

## PERSONALS.

Sister Alma Hartley, who is now at Mountain View, Calif., has been ill for several weeks, but we are glad to learn she is now regaining her health.

Sister Mrs. Gertrude H. Jones has changed her address to 733—16th Ave., Seattle, Wash.

Sister Mrs. George Daggett says: Enclosed please find my renewal. I am always pleased to see the Highway. May the Lord bless it and all its readers.

Rev. Thomas C. Henderson, of Columbus, Ohio, will (D. V.) be the evangelist at Riverside Camp Meeting at Robinson, Maine, Aug. 2-12.

Rev. Andrew Johnson, D. D., of Wilmore, Ky., will (D. V.) be the evangelist at Beulah Camp Meeting, June 28-July 8th.

Misses Grace and Nellie Good, of Moncton, spent a week at St. John with relatives the first of this month.

We are glad to receive a letter from Brother P. L. Cosman from Witley, England, dated Feby. 25th. He reports good health physically and spiritually.

Brother Cosman while walking through the city of Guilford saw a sign, "Strict Baptist Church." The next Sunday he obtained leave and walked 8 miles to attend the services. He said that the minister prayed long and preached a good sermon. These people are the real close communion type. Brother Cosman had a conversation with a deacon, who enquired about the Baptists in New Brunswick, and was informed that we were open communionists. The deacon looked very serious, and remarked we were going backward, and warned Brother Cosman that we were on the wrong course.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Shaw have gone to live with their daughter, Mrs. G. B. Nixon, till the cold weather is over.

Miss Iva Cox underwent a surgical operation at the Fisher Memorial Hospital recently.

Rev. C. S. Hilyard and Brother L. S. Kinney attended the meetings at Hartland, Wednesday night, March 6th.

## MISSIONARY MEETING.

The regular monthly Missionary Meeting was held by the Moncton Church on the evening of the 5th inst.

Mrs. W. D. Blakney presided, and read the Scripture lesson. Prayer was offered by Mrs. I. F. Keirstead. A short programme was rendered by the children, a duet by Misses Grace and Nellie Good. Miss Mabel Good was the organist. Mrs. I. F. Keirstead gave an excellent missionary address which was listened to with deep interest. Notwithstanding there were many attractions on that evening the church was filled. Our monthly missionary meetings are increasing in interest and attendance.

## PROHIBITION.

The daily papers announce that Canada virtually goes dry on April 1st, and the town of Quebec West will be dry after May 1st.

It is hoped that Westmorland and Albert Counties, N. B., will soon be among the dry counties in this province.

## MINISTERS AND CHURCHES.

Rev. H. C. Mullen says: The Lord is giving me victory in my soul, and I am in the fight for holiness to the last ditch.

Rev. G. B. Trafton expects to begin special revival services at Norton, N. B., assisted by Rev. W. E. Smith about April 1st.

Rev. C. S. Hilyard is enjoying rich seasons of blessing at Fort Fairfield. He has received four persons for baptism and one by letter.

Brother Hilyard says: Our meetings are going good, people say the best prayer meetings ever held here. Sunday mornings I hardly get a chance to testify, let alone to preach. We have set the point to reach before Alliance that every backslider will go back in his place.

Rev. H. S. Dow and Rev. H. S. and Mrs. Mullen closed the special services at Lower Southampton on the 3rd inst. They had a good meeting. Brother Dow baptized four persons on Sunday, the 3rd inst. The services were well attended all through, and the people want them to return for another meeting.

Rev. E. W. Lester expects to begin special services at Marysville, N. B., on the 14th assisted by Rev. H. S. Dow and Rev. H. S. and Mrs. Mullen.

Sister I. F. Keirstead spent a few days at Moncton and preached morning and evening, Sunday, the 3rd inst., and gave an excellent missionary address at the monthly missionary meeting on the evening of the 5th, returning home on the 6th. Sister Keirstead's visit was much enjoyed by all of our people.

A very enjoyable Bible Class meeting was held at the residence of Mrs. C. E. Freeze, Moncton, N. B., on the evening of Feb. 28th. Over 40 were present.

God has wonderfully blessed Brother Clark's work at Calais with 36 additional members to the church and 133 coming to the altar during the services while Brother Foster was with him.

Rev. W. W. Howe reports a good interest in the services at St. John. Brother Howe spent Feb. 24th at Salem, Kings County. While there Brother Martin on behalf of the people presented him with \$41.00 which Brother Howe appreciated very much.

## QUARTERLY MEETING.

A quarterly meeting will be held (D. V.) with the church at Moncton March 21st, continuing over Sunday, 24th. This includes the churches of St. John, Kings Co., Westmorland County, and Amherst and Westchester, N. S. Please send delegates.

## "SINGING AND MAKING MELODY IN YOUR HEART TO THE LORD."

Songs to the Lord must be from the heart. This kind will also reach hearts on earth. This kind of musical hearts are purified and perfected in love and their songs are heaven born. Earthly sorrows increase their sweetness.

Membership in the church should indicate harmony with the doctrines and principles of the church.—Sel.

## MARRIED.

Green-Scofield.

Chester Green and Viola Scofield, both of Seal Cove, Grand Manan, were united in marriage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Joye, Feb. 13th, 1918, Rev. F. T. Wright officiating.

## OBITUARY.

Mrs. Frank B. Somers.

On the 8th inst. of tuberculosis, at the residence of her parents, Mr. W. B. and Mrs. Maddison, 20 Cameron street, Moncton, Willa, wife of Mr. Frank B. Somers, aged 24 years. The funeral service was held Sunday afternoon and her remains were taken to the family burying ground at Indian Mountain for burial. The service was conducted by Pastor S. A. Baker and was largely attended. The hymns were "Never Alone," "When the Pearly Gates Unfold," and a duet, "The Pearley White City," by Misses Grace and Nellie Good. The floral tributes were very beautiful. Sister Willa passed so peacefully away that those by her bedside scarcely knew when the last moment came.

Ella Maud Benson.

Ella Maud Benson, the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Benson, passed away Feb. 10th, aged seven months and thirteen days. This is the fourth little one these parents have laid to rest. May God's grace and Spirit be their support. The service was conducted by Rev. F. T. Wright.

Mary Ann Brown.

Mary Ann Brown, relict of Samuel Gilbert Brown, died at the home of her son, Lower Brighton, Carleton Co., Wednesday, March 6th. She was one of the oldest residents of this section, having reached the age of ninety-one years, eleven months and four days. She was one of those aged people who retain their faculties with a buoyancy of spirit. She gave her heart to God in her early years and her delight was in the law of the Lord. She passed through many trying circumstances and proved the worth of the promise of Jesus, "And, lo, I am with you always." When the Reformed Baptist Church was organized she became one of the charter members and remained loyal to the faith all these years. For number of years she has not been able to attend church but very little. One of her sons is a strong preacher in the Pentecostal Nazarene denomination. The funeral service was held in the Reformed Baptist church at Lower Brighton, Friday, March 8, at 2.30 p. m., the writer officiating, assisted by Rev. Geo. Kincaid. Six children survive, four sons, Allen J., of Smyrna Mills, Me.; Spurgeon J., of Mars Hill, Me.; Beecher D., of Lower Brighton, with whom she lived; Rev. Odber L. W., of South Portland, Me.; two daughters, Mrs. I. N. Robinson, of Vassalboro, Me.; Mrs. Dav Noble, of Lower Brighton, besides the sons and daughters, 21 grandchildren, 31 great-grandchildren and 3 great-great-grandchildren mourn their loss, for every one loved her. We laid her body to rest beside that of her husband, who departed this life 16 years previous.

P. J. TRAFTON.