

thriving around us. The most pleasant feature of all is SIX YOUNG MEN who have given their hearts to Christ, and are studying every day to fit themselves for hard work in His vineyard.

I do hope some steps will soon be taken towards a Theological Seminary. It is an absolute necessity, and an immediate one. We have the young men ready, we have the people ready to hear them, but they need the armor before they can be "good soldiers of Jesus Christ." Training is as important for a christian soldier as for any other.

Yours very respectfully,
H. M. N. ARMSTRONG.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

Pleasant day at Brookfield.

Sabbath day, 13th June, was perhaps one of the most interesting the brethren at Brookfield ever passed. An immense concourse of people met on the interval owned by Deacon Hamilton to witness the burial with Christ in baptism, by the writer, of ten professed followers of Christ. During the administration of the ordinance the large assembly maintained perfect order, and many remarked the peaceful stillness that prevailed. After the Baptism, a Sermon was preached by the writer in the Brookfield Church on the words, "Can any good thing come out of Nazareth? Come and see!" After which eleven received the right hand of fellowship from the pastor, and a large number of baptized believers remained for the communion. We met again at 4 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of ordaining Brethren Cyra Stevens and Johnson Archibald to the office of Deacon—two of Brother Archibald's children had been baptized in the morning. The ordination services were conducted by the pastor and writer and were very impressive. At the close of the Ordination Service the pastor Rev. R. H. Bishop, led to the front of the pulpit Mrs. Mary Davis of Brookfield, and they were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. Mr. Bishop is beloved by his people, is doing a good work, and we trust that by taking to himself a "better half" from amongst the people of his choice, his usefulness will be proportionately increased. As there were many on Sabbath who could not be provided with seats, it is evident that the church will soon be called upon to enlarge its borders by building a new house wherein to worship God.

EDWIN CLAY.

The Canadian Baptist of last week gives the following items:

MONTREAL.—A very large meeting was recently held in the lecture room of Olivet Baptist Church, for the purpose of giving a public welcome to the Rev. Dr. Clarke, the new pastor of the church. Ministers representing the different denominations were present to extend the hand of christian fellowship and to enjoy an elegant supper provided for them and their wives.

The Rev. A. H. Munro, of the First Baptist Church said: For a long time he had been the only Baptist pastor in the city, and he rejoiced to welcome his brother into the field.

Rev. Dr. Stevenson, bade Dr. Clarke a most hearty God-speed in his new sphere.

Rev. Gavin Lang, of St. Andrew's Church, said that Dr. Clarke would find Montreal a place where there was much work, but many warm hearts.

Rev. G. A. Wells was glad to welcome his brother Dr. Clarke, especially because he had heard that Dr. Clarke preached the plain old Gospel for the salvation of sinners.

Rev. J. McCaul welcomed Dr. Clarke, and would be glad to meet him at the meetings of the Ministerial Association.

Rev. D. V. Lucas, on behalf of the Methodist body, bade a cordial welcome to Dr. Clarke. The city was a difficult field, for superstition was rife, but the mountains of difficulty would be surmounted.

Rev. B. B. Usher was an Episcopalian, but he welcomed his Baptist brother, and would be glad to invite him to his pulpit. When the Baptist congregation left their church building on Beaver Hall, the last thing they did was to hold a prayer-meeting, that God would bless the christian people who should succeed them. This act of christian courtesy had warmed his heart toward the Baptist people.

Rev. Mr. Cameron, of Ottawa delivered an address, referring to the profound impression that some of Dr. Clarke's review articles had made upon him.

Rev. Dr. Clarke, said he had been unspeakably encouraged. He wished to say that his heart had been more and more drawn out of late to preach the pure and simple Gospel, which was

the only thing that could satisfy the underlying wants of mankind. He had been deeply moved by such a reception. He wanted to have a place among the ministers of the city, and it would be his own fault if he had not, after such a welcome.

On Sunday evening Dr. Clarke baptized 10 persons. It was a very impressive service, and the large audience gave close attention to a very interesting sermon on "Who should be baptized."

At GALT, May 9th, pastor W. S. Walker, had the blessed privilege of administering the ordinance of baptism to five believers in Christ. On the 23rd ult., four more followed their Master in his own appointed way.

At PARKHILL.—Last Sunday night Pastor Rogers had the privilege of baptizing five more believers.

At GUELPH.—Pastor Coutts baptized four candidates on Sabbath evening in the presence of a large congregation.

At EVERSLEY.—Our pastor, Rev. Wm. Carey, baptized one a few Sabbaths ago, four were received by letter recently, and two on their experience.

At SUNDERLAND, on Sunday evening Bro. Carey baptized four candidates in the presence of a large congregation.

"REV. I. E. BILL, JUNR., who has been at Caribou, Maine, for the past six years, preached his farewell sermon on the last Sunday in May. The Aroostook Republican notices this as an able one, and adds:—

"When Mr. Bill and family shall have gone, we shall much miss his excellent singing as also that of his very estimable wife, in our Reform Club and other public gatherings. That Mr. Bill and family may ever be the recipients of heaven's choicest blessings, is the wish of many Caribou friends."

REV. S. W. KEIRSTEAD, from Hammond, K. C., writes the Visitor:—

"On the second Sabbath in May, it was my privilege to lead two believers into the baptismal waters and bury them in the likeness of the Master's death." And in French Village, on Sabbath it was my privilege to again visit the baptismal waters and bury in the emblematic grave two willing converts; the day was beautiful and the scene solemn and impressive.

From Cardigan, REV. P. O. REES, writes:—

"It has been my privilege to baptize six into the fellowship of the church in Cardigan since the fourth of June. We have held no special services, but the love of Christ constrained them."

REV. H. FOSHAY baptized two at Sussex on Sabbath in the presence of a large number of persons.

News.

Monday the 21st, was observed by a general cessation of business in the city, and though the day was cloudy and cool, it did not prevent people from enjoying out of door amusements. The boat to Bedford, the Concert at the Gardens, and other amusements were well patronized. At night a welcome shower of rain came down, accompanied by thunder and lightning, the latter striking a house and telegraph post at the north part of the city.

I. O. G. T.—The Grand Lodge of Good Templars will meet in annual session in Halifax, on the 6th of July next. The meetings are to be held in the Halifax Y. M. C. A. Building. The meeting promises to be a successful one. The Grand Secretary in his last circular says that 22 Lodges in all have been added to the list this year.

HOWARD STEWART, Grand Sec'y.

BIG CATCH OF SALMON.—A fisherman, from Scotts Bay, on Monday, sold to Mr. Richard Robinson 25 splendid salmon—all of large size—the biggest, weighing 31 lbs. They were all caught in a seine, at one tide, at Scotts Bay. This man had also a lot of mackerel caught at the same place.

The Wesleyan Conference at Truro, and the Presbyterian Assembly at Montreal, both in session during the past week, have been very pleasant and successful gatherings.

No. 115 GRAFTON ST., HALIFAX, N.S. August 4th, 1879.

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Yours truly,
C. F. F. SCHOPPE.

Notices.

Our Baptist Anniversaries, 1880.

N. S. CENTRAL ASSOCIATION at Windsor, Hants Co., commencing on Saturday, June 26th, at 10 a. m. Sermon by Rev. Joseph Murray, Circular Letter by Rev. S. McC. Black.

N. S. EASTERN ASSOCIATION at Advocate Harbor, Cumberland County, commencing on Saturday July 10th, at 10 a. m. Sermon by Rev. H. Bool, Circular Letter by Rev. D. A. Steele.

N. B. EASTERN ASSOCIATION at 2nd Sackville, Westmoreland Co., on Tuesday July 13th, at 2 p. m. Sermon by Rev. A. B. McDonald, Subject "Regeneration and its outgrowths." Circular Letter by Rev. A. Chipman, Subject, "Baptist Polity and Church Discipline."

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND ASSOCIATION at Tryon on Saturday, July 3rd, at 10 a. m. Sermon by Rev. H. Foshay, Circular Letter by Bro. J. R. Calhoun.

NOTICE.

Persons who expect to attend the session of the Central Baptist Association to be held at Windsor on the 26th to the 29th inst., are requested to send their names to the committee of arrangement as early as possible. Those who travel by W. & A. Railway will be granted a return ticket for one-third first class fare, upon presentation of certificate of attendance.

E. M. KIERSTEAD, For Committee.

NOTICE.

Delegates and other friends who intend travelling by rail to attend the Prince Edward Island Association which meets with the Baptist Church at Tryon on the third day of July next, will please notify the undersigned at least six days previous to that date, stating the time they expect to arrive at County Line Station. Teams will be in waiting for such as comply with the above request.

W. B. HOWATT, Church Clerk.

Tryon, P. E. I. June 7, 1880.

ASSOCIATION AT ADVOCATE HARBOR.

All persons proposing to attend the "Eastern Baptist Association" to be held at Advocate Harbor, July 10th inst., will please inform me immediately; and I will forward "Postals" naming thereon their homes during the session of the Association.

Please be particular in stating numbers; and whether ladies or gentlemen; also number of horses.

It was hoped that arrangements could have been made with the steamboat, by which persons could be taken from Parrsboro' village to Advocate Harbor and back again to Parrsboro. But this cannot be effected. So the best way to come will be by private conveyance.

Any person wishing to come by train will get a reduction of one-half fare over the Parrsboro and Spring Hill Railway. At Parrsboro, Mr. David MacNamara will furnish first-class carriage conveyance to Advocate Harbor on Saturday morning and return the next Tuesday afternoon, a distance of thirty miles each way, for the small sum of three dollars.

Ministers always get over the Inter-colonial for one-half fare. But they must show a Clergyman's certificate, on purchasing a ticket.

I will write to the authorities and, doubtless, an excursion ticket can be secured for one-half fare as on the Parrsboro' and Spring Hill Railroad. I will give notice in time.

J. F. KEMPTON.

Parrsboro.

RECEIVED FOR HOME MISSIONS.

Conventional funds from Rev. Geo. E. Day.....\$161 28
Mrs. S. J. Nealy..... 1 00
Ministerial Conference, Yarm. Co., per Rev. A. Cohoon..... 3 05
Collection by Rev. C. R. Hington..... 2 01
J. C. ANDERSON, Treas. H. M. Board.
Yarmouth, June 17, 1880.

CASH RECEIVED TOWARDS FUND FOR RE-BUILDING ACADIA COLLEGE.

Mrs. Maynard Comings, (?) Beaver River.....\$ 1 00
Albert Gates, Middleton..... 75 00
Jacob Stevens, Forest Glen, Colchester Co..... 1 00
Rev. Dr. Tupper, Aylesford..... 5 00
D. R. and C. F. Eaton, Canard... 244 22
\$326 22

A. D. W. BARNS, Treas.

Wolfville, June 19th, 1880.
(Christian Visitor please copy.)

RECEIVED FROM WOMEN'S MISSION AID SOCIETIES.

Canard—Mrs. B. Kempton.....\$6 00
Donated for the purpose of making Mrs. Henry A. Eaton, of Canard, a Life Member, Mrs. B. Kempton.....25 00
Summersville—Mrs. S. E. Caldwell. 3 00
M. R. SALDEN, Treasurer.
Halifax, June 22nd, 1880.

CONVENTION FUNDS RECEIVED.

Hebron Church, 2nd instalment \$100 00
First Yarmouth Ch., instalment... 65 10
Bridgetown Ch., 2nd instalment. 40 00
Milton Ch., Yarmouth instalment 16 00
A Friend, Argyle..... 1 00

\$216 10

G. E. DAY:

Yarmouth, June 19, 1870.

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Thomas Robinson, Farnham Centre, writes:

"I have been afflicted with Rheumatism for the last ten years, and have tried many remedies without any relief, until I tried "DR. THOMAS' ELECTRIC OIL," for two years, and have had no attack. I would recommend it to all."

See what the medical faculty say: Dr. Beaudoin, Hull, P. Q., says: "I have sold Thomas' Electric Oil for two years and I never sold a medicine which has given more thorough satisfaction. I have used it in my own case on a broken leg and dislocated ankle, with the best results."

A. H. Gregg, Manufacturer of Mowing Machinery, Truemanburg, N. Y., says: "My thumb was caught in a machine and badly injured, being away from home for two days, we were obliged to apply such remedies as I could get, but without relieving the pain. Immediately upon reaching home I applied the Electric Oil, with almost instant relief. I have a large number of men employed, and your Oil has established for itself such a reputation that nearly every one of them keeps it."

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NOTE.—ELECTRIC—Selected and Electricized. April and May. eow.

Marriages.

At Brookfield, Colchester Co., on Sunday, the 13th inst., by Rev. E. Clay, M.D., Rev. Raleigh H. Bishop, to Mrs. Mary Davis, of Brookfield.

At Freeport, May 30th, 1880, by Rev. L. M. Weeks, Mr. J. Wesley Moore, and Mary A. Hersey, both of Freeport.

June 12, 1880, at Freeport, by Rev. L. M. Weeks, Mr. Frank Thurber, and Lucy E. Morrell, both of Freeport.

Deaths.

At Halifax, N. S., on Sunday morning, the 20th day of June, 1880, the Reverend James Cuppage Cochran, D. D., in the 82nd year of his age.

On the 17th inst., Mary, wife of John A. Bell, in the 58th year of her age.

At Pine Grove, Wilnot, on the 5th inst., Ellen Louisa Bayard, fourth daughter of the late E. F. Harding, M. D., Windsor.

On Sabbath morning, Lois A., infant daughter of Rev. A. E. Ingram, Westport, aged 4 weeks.

"So fades the lovely blooming flower,
Frail smiling solace of an hour."

At St. Andrews, Colchester Co., June 2nd, 1880, Harriet E., beloved wife of Jas. D. Pulsifer, aged 35 years, leaving a husband and four children to mourn the loss of an affectionate wife and mother. She calmly passed away, trusting in the Divine Redeemer she had many years professed to love.

On Sunday morning, the 13th inst., at Liscomb Harbor, in the 67th year of her age, Mrs. Catherine McKinlay.



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