

MINISTERS AND CHURCHES

The Ministers' Conference held at Marysville Feb. 3rd-5th was attended by all our ordained pastors except Revs. H. S. Mullen and P. W. Briggs, who were unable to attend. Besides our pastors Revs. G. A. Rogers and Ralph Ingersoll, N. E. Trafton, F. A. Dunlop, Mrs. H. C. Sanders and Wilbur H. Mullen were also present. There were some fine discussions on matters relating to our denominational work and committees were appointed to study carefully ways and means of advancing the work of holiness. Committees will report their findings to the Ministers' Association in session at Beulah Camp of this year. On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of the Conference there were preaching services with Revs. F. A. Anderson and H. M. Kimball bringing splendid messages. Ministers attending the Conference were kindly entertained by Rev. F. A. Watson and the people of our Marysville Church.

The Ambassadors, Rev. Norman Trafton and Randolph Nicholson, will be with Rev. J. A. Owens and our church at North Head, N. B., for a campaign which begins March 10th.

Rev. H. S. Mullen, Port Maitland, N. S., is open for a call for the ensuing year.

Lic. Arnold Stairs, of Lower Southampton, N. B., writes that he has completed his training at Bethany Bible College and is open for a call to Christian service.

NOTICE

Those wishing to work at Beulah Camp this year should apply as follows:

Dishwipers—Rev. R. L. Sabine, Island Falls, Maine.

Waitresses, tea-pourers and breadcutter—Rev. H. C. Mullen, Meductic, N. B.

Other work—Rev. G. R. Symonds, Perth, N. B.

QUARTERLY MEETINGS

District No. 1—at Presque Isle, Maine, March 4th-7th. Pastor, Rev. H. O. McGeorge, 43 Wilson Ave.

District No. 2—at Moncton, N. B., March 11th-14th. Pastor, Rev. B. C. Cochrane.

Pastors and delegates from district churches requested to attend and church clerks are asked to report for churches by letter.

HOME MISSION FUND

Victoria Corner Sunday School.....	\$11.00
Victoria Corner Mission Society.....	9.00
Rev. H. M. Kimball.....	10.00
Marie Frost.....	10.00
In loving memory of Fred Barr, from wife and family.....	5.00
Gratefully received,	
G. R. SYMONDS, Treas.	

SUPPLEMENTARY FUND

Arthur Wilson.....	\$2.00
Rev. H. S. Wilson.....	1.00
Mrs. Guy Wilbur.....	1.00
Mrs. Arthur McMann.....	1.00
Mrs. Emma Downey.....	1.00
Mrs. Fred Cliff.....	.50
Mrs. W. H. Milton.....	.50
Mrs. Fred Barr.....	.50

GIFTS TO FOREIGN MISSIONS

From Alliance treasurer (balance of rent Barr Cottage).....	\$ 22.27
Mrs. David Duplissa.....	10.00
Wood Island Church.....	50.00
Fredericton Church (for missionary Home).....	65.00
Alton Urquhart.....	10.00
Royalton S. School.....	19.56
Maple Ridge Union S. School.....	15.00
Lillie Mullen (for Missionary Home)....	5.00
Douglas Mitchell (Missionary Home)....	5.00
Head of Millstream Miss. Society.....	9.30
A Friend.....	15.00
Victoria S. School.....	6.00
Victoria Miss. Society.....	9.00
Beals S. School.....	75.00
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Churchill.....	100.00
Perth S. School.....	10.00
Mrs. Vesta Stephenson.....	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Burk.....	50.00
Mrs. I. M. Kierstead.....	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Manning Mullen.....	15.00
Miss Helen Goodspeed.....	50.00

F. A. WATSON,
Treasurer

HIGHWAY EXTENSION FUND

Vince Farnham.....	\$10.00
Earl London.....	10.00
Wm. Haywood.....	10.00
Claude Hamilton.....	25.00
Charles Shaw.....	10.00
Moses Hillman.....	50.00
Claude McMullen.....	25.00
Rev. A. D. Cann.....	20.00
Mrs. James Bradley.....	25.00
Mrs. Hannah Hayes.....	25.00
Mrs. Mary Wall.....	10.00
Arnold Brown.....	20.00
Margaret Barker.....	5.00
Mr. Bryant.....	5.00
Earl Downey.....	2.00
Preston Smith.....	45.00
James Ingalls.....	20.00
Mrs. Chester Greene.....	10.00
A Friend.....	100.00

My thanks, and may God bless each donor.
FRASER DUNLOP

THE MESSENGER FOR THE MASTER

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souls, and for many that I thought were the children of God, personally, and in distant places. I was in such agony from sun half-hour high till near dark, that I was all over wet with sweat, but yet it seemed to me I had done nothing. Oh, my dear Saviour, did sweat blood for poor souls. I long for more compassion toward them!"

It is related that John Welch, the holy and wonderful Scotch preacher, thought the day ill spent if he did not spend the most of it in prayer. He kept a plaid shawl that he might wrap himself when he arose at night to pray. His wife would remonstrate with him when she found him on the ground weeping. He would reply, "O woman, I have the souls of three thousand to answer for, and I know not how it is with many of them!"

O brethren, messengers of the most high God! How much do we know about this? How many messages do we get on our knees? How much weeping over the lost have we

HAVE GREAT CONVICTIONS

The great convictions of the race are expressed in such words as God, truth, right, love, law and immortality. Bulwer Lytton places these suggestive words on the lips of one of his literary characters: "Come, and will tell you the secret of my public life and that which explains all my failures; for in spite of my social position, I have failed, and this is the cause—I have lacked conviction."

A man without conviction is as weak as a door hanging upon its lower hinge. Luther was great because he crowned every emergency with a great decision. In an age of uncertainty he knew what to do. When all others were in doubt he was in full possession of himself. A clear conviction is as a searchlight shining through mountains of mist on a stormy night. A strong thought rooted in the soil of the brain lends fiber to the quality of a man's thinking. One great idea, clearly defined and nobly enthroned, is as a blazing torch in the darkness. Therefore, have great convictions!—The War Cry (Canada).

POWER OF THE WORD

Some time ago a gentleman as he passed along the street was offered a tract. He somewhat curtly refused, saying he did not want to be bothered with any of their evangelistic nonsense; but as the worker pressed him to take it, he did so, though he assured him he would burn it as soon as he got home; and he kept his word, throwing it into the fire and watching it burn. As the thin paper curled up with the heat, his eye caught the sentence: "The Word of the Lord liveth forever," and do what he could he could not rid himself of the words. They buzzed in his ear, they stood out boldly on the white pages of the ledger. Wherever he was, that passage of Scripture haunted him and made him miserable, until unable to bear it any longer, he went to the mission hall, and there finding peace, pardon and salvation, he learned to rejoice that the Word of the Lord did live forever. A little importunity is sometimes a good thing: if that open air worker had not pressed the tract on that gentleman, then, humanly speaking, that immortal soul would not have been saved.

—Christian Herald

GIVE

"Remember the words of the Lord Jesus that he himself said, It is more blessed to give than to receive." (Acts 20:35).

"But this I say, He that soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he that soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully.

Let each man do according as he hath proposed in his heart: not grudgingly, or of necessity; for God loveth a cheerful giver.

And God is able to make all grace abound unto you; that ye, having always all sufficiency in everything, may abound unto every good work." (2 Cor. 9:6-8 R. V.)

TIME TO READ THE BIBLE

It takes seventy hours and forty minutes to read the Bible at pulpit rate—Old Testament, fifty-two hours and twenty minutes; New Testament, eighteen hours and twenty minutes. In the Old Testament, the Psalms is the longest — four hours and twenty minutes; in the New Testament, the Gospel of Luke—two hours and forty-three minutes.