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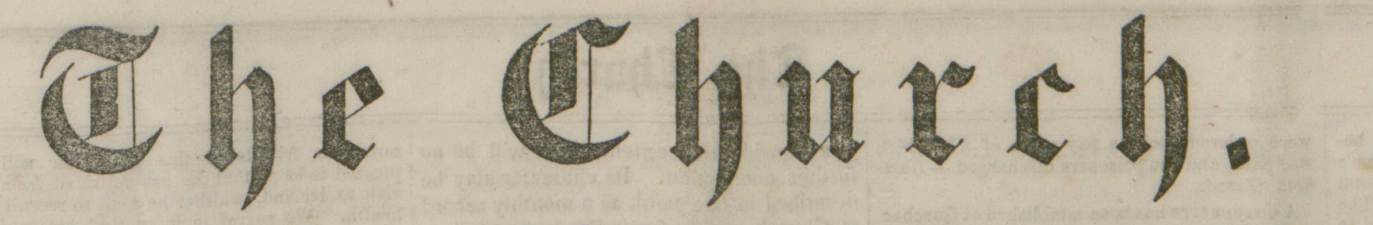
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"Her Foundations are upon the holy hills."

Stand ye in the ways and see, and ask for the Old Paths, where is the good way, and walk therein, and ye shall find rest for your souls."

TORONTO, CANADA, DECEMBER 29, 1853.

Poetry.

DRINK AND AWAY. There is a beautiful rill in Barbary, received into a large basin...

ST. STEPHEN.

With awful dread his murderers shook, As, radiant and serene, The lustre of his dying look...

THE CHURCH BY THE WAYSIDE.

Our readers will remember the Sketch which appeared in our paper some time ago of the Church at Fort Lee, N. Y.

BY LOVE AND KINDNESS.

By love and kindness neither America nor any other nation can expect to get anything out of the Japanese.

Lines

They that sow in tears shall reap in joy. -100th Psalm, v. 5.

A NEW LITURGY.

Mr. Leigh Hunt, a Deist of indifferent reputation, and well-known as the writer of a considerable amount of unread poetry...

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STATE OF FEELING IN JAPAN.

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Ecclesiastical Intelligence.

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as her Trustees or Trustee for the time being, should think fit. The appropriation of the fund has been as follows:—Endowments of £150 per annum each have been wholly or partly provided for the Incumbents of six new parishes, viz:—

Table listing church endowments: For Buntingthorpe, the whole endowment, £5,000; For Burley, the whole endowment, 5,000; For Burnaston, the whole endowment, 5,000; For Pottery Field, in Hunslet, half of the endowment, (the other £2,500 being provided by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners), 2,500; For Brewery Field, in Holbeck, half do., 2,500; For New Wortley, half do. (do.), 2,500.

Ten grants of £400 each have been made (to meet £800 of additional subscriptions in each case) to provide Parsonage-houses for the Incumbents of the following Churches, viz:—Christ Church, St. Mary, to Luke, St. Philip, St. Matthew, All Saints, St. George, Arnlby, Farnley, and Wortley.

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In addition to the above, Mr. Phelps, just previous to his death, placed in the hands of his son \$100,000, the most to be used as the endowment for the spread of the Gospel, and the principal eventually to be invested equally for the benefit of the American Bible Society, the A. B. C. F. M. Society, and the American Foreign Missions.

A BISHOP'S VISITATION IN AMERICA.—The following account was given to Mr. Caswall, a member of the English Deputation, by Dr. Williams, the Bishop of Connecticut, of the course pursued by him in the course of his visitations, and of the Church-feeling in his diocese.

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Colonial.

CLERGY RESERVES.

The fact that this vexed and vexing topic must again agitate the public, cannot be so easily overlooked. The principle of a Clergy Reserve in Canada is to be agreed to, and all we can do is to stand on the defensive, and fight the battle unflinchingly...

Sabbath.

The Secretary of the Sabbath Reformation Society has published the following Circular relative to the Annual Sermon on the observance of the Sabbath. It is so worded as to offend many people who are in the habit of very summarily disposing of all arguments drawn from the Old Testament on the ground that the Jewish dispensation has passed away, should persist in calling the "Lord's Day" the Sabbath. It is called in the New Testament, "The Lord's Day," it is so named on the Statute book, and in the New Testament, or in the writings of the Primitive Christians, the Seventh Day is referred to, and not the First Day of the week:—

Family Reading.

A MOTHER'S PRAYER.

My baby boy, so calmly sleeping, Safe on my breast; Good angels near thee watch and keep, To guard thy rest.

THE LITTLE PILGRIM.

The only youthful inmate of a large old-fashioned house in an ancient town in the very centre of old England, was Maria Walker.

Most people would have expected to find little Maria a dull, unhappy child, it seemed such an ungenial atmosphere for the buoyant spirits of a merry little girl.

Maria, however, was a very happy child, though she durst not make noise anywhere except in her own play-room at the top of the house.

The very first serious difficulty Maria could recollect finding herself in, occurred one day when grandmamma and both aunts were gone out to dinner.

Now, Mrs. Martha had not the slightest intention of being guilty of a breach of trust. But she had bought some fine green tea, and baked a very superior cake, and had asked two ladies maids to drink tea with her.

Anxious to avoid equally the frying pan and the fire, as she said afterwards to Hannah the housemaid, she determined to give Miss Maria the materials wherewith to make a little feast.

Maria was, in general, a very good little girl, and if she had been allowed to have her childish curiosity reasonably gratified, the desire that now filled her whole mind would have had no place there.

she not succeed in getting there by the right path, she would at any rate get there, and when she reached the porter's lodge at the gate of the palace, she would there ask them to take her back to the beginning of the path, which she was sure some of them would do.

Oldtown was a town where fewer changes occurred than in more populous and modern places, and Maria scarcely recollect ever to have heard of any one's leaving it.

The party assembled in the house-keeper's room had just reversed their cups in their saucers, as a signal that they did not wish them replenished, when one of the party requested Mrs. Martha's permission to bestow a piece of bread, thickly buttered, and covered with sugar.

A sharp-featured, vinegar-looking woman now appeared, looking very unlike anything Maria expected to see so near the house of Beaufort.

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But you won't send me there to-night, will you? and the child half cried as she asked the question: 'You'll let me stay and sleep here?'

I suppose nobody ever comes back here that's been through the Valley, continued the child, almost as if thinking aloud.

At this moment the porter arrived to say he was ready, and Mrs. Adams desired him to tell Mrs. Walker that her little Maria was safe, but very tired, and she would either take her home in the morning, or would be very happy to see the ladies, if they liked to come and fetch her.

My young readers will, I am sure, be glad to hear that Maria, who has now little girls of her own, has long since found the true Wicket Gate, and is anxious to show to others the privilege of being permitted to enter it.

Why, miss, as to that, said the man, smiling good-humouredly, 'I hope I be. What did you please to want?'

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