocese of Rupert's Land, not to speak now of the other great western dioceses, the missionary opportunities and the missionary responsibilities of the Church are calling for attention. The parable suggests urgency. The harvest will not wait. The Church must act decisively, and rise up forthwith to the demands which the present inrush of population are making upon her or experience irretrievable loss. We are confidently expecting the largely increased financial help which the appeal of the newly-formed Missionary Society of the consolidated Church would seem to assure, and in that expectation we have planned largely, and, we trust, adequately, for such extension of our missionary work in this diocese as will enable the Church to keep pace here with the enormous immigration that is going on. Our noble Archbishop, in spite of physical weakness, remits not his wonted care and study for the advancement of the Church, and we believe that all the members of the Executive Committee of the diocese are men like-minded in missionary zeal. Much progress is being made, but the supply of missionaries is still sadly inadequate. Several missions guaranteeing stipends of from \$650 to \$800 a year are vacant at this writing, and several large and important fields, not financially quite so

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C. N. F. JEFFERY.

General Missionary, Diocese of Rupert's Land.

OPENING SERVICES, SYNOD OF INCRONA

Sir, The clergy and laity of the Synod of huron reel, and that very strongly, that an houest and determined effort should be made to prevent a recurrence of such long, weary and lifeless services as have marked the opening of the annual meeting of the Synod of Huron for altogether too long a time. There is general dissatis: faction, and will be, until the Bishop and those responsible take the steps necessary to make the service attractive and inspiring. It is most disheartening to see on such an important occasion as the opening of Synod an attendance of less than one hundred in a cathedral that will seat tourteen hundred when we know that under right conditions it would be packed. Let those in authority provide a service in keeping with such a great occasion; let the sermon and the music and the reading be the best available and such as distinguished the opening service many years ago, and then we will enjoy the inspiration emanating from a large attendance and bright services. In my former letter I had no intention of reflecting, as some think, on the sermon preached by the Rev. D. Williams, M.A., rector of Stratford. It was in the estimation of the few who were present an excellent sermon, and what might naturally be expected from a clergyman of Mr. Williams' standing and ability, and he deserves much praise for it. Many, however, of the older members of the Synod remem ber the grand and inspiring services of the past when, in addition to bright and appropriate music, they enjoyed the great privilege of hearing such eloquent and powerful preachers as Bishop Potter, of New York; the late Bishop Harris, of Michigan; Bishop Courtney, of Nova Scotia; Bishop Carmichael, of Montreal, and other men of name and fame. At the opening service in those days the cathedral was packed with interested worshippers, and would be again if men of the above stamp were announced to preach. Hoping that next Synod we will be favoured with such a service as the clergy and laity have a right to expect, and that such a long, dull and tiresome service as that of last Synod will be a thing of the past,

CHURCH WORKER

TRINITY FEDERATION.

Sir,—May I be allowed to call attention to one possible, even probable, result of the present agitation, a result foreshadowed in the Guardian of August 26th? The question is being asked in England as to what security those donating sums of money for specific church purposes in Canada have that the money so given will not be diverted to purposes foreign to the expressed wish and intention of the donors. This may seem a slight matter to some in Eastern Canada, who might say that the Church here is not now receiving assistance from Churchmen in England; but how about Algoma and the Northwest? Will not the Algoma Association suffer from a want of con-

f dence? Will not QuAppelle suffer? There is to thing so sensitive as credit, and it might have shown more forethought and statesmanship on the part of our rulers had they realized that in giving an apparently cordial assent to the proposal to destroy? Trinity University they were running no small risk of destroying the credit of the Church, as far as English benefactors were concerned.

A LAYMAN.

British and Foreign.

A new carved oak pulpit of English workmanship is being placed in Whippingham Church. Isle_of Wight, as a memorial of the late Queen Victoria.

The Rev. Robert L. Ottley was installed a canon of Christ Church and Regius Professor of Pastorial Theology, in succession to the late Canon Moberly, lately, in the Cathedral at Oxford, by the Dean.

Noriolk has lost one of its oldest clergy by the death of the Rev. George Eller, rector of West Winch, who had spent the whole of his clerical life in the county, his connection with West Winch dating back to 1841.

By the will of Mr. Noel Whiting, of Lavender Lodge, Battersea, who has left some large sums to London charities, Canon Erskine Clarke, vicar of Battersea, receives £5,000 for the benefit of the inhabitants of Battersea, and for charitable purposes, to be used at his absolute discretion.

The drawing-room of Auckland Castle has lately been enriched by a replica of the portrait of the late Bishop Westcott, which was placed in the Fitzwilliam Museum, Cambridge, and painted by Sir W. Richmond, R.A. This portrait has been handed over, on behalf of the subscribers, by Lord Barnard.

The venerable Bishop of Gloucester owns a free railway pass that is, perhaps, unique. It is of gold, and covers every station of the Great Eastern Railway. It is a souvenir of the kindly ministrations of the Bishop to the sufferers in a railway accident which occurred on that system many years ago.

The Church of England Sunday School Institute, founded sixty years ago, has just issued its annual report. It shows a total number of nearly 3.000,000 of children and young people in connection with the Sunday Schools and Bible classes of the Established Church. They are divided as follows: 813.441 boys, 933.531 girls, 678,496 infants, and 493,495 members of Bible classes. For the teaching of these Sunday scholars there are 206.203 voluntary workers. All these figures show an increase on the previous year. The income last year from the general or benevolent fund, was £1,339, and over £9,000 was received from the sale of publications.

The Bishop of Crediton (Dr. Trefusis) yesterday week unveiled a stained-glass window erected in the parish church of Knowstone, in the deanery of South Molton, North Devon, to commemorate the fifty years' ministry in the parish of Knowstone-cum-Molland of the Rev. Preb. John Matthews. At a parochial festival in June last the parishioners presented the vicar with a purse of sovereigns and an illuminated address, with the request that he would spend the money on a window in the church, representing the Good Shepherd, to commemorate his jubilee, which was reached in the previous month. The Rev. Preb. Matthews, who is eighty-one years of age, was inducted vicar of the parish, which embraces two churches five miles apart, in 1853.

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Bishop-elect Fawcett has received the gift of a cope from the Rev. H. R. Percival, D.D., of Philadelphia. It is of rich red silk, the hood having the figure of our Lord with chalice and host exquisitely embroidered. On the front are the outlines of six saints. The consecration of Dr. Fawcett to the See of Quincy is expected to occur by or before All Saints.

A curate of a well-known church in the East End has arranged for a novel country outing for a number of lads who are connected with the clubs, etc., associated with the church. They are to work on a hop farm in Kent, and be paid the usual hop-pickers' wages. The lads will live in a well-arranged camp, a central tent serving the dual purpose of chapel and dining and recreation-rooms.

A number of antiquaries, including Lord Melville and Canon Alderson, have made a discovery in the Cathedral library at Peterborough. When examining the MSS, and records they found amongst the collection bequeathed by Bishop White Kennett a small volume of the fourteenth century, containing copies of ancient charters relating to Peterborough. This book is endorsed by Bishop White Kennett as having been bought by him at Cambridge in 1714. A deed was found slightly fastened to one of the pages, and was discovered to be an original charter of Edward the Confessor to the Abbot of Burgh, dated 1060. The charter, which conveys the manor of Fiskerton to the Abbot Leofricus, is in very good condition.

The annual report of the Church Missionary Society has just been issued. It is a wonderful volume, for from its well-stocked pages we are able to glean much concerning the state of religion in different parts of the world. The greater part of the world outside Europe is represented in the report. Africa, in its two main divisions West and East, Egypt, Palestine, Turkish Arabia. Persia, India, Ceylon, Mauritius, China, Japan. New Zealand, Northwest Canada, and British Columbia-in all these countries the Church Missionary Society has its agents at work, and by their self-sacrificing devotion of life are doing much to commend the religion of which they are ambassadors and witnesses. The annual volume is packed full of stories of travel and labour, and of encouragement and success, which should cheer the hearts of all who are interested in the progress of Church work in other lands. If any one desires to learn of the "romance of missions," he can read and enjoy it in the very interesting pages of the C.M.S. report.

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The preachers of the Church Congress sermons will be: Bristol Cathedral, Archbishop of Canterbury; St. Mary, Redcliffe, Bishop of Worcester; Clitton Parish Church, Bishop of Winchester; All Saints', Clifton, Bishop of Truro. It has been a long time since there were four opening services and sermons at the Congress.

The Rev. Hyla Holden, curate of Poplar, who has passed a long clerical career in pastoral work in the East End, has been selected by the Archbishop of Canterbury as his new domestic chaplain, his predecessor, Mr. Conybeare, having become Head of the Cambridge Laymen's Settlement in South London.

The present year is an eventful one in the history of the Church Army both at home and abroad. In England the "Army" has attained its majority this year, and in South Africa the Port Flizabeth branch has procured the first land in South Africa to enable them to extend their work; the plot purchased is near the North End Park.

A new reredos has been erected in Christ Church, Sowerby Bridge, as a memorial to the late Mr. Joseph Pollit. The reredos takes up the whole width of the east wall. The principal richness of treatment, both as regards carving and moulding, is concentrated in the centre, the panels being filled with carved diaper work, under canopies of pierced tracery. Colour is obtained by the introduction of Devonshire and Connemara marbles. The work has been executed and fixed by Messrs. Jones and Willis.

Family Reading.

LITTĻE WORDS.

Just a little word that bore Comfort to a heart grown sore, Filled a day with better cheer That had else been dull and drear, Softly spoken, gladly heard, Was that gentle little word.

Just a little word of scorn Sharper than the rose's thorn, Spoiling gladness with its smart, Rankling long within the heart, Lightly spoken, sadly heard Was that Litter little word.

Oh, the power of little words. Swifter they than winged birds, Messengers of joy or pain, Heavenly kindness, anger's bane, Borne on one fleet breath, they may Hurt or help for many a day.

Let us make them brave and true. Speaking none that we must rue. For in some eternal year. We our words again may hear. Echoing back to you and me, Fruitage of their ministry.

—L. M. Montgomery.

MORE PATIENCE NEEDED.

There is nothing that parents need more than the virtue of patience; for children are calways thoughtless and often headstrong and disobedient. That is not first which is spiritual, but that

which is natural." It does no good to fret against

this fact and it may do much narm. It we really believe in the power of truth and really expect the Holy Spirit to re-enforce the lessons which we give to our offspring we can afford to possess our souls even when they are sorely tried. The reflection that we ourselves often grieved our own parents ought also to make us considerate and long-suffering. What is still more to the point is the thought of God's infinite patience with us. If He endures our wilfulness and kindly forgives our offences, which are more in number than the sands of the sea, we ought never to lose heart when our children fail to respond to our best expectations concerning them.

PRAYER THE ANTIDOTE TO SORROW.

For every one, sooner or later, the Gethsemane of life must come. It may be the Gethsemane of struggle, and poverty, and care; it may be the Gethsemane of remorse and of well-nigh despair, the death-beds of those we love; it may be the Gethseman of remorse and of well-nigh despair, for sins that we will not, but which we say we cannot overcome. Well, in that Gethsemane, aye, even in that Gethsemane of sin-no angel merely. but Christ Himself Who bore the burden of our sins, will, if we seek Him, come to comfort us. He will, if, being in an agony, we pray. He can be touched, He is touched, with the feeling of our infirmities. He, too, has trodden the wine-press of agony alone; He, too, has lain face downwards in the night upon the ground; and the comfort which then came to Him He has bequeathed to us -even the comfort, the help, the peace, the recovery, the light, the hope, the faith, the sustaining arm, the healing anodyne of prayer,-Dean Farrar.

JUST THREE THINGS.

"I once met a thoughtful scholar," says Bishop Whipple, "who told me that for years ne had read every book he could which assailed the religion of Jesus Christ, and he said he should have become an infidel but for three things:

"First, I am a man. I am going somewhere. To-night I am a day nearer the grave than I was last night. I have read all such books can tell me. They shed not one ray of hope or light upon the darkness. They shall not take away the guide and leave me stone blind.

"Second, I had a mother. I saw her go down into the dark valley where I am going, and she leaned upon an unseen Arm as calmly as a child goes to sleep on the breast of its mother. I know that was not a dream.

"Third, I have three motherless daughters (and he said it with tears in his eyes). They have no protector but myself. I would rather kill them than leave them in this sinful world, if you blot out from it all the teachings of the Gospel."

AN ACCUSER SILENCED.

Two fellow-travellers were seated together in a railway carriage engaged in earnest conversation. It was of a religious nature, and one of them, a sceptic, was evidently seeking to excuse his scepticism by expatiating on the various evils which aniliet Christendom. He was detailing the hypocrisy and crait and the covetousness and the divisions found in the professing Church, and then he pointed to some of the leaders as the most markedly corrupt of the whole.

In front of them sat a Christian who was compelled to hear all this. Had he felt the accusations to be false, he might have suffered them all, as a part of the hatred the world bears toward Christ, and been truly happy-in so suffering; but he knew them to be true—too true to be concealed from the most charitable mind, so all he could do was to bow his head and bear the deserved reproach.

Soon, however, the accuser, anxious to extend-



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the circle of his audience, addressed this fellow-passenger in front of him.

"I see you are quick to detect evil," answered the Christian, "and you read character pretty well. You have been uncovering here the abominable things which have turned Christendom into a wreck, and are fast ripening it for the judgment of God. You have spared none, but given all good measure. Now, I am a Christian, and I love the Lord Jesus and His people. Not a word shall I offer in defence, but I here solemnly challenge you to speak the first word against the Lord Jesus Christ Himself."

The sceptic was surprised. He seemed almost frightened, and sheepishly replied, "Well, no; I couldn't find fault with Him. He was perfect."

"Just so," said the Christian; "and, therefore, was my heart attracted to Him; and the more I looked at Him, the more I found I wasn't like Him at all, but only a poor, sinful, guilty man. But tell me yourself if I hadn't a right to be happy and to love Him when I found out that He had died for me? Ever since then I truly love Him, and all the evil which professed followers of His may do cannot turn me away from Him. My salvation hangs on what He has done, and not on what they are doing."

POINTED QUESTIONS.

The great task of sound ethics is to stimulate the social imagination. We must be continually prodding our sense of social consequence to keep it wide awake. We must be asking ourselves at each point of contact with the lives of others such pointed questions as these:

How would you like to be the tailor or washerwoman whose bill you have neglected to pay?

How would you like to be the customer to whom you are selling these adulterated or inferior goods?

How would you like to be the investor in this stock company which you are promoting with

water?

How would you like to be the employer whose time and tools and material you are wasting at every chance you get to loaf and shirk and neglect

the duties you are paid to perform?

How would you like to be the clerk or saleswoman in the store where you are reaping extra
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THE TRUTH.

The word "truth" is the characteristic word in the teaching of St. John; he always speaks of those who belong to the Lord as those "who are of the truth." A Christian life is expressed by him as "doing the truth," or "walking in the truth." The Gospel is described by him when he says that "grace and truth came by Jesus Christ." And whenever he is recording our Lord's words, the word truth seems to have a kind of fascination for him. "Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you tree" is our Lord's account of the power of the Gospel over the human heart. Our Lord's prayer to His Father in heaven for our sakes is "Sanctify them through Thy truth: Thy word is truth." And so our Lord declares before Pilate that He came to bear witness unto the truth, and those that were of the truth He claimed for His own subjects in His own kingdom. Most assuredly the choice by our Lord and by St. John of such a word as truth, to be the special description of the Christian life, lays upon Christians a tenfold responsibility in regard to truth of speech of not allowing the Christian name to be lowered by giving way to the temptations which surround everyone to swerve from exact fact, never allowing, for instance, the impulse of vanity to make a man say a word which will bring praise to himself which he does not really deserve; never allowing, in the very slightest degree, a word to pass the lips which shall claim for us a higher Christian rank than we deserve, or any grace which we do not possess. It can be done without any word which is in itself false; but the Christian will scorn it in his soul for the sake of his Master, Christ, whom he knows to be the very Messenger of truth, whose kingdom is the kingdom of truth.—Archbishop Temple.

DELAYS.

There is an old legend about the Wise Men which tells how on their journey they stopped at a poor woman's cottage to make some enquiry. They told her of the object of their journey and asked her to join them in their quest. She joyfully promised to do so, and went into the house to make preparations. But she delayed so long that the travellers dared not wait, and when she came forth ready at last, the star had faded from the heavens, the Wise Men and all their train had disappeared from view, and her opportunity of worshipping with them at the cradle of the Lord gone to return no more.

OVERCOMING TEMPTATIONS.

Our Lord did not overcome the temptations of the devil all at once, as it were, in a lump. He met them one by one. They were separate, particular temptations, and separately He overcame them. the same sort. It is no use making resolutions generally against our sins. It is no use intending generally to resist the temptation to sin which may visit us. We must fight our temptations as they come, one by one. And conquering in one will not let us be careless when another arises. We must overcome our sins, each sin by itself, if we are to overcome them at all. It will not help us if we feel generally sorry for our faults unless we try to put our finger on the actual faults and sins which we have to get rid of. And this is the great difficulty of repentance—the great difficulty of the fruitful and useful employment of a time of seriousness like Lent.—Dean Church.

"I WILL PAY THEE ALL."

We may detect in these words, "I will pay thee all" (St. Matt. 18:26) the voice of selfrighteousness, imagining that, if only time were allowed it could make good all the shortcomings of the past. Thus the words are exceedingly important, as very much explaining to us the later conduct of this man. It is clear that he whom this servant represents had never come to a true recognition of the immensity of his debt. Little, in the subjective measure of his own estimate, was forgiven him, and therefore he loved little or not at all. . . . God will forgive; but He will have the sinner to know what and how much he is forgiven. He summons him with His "Come now and let us reason together," before ever the scarlet is made white as snow (Isaiah 1:18). The sinner must know his sins a mountain of transgression before they can be cast into the deep sea of God's mercy. He shall have the sentence of death in him first, for only thus will the words of life and pardon have any true meaning and abiding worth for him.—Archbishop Trench.

HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

Keep a flour-barrel elevated at least two inches from the floor on a rack, to allow a current of air to pass under it, and to prevent dampness collecting at the bottom. Do not allow any groceries or provisions with a strong odor near the flour-barrel. Nothing absorbs odors more certainly than flour.

Never put butter, meat or any other edible away in the paper in which it comes from the store. Think a moment of the deleterious substances which go to the composition of paper—wood-pulp, rags, glue, acid and chemicals. It is obvious that these should not be allowed to come in contact with food.

Fried Green Tomatoes are now served with broiled steak. Cut six large, green tomatoes into slices about eighth of an inch thick. Beat the yolk of an egg with a tablespoonful of cold water. Season the tomato slices with salt and pepper and dip into beaten egg and then into grated bread crumbs. Saute them in butter or oil, cooking very tender and browning both sides. Serve with a sauce made as follows. Rub two level tablespoonfuls of butter and two of flour to a smooth paste, then put into a saute pan and brown a good rich colour. Add a cup of hot milk and stir and cook until the sauce begins to thicken. Season with salt and pour over the tomatoes and serve very hot.

For Baked Tomatoes select a half-dozen, firm and smooth tomatoes and cut a slice from the end of each and take out the inside. Mix together one-half cupful each of finely minced cold boiled ham and stale bread crumbs to which are added some chopped parsley, butter, salt and pepper. Fill the tomatoes with this mixture and sprinkle over the top grated bread crumbs. Put the tomatoes in a baking pan, pour over them a tablespoonful of melted butter and bake for a half hour. Serve hot.

For Fresh Fried Tomatoes cut large and not over-ripe tomatoes into three thick slices. Do

not peel, as the skin serves to hold them in place. Dust with salt and pepper and dredge lightly with flour. Have some hot butter or half butter and half suet drippings in frying. pan, lay in slices and fry slowly. When brown on one side, turn on the other, and when tender, but not so well cooked that they cannot be lifted without breaking, lift slowly with a turner and slide on to a hot dish. Stir into the fat remaining in the frying-pan two tablespoonfuls of flour, and when smooth add slowly a pint of rich, hot milk. Stir constantly until it boils, season with salt and pepper, and pour over the tomatoes. Another way is to dip the slices in egg and bread crumbs, and serve with brown sauce.

Chocolate Fudge.—Two cups of sugar, one-half cup of milk, one-half cup of molasses, one-half cup of butter; mix all together and boil seven minutes; add one-half cup of chocolate and boil seven minutes longer. Then add two tablespoonfuls of figs, two tablespoonfuls of raisins, one-half cup of English walnuts and one teaspoonful of vanilla.

Fudgettes.—Melt together one square Cowan's chocolate and a piece of butter the size of a small egg. Add two cups granulated sugar and one cup milk. Boil until it forms little balls in water. Then stir until nearly hard. Put on plates to cool.

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Roselay.—At her residence, Chestnut Ridge, Bertie, Sunday, August twenty-third, Margaret, relict of the late Cranmer Roselay.

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THE ADOPTION OF DONALD.

The clock on the great stone church at the corner showed that it was only half-past six, but the short November afternoon had long since deepened into darkness. The lights on the avenue shone with a flickering gleam through the fast falling snow.

Suddenly around the corner came a figure, and as it paused under an electric light, the rays fell on a slender little lad in shabby garments, with a violin clasped tightly in his arms.

The boy's face was thin and pale and the great brown eyes seemed full of unshed tears. Wearily he leaned against the post. No one had cared to listen to him to-day, and he would have no supper. Neither breakfast nor dinner had he had, for that matter.

Oh, it was so cold, and he was so

Perhaps he might lie down here in the snow and an angel might see him and take him up to Paradise. What was that verse? Ah, yes! "And they shall neither hunger nor thirst."

What a beautiful place that must be! He wondered if little Patrick, the boot-black, was there now. Patrick, who had died in the early

How many nights they had shared a bun or a bit of fruit together, and planned a dazzling future, when he was a great musician, and Patrick a

Well, Patrick had found a better home than the palatial mansion he had pictured; but he was just a tired, hungry little street waif.

As he stood there in a sort of stupor, a little light flashed from a window across the way. The curtain was up and he could see into a luxurious dining room, where preparations for the evening meal were going on. The sight of that tempting table filled him with fresh strength, and, crossing the street, he drew his bow across the violin and began to play.

Now, in that great mansion lived a woman past the first bloom of youth, but with its traces still upon her. A stately, haughty woman, possessed of many talents, she dwelt in the luxurious home lalone. All her kindred had crossed the dark river, and she was left the last of a noble family. Society admired, but stood in awe of her. She gave her money with lavish hand to charities, herself she never gave.

While possessing much that makes life desirable, Elinor Wentworth had missed the best in life. To-night she sat before the open fire, a bored, listless look on her handsome face. She would have to go abroad this winter, she was thinking. Home was too unbearably dull.

Suddenly she raised her head in wonder. Through the still night air came the sound of a violin. Louder and louder rose the plaintive notes, and so full of sadness were they that tears unbidden came to the listener's

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"Donald Shepard, ma'am," he re-

plied, slowly. "Play for me. Anything," and Miss Elinor reseated herself, and watched him closely.

He played a simple little melody, but as she looked, something stirred her thoughts. Once, long ago, she had had a little brother with just such beautiful dark eyes: She had worshipped him, and had cried out fiercely when he had been taken away.

What if Stephen had been left to the mercy of a cold, hard world. The old tender impulses, so long restrained, leaped forth.

"Stop!" she cried, and calling him to her, held his cold little hands in her own warm ones while she said, gently:

"Donald, you have a wonderful talent. Now, I want you to tell me all about yourself."

He told her quietly. Told her of his father's struggle with poverty; how he had been a music teacher, and in the spring had followed the mother, dead long ago, and had left his boy nothing in the world but his treasured violin, and the legacy of an honest name.

Miss Elinor had listened silently, her thoughts busy; but now she

alone. So are you, and I want you the briers? to come and take his place;" and then

People said that winter that Elinor i nearer. He was indeed lost. and brighter; that she had been alone so long, a companion was what she

She thought so herself, when the long-silent rooms rang with the sound of a child's merry voice; or when at night she and Donald sat before the fire, making plans for the years to come, or talking of these who were waiting for them in a far country.

One evening when they had been speaking of these loved ones, Donald told her of little Patrick, and of the neglected grave in the cemetery.

I wish I could put a stone on it, Aunt Elinor!" he said, and she bent and kissed him for an answer.

So it came about that a week later they stood by a little mound and at the head was a marble stone with a beautiful marble angel on top, and below was written:

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THE "BIG BROWN DOG."

In the wilds of Canada, where the log houses are many miles apart, and where the ground is still covered with thick forests, lived the little boy of whom this story is

He had started out one afternoon in the autumn to pick berries. He had not meant to go far from the house, but he walked on, picking and eating, until it began to grow "Donald, I once had a little brother, dark. Then he thought it was time to be at who was dearer than all the world home, and so he turned to go there. But to me. He is gone, and I am all where was home? Was it down yonder

Alas! there were so many briers, and the she drew him into her lap and kissed pines grew so close together and looked so much alike! The poor child ran first this way, and then that; but home came no

In the meantime the boy's parents be-Wentworth seemed to grow younger came alarmed at his absence, and started in search of him. All that night they sought far and wide, but could find no trace of their son. The next day the neighbours joined in the search, and day after day they kept it up, until six days had passed, and the boy was not found.

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then answer their questions "What had Him, for we shall see Him as He is." Comhe lived on all these seven long days?" Berries - always berries

"But how had he kept warm through the cold, frosty nights?" Oh, he had slept in a tree, and a nice big brown dog had kept him warm by lying close to him.

The neighbours looked at one another, and at the father and mother. They knew every dog in all the country round. There were only a very few of them, and not one big brown dog was in the number. The hollow tree was again examined, and, from or her orchards, but the one thing she never what they saw, they fe't sure that a large bear had used it as a sleeping place, and that he had kindly allowed the child to share his bed.

The boy soon got well and strong, and in time grew up to be a sturdy farmer. When he had children of his own, nothing pleased them so much as to hear from their father the story of the big brown dog.

THE TIGER AND THE FISH.

One day a sportsman went fishing in India, accompanied by an old and faithful native servant, who carried his rifle to be ready in case any large game was met with. the country being exceedingly full of jungle.

The two became separated; but the fisher, knowing that the servant was well able to take care of himself, proceeded to the river, where, after a while, he hooked a large fish, weighing over twenty pounds.

Returning with the fish, he met in a ravine leading up from the river a huge tiger, from whose presence he moved before it saw him, hiding nimbly behind a rock. He was so anxious to avoid the fierce creature that the fish fell from his hands, and was fully exposed to the view of the

Even then, however, it seemed as if the tiger would pass it without notice; but, in an evil moment, just when the animal appeared to have made up his mind to move on, the fish gave a feeble flop, which at once attracted the tiger's attention.

The beast made straight for the fish, seized it by the head, and carried it off. The fish was still joined to the tackle, and no sooner did the tiger feel the resistance of the reel, than he gave a sudden jerk which resulted in hooking him by the lip.

At this moment the enraged animal caught sight of the hiding sportsman, and fixed his green and glittering eyes upon him. The latter, not knowing how to act, began to play with the beast, as he might with a fish; but, though the tiger was uncertain what to do for a moment, the proceeding was not likely to last long. Luckily, the native servant turned up, and with a wellaimed shot laid low the monarch of the

IN THE ASSURED HOPE OF THE RESURRECTION.

The burial of Christ was thought by His enemies to be the end, but in truth this was the very way to the glory of Christ. He Himself had said, "Except a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth alone; but if it die it bringeth forth much fruit." Christ's burial in the grave was but the necessary way to His final and glorious victory So now, when we lay our beloved Christian dead in the tomb, it is in the assured hope of blessed resurrection. The grave is but the shaded way to glory.

THE COMPANIONSHIP OF CHRIST

The higher friendship brings a satisfaction of heart, and a joy commensurate to the love. Its reward is itself, the sweet, enthralling relationship, not any advantageous gain it promises, either in the present or for the future. Even if there were no physical or moral rewards and punishments in the world, we would still love and serve Christ for His own sake. The soul that is bound by this personal attachment to Jesus has a life in the eternal, which transfigures the life in time with a great joy. This friendship with the Lord knows no fear of

weary eyes and sad hearts, calling their loss; neither life, nor death, nor things present, nor things to come can separate us. At last the father sat daws to test on an It is joy and strength in the present, and it of that constant environment will fulfill the By and by he grew stronger, and could aspiration of the apostle, "We shall be like munion produces likeness. This even now is the test of our friendship with the Lord.

A WORD ABOUT GIVING.

"No, she isn't stingy, she's just selfish," said the old woman, speaking of a relative. "She'll give money if it's needed; she'd give a share of anything that grows in her fields gives is a mite of herself.

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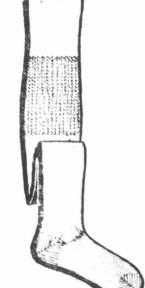
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and watch my pen and brush, but the instant I attempted to sketch him he disappeared under the table and sat at my feet.

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"Presently I began to teach him tricks, in which he took a keen delight. For instance, he would run downstairs after a rabbit's foot, and bring it up and lay it at my feet. Then he would run and hide behind the door, and peep round till he saw me coming. Then he would bolt, and I ran after him, and he ran after me, and away we went, upstairs and downstairs, and all over the house.

"In such wild frolics as these I began to study him. Imagine me rolling over the floor, now on hands and knees, now crouching up and down stairs, Peter striking a hundred queer positions which I had never seen in any other cat, jumping sideways and round on the tip of his toes, twirling around with blazing eyes and open mouth, his whiskers up, and his hair standing on end.

"But at the sight of the pencil or sketch-book on the ground he took the sulks, and lay down on the hearth-rug; so that the only sketch I ever made of him was while his back was turned towards me, a back view, and yet he was the best model I could have had. All his movements fired my imagination, and I had only to romp madly with him for a few moments to get any amount of ideas. Thus I gradually got a cat engraved on my mind, as his little ways were not easy to forget.

"Peter attached himself to me to such an extent that if I moved from the house he would sit on the stairs till he learned to know my footsteps when I opened the door, and ran down to meet me. But, try as I would, he evidently thought it was not quite the thing to sit for his portrait, and to this day my sketches of him are from memory.

"Some of his tricks were quite out of the way. He would sit upon my knees, put his paws together in front of him, and when told to say his prayers, would 'Miaow.' meal-times he had his own chair, and sat quiet till we had finished, when he miaowed three times for his

"He was very curious, and noticed any new things in the house. If a

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In his own words he says "I consulted one physician after another and each one seemed to understand my case, but all the same they each former digestion, appetite and vigour. to post, from one sanitarium to an- how I came to draw cats."

other, I gave up smoking, I quit coffee and even renounced my daily glass or two of beer, but without any marked improvement.

"Friends had often advised me to try a well known proprietary medicine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and I had often perused the newspaper advertisements of the remedy but never took any stock in advertised medicines nor could believe a fiftycent patent medicine would touch my

"To make a long story short I finally bought a couple of packages at the nearest drug store and took two or three tablets after each meal and occasionally a tablet between meals, when I felt any feeling of nausea or discomfort.

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picture was put on the wall, he would sit on the ground and stare at it for a long time. He would also lie on the ground on his back and put his paws together, with his tail out and his head back; and then 'die' till told to 'live again.'

"With such a pet by me, I was allways wishing to do something which no one had ever done before in cats, but for a long time-in fact months—I doubted whether people would care for anything funny in the cat line. I tried one or two pictures, but I was always told that no one failed to bring about the return of my cared for cats. At last I produced 'The Cat's Christmas Party.' Its For two years I went from pillar success was very great, and that was

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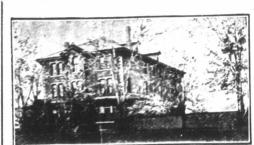
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