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KENT COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

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Minutes Fourth Session of Convention, 2 p. m. Praise and prayer service led by Rev. C. H. Manaton, President Davis taking the chair and called for minutes of previous session and approved.

Mrs. Manaton read a paper bustling with fresh points on "How best to secure the attention and win the hearts of the scholars. Love must be the animating motive which the children will reciprocate. The Holy Spirit is the source of this love. The points of the paper were well brought out by Mrs. Lawson, President Davis and Rev. A. Lucas.

County Sec. opened the conference on "Home Department" in the absence of Mrs. deOloqui. The subject elicited points of most practical value from Mrs. Manaton, Mrs. Lawson and Rev. A. Lucas. After singing Hymn 175, Rev. Mr. Lucas dealt with our "Sunday school lessons."

The value of the systematic study of the scriptures was illustrated on the blackboard. The spiritual lessons were deducted greatly to the advantage of the Convention. While singing, the offering was taken up. Rev. Mr. Manaton read a paper on "The relation of the Children to the Church. The relation of the Church to the Children and Children to the Church were inseparable."

Early work is the best work. Preventive effort was the work of the church. This truth was taught in Old Testament days. The child was received by benediction into church fellowship as recorded in both Old and New Testaments.

Children belong to God and are related to Christ. All should aim early to form rather than later to reform the character. Children should be taught their relation to the church. The influence of the child is so important that it ought to be realized. The discussion was continued by County Secretary. When Rev. A. Lucas sang "Only a beam of Sunshine" Convention joining in the chorus, Mrs. Lawson made an impressive address on the topic. Benediction by Rev. H. A. Meek closed the Session.

Minutes of Fifth Session of Convention. Meeting was held in Temperance hall, Buctouche. Session opened at 8 p. m., after a welcome from Bro. Smith, President in Chair. Devotions were led by Rev. M. A. Meek. Minutes read and approved, Rev. R. G. Vans delivered an excellent address on the power of music in our work.

The mythological origin was traced but the scriptural origin was preferred as one of the good and perfect gifts of God. The power of song was illustrated by several beautiful illustrations. Music was shown to be a power in all relations of life and to all work for God.

Music was then rendered very heartily by the Convention. County Secretary added appropriate remarks. Convention sang "Beautiful Words". W. R. Robinson opened the topic, "The Children and the Pledge." Work for children is the most important of all work, we work not for the present but for the future.

At the beginning of the Temperance reform the aim was to save the adult, but they learned wisdom and turned back to Children. The wisdom of abstaining by the children from profanity, liquor, tobacco and gambling is the aim of the four-fold pledge of the Juvenile Templars was commended. Bro. Robinson's stirring speech was received with enthusiasm.

Rev. Mr. Lucas was heard with great pleasure and profit. Music, "The Army of Temperance," joined in heartily by the children.

Rev. Mr. Vans made some timely remarks on the use of tobacco. He then sang "Have courage my boy to say no," the Convention joining in the chorus.

Mr. Wm. Ayre gave an apt speech and urged all the Sunday schools to use the four-fold pledge.

Mrs. Wm. Lawson gave some welcome remarks. During voluntary by Mrs. Manaton offering was taken.

Credential Committee reported. Report adopted on Motion.

Resolution Committee reported, on motion reported adopted.

Resolved that the thanks of this Convention be tendered the parties and trustees of this church for their kindness in placing the church at our disposal during this session.

Resolved that the thanks of this convention be tendered to Mrs. Manaton for so ably presiding at the organ during the session.

Resolved that the thanks of this Convention be tendered the good friends of Buctouche who so kindly entertained us in their homes during our stay here.

Resolved that the thanks of this Convention be tendered the management of THE REVIEW, newspaper, of Richibucto, for their kindness in publishing articles on Sunday school work during the year.

Rev. Mr. Lucas took the consecration meeting.

An invitation being extended to Convention to hold its next Session at West Branch Methodist church was on motion accepted by the Convention. After singing doxology, Rev. A. Lucas pronounced the benediction, and a very spiritual, enthusiastic and profitable Convention was closed.

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ARM TORN OUT.

DREADFUL ACCIDENT TO MR. FOWLIE AT LITTLE BRANCH. (Chatham World.) A dreadful accident happened this morning at Fowlie's mill, Little Branch. Mr. George Fowlie, the owner of the mill, went below to oil the journals. His clothing was caught by a shaft or cogwheel, and wound up or drawn in until the machinery was stopped. The man who was sawing shingles, one shingle machine being the only part of the mill in operation, ran down to ascertain the cause of the stoppage, and hearing the groans of the poor old gentleman, instantly shut off the water and went to the rescue. One of Mr. Fowlie's arms was off, having been torn from its socket by cogwheel or shaft, and he was evidently very much injured in other respects. He asked for a drink of water, on being released, and then became unconscious. A messenger was despatched for medical aid, and he drove to Chatham in forty-five minutes, according to his reckoning. Dr. J. S. Benson immediately started for Little Branch, to see what he could do for the sufferer. If it had not been that there was only sufficient power on to drive one saw Mr. Fowlie would have been killed outright.

A BRUTAL MURDER.

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 31.—The body of Mrs. Bings was found lying alongside the railway this morning. She had evidently been brutally murdered. She lay on her back, the body stripped of clothing, disembowelled and the intestines cut into small pieces. Finger marks on the throat showed that the woman had been throttled. It is the work of a fiend similar to Jack the Ripper. There is no clue to the perpetrator.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

Miss Evans, daughter of a Congregational minister of Wales, who has been residing with Regina farmers for a year or more, died from the effects of poison. It is supposed she committed suicide. She was a dipsomaniac.

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A ST. JOHN GIRL'S EXPERIENCE.

MISS ROUSE'S NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING, WHEN THE STEAMSHIP SCOTSMAN WAS WRECKED.

The Ottawa Journal has the following account of the experience of Miss Alice M. Rouse, a former resident of St. John: One of the most thrilling stories ever related is that told Monday by Miss Alice M. Rouse, niece of Mrs. D. J. Driscoll, of 84 Nepean street. Miss Rouse was a passenger on board the ill-fated Scotsman.

"I was awakened on Tuesday morning about 2:30 by the ship giving a terrific jar. I sat up and looked around, but thinking it was only a heavy wave said to myself it's all right, and lay down again. The grinding noise continued, however, and I began to think I had better get dressed and get out to see what was the matter. I was about half dressed when I felt the ship tip over, and thinking it better to get out than to run any risk, I got up on deck. There was a very dense fog when I got there, and all I could see was the rocks towering above us. The passengers were coming up on deck in numbers. They were nearly all in their night clothes and very much excited. This was when Captain Skrimshire showed his true bravery.

A COOL CAPTAIN.

"He was as cool as man could be, and although the ship was leaning over as if she would capsize at any moment, he told the people to keep cool—that there was no danger. He ordered the women up to the lee side of the vessel, and called to his officers to lend assistance. The life boats were lowered and I among the rest was assisted into one of them. The officers and the regular crew acted very bravely. They risked their own lives to save the women many times. I went down into the second boat furnished with a life belt. Mrs. Roberts' baby was brought down and as no one was there to receive it I took the child in my arms.

THE BOAT SWAMPED.

"Mrs. Roberts came down and had only taken the child out of my arms when the boat swamped and all were left struggling in the water. There was a heavy sea running at the time, and the people, some thirty in all, were swept apart in an instant. I could swim and struck out for one of the other boats, but on the way my strength failed and I prepared to die.

PRESENCE OF MIND.

"A sailor saw me and shouted to me to make another stroke. I did so and just as he was about to catch me another wave struck me and I was hurled away from the hands that were waiting to receive me. I shouted that I was going to give up, and saying that I wanted to die quickly I began to unfasten the life belt. The sailor shouted: 'For God's sake don't do that. Make another stroke. I'll save you, lass; come on, old girl.'

DRAWN INTO THE BOAT.

"This rather encouraged me, and I struck out again. This time I reached him and was dragged into the boat more dead than alive. The others—those who had not gone down—had been picked up by the other boats.

"I never was so chilled in my life as when I came to in the bottom of that boat. I realized that I had escaped death for the time-being anyway, and set to work to get warmed up. The other poor creatures were almost frozen to death. The ship was lying by the rocks half on her side, and we were compelled to drift around within a short distance. We could not land, because the ship was between us and the shore. If we went near the ship she might go down, and the suction would be sure to swamp the whole outfit. At last, after we had been tossing about for eleven hours, the captain shouted to the officer in charge of the boats that it was as great a risk to stay out from the ship as it was to try and land. 'Your lives are as safe one place as the other,' said he, 'let us try and get the women across the ship.'

ON THE ROCKS.

"We came alongside and the women were all safely transferred from the life boats across the ship into the rocks at the other side. This was, perhaps, as dangerous as being on the water. You can imagine two hundred and fifty people huddled together on a rock about 30 by 40 feet and a cliff on almost every side. We stayed there for about a day and a half, with starvation staring us in the face. The officers at last decided to form a party and start out for the light house. I was one of the second party to start for the light house. The tramp over those rocks was terrible, but we got there."

Miss Rouse was born at sea, and has seen a great deal of sea-faring life. Her father and uncles are all sea captains. The recent experience has not affected her in the least beyond having caught a severe cold.

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ACCIDENT AT NAPKAN.

AMHERST, N. S., Oct. 1.—A young man by the name of Edwin Ripley, employee with David Bacon at Nappan, while returning from Amherst on the Moncton and Springhill accommodation undertook to jump off the train while passing Nappan about 12 o'clock last night. His companions went on to Athol, returning to Nappan in the night freight, when his body was found under the platform, with a terrible gash back of his ear. Dr. Cameron was summoned from Maccahan, but the unfortunate young man only lived half an hour after the doctor arrived. His remains were removed to the house of his employer and Coroner Agor summoned, and after communicating with the I. C. R. authorities, decided to hold an inquest tomorrow afternoon.

Deceased is the only son of Mrs. Lucy Gaetz of Miramichi. It is understood he held a policy for \$2,000 in the New York Mutual Life Insurance Company.

The Canada central fair at Ottawa, received a financial black eye this year. Treasurer Bates says that the expenses will exceed the receipts by about \$8,000. The deficit includes some special improvements. Next year there will be a change in the programme.

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