

PERSONALS

Mrs. G. B. Nixon, of Hartland, N. B., who was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fenton Foster, at Fort Fairfield, Me., has returned to her home.

Henry Elliott's home at Victoria, Car. Co., N. B., is under quarantine on account of scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Grass took Christmas dinner Monday, Dec. 26th, with Mrs. Grass' parents. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Trites, at Berry's Mills, N. B.

William Haywood, of Victoria, N. B., has been confined to his home with stomach trouble for a few weeks.

Mrs. Moses Hillman, of Hartland, N. B., is on the sick list.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Miss Sarah Whitten, sister of Brother Thomas Whitten, of Woodstock, N. B.

We see also that the grand old warrior, Rev. A. B. Riggs, of Lowell, Mass., has passed to his reward.

Mrs. Mary Caldwell, of Westchester, N. S., will reside at Lakeville, Westmorland Co., for the winter.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Henry Forsey, of Fredericton, N. B., recently. He had been a regular attendant at Beulah Camp for the last 19 or 20 years.

MINISTERS AND CHURCHES

The revival services closed at Hartland, N. B., Dec. 18th. Good results are reported. Lic. George DeLong was the evangelist and Miss Mary MacCrea the special singer.

Rev. H. S. Dow will begin special services at Lower Brighton, N. B., on Sunday, Jan. 1st, 1933. Lic. George DeLong will be the evangelist.

The Reformed Baptist Church at Victoria, Car. Co., N. B., is closed on account of scarlet fever in the community.

Lic. H. W. Wilson, of Jonesport, Maine, will begin revival services Jan. 1st, 1933. He will be assisted by Rev. H. E. Mullen, of Port Maitland, N. S.

NOTICE

Please note that I am the treasurer for the Students' Fund. Some of our boys are in school at present and I am sure a gift at this time would not come amiss. When making out year 1933 budget include the Students' Fund.

S. G. HILYARD, Treas.,  
Millville, N. B.

AN APPRECIATION

We wish to express through the medium of The Highway, our appreciation of the many kind remembrances received during the Christmas season of 1932. Our friends at Perth, N. B., remembered us for the 19th year with a nice turkey; to our friends in the U. S. for gifts of money and to the friends North, South, East and West for the numerous beautiful greeting cards, and to the dear brothers and sisters and friends at Moncton for the kind address presented us with a substantial purse of money accompanying it, and other expressions of good will. God bless you all, and may the coming year be one of rich blessing.

REV. & MRS. P. J. TRAFTON

THE PRESENT NEED

We are well aware that Christmas is a hard time to expect money for extra purposes. We need, however, many renewals right away, and you can still send in one dollar for new subscriptions, and get the paper for one year. Let us hear from you at once. Remember the Supplementary Fund. Thanks!

THE EDITOR & BUSINESS MANAGER

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

BY S. S. REFORMED

BAPTIST CHURCH

A Christmas concert of splendid merit was presented on the evening of December 28th, in the Reformed Baptist Church by the Sunday School before a congregation which packed the church auditorium to capacity. The programme consisted of thirty-five numbers including choruses, duets, solos, recitations, readings, exercises, and was greatly appreciated, those taking part being highly commended for their work during the evening.

An interesting feature of the evening's entertainment was the presentation of a well filled purse to Rev. P. J. Trafton, pastor of the Church. An appropriate address was read by A. G. Good and Wesley Weir made the presentation on behalf of the congregation, to which Rev. Mr. Trafton replied in a brief address thanking the congregation for their kindness and thoughtfulness as expressed in the valuable gift.

Moses Somers, superintendent of the Sunday School, presided and the concert was opened with the hymn "Coronation" by the congregation after which Rev. Mr. Trafton read a portion of the scripture and offered prayer. At the close of the programme a presentation to the pastor was made after which a special liberal offering of goods and money was received, the proceeds of which will be devoted for the relief of the poor. The meeting was closed with the "Doxology."

The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion in evergreen and other decorations appropriate to the Christmas season, while an arch and trees of evergreen, interwoven with colored lights, added a finesse to the setting which was most beautiful. The church was decorated by Wesley Weir and at the close of the programme a hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Weir and all those who took part in the programme. Mrs. P. J. Trafton presided at the piano during the evening, and Miss Muriel Wright was assistant pianist.

THE ROSARY OF LIFE

A string of beads upon a silken thread,  
So seems my life to me;  
The years are slipping fast along the strand  
Into eternity.  
The silver and the shade, the dark, the light,  
Are woven in the years—  
The gold of laughter and the pearls of pain,  
The opal gleam of tears.

A little string of years, between two worlds!  
Its colors are not gay;  
It does not add a tint, a vivid hue,  
To earth's dull, neutral gray;  
And yet—in God's design 'tis given place,  
The ends are in his hands—  
And when its work is finished and complete,  
Then will He cut the strands.

—Selected.

HIGHWAY SUPPLEMENTARY FUND.

Wesley Cosman .....\$1.00  
P. J. TRAFTON

CORRESPONDENCE

Hartland, N. B. December 28

Dear Brother Trafton:

I thought I would give you a note or two for the paper. Our special meetings closed at Hartland on Sunday, the 18th. We had a good meeting. Several were converted and reclaimed and some professed to be sanctified. Brother Delong is a good earnest worker and the Lord blessed his labors. Miss Mary McCrea was with us also and helped much in the singing. The attendance was good throughout the meetings. We plan to begin special meetings at Lower Brighton next Sunday (D. V.) Brother Delong is to be the evangelist.

Butternut Ridge, N. B.

Dear Brother Trafton:

Enclosed please find my renewal to the Highway—it brings to mind that another year has passed and we are glad to say it has surely been a year of joy and gladness to us. Jesus has been nearer and more precious to me and His blood cleanses. Hallelujah!

My testimony this morning is that Jesus saves to the uttermost. Praise His precious name.  
MRS. ROBERT HENRY

TAKEN ASIDE

Taken aside by Jesus,  
To feel the touch of His hand;  
To rest for awhile in the shadow,  
Of the Rock in the weary land.

Taken aside by Jesus,  
That henceforth, my voice may be  
Made clear to tell of the Love Divine  
And the Rock of Eternity.

Taken aside by Jesus,  
To hear as I never heard,  
The sacred ring of His loving voice  
The tones of the Living Word.

Taken aside by Jesus,  
"With a sorrowful heart today."  
But I heard Him nigh in the desert place  
And I heard my Beloved say—  
It is I, and I know thy pain;  
It is I, and I know thy love.  
It is I, thou shalt know the eternal gain;  
It is I, who endureth the Cross.

Taken aside by Jesus,  
Shall I shrink the desert place,  
When I heard as I never heard before  
And see Him face to face.

Taken aside by Jesus,  
Till faith seems almost sight.  
And I dwell so near to my Father's house  
Almost within its Light.

MRS. VIOLA HENRY

THE HIGHWAY CALLED LIFE

They say that Life is a Highway,  
And its milestones are the years;  
And now and then there's a Tollgate  
Where you buy your way with tears,  
It's a rough road and a steep road  
And it stretches broad and far;  
But at last it leads to a golden Town  
Where golden houses are.

—Joyce Kilmer, in Heart and Life.