

## CORRESPONDENCE

Houlton, Maine

Mr. Trafton:

I am sending two dollars for paper. Sorry I did not send it before; must think of the Lord's work. I enjoy the Highway so much and hear from old friends, and if the women would sign their maiden names, people would know who they were.

MRS. JOHN W. C. GRANT

Fort Fairfield, Me.

Dear Highway:

We are glad to report victory here at the Fort and at Perth. I baptized five candidates in the Aroostook river last Sunday afternoon. It was a beautiful service and a large crowd came to that service. I expect to have another baptism here a little later. Large crowds have been attending our services of late and God has been blessing.

Rev. H. S. Mullen held meetings in the R. B. Church at Perth from March 15th to March 26th. I don't know how many were forward, but I know that some men were at the altar. I plan to be in Perth for a service every two weeks. Some that were saved in Brother Mullen's meetings are waiting for me to make arrangements for a baptism over there.

The first week that Brother Mullen was in Perth Brother Burnell Kimball and I were continuing in the meetings here. I was over one evening the second week. Brother Mullen brought a wonderful message that night, and four precious souls prayed through to victory that evening. Brother Mullen was a former pastor and great crowds came to hear him preach. They knew he was a good preacher and they knew his life. The people of Perth were more than glad to have Brother Mullen for those meetings. I surely feel grateful for his good work there. May God richly bless him for it.

I am praying for all the brethren in their special meetings and in their regular services. Thank God for victory in so many of our churches. Brethren, let us believe Him for even greater victory.

Yours in Christ,

G. A. ROGERS

Saint John, N. B.

Dear Highway Friends:

We have greatly appreciated your prayers in behalf of our evangelistic services which were held from March 17th to April 2nd with Rev. Mabel R. Manning, formerly of Bristol, England, as evangelist, who came with the fulness of the blessing of the Lord upon her soul. Her messages in song were inspiring and blest all who heard. Sister Manning preached and prayed in the power of the Holy Spirit, until hearts were melted, souls were saved, reclaimed and sanctified wholly, and the church freshly anointed; for all of which we praise our loving Father.

The attendance was the best we have seen here for years, although several other churches were in special services at the same time, and young people writing their Easter exams, yet we can truly report a gracious revival.

We greatly enjoyed working with Sister Manning and gladly recommend her as a forceful, convincing and consecrated worker, with a tender spirit.

There was not a barren altar service, while the last Sunday night was the crowning one

of them all, where many prayed and wept their way through to victory. We regret that we could not keep our sister for another week, but she had other pressing engagements.

We still covet your earnest prayers that this good work may continue to increase in power and each soul get established in the faith.

Yours in Jesus' love,

I. F. &amp; I. M. KIERSTEAD

Moncton, N. B.

Dear Highway:

We have been very glad to spend a few days here, where we labored five years as pastor, some forty years ago. We find only a few left who were in the church at that time, so many have passed to their reward. We came here to be with our brother-in-law, A. G. Good, who on March 30th, underwent a very serious operation in the city hospital. His daughter, Miss Nellie Good, R. N., is in attendance. While he has been very sick, we are pleased to know he is on the road to recovery.

We appreciate the many letters received, and know that his many friends have been remembering our brother in prayer.

We have enjoyed meeting with Brother Trafton in the services, as well as hearing Mrs. Manning, who began a series of special services here last Sunday.

Yours in the work,

H. C. ARCHER

Westchester Station

Dear Highway Readers:

Just a little note for the benefit of those that are interested in the work at Westchester.

We began special services here on Feb. 5th, doing our own preaching for two weeks, then Brother Trafton came to us and stayed most four weeks, although he came planning to stay two. I want to say here that the pastor and people greatly appreciate the sacrifice that our brother had to make in order to stay with us. It meant sacrifice from various standpoints. Financially we had nothing to offer, then Brother Trafton was getting ready for special work soon to begin in his own church, which always makes a pastor feel he should be on the job. However, after seeing the need plus the opportunity there was for a work to be done, he stayed on undaunted in faith until he felt he must go. The preaching was under the unction and anointing of the Holy Ghost and the messages found the mark with a goodly number responding to the truth and the invitation to accept Christ.

After this we carried on a few days trying to get help from several of the brethren, but without success as all seemed to busy to assist us.

On March 22nd we had another visit from Brother Trafton, and he stayed with us three nights, and felt he must go, so we tackled it again ourselves, determined to see the end. Being partly sick with the grippe, after an eight weeks battle, we closed on April 2nd. I want to emphasize the fact it was a battle. What the devil couldn't think of to oppose us, some people could. When we say people, we mean some who call themselves Christians. How anyone saying they are followers of Jesus, and will fight and try to

devour honest, hard working preachers and people trying to get people saved, is past solving on my part. Alexander the Copper-smith still lives and may the Lord reward him.

As to results there were some twenty that knelt for reclamation or pardon for sins. We did not count anybody twice. As to how many will stand we know not; time alone will tell, but at present the percentage of weaklings is small.

To date there has been seven baptized, with more to be baptized later. Six have united with the church for which we thank God.

As the pastor I feel mighty good over the accomplishments, as the work done seems to be a real work. Many that found God covered their back tracks, making restitution, restoration, apologies, etc., which to my mind are real revival tracks. This kind of work brought on the blessing of God, and marching and praising God found quite a large place in the meetings.

The increasing interest seemed to call for more services, but prevailing conditions called for a halt. I honestly think if we could have obtained help at the last there would have been a real sweep for God and Holiness. We are still praying and believing for greater results yet.

Since coming here there has been a deepening spiritually in the church. Our Sunday School has greatly increased in number and interest.

In closing we would not forget the help that one and all rendered for the success of the meetings. The special singer, fasting and praying by young and old, brought their share of results.

We thank God for the victories won, the glory given and the promises yet to claim and be fulfilled.

Yours for Holiness,

L. J. SEARS

Wood Island, Grand Manan

Dear Highway Friends:

Have felt impressed for some time to write a few lines to the Highway. The Highway is a clean, uplifting paper, and the letters from our missionaries are very interesting.

Our church though few in number, is strong in faith. Our special meetings were held in February under Lic. P. H. Green. Usually a prophet is without honor in his own country, but this time it was not so, as his preaching was very much appreciated, both by the church and others. He was certainly filled with the Spirit and preached with great boldness and power. The congregation listened attentively and was greatly benefited. Several sought and received the experience of Sanctification, and backsliders returned to the fold. Over a week before the meetings began one of our workers suggested waiting on the Lord in prayer for the coming services. Prayer meetings were held each evening by the brothers and sisters, who claimed the promises of God, prayed earnestly for his help and blessing, which he granted freely. Shortly after our meetings closed an agent from the Watch Tower Co. came to our Island offering books for sale, which were firmly refused by a large majority of the people, for which we give God the praise.

Sincerely yours,

WOOD ISLAND CHURCH