

THE MONCTON CHURCH.

(From the Moncton Church News.)

Sunday morning Mr. Wiggins preached a very helpful sermon from Psalm 138, 8, showing that salvation is a personal matter; that after God had done a perfect work in the human heart we were responsible for retaining it; that we must have stated times for prayer and let nothing great or small interfere with our religious duties and privileges.

The evening service was well attended and the pastor did full justice to his subject, "Christ's Journey of Mercy," taking for his text Mark 6-56. He stated that Adam through his fall, brought not only sin into the world, but also sickness, pain, disease and death; that Christ came as a great physician of both soul and body, and while on earth healed many who were incurable by human skill; that He is working still on earth, not so much on the body as in the heart, healing thousands of the malady of sin, for "as many as touched Him were made whole." At the close a real spiritual social service was enjoyed by all.

The attendance at the Sunday School was larger than last Sunday. Some of the classes gave their annual offering to foreign mission work. The "Berean" class contributed \$20; Class "Mizpah," \$21, and the little "Sunbeams" \$8. The other classes have not yet reported, as some intend to use their money for home purposes.

Class "Mizpah," Mrs. W. B. Wiggins, teacher. An organized class of ladies having an enrolment of twenty, with the following officers: President, Mrs. W. Bruce Maddison; vice-president, Mrs. Chas. N. Cook; secretary, Mrs. W. A. McCallum; treasurer, Miss Etta M. Storey.

A very enjoyable class meeting was held on Thursday evening, 10th inst., at the home of Mrs. W. A. McCallum. A pleasing feature of the evening was the opening of the individual missionary boxes, which resulted in a generous offering for our missionary work in South Africa.

The regular monthly missionary meeting was held on Tuesday evening and was most interesting and encouraging. As it was the annual business meeting the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. W. B. Wiggins; vice-president, Mrs. E. M. Tingley; secretary, Mrs. A. G. Good; treasurer, Mrs. S. N. Grass; programme committee, Miss Grace Good, Mrs. Frank Somers and Miss Iva Berry; delegates to the Reformed Baptist Alliance, Miss Nellie Good; organist, Miss Mabel Good.

The reports of the officers for the past year were most encouraging, showing quite a large increase in contributions and attendance. After the routine of business a very interesting programme was given, consisting of solos, duets and readings.

BEDDING FOR BEULAH.

Mrs. D. H. Nixon, 1 puff and two pairs of pillow cases; Mrs. A. Treadwell, one pillow; Mrs. D. F. Knight, two pillows and cases; Mrs. Alex. Allen, two pillows and cases. Eight feather pillows were made by Mrs. J. C. Maxon and Mrs. J. Oldenburg from material previously acknowledged.

Mrs. Oliver Trites, Lutes Mountain, one comfortable; Mrs. A. Hazen Steeves, Bridge-dale, Albert county, two feather pillows.

"Sin is the only cloud without a silver lining."

TRAVELLING RATES.

Rates for Travelling to and from the Alliance and Convention at Beulah Camp Ground from June 28th, 1915.

Via I. C. R.—Purchase one-way first class ticket to St. John, obtaining at the same time a *Standard Certificate*, which when signed by the Secretary at Beulah will entitle you to a free return.

The above applies to the Valley Railway also, as the I. C. R. has charge of it. *But be sure and get a Standard Certificate* when you buy your ticket.

Via C. P. R.—Purchase a first class ticket to St. Marys, Fredericton, or St. John, as you wish, obtaining at the same time a *Standard Certificate*, which when signed by the Secretary at Beulah will entitle you to be returned at one-third first class fare.

Note.—Persons coming from any point in the United States will buy a return ticket to the nearest station in New Brunswick on the C. P. R., then buy a one-way first class ticket from that station to St. Marys, Fredericton or St. John, as they wish, obtaining at the same time a *Standard Certificate*, which when signed by the Secretary at Beulah will entitle the holder to the one-third return fare.

Via D. A. R.—Purchase a first class ticket to St. John, at the same time obtaining a *Standard Certificate*, which when signed by the Secretary will entitle you to a free return; except on the steamer from St. John to Digby, which is controlled by the C. P. R., and subject to their conditions as above stated.

St. John River Steamers.—All persons coming from Fredericton or below as far as Hampstead will buy a return ticket to Beulah Camp Ground, as no certificates will be issued by any of the river steamers. Those coming from St. John to Beulah will pay their fare both ways, as no return tickets are given on any of the steamers between St. John and Beulah. The return tickets from Fredericton to Beulah are \$1.50. The fare from St. John to Beulah is 30 cents each way.

OUR MUSIC LESSON.

My soul, thou art receiving a music lesson from thy Father. Thou art being educated for the choir invisible. There are chords of the symphony that non can take but thee. There are chords too minor for the angels. There may be heights in the symphony which are beyond thy scale—the heights which the angels alone can reach. But there are depths which belong to thee, and can only be touched by thee.

Thy Father is training thee for the part the angels cannot sing; and the school is sorrow. I have heard men say that He sends thy sorrow to prove thee; nay, He sends thy sorrow to educate thee, to train thee for the choir invisible. In the night He is preparing thy song. In the morning He is tuning thy voice. In the cloud He is deepening thy chords. In the storm He is enriching thy pathos. In the rain He is sweetening thy melody. In the cold He is moulding thine expression. In the transition from hope to fear He is perfecting thy lights and shades.

Despise not thy school of sorrow, oh, my soul! It will give thee a unique part in the universal song.—Rev. George Matheson.

Duty is ours; results are God's.—Rev. A. T. Pierson.

NEIGHBORS MADE TO ORDER.

One day a "mover's wagon" came past Farmer Jones' gate. The wagon had in it a man and his family and their household goods. The top or cover was made of white canvas. That was the way people moved from one part of the country to the other then.

Farmer Jones was friendly toward everybody, so he spoke to the movers and asked them where they were going. "We are moving from Johnstown to Jamestown," they told him. "Can you tell us what kind of neighbors we will find in Jamestown?"

Farmer Jones dropped his head a moment in thought, then he asked, "What kind of neighbors did you find in Johnstown?"

"The very worst kind," they said, "our neighbors were gossipy and unkind and indifferent—we were glad to move away."

"You will find the same kind of neighbors in Jamestown, exactly the same!" he told them.

The next day another "mover's wagon" came past Farmer Jones' gate. He greeted them in his friendly way, and asked where they were going. "We are moving from Johnstown to Jamestown," they told him; "can you tell us what kind of neighbors we will find there?"

"What kind of neighbors did you find in Johnstown?" he asked.

"The very best," they told him. "Our neighbors were kind, considerate and very nice indeed. It almost broke our hearts to move away."

"You will find the same kind, exactly the same, in Johnstown," Farmer Jones told them as he bid them Godspeed.

"That's the way of the world," Farmer Jones said to himself as he walked back to the house. "If you want to have friends you will have to be friendly. If you want to see good in other people you will have to let them see good in you. As you measure to your neighbor, he will measure back to you."—Rev. Claud Allen McKay in the Advance.

Woodstock, N. B.,

June 24th, 1915.

Dear Highway,—

The members of our church and congregation have again very kindly remembered their pastor and his family in a practical way. On the evening of June 22nd, which was our wedding anniversary, and also Mrs. Dow's Birthday, we had a most pleasant and profitable call from a company of over forty persons, who presented Mrs. Dow with a very nice Brussels square for the parlor, and Mr. Dow with a good liberal sum of money. We were altogether surprised as we did not expect anything like this from our people who have been so liberal with their money and kind to their pastor and family in the past. We are very grateful to them, however, and know that God will surely reward them.

Yours in Christian fellowship,

H. S. and MRS. DOW.

REDUCED FARES.

Fredericton steamers will sell tickets to the Beulah Camp Ground and return during the Alliance and Camp Meetings at \$1.50, with privilege of return on either Victoria or D. J. Purdy, beginning June 25th to July 15th.

"Doctrinal error in the head will lead to spiritual error in life."

"To live the truth we must have the truth abiding in us."