

**Ministers and Churches.**

Rev. H. Smith will preach his farewell sermons on the Marysville circuit on the 16th. Brother Smith has not definitely decided where he will locate as yet, but will in the very near future.

Rev. C. S. Hilyard has bought a runabout automobile to use in his pastoral work at Fort Fairfield in place of a horse.

Rev. L. T. Sabine will move on the Port Maitland and Sandford circuit and take up his pastoral duties at once.

Rev. A. H. Trafton will visit Port Maitland N.S., next week on business, Sister Trafton will remain at Beulah Camp Ground until he returns.

Revs. P. J. Trafton, H. S. Dow, and Evangelists H. S. and Mrs. Mullen will hold a tent meeting at Lower Millstream beginning Sunday 23rd.

Evangelists H. S. and Mrs. Mullen will hold a few services at Mercer Settlement Kings Co. this week.

Revs. J. H. Coy and W. W. Howe will dedicate a new church at Salem, King's County on the 16th inst, Evangelists H. S. and Sister Mullen will assist in the services.

Millville, Moncton, and Beals, Me., churches are in correspondence with the brethren but have not definitely engaged their pastors as yet.

Rev. W. B. Wiggins will begin his pastoral duties at Woodstock on the 16th inst.

Rev. E. W. Lester will move his family to Marysville and assume his pastoral care of that circuit sometime this month, he will probably preach there on the 23rd.

Rev. H. S. Clark will go to Perth on the 17th and can be addressed there for a short time.

Rev. H. C. Archer will remain at Beulah Camp Ground until September, his address is Brown's Flat, King's County, N. B.

Ministers and their wives who attended Beulah Camp Meeting were: Revs. A. H. Trafton and wife, J. H. Coy and wife, W. B. Wiggins and wife, G. B. Trafton and wife, S. A. Baker and wife, P. J. Trafton and wife, H. C. Archer and wife, E. W. Lester and wife, Henry Smith and wife, H. C. Mullen and wife, S. H. Clark and wife, H. S. Dow and wife, H. S. Mullen and wife, I. F. Kierstead and wife, Evengelists F. W. Foster and wife, J. J. Colter and wife, (Methodist) and Revs. L. T. Sabine, W. W. Howe, C. S. Hilyard, T. W. Moses, Rev. A. Hartt (Pentecostal) and Licenciates Perley Briggs, Leon Beals,—Alley and Sister M. Ella Slipp, and Deaconess Mrs. Mary Seeley, (Pentecostal), H. A. Clark (Methodist.)

Rev. H. C. Archer preached morning and evening at Woodstock, Sunday the 9th inst.

"I cannot get interested in missions," exclaimed a petulant young lady. "No, dear," said her aunt, "you can hardly expect to. It is just like getting interested in a bank; you have to put up a little something first. And the more you put in—time, or money, or prayer—the more interest grows. But something you must put in, or you will never have any interest. Try it, and see."—*The Bible World.*

When you can show me a tract of land ten miles square one the face of the earth which has not come under the influence of Christianity, where you would be willing to live and rear your families, it will be time to disparage the work of the Christian church.—James Russell Lowell.



Sister Sanders and Family at Balmoral Farm, South Africa.

**BALMORAL (MISSIONARY) FARM FUND.**

Previously Acknowledged .....	\$2,256.90
Amount now needed .....	889.49
Mrs. Darius Downey .....	3.00
A Friend, Woodstock .....	10.00
Mrs. D. H. Nixon, Monthly .....	1.00
Lower Brighton S. S. Class .....	2.00
L. S. Kinney .....	10.00
Mrs. E. Higgins .....	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Andrews .....	2.00
N. W. Tompkins .....	1.00
B. H. Kimball .....	10.00
Offering Ft. Fairfield Church ..	7.00
Mrs. D. H. Hayes .....	1.00
Mrs. E. Cosman's Primary Class ..	35.00
St. John Church .....	10.00
Mrs. Wm. Tedlie .....	5.00
Interest on loan (Alliance) ..	100.00
Rev. T. W. and Mrs. Moses .....	5.00
Ezra Ingraham .....	2.00
Offering Saturday evening ..	100.00
Rev. H. C. Mullen .....	1.00

**THE MINISTERS RELIEF FUND.**

Received from S. A. Baker .....	\$25.00
Collected by Miss Ethel Pickett.	
Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Sterritt .....	.50
Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bradley .....	.50
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Patterson .....	.50
Mrs Maud Reid, Miss Lucy Bradley, Miss Helen Sterritt, Miss Alice Sterritt, Daisy Williams, Dora Bradley, Margaret Bradley, Mrs. W. W. Cronk, Fred Patterson, J. W. Cosman, Miss Ethel Pickett, 25 cents each .....	3.00
Mr. and Mrs. Beasley .....	.50
Rev. W. B. Wiggins .....	5.00
Mrs. Thos Tilley, Mrs. C. Shaw, Mrs. G. J. Kearney, Gordon York, Mrs. W. J. Haywood, Miss Hope Somers, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dephissey, 25 cents each ..	3.00
Mrs. G. Birmingham. ....	.50
A. J. Marsten.	
Treas.	

Reduced rates on the Bangor and Aroostook Railway from all stations north of Millenocket to Riverside Camp Ground. Aug 2-16.

**THE STICKING POINT**

Amos R. Wells says some good things about the "sticking point" which are well worth remembering. How to get past the hard places in life's road ought to interest us all, for we all find such places frequently. This is the way Mr. Wells would have us meet such difficulties. He says:

In every undertaking a point it likely to be reached at which matters seem to come to a standstill. The initial enthusiasm has worn off. Unexpected difficulties are encountered. Undreamed-of difficulties are encountered. Undreamed-of opposition is met.

Then is the time for calling on all our reservoirs of strength. Then is the time for faith to prove its power. Then is the time for co-operation, that each may encounter the other. Then, above all, is the time for prayer.

Expect this sticking-point, and you will not be dismayed when it comes. Prepare yourself for it. Attack it with spirit, and conquer it.

—Selected.

**MISSIONARY FUND.**

North Head Missionary Society .....	\$62.67
Mrs. D. N. Nixon, Native Worker .....	25.00
Hartland Missionary Society .....	51.27
Mrs. Woodford Cann, Foreign .....	2.00
Victoria Missionary Society .....	22.81
Lower Brighton Missionary Society ..	32.00
Sandford N. S., Missionary Society ..	24.00
Port Maitland N. S. Missionary Society	11.25
Cedar Lake Missionary Society.....	17.69
Grey's Mills .....	33.00
Millville Missionary Society .....	27.70
Marysville S. School .....	14.00
Hartland S. School .....	13.75
Seal Cove Society.....	52.80

**Woodstock Church**

Dues and collections .....	60.91
Thank offering .....	51.60
Sunday school .....	50.51
Faith fund .....	99.95
C. P. Phillips .....	100.00
Mrs. F. H. Hale .....	25.00
Interest Laura Burpee fund .....	6.00
Interest Mrs. Wm. Taylor fund ....	6.00

399.97	
Moncton Missionary Society .....	104.67
Moncton Sunday School .....	29.76
St. John Missionary Society .....	110.58
St. John Sunday School .....	5.60
St. John a Thank Offering .....	5.00
Offering at Beulah .....	70.00
Westchester Missionary Society .....	5.00
Mrs. Sarah Tedlie .....	1.00
Perley Briggs.. .....	3.00
Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Wanamaker ....	5.00
Mrs. Lizzie B. Smith, Faith fund ..	5.00
Gordon York, Native Worker .....	7.50
M. H. Young .....	1.00
S. C. Dunlop .....	1.00
Eddie Sharp .....	1.00
Wm. Blaney .. .....	.25
Mrs. Charles H. Knox.....	1.00
Mrs Walter Hoyt .....	.50
Mrs. Albert Gough .....	.50
Miss Hazel Knox.....	.50
Miss Eliza Knox .....	1.25
Miss Martha Knox .....	2.00
Miss Alberta Gough .....	.25

Happiness consists, not in possessing much, but in being content with what we have. He who wants little always has enough—*Zimmerman.*