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We have been blessed of late with a good deal of quickening in the church at Arthurette. This place is on the Tobique River, about fourteen miles from Perth Village. One was added to the church by baptism, and others 31 minare earnestly seeking salvation. The churches church has been much helped. han 1 of ondered paid by stor, we church-

On the evening of the 12 inst., they presented me with a purse containing \$16.00 cash, besides two or three dollars worth of goods. May heaven bless them. Arthurette shows itself to be very thoughtful of our temporal wants. When the will is ready the feet are light." Let us be patient. J. J. BARNES. Perth, V. Co.

we have not this virtue, the sooner

we quit the field, and leave it to the

care of others the better for us.

Donation &c .- On the eve of leaving Campobello, where he has been pastor for several years, Rev. J. N. Barnes was the recipient of a donation and a complimentary address. The donation was Saturday evening, 15th inst., at the home of Bro. Howsion, presided over by Bro. John Small. The donation amounted to \$35.00. The following address was also presented Bro. Barnes.

cheerfully submit to the decree of separation, though we deeply regret that you have concluded and decided that you can prosecute your mission with more prosperity in another field. The three years you have spent with us have been marked by good work, christian sympathy and progression. True, we have had some of the chills that invade the christian domain that sometimes seriously hold in check every effort. To the causes of these we individually and collectively have contributed. You have evinced a patient part toward our shortcomings and errors. When away from us, in your reviews of the past, do not disturst your arduous work during the time spent with us. We one and all recognize your zeal and energy in promoting the best interest of our church, and of enforcing the tenets of christian religion as taught is in the New Testament. Our reflections on these points after your departure will serve to unite us more firmly in the Officers of Women's F. M. Society. ing, perhaps, are Mr. Theodore Child's work left us to perform. We congratulate you on the field you have chosen to be your future home and Mrs CT Phillips....Rev TO DeWitt Journalism." These contain a great place of labor, and tender to you our sympathy and best wishes that in all your efforts to impress the erring you may see the results of faithful efforts. We extend to your beloved companion and children our sympathy and good will, hoping that the blessings of heaven may surround them always, and that they, with you and us, may be prepared to meet where dwell the Miss N O Bloodsworth . Luke Bailey "Blessed of my Father." We present Mrs S H Shaw......Rich Webb on your umbrella. a fitting memento of the good rela- Miss F Crewdson.... Thos Alexander tions that have existed and now exist | Mrs Thos Alexander . " between you and our Church and Com-

Bro. Barnes, though quite unprepared for the address, made a fitting reply. He expressed his deep gratitude for their kind words and deeds, and for all the help and sympathy he had received during his three years pastorate, and assured them that he would continue to be interested in and to pray for their prosperity.

GENERAL CONFERENCE HOMES .-The following homes have been provided for members of Conference, which

meets at Blissville, S.	. Co., Oct. 13th.
Members.	Homes.
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" G W McDonaid	Daniel Musereau
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" C T Phillips	Ralph Seely
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Mr F C Bloodsworth Luke Bailey "Albert Palmer, MPP. Abner Hoyt G W Sharp..... Linus Musereau They represent the ministry, medicine inch in diameter, grow in the eastern Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and United States " Wm Peters Daniel Musereau and the law.

Treas. of Districts. "AW Rideout.....Wilbur Webb year, an increase of 10,000 over the William's younger brother, was born. Mr Samuel Barker Warren Smith "Ward Merithew...Thos Alexander same period last year.
Major Alexander ... Major Alexander Mr G J Worden Jacob Hoyt

" G L Good Douglas Gallaspie " Wm Whittaker D W Smith Delegates of 1st District. Mr J D Giberson Fred Duplisea Stephen Barker....Chris. Duplisea

Delegates of 2nd District. Mr E W Miller Ralph Seely " S W Boyer D E Smith " E Crouse Mrs John Bailey " Hugh Davis Alfred Hartt

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Delegates of 5th District.

The time has come when we must One from 5th Dist....Mrs M J Slipp " " Douglas Gallaspie " " Ralph Seely Delegates from 6th District. Mr Alfred Taylor Abner Hoyt Gideon McLeod...... " "
Thos G Perry...... Ralph Seely

"Abram Colpitts.....Ottis Hoyt
GB Storey.....Rich Webb Delegates from 7th District. Mr A C Smith...... Thos Smith " James Patterson....Chris Duplisea

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D W Clark Rich Webb Mr B S Palmer..... D E Smith "ECFreeze......D W Smith for October is apparent even from a the highest morals, temperance and N S Delegate..... Abner Musereau hasty glance through its pages. There Dr. Phillips, Miss. . . Rev T O DeWitt | are short stories and long ones, sketch-Rev E W Porter.... " " "

" E Cosman.........Wesley Hoyt scanned by the public with interest. " M Fenwick.....Thos Alexander "Simon McLeod...Abner Musereau " Wm Heine Thos Alexander " Richard Alexander W D Smith you this small token of our esteem as " Cyrus Burtt Daniel De Witt

> Miss Carpenter......Mrs J Slipp " Jane Weyman...... Orlo Musereau " L Fullerton......Wesley Hoyt Mrs Wm Peters....Daniel Musereau " G R Burtt......Abner Musereau " Alfred Turner.....Daniel DeWitt " J A Shea......Daniel Musereau " A C Thompson Warren Smith Any delegates from Baptist Convention will be provided with homes on

their arrival. If any members of Conference have been over looked they will please notify the committee at once. Members, coming to conference on

the N. B. Railway, may buy tickets either to South Branch siding, or to Hoyt Station.

REV. G. F. CURRIE. D. E. SMITH. > Com. ANDREW HOYT. Blissville, S. Co., Sept. 21st, 1888.

SALISBURY, W. Co.-I am holding special meetings in this place, and have been for the last two weeks. The church has been much revived and sinners are being saved. We expect there will be baptism on Sunday. Pray for us.

W. H. PERRY. Sept. 25th.

Sundries

-One of the Capitals cleverest lawyers took to himself a wife last week. See the department for such notices. Congratulations.

-Two young women in Buffalo have opened a drug store. Why not? -There is likely to be a great crowd

of people in the city this week. The Fair opens to-day (Wednesday). -Notice in another column tells of | pennies. "CF Rideout......Daniel DeWitt | -Notice in another column tens of A H Trafton.....Andrew Hoyt | the wisdom of a young Free Baptist " J H Erb Thos Smith minister in taking to himself a wife.

> -Rev. J. H. Clark and family are now on a holiday trip in Queens Co.,

> He and his bride are now receiving the

-The methodist church of this city receives for various purposes \$2850 by the will of the late Mrs. Wilmot. The in St John receive \$1000 each, and Sackville academy \$500. various benevolent objects were remembered also.

-Mr. B. C. Foster has been appointed to the vacancy in the High School in this city caused by the appointment " F C Francis...... Thos Smith of Mr. Bridges to the Inspectorship. It is a good appointment.

-The department which is believed "W J Owens...... Thos Kelly to be first read by many ladies shows " J A Vanwart.......... Wesley Hoyt that last week three people of one "James Kenney..... Ralph Seely name formed life-long partnerships

-Immigration returns show 62,000 actual settlers in the Dominion this

Progress of last Saturday was chiefly devoted to Fredericton. It was admirable numbers of an always spicey | the cat's hidin' under the stove, sorr.'

TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS. - The Corresponding Secretary telegraphs us that arrangements are being made for reduced rates of travel to Conference. Particulars will be announced in next

MONUMENT.-A very neat and beautiful red granite monument has been erected at the grave of the late Rev. J. E. Reud, in the old church

---CONVERTED PRIESTS .- One of the many societies of Paris has for its objects to provide for all priests who for conscience sake have quit the the Protestant faith. Within two years six such priests have entered the Reformed Church as ministers and others have been set up in secular business.

More than Theory .- "It takes more than theory to stir heaven, earth, or hell. It is surprising that so many go into the theory business who should be earnestly engaged on God's battleline of energetic truth, which "turn the world upside down;" it is just as easy to backslide "preaching holiness," or singing psalms, as in any other way, except we keep the aggressive life and power in our souls by watching unto prayer .- The Sword.

Literary Notes.

The excellence of Harper's Magazine es, "skits," poetry, and unsurpassed illustrations. The articles most strik- Colorado, \$5.00. Mrs G A Hartley...... D E Smith | "Limoges and its Industries," and Z. "Wm Downey Abner Hoyt store of new information, and even the "C WWeyman.....Rich Webb old facts are so presented that they tian Baptist General Conference of on the 19th ult.. of cancer, Mr. William Bachelor, formerly of Burlington Maine, strike the reader with new force. The New Bruniswick will be held with the Bachelor, formerly of Burlington Maine, "GW McDonald......D E Smith portraits of Western editors will be F. C. B. Church at Blissville in Sun-

ALL SORTS.

If you don't want to be robbed of 1888. your good name, don't have it engraved

What is the difference between a hill and a pill? One is hard to get up and the other is hard to get down.

Cincinnati, the winner wrote 8,709 words in ninety minutes, an average " F Babcock......Linus Musereau of over ninety six words per minute. The Chinese of San Francisco are

about to erect a hospital in that city, free to the poor Chinese throughout the United States. A Philadelphia colored woman

brought her baby to be christened the other day, and, when asked what name she preferred for it chose the word "Amen," as she liked its sound and it was in the Bible.

A farmer of Maine named Ladd, who has long been insane, was kicked on the head by a horse the other day and knocked senseless. When he came to he was as sane as anybody, but could remember nothing of the last fifteen years.

George W. Vanderbilt will stock the fine library building which he has just given New York city, with \$100,000 worth of books.

Monsieur Ferdinand de Lesseps, the "Piercer of Isthmuses," will be 83 years old in November. He is as energetic as most men at fifty.

"Do you believe in the mental cure, doctor?" ,Oh, yes; but one must have a mind, to start with."

Horace Greely defined the successfully-edited journal as that with which you did not always agree but which you were eager to read.

A dollar a bushel for grasshoppers is the price that the authorities in the neighborhood of St. Paul, Minn, are said to have decided to pay for those

Business is brisk in the Philadelphia 000 double eagles, 1,800,000 silver October. commencing at 10 o'clock A. dollars, 500,000 dimes, and 3,000,000 M. Will the Dist. Secretaries, who The Soup served in dining-cars is at once?

made in a manufactory, which fills cans at the rate of five thousand a day with mock turtle, chicken, tomato, and all other kinds. The most powerful electric light in

the world is in St. Catherine's Point lighthouse, at the southernmost extremity of the Isle of Wight.

Young Wife: "Horrors! See here, sir, your dog has run off with a whole sponge cake I left outside to cool.' Centenary and Queen Square church | Tramp: "Don't worry, mum. That dog's tougher than he looks. He kin eat anything.

Musk was well known to the ancients, and was highly prized by them as a medicine, as it still is among the Oriental nations. About six hundred pounds are annually consumed in the nited States, of which ninety-eight per cent. is used in perfumery, and the remainder in medicine.

Until last month no son had been born to a Prussian King since 1809, when Prince Albert, the late Emperor

Bridget, has Johnnie come! hon.e from school yet?" "Yis, sorr." "Have you seen him?" "No, sorr." "Then how do you know he's home?" "Cause

The Russian law prohibits joking about the emperor. That's why no one in Russia ever refers to Alexander as an old Czardine. - Punch.

In the whole sky an eye of average power will see about 6,000 stars. With a telescope this number is greatly increased, and the most powerful telescopes show more than 60,000,000. Of this number, not one out of each hundred has ever been catalogued.

Every square mile of land in Great Britain and Ireland has to support 290 persons, and in Germany 216 persons. Every square mile in the United States has to support only 14

The Mississippi Legislature has passed a bill establishing an industrial school for young women. The course Roman Catholic Church and professed of instruction will run from needlework to school teaching. If the scheme as planned out is properly supported, it cannot fail to be a grand Mass. and Miss Susie E daughter of the scheme as planned out is properly supthing for the State.

A Correspondent tells the following: "I have a brother—a wee chap—who sometimes says things very odd. One day, as he was disposing of some bread and milk, he turned around to his mother and said: 'O mother, I'm full of glory! There was a sunbeam on my spoon, and I swallowed it!" "-Manford's Magazine.

In the centre of a large watch-making district in Switzerland has been found a curious bird's nest. It is the home of a common wagtail; but, instead of being made of the ordinary building materials used by birds, it is composed entirely of fine watch springs.

Denominational Notices.

FOREIGN MISSION FUND. From Mrs. A. L. Boyer, Denver, WM. PETERS, Treas.

GENERAL CONFERENCE.

The Annual Session of Free Chrisbury Co., N. B., on Saturday the 13th day of October, A. D. 1888 commencing at 2 o'clock p. m. Dated the thirteenth day of September A. D.

> D. McLEOD VINCE. Recording Secretary.

NOTICE.

The Board of Managers of the Free In a type-writing match at Christian Baptist Woman's Foreign Mission Society, N. B., will hold its annual meeting at Blissville, Sunbury Co., N. B., on Saturday 3 p. m., Oct. 13th, 1888.

MRS. F. BABCOCK, Secy.

BOARD OF MANAGERS.

The annual meeting of the F. C. Baptist Board of Managers will be held, at Blissville, S. Co. during the session of the approaching General Conference.

ELDERS' CONFERENCE.

The annual meeting of the F. C. B. Elders' Conference of N. B., will meet with the Blissville church, S. Co., on Friday, Oct. 12th, 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m.

G. A. HARTLEY, Secretary.

Sept. 24th, 1888.

TEA MEETING.

There will be a Tea Meeting held at the Free C. B. Church Gordonsville, Carleton Co., Oct. 12th. Tea at 2 p. m. Tickets 50 cents each. Children under twelve half price. Money to be appropriated to pay debt on Church. By order of Committee.

W. F. M. SOCIETY.

The Anual Session of the F. C. 2 dozen Dasher-Lanterns. Baptist Women's Foreign Mission Society will be held at Blissville, Sunmint. Last month it turned out 100- bury Co, on Monday the 15th day of have not reported, please report to me

N. L. WEYMAN. Cor. Secy Sept. 29th., 1888.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS .- Are you dis-

turbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it mothers; there is no mistake about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhoea, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of The smallest known flowering plant, the oldest and best female physicians scarcely visible to the naked eye, is and nurses in the United States, and is Wolffia microscropia, a water weed of for sale by all druggests throughout India. Two species of the same genus, the world. Price twenty-five cents the larger about one twenty-fifth of an a bottle. Be sure and ask for "MRs.

Marriages.

JONES-ERB.-On the 20th instant, at the Free C. Baptist pa sonage, Downeyville, Kars, K. Co., by the Rev. J. N. Barnes, Mr. David Jones of Kars, K. Co. to Miss Hannah Erb of Springfield, K. Co.

ANDERSON-DAY .- At the residence of the bride's mother, in Carleton, on the 26th Sept. by Rev. G. A. Hartley. Mr George W. Anderson, and Miss Alberta Day, both of Carleton.

JONES-BELL. - At the residence of Mr. Sylvester Smith, Yarmouth, N. S., Sept. 15, 1888, by the Rev. Edwin Corwell, Samuel W. Jones, of Boston, Mass., and Amelia K. Bell, of Yarmouth, N. S. VANWART-HUME. - At the Methodist

Church, in this city, on the 25th inst., by the Rev. Wm Dobson, Wesley VanWart, Barrister, to Annie A., eldest daughter of George Hume, both of this city. NOBLES-VANWART. - At the Free Bap tist Parsonage, in this city, on the 26th ult. by Rev. J. W. Olark and Rev. Dr. Mc-

Leod, REV B. H. NOBLES and Autta A.

second daughter of L. S. VANWART Esq., of Wickham, Q. Co. McDonall-VanWart .- At the Free Baptist Parsonage, in this city, on the 26th ult, by Rev. Dr. McLeod and Rev. J. W. Clark, M. H. McDonald M, D. and Idora E. eldest daughter of L. S. VanWart

Esq of Wickham, Q. Co. SHARP-FENWICK.—At the Free Baptist Church, Millstream, Kings Co., on 26th inst by the Rev. Prof. Keirstead, of Acadia late Joel Fenwick.

STAIRS-HARRIS .- At Woodstock on the 18th Sept., by Rev. C. T. Phillips, Judson W. Stairs and Eva Harris, both of Southampton, York Co.

CRUSH-WRIGHT.—At Woodstock on the 19th Sept. by Rev C. T. Phillips, Edward Crush of Irondale, Rhode Island and Mary Wright of Canterbury, York Co.

Deaths.

LEWIS-At North River Salisbury W. Co., September 23rd of Typhoid fever, Hartley Lewis, in the 24th year of his age, eldest son of Charles Edgar and Mary Lewis. The deceased was a very promising young man beloved by all who knew him. He died in triumphs of faith. Funeral sermon by the writer from John 14 Chap and 2nd verse. -W. H. Perry.

17th inst M. B. Cox Esq. in the 72 year of Gents Calf Elastic Side Boots. his age leaving a widow, five children and Gents Cowhide Long Boots. four grand children, there is much sympathy felt for the bereaved family Bro. Gents Kip Long Boots. C's illness was long and much of the time Boys Long Boots. severe but he bore it in christian patience. He rests in Jesus The funeral was largely attended, E. Orser, S. Irvin and J. Griffiths were present, and took part in services.—J. J. Barnes.

BACHELOR-At Fredericton Junction on

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. Saw Mill, situate on the bank of the St. John river, at Victoria Corner, C. Co., consisting of Rotary Mill and Edger, Shingle Machine and Lath Machine, with good steam power sufficient to run the above machinery; also power for a grist mill. There being a good opening for a grist mill in the locality, their being no mill on the west side of the river for a distance of twenty-three miles. Any person wishing to engage in the milling and lumber business, this is a good opening, as the property will be sold at a bargain and on

JAMES W. BOYER. Victoria Corner, C. Co., Sept. 6, '88.

TUBULAR BARN LANTERNS. To arrive-50 dozen Tubular Barn Lanterns;

For sale low, at NEILL'S Hardware Store. STOVE BOARDS.

JUST RECEIVED-3 dozen Crystalized Stove Boards, cheaper than NEILL'S Hardware Store.

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EALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for St. Louis Wharf," will be received at this Office until Friday, the 12th October.

for the construction of a Wharf at St. Louis, Kent County, N. B. Plan and Specification can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, on application to Mr. Auguste Legere, St, Louis, and at the Office of the Department, Custom House Building, St. John, N. B. Tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied and signed with

actual signatures of tenders. An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract, or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of nonacceptance of tender The Department does not bind itself to

By order. A. GOBEIL.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 5th September, 1888



NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for the Sault Ste. Marie Canal," will be received at this office until the arrival of the eastern and western mails on TUESDAY, the 23rd day of October, next, for the formation and construction of a canal on the Canadian side of the river, through the Island of St. Mary.

The works will be let in two sections,

one of which will embrace the formation of

the canal through the island; the construction of locks, etc. The ther, the deepening and widening of the channelway at both ends of the canal; construction of piers, &c. A map of the locality, together with plans and specifications of the works, can be seen at this office on and after Tuesday. the 9th day of October, next, where printed forms of tender can also be obtained. A

works, can be seen at the office of the Local Officer in the town of Sault Ste. Intending contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not b sidered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms and be accompanied by a letter stating that the person or pertons tendering have carefully examined the

like class of information, relative to the

locality and the nature of the material found in the trial pits. In the case of firms, there must be attached the actual signatures of the full name, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and further, a bank deposit receipt for the sum of \$20,000 must accompany the tender for the canal and locks; and a bank deposit receipt for the sum of \$7,500 must accompany the tender for the deepening and widening of the channel way at both ends,

piers, &c. The respective deposit receipts-cheques will not be accepted-must be endorsed over to the Minister of Railways and Canals, and will be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the works, at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The deposit receipt thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted. This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any ten-

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By order, A. P. BRADLEY, Secretary, & ALLISON. Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, 8th August, 1888.

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