

CORRESPONDENCE

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School also presented me with a lovely Bible some time ago. The Knoxford Praying Band presented my wife and I with a beautiful Aladdin lamp Xmas Eve, and Knoxford and Royalton together presented me with a wrist watch a short time ago. For all these remembrances we praise the Lord, and are encouraged to press the battle harder for the salvation of souls.

REV. HOLLIS KIMBALL

Fort Fairfield

Dear Highway:

We wish to thank the people of this church for their kindness to us at this Christmas season. On Dec. 22nd about sixty-five of our congregation met at our home and after the usual good time spent in singing and conversation, Brother F. T. Wright in a few well chosen words, presented us with a purse of fifty dollars. We tried to thank them, but words failing to express our appreciation of their kindness we knelt to ask our heavenly Father's blessing upon them. After partaking of a beautiful lunch they left, wishing us a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. We also pass on the good wish of a Happy New Year to all the Highway readers.

Yours in the Master's service,

P. W. BRIGGS

1481 Atchison St.,
Pasadena, Calif.

Rev. P. J. Trafton:

Dear Brother: Enclosed you will find money order for the King's Highway. I am pleased with the high standard of our paper. It is a welcome visitor in my home. I truly thank the dear Lord for His tender care and love, and for His keeping power amidst the ups and downs of life. My health is as good as it ever was for which I thank the dear Lord. I purpose to keep true to the end, God being my helper.

Your brother in Christ,

E. M. SMITH

Island Falls, Me.

Dear Brother Trafton:

I am on my way to Marysville, N. B., to assist Rev. L. T. Sabine in revival services. We are trusting God for souls. Amen!

The churches at Belvidere and Crystal gave me a very pleasant surprise at Christmas when they presented me with a splendid winter overcoat. The overcoat was much needed and greatly appreciated. May God's richest blessing be upon these kind people.

Yours in Christ,

G. A. ROGERS

Lower Millstream

Dear Highway:

Since last reporting through your columns we have held a campaign of services at the Head of Millstream. Sister Hazel did much of the preaching there, and her preaching was good according to the word of the people there, and backed by the Holy Spirit. Souls were wrought upon. About eighteen made a start of some kind. As a result six candidates were baptized and given the right hand of fellowship.

Just the Monday evening before these meetings began a few of the folk from the Head of Millstream met at our home and tendered us a donation of about seventeen

dollars in cash and produce, for which we were grateful. Too I might mention that we as a field here have bought a parsonage at Lower Millstream and during the last fall have installed electric lights and repaired the furnace and have everything made comfortable for the preacher and his family.

Since these meetings the Yuletide season has come and gone with all its joys and blessings. Some were especially kind to us at this time, remembering us with their cash and other gifts, and others with a nice fat juicy thirteen pound turkey. We thank one and all.

We covet the prayers of God's people for the work on this field.

Yours in His service,

S. A. MULLEN

Moncton, N. B.

Dear Highway:

It is a great pleasure to us to say "Thank You!" to the many friends near and far who so kindly remembered us at the Christmas season. We received many cards, gifts of money, a fine turkey and many other remembrances. Surely our heavenly Father has poured out His blessings upon us during the past year, and we do feel so unworthy of it all. We pray his rich blessing upon these kind friends and brothers and sisters in Christ, and we do ask that you will continue to remember us at the throne of rich and heavenly grace. We are praying that this year 1931 will be the very best in all our lives, in fruitfulness for our blessed Master. Let us make this the greatest year ever in our prayer life and then expect results.

Yours for still greater things,

P. J. T.

Dear Highway:

Marysville, N. B.

Since my last correspondence several months have passed into history. The Christmas season with its usual cheer and goodwill has come and gone again, and we find ourselves started on the new untried year.

How little do we know as to what may be in store for us during the coming twelve months. We feel to say with the Psalmist, "So teach us to number our days that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom."

We are thankful to report health and the blessing of full salvation as our portion these days, and with these two greatest blessings known to man we are grateful to the Giver, and being busy in His service, enjoy scriptural contentment. In July last we came here from the Millville circuit where we left many who had endeared themselves to us by warm Christian fellowship and faithfulness in service, and who still hold a large place in our Christian love. In our four years of service there we saw a number led to the Lord and established in the way that leads to eternal happiness.

Here at Marysville we find an exceptionally warm-hearted people who know how to pray and accept responsibility in the work of God. By now we are getting somewhat acquainted with the people and believe that we shall be used together in seeing the work extended. Already several have been recovered from a backslidden experience. The Quarterly Meeting met here in November and proved a blessing to the church, the brethren preaching well.

This evening we expect (D. V.) to begin revival services with Rev. G. A. Rogers, of Island Falls, Me., as special worker. We solicit the prayers of the Highway readers

to the end that a successful meeting will attend our labors. Amen!

We cannot forget the whole-hearted service which meant real bone labor when early in the autumn the brethren of the church met at the parsonage and dug a cellar under the main house and erected a substantial frost-proof wall. This adds greatly to the convenience and comfort of the house. The work was soon accomplished for "All had a mind to work."

We wish also to record the meeting of many of the church people and friends at the parsonage on the evening of Dec. 15th, when they took us by utter surprise. After being absent early in the evening, Mrs. Sabine and myself returned to find the house occupied by these good people who after a pleasant time presented us with a purse of \$35.00. To our heavenly Father and these co-workers we are grateful for this kindly remembrance.

May God bless all the "Highway" army with its network of labor of love, not forgetting the faithful editor, and cause this year to prove one of great advancement in the cause we so dearly love.

Yours in fellowship,

L. T. SABINE

OBITUARY

Laura Brown

After a few weeks illness of whooping cough, followed by pneumonia, Laura, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Brown, of Saint John, passed beyond at the Maritime Sanitarium Christmas morning at the age of fourteen years.

She leaves to mourn, besides her parents, two brothers and five sisters at home, and one brother of Cole's Island.

Laura was a bright loveable girl. She was a member of the R. B. Sunday School and took a great interest in the lessons. We believe she loved the Lord.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. I. F. Keirstead at the undertakers' parlors on Paradise Row. Members of the choir rendered two selections: "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "When He Cometh." Much sympathy is felt for the sorrowing family.—I. M. K.

Austin Patterson

A sudden death occurred in Saint John Dec. 26th, when Mr. Austin Patterson was stricken in Canterbury street while on his way to take a bus to visit relatives out of town. Mr. Patterson was formerly a member of the R. B. Church, Saint John. He was 53 years of age. His wife died two years ago. He leaves to mourn four brothers: W. J., of Fairfield; A. H., of Glen Falls; F. K., Upper Jemseg; and J. M. Patterson, of Seattle, Wash.; also two sisters, Mrs. M. A. Kelly and Mrs. Wm. Stanley, Saint John, with whom he lived. Mr. Patterson was of a kindly disposition, and had many friends, and he was a man of God. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. I. F. Keirstead, assisted by Rev. D. M. Maitland, U. B., at the parlours of F. W. Morris, Princess street, where many gathered to pay the last tribute of respect to their old friend. Members of the R. B. choir sang his favorite hymns. Walter Keirstead rendered a solo, "Abide with Me." The floral tokens were beautiful. The committal service at the vault in Cedar Hill was read by Mr. Keirstead. To the bereaved ones we extend sympathy.—I. M. K.