# THE GIFT OF A NEW DESK.

A meeting of the Adult Bible Class on the 24th inst at the parsonage (where the class frequently meets), after a very enjoyable programme, consisting of singing, scripture reading and prayer, and readings by Mrs. S. N. Grass, Mrs. S. A. Baker and Cecil Good, solo by Miss Emma Mitton, addresses by Messrs. Jeremiah Fillmore, S. N. Grass and the pastor, and a duet by Misses Grace and Nellie Good, the editor was suddenly awakened to the fact that discoveries had been made, 1st, that he was using an old fashioned desk in his study, 2nd, that he was born on April 24th, 3rd, that this very important event (to him) had taken place considerably over a half century ago, and possibly it might have occurred to the younger portion of his church and congregation that the gift of a nice roll topped desk might suggest some ideas to the editor and pastor, that would cause him to be more modern in his pastoral and editorial work. So it came with a considerable of a shock when a sister stepped forward and said: "Dear Brother Baker," and her husband and another brother got up and went out the front door, and the pastor's wife looked puzzled, as the sister began reading the following address, and as she read, "Please accept this," the door opened and she said "desk' 'and there it came, and she finished reading the address. Then it was discovered that a tell-tale birthday book was responsible for this surprise. So much so that we cannot recall how we expressed our thanks.

If any "new thought" is found in the Highway, please attribute it to that fine new desk.

### ADDRESS.

Rev. S. A. Baker,

Moncton, N. B.

Dear Sir: As we have gathered here this evening to wish you many happy returns of your Birthday, and every blessing that Heaven may send your way.

Although a surprise we feel sure you will be delighted to welcome us to the cheerful atmosphere of your home, and that you will look back on this evening as one of the happiest in your remembrance.

Please accept this desk, not for its intrinsic value, but for the kind thoughts and good wishes that we may give with it, and for all the joys we hope you will know as you journey up the years.

Again wishing you all happiness for years to come, we are your friends.

Signed on behalf of the R. B. Church, MRS. W. D. BLAKNEY.

# TENT FUND.

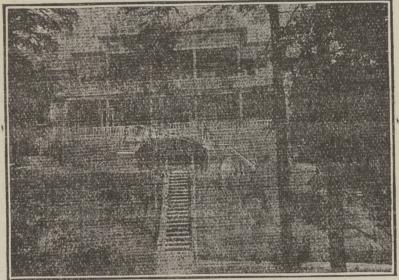
We would like this fund to be paid up before Alliance. It is only \$100.00. Will you help?

# T. A. Jones ...... 1.00

Make no friendship with an angry man; and with a furious man thou shalt not go: Lest thou learn his ways and get a snare to thy soul.—Pro. 22:24-25.

## BEULAH CAMP MEETING.

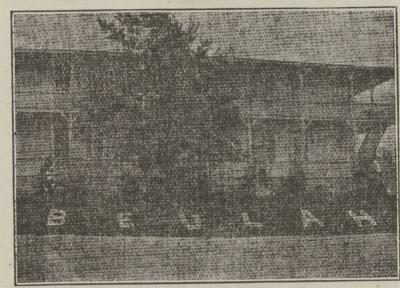
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Beulah Hotel.

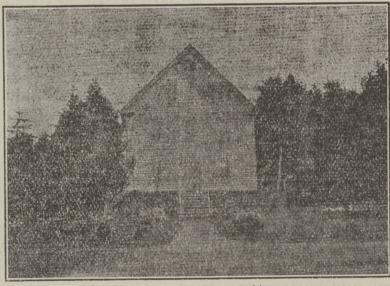
Furnished Rooms, 75 cents and \$1.00 per day. Board, \$5.00 per week, \$1.00 per day. Dinner, 50 cents. Breakfast and supper, 35 cents.

For Rooms in this building write Rev. H. C. Mullen, North Head, Grand Manan, N. B.



Riverview Dormitory.

Furnished Rooms, 50 cents per day. For Rooms in this building, write Rev. L. T. Sabine, Port Maitland, N. S.



Cedardale Dormitory

Furnished Rooms, 40 cents per day. For Rooms in this building write Rev. F. T. Wright, Seal Cove, Grand Manan, N. B.

### NOTES.

The Camp Metings are purely evangelistic.

You can rent a room and board yourself if you wish.

Pray much for a great out-pouring of the Holy Spirit upon these meetings.

Evangelists Andrew Johnson and Thomas C. Henderson are new men in our Camp Meetings. Come and hear them.

To make sure you will have feather pillows and blankets, put them in your suit case before you leave home.

Beulah and Riverside Camp Meetings stand for definite scriptural Holiness, the great essentials of Salvation, Justification and Entire Sanctification. No side issues.

People of all evangelical denmoinations

attend these Camp Meetings, and get great help in their Christian lives. The attendance and interest are increasing every year.

Riverside Camp Ground is situated on the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad, at Robinson, Maine. The average Sunday attendance is about 4,000, and a good week day attendance.

The first Christian Camp Meeting was held by the River Jordan by John the Baptist. He taught the two baptisms—with water unto repentance and the baptism with the Holy Ghost.

Beulah Camp Ground is beautifully situated on the St. John River, 20 miles above St. John City, and is considered the most beautiful and best equipped Camp Ground on the continent.

Purchase Return Tickets which will save much trouble and entitle you to remain a month.

## MISSIONARY MEETING.

The monthly Missionary meeting of the St. John Church was held on April 5th. Our president, Mrs. F. D. Foley, in the chair.

Meeting was opened by singing "Jesus Saves," followed by a season of prayer.

Scripture reading by President from Jer. 10.

After reading minutes of last meeting, dues were paid in, amounting to \$3.05, and a collection taken of \$2.16. The following programme was then given:

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Reading by Mrs. Short.

Recitation-Miss Vida Gibbs.

Recitation—Master Raymond Parks.

Duot "Cathering Jewels"—Mrs Fol

Duet, "Gathering Jewels"—Mrs. Foley and Miss Josie Cody.

Bible Reading on Giving, by audience.
Recitation—Miss Helen Pugh.

Reading-Miss Bubar.

Reading—Mr. A. E. Whelpley.

Recitation—Master Freddie Parlee.

Dialogue—Miss Eva Howe and Thelma
Parlee.

Solo-Miss Elsie Ferris.

Reading, "God's Financial Plan of Tithing," by Miss Josie Cody.

A special Easter offering of \$20.50 was taken for foreign missions.

After a few remarks by the pastor, the meeting closed with singing, "I'll go where you want me to go" and Benediction.

## TO THE CHURCHES.

Dear Brethren and Sisters: I trust that we will keep in mind the needs of the work in the home and foreign fields. Let us stir ourselves up to see if we are keeping abreast of the times. Only two months more and we will be at Beulah, D. V. Prices are advancing. We need to advance in our giving. Our efforts in connection with our missionary enterprises must not slacken; let us make the progress God would have us. Let us pray and give and give and praise.

P. J. TRAFTON, President Missionary Society.

### TO THE MISSIONARY SOCIETIES.

Please press your work of raising the missionary funds. Less than two months remain before the meetings of the Alliance and the General Missionary Society.