

who are struggling, and it asks that through allied influence the whole task shall be attacked. General Booth sees that his Salvation Army cannot compete alone with starvation and poverty, and that proper social conditions and temporal opportunity are essential to elevate the poor. He sees that filth and hunger and crime and drunkenness cannot be fought with religion alone; that the comforts of religion are not much to a man who wants his dinner. He would, therefore, have other methods besides religion employed to attack poverty and starvation, and pave the way for the Gospel. The hopelessly wicked and degraded he would seclude; to the others he would allow liberty and favorable conditions. He would feed the hungry, cure the sick, and provide work for all, under strict control; he would offer industrial refuges where the first lessons in self dependence can be learned. Then he would send the more helpful to village communities, agricultural and industrial, from which the efficient should either return to the world, or be sent out as colonists for new communities.

To do this work he asks for half a million dollars to begin with. After a while he would need very much more, though not near as much as is now expended in one or two years in the administration of the poor laws. He would cover the whole field at once. His plan is worked out in detail in such a way as to give evidence that it is not crude nor really Utopian and hopeless.

Other great plans have been accomplished when they have been offered. We expect that General Booth and Mr. Stead will find the means to do this work.

General Religious News.

—Mr. G. Sing Quah, a converted Chinaman, has entered Fort Worth University, Texas, for the purpose of preparing himself to return to China as a missionary.

—Paterson, N. J. has lately had an extensive revival. The work came through a series of union meetings. Four churches united to maintain these meetings. Immense crowds attended the services. It is estimated that from 700 to 800 people professed faith in Christ and an entrance upon the new life. The churches are gathering up the results.

—Mr. Kerr, a medical missionary of the Presbyterian Board, at Canton, China, is said to have treated 520,000 patients, and prepared 27 medical and surgical books during the past thirty-six years, besides training 100 medical assistants, chiefly Chinese.

—A Rockford boy pronounces Mr. Moody the "greatest preacher in the world." He gives as his reason that he can "understand everything he says."

—The total membership of the Wesleyan Methodist connection in Great Britain is 423,615, and during the year 47,207 new members were received. The present number on trial for church membership is 28,020. The number of young persons in junior society classes is 60,801, and there are 24,875 lay class leaders and 16,038 local preachers. Great progress is also reported in chapel and school extension.

—CLARENDON St. Baptist church, Boston, under the supervision of Dr. A. J. Gordon during the past 20 years, is said to be the best administered church in the United States. Each church member is trained to give one-tenth of his income. Singing is also made an act of congregational worship. The artistic quartette, the employment of unconverted singers, all pervasions of sanctuary music to a worldly performance, are discontinued, and now in place of a godless choir costing more than is given to missions, a Christian chorus choir mostly voluntary composed of the younger church members who themselves gave last year \$350 to missions.

—The Church of England, as shown by incomplete returns of the revenue report by order of Parliament, is the wealthiest Church in Christendom. The income of the ecclesiastical commissioners is about \$5,750,000, nearly one-fourth of which is derived from tithes. The Welsh tithes yield about \$20,000. The gross annual values of benefices for twenty-one counties is \$10,000,000, which is distributed among 6,600 clergymen, giving them an average of a little over \$1,500 a year. There are parsonages, however, and other items to be added, which bring up the annual average to about \$2,000 a year from endowments alone. Of the \$10,000,000, three-fourths are derived from tithes.

—Should be Watched.—One of the hotels in this city announces the establishment of an "Oyster bar." It is, doubtless intended to be a cover for another kind of bar. It should be watched.

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DENOMINATIONAL NEWS.

CANNING, N. S.—Bro. Geo. A. Downey has taken charge of the Canning pastorate. He writes, Oct. 20th:

We had a quick and pleasant journey from Port Medway here. Kind friends met us at Kentville and conveyed us to Canning, where our goods arrived the same day, last Thursday, by special car. We have met with a most cordial reception from all with whom we have come in contact, and we are looking forward to a pleasant season of labor among this people. The debt was removed from the church last Saturday, and so there was reason for much rejoicing yesterday. "Praise the Lord! Let all the people praise him!"

NORTH RIVER, W. Co.—This is my first letter. The two last years I have been doing pastoral work on the North River. I saw a revival each year. After Conference I came back to attend one more appointment in the churches; and when I came to second North River Church I was impressed to hold special meetings. I have been here since. The Lord has wonderfully blessed us. Rev. G. F. Currie came and helped us on Sunday. The morning service was at Wheaton Settlement; one was baptized and three received into the church. In the afternoon the service was at second North River Church, twelve were baptized and fourteen received into the church. In the evening we had a social meeting of great power. The work goes on. Brother Currie had to return home last night. We wished he could have remained longer; he is a workman that needeth not to be ashamed. Pray for us at North River, that all may know the love of God. I have begun this year in revival. I have no definite plan for the year.

ABRAM PERRY.

FROM REV. C. W. ROGERS.
To the Free Baptist Churches, of New Brunswick, that are in need of ministerial labor:

Having failed to make any satisfactory agreement to settle in N. B. during my visit to Conference, and still feeling under obligations to the Free Baptists of N. B., I would like to inform the above mentioned churches that I am open to engagements, if desirable to both parties.

I returned to Mass. with the purpose of pursuing further studies at Lewiston Me., but learning of the great need and demand for ministers in N. B. I have reconsidered that purpose, and am now ready to communicate with any church or circuit that feels need of pastoral care enough to correspond with me.

I shall be pleased to hear from any of the above mentioned churches before Jan. 1st, 1891. Failing to do so, I shall either pursue my studies at Lewiston or I shall permanently settle as pastor of the church over which I now have oversight. The demands for young men in the churches of this country are numerous and inviting. If our New Brunswick churches would hold their young men, they must act and act quickly. Hoping to hear from some of our New Brunswick fields, I am

Yours Fraternal,

C. WELLINGTON ROGERS.

FROM REV. W. H. PERRY. Perhaps it is about time I wrote something for the Denominational News department. I judge from the speeches I listened to at Conference that this department of the paper is to be well sustained this year; indeed I thought then that one page of the paper would have to be devoted to Denominational News. But so far the letters appear to be coming in very slow.

I do not write because I have anything particularly interesting to communicate, but simply to remind old correspondents and others, as well, that we are waiting to hear from them. I have settled down for another year's work with the Blissville Churches, if God will. I have been here two years. How quickly the time has gone by! They have been years of anxious toil, and yet they have been pleasant to the people, without exceptional, have treated us kindly. God bless them all. Since Conference we have had some special services in the Patterson Settlement church. The church has been much helped. Some things have been much

us; the Beulah Workers have been holding meetings in the Methodist Church near by; still our meetings have been well attended. I know Paul may plant and Apollos may water, yet it is God who giveth the increase. The interest is good in all the churches. A pie social was held at Mill Settlement last night, the sum of \$35 was raised towards paying the debt on the church. The church is almost free of debt; it has been completed, dedicated and paid for since I came here.

We are devoting one Sunday in each month to missions, one half of the collection for Home and the other for Foreign; unless we do more for Home we will soon be forced to do less for Foreign. I notice in the report of Women's Missionary Aid Society that no report from the 4th Dist. had reached the Secretary, but it was thought about \$20 had been raised in the District. I do not know what has become of the report, but I know Blissville Society raised over \$34.00, and Patterson Settlement \$15.00, making almost \$50.00 from two Societies, with all the rest to be heard from. May the Lord bless us in all departments of our christian work, and may this be a good year in all of our churches.

W. H. PERRY.

REV. A. M. MCINTOSH, who has gone to England to spend a year in Spurgeon's College, sends us a post card from Newfoundland, Oct. 15th, saying:

"Here all safe. Remain here two hours. Feel well. Not much sick yet. Will be in England in a few days."

THE SUPREME COURT is a great institution. In April last Edwards and Coleman were convicted of a fourth offence against the C. T. Act. Their lawyer contended that there was no such thing as a fourth offence recognized in the Act, and took the case before the Supreme Court. He did not show sufficient grounds for his contention to warrant the court in granting him the usual rule, but they ordered a stay of proceedings while they considered whether they should grant the rule. Whether the Court has been ever since considering, or whether the matter has been forgotten we do not know; all we know is that there has been no decision of any kind given.

Then there is the case of Barker who refused to give evidence in a run case. The rumeller's lawyer contended that if he acknowledged himself a buyer he would be equally guilty with the seller, and that he could not be compelled to criminate himself. The question went to the Supreme Court by consent and was argued in April. But the Court has not yet given judgment. These delays are puzzling to many people.

GRAND MANAN NOTES. A thoughtful Grand Manan correspondent writes, Oct. 16th:

The close time for herring fishing, at the Southern Head of Grand Manan, expired yesterday, the 15th, and the vessels are mustering to the grounds for fall fishing.

D. S. S. Dream has been on the grounds since Sunday, the 12th inst., to assist the overseer who has been sick with hooping cough and neuralgia. Inspector of Fisheries, John H. Pratt is the right man in the right place. The fishing in Grand Manan has been fairly good and the prices are on the rise. There has been more mackerel taken about the Island than for many years past; our people do not follow mackerel fishing as in the olden times, herrings, cod and pollock etc., being the staple product of our Island. Hay crops good, potatoes short but good in quality. Health generally good.

—The word "boddler," which naturalized political infamy has fastened upon our language, is now a well-established English word. The "Century Dictionary" gives the word a place, and a meaning along with all reputable words.

—The wisdom of an old negro was recently illustrated in a Georgia Justice Court. His son was being tried for a trivial offence. The Judge decided against him, when he gave notice of appeal to a higher court. But in a loud whisper the old man said: "You better pay dat fine an' go 'long 'bout your business. B'fo' you reach dat higher Jedge de lawyers 'll done gone troo you, en you won't have enuf mony left to buy a coffin."

PERSONAL.—Sir Leonard Tilley has been visiting Halifax.

Don Pedro may return to Brazil. It is said that he wishes to spend the remainder of his days there as a private citizen.

Rev. A. J. Mowatt (Presbyterian), of this city, has received an invitation to become pastor of St. Mathews church, Halifax. He has not yet intimated his intention.

P. O.—The P. O. address of Rev. Wm. DeWare is Apohaqui, K. Co.

DENOMINATIONAL NOTICES.

APPOINTMENT.

I will (D. V.) preach at Upper Caverhill next Sabbath (9th inst) in the morning; and at Millville the evening of the same day.

H. A. BONNELL.

Marriages.

REDDING-CROFT.—At Amesbury, Oct. 25th, by the Rev. C. Wellington Rogers, Mr. George H. Redding and Mrs. Bertha M. Croft, formerly of Halifax, now of Amesbury.

PARLEE-BELYEA.—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 16th ult., by Rev. O. N. Mott, Mr. Isaac S. Parlee and Miss Maggie E. Belyea, both of Johnston, Q. Co.

FRASER-HERRMAN.—At Woodstock, on the 29th Oct., by Rev. C. T. Phillips, Levi A. Fraser, of Prince William, York Co., and May E. Hagerman, of Queensbury, York Co.

YOUNG-BROOKS.—At the residence of the bride, Southampton, N. B., Oct. 22, by Rev. B. H. Thomas, assisted by Rev. Gideon Swim (F. C. B.), Rev. J. W. S. Young, General Missionary of H. M. B., to Mary A. Brooks.

Deaths.

KIRSTEAD.—At Acadia College, Wolfville N. S., on Oct. 29th, Janie F., wife of Professor Kirstead, and daughter of the late Joel Fenwick, of Apohaqui, N. B.

MESSEBAU.—At Sun Poke Lake, S. Co., Oct. 22nd, after a long, tedious illness, which she bore with Christian resignation to the Divine will, Rebekah, beloved wife of Jacob Messereau, aged 64 years, leaving a sorrowful husband, one son, three daughters, four brothers and six sisters, together with a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss. Sister Messereau professed religion in early life and united with the Ellenville Free Baptist Church and remained a member until death. The last years of her life were years of suffering, and yet she was cheerful amid it all, for she was sustained by the Divine presence. At last weary and worn with suffering, she peacefully fell asleep in Jesus. Funeral sermon by the writer.—W. H. PERRY.

LENTENINE.—At Central Southampton, York Co., on the 25th September, Mary, beloved wife of Aaron Lentenine. The deceased was a worthy member of the Free Baptist church. She lived a devoted Christian life, and died in the triumph of faith. Funeral conducted by the writer.—G. SWIM.

BEATTY.—At Advocate Harbor, Cum. Co., N. S., Oct. 5th, after a lingering illness, Henry P. Beatty, in the 60th year of his age. Throughout his sickness he was sustained by the strong faith that he had in Christ. He sank peacefully to rest, comforted by the hope of eternal life. "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord." He leaves five daughters, a son, and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. The funeral was largely attended. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. D. T. Porter.

WEBSTER.—At Wickham Village, Q. Co., on the 17th September, Bessie Maud, daughter of E. J. and Mary Webster, aged 14 years. Bessie's sickness was short, but very painful. In the early part of it spring she gave her heart to Jesus. Little did she then think she would be so soon called to join the blood-washed multitude; but the Lord had need of her there. She was much beloved by all who knew her, and her memory is dear now that she is gone. To her parents and the other members of the family we extend our heartfelt sympathy in their affliction. The funeral was attended by the writer.—J. N. BARRETT.

WALLACE.—At Penobscot, K. Co., Oct. 8th, Mrs. Geo. Wallace, in the 64th year of her age. Sister Wallace's past life has been an eventful one, and her influence will not soon cease. Converted when quite young, she always sought to live a consistent christian life and to encourage others in so doing. To know her was to love her, to come within the range of her hospitality was pleasant indeed, as many of God's servants can testify. Her life has not been without its dark spots, but, under all circumstances, she was able to trust God. A long and tedious illness was her portion for weeks she hung, as it were, between life and death, seemingly held to this side by the loving care of kind friends. She wanted to go, God took her. May he comfort her many friends and give them as much grace through life and death as he gave to her. Funeral was largely attended and conducted by Revs. C. T. Phillips and F. C. HARTLEY.

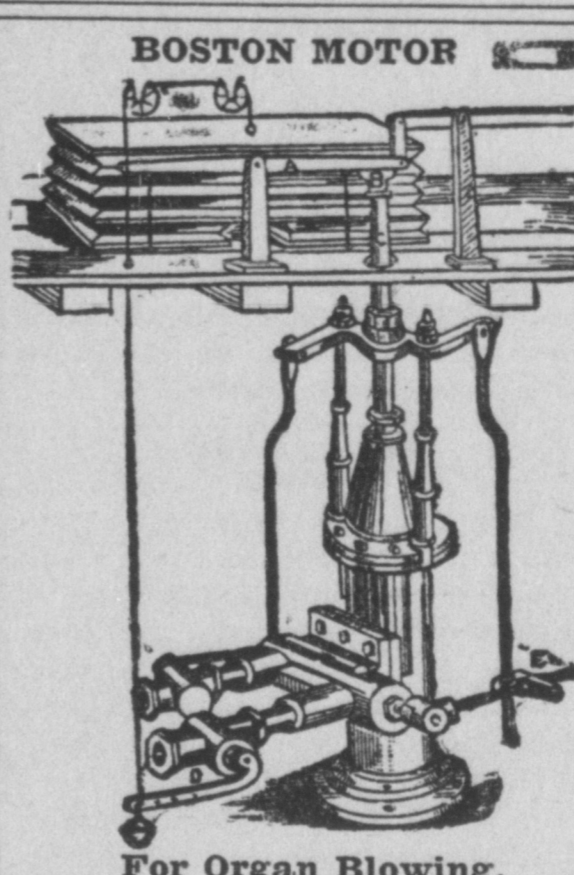
CHOCKERY.—Departed this life, at Plymouth, N. S., Aug. 6th, 1890, Elizabeth Mary, daughter of the late Capt. Dennis and Mary Crocker, and relict of the late Capt. Robert Sims, aged 66 years. Sister S. experienced religion when about 9 years of age. Although very circumspect in life, yet she never availed herself of the opportunity of following the saviour in the ordinance of baptism until about the year 1852. She then united with the F. B. Church in Plymouth, with which she continued to walk until called away. Our sister, as a daughter was dutiful, as a wife affectionate, as a mother very painstaking, the fruit of which is seen in the daughter and sons left behind; as a neighbor cautious, and as a christian devoted and strong in faith. Her health for some years was poor. Some years ago the writer was present when her pastor, the late C. Knowl's (who baptised her) visited her. She requested him to preach at her funeral and chose for the text Rev. 11:17, "To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the hidden manna," etc., and made all the arrangements for her funeral; but he having passed away before, Rev. Wm. Knol in attendance her funeral.—W. T. W.

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