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ONARY MEETINGS. Twentynurches report missionary ectings, and other mission-Those meetings are, hose held by the Women's Societies and Y. P. Missionary sermors have reached in forty-five (45) said the future is full of promise.

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he one thing—the all-emg need, to which your Secrefould direct special attention need of a great spiritual re-For many years there has been, in any branch of the man church, revival of great t and power. Zion languishes. eople go astray, and perish.

aring the opening of the tieth Century, many branches raising for christian pur-

Large success is attending endea ours. This body, uny, has not shared in these unngs. Some of the denominano greeting of the new century lest seeking unto God. To this the appointment of a special on of humiliation and prayer is ested. "If my people which alled by my name, will humble uselves, and pray, seek my face, turn from their wicked ways;

JOS. McLEOD,

y one third, at adoption of the report was a practical and stirring speech. poses; many careful consideration of Conferto nearly all . The facts set forth should be three (3) relacts. It is not wisdom to turn from the undesirable features of ing concerning which we have onsibility. The fact that fewer les reported this year than last suggestive. We should devise of reaching the unreported. rejoice in the number converted, should not be satisfied that the ted additions are all that might been expected from the christian of a membership like ours. He te of the need of more ministers, aggested that while the churches for "more labourers" they also w their interest by providing well

hich is about the resident side of christian service. He testly urged greater care of the Sixty-two bserving the greats entrusted to us.

5) churches monthly; by adoption of the report, spoke of the monthly; by twelve (12) changes for the better which have by eight (8) half-yearly; taken place within his recollection. once a year; by fourteen | The reports now are a great improveonally." Forty-five (45) | ment on those of earlier years. Why do not report as to this do we have these reports? They are denominational history. We study them MEETINGS. Ninety-four not only to mark the encouragment report regular prayer- by gains, but to discover the mistakes Of these forty-eight (48) | made, and avoid them. Many things reek meetings; twenty-five | we used to discuss with great heat—as on Sunday; six (6) are the educational question—are settled. thy on Sunday; twenty (20) The fathers, he said, did great work, but there was never inore practical preaching than now. Speaking of difficulties such as are incident to all organized life, he said we know most of our own affairs and are wont to think our struggles greater than any others have. But we have only such as all have; and perhaps if we knew the inside history of other bodies we would complain less. He spoke of the fine lot of young people we have, and

Rev. T. O. Dewitt expressed the my Young People's Societies hope that the young men of today will there immediately after Conference. rted. Seventeen of them be as good and strong as the fathers. rted as having good effect | The fathers were giants in spiritual life. What we need now is spiritual power; Church reports will then be better. We need, also, more system in church business.

Rev. D. Long hoped most careful consideration would be given the report. We must remove many obstacles if we would have the Spirit do his work effectually amongst us and by us. The improvement of conditions depends on us. God will make use of us when we put ourselves and our possessions fully in His hands. Speaking of the unreported churches he said they especially should have attention We need to teach the people to take practical int members- ty-three (33) churches report terest in all departments of our work. spiritual life; nine (9) re- The Aged Ministers' Fund demands

Rev. John Perry said that fifty-eight clusion. The foregoing are years ago, at this place, he attended ets-tabulated and grouped Conference for the first time. Since then the body has made wonderful progress. He rejoiced that his lot had been cast amongst the Free Baptist. Speaking of the young men, he said if they were not better fitted then the pioneers they ought to be ashamed of

Rev. J. B. Daggett, speaking again, said our future depends on our faithination the Conference will fulness. The question is not whether we have made progress, but are we making progress now.

Bro. Vince contrasted an earlier period and the present, showing that in the gathering statistics and in various other ways there had been much improvement. We are doing better financially than ten years ago, yet should do much more. We need a better faith—a faith that does not believe more in a bank account of a 1899 few thousands, than to the providence | Spt. nemies of the Lord laugh at of God. We have much to be thankpotence of His church. "Is ful for, he said. and may well show our gratitude in practical ways.

The report was adopted. Rev. Edwin Crowell M. A. corres-Church of God are marking ponding delegate from the Nova Scotia ent by great undertakings in Conference, was introduced. He expressed his pleasure at being present. He said, "I do not feel like a stranger or a visitor, but as one of yourselves. The Free Baptists of these Provinces are aiming, also, at a great are one fraternity." "We be brethren." tening of spiritual life. Than He never felt this so much as now. Oct 6 We have something to do, and prosthe Church of Christ could be so perity depends on our faithfulness. 1900 gnor so full of promise for His We have not reached the end of our Aug 15 " " Plymouth om. If we would share in usefulness as Free Baptists. He said there must be humble and the F. B. churches in Nova Scotia had had a very good year, though not much progress had been made. In their last Conference the Lord's presence was with them. He spoke of the death of Rev. Wm. Miller, who was a wise counsellor, a will I hear from heaven, and faithful pastor, and, in all departments, forgive their sins, and will heal an earnest worker. They had a missionary in the home field part of last year, and the Conference has anthorized more work of the same kind. They intend to publish a monthly h; the others ed by Rev. J. B. Daggett, who paper. He recognized the unity and the spirituality of the N. B. Conferhoped the report would receive ence, and rejoiced therein, and wished the brethren great prosperity.

A resolution welcoming bro. Crowell, reciprocating his fraternal greetings, and inviting him to a seat in the Conference, was adopted.

Rev. F. C. Hartley, who was the delegate of the N. B. Conference to the last sess on of the N. S. Conference, presented a report.

(The report will appear later.) The following nominating committee was appointed : brethren J. W. Clarke S. J. Perry, F. C. Hartley, T. L. Alexander, G. J. Worden and Wm.

ABOUT MARRIAGE. - Newell Dwight Hillis, in a recent sermon at Plymouth church, Brooklyn, said: "The State will go to the devil soon if men conthe reported those they have. He dealt with tinue to postpone marriage until they finances of the churches, urging are 40, and women only marry when the people need more teaching on they can find husbands able to buy them five donkey loads of dresses. Marry the girl of your choice, even if you have only one room to live in. The State will be the richer for it if

DENOMINATIONAL NEWS.

BLOOMFIELD, YORK Co.-Sunday 30th., ult., his last Sunday in the field, Rev. J. W. Barnes baptised two converts at Blcomfield.

MINISTERS. - Rev. D. Patterson has been called to the Southampton pastorate. He will accept if possible.

Rev. T. S. Vanwart has, we learn, been engaged as pastor of the Stanley. Bloomfield pastorate, and will take charge after Conference.

Rev. J. T. Parsons, was presented with a gold-headed cane by Marysville friends last week. In an address they expressed thei high appreciation of his labours amongst them, and their good wishes for hin and M s Pars ns. Rev. J is. Noble and J B. Daggett cilled at the Intelligencer office last

week, when enrout; to Conference. Ray. F. S. Hardey has accepted a cal to the Frederic on Junction pasterate, and will take up the work

- The Church Missionary Society, England spends \$12,000 a year on its publications. Money spent in the circulation of good and wholesome church literature is well spent and brings sure returns.

NOVA SCOTIA CONFERENCE.

The following reports were presented to the N. S. Conference, and adopted:

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GOVERNMENT BAKING POWDER TEST.

The Royal Baking Powder is an old candidate for favor with the housekeepers of the Dominion. Its patrons will be pleased to know that the recent Government report giving the analyses of baking powders sold in the Dominion show the Royal to be the purest of cream of tartar powder, the most healthful in character, and of greatest leavening strength.

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MARRIAGES.

Foss-Smith -- In this city, on the 4th inst. by Rev. Dr. McLeod, John P. Foss, and Lizzie O. Emith, both of Waterville,

McANESBY-COLPITTS -On the 26th in t. at the Methodist church, Little River, Coverdale, Albert Co. by Rev. C. H. Manaton, Alex J. McAn spy, of Anagance, Kings Co., to Victoria L. Colpitts of Little River, Coverdale, albert Co

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