

MINISTERS AND CHURCHES

He that goeth forth and weepeth bearing precious seed shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him.—Psa. 126-6.

Rev. P. J. Trafton has been suffering from a severe cold and rheumatism lately, but we are glad to hear that he is improving again.

Rev. G. A. DeLong, our pastor at Perth, N. B., reports good services with the blessing of the Lord on his work.

Rev. B. C. Cochrane begins special meetings on Feb. 14th at Seal Cove, G. M., N. B., with Rev. Delbert Chartreau as evangelist.

Rev. H. S. Mullen, of Saint John, reports good services, with souls getting help occasionally. He will be on the air Feb. 21st, 3.45 to 4.00 p. m. over CHSJ, Saint John.

We heard an excellent message from Rev. F. A. Dunlop over the air from Fredericton recently.

Rev. H. L. Robertson, of Havelock, N. S., has recently returned from Fort Fairfield, where he and Mrs. Robertson had been visiting friends. While up there he spoke at a prayer meeting at Perth, N. B. His message was much enjoyed by those present.

We are very sorry to hear that Sister I. M. Keirstead is still confined to her bed and is suffering much pain in her foot. Let us remember her in prayer that the Lord may undertake for her and heal her.

We hear that the work in our churches at Amherst and Westchester, N. S., is going along steadily and is encouraging.

Rev. H. C. Mullen is engaged in evangelistic services at Victoria Corner. He is being assisted by Rev. W. E. Smith, of Somerville, Mass.

Rev. L. T. Sabine, our missionary treasurer at Woodstock, has just received a letter from Miss Alice Sterritt, one of our missionaries in South Africa, stating that her sister, Helen, has had the misfortune to fall from her horse and fracture her arm. She was taken to the hospital at Johannesburg, where she had it set, and is resting quite comfortably at present. Let us remember her in our prayers. They are looking forward with pleasure to their home-coming in the near future.

SOCIAL EVENING

The members of the Reformed Baptist Church met at the parsonage on Carleton St., and enjoyed a social evening. On behalf of those present, Deacon H. K. Ingersoll presented Rev. H. S. Mullen and wife with a generous gift of money, a token of the esteem in which they are held by the members of their congregation. Mr. and Mrs. Mullen expressed their thanks for the gift and also thanked the guests for the co-operation and loyalty shown by them during the four years of Mr. Mullen's pastorate here. The evening was pleasantly spent in singing, and several special selections were rendered, after which refreshments were served.

The Quarterly Meeting of District No. 4 will convene with the R. B. Church at Port Maitland from Feb. 24-28 inclusive.

G. A. ROGERS, Sec'y.

HIGHWAY SUPPLEMENTARY FUND

Mrs. George Crosby.....\$1.00
Rev. S. G. Hilyard, B. A..... 1.00

Thanks to those who help us by contributing to this fund and also for the renewals. Please look at the label on your paper and see if your subscription is paid up. It should have the figures 37 or 38 on it; if not, please let us hear from you. Thank you! H. S. DOW

NOTICE

The Quarterly Meeting of District 4 will convene with the R. B. Church at Port Maitland from Feb. 25 to 28 inclusive. Each church is requested to send delegates and letters.

G. A. ROGERS, Sec'y.

The Quarterly Meeting of District No. 2 will convene with the church at Amherst, N. S., on March the 4th to continue over Sunday the 7th. Please send delegates and letters.

WYONETTA SARGESON, Sec'y.

The Quarterly Meeting of District No. 1 will convene with the Reformed Baptist Church at Fort Fairfield, Maine, March 11-14. Will the churches please send delegates and reports.

The secretary of the Sunday School Convention requests that all kindly co-operate with the president and secretary in making this session of the Sunday School Conventions a great success.

WILBUR H. MULLEN, Sec'y.

MISSION FUND

General Fund

Beals S. S.	\$ 23.00
D. H. and Mrs. Hayes.....	5.00
Calais S. S.	8.02
Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Mullen.....	5.00
Mrs. H. C. Churchill in memory of her mother, the late Mrs. Alice Harris.....	100.00
Sandford S. S. (N. W.).....	15.00
Lois Goodspeed's S. S. Class, (Passage Fund)	5.00
Mrs. Emily Alley (Passage Fund).....	1.00
Mrs. W. B. Webb.....	1.25

Pledges

Daisy Williams	10.00
Lois Goodspeed	15.00
O. W. Omes	15.00
Helen R. Mullen	5.00

The outfitting and fares of our outgoing missionaries will entail considerable expense, so may we hear from as many as possible who have made pledges at camp meetings in 1935 and 1936, also from other friends of our foreign missionary work.

Again, we must not let up on our regular contributions to the support of this great cause.

Comparatively little has come in for the support of our staff in the foreign field, (both our own and native workers).

REV. L. T. SABINE, Treas.
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SINFUL HABITS

A traveler in Ecuador, observing the rich foliage of the country saw here and there giant trees covered with a certain vine known as the "mato palo," which, though beautiful, in the course of time covers the tree and with its rootlets takes away all the sap and leaves the giant a dead framework of trunk and limbs. Like the barnacles that cling to the ship at sea like the insects that eat away the inner substance of the wooden frame in the tropics, and like this vine, sinful habits will finally bring down to a helpless state the strongest man or woman.—Wesleyan Methodist.

A well-cultivated mind is, so to speak, made up of all the minds of preceding ages; it is only one single mind which has been educated during all this time.—Fontenelle.

OBITUARY

Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord.—Revelation 14-13.

Mr. Edward Jones

The death of Mr. Edward Jones occurred at Millville, January 16th. Mr. Jones was in his eighty-second year and had come here from Connecticut to visit a brother and purchase a home, when taken suddenly ill with pneumonia.

The funeral service was held at the home of Mr. Rufus Jones, brother of the deceased.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved.

F. A. ANDERSON

Mrs. Celia Mills

The community of Royalton lost one of its older citizens in the death of Mrs. Celia Mills on Sunday, Jan. 31, at the age of 65, following a long illness.

She leaves to mourn their loss two sons, Alton of Mars Hill, Me., and Smith of Royalton.

The funeral was held from the home of Wilbur Day, where Mrs. Mills was being cared for since November, and was conducted by the writer. The remarks were based on Ps. 90:12. There were two selections by the choir, "Face to Face" and "Abide With Me," also a solo, "The Old Rugged Cross". Interment was made in the Tracy Mills cemetery beside her husband and daughter.

To the sorrowing ones we extend our sympathy.

S. G. HILYARD

Miss Blanche Clowes

On Tuesday, Jan. 26th, at the home of her brother, Harry Clowes, Northampton, N. B., Miss Blanche Clowes passed away at the age of 61. She was a member of the R. B. Church in Woodstock.

Besides her brother, Miss Clowes leaves to mourn one sister, Mrs. Harry Good of Presque Isle, Me., and many friends.

The funeral services were held on Thursday and conducted by the writer.

To the family, the church and friends extend sympathy.—L. T. S.

DONATION

On Tuesday evening, January 26th, about fifty of the good people of the Royalton Church and community met at the parsonage. The Lord created us social beings and we enjoy meeting together in the sanctuary and in the homes.

The evening was a pleasant one to all and the pastor and wife enjoyed the fellowship of these people and feel to know them better. Toward the close of the evening the ladies passed some very delicious fudge.

We may say that this occasion was a two-fold donation. The one part consisted of wood, sugar, vegetables, oats, beef, eggs, butter, preserves, pickles, etc., together with money all amounting to \$30.63. The second part consisted of a purse of money, collected by a young man of the church, amounting to \$22.25, which was presented the same evening.

We endeavored to speak our appreciation for the fine way we are having our needs supplied, and joined in thanking God for His blessing. Our prayer is that we may be able to feed these members of the flock on the "Bread of Life." The evening closed with singing the Doxology.

S. G. and MRS. HILYARD

Leisure is time for doing something useful.—Dr. N. Howe.