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JAS. L. PHILLIPS.

Letter from Rev. J. E. Hopper, D. D.

MR. EDITOR.—By reference to your column for acknowledgments of Educational monies you will see we have received in cash and pledges for the Seminary recently the sum of \$3062.25. This shows that our people are interested in the Institution and are willing to make sacrifices to free it from debt. Everywhere we have been kindly met and received assurances of good-will. The plan we are working this summer is simple, and bears lightly upon all. It is to get from each Baptist and Free Baptist church in the Province this year an aggregate sum amounting to a dollar per head on its membership. This seems to be within our ability, and will, if secured, relieve us entirely of all debt. In addition to myself, Bro. J. Harry King is visiting the churches seeking to inaugurate the plan. We commend him to the sympathy, confidence and co-operation of the friends of Christian education. Our pastors especially can be of great help in introducing him to the members of their churches and pushing the canvass in their several fields. The Institution property is too valuable, and the work done by the school is too full of blessing to our homes and families, as well as the cause of Christ, to allow it to be jeopardized when so little sacrifice will pass it on to coming generations to stand for God and truth. We are on the road to success and earnestly seek the hearty co-operation of all our people. The outlook for students next year is very encouraging and the school as such will pay its own way.

J. E. HOPPER.

Saint Martins, July 10, 90.

#### DENOMINATIONAL NEWS.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL AND SALE.—The F. C. Baptist Sewing society at the Mouth of Keswick will hold (D.V.) a strawberry festival and sale of articles of fancy and useful, in the meeting house, on the afternoon of Thursday, the 17th inst. There will be provided for the occasion an abundance of strawberries and cream, ice cream, confectionery, bread and butter, biscuits, cake and other delicacies. A good square meal including strawberries will be served for 15 cents each.

FROM REV. J. T. PARSONS.—I have noticed with regret that there has been a falling off for the past three weeks in the number of letters from the churches. In common with many others, I am intensely interested in the Denominational News, and when there are but few letters, I am much disappointed. I find myself, as soon as the INTELLIGENCER comes to hand, opening it at the well known page on which is the column headed "Denominational News" looking for letters from Kings and Charlotte, Saint John and York, Westmorland and Carleton, Queens and Victoria—all loved and well known brethren—from over the field. If I find a goodly number of them, though short and in the opinion of their writers of but little interest, as I read them they are encouraging, inspiring, blessed. Some one is just whispering in my ear, "perhaps 'tis conscience" your name was absent from the last and from a number of issues; had you not better do unto others as you would have him do to you? Yes, I plead guilty, and hasten to make amends.

The question suggests itself just here why should reports from the churches be confined to ministers? I know it is not so ordered, but I fear it is so understood. There are scores of brethren and sisters who might write, whose affection for the Denomination and deep interest in its work is not exceeded even by that of ministers, and from whom every one of us would be delighted to hear. Such reports coming from the intelligence, thoughtfulness and consecration of the "pew," giving us a view from their stand point how effort could be most successfully made coupled with suggestions and advice as to practical work, would help the ministers to be more useful among their people, and more successful in this work.

In reference to our work in Saint John I have nothing of especial interest to record. The services are regularly held, five on the Lord's day, and three during the week. The ordinances are regularly administered, our congregations continue large, and

the spiritual interest is encouraging. Jesus says, "My peace I leave with you, My peace I give unto you &c"; this peace we are enabled to appropriate; and hearing Jesus say, "Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid," we are both joyous and bold in following where the Divine Master leads.

The system we adopted at the beginning of the year for the raising of the fifty dollars pledged to the Home Mission Board, promises to be a gratifying success. On the last Wednesday evening of each month, we hold a missionary prayer meeting making a specialty, both in our prayers and testimonies, of the mission work, taking up a silver collection at the close. The meetings have been interesting and the collections generous. From present indications the whole amount will be raised by the end of the year. Our church was also pledged to give thirty dollars to the Foreign Mission. As no special method had been adopted to raise that amount I took the liberty at the close of the service on Sabbath evening last to mention the fact of our indebtedness, and that the Treasury needed the money, and suggested that we put the whole amount into shares of one dollar each, and take them up there and then. In less than ten minutes the amount was subscribed. If the Treasurer of the Foreign mission Board were by my side now, I know he would ask me to remind the churches that have not yet sent in their contributions to raise and send at once. It is unfair to expect the Treasurer to send remittances to India from an empty treasury. Brethren see to it at once. I feel assured that our people everywhere only need to be appealed to in a proper way to have all our interests liberally sustained.

As will be seen by an obituary notice in last week's paper another of the members of this church has been called to her rest. She was taken sick last December, and since she was laid by from active work, eight of the members of the church have been called across the river. She makes the ninth who have been called from the militant church here, to the triumphant church above. Her life was one of trusting faith, her death was peaceful and triumphant.

I am still enjoying the pleasant visit made a few weeks ago to Brother Downey's circuit, especially to see and speak the words of life to my old friends and acquaintances on the Nashua. Nearly thirty years ago in the First Nashua Church the hands of my brethren in the ministry were laid upon me, and I was set apart to the work of preaching the gospel. How quickly the time has flown, and not without leaving its mark upon those whom I know so well in my early Christian life. Many have gone across the river; and those who remain, who were the strong men and women of that time are, like myself, nearing the end of life's pilgrimage. As I looked over the large congregation, on that Sabbath afternoon, I saw the fathers and mothers of that time living in the children of to-day; and a prayer went up from my heart that the Lord would give Bro. Downey all these young people as seals to his faithful ministry. My health is improving slowly, but I have not yet gained the strength I lost in my illness.

J. T. P.

FIFTH DISTRICT MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Fifth District convened with the First church, Kingston, K. Co., commonly called Holderville, July 2nd. At 10 a. m. there was social conference, Rev. J. N. Barnes, G. A. Hartley, O. N. Mott and B. H. Nobles, Licentiate Long, and many brethren and sisters united in this service. It was a season of the Master's presence; the witnesses for Christ rejoiced in His love, and this meeting well prepared the way for all that was to follow, for all of the deliberations and conclusions were marked by the spirit of unanimity. At 2.15 p. m. the regular business of the session began. The officers present were the chairman, Rev. J. N. Barnes; assistant chairman, Rev. T. W. Carpenter; Clerk, A. Palmer; and Treasurer G. J. Worden. Besides the two named, the ministers present were, Revs. O. N. Mott, G. A. Hartley, B. H. Nobles and, later, Dr. McLeod, and Licentiate S. J. Perry, L. Cosman and D. Long. We missed the familiar face of Rev. J. G. McKenzie who has long been noted for his regular attendance on these occasions. The churches were represented by the following brethren: 1st Greenwich, Isaiah Price and John Hamilton; 2nd Greenwich, William Short; 1st Hampstead, Reed Slipp and Bradford Palmer; 3rd Hampstead, Wilford McKenzie and Joseph R. Douglas; 4th Hampstead, John McConahie; 1st Johnston, Henry A. Perry and David Patterson; 2nd Johnston, Thomas Worden; 1st Kars, John F. Downey; 2nd Kars, Charles Jones and Herbert Jones; 1st Kingston, C. W. Holder and G. M. Holder; 1st Wickham, Asa White and Robert White; 4th Wickham, James McCrae and John A. Jones; 5th Wickham, Adam Akery; 1st Westfield, Solomon Bonnell and Wilmot Neales. The 2nd Hampstead and the 6th Wickham churches sent reports, but were not represented by

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delegates. The 2nd and 3rd Wickham churches were the only ones that failed to report. There are 18 churches in the District, 16 of which reported. The total membership reported is 986; and the net increase during the year is 13. After the reports had been read they were referred to a committee. Addresses were made by brethren G. A. Hartley, T. W. Carpenter and D. Long, who, in addition, presented the claims of the Union Baptist Seminary. Very earnest and searching remarks were made, touching upon the subject matter of the reports and the conditions of the churches and their relationship to the ministry and the responsibilities of each to the others and the work at large.

Business was resumed Thursday morning. Rev. T. W. Carpenter was elected chairman. Brethren H. A. Perry, James McCrae and Reed Slipp were elected to represent the District at the next session of General Conference. By invitation the next annual meeting of the District is to be held with the church in Jerusalem. The committee on church reports suggested that in future the clerks of all the churches have the Blank Reports of their Sabbath Schools carefully filled in and forwarded to the District Meeting with the church reports, there to be read and considered as part of the churches' report; that the clerks give extended remarks upon the standing of the churches; that the churches have their contributions for Foreign and Home Missions collected and forwarded to the District meetings; and that they aim to collect as much for the Home Missions as are asked of them for the Foreign Mission. These suggestions were considered and adopted.

Much discussion arose out of the following: Resolution.—Resolved that each Sabbath School connected with the District have a temperance pledge, and that all officers and members of schools be requested to sign the same; and further Resolved that all Sabbath Schools have, at least, one Sabbath each quarter devoted to temperance. Reference was made to the former practice of the churches in promoting temperance by a distinct organization as a part of the church work, and under its direct control. It is believed that much greater progress towards prohibition would be achieved if this old and God honored manner of work were adhered to.

The Executive Committee reported that, as directed by the meeting of last year, they had visited Jerusalem and the 2nd church Greenwich, and attended the duties assigned them. In the first named place they had sustained the action of the church officers; and in the second case an independent church was formed now known as the 1st church Westfield. The report was adopted. A vote of thanks to the church and people of Holderville for their unbounded hospitality, and to the managers of the steamboats for carrying members and visitors to and from for one fare, was passed. Dr. McLeod was selected to preach the annual sermon in 1891.

It was Resolved that all the ministers labouring in the District unite, soliciting outside aid if deemed advisable, and as often as seems necessary to carry out Resolution 58 of the Year Book for 1889.

Considerable attention was given to the following resolution, Resolved, that the recommendations of General Conference in all matters concerning those who have separated from us be adhered to by officers and trustees of churches of this District.

Rev. G. A. Hartley preached the annual sermon Wednesday evening to a crowded and attentive audience. Subject, "Christ the Light of the world." It was a good sermon and produced an excellent effect. Much good will, we believe, result from the deliberation of the session. We hope the Christian friends with whom we met may be abundantly blessed for their kindness and attention. We trust that each church in the District will have a year of spiritual blessing.

The Woman's Mission Society had its annual meeting in the school house, near the church. I did not learn the particulars of the meeting, and therefore cannot give a report.

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#### Denominational Notices

##### HOME MISSION RECEIPTS.

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G. A. HARTLEY,  
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Lower Ridge 12 65  
Midland 18 00  
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WM. PETERS, Treasurer.

APPOINTMENTS.—I will (D.V.) be at Rockland 11 a. m., Coldstream 3 p. m., and Knowlesville 7 p. m., Sunday 20th inst.

A. MCNINTCH.

TO THE CHURCHES OF THE SEVENTH DISTRICT:—Dear Brethren.—I have forwarded blanks to be filled for the reports to District Meetings, and have also enclosed blanks for the report of the Sunday schools in connection with the churches. You will please notice that the school report is to be sent to Samuel L. Peters, Queenston, Queens County.

The several churches have been requested to raise the same amount as last year, for the Foreign Mission Fund, which amount is greatly needed now. Let all the churches send their Conference Fund to District Treasurer at time of District Meeting.

WM. PETERS,  
Clerk of District.

#### DISTRICT MEETINGS.

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 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.

#### Marriages.

WOOD-NASON.—At the Free Baptist Parsonage, in this city, on the 8th inst., by Rev. Dr. McLeod, Mr. David Wood and Miss Melvina Nason, both of Burton, S. Co.

DENSMORE-ARTES.—At the Free Baptist Parsonage, in this city, on the 8th inst., by Rev. Dr. McLeod, Mr. Wm. H. Densmore of Prince William and Miss Ada C. Artes of Fredericton Junction.

HALL-DARNELL.—On June 24th, by Rev. J. H. Erb, at the residence of the bride's mother, North Flores street, Mr. N. J. Hale and Miss Joan Darnell, all of San Antonio, Texas.

HOLMES-DIXON.—July 2nd, at the residence of the bride's father, Beaver Harbor, Charlotte County, by Rev. F. Babcock, Mr. Andrew W. Holmes and Miss Laura Dixon, all of Beaver Harbor.

DUNHAM-MACKENZIE.—In Saint John, on the 9th inst., at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Patton, Spring street by the Rev. J. O. Crisp, rector of St. Jude's, Whitney O. Dunham, of Lancaster, to Miss Bertie Mackenzie, of St. John.

MORGAN-PORTER.—At the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. T. H. Porter, Fredericton, 9th inst., by Rev. F. D. Crawley, assisted by Rev. G. R. White, of Yarmouth, John B. Morgan, B. A., of Fredericton, to Maggie B. Porter, of the same place.

#### Deaths.

PERKINS.—At Boston Highlands, on the 7th inst., Seth B. Perkins, aged 40 years and 2 months, formerly of Springfield, King's County.

MORSE.—At Kingston, King's County, on the 7th inst., Mary M., wife of James F. Morse, aged 74 years.

KNOWLES.—At Wood's Harbor, N. S., June 11th, Maria, widow of the late Jonathan Knowles, aged 86 years and 6 months. Sister Knowles was converted to Christ early in life, and joined the F. B. Church. She lived a faithful Christian life, and has gone home to receive the Christian's reward.

NICKERSON.—At Shag Harbor, N. S., June 19th, Mercy Nickerson, in the 18th year of her age, only daughter of Euton and Mercy Nickerson. She, with many others, sought the Saviour two years ago, and was baptized and united with the F. B. Church. Soon after she became organist and teacher in the F. B. School, which office she filled very efficiently. Her seat is vacant here and we hear her voice no more; but she sings with the choir above.

MORRISSEY.—At Lower East Pubnico, N. S., May 14th, Lydia, aged 67 years, beloved wife of Capt. David Morrissey. Sister M. was a subject of converting grace early in life, united with the F. B. Church, and remained loyal to it until her death. She leaves an aged husband, five daughters and 5 sons, to mourn the loss of an affectionate mother. May they all follow in her footsteps here and make an unbroken family above.

W. MILLER.

BARROWS.—June 23rd, at the residence of John A. Shea, Grafton, Mrs. Sarah C. Barrows, wife of the late Rev. Allen Barrows of East Sumner, Maine, aged 82 years. "Asleep in Jesus."

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