

MINISTERS AND CHURCHES

Rev. H. S. Mullen did not go to Seal Cove on account of being sick with a severe cold.

Miss Hazel Mullen was sick all of last week. She has been assisting Rev. H. S. Dow in special meetings.

Rev. H. C. Mullen reports one score or more seekers at the altar during the special meetings held with Rev. Mr. Morgan (colored) in Saint John. Brother Mullen held services during Passion Week in his church in Saint John, and is continuing this week.

Rev. P. J. Trafton, of Moncton, N. B., held services during Passion Week. He began special meetings on April 12th. Rev. F. A. Watson, of Beals, Maine, is assisting him.

Rev. H. S. Dow reports good meetings, and souls getting help at Hartland, N. B., although much sickness prevails.

Some of the members of the Praying Band of Fort Fairfield were down to help in the meetings at Hartland on Easter Sunday.

Rev. S. H. Clark has received a unanimous call to remain with the church at Jonesport, Maine.

The meetings at Hartland continue. Miss Hazel Mullen, who has been on the sick list is able to be in the work again. Burrell Kimball, of Fort Fairfield, Me., assisted in the services on the 8th.

Rev. I. F. Keirstead baptized three candidates on Easter Sunday at Fredericton.

Miss Faith Sanders has been having grand success in special services held in Lowell and Quincy, Mass. She will return to New Brunswick after the 22nd of April.

Mrs. I. F. Keirstead is able to be out again, but still suffers much.

Lic. Eugene Keirstead is suffering much with his eyes. They show not much improvement.

Rev. S. A. Mullen, of Marysville, assisted a few days in the special services at Saint John this week.

Rev. P. J. Trafton spoke to the men of the Christian Brotherhood at the C. N. R. shops at noon hour Wednesday, April 4th. The services on Easter Sunday were helpful. A children's choir sang two specials at the morning service. A nice Easter program was given by the Sunday School under the direction of the organist, Miss Blanche Blakney.

NEW DORMITORY FUND

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Patton\$10.00
Mrs. Allison Shaw 10.00

EASTER EXERCISES

A very nice and helpful Easter programme was carried out by the Sunday School at Westchester, N. S., on Monday evening, April 9th, in the Reformed Baptist Church. A goodly number were present. The meeting opened by singing the Doxology and reading of the Scripture. The program did great credit to the directors and those taking part, and the blessing of the Lord in answer to prayer was manifest. Rev. Mr. Henderson was the chairman. An offering was received and the meeting closed with prayer by Brother Charlie Webb.

STUDENTS' FUND

"There is that scattereth and yet increaseth"—Prov. 11:24.
Previously acknowledged\$68.00
Martha C. Thurston 20.00
M. ELLA SLIPP,
Fort Fairfield, Maine. Treasurer

PERSONALS

Myra Elliott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elliott, of Victoria, Carleton Co., is recovering from the measles.

Abraham Cronkhite, of Temple, York Co., received severe injuries recently by falling from a load of logs. He was taken to the Fisher Memorial Hospital in Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mooers, who has been spending the winter in Boston and other parts of Massachusetts, returned to their home in Woodstock recently.

Mrs. Otis Ames, of Fort Fairfield, Me., who has been in poor health for a few weeks, is improving.

Mrs. Frank T. Kimball, on her way home from Florida, stopped off in Washington, D. C., and Boston, Mass.

Miss Edith Nixon, of Woodstock, has gone to Perth, where she has accepted a position with the N. B. Telephone Co.

Miss Pearl Coultherd, student at the Normal School, Presque Isle, spent a few days last week with her father, Samuel Coultherd, in Woodstock.

Mis Agalya Hillman, of Hartland, was operated on for appendicitis at the Fisher Memorial Hospital at Woodstock recently.

Mrs. James Brewer, of Hartland, was a patient at the Fisher Memorial Hospital two weeks ago.

Mrs. S. H. Shaw, of Hartland, continues in very poor health.

Mrs. Robert Barr, of Fredericton, N. B., is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Mary Lowe, of Fredericton, is staying with Mrs. Robert Barr. She is in very good health with the exception of a bad cold.

Mrs. Alvin Perry has been laid up with la-grippe for nearly two weeks.

HIGHWAY SUPPLEMENTARY FUND.

Miss Hattie Russell50c
W. M. Smith50c

CHEERFULNESS

Cheerfulness means a contented spirit; a pure heart, a kind and loving disposition; it means humility and charity, a generous appreciation of others, and a modest opinion of self.—Thackeray.

"The devil's biggest desire is not to break up the church, but to have a hand in running it."

"The man who perceives a superiority, or a capacity in a subordinate, and neither confesses nor assists it, is not merely the withholder of kindness, but the committer of an injury."—The Free Methodist.

The story is told of a Chinaman, whose knowledge of English was limited, who remarked: "I am reading the Bible and behaving it." It is not enough to believe that these commandments are from God; we must behave them.—Heart and Life.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

The pastor of the Reformed Baptist Church of Fredericton, N. B., Rev. I. F. Keirstead, was very kindly remembered by his Church and congregation on the occasion of his birthday. A generous purse was presented him at the Young People's Meeting April 6th. The pastor responded heartily thanking the congregation for this and all other expressions of good will and fellowship.

WILL YOUR SCEPTICISM STAND THE TEST?

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I suggest, however, that you begin this study by reading **The Gospel according to St. John**. Read it carefully and systematically, asking God to show you the truth. At first it may seem as if you are praying to an empty room; but if you keep on reading and praying each day, your skepticism will soon fade away like mist. Then you will see your need of a personal Saviour; and if you give yourself to Him, you will soon find peace and happiness in leading a Christian life.

CHAS. E. KEARNEY

GENERAL MISSIONARY FUND

Waterville Missionary Society.....\$9.24
Mrs. W. A. Williamson (horse fund)..... 5.00
Mrs. B. T. Gaskan (for Sterritt Sisters)..10.00
Perry Cullen (for Miriam Sanders).....25.00
Mr. J. H. Brown (for seats) 5.00
Frederick E. Parker 5.00
Mrs. Nada Wheeler (for Geo. Sanders)....30.00
Sanford Missionary Society34.50
Mrs. Mary Doane (horse fund)..... 1.00
Mrs. Alberta Landers (horse) 1.00
Faith Sanders38.93
Eugene Keirstead (native)10.00
Mrs. F. H. Hale (native)15.00
Self Denial Class, Fredericton (native)....15.00
Mrs. J. W. Moores (native)15.00
Frank K. and Mrs. Brown (native).....15.00
Self Denial Class, Fredericton (native teacher) 5.00

I. F. KEIRSTEAD,
Treasurer

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Note.—If all those supporting native workers can send in their remittances quarterly it will help us.—I. F. K.

THE LAST WEEK

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Jerusalem. He foretold the destruction of the temple and portrayed the judgment scene.

The last supper was eaten with His disciples, after which He conversed with them. We hear His marvellous intercessory prayer that the Father might glorify Him and preserve the disciples and all other believers.

The agony in Gethsemane, where Jesus was left alone, His betrayal and arrest was followed by the trial before the Jewish authorities—the insults heaped upon Him and the cruel crown of thorns was pressed upon His brow. Oh! the suffering of that night, when even Peter who had declared his love and loyalty, a few short hours before—denied that He knew Him! At last He was given to that howling mob to be crucified.

We cannot conceive of that inhuman torture. No wonder there was darkness over the whole land for three hours! But that long day of unspeakable suffering was to be ended. He cried with a loud voice and said: "Father into Thy hands I commend my spirit," and gave up the ghost.

He was tenderly laid in the new tomb, but, praise the Lord, the tomb could not hold Him, for early in the morning of the third day the angel announced to those women, "He is risen." This was the unmistakable evidence of His divinity. So we are not worshipping a dead Christ, but One Who liveth forevermore, and as He lives we shall live also. This gives inexpressable joy. Hallelujah!

I. M. K.