

has a type of civilization different from that of the west, but it is, he said, in rapid-firing guns, ironclads, combinations of capital, and the like. But civilization is something other and higher than this. It was the elevation and education of the race to a higher life. The Chinese people go to the west to meet Europeans. They have learned to smoke, drink beer, and show utter disregard for the Chinese hold sacred and And his people thought that if western civilization which they were to accept, they would put it all day off as far as possible. Before the ancestors of western civilization emerged as barbarians from the forests of Europe, China, and advanced civilization, for the west to instruct China, you must take our civilization as if a boy should give advice to his father. The west represented the civilization, the Orient and the clash it was by no means which would have the victory. It was impatient, nervous, time money. The Orient was calm, it took no account of time. It was a fable about the race of the tortoise. Everybody thought it would win, but the fable was to expect surprises. There are many things China could learn from the west, he added, but they must be forced upon her faster than could assimilate them. My next letter I want to write of his type of religion.

W. C. KEIRSTEAD.

NOMINATIONAL NEWS.

Rev. C. B. LEWIS.—We were at meetings at Bald Hill, with prospects, when the travelling broke up, roads became impassable, and we had to abandon for the time. I had arranged and appointments out to the meetings again last Friday. I taken with quite a severe attack of grippe, and have not been able to since. I expect to follow up next by renewing special effort soon as possible.

C. B. LEWIS.

MANAN.—I baptized three converts last Sunday, making in all who have recently professed faith in Christ in connection with the work in Grand Harbour.

I am still in special work at Manan, but bad roads and wet weather interfere with the attendance. It has been done, nevertheless. Two men have again taken up Christianity; others should do so, why delay I cannot tell. I have been glad to welcome Bro. Thorne to the Island. He has been three weeks. His work is in Head and Castalia churches for months. God will, we trust, use the conversion of some, and in the up of those two churches. I like to say something of Bro. I. Whitehead. He is greatly blessed to Christ's work. God bless him to health. Capt. John Ball, of the "Aurora," mourns the death of his youngest brother, from his usual robust health to death has only a lapse of five hours. Captain and his brother James, their families, as well as the widow and family, have our prayers and sympathy.

A. H. McLEOD.

Harbour, April 9th.

MANAN, N. B.—I suppose I have missed in my duty, as this is my letter to our beloved paper since the winter has been a long one, and the time has slipped away. We began special work shortly after the "week of" and continued them seven with grand results. Many souls saved. Twenty-four were baptized and added to the church. The church received a general uplift, and moving earnestly along all the testimony of all that financial condition of the church has never been better. The church, which was poorly lighted, is beautifully illuminated by the new gas lamps. It has received nothing but kindness from this people since coming and we pray God's blessing upon it. I have been glad to hear good news from other parts of the field. God from whom all blessings

A. D. PAUL.

EDRINGTON.—Five converts were added last Sunday.

REX.—Baptism Easter Sunday morning, and in the evening received

two promising young men into the church. It was a good day, and gave us encouragement in our work.

B. H. NOBLES.

BATH, C. Co.—At the close of the revival meetings held in this place by the pastor, Rev. M. L. Gregg, the people held a birthday party in his behalf. It was held in Phillips' Hall, which was crowded, all denominations in the place being well represented, showing how well the pastor's services are appreciated by this community as well as in the adjoining places. During the evening we were entertained with music by the choir, tea, coffee and rings of cake were served by the ladies, who did themselves great credit for the ample preparation they made. At the close of the meeting Mr. Gregg gave us a very pleasing address, which all enjoyed. The receipts of the evening were \$58.10. We can say of Bro. Gregg, that the Lord has sent the right man to us. The church had been without a pastor, and was low when he came. When special meetings were begun, notwithstanding the bad roads, there was a good congregation; when the roads were better the church was more than full every night; the interest was good till the last. Many souls were born into the kingdom, and backsliders were reclaimed who are now zealous in the work for the Master.

A FRIEND

WOODSTOCK, N. B.—Have closed the special meetings. They were good, and well attended by the church. Four persons were baptized at the close of the service last Sunday evening.

J. W. CLARKE.

March 11th.

HOME RELIGIOUS NEWS.

—The new Tabernacle Baptist church, Haymarket Square, St. John was opened for worship last Sunday.

—The Congregational church St. John is undergoing extensive repairs and improvements.

—The Baptist church in this city has given a call to Rev. J. H. McDonald, Principal of Acadia Seminary, formerly of Amherst, N. S.

TWO KINDS.

Newspapers have two kinds of subscribers—at least the INTELLIGENCER has them, and we assume the other papers have them too.

One kind is represented by the writer of this letter:

"Enclosed find \$2.00 to pay last year's subscription, and to the 30th day of April 1901, and then you can stop my paper for I am about tired of receiving dunning letters."

This gentleman's feelings were hurt because he received a polite reminder of the fact that he was in the second year for which payment had not been made, and that we would be glad if he could pay now. The letter he received was one of several hundreds of reminders which had to be sent last month. It may be a satisfaction to this good man to know that of all the answers received so far, his is the only one of its kind.

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LITERARY NOTES.

The Methodist Magazine for April contains several timely and patriotic papers—one, illustrated, on the Danish home of Queen Alexandra, and her private life; another, by the late Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone, on the Prince Consort, with his portrait; and a fully illustrated article on the new Commonwealth of Australia. An Easter flavour is given to this number. "A Woman's Life for Kashmir," is a life-sketch of Miss Irene Petrie, a volunteer student who died on the borders of Tibet after four years' service in India. Toronto: William Briggs. \$2.00 a year.

In the April Forum Mr. Edward Sherwood Meade's article on "The Limitations of Monopoly" is interesting. Mr. Meade briefly summarizes the growing tendency of the combinations of capital, but argues that until bounds are set to the power of invention and until the possibilities of natural resources are strictly limited, we can never be in serious danger from the tax of monopoly prices.

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Woodstock April 11th, 1901.

NOTICE.

The Shelburne Co. Quarterly Meeting of Free Baptists will convene at Shag Harbor, May 3rd, 5th. The first session on Friday 3rd, 2.30 p. m. Will the pastors on the various pastorates in this Q. M. bring the matter of changing the time of meeting before their churches, so that the Q. M. may be able to take action on this matter?

J. E. GOSLINE, Clerk.

Barrington, April 12th, 1901.

NOTICE.

At a recent meeting the Executive of the New Brunswick General Conference authorized the Treasurer of Conference to supply pastors with such numbers of copies of the Treatise of Faith and Church Covenant as they may apply for, for use in their work. The Treasurer was authorized, also, to sell the Hand Books in stock at 20 cents per copy for the cloth bound, and 30 cents per copy for the leather bound.

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MARRIAGES.

McKINLEY-MURDOCK.—At No. 53 Brunswick Street Saint John, on the 11th inst., by Rev. J. T. Parsons, assisted by Rev. C. T. Phillips, Mr. William McKinley and Miss Maggie Murdoch, both of Saint John city.

DAKIN-TATTON.—At the residence of the bride's father, Tobias Tatton, North Head, Grand Manan, by Rev. A. H. McLeod, Eugene Johnson and Sadie Tatton, both of North Head.

BYERS-STEVENS.—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, 280 Duke St. St. John, West, by Rev. Dr. Hartley, Alfred Byers of Fairville, St. John Co. and Miss Ethel Stevens of Randolph, St. John Co. N. B.

COUGLE-LONDON.—On the 10th inst. at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. W. DeWare, Benjamin Cougle, of Brockville, C. Co. and Ethel M., eldest daughter of W. Albert London, Esq. of Bloomfield, C. Co.

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DEATHS.

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JOHNSON.—Mrs. Johnson, of North Head, Grand Manan, died the 26th, after a short but very severe sickness. She leaves many sorrowing friends. May our heavenly Father comfort them as they miss one so young, for she was only 23 years of age.

GIBERSON.—At Arthurette, V. Co. March 30th, Deacon Joshua D. Giberson in the 87th year of his age. He professed religion fifty years ago, and united with the Free Baptist church at Arthurette. He was the first deacon of the church, and held the office till his death.

E. P. B.

MACDONALD.—At MacDonald's Point, on March 30th, of cancer of the breast, Jane, beloved wife of Whitfield MacDonald, aged 53 years. She was a daughter of the late Deacon Jesse Jones, of Shamon, Queen's county. She leaves a sorrowing husband, one sister, two brothers and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. She professed religion a number of years ago, and was baptized by Rev. Robert French. She suffered intensely for a number of months, and as the end drew near she became reconciled to the divine will. Her husband and mourning relatives are sustained and comforted in the assurance that for her "to die was gain."

C. B. LEWIS.

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