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These remarks are occasioned by a perusal of three columns of matter in Mr. Mackintosh's paper, the *Anglican Church Chronicle* for September, written especially for the enlightenment of readers across the water. Again and again, new surprises in the course of this remarkable discussion, brought back to the mind of the writer a line that he learnt more than fifty years ago about a man whose habit it was

Spargere voces Ambiguae,

to scatter ambiguous expressions, assertions, that is, which without committing him to definite statements, would leave particular impressions on the mind of the reader. This is precisely the character of the article in question. Statements, just dropped by the way, as *obiter dicta*, in the course of the article, can hardly fail to have led persons who have no means of making further inquiry to adopt the following conclusions:

1. That the existence of a dual organization in the Cathedral is not in the least detrimental to the cause of religion, nor is a hindrance to the advancement of the Church.
 2. That the amount of the Cathedral Loan not yet paid off is so trivial, as not to be worth consideration.
 3. That the Cathedral was erected mainly with the money of the Second Congregation.
 4. That the funds supplied from England for the support of the Cathedral proper have all along been larger than the income of the Second Congregation.
2. Leaving for the present the first of these points and passing on to the second, the article has the following remark about the amount of the Cathedral Loan not yet paid off:—"The only debt is a few dollars on the Cathedral Building, which, with a little judicious application, could have been wiped out years ago." The word "few" is a singularly ambiguous word, possessing considerable elasticity according to the relation in which it is used. But it may be doubted if in the whole range of literature another example can be found of its use to characterize a number that requires four figures for its expression. The few dollars are two thousand two hundred and seventy eight!

The statement of the triviality of the debt is accompanied with a passing censure for the neglect of "judicious application" that could have wiped it out years ago. But not a word is said of the amount that has been paid off, nor by whose application. These figures are interesting and throw light on the next item. At the date of entering the Cathedral there was a debt to be paid amounting to \$8,592.83, which made it necessary to negotiate a loan of \$7,180 now reduced to \$2,278.00. The contributions by which this has been effected have come in as follows:

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