

not in the blood, but is only the effect of breathing for so many years the air of that staid, old conservative County Kings. In time, perhaps, I may be as fond of "pastures fresh," new faces, friends and paths as any radical. Religiously and politically we are all "liberals" in this "up river" border County, at least those of us who are not *ultra* liberals.

In dating my letters I sometimes even now forget, and make an S. instead of a W.; and for many a Sabbath as I raised my head while the choir sang the hymn before sermon, I would start at seeing new faces instead of the old familiar ones that had looked up into mine for so many years. "Should old acquaintance be forgot?" Yes, if old acquaintance interfere with new acquaintance and new duties. The best cure I know for homesickness is work; of that we have had plenty during the past winter, and it has not been in vain. The church has been strengthened; there is better harmony, more of the love "that suffereth long and is kind;" pastor and people are beginning to understand each other better, and to be more helpful to each other. Dr. Guthrie tells the story, That one foggy morning, as he went out over the Scotch hills through the wet heather, he saw coming towards him what seemed to be a huge uncouth monster. As it came nearer he saw that it was a man; when it came close enough to be recognized, it was his brother. The monster had disappeared, there was no monster; it was nothing but mist and fog that made the man seem like one. There are many eyes that can see a man, and I thank God, there are eyes clear enough to see a brother. "We shall know each other better when the mists have cleared away."

The Sabbath-school, under the efficient superintendence of Brother Simon McLeod and his staff of live teachers, is doing a good work, and in spiritual life and power is second to none in the denomination. A number of the recently converted have come from the school, and are the results of the prayers and labours of superintendent and teachers. Some of the number added to the church are in middle life, and are heads of families; the largest number are young. One of the most touching incidents of the meetings was in giving the hand of fellowship to a boy only twelve years of age, a bright promising boy who knows all about being converted, and will make a man for God. How "one sows and another reaps" is exemplified in this incident. Walking down the street with a brother one day, he asked me why I did not appoint a children's meeting. God had given him the thought. It was a tiny seed, but it has brought forth fruit a hundred fold. Out of it have grown some of our most interesting and profitable meetings. We held them every afternoon from four to five, and now that the special meetings are over we are to continue them every Wednesday afternoon. I wish some of you could come into our meetings and hear "my boys and girls" speak and pray and sing. I assure you it would do you good, as it has numbers of visitors. If this letter catches the eye of Dr. Phillips, I want to say to him that if he can only "hold the fort" until my boys and girls are a little older we will furnish him with missionaries. I am sure that some of them are to be preachers and missionaries some day. They are "in training" now; they are taught to bring the neglected and poor to the Sabbath-school and meetings, and each one is pledged to bring a cent a week of their own earnings (not beggings) for Missions.

Our church has already sent a missionary to the Methodist church. Not that we regarded the Methodists as a promising field for missions; but Bishop Taylor wanted Bro. Murray McLean for a missionary and a Methodist, and we packed his bundle and sent him off with our blessings and prayers. We have a missionary prayer meeting every month, or did have until special meetings crowded them out. We shall resume them now, for we found them profitable to us, and we don't doubt but that they will help missions.

The whole number baptized was thirty-four. Five of them were converts of the Salvation Army, and have gone back to follow the fortunes of the Army, accompanied by nine of our old church members. May God be with them and help them to fight manfully. And now some one asks, "What about the Army in Woodstock?" We can better judge of the character of their work years hence; and it seems to me that they just now need our prayers more than our criticisms. Their opportunities for doing good or working evil are great. They are in one danger at least and that is from their popularity, a dizzy height that has made many as steady heads as theirs swim. If any man or church wants a good persecution and is anxious to play the role of martyr,

let them attack the Army in Woodstock.

The W. C. T. U. has commenced a good work here, and none too soon. Rum shops, drunkenness and profanity abound; boys even as young as ten years are known to drink, and in spite of churches, temperance societies and Salvation Army, drunkenness does not seem to decrease. I hope that our wives and mothers and sisters will soon have the chance to say what they think of it and say it with the ballot. No woman will ever have her "rights" until she has the right to protect herself with the ballot from the effects of rumselling. Now that I have reached the ballot I will close, lest it lead me to that dangerous subject, politics; for the air is full of the sound of approaching battle.

But I must not close without saying something of the kindness of the people. Again and again they have shown their kindness. You have already had a report of a donation made me last week. One friend gave me a baptismal suit, and two young girls collected money enough to get material for a baptismal gown; and in many other ways have they helped me.

C. T. PHILLIPS.

MISS HOOPER'S REPORT.—Thursday, April 1st, I started for Millville. Deacon Odber Morgan met me at the station and took me to his home. Shortly after Bros. Downey and Smith came in from Mapleton to meet me; and after dinner we left for Mapleton. The roads were very rough indeed, but we arrived in time for prayer-meeting, at 2 p. m. In the evening a public missionary meeting was held. Miss Addie Freeze organized a Mission Aid Society here over a year ago. The sisters are interested, and are holding on amid the usual discouragements. I would like to have stayed and visited every home in Mapleton; but, owing to the condition of the roads, it seemed wiser to return to Millville, which we did early next morning. I was somewhat disappointed in not being able to visit Southampton; it will be much easier to do so, however, a few weeks hence, when the steamers are running. A public missionary meeting was held at Millville Friday evening. Through the efforts of Miss Freeze a Society was organized over a year ago. The interest is still kept up by holding meetings regularly. We were told it would be useless to attempt to get to Caverhill; but "where there is a will there is a way;" Sister Morgan said, "We will go," and we found the "way" Saturday morning by a passing team. The afternoon found us comfortably seated by the fireside in the hospitable home of Deacon Alex. Morgan. The same evening a public missionary meeting was held, at which Rev. John S. Jones presided. After meeting I went home with Mr. and Mrs. Jones. The house in which they live may be termed the birth-place of the Free Baptist Church at Caverhill. There, over thirty years ago, Father Gunter held meetings for the first time, and organized a church.

Sabbath morning, Rev. J. S. Jones preached a sermon in the interests of the Union Baptist Seminary, text, Isaiah xxxii. 20: "Blessed are ye that sow beside all waters." Sabbath afternoon a meeting was held for the purpose of organizing a Mission Society. The brethren came in and helped us, and we had a successful meeting. Seventeen enrolled their names as members. We believe they will all be earnest workers in the cause of Missions. Monday morning we returned to Millville, and found the sisters at the church ready to hold a prayer-meeting. We prayed and talked together, and trust the meeting was not in vain. Thus ended a very helpful, encouraging trip. The morning we left home was rainy, foggy, and dismal enough. I thought again and again, is it any use to go? Yet it was all sunshine at the last. Although very tired on getting home, I am now rested and ready to go again as soon as the roads are in condition.

JESSIE B. HOOPER.
F'ton, April 16, '86.

REV. T. O. DEWITT is, we are sorry to learn, not in good health. His throat troubles him very much. He has been working excessively, in special services most of the time, for over a year, and is now feeling the effects. He ought to have a rest. We beg to suggest that his pastoral vote him a few weeks vacation, &c. Don't forget the &c. He will return to his work refreshed in every way.

FRENCH LAKE AND WAASIS, S. Co.—I am still engaged in the work of the Lord in the Fourth District. During the winter I have preached regularly at Waasis and Waterville, and also as opportunity offered at Geary, Greenfield, and several other places. My friends at French Lake invited me to attend a pie sociable on the evening of Saturday, the 3rd inst., and also to hold meeting with them on the

Sabbath. Owing to previous appointment I could not attend the former, but a very pleasant evening was enjoyed by those present.

On Sabbath afternoon I held meeting there, and preached the Word of Life. At the close of the meeting I was presented with the proceeds of the previous evening amounting to \$10.50. The people wish me to extend to them care as often as possible, which I intend to do.

These events becoming known, some of the young men in Waasis thought the same thing might be done there with equal success. Announcement was forthwith made that a pie sociable would be held on the next Saturday evening, my own home being selected as the place of meeting. The attendance was large, including quite a number from Lincoln, Rusagornish and Oromocto. The latter place and Waasis furnished the pies. Bro. Oran Howland performed the duty of auctioneer in an off-handed and business-like manner. The proceeds amounted to \$42.78, of which sum I was made the recipient.

Z. B. GRASS.

April 15th.

NOVA SCOTIA.

FROM REV. S. K. WEST.—I have just returned from a visit of two weeks to Riverdale, Cheeggin and Sanford. I encountered a succession of storms that very much hindered the work in which I was engaged. I was not unmindful of the claims of the INTELLIGENCER, and I send you a new subscriber.

A word of commendation at so late a period and after so many have written may seem out of place. We are pleased with the paper in its new dress, though it bothered us some at first to find our place. We read the correspondence with great interest. The news from the churches is first sought, then the general intelligence, the marching forward of the host of the Redeemer to do battle with the powers of darkness.

Are the followers of Jesus learning that it is their wisdom to stand close together? When shall the prayer of the Great Head of the Church be realized, "That they all may be one even as we are one." We are told that we have oneness in purpose. Do a few union prayer-meetings at the commencement of the year, and then parting to build up denominational partitions that separate the flock of Christ show it? And then we scarce dare mention some of the leading doctrines of our denominations, some that were considered of so much importance by the fathers. Do you think that if we now preached as they did that we would have as many lovers as now? Where is now the real old-fashioned Free-willism that was so repulsive to the taste of many who now are ready to command. I am for union; less creeds and more Christ.

S. K. WEST.

THE SCOTT ACT elections were carried on in St. John and Portland with little excitement. In St. John the organization of the liquor dealers was complete and their work proved very effective in their behalf. In Portland the Act was carried. The temperance party were well organized there. The following are the votes in both cities: St. John—for the Act 1610, against the Act 1687; majority against the Act 77. Portland—for the Act 667, against the Act 520; majority for the Act 147.

RECEIVED.—The estimates for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1887; annual report of the Department of Indian Affairs for year ended Dec. 31st, '86; Abstracts of Statements of Fire and Life and Inland Marine Insurance Companies in Canada for the year 1885.

Marriages.

COSMAN-LOCKWOOD.—At Westminster Church, Minneapolis, Minn., on the evening of the 8th inst., Dr. E. O. Cosman, formerly of this city, to Miss Amelia Lockwood, daughter of N. S. Lockwood, of Minneapolis.

Deaths.

ALWARD.—In this city, on the 13th inst., Dr. Aaron Alward.
CRANDLEIRE.—At Brookville, Carleton Co., on the 31st ult., of consumption, Charles Frederic Crandleire, aged 34 years. His end was peace.
MCLEOD.—At Penobscot, K. Co., on the 13th inst., Mrs. Lydia McLeod, aged 82 years, widow of the late Robert McLeod.
HOYT.—At Clarendon, Q. Co., April 3, Sarah J. Hoyt, aged 45.
NASON.—At Gladstone, S. Co., April 4, Seward B. Nason, aged 13.
JONES.—At Gasperaux, Q. Co., April 6, Stephen S. Jones, aged 37.
HOYT.—At Blaisville, April 8, Ezekiah Hoyt, aged 74.
HENDERSON.—At Windsor, C. C., 7th April, 1886, Jennie S., daughter of Robert and Matilda Henderson, aged 8 years and 1 month.
CARPENTER.—On the 16th inst., at 115 Carmarthen street, after a lingering illness, Coles G. Carpenter, aged 62 years, leaving a wife and six children to mourn their loss.

ESTABROOKS.—In Indian town, on the 17th inst., Lucetta, beloved wife of Capt. G. L. Estabrooks, and eldest daughter of Capt. D. M. Pidgeon.

STEPHENSON.—In Fredericton, on the 19th inst., James Stephenson, aged 88 years.

POLITICAL NEWS.—Since the announcements of candidates made last week some new names have been made public and some changes have been made. We mention only those counties in which changes or additions have been made: Westmoreland Co.—Messrs. Killam, Hanington, Humphrey, Smith, J. L. Black, Robinson, Gaudet and Landry.

Albert Co.—Messrs. Turner, Lewis, Rogers, Jonah, Steadman and Duffy. Gloucester Co.—Messrs. Ryan, McMahon, Young, Blanchard and St. Ceur.

Kings Co.—Messrs. Pugsley, Taylor, White, Sinnott, McKenzie and Keith. The candidates in the other counties are as named last week.

Next Monday is voting day. As it appears at present there is to be a contest in every county but Queens and Restigouche.

Since the foregoing was in type we see it stated that B. N. Shaw is a candidate in Carleton Co., and T. H. Pearson in Queens.

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S. T. GORDING,
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St. John, N. B., Jan. 18th, 1882.
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A. PETERS,
Proprietor Victoria Livery Stables,
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Livery Stables, St. John, N. B.

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