

on a different basis from that they have heretofore stood in Burmah.

The North Church Treasurer's Report was read, showing \$65 82 received during the year for this object.

The Secretary and Treasurer's Report of the Granville Street Society, was also read, showing a receipt of \$72 84 for the objects of the Society.

The Secretary and Treasurer's Reports of the N. S. Central Board was also read, by the Secretary. These documents may be found on another page of our present issue, and will be read with interest by the members of the Societies throughout the provinces.

The first resolution was moved by Rev. John Miller, as follows:

That the employment of Christian women as Missionaries to heathen women and children may be regarded as a revival of primitive Christianity, and a means eminently adapted for usefulness at all times and in all lands, especially in eastern countries at the present time.

Mr. Miller referred to the fact that women had occupied prominent positions in Old Testament times, and many are mentioned as ministering to our Lord, and in Apostolic days, they had been helpers of the apostles.

Rev. J. K. Smith seconded the resolution, and in doing so spoke of the blessings arising from christian people associating together for the promotion of the interests of Christ's kingdom.

Rev. Joseph Elliott moved the following:

That the Divine favor and blessing which have attended our efforts in the just call for gratitude to God, and a continuance in, and increase of, labor and prayer on behalf of the heathen in the future.

Mr. Elliott noticed the early missionary labors of the Baptists in England, and the trials they had endured in starting what met with so much opposition, and what then appeared so unpromising a work.

The chairman expressed the pleasure he felt in having the pastor of the Amherst Church—Rev. D. A. Steele, present, as he had known Miss Norris so well, having been privileged to baptize her and welcome her into the Church of Christ.

Mr. Steele showed the beneficial influence that had attended the Women's Missionary Aid Societies in the churches with which he was acquainted. He said the Missionary labors of Miss Norris did not commence when she went to Burmah. At home, and wherever she was she had been seeking out those she could benefit, by leading to them and teaching them to read.

Rev. John Read said if it were not so late he would have been glad to

speak more at length on the interesting subject before the meeting. He belonged to a branch of the church that made no distinctions in sex, but recognized the manifestations of the Spirit's power wherever they were seen.

Anthems from the 26th, 55th, 93rd, and 150th Psalms, were very efficiently rendered by the choir at intervals during the meeting, making it a most enjoyable occasion. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. H. Morrow.

Notices, &c.

OUR FOREIGN MISSIONS.

To the Editor of the Christian Messenger.

DEAR BROTHER,— Again I come to the columns of the esteemed Messenger, asking you to give notice of the following sums received for the Foreign Missions, &c.

Table listing contributions to foreign missions from various individuals and churches, including names like J. J. Bostwick, St. John, N. B., and amounts such as \$4.00, \$8.00, \$3.43, etc.

Also from A. T. Baker, Esq., of monies in his hands \$150.

Z. G. GABEL, Treasurer F. M. B.

RECEIVED FROM WOMAN'S MISSION AID SOCIETIES.

Table listing contributions from Women's Mission Aid Societies, including Aylesford, Port Hastings, Berwick, North River, P. E. I., Warren, and Margarets Bay.

M. R. SELDEN, Sec'y. January 28th, 1873.

NEW SOCIETY.

Dear Mrs. Selden,—

It devolves upon me to inform you that a Woman's Mission Aid Society is in operation in connection with Temple Church.

Since our organization on the 10th of July, N. S. 1872, our membership has increased from fourteen to thirty-three.

We wish to assure our sister Norris and Dewelle that they have our sympathy and prayers, and we hope that as soon as our Independent Mission is established means shall be provided for sending out other sisters, who are now waiting to devote their lives to the sacred work of gospel teaching, among the women of heathen lands.

I send a cheque for \$35.00, as our present contribution; \$7.25 of it has been given by the Young Ladies Sewing Circle.

It is the wish of the Society that if not required in helping to carry on the work now in hand, what we send may be a beginning towards the support of another sister in the new field, when it shall be considered expedient to send her.

We invite the churches that have not already formed societies to do so, and unite their contributions with ours for this object.

May the year upon which we have just entered be one of great progress in all our Missionary work.

E. C. MERRAY, Sec'y. Yarmouth, 7th, 1873.

AYLESFORD, Jan. 18, 1873.

Mrs. M. R. SELDEN, Sec'y Central Board

Dear Sister,—

I herewith remit to you, from the Woman's Missionary Aid Society of Lower Aylesford and Upper Wilnot, the sum of \$20 00.

Yours very truly, Mrs. RUBEN BAKER, Treas.

\*Of this sum \$100 were contributed by Mrs. William Stephenson, of Melvern Square, towards the support of sisters DeWolfe and Norris, the proceeds in part of Mission Apple tree. The balance, \$20.00, she wishes forwarded, by Mrs. Selden, for the French Mission.

C. TYPEN.

The New Baptist Meeting House in Barrington will be dedicated to the worship of God, (D. V.) on Sabbath the 9th Feb. Ministers and other friends are respectfully invited to attend.

Arrangements are contemplated for a Tea Meeting on the previous Thursday evening. Any aid rendered towards this Tea, will be very thankfully received. Proceeds to liquidate the debt on the House. W. H. RICHAN.

Barrington, Jan 22nd. If Thursday should be stormy the Tea-meeting will be on Friday evening.

ACADIA ATHENÆUM.

The next lecture of the course before the Acadia Athenæum, will be delivered by R. G. Hathburn, Esq., in the vestry of the Baptist Church, Wolfville, next Friday evening, Jan. 31st., commencing at 7 1/2 o'clock. Subject:— "United European national policy."

S. McC. BLACK, Cor. Sec'y. January 24th, 1873.

ERRATUM.—In Christian Messenger, Jan 15th, "Exposition," paragraph 5th, for "punish" read, "pardon;" paragraph 8th for "more usual" read, "more unusual."

BAPTIST QUARTERLY MEETING.

The Quarterly Meeting proposed some time since, to be composed of the Baptist Ministers and churches in the Counties of Annapolis, Kings, and Hants, will hold its First Session, (D. V.) at Billtown, commencing, Tuesday Feb. 4th, at 2 P.M. As it will be an important meeting in many respects, brethren are requested to give attendance, if possible. It is expected that a Constitution will be presented for adoption; that Revs. Geo. Armstrong and D. M. Welton will contribute each a valuable paper and that there will be an interesting meeting on Tuesday evening in behalf of Home Missions.

S. B. KEMPTON. Canard, Jan. 16, 1873.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

Rev. Jas. Meadows, \$9 50. A McDonald, (2), 1 sub, \$6 00 and \$8.00. C. Just, Esq. John H. Haley, \$10, for Rome. Wm. John, \$2 20. W. Churchhill, \$20 Rev. S. W. Sprague, Rev. D. M. Welton, Geo. Westover, \$2 N. A. Dimock, \$2; G. V. Rand, 2 subs Rev. Isa. Wallace, 2 subs. R. Downing, \$2—(\$3 for Foreign Missions). Rev. Dr. Tupper, \$5 50. J. Kennedy, \$2 Rev. J. M. Parker, M. E. Marshall, \$4. W. E. West, \$4. Z. G. Gabel, Esq., \$10. R. W. Chipman, J. L. Fulton, \$2. 1 McNayr, Esq., \$2 - Rev. D. W. C. Dimock, A. M. VanNorden, 1 sub. G. Ballentine Dr. J. Woodbury, \$2. Chas. Hall, Esq., \$5. D. F. Higgins, (\$2 50 U. S.) \$2 25. W. Chipman, Esq., yes \$2. all correct. M. Kinsman Esq., \$4. H. B. Shaffner, 1 sub. Cyrus Parry, \$2 Rev. D. M. Welton, J. B. McNair, Esq., \$4. Z. G. Gabel, Esq. Chas. Eaton, Esq., \$4—\$2 pd. to P. M. Rev. P. F. Murray, J. Desbriay, Esq., \$7. W. F. Cutten, Esq. A. W. Christopher, \$2 M. Kinsman, \$2. E. B. Habley, \$2 &c. Rev. A. Chipman, \$1 80, (\$4 20 for Rome \$3 00 for Foreign Missions. D. Nelson N. E. Davison, W. B. Ingraham, \$2 25. J. D. Masters, (2) \$10.00 & \$9 00 H. E. Payson, Esq., \$12 50 and \$7 for Rome

Marriages.

At Port William, Annapolis Co., on the 25th of Dec., 1872, by the Rev. L. B. Gates, apt. Elias Brinton, to Miss Ruthena, second daughter of Capt. Charles Brinton.

By the same at the same place, on the 6th of Jan., 1873, Mr. Clarke Spinoey, of Aylesford, to Miss Orinda Stocomb, of Mount Hndley.

By the same at the same place, on the 9th of Jan., 1873, Mr. Alfred Sabeau, to Miss Sabra Sbeau.

By Rev. D. Freeman, Canniz, Jan. 21st 1873, Mr. James H. Hugel, to Miss Ellen Saffie, d. both of Cornwallis.

At the Prince Street Baptist Church, Truro, 21st inst. by the Rev. D. W. C. Dimock, A. M., assisted by Rev. Dr. McCulloch, Oliver Cummings, of the firm of Wm. Cummings & Son, to Alice S. H. DeLaney, daughter of the first named clergyman.—(St. J. hu papers please copy.)

On the 20th inst., at Herrin Cove, by the Rev. J. Breeding, Jane Darrach, to John Brown.

At Eastern Passage, on the 23rd Inst., by Rev. J. B. Richardson, Mr. Alex. Giles, of Cole Harbor, to Miss Catherine Wentzell, of Eastern Passage.

On Tuesday, Jan. 21st, by the Rev. Canon Cochran, David S. Papp to Sarah C. Whitman, daughter of the late Captain John Whitman, of Salmon River.

On the 22nd inst., by the Rev. John E. Goacher, at the residence of the brides father Mr. David McDonald, Telegraph Operator, to Georgia, second daughter of James F. Burnham, Esq., of Her Majesty Customs.

At Yarmouth, on Sunday, Jan. 20th inst., at the residence of Dr. J. M. Herrick, (U. S. and States Consul), by the Rev. Dr. Day, Asa D. Crossell, Esq. merchant of Barrington, and Miss Ruth Wood, of Yarmouth.

At Hampton, Dec. 31st 1872, by Rev. Geo. Armstrong, Mr. George Byron Brown, and Miss Elizabeth Russell, both of Hampton, Annapolis Co.

By the same, at Grandville, Jan. 22nd, 1873, Mr. Arthur Smithson Burns, of Clementswood, and Miss Charlotte Campbell Withers, daughter of Mr. Walter Withers, Grandville, Annapolis Co.

By the same, on the same day at Clarence, Annapolis Co., Mr. Judson Strong, and Miss Harriet H. Brown, daughter of Mr. Thomas Brown, of Clarence.

On the 22nd inst., by the Rev. Joseph Murray, M. A., Mr. Alonso A. Douge, of New Minas, to Miss Harriet A. Holmes, of Hantsport.

On the 22nd of January, by the Rev. M. Norman-Lay, Mr. Samuel McCormack, of S. univerville, to Miss Mary Tooker, daughter of Capt. Thomas Tooker, of Westmout, Digby Co.

Deaths.

At Dartmouth, Jan. 22nd, Florence May, sixth daughter of William and Frances Morton, aged 4 years and 9 months.

At the Provincial and City Hospital, Jan. 22nd, Margaret Owen, aged 71 years.

At Tatamagouche on Thursday 9th inst., Mary, widow of the late Dr. Upham, formerly of Truro, in the 89th year of her age.

At Broad Cove, C. B., on the 31st inst. Donald Gillis, in the 30th year of his age.

At the Provincial and City Hospital, Jan. 23rd, James Lowry, (colored) aged 32 years.

On the 23rd inst. Wm. Donovan, a native of Cork, Ireland, aged 57 years.

At Portaupee, on the 19th inst. David Murray, Esq., aged 67 years. His end was peace.

On the 20th inst., Andrew W., eldest son of the late John Hunter, in his 21st year.

At Digby, January 25, W. L. Bent, M. D., aged 74 years.

At Sheet Harbor, on the 10th January, after a short illness, Alexander Fraser, Esq., in the 54th year of his age.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

TUESDAY, Jan. 21st.—Brigt. Mary, Fanning, Demetrius; schrs. Ontario, McAuley, St. John's, P. R.; Tropic Bird, Young, Mahone Bay; Bell Barry, Barry, Chester; Anne & Alice, Barkhouse, do.; Aquos, Fentz, L. Have.

WEDNESDAY, 22nd.—Brigt. Spanish Main, McCulloch, Demarara.

THURSDAY, 23rd.—Stmr. Minnesota, Freeman, Liverpool, G. B.; St. Antelope, (of Windsor) Winters, New York.

FRIDAY, 24th.—Brigt. Crescent, Faulkner, Mayaguez; Annie V. M. Chener, New York; schs. William B. McDonald, Boston; Pontia, Buchanan, Liverpool, N. S.; J. S. Roney, L. L. L.; Ban file, Ryder, Liverpool, N. S.

SATURDAY, 25th.—Schrs. Mary B. Bond, River Bourgeois, C. B.; Eugene, LeBanc do.; Hector, Bonnet do.

SUNDAY, 26th.—No arrivals.

MONDAY, 27th.—Steamer Alpha, Hunter, Bermuda and St. Thomas.

CLEARED.

TUESDAY, Jan. 21st.—Am. steamer Calista Mulhnan, Portland; brigs. Maggie S. Smith, F. W. Indies; Empress, Maton, Kingston, Ja.; schrs. Three B others, Eisenbauer, Mahone Bay; Vegete, Pearl, Ashmatogun, Lunenburg Co.

WEDNESDAY, 22nd.—Brigt. Blackwood, Gaven, Barbadoes; schrs. Paragon, Munro, Cape Casso; Flirt, Keat ng, Guvboro.

THURSDAY, 23rd.—Stmr. Minnesota, Freeman, (from Liverpool, having coaled) New York; brigt. Montrose, Flavin, Porto Rico; schrs. Zebra, Larkin, Little Glace Bay, West Indies; E. A. Wilson, Townsend, Fouchie, G. B.; Lion, Westchester, Mahone Bay; Delia, Conrod, Lunenburg.

FRIDAY, 24th.—Brigt. Levant, Nash, Cuba.

SATURDAY, 25th.—Brigt. P. enter, Boat, St. Jago de Cuba; schr. Cassowary, Pellet, F. W. Indies.

MONDAY, 27th.—Steamer Scandinavian, Al d Portland; Am. steamer Columbia, Multan, do.; barque Monquesh, Wright, Plover; brigt. D. Ia, Bannet, Kingston, Ja.; schrs. G. W. Moore Noel, S. duely; Elizabeth Logan, Sea Harbor; Union Webber, Ship Harbor; Matilda Ann, Publicover, tiet on's Cove; British Tar Evans, Chester; Curlew, Gardner, Liverpool, N. S.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

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A FEW MEETING and FANCY FAIR

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Each individual party of fresh men's will be permitted to sell as many as we hope for a good time, and a good audience to help on a good cause. Amusement 10 cents.

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NOTICE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

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