

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. H. Kimball, of Black's Harbor, N. B., reports good meetings since Beulah Camp, with some seekers for The Blessing. He expects to begin special evangelistic services soon with Lic. Norman Trafton as his helper.

Norman Trafton spoke to the young people in Moncton at their regular Friday night meeting, on July 30th. His message was helpful and much enjoyed.

Rev. H. L. Robertson reports good meetings at Havelock, N. S., since Beulah.

Rev. G. A. Rogers, B. A., and Mrs. Rogers are visiting Rev. and Mrs. Robertson at Havelock for a few days.

Rev. W. E. Smith, of Somerville, Mass., who attended Beulah Camp Meeting this year, has gone back home again. He is open for calls to evangelistic work among our Churches. Brother Smith has written a very interesting letter to several religious papers expressing his good impressions of our work. One of his letters will appear in the King's Highway.

Rev. P. J. Trafton has returned from his evangelistic meeting at Trenton, N. S. He has been quite ill since; was not able to take his work Sunday, the 18th, but is improving again.

The people at Riverside Camp Meeting are enjoying the preaching by the evangelist, Rev. Pocock.

QUARTERLY MEETING

The quarterly meeting of District No. 3 will convene with the Church at Beals, Me., Sept. 2-5.

Each church of the district is urged to send delegates, also a letter. We are expecting a glorious time of blessing.

F. A. WATSON, Sec.

The quarterly meeting of District No. 2 will convene with the Church at Norton Aug. 26-29. All churches please send delegates and letters.

MRS. P. W. BRIGGS, Secy.

NOTICE

The Quarterly Meeting of Dist. No. 1 will convene with the Church at Middle Southampton Aug. 26th to Sept. 5th, inclusive.

Let all pastors please see to it that delegates are appointed and Church reports sent in.

REV. C. A. DELONG, Sec.

THE "FOOL'S PARADISE"

An eminent English author speaks of the "fierce and fatal delights of the fool's paradise." They exist. Intoxicated by alcohol, nicotine, dance music, gay company and sex-display, youth has the fun of the night. But it is a "fool's paradise" nevertheless. All delights for which one pays too great a price are fool's delights.

If one allows himself in the company of such a "paradise" no doubt he will go as far as the rest go. There will be a long time in which to regret sin's pleasures. It is better to keep company which pulls toward heaven than that which pulls toward hell. Often as you choose your crowd you choose your destination.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Percy Duffy, of Moncton Church, underwent a surgical operation for appendicitis in the Moncton Hospital recently. She is doing well and expects to be home again soon.

MARRIED

Cochrane-Gorman

A wedding of interest took place at the Reformed Baptist parsonage, Marysville, on Saturday evening, July 24th, when the pastor, Rev. F. A. Dunlop, united in marriage Miss Viola Vivian Gorman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Gorman, 139 St. John street, Fredericton, and N. Douglas Cochrane, son of Norman and the late Mrs. Cochrane, of Marysville. They were unattended. Following the ceremony they left on a wedding tour. The young couple are popular with a large circle of friends who join in wishing them happiness and prosperity.

Parks-Williams

A wedding of much interest to friends in Saint John and vicinity was solemnized at Grey's Mills Church, Kings County, at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, when Miss Daisy Jennie Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cronk, Grey's Mills, was united in marriage to Joseph Mansfield Parks, Saint John. The couple were unattended and the ceremony was performed by Rev. H. S. Mullin, pastor of the Reformed Baptist Church, Carleton St., Saint John.

Following a honeymoon trip to the Pacific coast, Mr. and Mrs. Parks will reside in Saint John.

Keith-Cosman

A very pretty wedding took place at Grey's Mills in the Reformed Baptist Church on Saturday afternoon, July 24th, at 4 o'clock, when Miss Mary Elizabeth Cosman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cosman, of Kingston, N. B., was united in marriage to Mr. Otty Melvin Keith, of Westfield Centre, N. B. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. S. Mullen, pastor of the Reformed Baptist Church, Carleton St., Saint John, and assisted by Rev. P. W. Briggs of the Head of Millstream, N. B. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cosman. Many friends attended same, and the many beautiful gifts showed the high esteem in which this couple was held.

Following a trip to Nova Scotia, this popular couple will reside at Westfield, N. B.

May the blessing of the Lord rest upon them. We wish them much joy and a long and happy life be theirs.

H. S. M.

Allen-Wilcox

The marriage of Esther Mae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Wilcox, of Wood Island, N. B., and Anderson Allen, of Woodward's Cove, Grand Manan, was solemnized at the Reformed Baptist parsonage, Seal Cove, on Saturday, July 30th, Rev. Bennett Cochrane officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen have taken up residence in Woodward's Cove, where the groom is engaged in fishing. We join with friends of this young couple in wishing them a very happy life.

ESSENTIALS OF LIFE

Fred S. Shepard
Lord, give me work to do,
Well suited to my powers,
That to the full I may improve
Life's passing days and hours.

Lord, give a heart to love,
Lest life should selfish be;
Alive to every other's need,
And filled with sympathy.

Lord, give inspiring hope,
That confident can wait
The fruitage of life's days of toil,
Of service small or great.

MYSELF

"I have to live with myself, and so
I want to be fit for myself to know;
I want to be able as the days go by
Always to look myself straight in the eye.
I don't want to stand with the setting sun
And hate myself for the things I have done.
I don't want to keep on the closet shelf
A lot of secrets about myself.
And fool myself as I come and go
Into thinking nobody else will know
The kind of person I really am.
I don't want to cover myself with sham;
I want to go out with my head erect;
I want to deserve the world's respect,
And in the struggle for fame and pelf
I want to be able to like myself.
For I never can hide myself from me.
I see what others can never see.
I know what others can never know.
So, no matter what happens, I want to be
Self-respecting and conscience-free."

TEN MARKS OF AN EDUCATED MAN

What characteristics do you think an educated man should have? Here are ten suggested by one writer

He keeps his mind open on every question until the evidence is all in.

He always listens to the man who knows.

He never laughs at new ideas.

He cross-examines his daydreams.

He knows his strong point, and plays it.

He knows the value of good habits, and how to form them.

He knows when to think, and when to call in the expert to think for him.

He lives the forward-looking, outward-looking life.

He cultivates a love of the beautiful.

He cherishes a love of God.—Sel.

THE RULE OF THREE

Three things to govern: Temper, tongue and conduct.

Three things to cultivate: Courage, affection and gentleness.

Three things to command: Thrift, industry and promptness.

Three things to despise: Cruelty, arrogance and ingratitude.

Three things to wish for: Health, friends and contentment.

Three things to admire: Dignity, gracefulness and intellectual power.

Three things to give: Alms to the needy, comfort to the sad, and appreciation to the worthy.—Sel.