

vitual thing. The object of faith is not primarily intellectual, trust, an act of will. This is an intellectual expression of religious experience. Faith in God is not a creed, but a life. It is a very fair, unbiased method of study. With- out the aid of the Holy Spirit, the New Testament students now and he is an excellent teacher. I feel it is a great opportunity to be under his guidance in the Testament work.

Brethren, remember me in your prayers. J. H. PEDDINGTON. March 28th, 1901. KNOWLESVILLE, C. Co.—Rev. T. O. DeWitt is our pastor, and preaches here once in two weeks. We have quite interesting meetings. The young people who joined the church last Fall are very faithful and a great help. The pastor thinks to hold special meetings soon. We hope much good may be done. There are many young people here who have not professed faith in Christ. They need religion, and we need their help in christian work. Pray for us. H. N. DOUCETTE. March 27th.

BATH, C. Co.—Special meetings closed here last Sunday. That afternoon four were baptized, and in the evening they, with two others by letter, were received in church membership. It was a glorious day. One or two were prevented from being baptized on account of Grippe. There will be baptism soon again. The spiritual interest is good. We thank God and take courage. I hope to take up my regular work Sunday. I have neglected other parts of my field for several weeks. I am glad to hear of the gracious outpouring of the Spirit in other pastorates. God is with us. MERRITT L. GREGG.

MARYSVILLE, N. B.—The revival at Marysville has gone on encouragingly since last report. Last Sabbath five more converts were baptized, and, with two others, received into the church. In the afternoon service the Lord's Supper was administered to a large number of disciples. Rev. Dr. McLeod administered the ordinances. Bro. Rideout is much encouraged in his work, in which he has the hearty co-operation of the church members. They are rejoicing together in the large accessions to the church. FREDERICTON.—The revival interest in this city continues. Seven more converts were baptized last Sabbath by the pastor, Rev. F. C. Hartley. The meetings are being continued this week. MINISTERS.—We hear that Rev. C. F. Cooper will close his labours in Caledonia, N. S. in June, and that he will be open to engagement elsewhere. Rev. J. E. Gosline, Barrington, N. S. writes, "Our work goes on smoothly."

LICENTIATE Knollin, who spent a month with the Deer Island churches, returned to his studies at the University last week. LICENTIATE F. Dunfield, who is attending Cobb Divinity School, is at home, Corn Hill, K. Co., for a few days—the Easter vacation. He was in Fredericton enroute. He is well, and enjoying his school work. Rev. G. W. Foster, Keswick, was in the city Saturday, and reports the work in his pastorate as moving on much as usual. He began special meetings at Keswick, but had to discontinue them owing to the bad roads. During the few days they were held there were signs of interest. He hopes to take up the special work later. We greatly regret to learn that Rev. G. F. Currie, Chegoggin, N. S., is seriously ill. During March he failed in strength. He is confined to his bed. Mrs. Currie, writing last Friday, says, the last two or three days he has not become weaker; indeed, he thinks he is gaining a little in strength. He has no pain nor distress. All the ministers and all the people in the churches who know and love bro. Currie will be sad that he is so ill, and will fervently pray that it may be the Lord's will to restore him.

W. C. KEIRSTEAD. NOMINATIONAL NEWS. We are well and happy. I am able to attend my regular meetings, and am doing what I can. The Sabbath meetings here are good, and the meetings are quite largely attended. The smallpox near Dover has not held special meetings but I will have some at a suitable time. I am endeavouring to sow good seed in this pastorate, and the response will surely come. GIDEON SWIM.

DAVID PATTERSON. 27th, 1901. BROWN'S FLAT AND WESTFIELD PASTORATE.—The general work on this year was very good. We held three special meetings at Westfield, resulted in the conversion of several persons, and the quickening of a number of the members. We had the baptism on the 20th, and were much disappointed. O. N. Mott, on account of illness at home, found it impossible to come and baptize. The church is small in number, but in spiritual life and financial resources. Brown's Flat church is about the same as last year. This church is more self-denial before it will be baptized. On account of the bad roads I was unable to attend my appointment at Hamilton on last Sabbath. I will (D. V.) have special meetings at Olville on the 7th. On March 17th I was baptized by Rev. Mr. Leard of the city, and was glad to have the preaching in the Free Baptist church there. I found some Baptists anxious for preaching. A. Cosman, who was there for several years, has been able to be there this winter, and been engaged in mission work. The church building is in a state and needs repairs. I was invited to preach for them, but find it almost impossible, as a very large field, needing divided attention. This field some respects a difficult one, such cut up denominationally, and numbers of families being divided among the different churches. But I stay here the more I am in the place of Christ's work. I often think of the Tobique work I tried to do and the mistake. I was sorry to hear of W. Sadler's death; knowing that I did, I know that Tobique was one of its best christians. I was attending the First Meeting at Arthurette in the morning and will then call at all my preaching stations. I am more of God's ways, and am to Him for His approval.

N. B. LEGISLATURE. MONDAY.—In the absence of the speaker, Mr. Porter, chairman of committee of supply, took the chair. Mr. Farris laid on the table the agricultural report. Mr. Tweedie stated that the information asked for in Mr. Young's notice of motion as to the claims of the government against the municipalities for pauper lunatics would be furnished. Mr. Pugsley laid on the table copies of the correspondence between the attorney general and Justice James Blight, of Alberta, in reference to proceedings taken against G. R. Sangster and others for perjury. Mr. Farris moved the house into committee on the bill authorizing the formation of farmers' institutes. He explained that the government would expend each year a sum not exceeding \$2,500 to assist farmers' institutes in holding meetings. The institute would designate the time and place of meetings and the government furnish the speakers.

THE BILL was agreed to. TUESDAY.—The Farmers' Institute bill was passed. Mr. Russell chairman of the agricultural committee, submitted a report. Dr. Pugsley introduced the Land Titles Act. The object of the bill is to substitute what is known as the Torrens system of lands titles for the present registration system. Under this system the evidence of ownership is a certificate of title from the district registrar, which is registered in his book of titles. This does away also with all searches of titles. The province under this act will be divided into land titles districts, in each of which there shall be a land titles office and an officer to be called the district registrar. The act is not compulsory. WEDNESDAY.—Mr. Tweedie laid on the table the report of the Boys Industrial Home. The house went into committee on the bill to amend the act relating to hard labor sentences in the city and county of St. John. The object is to meet the case of old offenders who were continually being committed. Under the bill the sheriff may place such persons in the hands of any persons for the purpose of doing any work in any part of the city and county of St. John. Mr. Appleby committed the bill to authorize the municipality of Carleton Co. to issue \$10,000 worth of debentures to pay off the floating indebtedness of the county. Agreed to. House went into committee on the bill to enable the city of St. John to give \$100,000 and a site of land to any company that will engage in building steel ships at that city, and to exempt the property from taxation. Progress was reported. THURSDAY.—Mr. Allen introduced a bill to amend the act relating to the solemnization of marriage. He said that in Stanley there is a church called St. Peter's formerly connected with the Presbyterian church, but now separated from it. The pastor of that church had applied for license to solemnize marriage, but the provincial secretary thought that he was not empowered under the act to grant a license to be issued. Mr. Tweedie said that after the application had been made by the Rev. Mr. Mullin for a license under the act, he had received notice from the clerk of the Presbytery in St. John that Mullin had been deposed from the ministry and that his ordination vows had been cancelled. Public notice had also been given of this matter in the papers, and therefore as Mr. Mullin was not a minister in good standing and did not come within any of the provisions of the act, he felt that he was not in a position to grant him a certificate. Now the question is, whether it is advisable that the legislature should recognize him and give him the right to marry. Mr. Lawson's resolution that certain lands in Victoria Co. held by the N. B. Railway Co., be reacquired, by the Province, and opened by settlement, passed. FRIDAY.—The house went into committee on the bill renewing the act of incorporation of Grand Falls Water Power Company. Mr. Porter said the charter was about expiring and the company wished it renewed. After some discussion, progress was reported. The bill to grant aid to the University provides for the payment of one thousand dollars a year for twelve years, on condition that the senate give free tuition to two students, to be selected each year by the Governor-in-Council upon the ground of special aptitude for scientific work. SATURDAY.—Several bills received their third reading. The municipalities committee substituted a new bill for the bill to allow taxpayers of St. John who have not paid their taxes to vote at civic elections. This substitute bill places the decision of the matter in the hands of the taxpayers of St. John, irrespective of whether their taxes are paid or not, to be decided by a majority vote prior to the 1st of July next. It also makes provision for holding similar plebiscites in the other cities and towns of the province on the requisition of 25 per cent. of the ratepayers. The bill to incorporate the village of Perth Centre for water and fire purposes was agreed to. MR. A. N. PETERS died in St. John Sunday morning. In the early days of the INTELLIGENCER'S history, he was connected for two years with its business management. During the last twenty-five years of his life he was connected with the Clifton House, which, under his management, became widely and favourably known. He always claimed that the success of a hotel does not depend on a bar, and he demonstrated this by making his hotel a financial success. In whatever position Mr. Peters occupied he was

most upright, and commanded the confidence and respect of those who knew him. Mrs. Peters died a few years ago. Four daughters survive him—two at home and two in Detroit. Many friends sympathize with them in their bereavement. Next time you buy Tea, buy Red Rose. DENOMINATIONAL NOTICES. NOTICE. At a recent meeting the Executive of the New Brunswick General Conference authorized the Pastors of Conference to supply pastors with such numbers of copies of the Treatise of Faith and Church Covenant as they may apply for, for use in their work. The Treasurer was authorized, also, to sell the Hand Books in stock at 20 cents per copy for the cloth bound, and 30 cents per copy for the leather bound. HOME MISSION FUND. Rec'd from, The Woodstock Mission Band \$5.00 J. W. CLARKE. Trea. H. M. EX. Woodstock, N. B. March 28th, 1901. New Brunswick Conference. Moderator, Rev. W. H. Perry Hibernia, Q. Co. Recording Secretary, D. McLeod Vince Esq., Woodstock. Corresponding Secretary, Rev. Dr. McLeod, Fredericton. Treasurer, James Patterson, Esq., St. John. MINISTERS' CONFERENCE. Chairman, Rev. John Perry, Hartland, C. Co. Secretary, Rev. J. T. Parsons, Somerville, C. Co. EXECUTIVE FOR HOME MISSIONS. Corresponding Secretary, Rev. L. A. Fenwick, Victoria, C. Co. Treasurer, Rev. J. W. Clarke, Woodstock. EXECUTIVE FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS. Corresponding Secretary, Rev. C. T. Phillips, St. John. Treasurer, E. W. Slipp Esq., St. John. EXECUTIVE FOR SUNDAY-SCHOOLS. Corresponding Secretary, J. E. McCready Esq., Norton Station, K. Co. EXECUTIVE FOR SICK AND DISABLED MINISTERS. Treasurer, Gideon McLeod Esq., Penobscus, K. Co. BOARD OF MANAGERS. Secretary, Rev. Dr. Hartley, St. John (vest). Treasurer, B. S. Palmer, Esq., Hampstead, Q. Co. Nova Scotia Conference. Treasurers of Societies connected with the Free Baptist Conference of Nova Scotia: Rev. J. E. Gosline, Barrington, Foreign Missions. Rev. J. W. Freeman, Tuskett, Home Missions. Rev. T. H. Siddall, Port Medway, Temperance League. Rev. G. M. Wilson, Pubnico Head, Education Society. Rev. W. C. Weston, Yarmouth, Ministerial Aid. 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.

MARRIAGES. MERRERAU—BYERS.—On the 26th ult at the parsonage, Tracey Station by Rev. F. S. Hartley, H. Dow Mersereau and Addie Byers both of blissville. LINT-HAGERMAN.—At residence of Josiah Lint, F. Ton, Jan. 29th, by Rev. F. Clarke Hartley, Mr. Clifford Lint to Miss Maud Hagerman, both of Queensbury. CARL ANDERSON.—At Parsonage, F. Ton March 6th, by Rev. F. Clarke Hartley, Mr. Chester Carr to Miss Dora Anderson both of Geary, Sunbury Co. COLPITS-LEWIS.—At the residence of the bride's father, Allen Lewis, Mar. 29th, by Rev. Abram Perry, Harvey J. Colpitts and Jennie B. Lewis, both of Salisbury, West. Co. LOUNSBURY-STEEVES.—At the residence of the bride's father, Solomon Steeves, March 27th by Rev. Abram Perry, H. Irvin Lounsbury to L. Saretta Steeves, both of Lewis Mountain, West. Co. DEATHS. PETERS.—At his residence, Nevers Peters, of St. John, entered into his rest on Sunday morning March 31st, in the 75th year of his age. MORGAN.—At Traceyville, Sun. Co. on the 1st of March, Elizabeth Morgan aged 80. Funeral services conducted by the writer. F. S. HARTLEY. PATTERSON.—At Patterson Settlement, S. Co. on the 29th ult Mrs. Andrew Patterson passed peacefully away, in the 75. h year of her age, leaving a husband, four sons and one daughter to mourn their sad loss. O. N. MOTT. TINKUM.—At Kemptville, N. S. March 18th, Ephraim Tinkum, aged 43 years. Two sons and two daughters survive him. His last days were filled with extreme suffering, during which he prayed much for mercy and help. DAVID PATTERSON. WORDEN AND PALMER.—At Hampstead Village Q. Co., March 13th, of La Grippe Mrs. Phebe Worden, beloved wife of George Worden aged 33 years. Also, on March 14th at the same place, of La Grippe, Mrs. Mima, relict of the late Jacob Palmer, aged 66 years. Mrs. Palmer lived with her daughter, Mrs. Worden. Both ladies were seized with La Grippe and pneumonia; both funerals took place at the same time, and they were buried side by side in the same grave. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Perry, assisted by Rev. C. P. Lewis. SCOTT.—At Queensown, Hampstead, Queens Co., March 14th, of pneumonia, Robert Scott, aged 56 years, leaving a sorrowing widow, two sons and one daughter together with a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss. Brother Scott was formerly a resident of St. John where he professed religion under the labours of Rev. J. T. Parsons, and was baptized by him and united with the Free Baptist church, Waterloo St., of which he continued a worthy member till death. Brother Scott was also a member of the L. O. A. and held the office of Chaplain in United Empire Lodge Hibernia. He was buried with the honors of the order. Funeral services conducted by Rev. W. H. Perry. A very large concourse of people followed him to his last resting place. KENDRICK.—On the 14th inst., Deacon Samuel Kendrick, of Shag Harbor, N. S., entered into eternal rest at the advanced age of eighty-eight years and six months. His earthly life was brought to a close by the incurable disease of gangrene of his right leg, which, though so trying to suffering flesh and faith, at last delivered him from the bonds of the mortal to the blest immortal. Deacon Kendrick was converted at an early age and united with the Free Baptist church at Shag Harbor, where he continued to serve his Master, not only as an ordinary member, but in the office of deacon faithfully fulfilled its sacred obligations to the strengthening and edifying of all the church, who now gladly bear witness of his useful, worthy life, and sadly lament his death. He always took a sincere interest in the welfare of God's cause, and when he became deprived of sanctuary privileges, according to his own testimony he continued to pray for the

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