

MINISTERS AND CHURCHES.

The Hartland Church had an all day meeting on Good Friday. Evangelist Lee Good was present in the afternoon and evening. The services were excellent and several were greatly helped in the divine life. All the services on Brother Lester's circuit have been good lately and some seven or eight have knelt at the altar for salvation. Four or five have professed to be converted and the churches are praying and believing for victory. A missionary program that was exceptionally good was carried out both at Hartland and Lower Brighton on Monday evening of the 21st inst.

The services in the Fredericton Church have continued with interest and helpfulness. One hundred and twenty attended their last missionary meeting.

Rev. P. J. Trafton and Rev. H. S. Dow attended the Pentecostal District Assembly at Cambridge, Mass., by invitation lately and had a very pleasant time.

Rev. A. H. Trafton supplied for his son at Fredericton during his absence at Cambridge, Mass.

Three happy souls were baptized in the Fredericton Church on the evening of Sunday, the 13th inst., and ninety-one partook of the Lord's Supper.

MISSIONARY SPIRIT.

There is no history so thrilling, so full of adventure, containing so many wonderful examples of heroism and zeal, as the history of pioneer missionaries.

If you have read the biography of Robert Moffatt you recall that scene where the South African chief with a dozen men stood holding aloft poisoned spears, about to plunge them into his body. He had been repairing his wagon, and his wife stood by when the men came upon him. Dropping his tools and baring his breast the great missionary calmly said: "Your threats are vain. We have come to bless you, and here we stay. If you are bound to be rid of us, do what you will. But our hearts are with you and we shall stay with you till we are killed. Now spear me, if you will, and when you have slain me, others like me will come to take up the work." The spears dropped as the chief said to his men, "These missionaries are so fearless of death, they must have ten lives; there must be another life beyond." The spirit of Robert Moffatt is the spirit that has animated all true-hearted missionaries. They have hazarded and spent their lives for the people among whom they have worked.

MISSIONARY FUND.

Mrs. D. W. Deplessey	\$1.00
W. A. Hopper	2.00
Miss Claire Wilcox (native worker) ..	30.00
Mrs. Lima F. Hale (native worker) ..	15.00
North Head S. S. Class (native worker)	37.50
Interest on Victory Bond	2.75
Head of Millstream Missionary Society (foreign)	24.06
S. A. BAKER,	
Moncton, N. B.	Treasurer

PERSONALS.

Sister Dow, who has spent the winter in Syracuse, N. Y., has moved to Montreal, Que., and expects to attend our Camp Meeting at Beulah. Her testimony is that "Jesus is sweeter to her as the years go by and she praises Him for His saving and keeping power."

Mr. Mont Stiles and wife and Mr. C. J. Stiles and wife and Master Kenneth left Moncton on the afternoon of the 27th inst. on the C. N. R. express for Long Beach, Calif. They will call at Moose Jaw, Sask., on their way for a few days. They expect to make their home at Long Beach.

STUDENTS' FUND

There are still several weeks remaining before the close of the school year, and we trust that a good number of our people who have not yet contributed to the Students' Fund may avail themselves of this privilege.

Previously acknowledged	\$133.50
Miss Nellie G. Hart	2.00
Mrs. Bessie M. Blaney	1.00
M. ELLA SLIPP,	
Grey's Mills, N. B.	Treasurer.

SICK AND AGED MINISTERS' FUND.

Rev. T. W. Moses	\$2.00
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This fund should not be forgotten or overlooked by our churches. Some of our ministers are getting old, and may need some assistance from this Fund.

Let a special offering be taken or private contributions be sent in before Alliance.

Send money to

REV. H. C. ARCHER,
North Head,
Grand Manan, N. B.

MEDUCTIC CHURCH FUND.

We want to clear the debt off the church before next October. Who will help us? Surely you can do something towards this fund. We wish to thank all who have donated thus far. We have been talking to Father about it and we expect him to talk to you, so be sure and listen.

Previously acknowledged	\$67.00
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Morgan	5.00
P. W. Briggs	7.00

REV. PERLEY W. BRIGGS,
Meductic, N. B. Treasurer.

HIGHWAY SUPPLEMENTARY FUND

Dear brothers and sisters of the holiness cause, we are grateful to you for the assistance you have rendered in the past to keep "The King's Highway" the clean preacher of holiness that it is. We are thankful for the hearty response from so many to the above fund, but we need a response from all. Let us hear from you at send your money by post office order, or postal note to the Treasurer as below.

P. J. TRAFTON.	
Previously acknowledged	\$420.50
M. H. Young	1.75
REV. W. B. WIGGINS, Treasurer.	
204 Bonaccord St., Moncton, N. B.	

PRESENTATION.

The Willing Workers of the Reformed Baptist S. S. were entertained by their president, Mrs. Harry Irvine, Queen street south, Thursday evening, April 10th, 1924, it being the regular monthly meeting of the class.

As Mrs. Irvine expects to leave in the near future to join her husband in South Framingham, Mass., the class took advantage of this opportunity and invited the R. B. Choir, of which Mrs. Irvine is a member, to unite with them in planning a pleasant surprise for their hostess and in wishing her Godspeed.

After the devotional and business exercises were over, Mrs. O. R. Estey, teacher of the class, spoke of the regret with which the church and S. S. had learned of Mrs. Irvine's contemplated departure, the choir losing a valued member and the class a president whose loving Christian spirit, dependableness and willingness to help in all things for its betterment, endeared her to every member. As secretary of the class for a number of years before being made president, Mrs. Irvine was equally as popular.

On behalf of those present, Mrs. Estey then presented Mrs. Irvine with a silk umbrella and a leather hand bag.

Although taken completely by surprise, our hostess soon recovered her composure, and thanked us in her kind wholehearted way. A short programme was then given consisting of solos by Miss Flora Brown, Miss Flora Parsons and Harvey Blaney, and a duet by Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. London.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by several members of the class.—Com.

PERTH CHURCH FUND.

Keep on, friends, you are doing fine this last two weeks. We are a long way from \$600 yet.

REV. H. S. MULLEN,
Perth, N. B. Treasurer.

TOBACCO AND SCIENTISTS.

By Will H. Brown.

Dr. J. A. L. Waddell, in his address as retiring president of the American Academy of Engineers in 1918, said, "While the efforts of certain scientists to prohibit the use of tobacco have proved a failure, as far as the populace is concerned, they have convinced thinking men that the effect of nicotine on the system is to reduce materially one's mental acumen; consequently a very large per centage of the scientists and engineers of today do not use the weed."

Dr. Wm. Mayo, the eminent surgeon, on one occasion when entertaining a company of surgeons in his home, remarked: "It is customary as we all know, to pass around cigars after dinner, but I shall not do it. I do not smoke and I do not approve of smoking. If you will notice, you will see that the practice is going out among the ablest surgeons, the men at the top. No surgeon can afford to smoke."