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About four weeks ago I received word from the churches on Deer Island, explaining the absence of a pastor and urging the importance of some one being there. My work was so arranged at that time that it was impossible for me to leave. In the meantime Rev. G. A. Hartley came here and did a good work for the church at Chocolate Cove, as you have already been informed. I arrived here the 16th inst., and hurried to get an appointment for the Sabbath. I have to this time been laboring with all of the churches on the Island to the best of my ability. Two of the churches are not very strong at the present, but think if a minister were here all the time our interest would develop. I have made thirty-four calls and preached six sermons. I will remain here four Sabbaths (D.V.), and then will return to my churches in Westmorland Co. who have so kindly let me off on this important mission. The people on the Island are very kind to me as I attempt to do my Master's work.

A. H. McLEED.

May 23rd, 90.

WANTED.—Subscribers, making remittances, asking changes of address etc, sometimes omit from their letters things without which their wishes cannot be carried out. For instance:

A Nova Scotia subscriber gives instructions about her paper, but signs her christian name, though her paper is doubtless addressed in the name of her husband with the prefix Mrs.—We cannot tell what paper to deal with. Always give the address, exactly, to which the paper goes.

A subscriber sends \$2.00, but whether he lives in N. B. or N. S. or in some other part of the Dominion, or in the United States he does not say, and we do not know, and, therefore, cannot place the money to his credit.

Another wishes the paper discontinued, but gives no notice except the return of the paper with "please discontinue" written on it. The paper has the label with the subscriber's name on it. But there is nothing to tell the P. O. There are several subscribers of the same name.

One who has moved from Kings Co. to St. John wants his paper changed, but forgets to sign his name to the letter. We do not know what paper to change.

These are cases on hand just now. The subscribers concerned are, doubtless, wondering why credit is not given, changes made &c., and are thinking and perhaps telling their neighbors that there is great carelessness in this office. When they read this will they kindly write us again and give the omitted facts, and attention will be immediately given them.

SIBERIAN HORRORS.—Reports come from Russia of horrible scenes during the burning of Tomsk, the capital of Western Siberia. The place was visited by a conflagration and a cyclone, the result of the combined disasters being the destruction of three quarters of the buildings, which were of wood, and the loss of hundreds of lives. The Cathedral, situated in the high town, is in ashes and the walls in falling crushed an adjacent hospital, burying the inmates, who were subsequently roasted alive. The garrison brutally refused to render the least assistance in saving lives and property on the plea that they had enough to do in protecting the barracks and other government buildings. They also added that they had no time to assist "worthless exiles." In strong contrast to this action of the troops was that of the bishop and his assistant priest, who went about the streets succoring the wounded and blessing the dying. Much of the suffering might have been averted had there been the slightest effort at organized relief. The storm was followed by a sudden fall in the temperature and soon the devastated city was buried beneath a mantle of snow that added stinging cold to the sufferings of the thousands of men, women and children that were without shelter.

A GOOD PLACE TO BUY.—Johnston and Co's advertisement should have the attention of all who are thinking of purchasing pianos or organs. Send for their catalogue.

MIDDLETON.—General Middleton has not yet either paid for the stolen furs or resigned the position he fills but does not honour. It may be necessary for the government to do with him as the coloured preacher said his church did with him—tender him his resignation.

POOR PAY.—In her walks about Chicago Miss Frances E. Willard says she has discovered women who make shirts for 75 cents a dozen and furnish their own thread. She also finds children working twelve hours a day for a dollar a week.

THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT is now in Canada. He will be in Ottawa on the 5th inst., and will leave for England about a week later.

GRAND MANAN.—The Dominion House, North Head, Grand Manan, is now open to accommodate the travelling public. It is under the management of Mr. T. A. Kendrick.

C. T. A. NOTES. Coleman, of the Barker House, was taken to jail Wednesday. Grievances has not yet returned to the city. There is a place for him when he comes.

R. L. Blake, hotel keeper in Hillsboro, A. Co., was convicted of three offences against the C. T. A. last week, and fined \$150.00 and costs.

The Prohibitory alliance of St. John at a meeting held a few days ago, adopted a resolution approving the action of the C. T. A. citizens committee of this city in pushing the prosecutions of violators of the law.

Convictions are being made in Moncton. And the work is to be prosecuted more energetically.

In Chatham the other day John McCarthy was fined \$50 for a first offence.

The Charlotte Co. inspector is pushing his work. In St. Andrews there were two convictions last week. Several complaints have been made against Campobello offenders.

Temperance men in Kings Co. are agitating for the appointment of a C. T. A. Inspector. Petitions are being circulated asking the Co. Council to make an appointment.

SUNDRIES.—Stanley's book will be translated into six foreign languages at once. How few men can it be said: "He lived up to his epitaph." The unmarried women of Massachusetts have \$29,000,000 on deposit in the savings banks. The most attractive ornament in a spring bonnet is brains. When the women strike for eight hours' work, eight hours' recreation and eight hours' sleep, some of the strong armed males will be obliged to cook their own suppers. Luck usually means labor.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Bolton Dagget, who has been for some time employed with Mr. Geo. C. Matthews in the public market, at Moncton, was a few days ago presented with a gold watch and chain by his employer.

By the will of the late Mrs. Nicholls, of Peterboro, Ont., the various schemes of the Presbyterian Church get \$117,000.

Denominational Notices.

HOME MISSION RECEIPTS.
Woodstock church. \$22.00
G. A. HARTLEY, Treasurer.

NOTE.—Brethren money is now needed to pay matured claims against the H. M. Executive.—G. A. H.

FOREIGN MISSION FUND.

Rec'd from Church Central Southampton. \$12.00
WM. PETERS, Treasurer.

NOTICE.

The Free Baptist Conference of Nova Scotia will meet at Canning, Kings Co., June 7th, 1890, at 10 a. m. By order of the Executive.

EDWIN CROWELL, Clerk.

The attention of church officers is directed to the amended constitution by which "The Conference shall consist of its own Elders and Licentiates, and Deacons and Delegates from the several churches of which it is composed. Each church shall have one delegate for every fifty members, but any church shall have one delegate though its membership be not fifty."

Conveyance from Kentville will be provided for all who come by train. Let all who are coming notify Dea. Leander Cox, of Canning.

The special rates by Ry. and S. S. lines will be announced later. Churches wishing the Annual Conference to meet with them should send requests, for consideration at the Canning session.—E. C. 3 ins. 21.

DISTRICT MEETINGS.

The First District Meeting to be held with the Church at Arthurette on the second Saturday in July. Ministers to attend—Revs. John Perry, Thomas S. VanWart, J. W. Clark, C. T. Phillips. Rev. C. T. Phillips to preach the annual sermon.

The Second District Meeting to be held with the Church at Seventh Tier, on the third Saturday in June. Rev. T. S. VanWart to preach the annual sermon.

The Third District Meeting to be held with the Church at Lower Canterbury, on the third Wednesday in September. Ministers to attend—Revs. C. T. Phillips, G. F. Currie, and Joseph Noble.

The Fourth District Meeting to be held with the Church at Tracy Station, on the second Saturday in September. Ministers to attend—Revs. John Perry, J. T. Parsons, and J. N. Barnes.

The Fifth District Meeting to be held with the Church at Holderville on the first Wednesday in July. Ministers to attend—Revs. A. C. Thompson, and G. A. Hartley. Rev. G. A. Hartley to preach the annual sermon.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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The Sixth District Meeting to be held with the Church at Head of Millstream, on the first Friday in July. Ministers to attend—Rev. C. T. Phillips, G. A. Hartley, J. Noble, and F. Babcock.

The Seventh District Meeting to be held with the Church at North Head, Grand Manan, on the third Saturday in August. Ministers to attend—Revs. W. H. Perry, G. W. Foster, and William Downey.

In the interest of our Denomination and its Organ, THE RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCER, it is recommended that Rev. Dr. McLeod be appointed to attend all the District Meetings he possibly can.

UNION BAPTIST EDUCATION SOCIETY.

The General annual meeting of the Union Baptist Education Society, will be held at the Seminary building, Saint Martins, N. B., on Tuesday, the tenth day of June next, at three o'clock in the afternoon, and at such meeting to be held at the above time and place the Report of the Directors and other Officers will be received, the Directors for the ensuing year elected and such business transacted as may legitimately come before the meeting.

AMON A. WILSON, Secretary.

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Marriages.

JOHNSON-GAMBLIN.—On the 17th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. T. S. VanWart, Mr. Herbert C. Johnson of Johnson, Q. C. and Margaret F. Gambelin of Studholm, K. Co.

McPHAIL-McKINNON.—At the Free Baptist Parsonage, in this city, on the 22nd inst., by Rev. Dr. McLeod, Colin McPhail and Lily McKinnon, both of Woodstock.

Deaths.

JOHNSON.—At Foster's Cove, V. Co., on the 12th inst., Mary A., aged 15 years and 10 months. She was ill but six days. She was beloved by all who knew her. She was for years a member of the Sabbath School, and died trusting in the Lord. The funeral, which was very largely attended, was conducted by the Presbyterian minister. Much sympathy is felt for the sorrow-stricken family.

MORTON.—At North River, W. Co., on the 9th inst., of inflammation of lungs, Lizzie S., aged 8 months, infant daughter of Henry and Esther Morton. "Suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not."

DOBSON.—At Lower Ridge, K. Co., May 14th, of croup, Wesley F., aged 1 year and 6 months, second son of Robert and Hattie Dobson.—A. P.

SMITH.—At Central Hampstead, Q. Co., May 11th, of inflammation of the brain, Deacon Stephen Smith, aged 82 years, leaving a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss. Brother Smith professed religion 62 years ago and was baptized by the late Elder Hart. He united with the First F. C. Baptist Church at Hampstead at its organization, and for the last 24 years of his life he filled the office of deacon. He was a faithful christian, was abundant in labours and adorned the doctrines of Christ by a well ordered life and Godly conversation. Truly a good man has gone to rest. He will be missed in the different departments of life, as a kind and loving father and obliging neighbor, and as an efficient officer in the church. The church was his home; the last Sunday of his life he spent two hours in God's house in prayer and meditation. Though the storm prevented others, Brother Smith was there, faithful unto death. May his mantle fall on others.

Funeral sermon by the writer, assisted by Rev. T. W. Carpenter.—S. J. PERRY.

KIMBAL.—At Third Tier, Jacksontown, Car. Co., on the 5th May, Lizzie H., daughter of Jedediah and Eliza A. Kimbal. She lived a faithful christian, and died in the triumph of faith. Her exhortations to her friends will not soon be forgotten, but will bring forth fruit to the glory of God. C. T. P.

BRIGGS.—At Seventh Tier, Jacksontown, Car. Co., on the 18th May, Deacon Elijah Briggs, in the 84th year of his age. Bro. Briggs was baptized by the late Rev. S. Hart, and was an exemplary christian throughout his long and useful life. Funeral attended by Revs. T. Connor, King and C. T. Phillips.

HOLMES.—Mrs. Thomas Holmes, of Fair Haven, Deer Island, passed peacefully to rest, May 14th, at the ripe age of 76. She was born in Argyle, and was married to her surviving husband at Beaver Harbour just 59 years before the date of her death. She was baptized by Rev. Mr. Rideout in 1851, when she then united with the F. C. Baptist church at Fair Haven, and remained a well esteemed and faithful member till her death. Some 12 years ago she began first complaining of the disease, dyspepsia, that carried her away. Although sick for a length of time, her death was a great surprise to her children. She was buried beside her living son who died some years ago, then a promising young man, in Fair Haven graveyard. She leaves a kind husband and eleven prosperous children, besides 34 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren, and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. The obsequies were conducted by Rev. Mr. Thomas assisted by the writer, on the 18th inst.—A. H. M.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed 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 oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP," and take no other kind.

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SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Supplies," will be received at the office of the Warden of the Dorchester Penitentiary, till WEDNESDAY, 11th JUNE, 1890, at five o'clock p. m., from parties desirous of contracting for supply of that institution for one year from the first day of July, 1890, with the articles comprised in the following classes:—

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