

under the pastoral care of former students of the Pastor's College, London. It is stated that after visiting Ottawa and Montreal, he will return to New York, where, on the 9th of October, he will attend the Baptist Social Union and on account of his brothers ill-health will return in the steamer Gallia, on the 16th inst. We much regret that he will not visit Halifax. By sailing from this port he might considerably diminish the length of the sea voyage.

Our brethren in the Upper Provinces are proposing a scheme for consolidating the two Conventions through which they have hitherto been working. They have now the Convention East comprising the churches in the province of Quebec, and the Convention West, embracing the churches in Ontario, and more or less those farther west. The scheme now proposed is as follows:—"Our Home Mission Conventions, East and West, to continue to oversee their work on their respective fields. In order, however, to unite the two Provinces and bring their general work under the control of a single representative body, a Baptist Union of Ontario and Quebec is proposed. This Union is to have power to appoint all the Executive Boards of the various Societies: those of Home Missions, East and West, being nominated at their respective Conventions. All these Boards are to be answerable to the Union, and present a joint report each year to the Union, through its secretary, for discussion, adoption or rejection." It is uncertain as yet what is the exact form it will take, but the plan will be submitted to the Eastern Convention now sitting at Montreal and the Western Convention to meet at St. Catharines on the 15th inst.

Our Methodist Friends have determined on bringing out a New Hymn Book. They have taken 642 hymns from the existing collection. The book will contain 938 hymns. It would seem that they have actually done what John Wesley strongly condemned—they have changed some of his hymns proposing to improve them, at least in length, which he said "they really are not able." They also propose, as soon as practicable, to get out a new Hymn and Tune Book combined, so that there may be more uniformity in the tunes used in their several Churches throughout the Dominion.

ANNIVERSARY LEAVES by Mrs. M. G. Kennedy, American Baptist Publication Society, Philadelphia. Here is fine new collection of pieces for recitation. It comprises Concert Exercises, Holiday Budget Dialogues, Addresses, Miscellaneous and twelve pieces for the Primary Department. Many of the pieces are finely adapted for the purpose they are intended to serve, and will be welcomed to give variety to Sabbath School Concerts. So far as we have been able to examine the book there is just enough of the dramatic in many of the pieces to give them life and variety, and less mixed up with the frivolous and objectionable than we have before seen in such works.

"GOOD COMPANY"—is the continuation of "Sunday Afternoon" in a new volume, under another title. Its new departure has perhaps widened its sphere and given it some more latitude of subjects than its former one on which to cater for the public taste. It comes well up to its title and supplies a number of choice articles to satisfy its different classes of readers. It is published monthly at Springfield, Mass., at \$3.00 a year, postage paid. It will doubtless secure a large patronage.

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Notices.

- RECEIVED FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS. Aug. 25. Donations from various parties, Brookfield, Col. Co., Collected by Miss A. Woodworth. \$ 2 90 Jeddore Church, N. S., per Rev. J. Meadows. 5 00 Beulah Church, Amherst, N. S., per Rev. G. F. Miles. 5 00 Isaac's Harbor Church, N. S., per Rev. A. B. Banks. 6 25 1st Sackville Church, N. B., per John Ford. 2 25 Woodstock Church, N. B. per Rev. A. Calhoun. 11 00 1st Hillboro Church, N. B. per Rev. C. B. Welton. 27 50 2nd Hillboro Church. 3 18

- Truro Church, N. S. per R. Nelson, Treasurer. 18 00 Mrs. C. C. Scott, Truro, N. S. for support of K. B. Mahanty, native preacher, Jeypore. 50 00 Mrs. J. Shaw, Milton, Yarmouth Co. N. S. annual donation, per Rev. G. E. Day. 25 00 Legacy of late Mrs. Sarah Lynde, Truro, N. S. per M. Blair. 400 00 Chelsea Church, N. S. per W. Faulkner Ch. Clerk. 4 00 From Rev. G. F. Miles, half of legacy of late W. Hurd, of Wallace, N. S. 50 00 Donation from Mrs. W. McElhinney, Folly Village, N. S. 1 50 Mrs. Geo. Chisolm, De Bert River N. S., per Rev. M. P. Freeman. 0 50 Donation from Rev. P. F. Murray, Milton, N. S. 5 00 From H. B. Shaffner. 5 00 Per W. Faulkner Truro, for Indian Harbor East Church, N. S. 4 00 1st St. Mary's Church. 2 00 THOS. P. DAVIES, Treas. F. M. B.

RECEIVED FROM WOMEN'S MISSION AID SOCIETIES. Truro—Miss Layton. \$16 00 Collection taken at Missionary Meeting, Truro. 2 13 Falmouth—Miss Young. 5 00 M. R. SELDEN, Sec'y. Halifax, Sept. 30th, 1879.

ANNAPOLIS COUNTY MINISTERIAL AND MISSIONARY CONFERENCE. The next regular meeting of this Conference will be held at Annapolis on Tuesday, Oct. 14, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Each church in the County is requested to send two delegates together with its pastor. A pleasant time is anticipated. W. H. WARREN, Secretary. Bridgetown, Sept. 17, 1879.

REV. STEPHEN MARCH is removing to Bridgewater and requests that correspondence for him be directed there.

Letters Received. R. Creed, \$4. Rev. S. B. Kempton, 1 sub. B. C. Robbins, \$3. Capt. E. Davison, \$20. H. E. Payson, Esq., \$5. E. Chase, \$10. W. M. McVein, \$1. Geo. E. Croscup, \$8.

MAIL CONTRACT.

TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 31st October, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, three times per week each way, between Noel and Walton, under a proposed contract for four years from the 1st January next. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen, and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Noel and Walton, or at the office of the subscriber. CHAS. J. MACDONALD, Post Office Inspector. Post Office Inspector's Office, Halifax, 19th Sept., 1879. Sept. 24.

EX INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

RECEIVED THIS DAY, 30 bxs. Satin Face Starch, 25 " Durham Corn Flour, 25 " Champion Washington Crystal, 20 " Ex Macaroni, 50 " Assorted Pipes, 6 Cases Alkali, 5 " Gillott's Hop Yeast, 1 " Transparent Soap, 2 " Coleman's Mustard, 2 " Keen's do, 1 " Reckett's Blue. -TO ARRIVE- 400 bxs. Soap "London Laundry," 200 " " "Empress Queen," 100 " " "Mayflower," 200 " " "Brown." -FOR SALE AT LOWEST MARKET RATES- "R. N. BECKWITH, Head of Commercial Wharf. July 2.

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A map of the locality, together with plans and specification of the works to be done, can be seen at this office and at the Resident Engineer's Office, at St. Anne, on and after SATURDAY THE 27th DAY OF SEPTEMBER next, at either of which places printed forms of Tender can be obtained.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in the case of firms, except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted Bank cheque for the sum of \$2,000 must accompany the Tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the works, at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted. The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

For the due fulfillment of the contract, satisfactory security will be required by the deposit of money to the amount of FIVE PER CENT. on the bulk sum of the contract; of which sum sent in with the Tender will be considered a part. Ninety per cent only of the progress estimates will be paid until the completion of the work.

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By order, F. BRAUN, Secretary, Department of Railway and Canals, Ottawa, 29th Aug., 1879. Sept. 10. 4 ins.

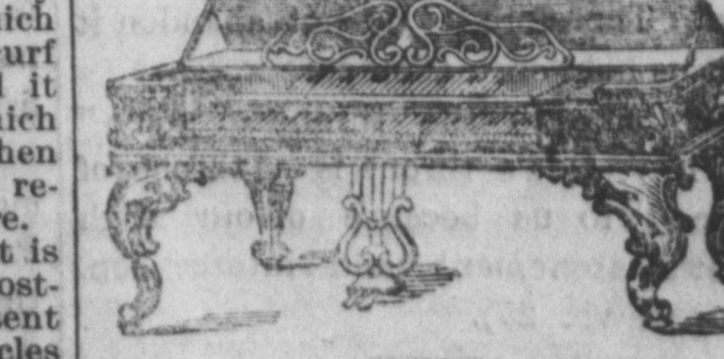
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