

endeavor, the use of every weapon of Christian warfare, the application of every Christian principle. And well may it be so; for the population numbers 288,000,000, and the idols worshipped 330,000,000. And, besides, India is under the especial care of Christian Britain.

The British and Foreign Bible Society, in its annual report, shows that the issues for the past year had been 4,049,756, an increase over the circulation of the previous year of 60,541. The total issues since the formation of the society have been 135,894,552 copies. The sale of Scriptures had amounted to \$499,165, an increase over the previous year of \$14,805; the free contributions had reached the sum of \$687,725. The deficits, which had amounted to \$335,000, had been reduced to \$200,000. Reports were presented from the different agencies of the society in all parts of the world, special attention being given to the work accomplished in Russia, where the society employs one hundred colporteurs.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY The Great Blood and Nerve Remedy.

Denominational News.

PEMBROKE, C. Co.—Rev. C. T. Phillips administered the ordinance of baptism at Pembroke on Sunday 4th inst.

ARTHURETTE, V. Co.—Rev. J. N. Barnes has done a good work here. A revival was much needed. Besides the additions, the church is much revived spiritually; and our Sabbath School is working splendidly now.

This circuit is entirely too large for one man; he cannot supply so many churches, so widely scattered.

J. D. G.

HARTLAND, C. Co.—On the evening of the 16th ult., a number of the young people, with their pastor, Rev. G. W. Swin, met in the F. C. Baptist church for the purpose of organizing an Advocates of Christian Fidelity Society. Rev. G. W. Swin occupied the chair. A society was formed with the following officers: Phebe Boyer, President; Laura Watson, Vice Pres.; Cora Shaw, Secretary; N. S. Grant, Treasurer; Blanch Kelly, Organist. The society is composed of two kinds of members—Active and Associate, the Active members being christians, and the Associate being those who are anxious to become christians. The money raised is to be expended in mission work, home and foreign. This society is in connection with the church which, under Bro. Swin's pastoral care, is in a prosperous condition. May God's blessings be upon these young workers for truly "the harvest is great but the labourers are few."

B.

VICTORIA ST. JOHN, NORTH END.—Since last we reported five persons have united with the church here, two by baptism and three by letter. The work seems to be going along nicely. Conversions are the result of plain gospel preaching. Men and women are accepting Christ by "Repentance toward God, and faith in our Lord Jesus Christ." There are others who will be baptized in the near future. We had looked for what is termed a revival, but God has seen fit to give us souls one by one. Amen to God's way.

W. J. HALSE.

FROM REV. E. CROWELL.—The following note from Bro. Crowell, accompanied the India Letter of Mrs. Burkholder, which was printed in the issue of May 31st, and should have appeared with it:

A few months ago I wrote to our missionary in India, Mrs. Burkholder, asking her to keep her N. Scotia constituents and others informed and encouraged in their missionary work by occasional letters through your columns. I enclose the first installment, just received, and hope all that the writers may be read promptly in our missionary and Young People's Societies, as well as in our homes. Before this is printed our F. M. Board will be considering an offer for the foreign work by a sister in Queens Co., from which I infer the Lord is answering the prayers of those whose burden is "Send forth laborers into the harvest."

EDWIN CROWELL.

FROM REV. J. NOBLE.—I was too busy at the end of last month to write. The first Sunday in May I spent at Upper Brighton and at Victoria Corner. In the morning I was with the Brethren in their prayer and social meeting; and a good meeting it was too. I talked a little to them. In the afternoon I was there with another Sister, and in the evening at Victoria Corner. Surely the Lord has done a good work there. I found it

very easy talking to the people, and the word was received. The second Sunday morning I was in Lower Brighton; in the afternoon I went to Havelock, a back settlement. I have not been there for years; the people were willing to hear the word; how much may be profited by it remains to be seen. The third Sunday I was at Lakeville, and supplied for brother Vanwart, and drove to Jacksonville after meeting, and home the next morning. The first of the week I left for Southampton. Crossing the river at Woodstock to Grafton, I went in to see those dear little children of sister Boyer's. Language fails me to express my feelings towards them. I went on down, through Northampton and stopped along to see old friends; among them was an old sister who appeared to be near home, happy in the Saviour's love. I visited in Southampton until Saturday, attended Conference with them, went to Campbell Settlement Sunday morning and back to Southampton in the afternoon. I fear the people in these two places have made a mistake in not securing the labour of some servant of God this year. This ends the record of work in the month of May.

J. NOBLE.

WOODSTOCK.—A reception was given the little Misses Boyer from India, by the F. C. Baptist Church Mission Band, in their church, Saturday afternoon last. There was music, an address by the Pastor, Rev. C. T. Phillips, and refreshments. Mrs. J. A. Shea, on behalf of her grandchildren, gracefully expressed thanks to Mr. Phillips and the Band.—Sentinel.

The Why and Wherefore.

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MCGILL.—Sir William Dawson has resigned the Presidency of McGill College, Montreal. He has been the head of the institution thirty-eight years.

PRESBYTERIAN.—The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada is now in session at Brantford, Ont., having begun on Monday. The session will probably last till the 24th instant.

METHODIST CONFERENCES. The N. B. and P. E. I. Methodist Conference will be held in Moncton beginning on the 19th inst. The Nova Scotia Conference will be held at Canoe on the 21st inst.

A GIFT.—Mr. R. D. Yerxa, of Boston, has given Lady Tilley \$150.00 towards a library for the Boys' Industrial Home. Mr. Yerxa is always thoughtful of and generous towards the institutions of his native Province.

READY.—Montreal announces itself ready for the Christian Endeavour Convention, and the 20,000 people who are expected to attend it next month.

SALVATION ARMY.—The editor of the War Cry, in Toronto, has left the Salvation Army. Some others have left, too. They seem dissatisfied with Commandant Booth.

D. C. L. Judges Hannington and King, Prof. Russel, and R. C. Weldon, M. P., have received the degree of D. C. L. from Mount Allison.

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POLITICAL NEWS.—Delegates to the Liberal Convention in Ottawa on the 20th inst., have been appointed from every part of the Dominion. The attendance is expected to be large.

Mr. Laurier expresses his belief that a general election is not far off, and he urges his followers to be ready.

Dalton McCarthy is holding meetings in Ontario, and speaking to large audiences.

REVIVAL.—In Napanee, Ont., Evangelists Crossly and Hunter have been conducting meetings for five weeks, with excellent results. Over five hundred people have professed to begin the christian life. All the churches shared in the blessing.

A PRINCE.—A Frenchman, bearing the name Prince Roland Bonaparte, has been "doing" these Provinces; and in every city he has visited the officials have been dancing attendance upon him. He is, it appears, a grandson of a brother of Napoleon Bonaparte, which is presumably, why he is

receiving so much attention. It is not stated that he ever did anything for himself or anybody else.

KNIGHTED.—Among those knighted on the Queen's birthday is Hon. John Carling. What special claim he has to the distinction it is not easy to tell. The most the public knows about is that he has been a money making brewer and for a time, an indifferent administrator of one of the departments of the Canadian government.

Chief Justice Strong, of the Supreme Court, was knighted at the same time.

OF MINISTERS.—Revs. E. Evans, D. Chapman, B. C. Borden, J. Dove, W. H. Hertz and C. Jost received the degree of D. D. from Mount Allison University at the recent anniversary.

Rev. L. A. Hoyt, (Episcopal) who has been twenty years at Andover, V. Co., is about to remove to Simmonds.

The new rector of Portland, St. John, Episcopal Church, Rev. Mr. Sibbald, has entered upon his duties.

Rev. Dr. Blair, a prominent Presbyterian minister in Nova Scotia died at Pictou a few days ago.

Notice of an interesting event, in which one of our young ministers was a principal appears in another column. Congratulations and good wishes.

Rev. J. A. Gordon has received a call to the pastorate of the Main St. Baptist church, St. John.

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SECTARIAN SCHOOLS.—Rev. Mr. Robinson, pastor of the Moncton Presbyterian church, discussed the school question in his pulpit on a recent Sabbath. He is reported as saying in substance:

The state can give only a free non-sectarian education. The object of the state schools is to fit the rising generation for the ordinary duties of life. He also spoke of the importance of a religious training, but argued that because of the diversities of opinions the state cannot educate on sectarian lines. If the school law is allowed to be run so that class distinctions come in under it, and a particular denomination can operate a school and stand one lot of children on one side and another lot on the opposite, then that law has lost every feature by which it is recognized, and it should be repealed. He referred to the Bathurst enquiry, and also referred to the convent schools in Moncton as a violation of the law. The Methodists, Baptists and Presbyterians have just as much right to separate schools in which the particular doctrines they hold to should be taught as the Roman Catholics. Every church has an equal right to teach its own doctrine wherever it has the legitimate opportunity but no one denomination had a right to the money of the state for the purpose of propagating its particular tenets, for this, he argued, was the object of the schools taught by the sisters and other members of Roman Catholic orders. He believed that the fires of class distinction were kindled and held that it was high time to know just what was being done throughout the land in this particular direction.

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Denominational Notices.

SECOND DISTRICT MEETING.

The annual session of the Second District Meeting will be held at Pembroke, C. Co. on Saturday, 17th inst. Social conference at 10 a. m.; business meeting at 2 p. m. Blank forms for reports have been sent to all the churches. It is also requested that the Sabbath school reports be sent to the District meeting by the delegates.

W. J. OWEN, Clerk.

FIFTH DISTRICT MEETING.—Following is a list of the homes of the clergy-men and delegates appointed to attend the Fifth District Meeting to be held at the Sixth Wickham church on Wednesday 5th July, 1893.

1st Church Greenwich, 2nd church Greenwich, Rev. J. W. Clark at L. S. Vanwart's.

1st Kingston church, Rev. B. H. Nobles, at M. H. McDonald's.

2nd church Kingston, 1st church Johnston, Rev. W. H. Perry, at David Bostwick's.

1st Church Kars, church Upper Hampstead, Rev. T. W. Carpenter at J. R. Shaw's.

2nd Church Kars, Rev. J. G. McKenzie at Alfred Vanwart's.

1st Church Hampstead, Church Jerusalem, Rev. Gideon Swin, at J. R. Vanwart's.

Ch. Hamilton Mountain at James Blizard's.

Church Hibernia, Clerk of District, Rev. A. McNinch, Rev. O. N. Mott, at G. J. Worden's.

2nd Church Johnston, Rev. W. R. Read at Case Vanwart's.

1st Church Wickham, Rev. Lem. Cosman at James L. Belyea's.

2nd Church Wickham, 4th church Wickham at James Black's.

5th Church Wickham, Rev. C. B. Lewis at E. J. Webster's.

Church Devils Back, 3rd Church Wickham at Geo. L. Gerow's.

Homes will be provided for any sisters who may attend in connection with the Mission Society. If the names of any have been omitted apply to the committee.

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DISTRICT MEETINGS.

1. First District Meeting, with the Church at Upper Kent, the third Saturday in July. Ministers to attend, Revs. C. T. Phillips, T. S. Vanwart, A. C. Thompson and John Perry. Rev. A. C. Thompson to preach the annual sermon.

2. Second District Meeting, with Church at Pembroke, the third Saturday in June. Ministers to attend, Revs. J. J. Barnes, J. N. Barnes, Wm. DeWare and T. O. DeWitt. Rev. G. Swin to preach the annual sermon.

3. Third District Meeting, with the Church at Marysville, the third Friday in September. Ministers to attend, Revs. W. J. Halse, David Long, G. W. Foster and B. H. Noble. Rev. F. C. Hartley to preach the annual sermon.

4. Fourth District Meeting, with the Church at Fredericton Junction, the second Saturday in September. Ministers to attend, Revs. John Perry, G. F. Currie, J. G. McKenzie and T. O. DeWitt.

5. Fifth District Meeting, with the Church at Lower Wickham, the first Wednesday in July. Ministers to attend, Revs. B. H. Nobles, J. W. Clark, W. H. Perry, G. W. Swin and A. McNinch. Annual sermon by Rev. L. A. Cosman.

Sixth District Meeting, with the Church at Wheaton Settlement, the second Friday in July. Ministers to attend, Revs. W. H. Perry, G. W. Foster, J. T. Parsons, A. C. Thompson and C. B. Lewis.

7. Seventh District Meeting, with the Church at Beaver Harbour, the Saturday previous to the full moon nearest the 31st day of July. Ministers to attend, Rev. B. H. Nobles, A. G. Downey, C. T. Phillips, D. Long and A. C. Thompson. Rev. G. A. Hartley to preach the annual sermon.

The Free Baptist Conference of Nova Scotia will meet at Advocate, Cumberland Co., with the Free Baptist Church on Saturday, June 10th 1893, at 2 p. m., in adjourned session.

EDWIN CROWELL, Clerk.

Canning, N. S., May 12th '93.

Adjourned session, Advocate, N. S. June 10-12. Ministers appointed to attend, All the F. B. ministers in Cumberland, Kings, Queens and Halifax Counties, and Rev. G. E. Sturges, T. H. Siddall and W. C. Weston. See minutes 1892 p. 32.

This is the real F. B. rally for the summer of 1893. We can announce far the best facilities yet given to visit Advocate from the West. The *Star Evangelist* will leave Kingsport, at the terminus of the Cornwallis Valley Ry., Friday, June 9th, 6 p. m. after arrival of train from Annapolis; will call at Parrsboro and proceed to Spencer's Id., making an excursion trip, with return on Monday, 12th a. m., to Kingsport; or if thirty or more passengers, the return may be by special trip Monday 5 p. m. Fare \$1.60 the round trip.

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EDWIN CROWELL, Clerk.

NOTICE TO WOMAN'S MISSION AID SOCIETIES.

The blanks needed by the Auxiliary and District Societies of the Woman's Mission Aid Societies on which to make out their reports, are in the hands of the Home Secretary, Mrs. A. B. McNinch. All needing them will please send to her for them.

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Marriages.

CAPRIN-LOGAN.—At the residence of the bride's parents, June 6th, by Rev. W. J. Halse, Mr. George Caprin, and Miss Maud Logan all of St. John, North End.

SPELLMAN-CALVIN.—At the Parsonage, St. John, N. B., June 5th, by Rev. W. J. Halse, Mr. Robert Spellman, and Miss Rachel Calvin, all of St. John, North End.

WEBSTER-ELTEA.—At the Parsonage, St. John, N. B., June 7th, by Rev. W. J. Halse, Mr. George W. Webster, of Wickham, Queens Co., and Miss Ella G. Belyea, of the same place.

APPLEY-COLEMAN.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Shannon, Queens Co., on the 7th inst., by Rev. S. J. Perry, Mr. Willard B. Appleby of Wickham, Q. Co., to Albertine Maud, eldest daughter of John Coleman, Esq., of the same place.

REUD-EBBETT.—At the home of the bride's father, on the 7th inst., by Rev. J. Noble, Rev. W. R. Reud, of Gagetown, Queens County, to Miss Laura M. Ebbett daughter of Geo. Ebbett Esq., of Dumfries York Co.

STONE-SIMPSON.—At the Windsor House, Moncton on the 7th June, by Rev. G. F. Currie, Mr. George Arthur Stone of London, England, to Miss Etta J. Simpson of Moncton.

Deaths.

PARLEE.—At NARROWS, Q. Co., on the 14th of May, Mary Ellen, infant daughter of I. S. and Maggie Parlee. "Suffer the little children to come unto me." Services by the writer.

S. J. PERRY.

SHANKLIN.—At Wickham, Queens Co., on the 31st of May, of bronchitis, Cecil H. aged 8 months and 15 days, infant child of Capt. Haden and Jane Shanklin. The Lord greatly sustain the bereaved parents.

O. N. MOTT.

CROWWELL.—At Johnston, Q. Co., on the 1st inst., after a lingering illness of complicated diseases, which he bore with christian resignation to the divine will, Cromwell, aged 27 years, leaving a sorrowing mother, step-father, three brothers, three sisters, with a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. But they do not mourn as those that have no hope. The funeral services, which were very impressive were conducted by the writer, on the 4th inst.

S. J. PERRY.

SMITH.—On May 27th, at the residence of her daughter, in Michigan, Phoebe Smith, beloved wife of Thatcher Smith, departed this life after a long and severe illness, born with christian patience and resignation. Sister Smith, who was for many years a member of the F. Baptist church of Port Fairfield, Me., and a great worker for the Master, was born in Ellsworth, Me., Nov. 15, 1825. At the age of 11 she became a christian, and not long afterward was baptized by Elder Hamilton. Till the close of her life she consistently followed her Saviour. In 1848 she was married to Thatcher Smith and was the mother of ten children, six of whom passed over the river of death before her. The remaining four are living, one in Nebraska, one in Idaho, one in Michigan and one in Freque Isle, on the homestead. Her remains were brought home and interred on the first day of June the services being conducted by the writer.

J. E. GOSLINE.

LEWIS.—At Moncton, on the 27th day of May, Clarence Lewis, aged 26 years, youngest son of William and Fanny Lewis. About 12 years ago this young brother was baptized by Rev. A. Kennie and joined the Moncton F. C. B. church. His religious profession was adorned by a consistent and faithful walk. For God's people and God's house he had an intense love, and was greatly attached to them. His health unreliable, always sickly, yet as a christian he was reliable, always in his place in the church. He did what he could for his church, and did it heartily.

G. F. C.

BUBAR.—At Upper Brighton, C. Co., on the 1st inst. Deacon John Bubar, aged 78 years and 4 mos.

KEITH.—At Lower Rideau, K. Co., May 27th, of inflammation, Sankey, aged 2 years and 18 days, youngest child of Colby and Charlotte J. Keith.

A. M. MCNINTCH.

LONG.—At Long Settlement, C. Co., on the 5th inst., Mary Jane, beloved wife of Charles Long, in the 37th year of her age, leaving a mother, a sorrowing husband, 3 children, 3 sisters, one brother and a very large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss. But what is great loss to them, we fully believe is great gain for our deceased sister, yet as a christian indeed. Some 16 years ago she professed religion and was baptized, and 11 years ago she united with the Tracey Mills F. C. B. church, of which she continued a loved and honored member up to her death. Our sister had for many months, been suffering from a wasting disease that was slowly sapping the vitality out of her very life; consequently was unable to throw off the children and attend to her household duties. The attack that seized hold upon her 3 days before she died. On Saturday morning, the 3rd inst., she fell asleep in Jesus. The day before she died I visited her, and although she was suffering much pain and distress, I was glad to find her enjoying a strong and abiding hope as to the future. Her end was peaceful. On the 5th inst. appropriate funeral services were conducted by the writer, assisted by Elder Cahill of Centreville, at the house Long Settlement, and in the Tracey Mills F. C. B. church. The mother and the bereaved husband have the sympathy of the entire community.

A. C. F.

LETSON.—At Port Medway, Queens County, N. S., May 17th, after a short illness, J. J. Letson, aged 85 years. Bro. Letson was of the number that "Covet the best gifts." In early life he gave his heart to Christ and united with the F. C. Church, with whose interests he was identified for many years. He loved the church of his choice and was always ready for its work. His earnest christian spirit was an inspiration to all who came within range of its influence. Durn-

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ing his last sickness not a cloud seemed to darken his spiritual sky; with a calm trust in Christ he fell asleep. A wife, 2 sons and 3 daughters, and many relatives and friends mourn their loss.

F. G. FRANCIS.

KEMPTON.—At Caledonia, Queens County, N. S., June 1st, after a lingering illness, Chas. Kempton, aged 56 years. Our brother experienced religion about ten years ago and was baptized by Rev. A. Kinney, and united with the F. B. Church, of which he was a faithful and consistent member till death. Brother Kempton was known as a man of sterling worth, with a warm heart and a helping hand for all. The church and the community have reason to feel that by his death a vacancy is made. But our loss is his gain. A wife, a son and a daughter have our sympathy in their bereavement.

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Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 19th May, '93.

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