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Appropriate Hymns for Seventeenth and Eighteenth Sundays after Trinity, compiled by Dr. Albert Ham, F.R.C.O., organist and director of the choir of St. James' Cathedral, Toronto. The numbers are taken from Hymns Ancient and Modern, many of which may be found in other hymnals.

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Holy Communion: 208, 213, 260, 321. Processional: 2, 36, 161, 242. Offertory: 165, 217, 275, 386. Children's Hymns: 330, 332, 571, 573. General Hymns: 6, 12, 162, 379.

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Holy Communion: 178, 311, 315, 379. Processional: 179, 215, 217, 382. Offertory: 212, 235, 366, 423. Children's Hymns: 240, 329, 334, 473. General Hymns: 220, 259, 384, 477. sion such subjects as the following: Review of the Church's Progress during the Nineteenth Century; the Church's Policy in Elementary Education; the Cathedral System; the Reformation in England-among the speakers on this subject are Professor Moule, of Cambridge, and Professor Lock, of Oxford-Cld Testament Criticism, in its bearing on education, by Professor Ryle, Professor Margoliouth, Professor Bernard, and others. This promises to be a most fruitful and helpful discussion. Then there are to be papers and speeches on Art, War, Foreign Work, and finally, on the Housing of the People. Those who cannot be present may be reminded that a full and complete report is published soon after the meeting.

The Passion Play.

It is a matter of sincere congraulation that the Passion Play at Oberammergau has not lost its religious character by reason of the influx of visitors of all kinds of opinions from all parts of the world. Those who saw the performance 30 or 40 years ago, and have seen it again during the present year, testify that there is no falling off in the high religious tone by which the play was distinguished in earlier years. The representations ceased at the end of September and will not be repeated for ten years to come. It is the expressed desire of many who have been edified by the wonderful reproduction of the later days in the work of Christ-from Palm Sunday to Easter Day-to testify, in some manner, to the villagers, their appreciation of their work. After the Passion Play of 1890 the English visitors to Ober-Ammergau contributed a sum of $\pounds 730$, with which the new organ was built, and the galleries of the church strengthened to receive it. The offering was a generous one, to meet an exceptional need; and it was made not by English Churchmen only, but by English visitors of whatever creed. It is not expected that as much could be contributed this year, for the demands upon Englishmen made by the famine in India and the war in South Africa will have curtailed their resources. We quite think, however, that some gift of the kind already made would be useful in more ways than we need here indicate.

single designation. It is at this moment that the Queen has been pleased, on the recommendation of the Salisbury Government, to dissolve Parliament, and it cannot be said that the Government has taken improper advantage of the state of affairs to make such a suggestion. It is not merely that a favourable moment has arrived in the virtual termination of the South African war; but a time has come when the policy of the Government with regard to those colonies may be regarded as a whole. It would, perhaps, be too much to say that the English people are divided on this subject. But there is a certain party-or at least a number of persons, who take a different view of the South African question from that taken by the Government. In appealing to the constituencies, they can present their views and ascertain the mind of the people on the subject. There seems no probability of the Opposition receiving any such increase to their numbers as would place them in power. On the contrary, it seems all but certain that their numbers will be further diminished. But, it must be remembered, that the mere return of a Liberal member would not prove that his constituents disapproved of the policy of the Government in South Africa, since many Liberal members of Parliament are altogether with Lord Salisbury. It will, however, be of no small interest to ourselves to watch the results of the present appeal to the country.

Death of the Premier of Quebec.

It is with much regret, extending far beyond his own province and his own nationality, that intelligence has been received of the death of the Honourable M. F. G. Marchand, Prime Minister of Quebec.



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The English Church Congress.

The vitality of the Church Congress in England is a matter of sincere congratulation and rejoicing. Most of these institutions have a tendency to effervesce, to subside, and to die out. But here we find for nearly 40 years clergymen and laymen have met together, year after year, discussing questions affecting the spread and establishment of the Church, and at this day the interest is as keen as it was at the beginning-many of the fathers of the Congress having fallen asleep, and their places being taken by their sons. This year the Congress is to be held (for the first time), at Newcastle, which has been a cathedral city for less than 20 years, The subjects to be discussed are living subjects in which men are really and deeply interested, and they are to be handled by experts who have given special attention to them. Thus we have set down for discus-

The English Elections.

It is not quite easy for us in Canada to keep track of Party Politics in England, especially now that the old names have lost their meaning. Whig and Tory have passed away. Conservative and Liberal have followed them. Mr. Gladstone, by his Home Rule measures, broke up the Liberal Party; so that the two great divisions became known as Home Rulers and Unionists. At the present moment the great British Party might most properly be called Imperialists, whilst their opponents are so divided that it would be impossible to class them under any

With the late Minister's politics we have here no concern; but M. Marchand's interests extended far beyond the sphere of politics. M. Marchand was more than a Frenchman; his mother belonged to a Scotch family; and the son partook of the characters of both peoples. Nor was he a mere politician. He was educated as a lawyer, he served as a volunteer in the Canadian forces at the time of the Fenian inroad; he was for some time editor of Le Temps newspaper, of Montreal, and contributed to several other newspapers and periodicals. Besides this, he was the author of several dramatic and poetical works of great merit. He was, from the beginning, a Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, and two years ago was its president. He received several other marks of distinction from literary bodies and universities. He was a man of bright intelligence, of wide learning, of cultivated manners and genial address; and although he had attained to 68 years of age, his intellectual and physical powers seemed to have suffered no diminution.

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Note Communicating Attendance.

It sooms to many of us that a great deal of unnecessary feeling has been exhibited in reference to this custom - Certainly non-communicating attendance was not the primitive practice, and it is forbidden by early canons. On the other hand, there seems no good reason why a p r-on who had received at an earlier celebration should not be present at a later without receiving. The question has been raised as to the custom in the Eastern Church, and the following extract from a letter by a layman in the Church Times may interest our readers: "Mr. Ridsdale stated that 'the Eastern Church does most certainly countenance the attendance of her people without communicating,' and that many of us have been eve-witnesses of the custom. So far from the Eastern Church countenancing non-communicating attendance, it discourages it as much as possible. Leaving out great functions on State occasions, when the communicating of the congregation would be impossible, neither the Russian nor the Greek Church anthorities willingly allow non-communicating attendance. Such an action in any individual is censured, unless the person thus laying himself open to remark can plead the having communicated within twenty-four hours, and, even then, the minor duties of partaking of the pain beni, at a table placed at the side of the nave, and of there depositing a money offering, are insisted on, in order that by these acts the non-communicating member may show that he is one with the rest of the congregation."

Northern Exploration.

To some of us it seems a mere waste of human energy and of precious life to encourage those voyages towards the North Pole in which so many of our own people and of other nationalities have taken part. It may, however, be answered that the discouraging of such enterprises may prove a hindrance to scientific discoveries of importance. However this may be, the account of the voyages of Nansen, written by himself, proved of deep and wide interest, and his lectures no less so. This, however, is not to be the end of such enterprise. In the words of an English contemporary: "Dr. Nansen's record has not been allowed to remain long unbeaten. The success achieved by the Duke of the Abruzzi's expedition has carried our knowledge of the Arctic regions one step further towards the goal of all our explorers-the discovery of the North Pole. The Duke is to be congratulated on accomplishing the important feat of penetrating farther than the highest point reached by the famous Dr. Nansen. In time, the Pole itself will be reached, but there is no indication at present that it will be found to possess any features distinguishable from the other parts of the Arctic Circle. Successful as the expedition has been, the Duke and his companions have not escaped the privations of these severe regions. The Duke himself has suffered the loss of two fingers, and bravely shared the privations of his comrades. Scientific results of great value are said to have been attained by the Duke, whose narrative will be awaited with great interest in the scientific world."

The Labour Question.

There is no question likely to be more pressing than this for many a day. At this moment we are reading of scrious strikes and of bloodshed ensuing, and of more strikes in prospect. The English contemporary remarks: "The Trades' Union Congress, which met at Huddersfield last week, passed much the same resolutions as have become familiar to us all. Old-age pensions, the housing of the poor, "fair wages," and so forth-these are all questions which we are-most of us--in hearty sympathy with, but how to remove the obstacles in the way of realizing these ideals, is the problem which wants solving. On the matter of the war and compulsory arbitration in industrial disputes, the Congress was divided in opinion, but the odd protest against the proposal to import Chinese labour into South Africa was carried by an overwhelming majority." To English writers this proposal seems more "odd" than it does to ourselves. We are not quite able to understand how the English allow the dregs of Continental towns to be shunted on their shores. We suppose there must be some good connected with it, or that some evil would result from a different method such as we cannot completely understand.

Testimony from China.

It will be a very long time before we learn all the truth about China and the origin of the uprising there. But testimonies from evewitnesses will always be of value; and by a comparison of those coming from different quarters, we shall by degrees gain a comprehensive view of the whole. In this connection the following narrative from a lady representative of the C.M.S., dated from Deng Doi, South China, may be interesting. She says: "The medical work is still carried on, and we are most grateful to the Medical Committee for the help they have given us. One especially interesting case was that of a doctor and fortune-teller. He could not cure himself, and, as he was too ill to go up Fuh-chow, it remained for me to do what I could for him. He had his fortune-telling idol chopped in half and his charms burned. Several times people came to have their fortunes told, but he said: 'Now I worship the true God and have nothing more to do with idols.' This was a great test, as he was at the time so badly off that he was pawning his goods. He moved to a distant village, but now, after nine months, he is still true, although he has had no one to help him, and no church nearer than nine miles. I believe his recovery and willingness to give up his idols was due to the earnest prayers of the missionary sisters who were staying with me at the time." With regard to deaths in China, the Church Times has the following: "So far as is known at present, it would seem that of British missionaries and their families,

the deaths of thirty-four persons have been absolutely proved, together with twentytwo Americans. Besides these, there are 179 of both nationalities missing in the provinces of Chi-li and Shan-si, while the numbers of French, Swedish, Danish, and other Christians cannot yet be discovered. In addition to these, the native Christians who have been massacred cannot possibly be numbered, but in all the thanksgivings which have been offered for the succour of the living, there must surely be found the note of rejoicing that so many have found life when they accepted the crown of a martyr."

SOUTH AFRICA.

Nearly a year ago, some few personschiefly outside the British Empire-were asking: What will be the result of the war in South Africa? From most subjects of the Empire there came back the unhesitating, undoubting reply: There can be but one end. Great Britain cannot afford to fail. There could in fact be no other answer. What many people now find it difficult to understand is that the Boers should ever have expected to obtain any advantage by making war on Great Britain. There could be no doubt as to the end with any who knew the conditions. Great Britain had the powera greater power than the Home Government realized when they began the conflict. She had not only the resources, in men and money, of England, Scotland, and Ireland; she had her great colonial Empire at her back, prompt to come to her aid, and able to send many more than were actually sent, as scon as the need might become apparent. One other element was overlooked by those hostile or indifferent to the Empire-the moral element. The war was undertaken as a duty. It was a sacrifice imposed upon the Empire by the requirements—the righteous demands-of our human nature. In this conviction our people never wavered. By this conviction they have been sustained, and in the same spirit they would have borne still greater sacrifices, had they been needed. And now the end is nearing. The war, we are told, is practically over. While we write there is a report of fighting, and probably it is almost the last in any regular kind of way. The work remaining to be done is rather police work than military work. Ex-President Kruger has fled over the border into Portuguese territory. Ex-President Steyn is being hunted by the Imperial troops. Before these lines are printed, he may be a captive in British hands, or a retugee in keeping with Kruger. The Ex-President of the Transvaal is not a heroic figure. Posing as a patriot, resolved to sacrifice all for the liberty of his people, etc., etc., ready to let the invaders walk over his body, but not to desert the sacred cause, he has fled ignominiously from pillar to post, and is now waiting for a convenient opportunity of escaping with his gold to the Netherlands, or some other haven of rest, where he may enjoy what he has not laboured for. It is of no use wasting sentiment over such a

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man. One who ten years ago could not pay his hotel bill, and, at the present moment, is one of the riches men in the world, cannot have come honestly by his wealth; it is notorious that he has not come by it honestly. He has bragged and bluffed-to use a phrase that is very expressive; but it has come to nothing. The world was to stare (so he told us), at the price we should pay for our work in Africa. The world hardly stares at the collapse of his stupendous insolence-hardly stares, because the world knew that it must come. We are glad the old man has escaped. Very few Britons had any wish to have him on our hands. He may be assured that no one will wish to disturb him. As regards Ex-President Steyn, in some respects his case is worse than Kruger's, for we had no quarrel with the Orange State. It was, perhaps, difficult for him to keep out of the conflict; at any rate, it is all for the best now. In due time South Africa will be a prosperous, a loyal, and a contented colony. God grant that it may come soon for the sake of all.

TRINITY UNIVERSITY.

We understand that Trinity College is entering upon the new academic year with much brighter prospects than for several years past. The number of students is increased, and there is every prospect of exceptionally good work being done. The Rev. Professor Cayley, who has just been appointed rector of St. Simon's church, Toronto, will continue his lectures at Trinity during the Michaelmas term, at least, and throughout the year, if necessary. But, of course, as soon as possible, his successor will be appointed, and take over his whole duties.[#] We are not able to gather any information as to who his successor will be. Doubtless the matter will be discussed at the October meeting of Corporation. With the bright outlook which the University now enjoys, it ought not to be a difficult matter to secure a first-class man for this important chair. Federation matters are making quiet progress, we are told. The Provost expresses himself very confidently in regard to a satisfactory conclusion of this long-standing question; but he counsels patience, and reminds us that a matter so full of difficulties and so fateful with consequences of the utmost importance to the whole question of Religious Education cannot be solved offhand. His view is that the matter is surely and steadily working itself out, and needs careful watching and direction rather than impatient hastening, which might prove harmful in the end. Those who hold the reins of power in different quarters are quietly working towards a common goal, with greater unanimity than ever before; and more than this it would be unreasonable to expect at the present time. Another important subject, which is being much debated, is that of an increased endowment for Trinity. The impression prevails that the Provost has received promises of some very large subscriptions, but the only definite announcement we can get from him at present is that he has "every reason to feel hopeful about raising an adequate endowment for the college in the near future." With this, therefore, we must be content for the present, hoping to hear something more definite before long. We extend our hearty congratulations to the Provost and the other authorities on the improved condition of the college generally, and we shall be glad to chronicle from time to time more definite announcements in regard to the great questions now pending.

PIONEER MISSIONARIES.

By an Old Clergyman of the Diocese of Niagara. Memoirs of first pioneer missionaries to the Six Nations Indians, and other United Empire Loyalists of Upper Canada (Ontario).

Rev. John Bethune, Glengarry, 1784.

"The o'dest Presbyterian church in Ontario," says Miss Carnochan, in her admirable history of 'Two Frontier Churches,' "is believed to be at Williamstown, Glengarry (1786), which, with several others in the vicinity was presided over by the Rev. John Bethune."

Glengarry was early settled (1776), by a band of Scotch soldiers, who had fought for Britain against France.

Mr. Bethune travelled as missionary for many years throughout that region, ministering to the spiritual and temporal needs of his people, with great ability, courage and zeal; nothing daunted by trials, dangers and difficulties of so wild a country. Such brave men were few in those days, but later on he was joined, or followed, by others, whose works may be traced there to this day. No people could be more loyal than those early settlers of Glengarry; they furnished the famous Glengarry Light Infantry in the war of 1812-14, and were distinguished on several occasions by marks of bravery and endurance as good soldiers. Mr. Bethune married Miss Veronique Haddon (or Waddon), a Swiss lady, at Halifax, N.S., before coming to Glengarry.

Rev. John Dun (Presbyterian), Niagara, 1794.

The history of St. Andrew's Church, of Niagara, dates from 1794. Niagara was a well-known centre of early religious zeal, which sent forth aid to many places through the peninsula and on to York. The name of the Rev. John Dun, its first minister, is, therefore, to be highly honoured as a brave pioneer missionary. He was obliged to resign, owing to ill-health, at the end of three years, leaving a vacancy until 1802. In the meantime an occasional helper—Rev. Daniel W. Eastman— visited Niagara to supply the desired ministrations. up by Providence to be guides and shepherds in Israel.

The writer of "The Two Frontier Churches," before quoted, concludes her valuable pages with these words: "Yes, these pioneers of St. Andrew's and St. Mark's churches, Niagara, did noble work. After life's fitful fever they sleep well. May those of the present not prove degenerate sons of such noble sires, but in the duties of every-day life write history, so that those, of a day as far advanced, in the light and civilization of ours as this is of the days of which we have been giving the record, may say of us, 'they did what 'they could.'"

Besides this, there is always something unique in the lives of Christian heroes, which cheers our hearts-of such men as Livingstone, the pioneer of Central Africa; of General Charles George Gordon, a martyr in 1885; also of all, who, like them, have gone forth in Christ's name for humanity's sake-as Howard, Wilberforce, Carey, Schwartz, Selwyn, first pioneer Bishop of New Zealand; Mackenzie, Patteson, Hannington, and Bompas,* in Arctic Canada. Like stars in the firmament, these names, like the Apostles of old, shine to adorn our race, to enlighten us. to bid us "be true and faithful," in our course of life, even unto death. For them and all who have departed this life in Christian faith and love, we praise and bless God, beseeching Him to give us grace so to follow their good examples, that with them we may have our perfect consummation and bliss, both in body and soul, in His eternal and everlasting glory, through Jesus Christ, our Lord." Amen.

The following lines from "The Centennial," a poem by the present rector of St. Mark's church, Niagara, Rev. T. C. Garrett (written 1892, on the centenary of that Church), will happily serve to conclude these brief memoirs:

"Even now thy sacred walls and well-trod floor, Holy to us because of those who trod Thereon, who rest in peace to-day with God— Re-echo still each footstep to our ear; Re-echo, too, in tones the while subdued, The lessons taught of truth and fortitude, Which make the burdens that we still must bear, The easier borne; re-echo, too, the prayer, Common to us as to them in their day, Whose influence lives, though they have passed away;

And principles, by which our sires imbued, Like them to be, we well may hope and pray, Made them to be what now they ever shall appear; Men that were men, whose bright, unsullied fame Makes it our gladness to extol their names!

Rev. John Burns, Niagara, 1802.

Mr. Burns was appointed to St. Andrew's, 1802, but was obliged to devote much of his time as principal of the "Niagara Grammar School." Schools were very few and far between. England Appeals were frequently sent to by the Provincial Governors and leading men that teachers were greatly needed. Such able scholars as Mr. Burns were not easily found. His name is revered, and is often mentioned in records until 1817. It was in June, 1814, a few weeks before the battle of Lundy's Lane, that we find he delivered a right loyal sermon of thanksgiving, in his church at Stamford, near Niagara, for the deliverances vouchsaled to British-Canadians in defence of their country during two previous years (since June, 1812). The Niagara river frontier had been the scene of ruthless invasions, and, with one exception-Niagara town- was successfully defended. Mr. Burns spoke with no uncertain sounds; and so gave encouragement to his loyal people. Such men as he were great and useful men of the times, raised Yes, here they lived, and moved, and were endued, By that which only can be power—the fear Of God—which them to Him, this land their King, As truth itself made true; whose honour ring The future ages shall, and whose high praise, So long as men have voice, the tune shall sing; Long as the sun on man shall shed his rays, For them thy sons to God thanksgiving raise!"

THE BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW IN CANADA.

Tenth Annual Convention, Oct. 18th to 21st, 1900. To the Members of the Brotherhood,

The tenth annual convention will be held in Toronto, on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, the 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st October, opening with "Quiet Hours" in St. James' Cathedral on Thursday at 3 to 5 p.m., to be conducted by Rev. Charles H. Brent, St. Stephen's Church, Boston, Mass. It is the earnest desire of the members of the Toronto Local Assembly that every member of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew in Canada will make an earnest, self sacrificing effort to be present

*Bishop Bompas has sub-divided, more than once, that vast region into other dioceses. Still he has probably the largest See in the world, as it extends over 200,000 miles, and includes the Klondyke gold-fields, (1898).

at the forthcoming convention. This is desirable not only that " 1900 " may be the largest and most beneficial convention of the Canadian Brotherhood, but, that from the Atlantic to the Pacific there be an awakening and a renewing of interest in, and zeal for, our work. Canvass every member of your Chapter and see if it is not possible for him to attend, and do not forget to advise both clergy and laity of your congregation that any visitors, accredited by your chapter, will be heartily welcomed and will receive hospitality during the convention period. Come let us meet together and help one another, and receive help together so that in turn we may the better help others. Come expecting great things, and whether coming or staying, pray for God's most abundant blessing upon our convention and our work.

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Transportation arrangements are not yet complete, but the committee which has the matter in charge, is in frequent communication with the railroad officials and confidently expects to secure a one fare rate for a round trip. If not, the usual one fare and one-third on the certificate plan for the round trip will be secured. Detailed information on this **point** will be supplied to all Chapter secretaries later. In any case all delegates must obtain standard certificate from ticket agent at starting point.

Reception.—Members of the Reception Committee will meet all trains on Thursday and up to Friday at 1 p.m. Should you miss the committee proceed at once to St. James' school house, corner Church street and Adelaide street east, and register. Church street cars from Union Station pass St. James' school house.

Registration.—All members and visitors are requested to register immediately upon arrival at St. James' school house. Upon doing this they will receive the convention badge, programme, etc., and will be directed to their billets.

Hospitality.—All brotherhood men, clergy and accredited visitors will be provided with board and lodging during the convention period. Those who have not already done so are requested to advise the general secretary at once, stating when they expect to arrive, using the enclosed blank form. Failure to do so will greatly inconvenience both the Hospitality Committee and those who have kindly⁶, undertaken to provide accommodation Those who send in their names as intending visitors and who find later that it will be impossible to attend, are also requested to advise the general secretary as soon as possible.

Hotels.—Those desiring accommodation at their own expense can obtain it at rates of \$1 per day upwards at hotels or boarding houses, a list of which will be found in the convention hall. Postoffice.—A postoffice will be established in the convention hall. Delegates may, therefore, have their mail matter directed to them in care of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, St. James' school house, Toronto, Ont. Information.—During the convention information regarding trains, meetings, etc., may be obtained at the Information Bureau in the convention hall.



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Friday, Oct. 10th .-- 7 a.m .-- Holy Communion in city churches to be specified. 10.30 a.m.-St. James' schoolhouse, organization of convention. Address, "The Conception of the Convention," Rev. Frank DuMoulin, M.A., St. Peter's church, Chicago, Ill.; reception to visitors; notices of motion; distribution of council reports. 12 noon-Conference L-Subject: "Helps and Hindrances to the Work of the Average Chapter." Chairman, Rev. J. C. Farthing, M.A., St. Paul's, Woodstock, Ont. Addresses by C. Hubert Carleton, Esq., late general secretary of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew in England, and others. Set addresses 15 minutes each followed by general discussion. I p.m.—Lunch. 2.30 p.m.—St. James schoolhouse— Business session, reading of council report with dis-



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cussion; report of committee on Junior department; notices of motion; general business. 3.30 p.m.—Conference 2.—Subject, "Helps from the [October 4, 1900.

James' Schoolhouse.—Business session. 10.30 a.m.-Conférence 3-Subject, "The Junior Department." Chairman, D. M. Stewart, Esq., St. Martm's, Montreal. (a) "Brotherhood Work Among Boys." (b) "Brotherhood Work by Boys," Herbert J. Smith, St. John, N.B. Set addresses, 15 minutes each, followed by general discussion, I p.m.-Lunch. 2.30 p.m.-St. James' Schoolhouse-Conference 4.-Subject, "The Outlook for Brother. hood Work." Chairman, N. Ferrar Davidson, Fsq., president of the Brotherhood in Canada. (a) "The Call of the 20th Century," Rev. J. A. Richardson, Trinity Church, St. John, N.B. (b) "The Answer of the Brotherhood," John W. Wood, Esq., corresponding -scorretary of the Board of Domestic and Foreign Missions of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America, New York. Set addresses, 20 minutes each, followed by general discussion. 8 p.m.-St. James' Schoolhouse-Public Meeting-Subject, "What the Church Asks of Men," Chairman. Addresses by John W. Wood, Esq., New York, and others.

Sunday, Oct. 21st.—8 a.m.—Holy Communion m city churches. 11 a.m.—Morning service in city churches with sermons by special preachers. 3.15 p.m.—Massey Music Hall.—Mass Meeting for Men —Subject, "The True Basis of National Greatness," Chairman, George R. Parkin, Esq., LL.D., Principal of Upper Canada College. Addresses by Right Rev. J. Philip DuMoulin, D.C.L., Lord Bishop of Niagara, and Right Rev. Thomas F. Gailor, D.D. 7 p.m.—St. James' Cathedral.—Final Service.— Preacher, Right Rev. Thomas F. Gailor, D.D. 8.45 p.m.—Farewell meeting.

All conferences, public meetings and united services of the convention, with the exception of the men's mass meeting in Massey Hall, will be held in St. James' Cathedral or schoolhouse.

MY LATE WORK IN JAPAN.

By Miss L. Paterson.

Before once more saying good-bye to Canada, I would like to tell our Churchpeople a little about my late work in Japan, "St. Mary's Bible Heme," situated in the town of Matsumoto, which town has a population of about 30,000. It is just three years since the Bible Home was opened, and it is the first work of this kind which has been started in the interior of Japan. We were obliged to begin in a small way, so the "Home" is only large enough to accommodate the teachers and about six or eight students; we are very anxious to enlarge it, and to extend our work. We look to this "Home" as to the very germ of our future work among the women in this part of Japan. In it young girls are trained for Christian teachers, and we hope that later on they will, as the wives of Christian men, be the founders of Christian households. The idea in enlarging the "Home" is, that instead of keeping it strictly to the work of preparing Bible women (as at present), we shall be able to take into it a number of girls, who are not yet Christians, and that these girls shall attend the Public Schools (of which there are very good ones, Matsumoto being quite an educational centre), that they live in the "Home," where they will be under Christian instruction, and we cannot but feel that their influence would be on the side of good among the girls in the Public Schools. Tchimura San, who has been my assistant for nearly four years, is now in this city; also the Rev. F. Kennedy, with both of whom I have been associated in this work. During their stay in Canada, they will be able to tell you of mission work in Japan, to show you how great is the opportunity, how urgent is the call, and how God has opened the door for the entrance of the gospel, even into the heart of Japan. Two ladies are now in charge of the woman's work in Matsumoto, and we receive good news of its progress. On account of the trouble in China, many of our papers have thought fit to condemn the missionary, and to say that he is at the bottom of all the trouble; this we know to be quite untrue. We know that the missionary 15

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Council.—Headquarters of the Dominion Council, during the convention, will be in St. James' school house. For further information address the general secretary, 24 Adelaide street east. N. Ferrar Davidson, Chairman Executive Committee; W. H. Smith, Chairman Hospitality Committee. Toronto, 25th September, 1900.

Points.—Advise the general secretary of your coming, at once. Don't forget to secure "Standard Railroad Certificate." Register immediately upon arrival. Have your mail matter addressed care of the convention. Any member of your chapter or congregation will be welcomed, if supplied with credentials.

Provisional Programme.—Thursday, Oct. 18th.— 10 a.m.—Meeting of the council. 3 p.m.—St. James' Cathedral, Quiet Hours, conducted by Rev. Charles H. Brent, M.A., St. Stephen's church. Boston, Mass. 8 p.m.—St. James' Cathedral, special service with charge to the Brotherhood. Bible and Prayer Book." Chairman, Arthur P. Tippet, Esq., St. George's, Montreal. (a) "In developing the Brotherhood Man," Rev. Canon Welch, D.C.L., St. James', Toronto. (b) "In Keeping the Brotherhood Rules." (c) "In Advancing the Sole Object." 8 p.m.—St. James' Schoolhouse—Public Meeting—Subject, "What the Church Offers Men," Chairman, Right Rev. Arthur Sweatman, D.D., D.C.L., Lord Bishop of Toronto. Addresses by Right Rev. Thomas F. Gailor, D.D., Bishop of Tennesse and others.

Saturday, Oct. 20th.—7 a.m.—Corporate celebration of the Holy Communion; celebrant Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Toronto. 10.30 a.m.—St.



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sions, the Lord Jesus Christ Himself, for telling His disciples to go into all the world and preach the Gospel? It's a terrible pity that there is so much ignorance shown upon this most important of all subjects. Would it not be much better to point to our Lord's command and say:

> Their's not to reason why, Their's but to do and die.

And I will venture to say there are but few, if any missionaries, either in China or Japan, who would not die for their Lord, and as for the Christian converts, were there not many in China who might have saved their lives if they would have recanted and joined the enemies of the Christians? and yet there are people in these lands who will tell you that there is not a Chinese or Japanese Christian who is "worth his salt." I have seen Japanese suffer so much for their Christian faith that I nave often wondered if the Christians of our Christian country, under as difficult circumstances, would stand as firm. I think there are few who have not been filled with admiration at the conduct of the Japanese in this war with China, and although Japan is not yet a Christian nation, still it is largely ruled by Christian laws. I am leaving Teronto in a few days to take up work among the Japanese in San Francisco; there are some theusands of them in that city, and many of them are of the educated classes; should they become earnest Christians, they will, when they return to

ing, my short stay here, and as they have prayed that God would bless my work in Japan, I now ask them to pray that He will be with me in my future work in San Francisco.

HOMILETICAL HINTS ON THE COLLECTS.

By Rev. Prof. Clark, LL.D., Trinity College.

Collect for the Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity.

Again we ask for grace—the grace of God's Holy Spirit—the grace which is the communication of the love of God to the heart of man.

i. A prayer for God's people.

1. We pray for the world, but in a different manner—as needing to be brought to God and accepted.

2. We pray for the Church, as for the people of God, those brought into covenant with Him, the objects of His peculiar regard.

ii. That they may withstand temptations. 1. Not yet perfect. Still liable to yield and to

fall.

2. And the temptations of the same kind—world, flesh, devil. (1) So in Paradree. (2) So in wilderness. (3) So ever.

iii. That they may follow God.

1. "Imitators' of God, as dear children. (1) Only thus realize their true being. (2) Called to be holy, as He is holy. (3) Foilowing of Christ the following of God.

2. Specially "with pure hearts and minds." (1) With simplicity of purpose. (2) With separation from the evil that is in the world.

3. God the only God—a striking phrase. (i) Only one God. All things of Him, through Him, and to Him. (2) He the supreme object of man's thoughts, affections, purposes. Only object of complacency, of desire, of obedience.

REVIEWS.

The Relation of the Apostolic Teaching to the Teaching of Christ. By Rev. R. J. Drummond, B.D. Price, 10s. 6d. Edinburgh: T. & T. Clark; Toronto: Publishers' Syndicate, 1900.

We have had occasion to refer, more than once, to the excellence of the Kerr Lectures, delivered from year to year by ministers of the U. P. Clurch in Scotland-now to be united with the Free Church. We imagine that the volume before us will be one of the most useful of the series, although not so much "out of the common," as some of its predecessors. The subject is of paramount importance-the substantial identity of the teaching of the Apostles with that of their Master, and of the Apostles with each other. For example, Chapter IV., on the "Common Assumption," sets forth the fundamental truths announced by Christ concerning the mission of Christ, the need of man, the work of God in response to that need, and the intended range of salvation. At the close of the chapter, these questions are discussed-Do James and Peter differ from Paul? Do Acts and Galatians disagree? Does Paul differ from Jesus? Is John at issue with Christ and Paul? These questions are carefully considered and satisfactorily answered. Of course there is nothing absolutely new in all this. These questions have been answered before. But they are here brought into connection with contemporaneous thought; and, although the writer carefully eschews the novel terminology to which some recent writer. have attempted to accustom us, there is a freshness in his treatment which proves him to be in thorough sympathy with all that is best in the religious thought of the present day. The book will prove of the greatest service to teachers and preachers.

Dr. Matheson's previous works prepare us to expect great things at his hands, and we are not here disappointed. The purpose of the work now before us is to trace the development of the work of Christ, as exhibited in the Gospel story. There is, therefore, a close connection between the successive chapters of the book, one leading on to the other. Moreover, the character of the work



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is, in the author's language, semi-devotional, each chapter ending with an invocation or a prayer. The first volume of the work met with such acceptance that the writer has felt encouraged to go on with the second, which takes up the history from the feeding of the multitude in the desert of Bethsaida, dealt with at the close of the former volume. The author explains that by the Portrait of Christ he means the united impression produced upon the heart by the "delineations" of the four evangelists. We feel satisfied that few will peruse these sketches without having deeper and more vivid views of the character of the work of Christ, of the Spirit by which it was animated, and of the manner in which it was developed and unfolded.

Brahman Literature. The Sacred Books of the East. Edited by Professor Max Muller. Vol. 8. New York and Toronto: Scribers'. Price \$2.50.

We welcome the new volume of the handsome American edition of Professor Max Muller's Sacred Books of the East. The contents are (1) the Institutes of Vishnu, translated by Julius Jolly, and (2) the Bhagavadgita, with the Sanatsugatiya and the Anugita, translated by Kashinath Trimbak Telang, M.A. These works

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atheists, as alas many of them do, they can, as anti-Christians, do much harm to the cause. The Bishop of Northern California, Right Rev. W. Nichols, is much interested in this work, and a Japanese, who is to be ordained this autumn, tells me that the mission is full of promise. I will take this opportunity of saying good-bye to all my friends, whom I have been unable to see dur-

Studies of the Portrait of Christ. By the Rev. Geo. Matheson, D.D. Price, \$1.50. London: Hodder & Stoughton; Toronto: Upper Canada Tract Society, 1900.

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form an important part of the religious and ethical teaching of Brahmanism, of much later origin than the Vedus, but based upon them, and reflecting their contents. It is superfluous to remark that these books form part of the necessary equip-



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ment of all who would study deeply and thoroughly the early history or the philosophy of religion. It is equally certain that these early works are here presented in a form as accurate and intelligible as is ever likely to be provided for students. Undoubtedly large portions of these documents must seem mere rubbish to Western students, whilst many deep and striking truths are

here set totil. However iles may be, it is undemable that for their purpose the books are inasspensible.

Magazines. In the current number of Scribner's Magazine will be found the first of a series of atticles from the pen of Henry Norman, de semptive of "Russia of To Day." It is the first of a series of seven papers dealing with that in teresang and yet, to a great extent, still unknown Empire, and deals with the two capitals, viz., St. Petersburg and Moscow. Mr. J. D. Cox contributes an article on "The Sherman-Johnston Convention," an episode in the American Civil War, Richard Harding Davis writes of "The Last Days of Pretoria" as a Boer capital, and in his article gives many interesting details of the fighting in what was then the Orange Free State. A third paper dealing with one of the phases of "The Slave Trade in America." appears, as also does another portion of J. M. Barrie's story, "Tommy and Grizel." The article "With Arctic Highlanders," written by W. Wyckoff, the author of "The Workers" is concluded, and in addition to the above are several pieces of poetry. The coloured cover, representing the fruit harvest, was designed by Maxfield Parrish, and is most appropriate.

Everybody's Magazine for October contains, amongst other articles, one written by Rudyard Kipling entitled, "A Burgher of the Free State." This is a complete story in itself, as are four others written by Messrs. Crockett, Beddoe, Noble and Sabatini, respectively. R. Maingay contributes an article on "The Dowager Empress of China," peculiarly appropriate at the present juncture, and which is illustrated by many interesting photographs. In "A Future Rival of Monte Carlo," the palace of the late Empress of Austria in Coriu, is described; and this, too, is beautifully illustrated. "Bridge Building," is article No. VIII., of those descriptive of great American Industries, written by Montgomery Mc-Govern. Poetry is represented by two pieces, viz., "Kathleen," and "To lanthe."

The Churchwoman.

- This Department is for the benefit of Women's work in the Church in Canada. Its object will be to treat of all institutions and societies of
- interest to Churchwomen. Requests for information, or short reports for publication will receive prompt attention.
- Correspondence will be welcome, and should be brief addressed to the Editor "Ruth," care of CANADIAN CHURCHMAN.

"Artennis," Collingwood, \$1, A. I., Foronto, \$5: Edward Spart, SPCK, Room, 25c, Eva. SP.CK., Room, Ioc., M. L. B., Loonto, St. Mrs. A. Hogge, Guep'r, \$2, "Viola," Foronto, \$1; E. M., Foronto, \$2; E. E. M. St., Grace Church Sunday School, Foroisto, per Mr. F. R. Barber, \$5.50; S. Smith, Quyon, Que, 250; A friend, Guelph, for lepers \$1; Mis H Ruttan, Kingston, \$1; R. B. Rogers, Peterbaro, \$255 H. S. Rogers, Peterboro, \$150, G. N. Rogers, Peterboro, \$1.50; Edna Rogers, Peterboro, \$1.50 The distress, I feat, is still very great. The chief grain cannot be reaped till March. It is the March crop which has failed, and is causing such deep distress, and it failed because of the want of rain. Now the rains, as all will know from the accounts in our daily papers, have been already too plentiful in some parts of India, and the prospects for a good harvest are, thank God. bright; but I regret to say that the reports, so far as one can judge from those I have seen in connection with Dr. Klopsch's work in New York, are simply most heartrending. Only last week I was sent a cutting. I cannot say from what paper, describing the awful scenes watnessed by him during his tour through India. What he saw at the Baroda' Poorhouse secured to be misery intensified at every step. As he entered a blind woman pushed forward, gropping with skeleton hands toward the sound of footstep and voice, mumbling almost inaudibly her plautive petition; others soon followed after her, and were ordered back by officials. Outside several were lying in the blazing sun, waiting till death came to their release. The visitors ielt they had seen all they could bear, but bethinking themselves that no children had been seen, they enquired for them, and were told they would be found in the kitchen. In a bamboo inclosure sat 300 skele tonized diminutive creatures, mostly naked, all sickly and, miserable, and many of them totally blind. Files were pestering them. "Never," says Dr. Klopsch, "have I seen anything approximating in abject misery this gathering of innocents. Not a cry escaped their lips. Suddenly there was a stir. Two men bearing a can of milk appeared in front of the Baroda tent. The children became animated. The Hindoo came over to where we were standing, and informed us that milk was to be given to the feeble children. As soon as some of the tin cups were filled, the children scrambled for them. There was not enough for more than a fourth of the number, and the more vigorous ones got what there was. The feebler ones went without it. We asked the Hindoo how

wonderful work for India. The article from which I have been quoting states that he is in receipt of some \$3,000 a day, adding that "much more money is needed to save the breadless ones from death, and to take care of the half million helpless orphans left by parents who have already perished Unless, therefore, I am requested to do otherwise, I will send all, or part of our funds, as it seems best, to the New York relief, in connection with the Christian Herald. But I will gladly end contributions to the C.M.S., if so desired Will not all be kind enough still to send whatever they can spare. We cannot turn aside from their plaintive cry for food. Please address contributions to Miss Caroline Macklem, Sylvan Towers, Rosedale, Toronto.

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

Amherst.-The Rev. V. E. Harris has just sailed for England. Before his departure, a numher of his triends assembled to say good-bye, and to present him with a purse containing a sum of \$150, with the following address: "We cannot let you and your family leave us without some expression of our good will and deep regret at your departure. Nor can we thank you sufficiently for all you have done for us when we consider the years you have worked and given us the best of your life in this parish, and all you have accomplished, the churches you have built, the improvements you have effected, your faithfulness in stekness and in health, your acceptable ministrations in time of affliction, your ready, kind help under all circumstances. We fully realize our loss. Will you kindly accept the enclosed gift? It is not as large as we wish, but is given with the heartiest good-will from a number of your sincere friends, all of whom say from a full heart: God be with you and yours, till we meet again."

QUEBEC.

Andrew Hunter Dunn, D.D., Bishop, Quebec.

Quebec.—St. Matthew's.—On St. Matthew's Day, the Bishop of Ottawa ordained to the diacenate, in this church, his son, Harold Hamilton, where he is to serve as curate. Bishop Dunn preached the sermon, and referred to the fact that the Bishop of Ottawa was himself ordained in the same church, on St. Matthew's Day, 1857, exactly forty-three years ago. The new and handsome stone chancel of the church, the only one of its kind in the Dominion, erected as a memorial of the Bishop's brother, the late Robert Hamilton, was thrown open and used for the first time. It is to be completed by the insertion of a large stained glass Te Deum window, now being manufactured in England.

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FOR STARVING INDIA.

Frightful scenes at the Baroda Poorhouse; children scrambling for milk, as described by Dr. Klopsch.

With very grateful thanks I acknowledge the following contributions to the India Famine Fund: Mrs. Bernard, Collingwood, \$2; Miss Campbell, Collingwood, \$2; Mr. Arthur Ellis, Collingwood, 45c.; Mrs. W. Murray, Guelph, 20c.; H. E. Wright, Lachine Rocks, \$1; "Paddy O'Rafferty," Owen Sound, \$2; Friend, Oakville, \$1; J. S. Armstrong, Esq., Port Hamesburg, N.S., \$15; M. P. G., London, Ont., \$2; Mrs, Sparrow, \$1; Collected by Miss Grace Harkness, Tamworth, \$1.02; Dorothy W. H. Hamilton, \$4; H. M. C., Petrolia, \$1; Jane R., Meaford, \$5; Auxiliary member of St. James' Church, Toronto, \$5; D. M. Campbell, \$5; Friend, for New York Fund, 50c.; M., Milwaukee, \$5; Mr. Arnold N. Smith. Cornwall, \$1; A milkman, Toronto, \$2: Miss Baker, St. Simon's church, 50c.: Niagara Falls, \$5; From an U. E. Loyalist, \$1; Editors of the Children's "Argosy," Miss Bradda Ogden, the Misses Gwendolen and Louie English, 50c.; Mr. Alex. Shepherd, Toronto, \$1; I. Joseph, Wellesley St., for lepers' famine, \$5; Mrs. Strathy, Kingston, \$10;

ignorance, but volunteered the information that their bodies were burned. We crossed the square that led to the gate, but before we reached it we were surrounded by groups of starving people piteously pleading for a few pice with which to purchase grain. Tears actually trickled down the cheeks of many of the supplicants, as they held up to our gaze their emaciated, shrivelled, little ones. Children prostrated themselves to the ground, chattering in a strange tongue, and with frightful rapidity of utterance, the story of their woes. 'Oh, my king,' cried they, 'it will be very well with you if you will help us, for we are very, very hungry,' and driven to despair at the thought that their appeal, perhaps, lacked eloquence or earnestness, they slapped their hollow bodies, and persuasively added. I'm starving.' 'If you will help me, God will give you many children.' I verily believe that not one of the twelve hundred that were in the Baroda Poorhouse that morning ever came out alive. It was a veritable dead house, and those who once entered seemed helplessly doomed." To ail this I have nothing to add, save that I hope all will still be ready to hold out a helping hand to these most pitiful sufferers. And I do not think any will object to have their contributions sent to Dr. Klopsch. I should like to feel at liberty to do so, as in that case they are cabled, and much time is saved. Dr. Klopsch is certainly doing a most

many of the little ones died lately. He professed

Sherbrooke.-The ceremonies in connection with the laying of the corner stone of the new St. Peter's church took place on Saturday afternoon, September 15th. His Lordship, Bishop Dunn, of Quebec; Bishop Thorneloe, of Algoma; Rev. Dr. Dumbell, rector; Rev. A. C. Scarth, D.C.L., of Lennoxville; Rev. Mr. Whitney, principal of Bishop's College; Rev. Prof. Wilkinson, Rev. R. 'A. Parrock, Rev. T. S. Chapman, of Marbleton; Rev. G. H. Parker, of Compton; Rev. Canon Fester, of Coaticook. There was a large attendance of parishioners. Among those present was A. G. Woodward Esq., the only surviving member of the building committee who looked after the erection of the old church in 1844. The corner stone was laid at the north-east corner of the church, and bears the following inscription: "Ad majorem dei gloriam et in honorem sancti petre

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apostoli, A.D. MIDCCCCC After the arrival of the clergy, the service land down for such occasions was gone through, and at the conclusion, Rev. Dr. Dumbell read the following list of articles, which w re-deposited in the corner stone; An engrossed parchment scroll, bearing the following: "The corner stone of the parish church of St. Peter, in the City of Sherbrooke, Province of Quebec, Canada, was laid with appropriate ceremonies, on the fiteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred, by the Right Rev. A. Hunter Dunn, D.D., Lord Bishop of Quebec, assisted by the Right Rev. George Thorneloc, D.D., formerly rector of St. Peter's parish church, and by the Rev. G. W. Dumbell, D.D., rector of the parish, and the neighbouring clergy. Parish Clergy-Rector, the Rev. G. W. Dumbell, D.D.; curate, the Rev. F. G. Vial, M.A. Churchwardens - H. R. Fraser, H. D. Lawrence, Building Committee-William Farwell, chairman: Rev. G. W. Dumbell, D.D.; R. W. Heneker, Frank Thompson, H. R. Fraser, H. D. Lawrence Organist -H. Fletcher, Sexton-F. Plant. Architects Messrs. Cox & Amos, Montreal and Sherbrooke. There was also enclosed one copy of each of the newspapers printed in Sherbrooke, including the Sherbrooke Gazette, The Sherbrooke Examiner. The Daily Record, Le Pionnier, and Le Progres de l'Est, all of the date 14th September, 1000; one copy of the Parish Register, issued in 1880, containing a short history of the Church in the parish and township; coins of the Dominion of Canada, as at present issued, including a fifty cent piece, twenty-fivecent piece, ten-cent piece, five-cent piece, and onecent piece, all of the date 1800. The Bishop of Ouebec was then presented with a silver trowel by Mr. Wm. Farwell, it being the gift of Mrs. Reid, widow of the late Rev. C. P. Reid, rector of St. Peter's. The stone was then lowered into position, and the Lord Bishop spread the mortar, and tapping the stone, said: "In the faith of Jesus Christ we lay this corner stone, in the name of the Father, the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:" After the conclusion of the service, Bishop Dunn addressed those present, reminding them that from the earliest day it was customary not only to dedicate their places of worship, but also to place a memorial before the Lord, which he supposed was a memorial stone such as they were. placing that day. He felt honoured at being asked to lay that corner stone. He then recalled his efforts in connection with securing a portion of the bequest made to colonial churches by the late Mr. Marriott, of England. He succeeded in securing £1,000 for St. Peter's church on the

Smith. New students were accepted and several matters connected with the control of the college came under discussion. It is understood that among other resolutions brought forward was an important one touching the scholarships given in the college. It is intended, following in the wake of a movement in the United States, not to give these scholarships gratis in the future, but for work done and examinations passed. The programme for the various services in connection with the jubilee of the diocese is now completed. It is on a most elaborate scale and everything promises it to be a great success.

St. John's.—St. James' harvest thanksgiving service was held in this church last month. The church was beautifully decorated with the products of the flower and vegetable garden, the field and the orchard, while a large and handsome Canadian flag was draped from the front of the chancel. The service was appropriate to the occasion and the singing of the choir was most effective. The Rev. W. Windsor was assisted by Mr. Jeakins, divinity student. The rector delivered a most eloquent thanksgiving and patriotic sermon, which was listened to with deepest attention. The offertory was devoted to church purposes.

Church of the Ascension.—The bishop held a confirmation in this church on Sunday last, when a large number were confirmed. There was a large congregation present, and the bishop's sermon was listened to with great attention.

Frelighsburg.-The remains of Mr. Wilberforce Burrows Davidson, manager of the Selkirk Electric Works. Selkirk, Manitoba, and only son of the Rev. Canon Davidson, were brought home for interment, and Monday of last week witnessed their committal to the resting-place beneath the shadow of the church of his early instruction and of his continuous love. The clergy attending from Montreal were the Very Rev. Dean Carmichael, the Rev. Dr. Ker, and the Rev. J. Frederick Renaud, and from the district the Rev. Rural Dean Nye, the Rev. W. P. Chambers, the Rev. N. P. Yates, the Rev. H. Plaisted, the Rev. W. Harris, the Rev. J. Elliott, the Rev. T. B. Jeakins, with Rev. W. E. Patterson, rector at Milford, Nashua, N.H., most of whom took part in the solemn impressive service. The church was filled to the doors, the throng of sympathizers, including representative parishioners from a wide extent of the country round about. The kindness of relatives and friends in the parish and beyond had been spontaneous and affecting, everything possible being done to palliate the blow. The messages of sympathy borne to agonizing hearts by every mail were touching and full of consolation. A fervent and affectionate funeral address was delivered by the Rev. Dr. Ker, and the committal, read by the Dean, breathed comfort insits triumphant recitation of the glorious resurrection awaiting the Christian dead.

Parham.—The Rev. J. W. Chaplin-Wilkinson, who has done very excellent missionary work in this mission, has to leave on account of ill health and preached his farewell sermon on Sunday last.

Brockville.-St Peter's.-Grand Harvest Thanksgiving.-The Bishop-Elect.-Thursday, September 27th, was a red letter day at Brockville, not only for the congregation of St. Peter's, but for all the members of the church in the town. For many reasons it will be a day long to be remembered. Immediately after his election as "Bishop of Ontario, Coadjutor" (his legal designation), it was a happy suggestion that the Ven. the Archdeacon of St. Andrew's should be invited by the Commissary of the Archbishop, and rector of Brockville, to preach the sermon on the occasion of the annual thanskgiving in the mother church of the town. It was felt there would be a peculiar propriety as well as a graceful courtesy in the Archdeacon of Ontario, the representative of the Archbishop, extending a welcome to his future diocesan, and also as senior dignitary of the diocese acting on behalf of its clergy from whom the nomination of Dr. Mills came at the recent election. This courtesy was reciprocated in most affectionate terms by the bishop-elect, who put aside many engagements elsewhere to accept the invitation of his brother archdeacon. Accompanied by Mrs. Mills, and at his special request by the Archbishop's Commissary, Dr. Mills held a conference on Tuesday, the 25th, in Kingston, with the rural deans and made arrangements for a thorough visitation of the diocese immediately after his consecration on Nov. 1st. It is his intention to make the acquaintance of all the Church members by visiting and preaching in every church and station, for which he has invoked the assistance of the archdeacons and rural deans. It is supposed that this work will occupy some three or four months of the ensuing winter, but the time will be well spent, and the Bishop will hereafter have that intimate knowledge of his diocese and his people which only personal visitation can impart. In the evening of that day the Bishop-elect and Mrs. Mills met the ladies of the W.A., who happened to be holding a convention in Kingston, and an encouraging meeting was held in St. George's Hall, at which the Archdeacon gave a short address. The next day was spent in search of a suitable residence, the old large See House having fallen into a sad condition of dilapidation. Brockville was reached at 9 p.m., and the Archdeacon of Ontario, the churchwardens and lay delegates of St. Peter's were awaiting their arrival at the station. After presenting a beautiful bouquet of roses to Mrs. Mills, the whole party drove to the rectory and partook of refreshments. Thursday was the Day of Thanksgiving, and the festival services began with a celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Dr. Mills is a very early riser, 6 a.m. usually finding him up for the day. He communicated at the Eucharist, at which Archdeacon Bedford-Jones was the celebrant. He and Mrs. Mills were also present at the 10.30 service of morning prayer and second celebration; but he preferred not to officiate until the evening. He warmly congratulated the Rector on the number of communicants at both celebrations. as remarkable for a weekday, and on the beautiful and chaste decorations of the handsome old church. It was amusing to find a local reporter stating that "His Lordship presided at the communion service." The congregation of St. Peter's had sent cordial invitations to both the congregations of the daughters churches of Brockville, Trinity and St. Paul's on the previous Sunday, for a reception to be held in the rooms of the schoolhouse from 4 to 6 p.m.; so that as many of the Church members as possible might be introduced to their future Bishop and his amiable wife. The ladies of St. Peter's took great pains in the decoration of the platform and the rooms, which were filled with handsome plants and vases of flowers, while gay flags and banners hung round the windows. All the clergy of the deanery had also been invited, and the following were present: Revs. Canon Grout,

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understanding that the work was to be completed at once. This was the beginning of a new cra in the history of the Church in the Fastern Townships, and they should praise God for what had been done that day. Bishop Thorneloe then made a touching address, referring back to the early days of the old church and its associations, and reviewing the great advantages that would recur through the building of a larger and newer shrine for worship. Rev. Dr. Dumbell spoke briefly, referring to the financial difficulties which must be surmounted before the completion of the new church. The collection which was taken up was a large and generous one, and the proceedings terminated with the singing of Old Hundred and the Benediction pronounced by Bishop Dunn.

MONTREAL.

William Bennett Bond, D.D., Bishop, Montreal. Montreal.—Lectures were resumed in the Diocesan Theological College last week, the attendance of students being larger than ever. A meeting of the educational council of the college was held on Monday evening at Bishopscourt. There were also present the coadjutor bishop-elect of Ontario, the Rev. Principal Hackett, the Rev. G. Osborne Troop, the Rev. Dr. Rexford, the Rev. Professor Steen and the Rev. G. Abbott-

ONTARIO.

John Travers Lewis, D.D., LL.D., Archbishop of Ontario, Kingston.

Kingston.—The Venerable Archdeacon Mills, bishop-elect, was in the city last week, the guest of the very Rev. Dean Smith, and was met by the city clergymen and others. It is his intention, as soon as consecrated, to begin a visitation of the parishes. Whilst in the city he addressed a missionary meeting and inspected the See House and other properties with a view to purchase. He left the city for Brockville in company with the Ven. Archdeacon Bedford-Jones.

The Rev. Archdeacon Carey and Mrs. Carey arrived home from England last week, after spending three weeks in Paris, and the rest of their time in visiting interesting places in England, Ireland and Scotland.

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To the Venerable William Lennox Mills, Archdeacon of St. Andrew's, Bishop-elect of the Diocese of Ontario:

Venerable and Dear Sir,-On behalf of the clergy and congregation of St. Peter's parish, we beg respectfully to address you, and thank you for your acceptance of the invitation to visit us on this occasion, inaugurating in the mother church of Brockville, your ministrations in the Diocese of Ontario as its elected bishop. We are well aware that it is at no little personal sacrifice and inconvenience you forego at this time other claims on your attention to come to us and take part in our Harvest Thanksgiving Services. It will therefore always be gratefully remembered that you have afforded us the happy opportunity of being the first to extend to you a hearty and affectionate welcome as our future Father-in-God. And so, while offering our thanksgiving at this harvest season for His bountiful gifts to our country, we shall in addition gladly bear in mind the goodness of the Allwise Disposer of events, Who, for our Chief Pastor, has graciously made choice of a priest held in just repute for his unaffected piety, his theological learning, his ministerial experience, and one in all respects well qualified to fill the sacred office of a bishop in the Church of God. That you may be long spared to discharge the duties of that office for the Glory of God, the Edifying of the Church, and the Advancement of true religion in the Diocese of Ontario, through the all-sufficient grace of our Divine Head and the power of the Holy Ghost, approving yourself a worthy successor of the holy Apostles, is, Venerable and Dear Sir, the fervent prayer of your faithful servants and brethren in Christ Jesus our Lord. Signed on behali of St. Peter's parish, T. Bediord-Jones, LL.D., Archdeacon of Ontario, rector of Brockville, Commissary; Harold H. Bedford-Iones, M.A., Curate-Assistant, Clergy. Herbert S. McDonald, Fred. W. Jackson, M.D., Allan Turner, delegates to Synod. Herbert E. Snyder, Cordington Baynes-Reed, Churchwardens. The Bishop-elect gave a very happy and appropriate reply, warmly thanking the congregation for the gratifying welcome offered him and the kind expressions of the address. He stated the pleasure he felt in inaugurating his Episcopal ministrations that evening in the historic Church of St. Peter's, Brockville, which had given to the Church the first Bishop of Ontario, and the first Archbishop and Metropolitan of the province. He would always remember with gratitude the reception given him in the parish, and treasure the beautiful address presented to him, a happy omen of his future relations with the diocese. For the two succeeding hours the Bishop-elect and Mrs. Mills were kept busy shaking hands with Church members from all parts of the town, and of all classes, Messrs. Beamish and Dobbs introducing the respective adherents of Trinity and St. Paul's, who along with St. Peter's people were all liberally entertained with cake and sandwiches, tea and coffee by the ladies of the mother church. It was a most friendly reunion of the three congregations, and cannot fail to result in an increased unity of feeling. The handsome old church, rich in its polished black walnut, and beautiful in its white and gold vestures and harvest emblems, was crowded as the hour approached for Evensong at 7.30. There was a splendid choir of some forty members, besides the clergy, and as the procession moved out of the vestry, the hymn, "Come ye thankful people, come," was taken up by the whole congregation with wonderful effect. The rector, who is the precentor of the Cathedral as well as Archdeacon, sang the service, which was choral, with as clear and strong a voice as ever, and as we cannot dwell further on this feature of the festival, suffice to say, the whole of the music gave the impression of being a grand offering of praise to the Giver of all our blessings. It ought, however, to be stated that Arthur Sullivan's fine anthem from Ps. lix, "I will praise Thee, O God, my Strength," was rendered excellently by the surpliced choir. which has been well trained by the accomplished organist, a gold medallist of Trinity College, Miss Callaghan. The special lessons were read by Canon Grout and the rural dean, Rev. Wm. Wright. The following is a brief summary of an cloquent sermon, delivered with great vigour and without manuscript, by Dr. Mills, who in common with the other clergy, wore a handsome white stole. The text was taken from Deut., xi. 12: "A land which the Lord thy God careth for; the eyes of the Lord thy God are always upon it from the beginning of the year even unto the end of the year." Once more, said Dr. Mills, we see God's hand stretched out over us in blessing. Our land is not like so many of the sections of our Empire devastated by war, or where thousands have been swept away by famine. As we think of the year past we must recognize that God has dealt wondrously with us. Therefore we may well come into His house with thanksgiving. No duty is so often, however, lost sight of. Ingratitude between man and man is looked upon as a serious offence, but the individual responsibility of giving thanks to God for His blessings is often forgotten. The text refers of course to Palestine. God gave that land to his ancient people, a land so different in every respect from the Egypt of their bondage. Fertile and lovely as Palestine was, the blessings on Israel were always conditional to try and to prove the nation. God was to be reverenced and obeyed, His laws to be recognized and followed if the nation would be prosperous, and we learn from history that His threatenings and promises alike were literally fulfilled. When we turn and survey our own land we should realize how great are our privileges. how rich an inheritance has been bestowed upon us, how much we have to be thankful for. In all the wide world there is no country more highly favoured in many respects, scarcely any country so highly blessed with all that goes to make a nation prosperous and a people great. But we must beware lest we suppose that our own power or the weight of our own arm hath gotten us this wealth. The preacher then referred to some of the numerous privileges Canada enjoys. He spoke of the civil and religious liberty of the constitution, which combines the dignity and honour and stateliness of the throne with the greatest freedom, a freedom only short of license. Here, said he, everyone can dwell safely under the shield of the mightiest Empire of the world. Others have laboured and we have entered into their labours. With striking eloquence and vivid power he dwelt upon the marvellous beauty of the physical features of Canada, through the length of which he had travelled, from the Atlantic to the Pacific; the fertility, the mineral wealth of parts long supposed to be barren, the picturesqueness of our waterways, falls, lakes and rivers. The scenery of the Selkirk range as viewed from the C.P.R. seemed to him absolutely unique. Now to us, said he, God gives this country, as He gave their country to the Jews of old, conditionally We hold it in trust for Him, and the position entails responsibility. It is fitting and right that in return we should give to Him, first ourselves, and then of our worldly substance. If we give ourselves all else will fall into its place. The blessing of harvest is one which touches every class of the community, every branch of trade, and as we give thanks, let us with the eye of faith look onward as we wait the time when the Lord of the harvest shall come again and bring His sheaves with Him. During the collection of the offerings "We plough

the fields and scatter the good seed in the land," was sung enthusiastically by the choir and congregation, and after the final prayers, and Benediction pronounced by the Archbishop's Commissary and rector, the whole service was closed by a truly beautiful hymn, the words by the late Rev. I. Purchas, of Brighton, Eng., with a splendid tune, beginning, "Evensong is hushed in silence," a hymn first brought to this country in 1878 by Dr. Bedford-Jones when rector of St. Alban's, Ottawa. In every respect the services of the day were perteetly successful, and the people were delighted by the affability and kindly manner of their new diocesan as well as by his pulpit address. The local paper, from which we have taken the above extract, concludes its notice as follows: The decorations in the church and schoolroom were of a most artistic character. Flowers, plants and flags intermingled in such a way as presented a splendid appearance. Especially did they look well at night when the lights were burning, the black walnut of the interior furnishings making an excellent background for the many coloured decorations. All the visiting clergy were hospitably entertained at the rectory after the service, and spent a pleasant hour in conversation with the Archdeacon and Mrs. Mills; and all felt that God's Providence had given them a man worthy of the high office to which he is to be consecrated on All Saints' Day. On Friday they left for their home in Montreal the Church officials again seeing them off, and presenting Mrs. Mills with another bouquet of magnificent roses. Both Dr. and Mrs. Mills expressed themselves as delighted with their visit, and were profuse in their thanks for the reception and welcome given them by St. Peter's, Brockville.

The Bishop of Montreal will preach the sermon at the consecration of Archdeacon Mills in Kingston on November 1st. It is expected ten bishops will be present, including two from the United States.

OTTAWA.

Charles Hamilton, D.D., Bishop, Ottawa, Ont.

Shancaster.—St. John the Evangelist.—The harvest thanksgiving services in this church were conducted by the Rev. R. W. Samwell, assisted by the rector. Rev. A. H. Whalley; the music by the choir was well rendered, and the church was very appropriately decorated.

Ottawa.—A cablegram has been received stating that the condition of the Very Rev. Dean Lauder is much improved, and that he is sitting up in bed.

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TORONTO.

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

St. Bartholomew's.—The anniversary services in connection with the opening of this church were conducted by the rector, Rev. G. I. Taylor. The sermon in the morning was preached by the Rev. Septimus Jones, and in the evening by the Rev. Prof. Rigby. The musical portion of the service, arranged by Miss Haddon and Professor Brame, was exceedingly well rendered. There was a liberal offertory taken up at both services, which will be devoted to the liquidation.

St. Thomas'.—The Rev. John Davenport will commence his duties in this church on Sunday, October 14th. The Rev. H. McCausland, who has been curate of St. Stephen's during the past year will commence his duties as curate of this parish this month.

St. Paul's.—The opening services of this church after its enlargement and other alterations will be held on Sunday next.

Church of the Messiah.—The Rev. O. W. Howard, of St. George's church, Montreal, preached in this church, Sunday morning last. vel inway veg the lett out SOC inc mi wh on Re lat ing ne CO str In

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CANADIAN CHURCHMAN.

St. Stephen's.—The Rev. Frank Kennedy, who has lately returned from Japan, will succeed Rev. H. McCausland, as curate of this parish.

Weston.—St. John's.—The harvest festival at this church began on Sunday, 23rd inst, with early celebration of Holy Communion; morning prayer, at which the rector preached; evening prayer with sermon by the Rev. S. H. Musson. A special service was also held on the following Thursday, when the Rev. Arthur Baldwin preached. The services were well attended and the music of a hearty character. The decorations, under the management of Mrs. E. Ambler, were very neatly done and highly artistic, eliciting warm praise from the members of the congregation and many old friends of the church, who visited it from the city.

Norway.—St. John's held their harvest thanksgiving service Sunday last. The Rev. W. Carey Ward, M.A., of the diocese of Melbourne, Australia, preached most impressive sermons both morning and evening.

Orillia.—St. James'.—On Sunday, Sept. 23, His Lordship the Bishop of Niagara, with the consent of the Bishop of Toronto, ordained in St. James' church for the Bishop of Louisiana, Mr. E. A. Rennie, of Wycliffe College, to the diaconate. Mr. Rennie has accepted a curacy under Rev. H. H. Waters, D.D., of St. Paul's church, New Orleans. The Rev. Dr. Waters preached the ordination sermon, and Rev. Canon Green and Rev. E. T. Langfeldt, of Omemee, took part in the service.

Sutton.—The annual harvest-home service was held in St. James' church on Wednesday evening, Sept. 19th. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion with fruit, flowers and grain. The anthem, Gounod's "Praise ye the Father," was well rendered by the choir, Miss George and Mr. Thorn of Toronto, assisting. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Dr. Macklem, Provost of Trinity University; Rev. A. U. DePencier, M.A., of Uxbridge, read the lessons, and the rector, Rev. A. M. Rutherford, M.A., read the prayers. The church was well filled notwithstanding the fact that it was raining. The collection amounted to \$30.

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NIAGARA.

John Philip DuMoulin, D.D., Bishop, Hamilton.

Acton.-The Ruri-Decanal Chapter of Halton met in Acton on Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 25th and 26th. A bright and interesting service was held in the church on Tuesday evening; the church still wearing its harvest festival dress, which added to the beauty of the service. The Rev. F. H. Fatt, of Burlington, preached a good practical sermon on the occasion. There was a splendid attendance of the clergy at the meeting-all being present save one-which added to the enthusiasm of the meeting. Wednesday was spent in discussion of various subjects and framing some resolutions, which we trust will be productive of much good; and also the reading of an excellent paper on "Marriage and Divorce," by Rev. C. P. Sparling, M.A. The next meeting is to be held at Milton.

Palmerston.-The harvest home services were held in St. Paul's church here on Sunday the 23rd of Sept. In order to allow the congregation to hear a former rector, the Rev. Canon Gribble kindly exchanged services with the Rev. F. C. Piper, of Thorold. The respect and affection felt for Mr. Piper by all denominations in Palmerston was amply manifested by the large congregations at both services. Holy Communion was administered in the morning, and two very carefully prepared and instructive sermons were preached by Mr. Piper. The musical part of the service was above the average, a beautiful anthem, " Lord, how manifold are Thy works," was sung by the choir. Mr. George Graham and Dr. Croll giving able assistance with cornet and trombone. Major Wm. Jamieson assisted Mr. Piper in the services. The church was tastefully decorated, and the offerings liberal.

Wellington Deanery.—The Lord Bishop recently visited Orangeville, Grand Valley, Arthur, Mount Forest and Rothsay for confirmation. He consecrated the church at Farewell. The day of the arrival of the bishop at Mount Forest was also marked by the arrival of a baby son at the Rectory. At Drayton the ladies had nicely decorated the church. The Bishop preached a moving sermon to a filled church. The collection taken up at the close of the service in Drayton gives hope of liquidating a vexing debt on this little church before the end of the century. After the business session, a church workers' convention was held, at which very interesting addresses and papers were given by Rev. T. G. Wright, Rev. J. Ward, Miss Kate Galbraith and Mr. Crysler. Rev. Canon Brown, of Paris, who has lately returned from a three months' trip to England, gave his impression of the state of the Church in the Motherland. Votes of thanks were passed to all who had spoken, as also to the congregation at Princeton for their hospitality.

ALGOMA.

George Thorneloe, D.D., Bishop, Sault Ste. Marie.

Beaumaris.—The Rev. C. J. Machin left by the 'Parisian,' Saturday, Sept. 29th, for England, to take up his annual deputation work for the S.P.G., and will return here on the 1st of June of next year. While in England his address will be 19 Delahay street, Westminster, London.

SASKATCHEWAN.

Cyprian Pinkham, D.D., Bishop, Calgary.

The meeting of the Synod of the Diocese of Saskatchewan is called for Sept. 25th.

Since his return from England, and apart from his duties in the Diocese of Calgary, the Bishop has held confirmations at Duck Lake, Wingard, Montreal Lake, Little Hills, Stanley, St. Mary's and St. Paul's.

After the Synod the Bishop expects to drive from Prince Albert to Edmonton, visiting missions in both dioceses from Sandy Lake to Fort Saskatchewan, several hundred miles.

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Peterboro.-St. John's Women's Auxiliary held their first meeting last month. A most interesting letter was read from Mrs. Davidson, of Toronto, outlining the work accomplished lately by the society and the objects before it now. These include much needed help to many progressive missions in the Northwest and British Columbia, which were lately visited, and favorably reported on by the secretary, Mrs. Willoughby Cummings. Rev. J. C. Davidson gave a short account of his late missionary visit to the district of Temiscaming. It was resolved to hold a social reception next Tuesday evening, to which all women of the congregation are invited, and committees were struck to carry out the necessary arrangements. In the absence of the president, Mrs. R. M. Dennistoun, Mrs. J. C. Davidson occupied the chair.

HURON.

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

London.—Rev. Arthur deB. Owen, of Omoksence, Blood Reserve, McLeod, N.W.T., is coming east for some weeks and will be the guest of his brother, Rev. C. C. Owen, Memorial church, London. Mr. Owen hopes to visit as many of the W.A. branches, who have supported Omoksenee, as possible.

Princeton.-The deanery meeting of the county of Oxford was held here on Thursday, Sept. 20th. There were present the following delegates: Revs. G. A. Wright, T. J. Wright, (Rural Dean) G. B. Ward, (Sec.) Messrs. Crawford, Hewitt, Norris, Peers. The visitors taking part in the programme were, Rev. G. C. McKenzie, Brantford; Rev. Canon Brown, Paris; Rev. J. Ward, Haysville; Rev. Mr. Kelty, Delhi; Rev. F. Leigh, Burford. The election of the mission committee resulted in the appointment of Rev. J. C. Farthing, Rev. J. G. A. Wright, A. Norris, J. Peers. The question of the reopening of Drumbo church having come up, it was explained that a commissioners' report had been sent to London, but nothing had been settled. The thanks of the deanery was conveyed to Rev. J. C. McKenzie for his sermon at the morning service. The invitation of Rev. R. Shaw to hold the next meeting in Woodstock was accepted, and a committee to draft a programme was appointed.

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Thou that asketh "What is love?" Seek thy King in heaven above; There our nature still He wears, There our human heart He bears, There the depths of mortal woes, He, by sweet compassion, knows There for man, who made him die, Still He lifts His pleading cry: While His pierced hands declare What the sinner's heart could dare.

Thou that asketh "What is love? Look no more to heaven above ; Tell not what thy mind believes : Boast not what thy heart receives. Learn of Jesus, that to give Life for others, is to live. Give, like Him, thyself to God ; Shed, like Him, thy grace abroad Then each passing hour shall prove What it is like God to love.

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QUALITY, NOT QUANTITY

Sympathy is something of which the world never has enough. We need not be afraid that the supply will ever exceed the demand. But though we do not need to limit ourselves as to the quantity of our sympathy, we need to be very much on our guard regarding its quality.

There are some people whose coming into a sick-room is like the approach of a black cloud. From the expression of their faces, you would think that there was not a pleasant thing left in life. Their voices sink to a melancholy whisper, and their talk is all about symptoms and suffering. They imagine that this is the result of being sympathetic, but it also shows that they have no discretion in their sympathy. An invalid needs smiles and cheery that have been seasoned by many voices, and news of the outside world, just as he needs fresh air, the warmest glow. instead of that which is heavy with the odour of drugs. "Wouldn't your sympathizers. mother let you go on the yachtride?" one girl says to another. "Oh, that is too bad!" And her voice and eyes say more than she ventures to put into words. She is really pitying her friend for having such an inconsiderate mother, and strange to say, the daughter does not always resent it. We have known girls to be HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS. sympathized with for having to do their weekly mending. Some boys are the objects of the warmest sympathy because their parents will not allow them to leave school at fourteen or fifteen. And the worst of it is that the recipients of this ill-advised sympathy sometimes come to feel that father and mother are leagued together to persecute them, and they grow quite unhappy over their supposed ill-treatment.

As we said before, there is not much likelihood that any of us will become too sympathetic, 100 keenly alive to the sorrow and suffering about us. But there is a strong possibility that we shall give our friends the wrong kind of sympathy, the sort which weakens instead of strengthening. which is the expression of the ambition to please instead of the nobler desire to help.

AMUSING ADVERTISE-MENTS.

It used to be thought that the cpitaphs in country churchyards were among the most amusing specimens of English literature and some of these are very droll Some of them have got transplanted into our Canadian churchvards, and quite recently the writer of these lines spent half an hour in the perusal of a number of them with as much amusement as was legitimate in so sacred a place. It may be doubted, however, whether the epitaphs are not excelled by some of the advertisements that appear in the newspaper. Here is a specimen: For sale a thoroughbred bulldog. Will eat anything. Very fond of children. Here is another: "Wanted a steady, respectable man to look after a garden and milk a cow who has a good voice and is accustomed to sing in a choir.

FRIENDS.

It takes a great many new friends to make an old friend. Friendship is not like asparagusa plant that shoots up in a night and is then ready for the knife. It is rather like the hickory or the oak, of gradual growth and solid fibre. As it is the wood which has been "seasoned" by long exposure to wind and weather that emits the hottest fire, so the friendships years of sun and storm produce An eccentric old man in London hung out an auctioneers' red flag Girls and boys, who feel that over his front door; he said that they are misunderstood and unap- he did it to "weed out the false preciated at home, always find friends who would make off if they thought he had come to bank ruptey." A rather sharp stroke of humour was that device; and there are quite too many who are ready to halt their carriages before the deor of a fine mansion, but who have very few by-streets and backlanes on their visiting lists. Prosperity breeds friends, adversity tests them.—Theodore L. Cuvler.

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"I am only a little black girl, and I live in a heathen village in Central Africa. My mother tells me I must begin early to learn to work; so she ties the baby on my back, puts a basket on my head, and L trudge after her to the field three miles away. I have had no breakfast, for my brother ate all the mush that was left from supper; and, when I tell mother I am hungry, she ties a piece of bark tight around my stomach. She savs that will make me feel better; but it don't, it hurts. I must not cry, though, or she will slap me, and tell me the lions will eat me up. When we get to the field mother digs up a sweet potato and I eat that; it tastes good, too. "Baby cries and wants mother,

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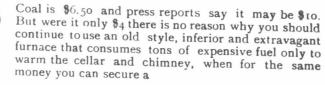
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"By and by when the sun is geting low, we leave the corn, and go into the woods and gather sticks to take home to cook our supper. I wish I was a baby and could ride on mother's back but I must carry this heavy basket of wood. When we reach the village we find father sitting in the visiting-house, smoking with a lot of men. He calls to me as we pass Dy: 'Bring me a gourd of beer.' So mother takes off my load of wood and puts the great gourd of beer in my hands. It is so heavy that I stagger and almost fall. Father calls out: 'If you spill that beer, I will beat you.' Oh, how I tremble as I drop on my knees before him, while he drinks and treats his friends! He is betternatured now; and when the gourd is handed back he tells me to drink the thick dregs left in the bottom. I go back to our hut, and mother hands me a large clay pot, and tells me to hurry and bring water from the brook to cook our food.

"On the way down the hill I pass a lot of boys who are having a nice time lying on the soft, green grass. I wish I was a boy, like Jamba. He never has to carry wood or water. He sees me as I go by, and calls out to make haste and bring the evening meal. "I hurry on and fill my pot; but just as I am climbing up the steep rocks, my foot slips, and my water-pot lies broken at my feet. Oh dear! Oh dear! I cover my face with my hands and

wait till someone brings mother. She is very angry, and says it will cost ber much corn, as it was a berrowed pot and she must pay for it. I flee to this deserted hut, creep into a dark corner and cry

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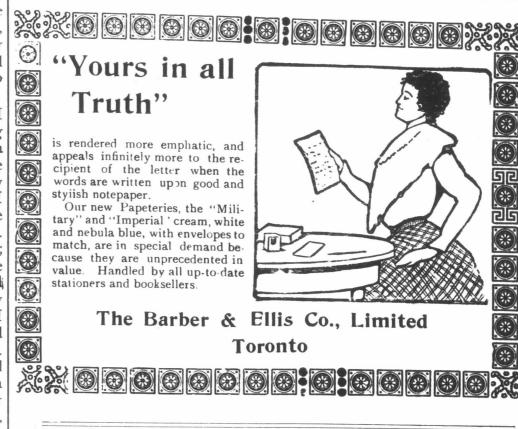
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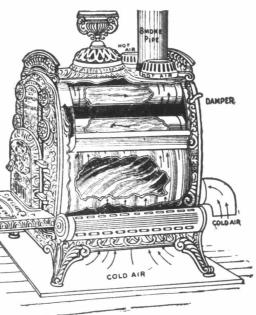
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"I keep thinking about that broken pot. Perhaps my uncle will sell me for a slave to pay the fine. Oh, if I could only die! Then they would cover me with lots of cloth-more than I have ever had in my life. They would send for all the relatives, who would wail for me and shoot off gun-powder: they would dance and beat drums and make beautiful noises all night. They would have a big feast and then they would question my spirit as to who caused my death. Then 1 would come back and torment with fear those who have made me so unhappy. It is a dreadful thing to be a heathen girl in Africa."

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" I thank you ! " when to parents said Fills each fond heart with joy For gratitude's a virtue grand To see in girl or boy

"I thank you !" Easy words to say For special gifts bestowed; But I've been thinking they're forgot

Sometimes, though justly owed

"I thank you!" Do not hold it back, Nor be ashamed to tell. Let gratefulness be on the tongue, And in the heart - as well.

"I thank you !" If to human friends You thus your love express, Oh, greater far to God above Should you your thanks confess

"I thank you!" Easy words, indeed Encourage them, I pray. There's something to be thankful for To-day and every day.

WHEN THE CAP FITTED.

Duke looked up from the bone he was gnawing and glared at his little mistress and her visitor. His bushy tail did not even hint at wagging, there was a fierce light in his eves, and a low growl rumbled down in his throat.

Ruth caught Marian by the arm. "Oh, let's run!" she cried. "He's going to bite us."

"No, he won't if we don't touch his bone." Marian felt ashamed of her dog, and vainly tried to think of some excuse for his conduct. "I don't know what makes him act so," she said, as the two girls walked on.

"Is he always as cross as he has been since I came?" asked Ruth.

"He didn't use to be," returned Marian, sorrowfully. "But now he's getting crosser and crosser all the time."

They had reached the front porch by this time, and behind the woodbine stood Marian's brother, Paul. His face was red with anger, and his fists were clinched.

we weren't talking about him at THE LOVE SCHOLARSHIP. all. Duke growled at us, and

getting crosser all the time."

"Oh!" said mamma, and then she, too, laughed. "Run back to missions at a meeting one evenyour play, dear," she said cheerily, ing, and Love went to hear him 'It was only a mistake, it seems."

When Marian had left the room, mamma lookéd over at Paul. His cheeks were redder than before. but now it was shame that coloured them instead of anger. "I just heard them talking about being cross, and I s'posed that meant me," he explained.

"It was a rather queer mistake, Paul made no answer.

"If your father had overheard of its needs. Love leaned forward; that conversation," mamma continued, after waiting a moment for Paul to speak, "would he have thought the girls were talking about him?

"If course not," said Paul, indignantly.

"But why not?" persisted mam-

"Because he isn't ever cross, and they couldn't have meant him." Paul spoke earnestly, though he could not help smiling as he met his mother's meaning look.

"Exactly," said mamma, noddung her head. "And it was easy for you to make the blunder, because you have been cross and ill-natured through almost all of Ruth's visit. The cap fitted you, and you put it on without waiting to see if it was meant for you or not. Uneasy consciences, my boy, make people very sensitive about what they happen to overhear.

"A boy who tries his best to do right, doesn't need to worry over what people say about him. And that sort of boy will not be likely to think all the unpleasant things he overhears are meant for him."

Paul went back to his play a wiser boy, and let us hope a better

Ruth asked me if he always acted It was Easter time, and Love so cross; and then I said he is was visiting in a great city far frem home.

Someone was to speak about because her friends asked her. The missionary was a clergyman, who had been in Japan for a long time, but he was not a very good speaker; perhaps he had preached to the Japanese in their own language for so many years that he had forgotten how to be fluent in his mother tongue. Love did not listen at first; but at last the speaker began telling of a school wasn't it?" mamma asked. And in one of the great cities of Japan, and of the work it had done, and

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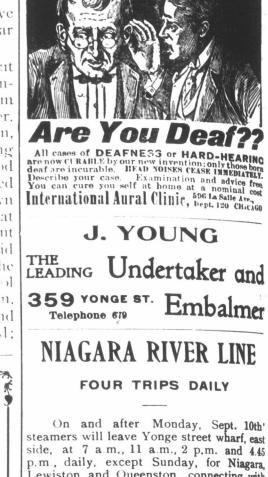
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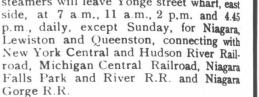
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"I'm going straight to mamma, one. He had made up his mind Miss!" he exclaimed, as he saw Marian. "We'll see if she lets you talk that way!"

"What way?" asked Marian in astonishment; and Ruth thought of her own brother, and felt very glad he was not as ill-tempered and unreasonable as Paul.

Paul paid no attention to his sister's question, but went into the house slamming the door very hard. A few moments later, mamma's sweet voice called, "Marian, dear. I want to see you."

Marian obeyed quickly. Mamma was waiting for her in the sewing-room, and her face looked lence, combining efficiency with puzzled and sad.

Paul sat by the window, and it was plain that he had been crying. Marian looked from one to another in astonishment.

"How is this, my daughter?" mamma began. "Paul tells me he heating question. heard you saying to Ruth that he is growing crosser all the time." Marian stared, then broke into "Why, mamma, a merry laugh.

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"Time passed, and the winter changed to spring, and still there seemed no way to help the little country child, though I often heard of her. But at last came a wenderful mail from America, telling of a new scholarship for the school, and my thoughts flew at once to little Ai, and I said, 'God has, indeed, heard our prayers; the Love Scholarship has come!' It was beautiful to The school was a great power think that some children, far away, for good, the speaker said; but in hardly knowing what they did,



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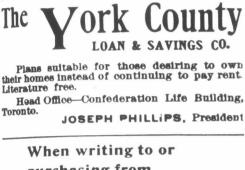
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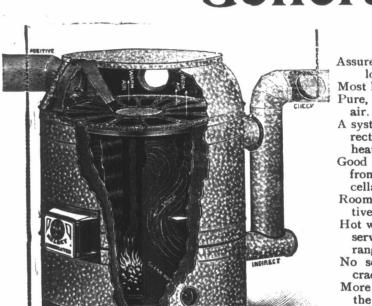
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"We desire much from you, I know," he said, "for we need your interest, your support, your prayers. Ah, if you could only know the help it is when we are discouraged, to feel that the strong Church at home is standing behind us, and that though far away, we are not forgotten here. And yet people are always asking me if I think the money they send out is doing any good, and whether it is not a foolish expenditure to put meney in Christian schools when the Japanese have such good schools of their own. "There are many stories I might tell you to show the good that has been done; I have time for only one. Years ago a country woman in a small village brought her little daughter to me, and asked if we would take her into the school. The woman was a Christian, and the child had been baptized, but the father was a heathen. 'Our home is no place for a Christian child to be brought up in," she said. 'For myself, I must do the best that I can, but I long to have little Ai know something different.' I looked at the child and box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & could not help loving her, she was 'Co., Toronto.



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cession, and she never forgot to make me a very low bow, wishing me to understand that she considered me her patron, when really I was only the instrument. It was the gift of the children

which had wrought this good work for Ai-for the Church really; for Ai is a woman now, an earnest, faithful Christian worker, doing a dren gave has come back a for it.

Love sat very still, thinking, thinking of the reward which had come to her for the gift of long

ago. "I don't deserve it," she said to herself, and her eyes were wet, "but I do care now."

PARENTAL ADVICE.

Beware of young fools, and beware of old fools. "Fun for them may be death for you."—AEsop.

-One of the things for which we ought to be most grateful is greater good to her own people that God will not give us what we than you or I can ever know. As know is not best for us, even if we I see her teaching in the Sunday ask for it over and over again. school or playing the organ for And one prayer that we can always the services, I think how the little pray in all sincerity and faith is leaven has spread, and how the that God will refuse to give us blessing on the money those chil- what is not good when we do ask

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