

only in the lands where the Catholic cannot carry his oath because of their minor-let us have it also throughout and relieve our persecuted brethren from the sufferings they are now oppressed. Let freedom of worship according to conscientious conviction in America, in Spain, in Portugal, in France, in Belgium, in Let us have the bulls con- the burning of heretics re- Let the church of Rome, demands toleration at the hands of the people of England, begin, late, by sweeping away its dogmatic spirit of intolerance, to the death, has persecuted so its inquisitorial tortures. Let the ordinary oath administered to other high functionaries Jesuits printed in our papers how it will bear the light of

to has started an Orthopedic the only one in Canada. It ed entirely to the treatment of e, crippled and deformed. Al- has done beneficent wonders.

Louis Davies is spoken of as succeeded to the vacancy on the Court Bench caused by the of Justice King.

tion presented by the W. C. from a number of prominent for the appointment of Rev. after as Scott Act Inspector in was referred to a committee. he heard of again, or it may

an P. McLeod, of Fredericton, Rev. Dr. McLeod, has received for \$500 from the Canadian Fund as partial compensation gies received by his right eye arying with the Canadian forces in Africa.

PAPACY IS HOSTILE TO CHRIST.

holiness," the Pope, is deter- that the world shall not have ase for ignoring the truth that is in its very nature a prom- the character and teachings of His formal claim to temporal as sovereignty of Italy, sets him in hostility to Christ as if he deny denied Christ and professed ar religion. More so, in fact, he could not do a hundredth much injury to the cause of an avowed enemy as he can professing to represent Christ ing false doctrines in His proclamation, reasserting as it spirit of the Church of Rome Middle Ages, is a warning to all ywhere that the Popes have dioned any part of their ancient ns, but still consider them- empowered as the representa- Christ to govern the world as e church. And, indeed, they andon either of these pre- an "infallible" church can- that it has done wrong or stakes.

the ignorance and superstition ple allowed the Popes to go all length of their desires in their authority in tempora they tyrannized over the and most powerful monarchs, that all governments were their authority, and claiming to set up or put down kings they saw fit to do so. It is fault of the Popes that the and superstition of the ges have so largely passed They would have gladly main- the conditions which made it for them to exercise such un- authority. But even yet it can do so the Roman Church interferes with the of the individual and with of government. It is too to accept interference in this yet; but is only waiting for tunity, and we as a people come into collision with the and of Rome in the Phillip- less our rulers, avoid a con- submitting to the dictates of chery.

ed with which so many of e in the interior of China Christians, whether native e, is, we believe, due almost to the obnoxious conduct of an Catholic priests, who won ay espousing the cause of any followers who got into trouble ar Chinese and browbeating magistrates into acquiescence demands. The Protestant es, on the contrary, were as eful not to interfere except cases and when they knew adherents were being un- ated.

one who has studied the char- teachings of Christ must se claims as the Popes put are both antagonistic to and

subversive of the teachings of Christ. His followers wanted to make Him a king against His will and His enemies crucified Him because He would not set up an earthly kingdom, but He said, "My kingdom is not of this world." In solemnly asserting the old claim of the Popes to temporal authority, Pope Leo has therefore given his testimony to the truth that the papacy is still an anti-Christ—that is, it professes to represent Christ, yet seeks to advance its interests by worldly power.

Protestant churches are not free from this same condemnation. But there is a great difference. No Protestant church claims to be the sole and infallible representative of Christ. And no Protestant church that we know of has in a formal and official manner asserted its reliance upon worldly power and prestige.—N. Y. Witness.

GENERAL RELIGIOUS NEWS.

—The Baptists of Australia and New Zealand have had an increase of 4,042 in the last ten years, making the present membership, exclusive of West Australia, 19,420.

—Probably the largest Sunday-School class in the world is the Bethany Bible Union, Philadelphia, taught by John Wanamaker. The present membership is 2,200. It has just celebrated its 25th anniversary.

—The Dakota Presbytery includes 20 Indian ministers, and 25 Indian congregations with 1,400 communicants, and 800 S. S. pupils. Converts are added every year. The Presbytery extends wherever Dakota Indians are located.

—The Baptist of the Southern States have for many years maintained a vigorous mission in Italy. They are now about to establish a seminary in Rome for the education of Baptist ministers. We shall rejoice in the success of this movement.

HOME RELIGIOUS NEWS.

—Fort Massey Presbyterian church, Halifax, has called Rev. W. J. McMullan, of Lindsay, Ont.

—The Church of England Sunday School Association held its annual meeting in Moncton last week.

—A new church of the Disciples of Christ is to be dedicated at Burt's Corner, York Co., the first of June.

—Rev. J. H. McDonald, Principal of Acadia Seminary, has accepted the call of the Baptist church of this city. Mr. McDonald has been successful in previous pastorates.

Rev. I. B. Colwell has been appointed general missionary of the Baptist Home Mission Board in this Province. He will have the general oversight of the churches needing mission aid.

—The Presbytery of St. John met at Andover, V. Co., on Wednesday last. Besides other business, Rev. J. D. Campbell was ordained and appointed to the charge of the Andover and Tilley pastorate.

DENOMINATIONAL NEWS.

RUSIAGORNIS, S. Co.—Sunday, 5th., inst., was a good day at Rusiagornis. Four converts were baptized by the pastor, Rev. J. N. Barnes. Others are likely to follow soon.

MINISTERS.—REVS. J. W. Clarke, B. H. Nobles, D. Long, J. B. Daggett, and L. A. Fenwick were in the city last week attending a meeting of the Home Mission Board.

Licentiate Knollin assisted Dr. Hartley last Sunday.

Rev. J. N. Barnes was in the city a few days ago. He is, we are sorry to learn, having some trouble with one of his eyes. He is about receiving treatment which, it is hoped, will relieve the trouble.

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Hartley, wife of Rev. F. C. Hartley, this city, underwent an operation for appendicitis last Friday. Her case was regarded as critical, but we are glad to be able to say that at this writing (Monday) she is progressing encouragingly.

SUNDRIES.

—Rabbi Joseph Moses, Kingston, N. Y., has left the Jewish church to enter the Episcopal church. . . . Chili has been a republic since the year 1818. . . . Jamaica is rather more than half the size of Wales. . . . Brazil annually exports over £15,000,000 worth of coffee. . . . The average depth of Ontario oil wells is about 465 feet. . . . Last year Canada exported agricultural implements to the value of \$1,692,155.

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DENOMINATIONAL NOTICES

FIRST AND SECOND DISTRICTS.

Forms for reports of churches and Sunday Schools and for contributions to denominational funds, have been sent to the Clerks of the First and Second Districts, for distribution by them to the churches of their Districts. Churches in the First and Second Districts that do not soon receive forms should write their District Clerks. The Clerk of the First District is F. C. Bloodsworth, Kilburn, V. Co.; the Clerk of the Second District is W. J. Owens, Tracey Mills, C. Co.

JOS. McLEOD, Cor. Sec., Gen. Con.

DISTRICT MEETINGS.

First District Meeting, at Arthur-ette, Victoria County, the fourth Friday in June, 1901. To attend, Revs. C. T. Phillips, F. C. Hartley, H. Hartt, H. A. Bonnell, S. J. Perry.

Second District Meeting, Lower Brighton, C. Co., the third Friday in June, 1901.

Third District Meeting, at Prince William, York Co., the third Friday in September, 1901, Rev. F. C. Hartley, to preach the annual sermon.

Fourth District Meeting, at Lincoln, Sunbury Co., the second Friday in September, 1901.

Fifth District Meeting, at Lower Wickham (Sixth Church), Queens Co., on the first Friday in July, 1901. To attend, Rev. C. B. Lewis.

Sixth District Meeting, at Coverdale, Albert Co., the second Friday in July, 1901. Annual sermon by Rev. B. H. Nobles. To attend Rev. A. J. Prosser.

Seventh District Meeting, at Wilson's Beach, Charlotte Co., at a time to be decided by the Wilson's Beach Church. To attend, Revs. B. H. Nobles, L. A. Fenwick.

Revs. Jos. Noble and Dr. McLeod are appointed to attend all the District Meetings.

SECOND DISTRICT.

The Second District Meeting, Free Baptist, will meet with the church at Lower Brighton on Friday the 14th of June. Friday will be devoted to Sabbath School work. The regular session of District meeting will begin Saturday 10 a. m. Social Conference; at 2 p. m. business session.

W. J. OWENS.

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Miss L. M. Sargent, Glenwood, F. B. Y. P. Union.

Mrs. J. E. Gosline, Barrington, Sunday School Convention.

Rev. E. Crowell, Yarmouth, Treasurer of Conference.

At afternoon teas, guests enjoy a cup of "Red Rose" Tea.

LITERARY NOTES

"Aguinaldo's Capture and the Philippine Commission is the title of the leading article in the May Forum. Prof. Ario Bates presents "The Negative Side of Modern Athletics"—a protest against excessive devotion to sports. "Some Chinese Traits" is bright and instructive.

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MARRIAGES.

McCLEARY-EMERY.—On the 10th, inst., at the Free Baptist parsonage, Tracy Mills, by Rev. W. DeWare, Ernest McCleary, of Centerville, and Ora Emery, of Williamstown, C. Co.

GARDNER-KIMBALL.—At the residence of the bride's mother, on April 30th., by Rev. A. W. Curry, Harry E. Gardner and Wanda A. Kimball, both of Waterville C. Co.

ROGERS-STEVES.—At the residence of the bride's father, Solomon Steves, Apr. 28th., by Rev. Abram Perry, Bedford Rogers and Bessie E. Steves, both of Lewis Mountain, West Co.

McLEOD-RUSSELL.—At the Free Baptist parsonage, Salisbury, N. B., May 9th., by Rev. Abram Perry, Amos McLeod and Alice Maud Russell, both of Salisbury, West Co.

DEATHS.

NASON.—At Willimantic, Me., April 27th., Mr. Asa Nason, aged 69 years. Interment took place at F. ton Jct., services conducted by Rev. P. S. Hartley. Bro. Nason was for several years deacon of the F. ton Jct. church; removed to his son's home about a year ago, where death resulted from cancer. He leaves two sons and four daughters to mourn.

STANLEY.—At North Head, Grand Mannan, on the morning of Friday, May 3rd., the wife of John Stanley passed away, in the sixty-sixth year of her age, after an illness of ten weeks. She was often heard to say that she was ready to go, when He whom she so faithfully served called her. Mrs. Stanley professed religion more than thirty-five years ago, was baptized by Rev. J. N. Barnes, and joined the Free Baptist church at North Head, since which time she had been a consistent member. She leaves a husband and six children (five boys and one daughter) to mourn their loss. May the Spirit comfort them in their bereavement. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon, the services being conducted by the writer. Text: 1 Thes. 4:13.

E. H. COCHRANE.

HENDERSON.—At Eastport, Me., on the 6th of May, after a short illness, Mrs. William Henderson, aged 64 years. Mrs. Henderson, with her husband, professed religion at Wickham Queens Co., and was baptized by the late Rev. A. Taylor. She afterward united with the Baptist church in Eastport, and was highly esteemed by her pastor, Rev. Mr. Ford, who conducted a brief service at Eastport before her remains were taken from there to Kingston, Kings Co., for burial. Rev. C. T. Phillips, of Waterville, St. John, attended the funeral at Kingston Free Baptist church, and preached an appropriate sermon. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family especially for Mrs. Henderson Jr., a niece and adopted daughter. The funeral at Kingston was from the residence of Mr. Humphrey, a brother-in-law.

ANON.

ASBELL.—At Sussex, May 7th John Asbell, aged 75 years. He leaves a wife, who was his companion for over 52 years, two sons and four daughters, who will remember with pleasure his good life. He was an honoured member of the Free Baptist church. He loved God and His people and His house. He knew the christian life, through a precious experience of it. Christ Jesus and the Holy Spirit were divine persons to him, and living present realities in his life. He will be missed in his home, which he loved, and where he was loved. He will be missed in the church, which he attended so faithfully, and where his liberal support, his bright cheering words of exhortation and testimony were always given. He will be missed as a citizen, for he was a good one, always on the right side of moral questions. His life won for him the respect of the people. He rests from his labours and his works do follow him. The funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. E. H. Nobles, assisted by Rev. M. Draffon (R formed Baptist), and were very largely attended.

LIBBEY.—Mrs. Charles F. Libbey died at 7.15 on the morning of May 3rd., at her home 57 West St., Milford, Mass., after a long and trying illness. She leaves her husband and six children—Miss Carrie, Mrs. Fred A. Taylor, Samuel, Frederick, Mary and Clara. All the children and her two little grand-sons, were with her the last few days. During her entire illness, a period of fully seven months, she was constantly cared for by two or more of her daughters, and their devotion was untiring. Mrs. Clarissa Hart Libbey was born at Jac'sontown, N. P., March 21st., 1837, the daughter of the late Rev. Samuel and Mary Hartt. She was married June 30th., 1859. They removed to Milford, Mass., two or five years ago. Mrs. Libbey united with the Free Baptist church in her native town at a very early age, and when she came to Milford became a member of the Methodist church, where she remained a worthy and useful member till called to join the church above. She has'ed a most exemplary christian life, and while modest and retiring in her disposition was ever known as a true friend of her pastors, who were always welcome guests in her home. She will be greatly missed in the home, in the church and by the many relatives and friends who loved her for her many amiable qualities of mind and heart. The funeral was held at her late home Monday 6th inst., Revs. Robert Bisbee and Chas. Tilton officiating.

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