

and singing "Onward, Christian Soldiers."

The procession proceeded up the middle aisle, the King and Queen kneeling beneath the dome.

The King was in his Field-Marshal's uniform, and the Queen wore black lace, touched with purple.

An impressive sermon was delivered by the Bishop of London. A quotation from Ruskin in reference to the Crimean dead brought tears to the eyes of many. Lord Roberts, General Buller, members of the Ministry, and many legislators were present.

Cardinal Vaughan, preaching at Holyway yesterday, and Dr. Parker, at the City Temple, referred gratefully and touchingly to the noble services the colonies have rendered in the war.

Thanksgiving services were held in many Anglican churches in Cape Colony. Thanksgiving services were also held in the churches and chapels throughout Great Britain, and at the Embassies abroad. Many Americans attended the services on the Continent.

NEW ZEALANDERS IN SOUTH AFRICA.

The Governor has received the following message from the Casualty Department, Capetown: Death from pneumonia, at Newcastle, Corporal Fogarty; dangerously ill at Wakkerstroom, Patrick Lee and William Grant, from injuries received; at Newcastle, Sergeant T. Turnbull and D. Baker, both enteric fever.

The Government have received advice that Lieut. Robb McKeich (of Lawrence, Otago) was killed near Vereeniging on the 4th of June, and Lieut. Henry Rayne, of Roslyn, was slightly wounded in the thigh. Both were of the Ninth Contingent.

Reported dangerously ill at Elandsfontein: Trooper George Atkins, of the Eighth Contingent, of enteric.

George Atkins, of Clevedon, Eighth Contingent, is reported dangerously ill from enteric at Elandsfontein.

The Governor has been advised that Private Evans, of Dunedin, is dangerously ill of enteric at Pretoria.

The Acting-Premier is advised as follows from Capetown:

Patrick Lee, of Woodlands, Southland, has had his right leg amputated at the Potchefstroom Hospital, owing to injuries received in a railway accident. He is doing well.

Lance-Corporal C. E. Walker, and Stanton, Dunedin, are convalescent. John McKay, of Riverton, is doing well at Harrismith. Collins, of Ashburton, has left for New Zealand. F. J. Chambers, of Woodend, Canterbury, sailed by the Delphic on June 1. J. D. Beasley, Wanganui, is in Capetown, and well. Peddie is in the police, stationed at Botsoburg.

The Acting-Premier has received a cablegram from Major Pilcher, of Capetown, announcing that the New Zealand school teachers arrived safely on the 15th, and are comfortably settled; also that the Director of Education writes: "We are looking forward to great things from co-operation in educational work in the Natal and other camps."

AN IRISH VIEW.

Mr Michael Davitt unveiled a monument at Armagh to the pro-Boer Irishmen who were killed at the Modder River. Subsequently he said the dry would come when England would recognise the wrong she had done in forcing the war on the Boers. The bystanders becoming aggressive, the police interfered to prevent a fight.

KRUGER.

The "Daily Mail" states that Kruger on Saturday ordered the removal of the Transvaal and Orange Free State flags from his villa in Utrecht, and that the municipal and church clocks have ceased to chime the Boer National Hymn, "The Volkslied."

The "Standard" says that Kuyper, the Netherlands Premier, insists on Kruger swearing allegiance to King Edward, like Botha and De Wet.

[This message, taken in conjunction with yesterday's cablegram stating that Kruger had ordered the Transvaal and Orange Free State colours over his villa at Utrecht to be hauled down (no doubt under pressure), shows that the Netherlands Government has at last resolved to

withdraw its sympathy from the ex-President and his party]. A cablegram on June 4 stated that there was much speculation over the presence at The Hague of Sir Conyngham Greene and Lord Reay, two Ambassadors high in the British Diplomatic Service. The object of their mission and its fruits are now apparent.]

RETURNING TROOPERS.

The following is a list of the names of the returned troopers by the s.s. Zealandia, which arrived in Auckland from Sydney last week:—C. H. Madden, Auckland; K. G. Malcolmson, Auckland; Wm. McKenzie, Auckland; John Minn, Auckland; C. Little, Auckland; R. Lettis, Auckland; D. McDonald, Devonport, Auckland; W. Sullivan, Thames; W. A. Choate, Thames; W. B. Willis, Ashburton; D. Buckley, Glenborne; A. E. McNarn, Ngakawau, Westport; S. Gilbert, Christchurch; C. H. Bouker, Timaru; Quartermaster-Sergeant A. Leadingham, Mahino, Otago; C. F. M. Minnie, Temuka; Sgt. G. Langford, Geraldine, Canterbury; W. Ross, Rangiora, Canterbury; R. M. Henderson, Christchurch; W. Andrews, Timaru; S. J. Sell, Roslyn, Dunedin; W. G. Lammis, Richmond, Nelson; W. A. Hay, Marerass Flat, Otago; R. Mann, Lyttelton; F. C. Chittock, Tapanui, Otago; R. Grooby, Motueka, Nelson; T. J. Frame, Addington, Canterbury; T. Williams, Ashburton; W. G. Knowles, Motueka, Nelson; Sgt. T. Hawke, Featherston; H. Rees, Westport; A. Hoare, Dunedin; J. Wakeley, Wellington; C. Dashwood, Geraldine; P. Pirini, Wellington; H. G. Jollins, Long Beach, Ashburton; Sgt. G. Coleman, Wellington; D. R. Reveille, Ashburton; N. Flower, Nelson; Ernest A. Wall, Guyton-street, Wanganui; James Scott, Ohapi Creek, Temuka; Frances J. Lawrence, Christchurch; Archibald Benton, Wellington; William Rippengate, Temuka; John Rippengate, Temuka; J. B. Rippengate, Temuka; A. E. Urwin, Wellington; C. Johnson, Taitville, Wellington; E. G. Thomas, Canvas Town, Marlborough; R. A. Garry, Dunedin; H. J. Heley, Wellington; C. T. Flygso, Palmerston North; C. Engsmom, Pahiatua, Wellington; John Ross, Wellington; P. Onyon, Wellington; E. Quill, Rangiora, Canterbury; T. G. Waller, Lower Hut, Wellington; R. S. Taylor, Kaikoura, Dunedin; C. H. Taylor, Kaikoura, Dunedin; G. A. Fraser, Wellington; E. Smith, Balclutha, Otago; T. Crawford, Waimate, Canterbury; T. Kidd, Omatu, New Plymouth; T. Costello, Grey-mouth; C. Buchanan, Wellington; L. W. Blundell, Wellington; C. L. Banks, Timaru; C. J. Blathwayt, Woodend, Canterbury; T. H. Atkins, Levin, Wellington; E. L. Richards, Shannon, Wellington.

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The Primate's Resignation.

Reference to the resignation of the Primate was made in several of the Auckland churches last Sunday. At St. Mary's Cathedral the vicar, Rev. Canon MacMurray, said the present was not the time for lengthy reference to the work of Dr. Cowie as Bishop and Primate of the diocese, but he felt that he was only expressing the feelings of the members of St. Mary's congregation, amongst whom the Bishop had lived for over a generation, when he said that general and profound sympathy would be felt for him and for Mrs Cowie in this their time of trouble. He asked the congregation to remember both Dr. and Mrs Cowie in their prayers. At the Church of the Epiphany the Rev. W. E. Lush spoke of the resignation of Bishop Cowie, and commended the appointment of his successor to the people as a matter of earnest prayer. At St. Mark's the Rev. W. Beatty said that although it was known that His Lordship was seriously indisposed the news of his resignation came as a painful shock. It would, to his mind, be unbecoming to speak of the qualities or the works of one who might be fast nearing the valley of the shadow of death, but they could not forget that he was their Bishop, that he had ministered to them in holy things for nearly 33 years, that he had identified himself intensely not only with the diocese, but with the province and city of Auckland, and that in his weakness and affliction, in the heavy sorrow and depressions which were apt to accompany the giving up of a life work, he deserved their respectful and filial sympathy, and needed their earnest prayers. At the meeting of the Council of the Auckland Provincial C.E. Union in the Tabernacle, the following resolution was agreed to: "That this Council of the Auckland Provincial C.E. Union desires respectfully to tender its heartfelt sympathy with His Lordship the Primate in his severe affliction, and prays that with God's blessing he may be restored speedily to health."

In presenting the certificates won by students of the Eram School of Art at the recent South Kensington science and art examination, the Mayor (Mr Alfred Kidd), in the course of a few remarks, referred to the operations of the school since it was first founded by a bequest of Dr. J. E. Eram, of Tamaki, in 1889, and opened in rooms given by the Auckland City Council one year later. The school then met four days a week, with an average attendance of about eight at each class. Now there are 15 classes per week, having an average attendance of about 35. The successes achieved by the school at the annual Government examinations had attracted the attention of the Education Department, who thereupon included it in the institutions to be subsidised by the Government under the Manual and Technical Instruction Act of 1900. Since the Government expressed the wish that evening classes should be established, and promised substantial assistance, these classes were commenced in the early part of the present year. The evening classes have been held five nights a week, the attendance averaging from 40 to 50 per night. A large number of former students are now qualified teachers, and a few have made names for themselves in other branches of art work. No less than 24 certificates in various art subjects have been gained by students from the Science and Art Department, London, within the past four years. The school had been founded over twelve years ago, as a result of a bequest left by Dr. Eram, and during that time, he thought everyone would admit, it has done a lot of good and useful work. The attendance had largely increased since the Government had requested that evening classes be held. He said no better selection could have been made than that when Mr Payton was given charge of the school. From what Mr Payton had told him, and from what he had seen, the speaker was sure that he (Mr Payton) was well pleased with the work done during the past year. He sincerely hoped that the good work that had been done during the past year would be continued during the coming year, and even surpassed. It gave him satisfaction to know that so many students were successful in the examination.

Mrs Stephenson-Wrack, in proposing a vote of thanks to Mr Payton, said she could speak with a certain amount of confidence of the good work being done by Mr Payton. She was sure every parent who had children at the classes must feel exceedingly grateful to him.

Mr Payton suitably responded. He referred to the number of certificates gained, and said that the number was not as good as in previous years, because many of the students had been in the school for the past four years and had already passed in all the subjects they wished.

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