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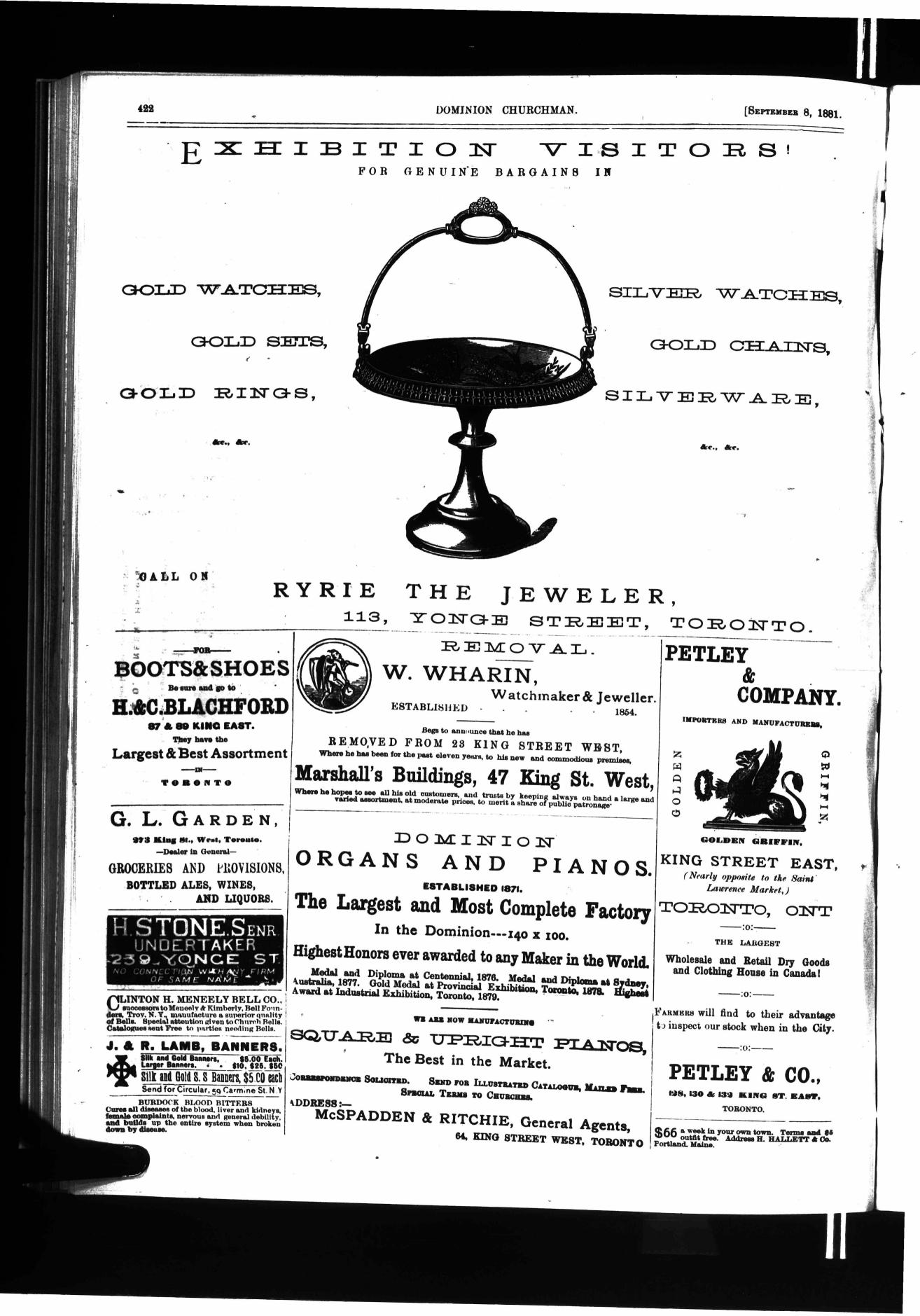
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LESSONS for SUNDAYS and HOLY-DAYS.

- Sept. 11...THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY :--2 Cor. 2. v 14, and 3. Morning...2 Kings 5. Evening...2 Kings 6, to v 24; or 7. St. Mark 10, v 32 **18...FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY :-**
 - Ember Collect to be used daily this week. Morning...2 Kings 9. 2 Corinthians 10. Evening...2 Kings 10, to v 32; or 13. St. Mark 14, [verse 27 to 53.
 - 21...St. MATTHEW, Apostle, Evangelist, and Martyr Morning...1 Kings 19, v 15. 2 Cor. 12, v 14, and 13. Athanasian Creed to be used. Ember Day. Evening...1 Chron. 29, to v 20. St. Mark 15, 42 & 16.
 - 25 ... FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY :--Morning...2 Kings 18. Galatians 4. to v 21. Evening...2 Kings 19; or 23 to 31. St. Luke 2, to 21. 29 ... St. MICHAEL and ALL ANGELS :-
 - Morning...Genesis 32. Acts 12, v 5 to 18. Evening...Daniel 10, v 4. Revelation 14. v 14.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1881.

`HE Bishop of Tasmania is engaged in raising money for his cathedral, and is about to return to his diocese.

It is said that the Rev. John B. Eskridge, ordained a couple of years ago by the Bishop of Chichester, has been received into the Roman communion by Cardinal Manning. Mr. Eskridge comes from a nonconformist family. Another illustration of the fact we have so often observed that, "Extremes are very apt to meet," and also helping to show that great caution should be manifested in ordaining men who come to us from the

The first anniversary of the Cathedral Mission Church work-thus sacrificing the useful and the Guild was commemorated at Salisbury Cathedral essential element to the distracting and the mison the 11th ultimo, when the Dean delivered an chievous. address.

The clergy of the Mold Rural-deanery held a series of devotional services on the 11th and 12th ultimo. The addresses were given by the Warden of Keble College, Oxford, and dealt with the subject of "reality" as bearing on a clergyman's life. A conference of the clergy was held, under the presidency of the Rev. Rowland Ellis, vicar of Mold, who introduced the subject for consideration, "The difficulties of our pastoral work." The discussion was unusually interesting. The Revs. the Warden of Keble College, S. E. Gladstone, W. F. W. Torre, T. E. Jones, and others took part in it. The result was most satisfactory, as many useful suggestions were made and thoroughly discussed.

An anonymous donation of one thousand pounds sterling has been made to the Church Missionary Society, for a missionary to the Mackenzie River and the Polar sea. The Rev. T. Canham has been appointed.

We particularly mention this important piece of missionary news in order, with the more effect to ask the question, "What is the Church in Canada doing for the settlements which are opening in the North-west? A letter appeared in the DOMINION CHURCHMAN two or three weeks ago, signed, John Wenman, in reference to the church in the Northwest. Vast fields, white for the harvest, are opening up in the great territory in which the writer of that letter is located. The writer himself and others near him are thoroughly warm-hearted Churchmen. They have the Church service every Sunday regularly conducted by a layman; but no priest or deacon of the Church can be sent to minister to their spiritual necessities; although Presbyterians, Methodists, Baptists, Independents, Roman Catholics, and other schismatics are crowding into every new settlement in these regions to the north-west of us.

A diocesan conference for the Diocese of Liverto the reverential feelings of those who wished in nonconforming bodies-they so often go over to pool will be held on the 16th and 17th of Novemevery case to retain the ancient churches and ber, in the concert room of St. George's Hall. churchyards, and to preserve as far as possible, The subjects for discussion will be of great local works of architectural and antiquerian interest interest, and will be introduced by those who have he should always feel he had a superior duty to take such steps as might be necessary to provide made them a special study.

The Bishop of St. David's recently preached at Abergwili, on Job i. 10, before the associates of a number of Welsh branches of the Girls' Friendly Society, whom his lordship afterwards entertained at the palace. Addresses were also given by the Bishop, Canon Williams, the Rev. D. P. Evans, and Archdeacon James.

A thanksgiving service has been held at West Ilsley, Newbury, on the completion of the parish church. A north aisle was added in 1876; the chancel was partially rebuilt and beautified in 1878, on which occasion the Princess Helena laid a dedication stone; and now the vestry and organ chamber have been built by the architect, Dr. Dolby, of Abingdon.

It appears that four Raikes' Memorial schemes have been attempted in the city of Gloucester; but the only one which has so far been brought to a successful issue is the restoration of the old crypt school. The completion of it was marked by a special service in the adjoining church, St. Mary's de Crypt. The sermon was preached by the Hon. and Rev. Canon Legge, vicar of Lewisham.

The Bishop of Lincoln was present a few days ago at the opening of a new organ at Fiskerton, and preached on the religious uses of music. There was a large attendance of clergy. The choir was vested for the first time in cassocks and surplices. The procession was headed by a cross bearer, and accompanied by the processional hymn. The Bishop carried his pastoral staff.

At a meeting of the Board of Management of the Bishop of London's Fund, it was stated that nine city churches had been pulled down within the last ten years ; ten unions of benefices had been effected; and twelve new churches had been wholly built under the provisions of the "Union of Benefices Act" of 1860. The Bishop stated that, "With every disposition to pay due regard

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In a letter to an English contemporary, the Hon. C. L. Wood says :--- "In the reign of Queen Elizabeth it was death to celebrate the Holy Eucharist in Latin, according to the old English User with the Ornaments legal in the last year of Henry VIII. In the reign of Queen Victoria it is now imprisonment and deprivation for a priest to cele brate the Holy Eucharist according to the Use prescribed by the Book of Common Prayer, with the Ornaments legal in the second year of Edward VI. Yet only the other day, Mass in Latin was said publicly in the Tower itself, the scene of so much suffering for conscience sake, for soldiers in Her Majesty's army, belonging to the Roman communion; while a priest like the Rev. S. F. Green, at the instigation of an association, and informers as odious as those who hunted the Servinary priests to death, is shut up in Lancaster Castle with no prospect of release.

for the spiritual wants of the vast population dis-It were much to be wished that a diocesan conplaced from the centre of London, but reappearing ference could take the place of that unscriptural in the suburban districts, where no churches have and uncatholic institution, the diocesan synod, as been raised." The Bishop does not appear to we have it in Canada -- at least in alternate years. Perhaps the greatest hindrance to the progress of recognize the fact that in demolishing sacred buildings in one place in order to build in other places, the Church in the Dominion has been the introhe is only encouraging the worldliness and supiduction of the present novel system, which had dity of the wealthy inhabitants of the suburbs who its origin in the United States, simply because Churchmen there could not trust in the Providence ought to raise churches there without demolishing of the Great Head of the Church for the continu- the time-honoured structures of the city. He also ance of His own institutions. They were untrustful forgets that the vast population to which he refers spend the greater portion of their waking hours in enough to suppose that in so republican a country. the people would not accept Episcopacy unless the city; and that they should be taught to devote with a strong flavour of the popular element. The some portion of their business hours to the work great evil of the Synod as contrasted with the ship and service of God. Another fact he also "Conference" is that it leads churchmen to busy ignores, which is that, there is still a large and themselves more about Church politics than about permanent population in and near the city.

DOMINION CHURCHMAN.

[September 8, 1881.

The Rev. A. C. Shaw, M.A., son of Major Shaw, The utter helplessness of human nature is no Among its other statements, the report shows that Toronto, has been appointed by Earl Granville, (Foreign Secretary) chaplain of the English Embassy at Tokio, Japan.

The foundation stone of a new church for the parish of Charfield, Gloucestershire, has been laid by Archdeacon Randall. The ceremony was most impressive and was largely attended.

It is stated that "infinite pains" have been taken to secure trust-worthiness and accuracy in a religious census of the city of Liverpool, carried out by the rector and others. The result is :-Church, 264,668; Dissenters and others, 88,861 Roman Catholics, 140,115 : of no known religion, 5,898. The Church in England is not annihilated yet!

As a curious instance of the way in which deletter was received by the Irish Secretary, Mr. very satisfactory.

It appears that at the last Methodist conference held in Liverpool, there were seventy-one candidates for admission as preachers; but by a resolution of the body, after considerable discussion, not one of them was accepted-the decline of the "connection" being so decidedly and so unmistakably marked,---that is to say there were seventy-one persons whom the Holy Ghost is supposed to have called to the work of the ministry, but the governing body of that single diocese in England could be pointed out we can easily imagine what a howl of satisfac-

It is very surprising how those who would fain have us believe that the Church is going down are anxious to imitate her example in every one of her

where more garphically shewn than in the parable the "cathedral" in England has not advanced to of the Good Samaritan. The "certain man" the same extent as the daughter churches ; churchwas only half dead it is true, and this might inti-men feel that the authorities of cathedrals should mate that goodness in human nature is not abso- make them less show-places, as seemed to be the lutely extinct, although from the utter helplessness height of the ambition of the late Dean Stanley : of the man in the parable we may learn that man and should throw them open to the free access of

from original righteousness although not entirely from the adoption of this system. and absolutely divested of it. But the eternal Son for the unjust, to bring us to God. It is Faith-

loved us, and gave Himself for us.

THE FREE AND OPEN CHURCH ASSOCIATION.

Church institution has any connection with the socalled "Church Association" in England, the only communion, with greater authority, decided that the clergy who cannot pronounce their shibboleth, there was no occupation for them ! Suppose a whether the said clergy adopt any extreme ritual or not. "The Free and Open Church Association." as having had no ordination for a whole year; and as might be gathered from its name, has totally different objects in view-objects not diabolica tion would be raised by some of our half hearted but Christian ; not calculated to obstruct the deaid the progress of the Church onward to the gorious consummation its Divine Author intended. meeting on the 18th ultimo, in London, the Presi-

is absolutely unable to help himself, to raise him all, for worship, at other times than those of the self from his forlorn condition, or even to make stated services. They think that the restoration any right use of the sparks of virtue that may have of the offertory as a normal part of the cathedral still remained in his heart. We are very far gone worship would meet any financial difficulty arising

Reference is also made to the progress of the of the Most High made Himself of no reputation, movement in Scotland, Ireland, and the United took upon Him the form of a servant, and in the States. The Scottish Free and Open Church Assolikeness of sinful flesh suffered for sins, the Just ciation has held meetings, but the movement in Scotland is hampered by the prevalence of what the not merely faith in Christ, but the Faith of Christ, Council calls "a combination of congregationalism the latter including the former-that unites us with and vestrydom." In the case of St. Mary's Cathethe perfect, with the self-sacrificing Christ and His dral, Edinburgh, a great opportunity has been lost. acts. His obedience, His death, His resurrection, as, "notwithstanding the reiterated resolutions of tection takes place, we may mention that when a all of these become ours. We have as real a share the Representative Church Council, that the seats in the history of the One perfect, moral Being, as if should all be free and unappropriated, the Bishop Foster, containing a threat that he would be shot, our personality were altogether merged in His. and Cathedral have finally determined to let half the Government applied to the Bank of England Though He is holy and sinless, yet He bears our the seats." In Ireland the movement is as yet for a cashier who had a good knowledge of signa- sins in His own body on the tree. Though we in- dependent chiefly upon the exertions of a few tures. Mr. Swatridge was selected for the occa- dividually are sinners, steeped in sin, yet if we zealous Churchmen in Dublin and the advocacy of sion, and the result, which is well known, showed will, the life which we now live in the flesh, we the Irish Ecclesiastical Gazette : but in the United that the confidence placed in that gentleman was may live by the faith of the Son of God, Who States the "American Free Church Association" has held meetings, issued publications, and is full

of life and vigor. The Church in Canada is too much infected with the worldliness and with what may be called the "old fogeyism" of the Georgian era to care much about the subject.

The President in his address alluded particularly 7E scarcely need guard any of our readers to the case of St. Paul's, Ramsay, Isle of Man,

against supposing that this thoroughly where it appeared that the Bishop of Sodor and Man was so much opposed to the action of the Rev. George Paton, in making the church free, that object of which is to harry and obstruct such of he was now trying to expel him from the incumbency. His lordship also alluded to the deputation to the Archbishop of Canterbury, which he had recently headed, having for its object pressing upon the bishops the importance of making some greater effort to stay the progress of infidelity. He said that few people realized the way in which Churchmen at the decline of the English Church | voted labours of the zealous and the pious, but to the poor were massed together in our large cities and towns, and how impossible it was to attempt to evangelize them without free churches. He This association held its fifteenth anniversary referred also to the recent debate in the House of Lords on the city churches, and showed how they dent, the Right Honourable Earl Nelson, in the ought to be utilized by making the churches free,

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movements! A few years ago we had a Pan-Anglican Council, then the Presbyterians must have a Pan-Presbyterian affair. And this year we are to be regaled with two Pan-arrangements-a Pan-Methodist meeting, and a Pan-Islam at Mecca where all the Muhammedans that can be assembled are to meet in order to rally round the Sultan of Turkey as the Head of the Muhamme. dan "faithful."

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

THE glory of the New Dispensation is particularly shewn in the goodness and charity of our Blessed Lord, Who became the Good Samarihands of spiritual foes, had been stripped of origiscension and humiliation, our Blessed Lord re-

chair. We are glad to find the Scottish Guardian always open, and with daily services. He rejoiced take so warm an interest in the subject as it has done, and give so great a prominence to the last annual meeting. We are indebted to that valuable organ of the Church in Scotland for the notices we have seen upon the subject.

The Report refers especially to sixty-three free churches newly built or restored during the past year. These are instances which have specially come before the Association. The prevalent practice of using churches for holding musical performances unconnected with any act of public worship, to which admission is only to be had by tickets, is condemned.

The Report has reference to a matter which is of exceeding interest—that of cathedral churches. tan to human nature when it had fallen into the It is true that we have strictly only one Cathedral in Canada, that of Fredericton; but the name is nal righteousness, and left half dead in trespasses nevertheless clandestinely appropriated for some and sins. By the most stupendous act of conde- one church in every other diocese-and notably for that of St. James's in Toronto, which has a deemed us from the curse of the Law, being made princely income, apparently for the sole purpose a curse for us. He remembered His people in of perpetuating scores of tenements of a character their low estate, for His mercy endureth for ever. similar to those found in the back slums of London. they have gone before us unto everlasting life.

to hear the Bishop of London give praise in no grudging manner to the Dean and Chapter of St. Paul's for the wonderful way in which they had solved the problem of how to use a cathedral. Great regret was expressed at the serious illness of Mr. Coote, the chairman, whose great legal and accurate historical knowledge had always been at their disposal. It was also unanimously resolved to apply for an incorporation of the association, "Not for profit," in order to enable it to hold funds or other property for the building, maintenance, repair, and endowment of free churches, the holding of patronage, and other objects calculated to

promote the cause of free and open churches.

Do not sit down to lament what might have been: be up and ready for what may be.

The brightness of our lives depends not so much on what is around us, as on what is within us.

This is the true celebration of the holy days of the best of God's children-to tread their footsteps as

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CATHOLIC CATECHISM.

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Q. What evidence have we that our Bible contains the Holy Scriptures ?

Church in every quarter of the world.

The Bible was written to the Church, accepted that the Church is the only possible court of appeal gospel of the kingdom. in the interpretation of the Bible. Private interpretation, that is, interpretation made by individuals, in opposition to or differing from that of

the whole Church, has given rise to thousands of sects, in each age, increasing in numbers as private interpreters have from time to time promulgated their views. If these sects could form courts of appeal then we should have a thousand bibles,-

this would be reductio ad absurdum.

Q. Is there then but one Church?

There is but one Church.

Q. Are the churches of Rome, Russia, France, Armenia, England, United States, and Canada, &c., different churches ?

No; they are branches of the one Catholic and Apostolic Church.

Q. What do we mean then by the Church of England, the Church of Rome, &c., &c.?

We mean the Church of Christ or the Christian Church in England. in Rome, &c., &c.

Q. Is then the Church of Rome an integral part of The Church?

She is; God has not removed her candlestick.

Q. Why then does the Church of England refuse to communicate with the Church of Rome?

Because the Church of England believes that the Church of Rome has added private interpretations to the Word of God, as received by the universal church, in the Holy Bible.

Q. What are private interpretations?

sembled in council.

Q. What then are Catholic councils?

Such as have been formed by representation of ALL the branches of the church in Christendom.

Q. How many of these have there been?

There have been six General or Œcumenical Councils or Synods, at which dishops from all parts of the Church have assembled to settle disputed points of doctrine and discipline : that is to give authoritative interpretation of the Holy Scriptures.

Q. By what interpretation of the Holy Scripture human affections and tenderness of our Blessed Lord, does the Church of England abide?

councils of the early catholic church at which the whole church, including Rome, was represented. Our Blessed Lord has laid down the rules for

our guidance in St. Matthew xviii. 17: "Tell it The historic record of its preservation by the unto the church, and if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as a heathen man

and a publican." .1yain : St. Luke x. 16, "He and preserved by the Church, handed down in the that heareth you, heareth me, and he that despiseth Church; and can only be proved genuine by the you despiseth me, and he that despiseth me, desevidence of the Church in the world's court of piseth Him that sent me." In which cases he was enquiry. It follows hence: That the Church and speaking to the church catholic in the persons of the Bible are indissolubly linked together; and the seventy disciples whom He sent to preach the

Again, in St. Matthew xvi. 18, "Thou art Peter petros), and upon this rock (petro) I will build my church, and the gates of hades shall not prevail against it."

(To be continued.)

PLAIN REASONS AGAINST JOINING THE tions :-CHURCH OF ROME.

SUPERSTITION.

popular Romanism is that it is fast ceasing to be a Faith ;* and is degenerating into a mere Superstimonly fancy, over-readiness to swallow marvels. This is credulity, about which we are not now con cerned. But "superstition" means that form of religion in which fear is stronger than love and that they must be baffled by mechanical amulets years' indulgence in that short space. and magical charms, or bought off by being gratified with the sight of those sufferings which they delight to inflict. That is the sentiment which is at the root of African Fetishism and of Hindoo Fakirism alike. And now it has got almost entire possession of Romanism. Already it has been Interpretations put upon the Bible by individuals shown how the Father and Christ are avoided and or partial councils of the Church, alien to the shrunk from, as stern and pitiless judges, and interpretations accepted by the whole Church as- Mary turned to as the one hope of sinners; and also how God is supposed to pursue with hideous tortures the souls of even the holy dead. These ghastly distortions of Christianity are not to be found in the Missal at all, and scarcely a trace of them in the Breviary, but they form a very large part, often the larger part, of the popular creed in Roman Catholic countries now.

> * In truth, the active principle of Faith has for most practical purposes been banished from modern Romanism. The passive habit of Obedience to a up working by day, and worked late at night and visible human authority has been substituted for it, and called by its name, though Obedience and Faith are perfectly distinct qualities. Modern Rom has this in common with atheistic Secularism, and they are both impatient of the unseen and spiritual, and crave after the visible and material. Hence Romans must have human objects of worship instead of amulets instead of belief in Providence; must have a regular tally account with Heaven instead of trust in not Faith, but directly contradicts Faith, which is the evidence of things not seen," Heb. xi. 1.

and thus as a cause of love and confidence on our By the interpretations of those acumenical part; but not as a separate object of worship. Now, however, what is meant by it is the physical bodily organ of our Lord's human Body; and since even the worship of that Body entire, unless as united with the Second Person of the Most Holy Trinity, is unlawful for Christians, of course the separate adoration of a single part of it is all the more forbidden. And there is not even the poor

> satisfaction that this worship, heretical though it be, is from its popularity redressing the balance a little, and giving Christ back in some fashion that amount of service which is His due, but of which He has been defrauded through the preference for other shrines than His. For the "Immaculate Heart of Mary" is already united with His in the cult, and has, besides, its own separate confraternity, offices, and indulgences. Here they are on

an absolute level; "May the Divine Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary be known, praised, blessed, loved, worshipped, and glorified, always and in all places. Amen." ("Raccolta," v. 81.) They are on different levels. St. Mary's being the higher, in these two indulgenced ejacula-

1. Sweet Heart of my Jesus, make me love thee more and more.—("Racc.," v. 64.)

2. Sweet heart of Mary, be my salvation .---" Racc.," v. 82.)

Moreover, this second one is much more easily LXII. Yet again; one unchristian peculiarity of indulgenced. The ejaculation to our Blessed Lord cannot alone win an indulgence. It must be recited along with a Pater, Ave, and Credo, and these tion. This word does not mean, as people com- together gain one hundred days for each time of recitation, besides certain plenary ones twice monthlly.

But the ejaculation to the Blessed Virgin Mary is valid by itself, and wins three hundred days for trust. Its leading characteristic is the belief that each repetition, with a plenary one monthly. A the Powers above man are unfriendly, jealous, and rapid speaker could say it more than a hundred vindictive; or at best stern and relentless; and times in a minute : thus gaining about ninety

PERSECUTION IN IRELAND.

The following is an extract of a letter from Richard Barrett (Irish Society's Inspector) Cork, to Rev. Canon Hayman.

I am just after coming back this evening from having inspected the teacher of Bandon and Courtmacsherry, and I can hardly describe the trouble and difficulties the poor men had to bring up their pupils this time. We were watched so closely and even followed by some through the fields and roads to search out our business so that we had to give very early in the morning. I remarked that many of the advanced pupils have gone to America

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The Council of Nice, ... A.D. 325. 1. The Council of Constantinople, A.D. 381. 2. The Council of Ephesus, ... A.D. 484. The Council of Chalcedon, ... A.D. 451. 4. The Council of Constantinople, A.D. 558. 5. The Council of Constantinople, A.D. 680. 6.

When did the Church of Rome add her private interpretations to the Faith?

In the Council of Trent, assembled in 1545, at which the Church of Rome incurred the guilt of authoritatively sanctioning heresy or private interpretation.

Q. Do we not then hold anything in common with the Church of Rome?

We hold in common with the Church of Rome every interpretation of Holy Scripture which has received the sanction of the whole, *i.e.*, catholic church. But the Church of England holds that nothing which was newly interpreted and added to the Faith by any part of the church is binding on the catholic church.

Q. Do we not appeal to the private interpretations of Laud, Cranmer, Luther, and the Reformers of the sixteenth century?

No, never.

CULTUS OF THE SACRED HEART.

LXIII. Even the chief remaining portion, namethe modern worship of the Sacred Heart, is sheer heresy, condemned beforehand by the two General Councils of Ephesus and Chalcedon, which forbade any worship being paid to a divided Christ-even the separate adoration of our Lord's Sacred Humanity apart from His Godhead being heretical-and teach that whole Christ alone is the object of worship. When the heart of Christ is mentioned by old writers, such as St. Bernard, be-

fore the invention of the new cult about two centuries ago, it always is a figure of speech for the few hours during this week, having to inspect by

While in the act of inspecting one pupil for James Callaghan, in this city, a man named Bill Gogin, walked up and threatened me that I would yet get God. and must have images of even these ; must have a ball through my heart ; this was uttered in the presence of Mrs. Mahony and others. I mentioned God's love, mercy, and justice. All this not only is this to the police, but they advised me to forgive him at present and pass it over quietly. I did so. This is a small idea of the state of things now ; and I believe this is owing a great deal to the irritation about this Boycotting affair of Dr. Webster's.

> I send you the Daily Herald paper, in which appears his letter to the Editor, also the threatening letter sent to him.

However, I will do the work of inspecting the teachers in God's name, and trust myself in His hands, that He will protect me while doing earnestly His own work-many a better man has The state of the state died a martyr in His cause.

I am to be inspecting out late to night in the city and Blackrock, with the teacher John Me-Carthy. I was not able to take rest in sleep only a

night late, and early every morning, up at four and five o'clock.

I have great compassion for the poor teachers who are really willing, but in great fear.

Extract of letter from Rev. Canon Hayman Douglas, Rectory, Cork, to clerical secretary of afternoon, at which the Rev. Hoyes Clarke was the the Irish Society, August 15, 1881.

I send you a communication from Barrett, which will illustrate present things with us, and the difficulties of his discharging his duty. It is no exaggeration to say that we are in this county in a rebellion, and in some respects perhaps in a worse state, for with martial law would come the trial and punishment of disaffected persons, now ruling things as they see fit.

Diocesan Intelligence.

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From Our Own Correspondent.

a very few weeks.

ult, an experiment was tried in this mission, which rayed with crape, a cross and vase of white flowers resulted most successfully. Christ church Sunday the work of Miss G. Burrel. The singing was good school visited the Sunday school of All Saints' charch, up the track. They went in Democrat carriages, and press, presided at the organ. on their arrival at the entrance of the churchyard alighted, formed a procession, the late Canon Givens's beautiful banner being borne in front, and marched into the church, singing "Onward, Christian Soldiers." After the 3rd collect both schools were called up to the chancel rail, All Saints' children on the right, and those of Christ church on the left, and questioned by was one of great interest to all.

TORONTO.

to Tuesday, November 1st.

dcacon Whitaker.

Harvest Festival was held here, at which several of this in a mission where, three or four years ago, there

dences of good taste, and willingness to exercise that at the several services netted about \$2.80. taste, in love for the glory of God, were not wanting. A service, which was well attended, was held in the

preacher. The Rev. Thomas Ball took the service, and the incumbent, the Rev. Mr. Soward, the lessons. Afterwards a large number gathered at the drill shed, where a magnificent spread had been prepared by the ladies. In the evening a concert was given by the ladies and gentlemen living in the neighbourhood. Both the incumbent and the congregation may be congratulated on the success they achieved, and upon the signs of prosperity that in more ways than one were visible.

COLBORNE.—On Sunday morning last the funeral sermon of the late Mr. George Willoughby was Rev. G. Gardner, from Philippians i. 21, "To me to at our church was good, and the collection amouted live is Christ, to die is gain." The deceased was the youngest brother of Dr. Willoughby, he had been ______ churchwarden, and always manifested a great interest in Church work. The Rev. gentleman alluded feelingly to the christian character of the deceased. wmpathized deeply with the sorrowing friends, con-DESERONTO .- The nave of St. Mark's church is cluding with reference to the sudden death of Mrs. rapidly approaching completion, and it is fully expec- Keys, the wife of Mr. George Keys, a prominent memted that the basement will be ready for occupation in ber of the Church. The sermon, an eloquent and touching discourse, appealed earnestly to all "to pre-pare to meet their God," and it was listened to by a MOHAWK MISSION, TYENDENAGA.-On Sunday, 21st large and attentive congregation. The altar was arand Mr. John A. Carswell, editor of the Colborne Ex

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ST. ALBAN'S, LUTHER.-The quarterly meetings of the missionary, the Rev. E. H. M. Baker, in the Cal- the North Wellington Ruri-decanal Chapter. were vary and Church Catechisms. The answering was held in this mission on the 9th, 10th, and 11th of Au. tify. Coming from one far from wealthy, it had the very prompt on the part of each school, but that of gust. There were present five clergy of the deanery, All Saints' unexpectedly took the lead. The Rev. and Messrs. Webb and Jones, the licenced catechists Isaac Barefoot, of Point Edward, diocese of Huron, attached to the mission, were invited to assist. was present, and after the catechizing delivered a Evensong was said in the church at 7.80 on Tuesday fields. This little parish is likely to give a good account short address to the parents and children, in which evening, with addresses on "The Prayer Book com-be complimented the latter on their proficiency, and pared with the Bible." The Rev. Rural-dean Cordsaid he so highly approved of competitive Sunday ner said the service to the end of the third collect, school examinations such as he had there witnessed, and the Rev. T. Rixon, of Arthur, to the end. that he would endeavour to have a similar one in his The lessons were read by Mr. A. C. Jones. The sub own mission upon his return. The church, which is jects of the addresses were taken as follows : Mornusually full, was thronged on this occasion, which ing and Evening Prayer, the Rev. P. L. Spencer, Elora; Confirmation, the Rev. T. Rixon, Arthur; Baptismal Office, the Rev. Rural-dean Cordner, Mt. Forest. The attendance was good, and the service hearty. At 8 a.m. on Wednesday there was a celebration of the Holy Eucharist, at which Rural-dean The meeting of Synod has been further postponed Cordner was celebrant, the Rev. P. L. Spencer acting as gospeler and deacon, and the Rev. R. S. Radcliffe as epistoller and sub-deacon. There were sixteen communicants, including the five priests. The usual business of the Chapter was then proceeded with. His Lordship the Bishop has appointed the Rev. business of the Chapter was then proceeded with. Rural Dean Boddy, Archdeacon, in place of Arch. and a very interesting and instructive discussion was held on the subject of "The Deluge." Evensong was said at 7.80 p.m., by Rural dean Cordner to the third collect, to the end by the Rev. P. L. Spencer. The processional was "Pleasant are Thy courts above," to the tune in Hymns A.&M. The address on "Holv Communion" was delivered by the Rev. Ashburnham; Monday, 12th, Fenelon Falls and Veru- Thomas Rixon, that on "The Burial Service" by the Rev. P. L. Spencer; and a masterly address was delivered by the Rev. A. J. Belt. of Erin, on "The Ordination Service." All the subjects were treated in an admirable manner. The second lesson at this service was read by Mr. A. C. Jones, and the first by Mr. Richard T. W. Webb, who acted as organist at all the services. The singing and responding were hearty, and the attendance about eighty five. The "Nunc dimittis" was chanted as recessional, the people remaining in their seats until the clergy had left, and thereby all confusion was avoided. On Thursday at

LLOYDTOWN.-On Thursday last a very successful they may worship before His earthly throne. And

the neighbouring clergy were present. The church was no church nor clergyman to declare unto the was very nicely decorated for the occasion, and evi people the "whole counsel of God." The offertories

HURON.

From Our Own Correspondent.

SOUTHAMPTON.-The annual missionary meeting was held in this parish on Tuesday, August 23rd, at which the Rev. W. F. Campbell was present, and in a most eloquent speech urged the necessity of increased liberality for the missions of the North-west. His address was listened to with marked attention, and the result was, the largest collection ever made at a Church missionary meeting in Southampton. Altho' there was a political meeting held the same evening at the village of Port Elgin, at which the minister of Public Works was present, and which meeting many preached in Trinity church by the incumbent, the members of our congregation attended, the attendance

> WALKERTON.-The annual missionary sermon was preached in St. Thomas's church, by the agent, the Rev. W. F. Campbell, from 1 John iii. 17. The able discourse was listened to by a large and appreciative congregation, which evinced its interest by making a collection of about thirty dollars.

> A supplementary meeting was also held in the same church on Monday evening, when Mr. Campbell gave an exhaustive and interesting description of the great societies engaged in the missions of the Church of England throughout the world. Notwithstanding the intense heat, the audience was much refreshed by the glowing account of missionary success.

> WEST BRANT .- At the meeting at Trinity church, at half past ten, Monday morning, the audience was most agreeably startled by the well-delivered address of a plain country farmer, who has been greatly afflic-ted for many years, accompanied by the generous donation of five dollars, for the Master's sake, of whose goodness to him personally he was glad to teseffect of making many sorry that they had not provided themselves with a five-dollar bill. The collection was \$15.62, which is very well for a church in the of itself hereafter.

> COLLECTIONS at annual missionary meetings for the month of August 1881 :---

Durham \$14.65; Egremont \$1.86; Dundalk \$11.29; Shelburne \$5.10; Inistioge \$4.00; Maxwell \$2.40; Markdale \$6.64; Clarksburg \$10.52; Rock \$2.00; Trinity, Collingwood \$5.42; Heathcote \$2.00; Euphrasia 5.50; Walter's Falls 1.50; Sydenham 8.80; Chatsworth 5.62; St. John's, Sullivan, 1.56; St. Mark's 1.91; St. Thomas's, St. Vincent, 9.77; Streets 2.22 Meaford 14.03; Presqu' Isle 3.68; Bass Lake 4.25; Lion's Head 8.15; Wiarton 4.44; St. James's, Derby, 8.03; Owen Sound 24.00; Invermay 8.00; Southampton 11.75; Paisley 5.19; Pinkertou 5.00; Chesley 10.50; Allan Park 6.15; Hanover 5.87; West Brant 15.62; Walkerton 30.00.

The Bishop of Toronto has made the following appointments for the month of September.

Sept. 11th, Sunday, Peterborough, Greystock, and lam; Tuesday, 18th, Bobcaygeon and Dunsford; Wednesday 14th, Omemee and Emily; Thursday, 15th, Bethany and Manvers; Friday, 16th, Cartwright; Sunday, 18th, Cavan: Monday, 19th, Perrytown.

MISSION AID .- Any clergymen in the Toronto and Algoma dioceses who desire assistance from the needlework department of the Church Women's Mission Aid, for Christmas trees, clothing for the poor, or church furnishings, are requested to communicate at once with Mrs. O'Reilly, 81 Bleeker-street, Toronto.

LINDSAY.—At the vestry meeting held in St. Paul's church on the 29th ult., the Bishop's letter was read. which stated that his lordship distinctly declined to appoint Mr. Jones to the incumbency. After a great deal of discussion it was agreed that the Bishop should be asked to appoint Dr. Smithett to the nominal charge and supervision of the parish for one year, with Mr. Jones as curate for that time, and also with this understanding that Mr. Jones should be appointed to the incumbency at the expiration of a year, or sooner. Surely Dr. Smithett has too much respect for himself to be a mere tool for so transparent an arrangement.

8 a.m. there was another celebration of the Holy Communion when the Rural dean again celebrated, and Revs. Thos. Rixon and A. J. Belt, acted as gospeler well pleased with the hearty services, and friendly

reception they met with; and the congregation on their part were much instructed and edified by the

lectures they had heard, and the devotions they had WINGHAM.-The most successful and really pleasant engaged in. It is a sign of the times which should party ever held in Wingham, was that recently held make us thankful to Almighty God, when we see per- under the auspices of St. Paul's Ladies' Aid Society, sons leaving their work in the middle of harvest, and on the beautiful grounds of Benjamin Wilson, Esq., walking five or six miles in the early morning that which were lighted up with Chinese lanterns suspenthey may give thanks to God for His blessings to ded on wires from one end to the other of the beautithem, and, believing the words of His blessed Son, ful grounds. The variously coloured lights revealing

MEAFORD.-Seldom do little ones enjoy themselves more thoroughly than did the children of Christ church Sunday school on the occasion of their excursion on the steamer Emerald, to Wiarton, on Friday the 19th ult. The boat, which left Meaford at about 8.30 a.m., was crowded, over 500 being on boar l. The weather was all that could be desired. All returned home at an early hour in the evening, declaring it to be one of the pleasantest excursions they had ever taken part in.

DELAWARE.-The Rev. C. D. Martin, who has been appointed to an Indian Mission by his Lordship the Bishop of the diocese, was entertained at a garden party at Delaware, by the parishioners, on the evening of Thursday the 25th, ult. The entertainment was given as a token of their appreciation of his zealous labours since his coming to the parish. The Burwell family, by whom the Caradoc church was built, and epistoler respectively. There were nineteen presented him also with a handsome gift, and a communicants. The clergy departed to their homes silver water pitcher was given him by the parishioners.

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the terraces rising one above another, had a truly picturesque effect. The Wingham brass band very kindly gave their services, and their music was justly appreciated. The weather was all that could be desired, and financially it gave the ladies entire satisfaction.

STRATHROY .-- The congregation of Katesville, presented the rector of St. John's and Katesville with a purse of thirty-five dollars. It is an older church than St. John's, but there are but few members.

held on the 30th ult., at Thorndale Farm, the country residence of Col. Shanley, London. The social was given on the invitation of Frank Shanley and family, of Toronto, who usually spend a month in summer at the country home, a beautiful place on the banks of the Thames. After partaking of the bountiful repast provided by their kind host, the incumbent of

the parish was called on for an address. He stated that combined with pleasure these was another object in view, that of raising funds to make some repairs and necessary changes in the interior of St. George's church. After a few interesting remarks from Col Shanley, a collection was taken up. The Misses Shanley and the choir of the church added to the pleasures of the evening, by some delightful pieces of music. All present enjoyed the really happy evening, and none more so than Mr. and Mrs. Shanley, of

London, who with Col. Shanley and the Toronro family heartily enjoyed themselves among their old and the loathsomeness of it should be dragged to the friends of St. George's. The pleasures of the evening light of day, that all who have any salt of understandwere brought to a close by singing God Save the ing or grace may be forever cured of any either love Queen.

WATFORD.-During the short incumbency of the present clergyman, the Rev. Mr. Hyland, considerable progress has been made in Church matters in this parish. The debt on the church, of several hundred dollars, has been paid off, a new fence has been put round the church, and the church has been repaired and kept in a very neat and cleanly condition, the whole appearance of the sacred edifice being of clergyman and congregation have taken a deep in-terest in the worship of the sanctuary

The Ladies' Guild has done good service and has been very active in helping the rector in parochial On this wide gown was placed a scapulary, like that work. The rector's wife has been most indefatigable worn by several Religious orders, the Carmelites for in training the choir, and in other Church matters in example. It was of white silk with gold flowers, half the parish.

ALGOMA.

From Our own Correspondent.

GORE BAY, MANITOULIN.-The Rev. W. Macaulay Tooke expresses his thanks to the Rev. Mr. Baker and the congregation of St. Mark's, Port Hope, for a library of 117 Sunday school books in good preservation.

MAGNETAWAN.-The churchwardens of St. George the Martyr beg thankfully to acknowledge the receipt of a beautiful carpet for their church, the gift of Miss Girdlestone, of Galt, per the Rev. Wm. Crompton.

DOMINION CHURCHMAN.

Correspondence.

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

CHURCH AND PARSONAGE PLANS.

To the Clergy and Laity of the Diocese of Niagara,

DEAR BRETHREN,—As applications are coming THORNDALE, NISSOURI.-A very pleasant garden into me for plans of churches and parsonages, in three companions during the preparation. They went social of the members of St. George's church, was consequence of the resolution acopted at our last up to Mary and received her blessing. During the session of Synod on the subject, I have to ask ceremony Philip arrived from Egypt with a compathose of you who have good plans of churches and nion; he received her blessing, and wept copiously. parsonages, kindly to donate them to the diocese, and to send them to J. G. Mason, Esq., Secretary-Treasurer, Synod office, Hamilton.

I am, dear brethren,

Yours very faithfully, T. B. NIAGARA.

Bishophurst, Hamilton, 3rd Sept., 1881.

MARIOLATRY.

SIR,-The supreme folly of the Marianists in their idiotic literature, is a supreme scandal to Christianity. or allowance for it. Here is a description of the B. Virgin's wedding dress and that of Joseph, in Sister

Emmerich, the more valuable because we shall not easily find anything elsewhere :-- " I had a very good view of Mary in her bridal dress. She wore an under gown of woollen stuff without sleeves; her arms were corded with bands of white wool. On her neck she had a sort of collar, falling over the breast, and adorned with pearls. Above this she wore a very wide gown, open in front, with wide sleeves. This gown had a blue ground covered with large roses, red the most satisfactory character, and shows that the white, and yellow, mixed with green leaves, like the rich chasubles of olden time. The lower border was trimmed with fringe and tassels, and it was fastened

above to the white collar which covered her neck.

a yard wide, and covered on the breast with pearls and precious stones; it came down to the bottom of the gown and covered the opening in front. A similar band hung from her back, and others shorter and narrower from her shoulders and arms. These four bands formed a cross round her neck. The wide sleeves, over which those parts of the scapulary fell, which covered the shoulders, were fastened to the middle of the arm by a bracelet, two fingers in breadth. and upon which some titles were engraved. Above this she wore a sky-blue cloak, in the shape of a great sheet. Besides this cloak, the Jewish woman on certain occasions wore a kind of mourning cloak with sleeves. Mary's cloak was fixed at the breast with a clasp, above which a frill embroidered as if with feathers or floss silk went round her neck. The cloak fell back upon her shoulders, was brought forward on both sides, and ended in a point. The edges were embroidered with gold flowers. The hair was arranged very elaborately; it was parted down the middle, and divided into a great many locks, not plaited, which being tied across with white silk strings and pearls, formed a large net falling upon the shoul ders, and reaching down to the middle of the cloak. She wore upon her hair a wreath of white silk or wool, which was gathered above by their ribands to seau House by the guests, which was also quite a a kind of cushion of the same stuff. Upon this lay a success, and showed great skill on the part of the la. closed crown, enriched with precious stones, and about as broad as the band. In front of this crown were three pearls placed one above the other, and also a pearl on each side. In her left hand she carried a little crown of roses, of red and white silk. In her right she held by way of a sceptre a beautiful gilt candlestick without a stand ; on the top of which was a little tray on which something was burning which produced a whitish flame. Joseph wore a long loose robe of a blue colour. The sleeves, which were very wide, were fastened to the side by strings. Round his neck he wore something like a brown collar, or rather a broad stole, and down his neck hung two white bands." What a subject for meditation! It is too obvious to remark that all these "pearls" are a flat contradiction to the Virgin's offering, "par turturum, aut duos pullos columbarum," and are a detestable reflection on her piety. As for the "sceptre," I know nothing approaching it but Mambrino's helmet. They make the B.V. die like a good Christian, and administer to her the last sacraments; though it is not clear what need she had of Extreme Unction,

which, as the Catechism tells us, was instituted to blot out the remains of sin. "During this time the altar had been got ready, and the Apostles had robed themselves for the divine service in their long white garments, with girdles upon which were certain letters. Five of them figured in the solemn ceremony, which was similar to that which I had seen celebrated for the first time by Peter in the new church adjoining the Pool of Bethesda. They put on their beauiful priestly ornaments. The pontifical mantle of Peter, who officiated, was very long behind; yet it had no train."

But I must abridge this long account and hasten to an end. James the Great arrived from Spain with All the Apostles went in procession to her bed. Thaddæus walked in front with a censer, Peter carried the Holy Eucharist before him, in a cross shaped pyx. John followed, bearing a chalice on a little silver salver. It was the same shape as that used at the Lord's Supper, only small. Peter administered Extreme Unction. as at the present day. "The Apostles carrying the sacred vessels, returned in procession to the altar, where they continued the divine service, and then Philip also received the Holy Communion. Two women only had stayed beside the Blessed Virgin.'

Now there are fools in all churches, and nuns must dream; and so far charity must not find fault. But what shall we say of practical archdeacons introducing to the world these truly wicked ravings ? what shall we say of the bishop who didn't extinguish this editor and his book? and what shall we say of the Congregation that didn't at once put this in the Index, where few books can equally deserve a place? No, this is the sort of religion now in favour with the Roman Church; and it grows ranker and ranker every year; "and what will they do in the end thereof?" If any one wants to see in a small space the modern developments of this superstition stated exactly and fully, let him spend an English shilling on Dr. Pusey's sermon "The Rule of Faith." I have now done with Marianism, and my pen is free, if God wills, to turn to matters perhaps more agreeable to some of your readers.

Your obdt. servant,

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Who counts himself as nobly born Is noble in despite of place: And honours are but brands to one Who wears them not with nature's grace.

The prince may sit with clown or churl, Nor feel himself disgraced thereby ; But he who has but small esteem Husbands that little carefully.

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Rosseau.-On Tuesday the 16th ult. an entertainwas given at the Rosseau House, in aid of the Parsonage Fund, by Mr. Murphy and others of the guests, when \$20:00 was raised. The whole was quite a suc-Cess

On Thursday the 25th ult. an entertainment in aid of the Sunday school, was also given at the Rosdies who took part in the performance. The proceeds were \$20.00.

The Rev. A. W. H. Chowne begs to acknowledge with thanks, the sum of \$2.50 from Miss Sematinger. also \$5.00 from Mr. W. B. Sanders, towards the Parsonage Fund.

The Rev. Wm. Crompton, travelling clergyman, desires gratefully to acknowledge the receipt of \$4.00 from Mr. Wm. Heensey, senr., omitted in previous acknowledgement.

He is happy not who enjoys ease, but who can bear uneasiness.

Speak a kindly word here and there in passing on life's journey : you may hear the echo in eternity.

Nothing is good to us, unless we communicate the same good to others.

Then be thou peasant, be thou peer, Count it but still thine own : Stand on a larger heraldry Than that of nation or of zone.

What though not bid to knightly halls? Those halls have missed a courtly guest. That mansion is not privileged, Which is not open to the best.

Give honour due when custom asks No wrangle for this lesser claim ; It is not to be destitute, To have the thing without the name.

Then dost thou come of gentle blood, Disgrace not thy good company ; If lowly born, so bear thyself That gentle blood may come of thee.

Strive not with pain to scale the height Of some fair garden's pretty wall, But climb the open mountain side, Whose summit rises over all.

DOMINION CHURCHMAN.

THE SIEGE OF LICHFIELD.

CHAPTER VII.

THE NIGHT ADVENTURE.

WHEN the enthusiasm of the moment was over, different object. The elevated position which he had get Sir Richard to speak to him." occupied commanded a full view of the town and the surrounding country. But Archbold looked not at the scene below him, nor around him : he regarded the roundheads have placed guards upon both. not the havoc made by the artillery on the town, or little group of houses which were a few furlongs dis put some of my school-learning into practice." tant across the meadows. There they lay, reflected in the glassy surface of the pool. The millwheel, of the besiegers during the day having been directed to the south gate of the fortress, and their forces hav ing been waiting under arms to storm it, if a breach could have been effected.

Often during the day had the eyes of Archbold object of his dearest thoughts might yet remain. Once he had thought he had seen Mr. Morley and his daughter come out from their house into the garden ; but it was only for a moment; and the distance was too great for him to distinguish plainly. Henry's heart was full of deep anxiety. What was the fate of his beloved Catharine ? Had she taken refuge in the town? or was she still at her own home? He well baffled in their attack upon the south gate, they would, in all probability, during the night, or on the next day, extend their forces round the Cathedral, and occupy the church and houses at St. Chad's. A sudden thought struck him. Could he not, now that the engagement was over, obtain permission to sally forth with his little band, and bring away Mr. Morley and Catharine ? But then where could he take her? The Close was no place of safety. The besiegers tance in the thick darkness before them. would certainly renew the attack ; and even should they not succeed in taking it, yet those who were

he should pursue, he observed a considerable body of of the battlement, and being muscular and active, let the enemy's soldiers leave the town by way of the himself down without difficulty to the bottom of the Moat-hall in the direction of St. Chad's, and winding moat. The next thing was to climb the opposite round the head of the pool, take possession of the bank, and pass the sentinel who was stationed upon mill and church and little knot of houses. No one, of it. The man seemed to have ceased pacing to and course, opposed them; they were evidently sent fro, as if his attention had been arrested; but. Archthere for quarters, and in order to secure the position. bold remaining quite still for a few minutes, he again It was now too late to attempt to bring Catharine resumed his walk. Henry watched each turn which into the Close, even had it been desirable before. He the sentinel took, and gradually climbed the bank earnestly prayed that they might have escaped and when he was at the furthest end of his beat. He had reached some place of safety. It was now nearly sun- now reached the top of the most, when the sentinel set; and Henry was about to descend with a heavy suddenly stopped within a few paces of the spot heart from his station, when his attention was again where he was; and Henry distinctly heard the click arrested by a movement in the quarter upon which of the trigger as the soldier cocked his musket. Not he was looking. He saw a patrol of soldiers leave St. a moment was to be lost. Springing suddenly on his Chad's in the direction of the town, apparently lead-feet, he seized the weapon, and endeavoured to ing with them a prisoner. Archbold was in an agony wrest it from the soldier's hand; but the man was of despair. What could be the meaning of this pro-strong, and not easily mastered. Henry, therefore, ceeding? Could it be that they had separated Mr. adroitly dashed open the pan of the musket, so that Morley from his daughter? and if so, for what pur the priming was spilt; and then quitting his hold, sation between a sister and a brother. The little boy pose? Oh, that he were on the spot to defend his sprang into the open meadows. The sentinel should complained of insults or wrongs received from ano-beloved from the spoilers or the assassins! The most loudly to his comrades for aid; but, long before they ther little boy. His face was flushed with anger. horrible thoughts crowded on his mind, and drove could render it, Archbold was far away across the The sister listened awhile, and then turning away, m almost frantic. The sun had now sunk beneath the horizon, and he though it was pitch dark, Henry skirted rapidly along Willie has no mother." The brother's lips were silent; him almost frantic. was still straining his eyes, in hope of seeing some the margin of the pool, and a few minutes brought the rebuke came home to him, and stealing away, he object through the gathering darkness, which might him to St. Chad's. Here he was obliged to proceed muttered, "I never thought of that." He thought convey a gleam of hope, when he heard a step ascend- more cautiously, in order to avoid observation, and of his own mother, and the loneliness of "Willie" coming the stone staircase of the tower, and his friend reconnoitre the position of the enemy. The old pared with his own happy lot. "He has no mother." church was full of lights. As he drew near, he heard Do we think of it when want comes to the orphan, "I expected I should find you here," said he. within it a loud voice, interrupted occassionally by and rude words assail him? Has the little wanderer "Your thoughts, I see, are wandering to St. Chad's, the snorting of horses; and, looking through the win- no mother to listen to his little sorrows? Speak I have been making inquiry amongst the townspeople dow, he saw, to his astonishment, Jonas M'Rorer, in gently to him then.

offered to accompany him, or to render him any as- his satisfaction, a light in Catharine's window. It sistance in his power.

"I know I may count on your help, my dear friend, battlements, not to renew the engagement, for the chesterfield to let us out at the south postern. I will lifted in an attitude of prayer. He gazed a moment

"You will not be able to leave the Close, I fear, either by the south or west gate," said Glasier. "

"No matter," said Archbold: "you and I have on the spire and battlements of the Cathedral; but climbed over the battlements into the moat a hundred his eye rested on the Church of St. Chad's, and the times when we where schoolboys; and I will try and saying, he proceeded immediately to carry his scheme into execution. He went first to the lodgings of the which generally enlivened the scene with its cheerful worthy knight, who, seeing him bent on his object. motion, had stopped; the willows bent over the pool accompanied him to the governor, and obtained the in drooping loneliness; and of the groups of children requisite leave of absence. Having so far succeeded from the adjacent city, which might commonly have in his wish, Archbold was much more calm and satisbeen seen strolling round the margin of the pool in fied. His spirit, which before was depressed with cheerful sport, not one was now to be seen. All was grief, now became exhilarated at the prospect of his deserted by both friend and foe; the whole attention enterprise; and, with the cool sagacity for which he was distinguished, he began to prepare everything to ensure the success of his undertaking. He went first to the great hall of the palace, where the officers who were not on duty were assembled at mess, and soon occupied himself on the remains of a baron of beef, been directed to the spot where it was possible the which was placed on the table for all comers; for he had tasted no food since sunrise, and knew that he had a good night's work before him. Having taken the necessary refreshment, he went to his home, and divesting himself of his heavy corslet, put on a more

primed his pistols, and took his trusty sword. It was now eight o'clock ; the night was pitch dark, and the wind boisterous, all which favoured his knew that, though the enemy had not apparently as enterprise. Everything being prepared, Archbold, yet taken possession of that point, yet that being accompanied by his friend Glasier, went into the bishop's garden, where he found a sentinel pacing the battlements.

> "I have an order to leave the fortress," said he, and am going to climb down the bastion."

"I am afraid you will not be able, sir," said the sentinel; "for the rebels have posted their patrols along all this side;" and, as he spoke, they could hear distinctly the voice of the men at no great dis-

This was a sad blow to Archbold's scheme, but did not divert him from his purpose; only he was within would be exposed to imminent peril from their obliged to proceed with the greater caution. Fastshots, and to still greater danger if the place were ening his coil of knotted ropes, therefore, to the stem

taken by storm. of a tree in the angle formed by the wall and the pro-As he was thus pondering in his mind what course jecting bastion, he silently raised himself to the top

hands of the rebels. Glasier saw that it was needless of food and jugs of ale before them. It was in great to attempt to dissuade Archbold from his purpose; disorder, having evidently been plundered, the books nor, indeed, was he the man to do so, but, on the and papers lying about on the ground in sad confusion. contrary, entered heartily into his scheme, and Henry glided silently round the house, and saw, to

was in the second storey, but not high from the ground. With anxious yet determined heart he climbed up by and perhaps I may want it; but first, I will try what the creepers which clung to the buttress, and there I can do myself,—at least, in the way of seeing how found it as he indeed expected. Catharine was there

in admiration; but time was precious. "Catharine," he said, in a low but distinct voice. "Ha, Henry!" said the kneeling girl, starting on her feet; "can that be you? God has indeed heard my prayers.'

"Hush! it is I," said Henry: "come nearer, and speak in a whisper."

She drew close to him and grasped his hand. "Alas, Henry! they have taken away my father: know you what they have done with him?"

"I know not for certain; but are not you yourself in danger?"

"Yes, O yes! Even before my father's face have they insulted me. I have the most horrible fears. Oh, save mc-save me!"

"You must descend, then, from the window, and I will protect you with my life. The house is full of soldiers. This is the only way of escape. Stay, throw something over you, for the night is cold."

Catharine quickly caught up a mantle with a hood; and, placing a chair at the window, stepped from it without hesitation

"God he thanked!" said he, as he placed her gently on the turf. "we are safe so far.'

Scarcely had they set foot on the ground, when the loor of the church opened; and, by the glare from within, they discerned a man in an officer's dress convenient dress of a dark colour, reloaded and come forth from the porch.

"Ah, that is he!" said Catharine: "save me-save me !"

"Let us stand back," said Henry, "and allow him to pass.'

Archbold drew Catharine behind the shrubs, but not in time to avoid the observation of the soldier, who caught a glimpsé of her dress.

"Who goes there?" said he, starting forward and grasping her wrist; but, at the same instant, Henry's sword descended with its full force on his head, on which he wore a light foraging cap, having divested himself of his helmet; and the rebel rolled senseless on the ground.

"Haste!" said Archbold ; "we have not a moment

to lose. The soldiers will probably be disturbed." It was even as he said. The men in the parsonage came out with lights, and finding their commander lying apparently dead rushed instantly into the church and gave the alarm, opon which the roundheads poured out in numbers to pursue the fugitives. Henry half led, half carried his fair charge along in a bark lane, trusting for escape chiefly to his knowledge of the locality and the darkness of the night. Unfortunately, four of the soldiers took the same direction and gamed upon them. Henry strained every nerve o escape; and, as they approached nearer, he led his companion over a stile into the field by the side of the lane, and there leaving her for a moment, he lrew forth his pistols, prepared to sell his life dearly, and defend her to the utmost. To his great relief, the pursuers continued their course along the lane which he had quitted, and were soon out of hearing.

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Glasier stood before him.

resolution to stand at his post, unless forced to quit them hip and thigh !-- lay waste the house of Baal !" her father."

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who have come in here, and not one of them had seen a trooper s uniform, occupying the pulpit, and haran-Mr. Morley or his daughter in the town. I hope, guing the soldiers who were stretched on the straw, therefore, they got away before the roundheads came." some taking their meal, some sleeping, and some "Alas!" said Henry, "if she is not in the town, listening. Henry could only distinguish a few words she is yet at her father's house. I know Mr. Morley's of the speaker. "Down with the Amalekites !--smite

It: and I am sure that Catharine would never leave -exhortations which elicited a loud hum of applause ter she had spent the night at Lydia's house

from the uncouth congregation. Finding them so The dress in question was a spotted, faded old sum-He then detailed to his friend what he had observed well employed, he withdrew from the window, and mer silk, which only looked the more forlorn for its from the battlements, and told him that he was re- approached the house of Mr. Morley. The library, once fashionable trimmings, now crumpled and frayed solved to make an attempt to ascertain what was her opening on a little garden, was occupied by several "Oh, anything is good enough for home !" said Lysituation, and, if possible, to rescue her from the soldiers, who were sitting round a table with remains dia, hastily pinning on a soiled collar; and twisting

THE MOTHERLESS.

SITTING in the school-room, I overheard acconver-

GOOD ENOUGH FOR HOME.

"Why do you put on that forlorn old dress ?" asked Emily Manners of her cousin Lydia, one morning sf.

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up her hair in a ragged knot, she went down to break. fast.

"Your hair is coming down," said Emily.

"Oh, never mind: it's good enough for home." said Lydia carelessly. - Lydia had been visiting at Emily's home, and had always appeared in the prettiest of morning dresses, and with neat hair, and dainty collars and cuffs; but now she was back again among her brothers and sisters, and with her parents, she seemed to think anything would answer, and went about untidy, and in soiled finery. At her uncle's she had been pleasaut and polite, and had won golden opinions from all; but with her own cometh that thy faithful people do unto thee true and find true and laudable service here to be perfect freefamily her manners were as careless as her dress, she seemed to think that courtesy and kindness were too expensive for home wear, and that anything was good enough for home.

There are too many people who, like Lydia, seem to think that anything will do for home; whereas, effort to keep one's self neat, and to treat father, mother, sister, brother, and servant kindly and courteously, is as much a duty as to keep from falsehood and stealing.

BE STUDIOUS.

accessible as it never was before. An empire without Creator. the emperor has grown up on this continent, and

dren. And will not every one admit that good babies the most zealous service, whilst it falls short both of are a great source of comfort to parents, while cross the grace and the benefit of it. babies and crying children are an annoyance and a source of anxiety to them? tion dictates this marked term. Praise is not ex I will therefore proceed to tell the readers of the pected as the reward of merit, but gratefully received household how I treat my babies. And I will say as a free gift of God's grace. Of ourselves we are TAKING COMFORT IN LIFE. here that I am not very healthy myself. I have equally unable and unworthy even to escape ever-I have had nine children, and have never had a cross or sick child. And this is the way I manage: I try to keep them comfortable. From the middle two weeks old I wash them all over every morning in righteousness are imputed to us; even Jesus Christ fret around us. clean luke warm water' rubbing them as hard as they the righteous. Neverless, verily there is a reward could bear with a good linen towel. Then I dress for the righteous, and praise for the true-hearted; and very often it will sleep the greater portion of the measure whereby He regulates his anger or his praise ; to manhood. foreacon. If a child is fretful it will generally be found his denial or his bounty.

pick one up that smells as though it had never been can boast, giveth not the supporting hope which washed, or never had on clean clothes. It does not satisfieth an immortal soul. Heavenly promises only take half as much time to take care of a baby proper- can do that; and they must be waited for. We must ly as it does to take care of it by managing improperly. Just try my plan, you who have the care of to reward the faithful servant-that "Rest which relittle ones, and you will be rewarded.

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

ALMIGHTY and merciful God, of whose only gift it laudable service; Grant, we besesch thee, that we may so faithfully serve thee in this life, that we fail not finally to attain thy heavenly promises; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Tord. Amen.

The service of God constitutes the happiness of heaven : and a soul, averse from such service upon lelujah! Amen. earth, would not be happy if admitted even into the heaven of heavens. When, therefore, we look forward to heaven as our state of final happiness, we must exercise ourselves here in the "true and laudable "service" which prepares us for the enjoyment of such happiness hereafter.

Whilst, however, we are convinced of the necessity WITFIELD was poor, and in "service," but he man of serving God truly and acceptably, we cannot but aged to get education; and both England and America be convinced also of our own insufficiency for a ser-have felt his power for good. William Harvey did vice so arduous. The Collect well points out to us, not find out the circulation of the human blood by a that our sufficiency is of God: for of His only gift it lucky accident. He was a hard student at home and cometh, that even his "faithful people do unto Him abroad, and taught the doctrine to his classes for ten "true and laudable service." The gift here spoken years before he published it to the world. Young of is the gift of the Holy Spirit: and as that is pro-them in the shape of taxation they begin to feel a new men ought to remember that there are still splendid mised to every Christian who earnestly desires to interest in reforms. It will be found, in the long run, services to be rendered. All the discoveries have not possess it, and would willingly follow its guidance, yet been made. The field is now the world as it we may all do unto God the service required; though never was before. The best books can now be had as the strength thereto necessary be as entirely his most never before. Education of the highest kind in physi-gracious gift, fhrouch Jesus Christ our Lord, as our best policy—well, it will be found to be so with regard ology, mental philosophy, engineering, chemistry, is bodily strength is the gift of the same Almighty

The Christian's first care is, that his service be true. much of the soil is yet without occupant and master. To this end, he takes heed to work the work appoinwrong and that violates any great law of morals. Other empires are open to educated ability, and will ted him, "not with eye service, as men pleasers; become more so every year. There is a legitimate but to the Lord," who searcheth all hearts, and unsphere for splendid ambition. derstandeth all the imagination of the thoughts." NO TRUE WORK EVER WASTED. Let our boys forego the cost of tobacco and catch Considering the God, whose servant he is, as a Being inspiration from the best books. Let them turn "to whom all hearts be open, all desires known, and their backs on the tempting glass, and spend their from whom no secrets are hid," he serves Him with money on stimulating the mind. Even fashion "para perfect heart and a willing mind." He does not ties" and pleasure may be put in the background, divide his affection between God and the world : but and that the time and thought required for them may even whilst engaged in the necessary duties of his be given to getting that mental habit and furniture worldly calling, his heart is with God; to Whom his that will make its possessor a helper to his race, and willing mind renders willing service. Indeed this a capable servant to his Creator-the "Father of willingness, whilst it omits not the most trivial act of the new mining service. Indeed this sight of heaven the most magnificant success. When Lights "-who has given us brain and heart, with duty, gives an energy to our faculties, which renders capabilities, that we may be lights, benefactors, and the most arduous service comparatively easy. Whereconquerors, on fields where no life is lost, and even as, an unwilling performance of duties is scarcely better than a solemn mockery. What can be more the vanquished are gainers. inconsistent with the gratitude we owe to "the Au thor and Giver of all good things," than an irksome round of merely formal offices? Few minds are so MANAGEMENT OF BABIES. unprincipled, and still fewer uninformed, but that In almost every newspaper we pick up we see some. they know themselves bound to serve in all fidelity, obscure and nameless Jew-was that a failure? thing about the management of stock or poultry, but their Creator and Preserver. How unwise then not we seldom see in newspapers anything concerning to engage heartly in a service, which we cannot altothe management of children during their babyhood. gether avoid; and which is either mercifully accepted I do not pretend that my general knowledge is or indignantly rejected, as we render it willingly, or greater than that of anyone else, but I do claim that perform it reluctantly! We should remember that

"in patience possess our souls." The Rest, which is maineth for the people of God,"-we shall not enjoy till every shifting scene of mortality be passed away. In the Divine promise, there is also mention made of a "crown of righteousness," but that is not present-It "is laid up" for future reward; to be given when the Lord, the righteous Judge, shall open the kingdom of heaven to all believers; when also they, who dom, will there find it to be fulness of joy. With what delight will they renew their service in heaven, with the spirits of the just made perfect; with angels -ten thousand times ten thousand—and with all the heavenly host; resting not day and night, but praising thee, O God ! and giving glory and honour, and thanksgiving to thee for evermore; Hallelujah! Hal-

THE EXTRAVAGANCE OF SIN.

THE most extravagant thing in the world is sin. Ien think of sin as to its consequence upon the individual who commits it, but the most expensive thing in society will be found to be sin, in whatever form it may appear; and a grand thing it will be when men reach this conviction. Some men think it is very well for men in the pulpit to talk about it in trying to induce conviction and persuasion on this moral question, but when they find that the cost of sin touches that the pocket is always on the side of virtue. Men have always formulated somewhat out of their own to everything that affects personal habits, eating, drinking, dressing, and the mode of conducting life. The most extravagant thing is sin-anything that is

No true work since the world was made was ever wasted; no true life since the world began has ever failed. Oh, understand those two perverted words, failure and success, and measure them by the eternal, not by the earthly standard. What the world has regarded as the bitterest failure has often been in the the cap, painted with devils, was placed on the brow of John Huss, and he sank dying amid the embers of the fiame—was that a failure? When Francis Xsvier died, cold and lonely on the bleak and desolate shore of a heathen land-was that a failure? When the frail, worn body of the Apostle of the Gentiles was dragged by a hook from the arena, and the white sand scattered over the crimson life-blood of the victim whom the dense amphitheatre despised as some

And when, after thirty obscure, toilsome, unrecorded years in the shop of the village carpenter, One came forth to be pre-eminently the man of sorrows, to wander from city to city in homeless labours, and I can take good care of babies and raise healthy chil. an unwilling service makes us equally responsible with to expire in lonely agony upon the shameful crosswas that a failure? Nay, my brethren, it was the the grace and the benefit of it. *True* service leads to *laudable* service. No presump-tion dictates this marked to be a presump-of God incorrect. SOONER or later, friends, the time for folding hands will come to us all. Whether or not we cease from of September to the middle of May I keep flannel and faithful servant," the praise, though addressed burry and worry now, we shall one day shut our eye shirts on my children, and from the time they are to us, returns to Him, whose worthiness, and whose upon it, and lie still and untroubled by the stir and Why not take comfort as we go on ? You, proud mother of a beautiful, active boy, of what use will them immediately and give them their breakfast. and the hope of this praise, even though bestowed be to you to remember how exquisitely fine was his When this is done I put them in a good warm cradle- for another's sake, is yet sufficiently animating to our raiment; how daintaly spread his bed, and how co bed, and go about my morning work, sometimes sing-ing some familiar hymn. Being thus engaged with my work, baby will go to sleep, which it is sure to do, Take the comfort of your opportunities. Neve that it is because it is uncomfortable. And what the mother needs is to keep their feet warm aud their bodies clean. When this is constantly attended to, a baby will be almost sure to thrive and be con-tented if it has proper nourishment, so as not to be-tented if it has proper nourishment and the plaything few, but answer the question if the dress be coarse, and the food plain to define the mother is add the Augestic's confusion if we not the plaything few pl tented if it has proper nourishment, so as not to be-come hungry. A great many persons ask me why my children are so good. And when I tell them my mode of treating them. they say: "I can't take time to wash my baby every morning;" or "if I wash my baby's head and face it gives it a cold." The trouble i, she does not wash the baby often enough. Low clear sweet children: but I dont like to

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here and there, and receive visitors from this and that home, and you hardly know the people by sight? You are losing precious hours, and the comfort you ought to take is flying fast away on those wings of time that are never overtaken.

IF I HAD KNOWN.

Not long since we met a lady whose sad face told the story of great mental suffering. Entering into conversation with her we found her bowed down beneath the weight of a sorrow from which there seemed to be no relief. She said :

"The Lord has laid His hand very heavy upon me. He has taken from me the light of my eyes and the staff of my old age."

And then, in a few words, she told of the death of a son, a promising lad, after an illness of only a few hours, and concluded by saying:

"Oh, if I had only known that he might die, how differently I would have trained him! He received no religious education. I have been so absorbed in gaining the meat that perisheth that I have neglected the more important eternal things. O; if I had only known!"

This experience speaks for itself. We need add but a word of warning to all who have in their hands the training and welfare of young immortal souls. O, see to it, dear friends, that your children are early taught the way of life through Jesus, the only Saviour. Seek first the riches of the kingdom above for yourself and them, and God will provide for the meaner things of this earthly life.

CHILDREN OF LIGHT.

the sun sets, and night falls, it folds up its leaves. But when the morning light comes once more, it opens up its bosom to its sweet soft touch. Nor is this all it keeps inclining towards the sun all day, following its course through the sky. And so it is not enough that the light is falling around you. You must open your heart to the light of God's glory in the face of Jesus. You must keep it open. You but in vain. must let the light chase the darkness away. So will you be children of the dawn and children of day.

night. I had read Longfellow about "the cold light very sorry. night. I had toold of stars," and I experienced it then. At last the day began to spring up in the east; and with the first rays of the sun how agreeable was the change! "Truly the light is sweet, and a pleasant thing it is "Truly the light is sweet, and a pleasant thing it is "truly area to behold the sun."

that when the morning rays fell on it they produced a sweet strain of music. Whether it was so or not I statue, which the sunrise wakes into harmony. Joy correth in the morning. With the morning light, thousands of birds make the woods vocal with their like threads of silver; and men go forth to their work question? I knew them all years ago." melody; the sea begins to sparkle; the rivers gleam with new light in their eyes, and new hope in their hearts. This is true of the Sun of Righteousness; when He rises, it is not with light, but with healing under His wings. And the same is true of the childien of light; they carry sweetness and gladness wherever they go. Naaman's home had light in it,-the light of wealth, the light of power, the light of honour; but it wanted the true light,-the light of the knowledge of God. With all its splendour it lacked happiness: Naaman was a leper. In that Syrian home was a captive father. maid. Away from home and kindred, she was not and serve too. One day she spoke to her mistress about a certain cure for her master. There was a man of God in Samaria; no disease was too hard for him; he could heal the leprosy. He had done greater than that ; he could do greater still, At length Naaman set out for Samaria; he saw the man of God; he washed seven times in the Jordan; he came back if he remembered the eleventh commandment." completly cured of the leprosy. And now his Syrian there was warmth. And what brought about this faith, her love, her dutiful service. She was a child clothing for his many children," said Mr. Albertson. another nesting-place, and she went to a part of the of light, and she had warmed and brightened the "I wonder if he saw the tears that filled little Willie's loft where a cat was rearing three kittens. Cat, kit home with her own sunny light and warmth.

Children's Department.

TAKE A DRINK?

TAKE a drink ? No! not I; Reason's taught me better Than to bind my very soul

With a galling fetter. Water, sweet and cool and free, Has no cruel chains for me.

Take a drink? No! not I:

I have seen too many Taking drinks like that of yours,

Stripped of every penny. Water, sweet and cool and clear, Costs me nothing all the year.

Take a drink? No! never; By God's blessing, NEVER Will I touch or taste or smell, Henceforth and forever! Water, sweet and clear and cool,

Makes no man a slave or fool.

THE ELEVENTH COMMANDMENT.

"No, I will not lend you my sled, Willie; I want to use it myself, so you needn't beg any longer," said little Charlie Albertson, as he and Willie Miller were standing on the village hill one winter's afternoon. "If your father is too poor to buy you one," he con-How eagerly the sun-flower turns to the sun ! When tinued, "I can't help that, so move out of the way now, for I want to ride down hill."

The little boy moved away, and watched the flying sled with longing eyes. Charlie was right, though he did not know it. Willie's father could not afford by keeping the new commandment? to buy his son a sled; for it took all his hard-earned money to purchase clothes and food for the many but in vain.

It was a trial for him to see the other boys coasting, and he could not help thinking that Charlie was un I once spent a whole night on the deck of a little kind to refuse him "just one ride." But he brushed Highland steamer in the Crinan canal. It was a long away the tears and ran home, trying not to feel so

house?

In the evening just as Charlie had finished studycannot tell; but the earth is itself a great Memnon's ing the last lesson, his father looked up from a book he had been reading, and asked the little boy if he could say all the commandments.

"Yes, indeed, papa," replied Charlie. "What a

"Very well, repeat them, returned Mr. Albertson. "Charlie commenced and ended the tenth exultantly, without missing one word.

"Go on," said his father, "I want to hear the eleventh."

"The eleventh, papa!" exclaimed the child, "I ever heard of it. here are no more in my B at any rate;" and Charlie brought his little Bible, open at the tweentieth chapter of Exodus.

"Think for yourself, Charlie," said Mr. Albertson, and try to find some way to show your love for poor little Willie.

Charlie thought a long while, and then springing up, clapping his hands, exclaimed, "I know what would be splendid, papa; I will take some of the money that you gave at Christmas, and buy a sled for Willie : wouldn't he be pleased ? "

"That is a capital plan," replied his father, "and to-morrow we will go and select one."

Very early the next morning Mr. Albertson and Charlie started out, and bought the prettiest sled in the village store, and before school commenced, Charlie asked Willie if he would like to try it. The poor boy was delighted, and after having rode down the hill several times, brought the sled back again to Charlie, with many thanks.

"Keep it," said Charlie, so excited that he did not know what to say; "I don't want it; it 's yours; I didn't mean to be so cross."

Willie could not understand what was meant, and it was some time before he could realize that the beautiful sled with a prancing black horse painted on it, was really his own, "to keep for ever and ever," as Charlie said. Then how happy he was, and how happy they both were together, I cannot begin to tell my little reader.

"I mean to write the eleventh commandment in large letters and hang it in my room," said Charlie. after he had told his father how happy the sled had

made Willie. "Wouldn't that be a good plan, papa?" "Yes, my darling," said Mr. Albertson; "but do not forget to ask God to write it on your heart as well, and give you strength to keep it always."

"Yes, indeed, I will ask Jesus to help me," said Charlie, "for I never could keep it all alone."

Now I wonder what the little boy is going to do who has just finished this story. Will he lay the paper aside, and torget the beautiful new commandment Christ has given him, or will he not rather think of the great love Jesus showed for him, when dying on the cross that he might live, and pray God

A SONG FOR THE NURSERY.

WHIRE do all the daises go?

I know, I know!

Underneath the snow they creep, Nod their little heads and sleep,

In the spring-time out they peep-That is where they go.

Where do all the birdies go ?

I know, I knew! Far away from winter snow, To the fair, warm south they go,

There they stay till daises blow-That is where they go.

Where do all the babies go? I know, I know!

In the glancing firelight warm, Safely sheltered from all harm, Soft they lie on mother's arm-

That is where they go.

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Let us be ever willing to do a good action : we may never be called on to do a great one.

When your spirit is heavy and cast down with der pair, prayer will make it rebound from earth to heaven.

"Suppose God should give us a new commandment wouldn't you call that the eleventh?" asked his pigeon, belongs to me; the other is a dog, and is my

brocher Jim's pet. We had a cat also, but we gave Mr. Albertson then turned to the thirteenth chap- away the cat when I got the pigeon. You see the away from God. Him she loved and served in her captivity; and her master's wife she strove to love the thirty-forth verse.

"A new commandment I give unto you. That ye The dog and pigeon are friends. They do not play love one another as I have loved you, that ye also with each other, but they sometimes feed together. and often the pigeon gets on to the dog's back and love one another," read Charlie.

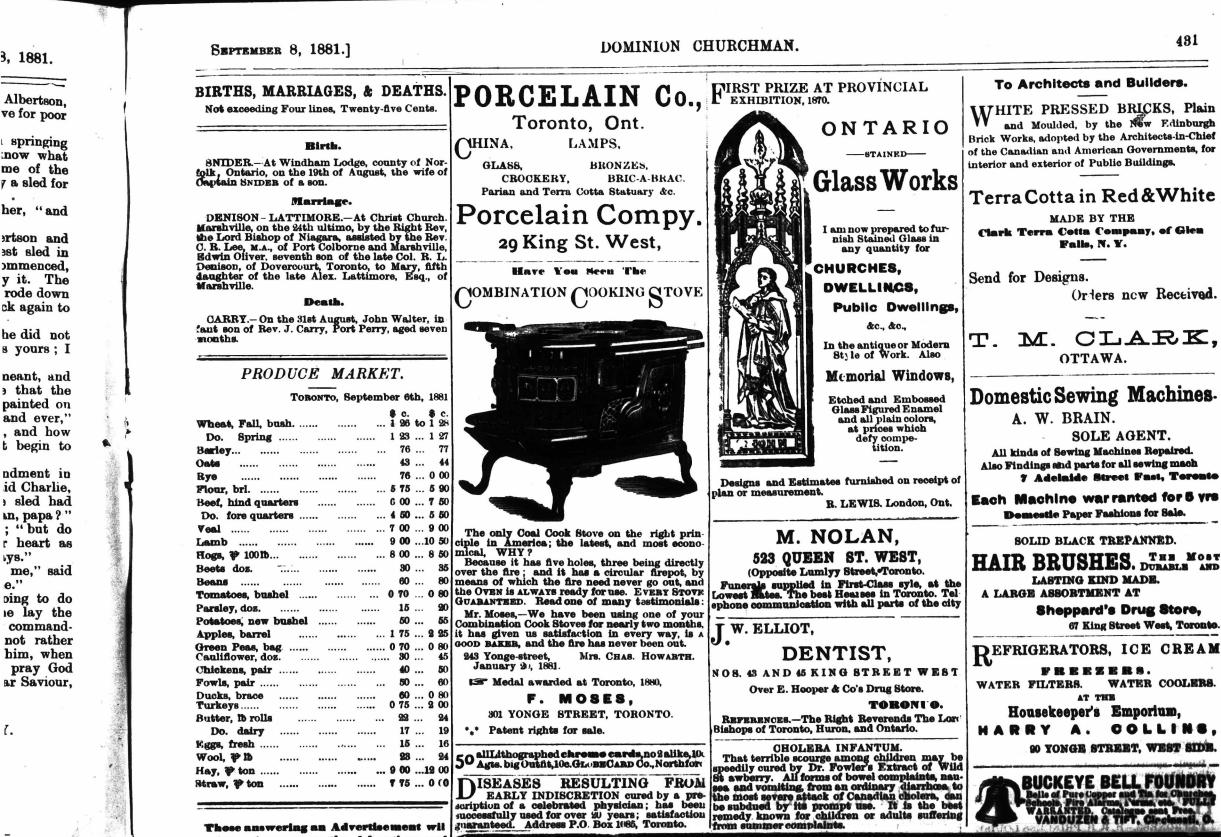
"Now, when I tell you," said his father, "that I sits there until the dog gets restless.-MARY W. passed through the woods on the hill this afternoon, Mary W, must not suppose that all cats would do I guess my little boy will know why I wanted to hear as she was afraid hers would when the pigeon was brought home. In his "History of Birds," Dr. Stanley

completly cured of the leprosy. And now his Syrian home was bright and happy; it had the light and knowledge of the true God. There was not only light, there was warmth. And what brought about this there was warmth. And what brought about this "I wonder if my little son knows how hard Mr. destroyed her eggs or devoured her young ones. great change? It was the little captive maid—her Miller has to work in order to buy even bread and These losses caused the pigeon at length to select

eyes as he turned away from the hill this afternoon. tens, and pigeon agreed splendidly. The fed from If my little boy had seen how sadly the poor child the same dish, and when Pussy took a ramble the looked, I do not think he could have enjoyed even piggeon was sure to be hovering near her. The pigeon's new nest was close to the straw bed of the coasting afterwards."

"And I 'm sure I didn't enjoy it at all, papa," cat, and then she succeeded unmolested by the rats, said Charlie, trying in vain to dry the tears which because protected by the cat, in rearing more than would come, as he thought of Willie, "I am very, one brood. I return for pussy's kindness, the pigeon very sorry that I was so unkind; but what can I do used to attrck one who touched the kittens while the now? mother was away. 📷

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