

of voluntary offerings made for church work for the year ending last Easter, contributed through parochial organizations alone. The total is \$5,401,982. This sum does not include individual offerings privately dispensed or sent to central societies. But the sum as it stands is most creditable, and shows that the English Church is steadily improving in the gift of liberality.

Mr. G. A. Newmen, a native of Poland, is prosecuting a very successful work of evangelization among the Jewish population of Montreal. He has gained access to four hundred families, preaches to six hundred persons, and has gained twenty-eight young men as converts, ten of whom have been baptized. Four of his converts are engaged in mission work among Jews—two in London, one in New York, and one in Russia—the last of whom claims to have gained converts in thirty-eight Jewish families in six months.

The coming summer will witness several features of interest in connection with the salvation army. This year General Booth will begin the fiftieth year of his work as a religious leader. He intends that a new impulse of aggressive work shall be given to the Army. With this end in view he intends to raise a Jubilee Fund of \$350,000. Already the sum of \$100,000 has been secured—a legacy left unconditionally to General Booth and generously donated by him to the Army. An international congress will also be held in July, with a great thanksgiving day at the Crystal Palace, London. The first week in May is to be a Week of Reconciliation; and after the congress in July, General Booth will make a four months' tour in the United States and Canada. It is the intention to appoint one thousand new field officers and establish the work in Japan and Java. We are sure that all evangelical denominations will join in the heartiest wishes of success and increased good to the Army.

Revivals.

—The revival which has been going on in New York and Brooklyn for about three months has shown scarcely any abatement of interest. The special meetings have closed. Scores of churches have felt the gracious influence and have received additions. It has been a most fruitful work.

—Revival influences in New Jersey have been extended over the whole State. The Essex County Christian Endeavor Union has during the past two months been carrying on a series of most successful evangelistic meetings in many towns. All the pastors, irrespective of denomination entered heartily into the effort. The churches report large accessions.

—The more that is learned of the work of Mr. Moody in Richmond, the more evident it is that the capital of Virginia has never been stirred before as it has been of late. The immense Tabernacle, capable of seating 7,000 persons besides the choir was filled from the very start. Close by are the Second Baptist Church, the Young Men's Christian Association Hall, the Second Presbyterian Church, and all were utilized for the overflow meetings from the Tabernacle. The most important thing of all, perhaps, was the work of individual Christians in the inquiry meetings. There is every hope that the impetus to Christian work will not be lost, and that the Christian people of the city will carry on the good work so well begun.

—The *Religious Telescope*, organ of the United Brethren church, sums up the results of the season's revival work thus:—

This highly interesting column (church news) which has for many weeks been thrilling the hearts of thousands of our readers with hope and good cheer, as it appears in this issue, indicates that the reports for the revival season are about all in. The result is soul-cheering. Notice the totals: Twenty-six thousand nine hundred and seven conversions, and twenty five thousand and one hundred and ninety-five accessions to the Church! This is magnificent, and really merits a day of special thanksgiving throughout the Church. And we are confident if all our pastors had reported faithfully, as they should have done, these figures would have been swelled to exceed thirty thousand.

PERSONAL.—Mr. M. Adams, M. P., for Northumberland Co., is in poor health, and will, it is said, retire from politics.

Rev. A. F. Brown of Havcock, K. Cal., received a donation of \$75.00 ten days ago.

Denominational News.

CAMPO BELLO.—My heart has been made glad as I have read each week in the INTELLIGENCER the blessed news of revival and salvation as reported by the brethren. Surely the Lord is in our midst.

Of late I have felt it my duty to add my testimony and let the brethren know "how goes the day" with Zion down here by the sea. As I have not reported myself since coming here, I shall go back to that time. I came here about the first of last August, having received a call while supplying for Bro. Hartley in Carleton. It was my intention at that time to return to my studies at St. Martins after conference, but when the time came to leave, the brethren met me with an invitation to remain for a year; it was unanimously given, and I accepted. They had been for sometime without a pastor, and as a consequence the flock was very much scattered. My work was plain before me, the church must be brought together and strengthened. To that end I have endeavored to work and pray, and the Lord has blessed us. While we have not seen any marked reformation among sinners, yet there has been a deep revival and work of grace in the church; many backsliders have been reclaimed and weak ones helped, the attendance at the social services has increased fully fifty per cent, with a corresponding increase in the number of testimonies regularly given.

The vessels and boats are fitting out for their Spring's work, and the season for special work is about over, as the greater number of the men will be away from their homes during the week. The Sabbath is their day of rest and my day for work; and as we shall come together on that day during the summer months I shall endeavour, the Lord helping me, to till the ground and sow the seed that he who follows me here next year may find a field white for the harvest, and I shall rejoice as much in his blessing as though I were garnering the precious sheaves myself.

Last October we organized an A. C. F. Society, and it has been a great help in the work; many who were to a degree indifferent are becoming burden-bearers. We have given them something to do.

I must say a few words about our faithful little band at the Northern Road. For some years they have had no shepherd, and only a sermon occasionally as some preacher might happen along. But during all these years their church doors have not been closed; on the Sabbath they have met regularly for prayer and worship. Soon after coming here I met some of the brethren, and they kindly invited me over to see them. I went, and, becoming deeply impressed that there was a work to be done there, on my return I asked the church at Wilson's Beach to release me from one service every four weeks; this they readily did, and since that time I have visited North Road regularly. The results of the labour Bro. W. H. Perry has already reported in your columns. Others are awaiting baptism. Of this interest I would say that, though we are weak there now, I believe it to be a promising field where a good strong interest can be built up. The people are there, and they are unsaved; shall we neglect them? I hope not. The church will do what it can, none can do more. Thankful for the blessings of the past, and hopeful for the future, I take courage and go forward to do the Master's will as He may reveal it to me.

J. B. DAGGETT.
Wilson's Beach,
May 1st 1894.

CARLETON, ST. JOHN.—For a number of years I have thought one sermon a Sabbath quite enough, for any city congregation at least. Indeed, my ideal Lord's day services for any church having preaching every Sabbath, is, one good social meeting, one good Sunday School or Bible study, and one sermon. Nine weeks ago, the officers of the church, who are always trying to help their pastor, proposed that we try this order of service. On the last Sabbath in February we effected the change, so that since then, we have, instead of the usual morning sermon, an evangelistic service, from 10:30 to 12 o'clock. We open and close in time, and have had, so far, excellent meetings. From 33 to 74 have spoken in each meeting. This number of warm, crisp and earnest testimonies, with from 12 to 20 voluntary singings, make a very enjoyable and helpful hour and a half service. The congregations are quite as large, and the collections equally as good as formerly, everything has worked satisfactorily. The pastor has more time for study and pastoral work, and the church has certainly increased in strength. After a few weeks, some of the members who had been backslidden, and some others who had quite

backslidden, came up and took their places in these Sunday morning meetings. People who had not professed conversion, asked for our prayers so that the indications were, that the Lord was about to offer us an especial quickening, and a season of reformation. After spending an evening in prayer, seeking counsel from on high, the church decided to hold special services. We held meetings for three weeks, closing last week. My voice became so husky that the brethren were afraid to have me continue longer, fearing I might strain my vocal chords and bring back my trouble of last summer. We have enjoyed a good season. Some of the meetings were the most like old time reformation meetings I have seen for a good many years. I have baptized twenty six and have added thirty to the church. A large proportion of these are young people of our families, who belong to the S. School and the Christian Endeavor Society. Amongst them is the pastor's only daughter at home. Never have I had so large a congregation as during the past winter, and never has the church been so affectionately united and so efficient for the Master's service as at present. Our Christian Endeavour Society and S. School are both well officered and in good working strength. It is very gratifying for a pastor to be able to make such statements as he hears the completion of the thirty sixth consecutive year of his pastorate. But when it is known that the pastor has the sympathy and loving co-operation of all the officers of the church, C. E. Society, and S. School, with their entire memberships, it should be a matter of no wonder that he succeeds. It would be surprising if he did not see prosperity under such circumstances. Thank God for it all. Yes, *Thank God*, I may say to my thoughtful brethren and friends, so many of whom, have written me enquiring about my voice, that I have done as much pastoral work during the winter as usual, and until within a few days suffered no inconvenience from my voice. At present I am a little hoarse and am favouring myself, but I apprehend no serious trouble. On Friday evening we are to have a thanksgiving meeting, and will take a thank offering collection to pay the extra expenses of our electric lights etc. We are keeping our finances square in every department.

G. A. HARTLEY.

May 2nd, 1894.

FROM MARYSVILLE.—On Friday evening the 4th inst. quite a number of brothers and sisters met at the Free C. Baptist church in this place and during the evening a purse of \$39.34 was raised. Brother Elias White in behalf of the congregation presented our Pastor, Rev. J. T. Parsons, with the purse, who replied in a very nice little speech thanking the people for their kind and generous gift. May our beloved Pastor long be spared to labor among us in our earnest prayer.

E. B. STAPLES, Clerk.

Marysville, N. B.
May 5th 1894.

FROM NORTH END, ST. JOHN.—The work in the Victoria St. F. C. B church St. John, is progressing grandly. The pastor received four persons into church-fellowship, Sunday April 29th, two by baptism, two otherwise. Sunday May 6th, four men and one woman, were received into the church by baptism. The end is not yet, others are seeking, and we are expecting another addition by baptism next Sunday. The pastor was greatly pleased to have with him last Sunday morning, the Rev. Dr. McLeod, who kindly consented to preach, thus helping Bro. Halse. His sermon was timely and helpful.

W. J. HALSE.

May 7th '94.

Things in Short Metre.

[BY PEN & SCISSORS.]

Egyptian children are never washed until they are a year old.

During the year ending November American railroads killed 2,319 persons and crippled 2,000 others.

On account of the introduction of smokeless powder, the Emperor William has himself commanded that, for the future, white horses are not to be purchased for the time of war they would afford too easy a mark for the enemy.

A man who wanted to learn what profession he would have his son enter put him in a room with a Bible, and a dollar bill. If he found him, when he returned, reading the Bible, he would make a clergyman of him; if he saw the apple, a farmer; and, if interested in the dollar bill, a banker. When he returned, he found the boy sitting on the Bible, with the dollar bill in his pocket, and the apple almost devoured. He made a politician of him.

It has been discovered that silver exists in the Andes of Ecuador, in South America. The quantity of silver is

exceedingly minute, however, being about two-fifths of an ounce to a ton of ashes of Cotopaxi, and about three-tenths of an ounce at Tunguragua.

"What does cleave mean, father?" said the small boy, who had been puzzling over the word for some time.
"It means to unite."
"Does John unite wood when he cleaves it?"
"H'm, well, it means to separate."
"Well, father, does a man separate from his wife when he cleaves to her?"
"H'm, h'm. Don't ask so many foolish questions, child."

Sometime ago a Paris paper offered a prize for the best specimen of microscopic hand-writing, and several wonderful examples of skill with the pen were sent in by competitors. The winner of the prize was a man who had copied out in full on a post card the contents of the first two pages of a big newspaper. Another candidate, ingeniously alluding to the famous incident, wrote on an egg an account of the career of Columbus. A third submitted the 19,000 words of *Frank's* *Coppe's* novel of Henrietta, written on the back of a cabinet photograph.

The *Witness* tells a story of a young minister, who, going to a new church last spring was informed by the official brethren that his salary would be a thousand dollars; and that as every summer a wholesale liquor dealer visited the town with his family and paid regularly fifty dollars for a pew in the church, it would be policy for the minister to touch the liquor question gently to avoid giving offence. The reply of the young man was, "Take fifty dollars off my salary, for I want to get a shot at that pew."

Literary Notes.

The May number of the *Missionary Review of the World* is marked by able articles and first class illustrations. There is an interesting variety in subjects treated and in the mode of presentation. Dr. Pierson, opens the number with a paper in which he unfolds "The True Charm and Power of Missions"—unselfishness. The much-neglected fields of Malaysia are described. The information in this article is especially valuable, as comparatively little is known of the needs and work in this portion of the Island World. Experiences in Jamaica and Old Caledonia, in connection with the abolition of slavery. An illustrated article on the late Dr. John L. Nevins; a paper on the work of the Church Missionary Society of England, for the last twenty years, and a full report of the Student Volunteer Convention in Detroit appear in this issue. In the International Department there are articles on Japan, China, and "How Faran Rome Became Christian." The Editorial and General Intelligence departments have notes and news of even more than usual interest and importance. Published monthly by the Funk & Wagnalls Company, 30 Lafayette Place, New York. Price, \$2.00.

The *Vanguard* (March-April), edited by Mr. F. S. Spence, contains much information on the temperance question. "Canada's Drink Bill for 1893" makes the bad showing of 21,625,159 gallons, with a cost to the consumer of \$32,862,313. This was an increase over the previous year. This number also contains an elaborate summary of eminent opinions regarding the question of Bible wines.

Harper's Bazar for April 28th, besides an abundance of information about spring fashions, contains "A Summer Trip to London," a practical paper, with detailed information about expenses of lodging and going about.

In *The Century* for May art plays a conspicuous part. The fiction has much variety. Across Asia on a Bicycle is interesting. The ground covered in the first paper is from the Bosphorus to Mt. Ararat. Among the articles on public questions are discussions in the editorial department of "What is Political Economy?" The Foreign Element in Trade-Unionism, and Popular Education in Citizenship.

The *May St. Nicholas* comes with a seasonable frontispiece. The series of Natural History papers is continued. A few of our Fur-Bearers. Small girls may learn here who first wore their fur gloves and tippets. With the last of Dr. Eastman's papers on his Indian boyhood two pictures of the author are shown. The Brownies, they visit New York State and make strenuous efforts to exhaust its principal features in a single night. Jack Ballister's Fortunes, sending his hero to America as bound servant. Jack meets on board ship one of the crew of Blackbeard, the pirate. Prof. Charles Roberts tells a harrowing adventure in deep sea diving. There is a wealth of rhymes, jingles, poems, pictures, and bits of information.

Denominational Notice.

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May 5, '94.

FREE BAPTIST CONFERENCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.
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Births.

DEBLOIS.—At St. Martin's Seminary, St. Martins, N. B., on May 1st, to the wife of Principal Austen K. deBlois, Ph. D., a son.

Marriages.

DUNHAM-SEELY.—At the residence of Cap. G. H. Perry, Main St. North, by the Rev. W. J. Halse, May 3, Mr. Fred C. Dunham, and Mrs. Margaret A. Seely, all of St. John.

KEITH-SCHRIENER.—Married at the residence of the bride's father, May 2nd, by Rev. Abraham Perry, A. W. Keith of Butter-nut Ridge K. Co. to Mary R. eldest daughter of Thomas Scribner of Springhill K. Co.

STAIRS-FOX.—At the Queen Hotel, Woodstock April 25, by Rev. Joseph Noble, Wm. Alfred Stairs to Miss M. Fox, both of South-hampton, York Co.

COLPITS-EARNHAM.—At Moncton on the 3rd inst. at the residence of J. E. Beatty, by Rev. William DeWare, Stratford Colpits of Doverdale, and Julia M. Earnham of Salisbury, W. Co.

Deaths.

GIBBERSON.—At Arthurette, V. Co., of Bright's disease, on April 19th, Miss Carrie E. Giberson, aged 17 years, daughter of the late Samuel Giberson. Sister Giberson professed faith in Christ last spring and was baptized by the writer and united with the Free Baptist church at Arthurette. She was much beloved by all, and died trusting in her Saviour. Her funeral was attended by the writer. The widowed mother and brother and sister have our heartfelt sympathy.
J. N. B.

WHITE.—At Fort Fairfield, on April 25th, Mrs. Joseph White, aged 24 years, daughter of James Shirley. Sister White professed religion in Fredericton, some brothers and sisters were present. She was married to Joseph White some three years ago and came to live at Fort Fairfield, where she died of pneumonia after an illness of a few days. She was a good woman and died in the triumph of faith. She leaves a sorrowing husband and little son, a father, two brothers and two sisters to mourn their loss. The funeral was attended by the writer.
J. N. B.

McGOVERN.—In Boston, Mass., of Peritonitis, April 22nd, Alice, widow of the late Patrick McGovern, and eldest daughter of Leonard and Elizabeth Merseman, leaving an only son, her parents, five brothers and three sisters, besides a wide circle of friends and relatives to mourn their loss. Deceased was an active, intelligent woman, of pleasing manner and energetic disposition. This is twice within a year that death has called a loved one from the home of brother and sister Merseman, and the deepest sympathy is felt for the mourning hearts by their friends and neighbors. Funeral services at Fredericton Junction, conducted by the writer.
W. R. R.

The Reporter and Fulton.

Reporter—Are the sales of Gates' Medicines falling off these hard times?

Fulton—No, the sales are increasing.

Reporter—How do you account for that as you do not advertise your medicines as others do?

Fulton—I will tell you how that is; when I hear of a sick person I call and induce them to use the medicines, and in the most cases it makes a cure; and it is the cures that makes the sales.

Reporter—Can you give the names of some that have been cured?

Fulton—Yes, James Crocker of Lake George, Kings Co., N. S., was cured of Rheumatism. His leg was drawn up to almost a right angle and had been so for eighteen months; his parents thought he would never work again.

George Farnan, of Londonderry, who had kidney disease so bad that he passed blood. I can give scores of others.

Reporter—What do you think of other medicines?

Fulton—There are some that are good, but Gates' is cheapest and best, being only fifty cents per bottle, while others are one dollar. When the INVIGORATING SYRUP is taken in connection with the LIFE OF MAN BITTERS it does work wonderful cures. I know that if anyone has anything the matter with them these medicines will have a good effect.

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