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And an Highway shall be there, and a way, and it shall be called The Way of Holiness—Isa.

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PRESENTATION

At Beulah Camp Ground on Thursday, July 2nd, a very unique incident took place when, in recognition of the continued friendship of the Bullock family, "Our Friends," and their untiring efforts to improve the grounds of Beulah Camp, Rev. S. A. Baker (since deceased) on behalf of the Alliance, presented Mrs. Joseph Bullock with a beautiful bouquet of flowers, the occasion being her 86th birthday.

Mr. Baker read the 91st Psalm and, commenting upon it, showed the blessings obtained by dwelling in "the secret place of the Most High." After declaring how the Lord had wonderfully preserved Sister Bullock, bringing her to the present milestone, he feelingly referred to the many acts of kindness toward us by the late Joseph Bullock, his wife and their son John.

Sister Bullock fittingly replied, declaring her interest in the work of the Lord and her desire to see His cause prosper, urging all to sacrifice for the sake of others.

Mr. John Bullock also spoke of the faithfulness of father and mother in bringing up their family in the fear of God, owing much to their holy example and strict discipline. Other kind words of Mr. Bullock were tenderly and thankfully received.

All joined in wishing our aged sister, whose faculties are remarkably retained, years still in the Master's service.

In this presentation Brother Baker performed his last public act.

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Late Rev. S. A. Baker

REV. S. A. BAKER

Rev. S. A. Baker, one of the foremost ministers of the Reformed Baptist denomination since its organization in 1888, passed to his reward at Beulah Camp Ground, the place of all places dear to him, for he had spent many days of toil in the early years to make the camp meeting a success, and his interest and care never waned,

LAST COMMUNICATION FROM REV. MR. BAKER

Dear Editor of Highway:

We are delighted to be at Beulah Camp Ground again, not having missed a meeting since the organization of the denomination on Nov. 3, 1888. We would be glad to write many things if time and conditions would permit.

S. A. BAKER.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

A committee from the Alliance was appointed to arrange for a Memorial Service for the deceased brethren, and accordingly such a service was held during the Camp Meeting on Wednesday afternoon, July 8th, at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. H. S. Dow was in charge of the service. Rev. E. W. Lester had charge of the singing; Rev. I. F. Keirstead read the Scripture and preached the sermon. Rev. G. B. Trafton prayed and spoke; a Iso Rev. H. C. Archer spoke. Benediction by Rev. A. H. Clark. Special mention was made of Revs. J. H. Coy, W. B. Wiggins and A. H. Trafton. Some laymen were also in mention.

up to the very last a weakness of body and failing strength his spirit was indomitable. He was a man of strong personality and great faith, who despised sham and cowardice, but loved truth and righteousness. It seemed his passing was planned by his Lord, for from what better place could his spirit have gone? The place he loved as his very soul, surrounded by the men and women with whom he had fought as a soldier of the cross for these many years. In his little cottage at Beulah Camp, on a point looking out on one of the most picturesque scenes in the natural world, his triumphant spirit took its flight from his worn-out body Friday morning, July 10th, at 10 o'clock, surrounded by his loving and devoted wife, his son, Mrs. I. M. Keirstead and brethren.

Brother Baker was born at Woodstock, N. B., April 24th, 1853. His occupation in early life was that of a tailor, which vocation he pursued until his going into the ministry, and at one time afterward to help free himself from encumbrances. He was three times married; nine children were born, of whom only two survive. Bro. Baker was a licentiate in the F. C. B. church before the ministers were set aside. He had received the experience of entire Sanctification and was preaching it, and of course allied himself with the people who were disfellowshipped. When the Reformed Baptist Church was organized in Woodstock in the year 1888, he was ordained an elder in company with the late Revs. Aaron Hart and W. B. Wiggins. He has held important positions, and his pastorates in these years have covered Meductic, Grand Manan, Saint John, Fort Fairfield, Hartland, Woodstock, Fredericton and Moncton. He was for seventeen years editor and business manager of The King's Highway. He was treasurer of the General Missionary Society, in which office he functioned till the time of his death. He was at different times chosen as President of the Alliance. He is survived by his widow, one son, Sharp, of Toronto, and one daughter, Mrs. J. Burns, of Lowell, Mass.

The funeral was held Friday afternoon in the Tabernacle at 3.30 o'clock, Rev. H. S. Dow officiating, assisted by Revs. G. B. Trafton, H. C. Archer, S. H. Clark and P. J. Trafton. Brother Dow gave a short address from Acts 11-24: For he was a good man and full of the Holy Ghost and faith; and much people was added unto the Lord. As his brethren and sisters in the ministry stood around the open casket, they united in singing "The Pearly White City." The body was taken to St. John the same evening, and the next morning, accompanied by his widow and son, was taken by train to Caribou, Me., and laid to rest beside those of his children, to await the resurrection of the Holy.

To the sorrowing ones we extend our heartfelt sympathy. He was a fearless preacher, a faithful pastor, and a loving and devoted husband and father.

P. J. TRAFTON.



Mrs. J. S. Bullock