

Baptist Quarterly Meeting.

The Baptist Quarterly Meeting of Carleton and Victoria Counties was held at Wakefield on Tuesday and Wednesday, September 8th and 9th. A large delegation of ministers and a number of others were present. The afternoon session of Tuesday was begun with devotional exercises led by the pastor Rev. J. D. Wetmore. The remaining part of the session was not only interesting but instructive as reports were given from the home mission work of this quarterly and from the different churches represented. In the evening a full house was pleased and inspired by a helpful address delivered by Rev. B. S. Freeman, of Centerville, on the subject of missions. The Wednesday morning session was opened by devotional exercises when a paper was read on the subject "The Pastor as a Man" prepared by the secretary. The same evoked a helpful discussion. The afternoon session was in the interests of Sunday school work at which a very interesting lesson was taught by Rev. B. S. Freeman. The afternoon and evening sessions of Wednesday found the pastors rather scarce as a number of them were called home for weddings. As there was no wedding in Centerville the Rev. B. S. Freeman was permitted to speak again that evening from the words "The righteous shall flourish like the palm tree." An inspiring testimony meeting brought to its close a helpful quarterly.

Farmer's Institute.

The schedule of fall meetings of the farmers institute has been published. In this district the meeting will be addressed by Mr. D. Drummond, of Myrtle, Ont., who will speak on "What are we doing with our Farms," "Controlling Moisture in the Soil," "Some of the Natural Laws of Breeding," "Selection and Breeding of Dairy Stock," "Fertilizing of Soil and Animals," and Mr. W. S. Tompkins whose subjects will be "Better Farming and How we May Improve," "Pork Production," "Economical Feeding," "Soil Fertility, the basis of Agricultural Success," "Grow More Clover," "Soil Fertility, how best to maintain it."

The dates of meeting in this district are:—
Date of name of Institute, No. Hall, meeting.
New Denmark, 48, Patron Hall, Salmonhurst, Oct. 8.
New Denmark, 48, School House, Blue Bell, Oct. 9.
Grand Falls and Drummond, 78, Town Hall, Grand Falls, Oct. 10.
Grand Falls and Drummond, 78, School House, No. 7 Dis. Drummond Oct. 12.
Andover, 46, School House, Carlingford, Oct. 13.
Andover, 46, School House, Lower Perth, Oct. 14.
Perth, 76, Tweeddale Hall, Arthurett, Oct. 15.
Perth, 76, Gladwin School House, Oct. 16.
Kincardine, 60, School House, Upp. Kintore, Oct. 17.
Kincardine, 60, Agricultural Hall, Kincardine, Oct. 19.
Aberdeen, 45, McIntosh Hall, Glassville, Oct. 20.
Wilmot, Wicklow and Kent, 44, Sherwood's Hall, Centerville, Oct. 21.
Wilmot, Wicklow and Kent, 44, Kearney's Hall, Florenceville, Oct. 22.
Simonds, 83, Orange Hall, Middle Simonds, Oct. 23.
Simonds, 83, Oct. 24.
Woodstock and Northampton, 41, Hall, Woodstock, Oct. 26.
Woodstock and Northampton, 41, Hall, Pembroke, Oct. 27.
Wakefield, 43, Tilley Hall, Jacksonville, Oct. 28.
Lindsay, School House, Lindsay, Oct. 29.
Richmond, 40, Forrester's Hall, Debec, Oct. 30.

Jack and the Bean Stalk.

The Colonial Moving Picture company, which will appear in the Opera House, next Saturday, Sept. 19th, has earned the esteem of an appreciative public and a critical press wherever they have appeared. It is safe to presume they will arouse the interest, and command the admiration and patronage of our people here. They offer a sterling attraction, honorably presented and honestly advertised and aim to exceed the appreciation and expectations of the most exacting. While producing subjects of the latest conception and most exclusive character, of remote scenes in foreign lands, the most recent and absorbing events of an international character are offered. The program conscientiously avoids any suggestion that might offend the most scrupulous and exacting. Wide experience, expert operators and improved mechanism has enabled the management to delight thousands with wholesome enjoyment, and with an entertainment unique and unrivaled in perfection of detail. The Colonial Moving Picture Company insists that the best is hardly good enough. The vivid portrayal of the terrible eruption of Mt. Pelee, showing the frowning black cliffs, seamed and scarred, brooding in death-like silence, then suddenly enveloped with a hissing, bubbling, roaring torrent of burning lava with a red-hot trail that will linger in the memory of every spectator. No less thrilling and intensely interesting is the scene of Capt. Mason shooting the whirlpool rapids. A storm at sea is presented with startling realism. Of special interest to ladies and children is a complete presentation of the famous extravaganza "Jack and the Bean Stalk," showing over fifty people in action on the stage at one time. This delightful play is splendidly illustrated here. There are more than fifty other subjects of the best and best variety. There is in addition high class specialty acts. The prices for this program are 35, 25, 15 cents. Seats may be now secured at Graham's.

Fiction in Free Libraries.

Vicount Goschen presided at the summer meeting of the University Extension Students at Oxford, and in an interesting address which he delivered, dealing with free libraries, he referred to the complaint that fiction played so important a part in these institutions. In some he had heard that as much as

PERSONAL.

B. Frank Smith, M. P. P. is in town.
Mr. Frank Dickinson is visiting his parents in Woodstock.
Mrs. Fraser, of St. John, is a guest of Major and Mrs. Sunder.
Mrs. S. T. Baker returned last week from a trip to the Pacific Coast.
Mrs. M. W. Powers, Montreal, is visiting Sup't. and Mrs. Newcombe.
Miss Kate Stephenson of Florenceville returned on Tuesday from Bangor.
Dr. Jameson, of Philadelphia, is visiting his old home at Richmond Corner.
Mr. and Mrs. Thane M. Jones returned yesterday from a visit to Montreal.
The Rev. J. Benson Young, of Florenceville, was in Woodstock last week.
Dr. A. H. Prescott left on Monday night to visit the New York Hospitals.
Miss Margaret Pickard, of Calais Me., is the guest of Miss McKelroy, Grafton.
Mr. Frapp and his daughter, Miss Frapp, returned on Tuesday from a visit west.
Mr. John Bowes, the well known St. John journalist, is visiting friends at Lakeville.
Miss Stella Hallett, of Millville, spent last week in Woodstock visiting Mrs. George W. Gibson.
Mr. Herb. Smith left for Bangor on Saturday to spend a few days with his uncle, Mr. Charles Titus.
Miss Corkery who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Corkery, left last night to return to Boston.
Miss H. V. Harrison, accompanied by Miss Elva Machum, arrived in town on Saturday. They are guests at Mrs. Poole's.
Senator Baird, Mrs. Baird and daughter, of Perth, who have been absent in Europe for several months, are at home again.
Mrs. A. W. Baker and children, of Woodstock, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. G. London, at Centerville, during the past week.
The Misses Nellie and Alberta Holmes, of Augusta, Me., are the guests of their sister, Mrs. C. B. Everett, Woodstock, for a few days.
Miss Alice Moore, of Moore's Mills, Charlotte County, who spent last week among friends at Lower Southampton and Temple returned home by the evening train Saturday, September 12th.
Mr. James Reid, travelling auditor of the C. P. R., was in town on Monday, having spent Sunday in Peel with Mrs. Reid, who is visiting her mother there. Mrs. Reid goes to St. John this week.
Harry McA. Law, of St. John, for the past few months connected with the Bank of Nova Scotia, Fredericton, has been transferred to the branch in this town to relieve Arch. Munro, who is taking his holidays.
Dr. G. U. Hay, editor of the Educational Review, St. John, and Mrs. Hay, spent Sunday in Woodstock, guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Corbett. Mr. and Mrs. Hay were on their way home from Grand Falls.

80 per cent. of the volumes issued was of that description, though he was glad to know that in others it was only 45. There were critics who doubted the use of public libraries if this class of literature was to play so great a part in their work, but they should remember that generally the readers had no books at all at home. While fiction was recreative and educational, it often was highly stimulating and satisfactory. A great many readers in the public libraries come home wearied from their work, and in a frame of mind in which it might be difficult for them to apply themselves to some of the more serious books, but if they would only try biographies, histories, and works of that kind, they would find them, as soon as the plunge had been taken, as great, or of even greater interest than works which seemed lighter reading.—[London Telegraph.]

Mercerized Materials.

In view of the extensive popularity of mercerized goods a word of explanation in regard to their manufacture will be interesting. The term "mercerized" is derived from the word Mercer, a dealer in small wares, who fifty years ago discovered a chemical process by which he could make cotton yarn silken in affect. Ten years after, another man, presumably in his employ, perfected the method which has become one of the greatest improvements and successes through out the cotton world, in consequence of linen being so high priced and cotton, up to the present perfection, having been so crude. There are several secret processes—cheap or more extensive—for getting the affects seen in mercerized materials. In the stripe affects the mercerized yarn is woven into one stripe and the plain yarn into another; again, the whole fabric is mercerized, giving the silken affect all over. In some cases a burning test is necessary to determine whether the material is silk or cotton; cotton and silk amouler, and mercerized yarn, probably on account of the chemicals used, flames. The textures are now so beautiful that to the average person it is impossible to tell at a slight distance whether the material is a silk matelasse or a mercerized cotton.—[From Materials and Trimming for Autumn, in The Delineator for October.]

Carleton County in Trouble.

Carleton County Sunday School Association pledged the Provincial Association \$150.00 toward the year's work. The County is behind twenty-five dollars; and less than a month to raise the amount. If you want the County to have a clean sheet, as it had last year kindly send in your personal subscription and total of your school at once. Since Parish Convention only Brighton Parish has paid anything on the amount asked of each Parish at the Convention. Please, friends of the Sunday School, your best in a short time and we will have the amount necessary.

Yours sincerely,
JOHN L. FAWCETT, Sec'y-Treas.,
Hartland, N. B.

P. S.—Your new Sec.-Treas., Miss Calder, has not yet taken over the finances as I do not wish to start her in debt.

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Fredericton Exhibition.

The Provincial Exhibition to be held at Fredericton this year promises to eclipse every effort of the past, especially in the bicycle, automobile and horse races, and the special attractions, side shows, etc., namely, the celebrated Diving Horses and the Famous Alabama Troubadors.
Commencing Friday, 18th, there will be one fare rates to Fredericton, good going on date of issue any time up to and including Friday, 25th, and good to return until Monday, September 28th.
On Tuesday, the 22nd, there will be special low rates, namely, from St. John, \$1.55, St. Stephen \$2.15, St. Andrews \$2.30, from Houlton \$1.90, from Woodstock \$1.50. These low rate tickets will be good to return up to and including Thursday, 24th, and from Houlton and Woodstock there will be a special train leaving Houlton 8.00 a. m. Atlantic time due in Fredericton about 11.05 a. m. This train returning will leave Fredericton 6.00 Wednesday, 23rd to run through to Woodstock and Houlton.
People at Presque Isle, Caribou, and Fort Fairfield, also at Grand Falls and Edmundton will be able to purchase special low rate tickets on Tuesday 22nd, good to return until Friday, 25th, rate from Presque Isle will be \$3.05, from Grand Falls \$2.75; equally low rates from other stations.
On Wednesday, 23rd, there will be a special passenger train leave Aroostook Junction at 7.00 a. m. arriving at Fredericton at 11.30 a. m. and low rate tickets will be on sale at all stations from Aroostook to Hartland; conductor will issue from flag stations. Fare from Andover \$2.30, Hartland \$1.50.

1. Never put off till tomorrow what you can do today.
2. Never trouble another for what you can do yourself.
3. Never spend your money before you have it.
4. Never buy what you do not want because it is cheap; it will be dear to you.
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BORN.

SUTTON.—At Andover, Sept. 13th, to the wife of M. Stanley Sutton, a son.

DIED.

GLENDENNING.—At Carleton Place, Carleton County, September 6th, of inflammation, Walter, aged 14 years and 9 months, son of Robert and the late Eliza Glendenning.

TOPHAM.—At Perth, Sept. 10th, Elizabeth Topham, aged 81 years. She leaves two sons and one daughter.

COX.—At Four Falls, Sept. 13th, Mrs. Thomas Cox. She leaves a husband and three children.

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