

—Rev. Dr. Pantecost, who has through several years, had much success in evangelistic work, has resigned the pastorate of his church in Brooklyn, intending to devote himself wholly to the work of an evangelist. He has just closed a series of meetings in Winsted, Conn., in which nearly 300 were converted. The people came from the surrounding villages to attend the services, carrying the revival spirit back to their homes, and the work is spreading in all that region.

—In Morris town, New Jersey, a great revival is in progress under the labours of a young Presbyterian Minister. About 350 conversions are already reported. All the churches are receiving additions.

—The work in Picton, Ont., goes on with increasing power. Last week we stated that four hundred had professed conversion. The number now reported is much larger, as many as 800 having expressed the purpose to live the Christian life. It is the most remarkable religious awakening ever known in that part of Canada.

DENOMINATIONAL NEWS.

PORTLAND.—The interest in our meetings is good; there are signs of revival. God grant us a gracious blessing.

W. J. HALSE.

NORTH BEAD, GRAND MANAN.—We are having very interesting meetings. No special services yet, but the regular meetings are good, and there is a steady growth.

H. H. COSMAN.

LUTZ MOUNTAIN, W. Co.—I am labouring in revival at Lutz Mountain. There have been several conversions. On the 26th ult., Rev. A. C. Thompson came and baptized four. Others will be baptized soon, I think. I am engaged with five points, Wheaton Settlement and Lutz Mountain. At the last named place they held a basket social on the 22nd ult., and raised \$40 for me.

J. A. PORTER.

WOODVILLE, Q. Co.—The Sabbath School at Woodville a few days ago presented the Superintendent, Albert Palmer M. P. P., with a writing desk as a token of their esteem for him, and appreciation of his faithful services in the school.

TOLENE RIVER.—After passing through everything, except fire, I arrived safely at Tobique. The roads and weather have been somewhat against holding meetings; but I am now getting settled to regular work, and feel quite contented and happy. The meetings are quite interesting and the outlook encouraging.

Feb 7th.

G. E. CURRIE.

HAMPSTEAD, Q. Co.—I take this opportunity of informing the readers of the INTELLIGENCER of my labours in pastorate of the Third and Fourth Churches, Hampstead. I intend holding a series of meetings with them soon, and I trust God may bless the efforts we may make for his cause. I hope, also, we may have the prayers of the Lord's children who may read this short letter.

O. N. MERR.

February 8th.

REV. A. TAYLOR, we are sorry to learn, is sick. In a private note from him, dated Campbell Settlement, York Co., Feb 7th, he says he is not able to leave the house. He took a severe cold on the way down, and has suffered a great deal. He could not attend his appointments on the 6th. Those for last Sabbath he would not be able to attend, nor will he get to those announced for next Sabbath. When he wrote he intended to go home as soon as he could. He feels that he must not attempt to travel about in the winter as much as he has been doing. He speaks in warm terms of the tender treatment received in the home of Deacon D. Schiwer where he was stopping when he wrote. We are sure many will join in prayer for his recovery, and that he may have many years of life and blessing.

Since the foregoing was prepared we have received word from Bro. Phillips, 11th inst. that Bro. Taylor was then in Woodstock and quite sick. He was anxious to get home, and has gone on by this time, if able. The doctor tells him that he can help him, but that he must not go far from home even if better.

LOWER MILLSTREAM, K. Co.—A few words from this part of the Lord's vineyard may not be out of place. The church in this community is still striving to maintain its standing. Our prayer and conference meetings are interesting and profitable; the young people of our church do their part promptly, and are helpful in promoting the life and activity of the church.

We know and believe that God will help and send us the promised blessings. "Thy kingdom come" is our ardent prayer. How every Christian heart should pray that the gospel dispensation may be extended to the utmost parts of the earth! Let us who live under this last and most gracious dispensation of God to mankind, count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus our Lord, and not suffer ourselves by the slight evils of unbelievers to be moved away from the hope of the gospel. Let us demonstrate that we believe the superior excellency of the Christian dispensation, by conforming to its precepts. Let us show that we are Christians indeed and in truth. Our Pastor, Rev. S. H. Weyman, is doing good work, his ministrations are appreciated by the church and congregation, and we are praying for an outpouring of His spirit.

Feb 9th

SUNDRIES.

Fine weather.

The white population of Alaska has more than doubled in the last year and a half.

It is stated that in the United States there is one divorce for every sixteen marriages annually, in Europe the rate is one to every 300.

The unusual sight of snow is seen in San Francisco. Saturday night five inches of snow fell.

A Fort Shaw Montana despatch says: there was a heavy snow storm Sunday night, extending through northern Montana from north of Fort Assinaboine to Fort Shaw. From four to eight inches fell, making from 14 to 24 inches now on the level. The cattle are suffering terribly. The fuel famine still continues at Fort Benton. Coal is \$60 a ton, and is extremely difficult to obtain even at that figure. Wood is scarce, and is selling at a high figure.

Forty-eight hours of continuous rain in the vicinity of Joliet, Illinois, caused serious damage to property. Monday the rain poured down in torrents for several hours, accompanied by the most violent thunder claps and frequent lightning.

A more careful revision, the accuracy of which is indisputable, shows the following estimate of the number of people on the wrecked train and how they are accounted for up to 10 a. m. today. There were brought to Windsor on the Connecticut River road 30; brought to White River Junction on the Boston and Lowell road 37; taken on at White River Junction 6; train men 12; total number of persons on train 85. These are accounted for as follows: Injured, per surgeon's official list, 36; dead bodies recovered 32; known to have gone North on trains 12; known to have returned home five; total, 85. These figures may be changed by the probable presence of children without tickets on the train who have not yet been heard from.

ALL SORTS.

"No sic," he said to the captain, "I am not sick, but I am really disgusted with the motion of this vessel."

Railway carriages fitted up as churches are, on Sundays and saints' days, to be attached to trains in Russia, in order to give the officials an opportunity of attending service.

A newspaper has just been started in Greenland. It is a daily, but the editors are not all pressed for time, as the day is about six months long in that part of the world.

The yearly expenditures of New York city are \$48,942,178, and the per capita tax is \$36.65. London, which has more than three times the population, expends yearly \$35,300,000, and its per capita tax is \$7.50.

An old negro woman praying for a certain slanderer, said "O Lord, won't you be kind enough to take the door of his mouth off, and when you put it on again just hang it on the hinges of peace and good-will to all men?"

In the extensive oyster culture experiments of the United States Government, particular attention is being given to methods for preserving the young. Wire baskets, three feet square and six inches deep, are used for collecting the spat, which adhere closely to the sides and bottom, this device enabling the operators to prevent the accumulation of mud, the great foe of the oyster industry, by frequent shakings of the baskets. An average oyster is expected to yield 10,000,000 young.

After the clerk had pulled down everything in the store without satisfying his customer, a woman, she asked him if there was anything else he had not shown her. "Yes, ma'am," he said, "the cellar; but if you wish it, I will have that brought up and shown to you."

THINGS ABOUT TOWN.

—The Bible Society meeting on Wednesday evening was not well attended; indeed the audience was unpleasantly small. And yet it was an interesting meeting. The singing was good, the address of the President was good, the Governor spoke well, and there were other good speeches and the brief but pleasing report of the Secretary. Those who do not attend the Bible meeting miss more than they know. Perhaps the attendance next year will be larger. We hope so.

—W. C. T. Union meetings are generally well attended. That of last Wednesday evening was no exception to the rule. The Hall could hold no more. The marching, singing, etc. by the "Loyal Legion," careful training, were much enjoyed by the audience. There were speeches, readings, music—and a collection. The "Broom Brigade" is to give an entertainment on the 23rd inst.

W. H.

LITERARY NOTES.

The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. Co. has published a pronouncing Dictionary containing 320 pages, 32,000 words and 970 engravings. It teaches everybody how to pronounce correctly. Send sixteen cents in stamps to PACT, MORTON, G. P. and T. A. C. B. & Q. R. R., Chicago, Ill., and get a copy of the Dictionary—the cheapest book issued.

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Denominational Notices.

Harmony Q. M. F. B., of N. S. will convene at Port Matoum Feb. 18th, 19th and 20th, 1887.

Business Conference, Friday 2.30 P. M., Social Conference, Saturday 2.30 P. M. Missionary meeting, Saturday 7 P. M.

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Q. M. CLERK.

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WM. PETERS,

Treasurer.

D. L. Moody was fifty years of age on the 5th inst.

There is one post office to every 633 people in Canada, and the Dominion has more post offices to the same number of people than any other country in the world.

The Local Legislature is summoned to meet for business on Thursday, March 3rd.

The Christian Guardian (Toronto) has donned a new suit of type, and looks exceedingly well. The Guardian is a first-class paper.

The Ontario legislature met on Thursday, and after hearing the Governor's speech, adjourned till March 1st, it being impossible to satisfactorily carry on business till after the general elections are over.

St. John has now three candidates for Mayor. Besides Mr. Thorne, the nominee of the Temperance party, there are Mr. H. Allen, and Dr. D. Berryman. There may be more aspirants before election day.

The San Francisco Post remarks that among the Indians a medicine man who allows two or three patients to die is killed. On this system of medical ethics the Tule River Indians have just disposed of their leading physician. Civilization can afford to learn of savagery in some things. All true reforms come slowly.

A little boy belonging to the Children's Missionary Society in Northfield, Mass., and who has learned the blessedness of giving, remarked to a comrade "Before I went to those meetings, I was a stingy, mean sort of a fellow; but now I think I'm coming out all right."

Marriages.

TEAKLES-NICHOLSON.—At the residence of the bride's father, Jan. 28th, by Rev. G. W. McDonald, Mr. Isaac Teakles, and Miss Eliza E. Nicholson both of Cardwell, K. Co.

WILLIAMS-BURGESS.—At the residence, the bride's mother, Apohaqui, Kings Co., January 27th, by Rev. G. W. McDonald, Mr. Wellington R. Williams and Miss Mary E. Burgess, both of Sussex, Kings Co.

ASHTON-DOWNEY.—At Kars on the 9th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. E. H. Nobles, James W. Ashton to Miss Augusta Downey, both of Kars, King Co.

HAMILTON-NICKERSON.—On the 1st inst., at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Lower Argyle, by Rev. J. W. Freeman, Mr. Gordon Hamilton, to Miss Dorcas Nickerson, both of Argyle.

MORTON-GOODWIN.—On the 2nd inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. J. W. Freeman, Mr. Jessie Morton, of Lower Argyle, to Miss Esther Goodwin, of Pubnico Head.

SMITH-SHAND.—At Bear Point, on the 1st inst., by Rev. Wm. Miller, assisted by Rev. T. H. Siddis, Mr. L. Sturges, Mr. James Smith, of Port LaTouche, to Miss Jennie Shand, adopted daughter of Mr. John M. Shand, Bear Point.

MALONE-MORRISSEY.—At the residence of Mr. Charles Nickerson, Shag Harbor, Feb. 1st, by Rev. Wm. Miller, assisted by Rev. Geo. E. Sturges, M. D., Mr. William Malone, to Miss Ida Morrissey, both of Woods Harbor.

At the same time and place, by the same, Mr. Charles Nickerson, to Miss Jessie Malone, both of Woods Harbor.

NICKERSON-NICKERSON.—At the residence of the bride, Doctor's Cove, Feb. 3rd, by Rev. Wm. Miller, assisted by Rev. Geo. E. Sturges, M. D., Miss Lucenia Nickerson and Mr. Jeremiah Nickerson, of Port Clyde.

SHANKLIN-AKERLEY.—On the 5th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. O. N. Mott, Mr. Haden Shanklin of Springfield, K. Co., to Miss Janie Akerley, of Wickham, Q. Co.

McCHONCHIE-McCHONCHIE.—At the residence of the bride's father on the 2nd inst., by the Rev. O. N. Mott, Mr. Christopher McChonchie of Hampstead, Q. Co., to Miss Sarah J. McChonchie, of the same place.

Deaths.

FREEMAN.—At Middle Southampton on the 3d inst., of Consumption, Miss Adelaide Freeman, beloved daughter of Mr. David Freeman, aged 27 years. She died in the triumph of faith.

GILMAN.—At Lower Kingsclear, York Co., on the 8th inst., Mrs. Lottie M. aged 35 years and 10 months, beloved wife of Mr. John Gilman, and daughter of Mr. Samuel Butler of Marysville.

MOTT.—Very suddenly on the 23rd ult., of heart disease, Hannah E., in the seventeenth year of her age, daughter of the Rev. O. N. and Melissa L. Mott. She died in the triumph of faith.

Mail Contract.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on 18th March, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, once per week each way, between

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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post of Little Salmon River Mills and Shepody Road, and at this office.

S. J. KING,

Post Office Inspector.

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