

for apparently, the present was all in all to him, accompanied by a regretful spirit, as regards the past. It was an amusing letter, well written, but it lacked substance, when finished it left a void, a desire unsatisfied remained. One thing I gather from them is, though far from them yet am I present some times on their thoughts.

March 25. Sunday, fine, S. E. & W. by very hot and oppressive, to ch. & sch. as usual, text P. m. Psalm 139 & 17200. on Gods manifold mercies & loving kindness to us. Library Sunday also, & all the lady teachers absent P. m. but we managed well.

Confirmation held by the Lord Bishop (Harper) of Exeter at St Michaels about 0.15 took upon themselves the responsible words, before taken by others for them may they have strength from above to help them to keep them.

To St Johns in the evening, text from Micah, "what shall I do to please my God, showing that we must give ourselves to God, we ourselves must be the sacrifice, nothing else will do."

For a walk accompanied by my beloved & Miss Pope round the Domain after ch. & we heartily enjoyed

the walk, back to Mr Mollet's. (lovely calm moonlight night). Spent a happy evening.

March 26. Monday. fine. V. E. Trade fair, sitting out & clearing up the place, to Mr Poggi's in the evening & paid my rent.

March 27. Tuesday. fine. S. W. Trade fair, to Mrs Brown's Ser. in the evening.

March 28. Wednesday, fine, S. W. Trade visit to Miss Frestons wedding, Married also an elderly venerable Archdeacon of Exeter, at St Michaels ch. Mr E Freston to Miss Phoebe Lewis. both of that Parish, my beloved was bridesmaid. Mr Fount (Freston's cousin) groomsman, to Mr Woods vicar, to breakfast; when a very nice repast was laid before the guests, & hearty gutters was done to the viands, after which the usual toast on such occasions, when given I responded to when we went for a walk round about the grounds, & spent a few hours very pleasantly. The Bride & Bridegroom left at 3 P. m. we that is, Mr Brown saw Miss Brown the groomsman & my beloved left at 4 P. m. then I'm, to Mr Brown to sea, on to see Miss Barker & Cole in the evening.