

When you have time I am sure you
will find them interesting.

The Precentor believes that if you take up
the matter you can convince the Board
to make the alterations. I am sure
the Rector's Professor, St. Bernard & the
Precentor would all be in favour of the change
as it w^d be at least one step towards
having Choir & Organ in their proper place

We hold our practices every Saturday
at 12:0 & the Organ Console in the Choir
would be a great convenience.

I think the picture will show that the
Console w^d only take up space of a large
Harmonium.

Believe me

Yours faithfully -

Charles Marchant.

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Dear Professor Fitzgerald

I have interested the Precentor
(Dr Mahaffy) very much in my account
of Worcester Cathedral Hope-Jones
electronic Organ which I went specially
to see when in England last July.
He agrees with me that our Services
in College Chapel will never be what they
ought to be until the Precentor, Organist
& Choir are more in touch with one another
- in other words, till the Organ is brought

down into the body of the Chapel.

By ~~the~~ electric action you know that the Console or Keyboard which Hope-Jones puts on castors, can be moved anywhere, while the organ itself ^{can} remain where it is. I saw a similar case at London at St. George's Church Hanover Square. — The organ is in the West End gallery & Keyboard in East or Chancel end.

Our organ in Chapel requires re-modelling, & if these radical changes were made now, it would not necessitate

any further alteration should the Board at some future time decide to move the Choir up to Chancel end, — all that is required is length of cable to bring the Console anywhere.

Mr Hope-Jones is a master of this branch of Science as applied to organ building.

I am no electrician myself, but when this agent is applied between Key & pipe I can speak with confidence as to its success.

The Dean of St. Patrick's spent some hours at Worcester Organ & he was both astonished & delighted with the work.

I have left some papers on the subject at the Engineering School, & sh^d be so much obliged if you would look over them