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**QUARTERLY MEETING.**

The Yarmouth Co., N. S., Free Baptist Quarterly Meeting will convene with the church at Yarmouth on Wednesday evening, May 6th, and continue.  
W. C. WESTON,  
Yarmouth, N. S., *Convener.*  
April 13th.

**APPOINTMENTS.**

My appointments are (D. V.) as follows:  
Victoria Corner, Sabbath, May 24th, 11 a.m.; Connell, 7.30 p. m.  
Knoxford, Sabbath, May 31st, 11 a. m.; Tracy Mills, 7.30 p. m.  
Collection will be taken at all the meetings for the Woman's Mission.  
J. N. BARNES.

**DISTRICT MEETINGS.**

First District Meeting, at Bath, Carleton Co., first Friday in July, 1903, at 2.30 p. m. To attend, Revs. John Perry, A. D. Paul, F. C. Hartley, and John Henderson.  
Second District Meeting at Knoxford, Carleton Co., on Friday preceding fourth Saturday in June, at 10 o'clock a. m.  
Third District Meeting at Middle Southampton, first Friday in September, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m. To attend, Revs. David Long and O. N. Mott. To preach annual sermon, Rev. A. A. Rideout.  
Fourth District Meeting at French Lake, Sunbury Co., second Friday in September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock, a. m. To attend, Revs. F. C. Hartley, F. G. Francis, J. J. Barnes, John Henderson and S. J. Perry.  
Fifth District Meeting at Narrows, Queens Co., first Friday in July, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. To attend, Revs. B. H. Nobles, H. H. Ferguson and C. T. Phillips.  
Sixth District Meeting at Lewis Mountain, W. Co., second Friday in July, 1903, at 4 o'clock. To attend, Revs. A. J. Prosser and C. B. Lewis. To preach the annual sermon, Rev. H. H. Ferguson.  
Seventh District Meeting at Lambert's Cove, Deer Island. Date of meeting left with executive of district. To attend, Revs. M. L. Gregg, J. A. Robertson, T. S. Vanwart, and B. H. Noble.  
Your committee recommend that Revs. Jos. Noble, John Perry, J. N. Barnes and Dr. McLeod be appointed to attend all District Meetings.

**TO CLERKS OF DISTRICTS.**

Forms for church and Sunday-school reports and for contributions have been sent to the clerks of the first, second, fifth and sixth districts for distribution to the churches.  
Churches in the districts named who do not receive forms within a reasonable time after this notice, should notify the clerks of their respective districts.  
Jos. McLeod,

The first artificial butter was "margarine," made in Poissy, France, in 1869. It was made from fat of the loins and kidneys of cattle, which, when melted, is sometimes called "oleo oil." This oil, tallow, lard, olive and cottonseed oil are used, combined with dairy butter, in making the various butterines. Coconut butter is largely used in Northern Europe.

**A MISSIONARY.**—Mrs. Scott, for thirty years connected with the China Inland mission, is visiting a number of places in New Brunswick, making addresses on mission work. She was in Fredericton last week, and spoke several times. She is an interesting talker, and makes a fine impression, awakening and strengthening missionary zeal.

**Marriages.**

**ALLEN-GRANT**—At the residence of Mrs Harriet Allen, on the 29th ult., by Rev. A. A. Rideout, Edward Allen to Stella Grant, both of Marysville N. B.  
**PEER-McCLEERY**—On the 17th inst., at the residence of Mr. Henry Brown, of Clarendon, Charlotte Co., by Rev. T. O. DeWitt, George Peer, of St. John, West, and Mrs. Maggie McCleery, of Clarendon.  
**THORNE-ROUSE**—At the residence of the bride's mother, May 6, by Rev. Abram Perry, Melanckton Thorne, of Manhurst, to Ethel Rouse, of Corn Hill, K. Co.  
**PAINTER-ALLEN**—At Douglas, York Co., on the 13th inst., by Rev. H. A. Bonnell, Charles A. Painter, of Fredericton, and Bessie L. Allen.

**Deaths.**

**HAMILTON**—At Hamilton Mountain, on the 28th April, Flossie Hamilton, aged 10 years, leaving a loving father, five sisters and three brothers to mourn their loss. Her mother died six years ago.  
**BAILEY**—At Nashwaaksis, York Co., May 7th, Jennie, aged 8 days, infant daughter of John S. and Fannie Bailey. Jesus said—"Suffer little children to come unto me."  
**GRAY**—At Pembroke, C. Co., on the 1st May, John T. Gray, aged 59 years. He had been in poor health for several years and had made his home with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Whitfield Shaw. His death was a release to him. The funeral was conducted by the writer.  
**TRAMLEY**—At Newburg, the 4th of May, Mrs. John Tramley, leaving a sorrowing husband, five small children, aged parents, and brothers and sisters to mourn their loss. She died of pneumonia, following upon measles. Funeral services by the writer.  
**SLEEP**—At Upper Haynsville, York Co., William W. Sleep. Bro. Sleep's sickness was of short duration. It was evident from the first that the end was near. He gradually sank into unconsciousness and peacefully passed from earth to heaven at 4.30 a. m. on the 7th inst. His was a practical, industrious life. He was active to the last. Though 80 years old he had been unusually active of late, as seen in his preparation for his summer's work. He selected and laid off an acre of ground this spring, which he intended to cultivate himself as a garden, though his son endeavored to dissuade him from doing so. Fifty-six years ago he came to Haynsville and took up a large farm. Industry and thrift followed in his path. His busy, active earth-life is over and he has entered into the saints' everlasting rest. His familiar form and voice will be seen and heard no more about the old homestead. None will miss him more than his three grandchildren; they were much attached to him and he to them. Very few of the pioneers of Haynsville are left; the old landmarks are falling out of the ranks. Bro. Sleep was a good man and an obliging neighbor. He will long linger in the memory of the people among whom he was deservedly respected. He leaves a sorrowing widow, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, with a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. The funeral was largely attended. The services were conducted by the writer, in the Haynsville Free Baptist Church. His remains were laid to rest in the old Haynsville burying ground.  
J. J. BARNES.

**KNOX**—At Upper Haynsville, York Co., on the 3rd inst., in the 82nd year of her age, Martha Knox, relict of the late Geo. Knox. Sister Knox was a widow twenty three years, and lived with her youngest son, Amos, who occupied the homestead. All her children living were present at the moment of her death, except one son. Her remains were tenderly laid away to rest by the side of those of her husband, in the Haynsville burying ground, a beautiful spot just across the road from her late home. She was converted when young at Bear Island. On moving to Haynsville she united with the Free Baptist church there. Five sons, three daughters, thirty-six grand children, twelve great-grandchildren, with a large circle of friends mourn their loss. The services were conducted by the writer in the presence of a large congregation of friends and acquaintances.  
J. J. BARNES.

**PRICE**—At Corn Hill, K. Co., May 4, Mrs. Charlotte D. Price, aged 68 years.  
**LEWIS**—At Lewis Mountain, May 12th, of membranous croup, Claude, second son of James Lewis, aged 2 years and 6 months. This is the second death in Bro Lewis' family in a short time. May the Lord comfort the sorrowing parents. Funeral services by the writer.  
**W. H. PERRY.**  
**RODGES**—At Salisbury parish, May 12th, Mary R., beloved wife of James W. Rodgers, aged 21 years, leaving husband, father and mother, four brothers and three sisters, together with a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. Sister Rodgers professed religion about a year ago and united with the Free Baptist church at Eagle settlement and remained a worthy member till death. Funeral services by the writer.  
W. H. PERRY.

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