

UNION BAPTIST SEMINARY, ST. MARTINS.

THE NEW HOME SCHOOL.

BUILT BY THE BAPTISTS AT ST. MARTINS.

How the Institution Is Housed and What It Will Strive To Do—The Success of the Old Baptist Seminary—Some Prominent Men Who Were Taught There.

To the Baptists of these provinces, indeed to all who are interested in the educational advancement of the country, the coming month will be notable as witnessing the opening of the new seminary at St. Martins.

Formerly, the Baptist seminary was under the control of the Baptist Education society and located at Fredericton. The late Dr. J. W. Hartt was its first principal and among his successors were Dr. Spurdun, Rev. Isaiah Wallace, Rev. C. Goodspeed and Rev. Dr. J. E. Hopper. Scores of men who have since won distinction or honor in various walks of life were trained by these teachers. Old students name among them J. E. Hopper, D. D.; the popular editor of the *Messenger and Visitor* Rev. C. Goodspeed, A. M.; Rev. E. M. Kierstead, professor at Acadia; Hon. Geo. E. Foster, D. C. L., minister of finance; Dr. Currie of Fredericton; Dr. Foster Macfarlane; Dr. G. A. Hetherington; Dr. M. C. McDonald of Cambridge, Queens county; A. Blair, attorney-general of New Brunswick; Mr. C. A. Everett, of St. John; Dr. Jonah, Eastport; Dr. Robert Limond, Campbell; Dr. Silas Alward; Dr. Scott, Moncton; Prof. Wortman; Dr. Provan, South Boston, Mass.; Mr. L. A. White, now a rising barrister in the west; Mr. Moses Prescott, Eastport; Messrs. C. M. Bostwick, J. A. Belyea, A. A. Wilson, J. J. Forrest and James, Charles and Frederick Harding, of this city. A remarkable list!—and one that might be extended to even greater proportions. It may be added however that as the institution was always under the control of the Baptist association, of New Brunswick, many of the Baptist ministers of this province were educated there. That the institution was not exclusive in its tendencies, however, is apparent from the fact that other denominations have been enriched by its students, one of whom, Rev. Dr. Connolly, is now a professor in one of the chief colleges at Rome.

Shortly after the introduction of the free school system, it was resolved to suspend

operations, sell the property and invest the proceeds, until such time as the denomination should deem it advisable to resuscitate it. In 1881, different associations in New Brunswick, by resolutions, urged the Education society to "resume its work in providing a seminary for our sons and daughters," with a special view to its becoming a feeder to Acadia college. At a special meeting of the denomination, called by the society, it was resolved to proceed at once with the work, and in 1882 the seminary was opened in St. John. In 1884 the Baptists of New Brunswick and the Free Christian Baptists of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia united in educational work. In 1886 it was considered advisable to erect, at St. Martins, suitable buildings (an engraving of which is here shown), and remove the seminary to that place. Accordingly, 75 acres of land, in a central and beautifully-located site, was purchased, and a contract was entered into with Messrs. Causey & Maxwell to build a home for the institute.

The seminary is one of the handsomest buildings in the province. Built of brick and stone, it consists of three departments, viz., the centre building for scholastic purposes, and wings at each side for male and female departments, connected with the centre building. The centre building is 77 feet long by 66 feet deep. The wings at either side are 35½ feet wide by 73 feet deep. The connections at either side between the centre building and the wings are 31½ feet long by 25 feet deep, making a total frontage of 217 feet. The entrance to the centre building is through a tower 22 feet wide by 80 feet high, projecting from line of centre building 12 feet. The front of the wings, accommodating the male and female departments, is each finished with an entrance for students, on either side of which are bay windows, extending up through each story and finishing a top deck roof. The connections between the centre building and wings, as well as the wings are finished with mansard slate roof. The walls of the centre building are five feet higher than those of the others. The roof of the main building is finished with a glass dome in the centre 36x20 feet, which lights the main staircase, hall, etc. The ell work of the main building is 66 feet deep by 39 feet wide, the central part of which is finished in three stories, the remainder in two stories with a truss roof.

The ground floor of the centre building contains two class rooms, library, museum, general reception room and the principal's apartments. The ground floor of the male and female departments contains music and reception rooms for each department and eighteen students' rooms and bath rooms.

The ground floor of the centre ell contains dining room 30x40 feet, with 14 feet ceiling, also kitchen, scullery, pantries and entrance to janitor's rooms. The second floor of the main building contains four ordinary class rooms, two large class rooms and a studio. Twenty students' rooms are supplied by the second floors of the male and female departments. The centre ell contains academic hall, 36x50 feet and 15 feet ceiling, with janitor's apartments in the rear. The third story contains 33 rooms to be used as dormitories and study rooms, with the necessary provision for water supply and bath rooms.

The Smead-Dowd system of heating and ventilating has been introduced into this building, a fact which shows that the directors of this institution are fully alive to the importance of attending to the health and comfort of the pupils.

The seminary will be opened on the 20th of September next under the management Rev. J. A. Gordon, as superintendent, and Rev. B. F. Simpson, as principal, who will be assisted by an accomplished staff of teachers, capable of taking charge of every branch taught in a first-class academy and ladies' seminary. It is to be conducted upon the principle of the government of a home, purely under Christian influence and as cheaply as is at all consistent with thorough instruction and good accommodation.

The prospects of a large number of students attending this year, as well as of financial support, are most encouraging and growing brighter day by day, and if hard work can make it a success, it certainly will not fail. PROGRESS sees before this institution the grandest possibilities, with a constituency in New Brunswick alone of 100,000 Baptists of growing wealth and a splendid system of education—Acadia college, N. S., and McMaster hall in Toronto—of which this will be a feeder.

The present directorate is composed as follows:

President—Mont. McDonald.
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Hon. Geo. E. Foster, Hon. Ezekiel McLeod, Foster Macfarlane, M. D., D. McLeod Vince, J. A. Vanwart, William Vaughan, G. W. Musgrove, M. D., David Vaughan, R. C. Elkin, T. L. Hay, A. C. Smith, John McGinty, Wm. Peters and Jas. Paterson—as well as all the ordained ministers of the Baptist and Free Baptist churches.

A Rebuke That Was Felt.

Liszt was once at Berks, in the lodgings of Ferdinand David, the violinist. A musical party being held in the evening, David suggested trying a new composition with Liszt. "You will find the piano part," said he, as he touched the music with his bow, "very difficult." The friends of Liszt felt indignant at the arrogance of the remark, but Liszt himself remained silent. The piece began with a broad majestic movement, the piano part grew more and more brilliant. David's face changed expression as though some important fact were dawning upon him, and finally he stopped playing altogether. "Why!" he gasped, "he is playing the violin part too!" Liszt continued, without noticing the mortified violinist, and with orchestral effect brought the piece to a magnificent close. It was a rebuke that David could never forget.—*Boston Times*.

TWO SUMMERS.

I recall a sweet day in July, Mamette, When the birds sang a carol to love, And I spoke of short-cake in a cot, Mamette; You referred me, my love, to your giv'. Ah, little we recked then of gold, Mamette, Though I called you my Rose of Cashmere; Yet I sighed for the time when I'd deck you with gems, As the bride of a trusted cashier. Once more comes the love-laden summer, Mamette, But it's cold as St. Bernard's nose. I'm in Canada, darling, where no one will trust; Do send me along some warm clothes. —*Drake's Magazine*.



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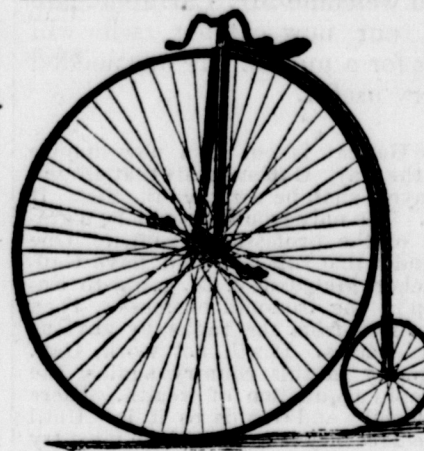
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