

Those of our readers who were acquainted with Rev. Dr. Fyfe and his labors, will sympathize with the writer of the following, in regret at his departure, and with our Canadian brethren in the loss of such a valuable man and minister:

Death of Dr. Fyfe.

My Dear Sir,— I deeply regret that I have to inform you of the death of Rev. Dr. Fyfe. His death will be a great loss to our Denomination.

I became acquainted with our deceased brother in 1844, where I found him in temporary charge of the Baptist College at Montreal, the presidency of which I undertook on my arrival from England. I have watched his progress ever since, and have rejoiced in observing the influence which he obtained among the Baptists of Ontario, and the skill which he manifested in moulding their religious institutions, especially in the educational department.

I apprehend that his removal was sudden and unexpected. He did not think that his task was so near its completion. Having succeeded in establishing the Institute on a firm basis, his next effort was to be the creation of an Endowment for its support, to which he looked forward with trusting expectation of success.

Writing to me on the 23rd, ult., he said, "I should like, if God will, to be spared till the school can, at least, be partially endowed. I think it has now such a strong hold upon the Baptists that they will not let it die." No! They will not!

It was not to be, however, in his lifetime. God has taken him, and God will find a successor. There are able men in Ontario to choose from, and our brethren, seeking to know the mind of the Lord, and unitedly supplicating his guidance, will doubtless discern the indications of his will.

Yours truly, J. M. CRAMP.

Wolfville, Sept. 7. 1878.

The nomination of candidates yesterday was a very quiet affair. Active politicians on both sides are hard at work, the results will be made apparent on Tuesday next—polling day.

There was a large meeting of the Government supporters in Temperance Hall on Monday evening, Wm. Ackhurst, Esq., in the chair. The speakers were Alderman M. J. Power, Hon. P. C. Hill, Hon. Senator Power, and Hon. A. G. Jones.

There was also at the same time a crowded meeting of the Opposition Committees in Mason Hall, James Thompson, Esq., Custos, presiding. The speakers were J. J. Bremner, Esq., Dr. Walsh, Hon. Dr. Parker, J. R. Lithgow and Capt. O'Brien.

Zell's Encyclopedia and Universal Dictionary, contains History, Biography, Geography, Science, Arts and Language. No. 56 comes down to "Spectacles." The articles are full of information and well written making a valuable library in itself.

Notices.

HOME MISSIONS.

At the monthly meeting of the H. M. B. yesterday, interesting reports were read from several of the missionaries, showing that a good work is being done.

Appropriations were made as follows: 1. One hundred dollars to Alberton Cape Wolf &c., P. E. I. to assist them in supporting a pastor from Oct. 1st, to May 1st. The Brethren were advised to call Rev. E. B. Corey to that field.

2. Fifty dollars to Rev. J. A. Gordon, to enable him to give at least one fourth of his labour to Souris, P. E. I., from Sept. 1st to May 1st.

3. Seventy-five dollars were added to grant formerly made to Cow Bay, to enable them to secure the services of Bro. J. C. Spurr.

4. Thirty dollars to assist in supporting Rev. Wallace Lucas on his field of labour at Hammond's Plains and adjacent settlements till May 31st, 1879.

FRENCH MISSION.

As the receipts for this mission have been so small, notwithstanding repeated appeals, the Board requested Brother Normond to visit the churches in the Eastern and Central part of the Province to collect funds for that mission. Bro. N. has expressed his willingness to undertake the work, and we bespeak for him a kind reception and generous donations.

WANTED.

A good man to settle as pastor at

Shelburne, vacant since June, another to settle at New Glasgow, and another for a short mission among the colored people of Tracadie, Guysboro, Co.

A. COBURN, Cor. Sec. Yelbron, Sept. 3rd. 1878.

RECEIVED FOR HOME MISSIONS.

Table listing donations for home missions with names and amounts, totaling 133.72.

J. C. ANDERSON, Treas. H. M. Board.

Yarmouth, Aug. 31st, 1878.

CASH RECEIVED TOWARDS FUND FOR RE-BUILDING ACADIA COLLEGE.

Table listing cash received for Acadia College building fund with names and amounts, totaling 438.80.

A. D. W. BARRS, Treasurer.

Wolfville, Sept. 7th. 1878. (Christian Visitor please copy.)

SALE OF USEFUL AND FANCY ARTICLES.—The ladies of the Baptist Church and congregation in Wolfville, propose to hold a sale of USEFUL AND FANCY ARTICLES in the Fruit Growers Building on Wednesday Oct. 2nd, beginning at 11 o'clock, a. m. Dinner and Tea will be provided.

Contributions may be sent to Mrs. John O. Pineo, Mrs. Sawyer, Mrs. D. F. Higgins, Mrs. DeBlois. Should the weather prove unfavorable the sale will take place the first fine week day following.

Wolfville, Sept. 5. 1878.

PERSONAL.—The Rev. C. B. Welton, A. B. having resigned his charge at Kentville, N. S., and accepted a call to the Hillsborough Church, N. B., desires all letters, papers and communications &c., sent thither from date.—Christian Visitor please copy.

The Baptist Church at Five Islands and Lower Economy will celebrate its fiftieth Anniversary with special services on Sept. 18th to 19th as follows:— Sabbath, Sept. 15th, special sermons. Wednesday evening, 18th, sermon by Rev. J. E. Goucher. Thursday evening, 19th, a Sketch of the history of the Church will be read by the pastor, to be followed by addresses. A cordial invitation is hereby extended to ministers and other friends to visit us at that time. A season of deep interest is expected. That our brethren in the ministry may come in the fulness of the blessing of the gospel of peace is the prayer of the writer.

A. E. INGRAM, Aug. 30th, 1878.

P. S.—These meetings will be held at Lower Economy. A. E. I.

MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE.

The Ministerial Conference of Colchester and Cumberland, will meet D. V. with the Baptist Church in Lower Economy and Five Islands, on Monday 15th Sept. Preaching at 7 1/2. Pastors and Licentiates of the two counties will kindly take notice.

SABBATH SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The annual meeting of the Colchester and Cumberland Counties Baptist Sabbath School Convention will be held in the Baptist meeting house at Lower Economy, Wednesday the 13th inst, commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M. The afternoon session will commence at half past two. There will be a Sabbath School concert, supplemented by addresses in the evening. Interesting and instructive discussions in connection with Sabbath work may be expected. It is very desirable that the forms sent to the Sabbath Schools be returned with the delegates and where no delegates are appointed, the letter will be sent to the secretary to Economy village not later than 17th inst.

A. J. WALKER, Sec'y. Truro, Sept. 7, 1878.

The Sabbath School Convention of the N. S. Central Baptist Association will be held (D. V.) on Thursday, Sept. 19th, at 10 o'clock, a. m., sharp, in Upper Perseus, Cornwallis. All schools within said Association are requested to send their letter and delegates. S. S. workers cordially invited.

J. MURRAY, Sec'y.

Waterville, Kings Co., Aug. 10.

N. B.—There was a slight mistake in my former notice.—19th inst. should have been September 19th. J. M.

Subjects for discussion at the S. S. Convention.—

"How shall we keep our young people in the Sabbath School?"

"Should the teachers be appointed by the church, and necessarily be church members?"

"Relation of pastor to the S. School."

"Present wants of the Sab. School."

"The Sabbath School not a substitute for the House of God."

"First principles of Teaching."

"Individual preparation for Sabbath School Teaching."

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS.—Cumberland Co.—To be a Commissioner for giving relief to Insolvent Debtors &c., Collingwood Pugsley, Esq., of River Hebert.

To be a Justice of the Peace—Hezekiah King, of Port Port Phillip.

To be a Notary and Tabellion Public—Henry W. C. Boak, Esq., Barrister, Halifax.

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Tea Meeting.

THE ladies of the Sewing Circle, assisted by the church and congregation, intend holding a Tea Meeting and Fancy Sale in Gasperaux on Thursday, the 12th September, instant.

To add to the interest of the occasion, vocal and instrumental music will be provided.

Proceeds to be devoted to renovating the church edifice.

Door of the "Tent by the River" open at 2 P. M. Admission 10 cts. Tea 25 cts. Supper 35 cts. Children half price. By order, T. M. MARTIN.

N. B.—Should the weather prove unfavorable the meeting will be held on the first fine day after. Sept. 4.

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April 17.

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Summer Arrangement, 1878

TRAINS leave Halifax:— At 8.50 a. m. (Express) for St. John. At 6.10 p. m., (Express) for Riviere du Loup.

At 8.50 a. m., and 4.40 p. m., for Pictou. WILL ARRIVE:— At 10.40 a. m., (Express) from Riviere du Loup.

At 8 p. m., (Express) from St. John. At 9.15 a. m., (Accommodation) from Truro.

At 3 p. m., (Express) from Pictou. April 25.

WESTERN COUNTIES RAILWAY.

1878--Summer Arrangement--1878

TRAINS LEAVE HALIFAX

7.30 a. m.—(Express daily) for Windsor and Annapolis.

8.00 a. m.—(Passengers and Freight) Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for Windsor and Annapolis.

3.10 p. m.—Accommodation for Windsor daily, and for Kentville, Tuesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays.

WILL ARRIVE:— 10.10 a. m.—Accommodation from Windsor daily: and from Kentville Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

5.10 p. m.—(Passengers and Freight), Tuesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays from Annapolis and Windsor.

8.30 p. m.—(Express daily) from Annapolis and Windsor.

Through tickets at the following fares can be obtained at the North Street Depot, Halifax: St. John 1st class \$5.00, 2nd class \$3.50, return \$7.50. June 5.

WINDSOR & ANNAPOLIS Railway.

Summer Arrangement, Commencing 4th June, 1878.

Miles. GOING WEST.

Table showing train schedule for Windsor & Annapolis Railway going west, including stations like Windsor, Wolfville, Kentville, Wilmot, and Annapolis.

Miles. GOING EAST.

Table showing train schedule for Windsor & Annapolis Railway going east, including stations like St. John, Annapolis, Wilmot, Kentville, Wolfville, and Windsor.

Express Trains run daily. Steamer "Empress" leave St. John every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 a. m. for Annapolis and returns every Tuesday, Thursday Saturday on arrival of Express Train. June 5.

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