

Barker's Point Tent Meeting

On Sunday, July 22nd, a tent meeting under the Evangelistic Crusade of our Church, opened at Barker's Point, N. B. This campaign continued for more than six weeks with remarkable attendance and good victory. The large tent was filled practically every night and on many occasions scores of people listened from the outside as the singing and preaching was carried to them through a public address system.

The Spirit of the Lord moved mightily in the services and the altar section was filled again and again with seekers praying for forgiveness, restoration, cleansing, and Divine blessing. Many of the meetings were attended with great spiritual power producing scenes of prayer and victory long to be remembered by those present.

Among the workers in this meeting were Deverne and Paul Mullen, Miss Belva Ingalls, Lic. Ruth Harding, Revs. R. H. Nicholson and N. E. Trafton, Lics. James Blinn and Neil Rice, and Dr. H. W. Jerrett, of Detroit, Mich., who gave us a week of a vacation period he was spending in the Maritimes. The meeting was under the direction of the writer. The above-named workers were not of course with us all at the same time. Only the Superintendent was with the campaign from first to last. Fine musical assistance was given the meeting also by local talent. The pastors and people of our Fredericton and Marysville churches stood by the meeting in a wonderful way, attending faithfully, giving liberally, praying earnestly, and helping greatly to make the meeting a success.

A feature of this meeting was a one-week D. V. B. S. conducted by Lic. Ruth Harding, assisted by Paul Mullen, Lic. Neil Rice, Miss Joan Rice, Mrs. B. C. Cochrane, and others. There was an average attendance of 134 for these children's meetings.

On Friday, August 31st, a new church was organized, the "Reformed Baptist Church of Barker's Point", with an enrolled charter membership of seventeen members. Five of the candidates were not able to be present at the organization meeting and were given the right hand of fellowship later. Others have expressed their intention to unite with this new church.

Yesterday, (Sunday, Sept. 9th), the first regular services of this new church were

held in the local Institute Hall. Attendance at the services was most encouraging and the first regular Sunday School session had an attendance of 61. It is expected that the S. S. attendance will quickly move up to the 100 mark. Plans are being made for the erection of a new church building here, a most urgent need. Barker's Point is a community just outside the Fredericton city limits almost between Fredericton and Marysville. It is a fine community with many new homes. There are more than two hundred homes in the community itself, and scores more nearby. There is no church here at all, so the challenge of the situation will be obvious to all. Truly "a great and effectual door is opened to us" in this place and in this district.

Please pray for this new work, that the church may be strong, that a new building may be erected very soon, and that the work of soul-saving may continue until Jesus comes.

Yours for continued advancement,

BENNETT C. COCHRANE.

BUILDING BEGINS AT BARKER'S POINT

Work on a new church at Barker's Point began Friday, Sept. 21st. It is expected that the basement will be ready for occupancy this Fall.

B. C. COCHRANE

TODAY IS THE DAY

Today in missions is a must! We live in a world which is slowly crumbling in the dust of man's own defeat and despair. Today is the day to capture new obedience to the heavenly vision. Today is the day to start weaving those raveled prayer ends once again. Today is the day to present the Man of Gethsemane and Golgotha. Yes, we should have begun yesterday to give and to pray and to go, but all of those moments lie in the ashes of our own awful failure. Today for you in missions is a must! This is the day to stop prohibiting His work in you. Look at His scars and you'll go! Today belongs to Jesus Christ in missions. Jesus Christ, missions, you—the kind of spiritual triangle that is warmly congruent with faith, hope and love in a reeling world. That kind of purpose is eternally imperishable.—Heart and Life.

FROM OLD TOWN, ME.

Dear Highway Friends,

Greetings from the new church in Old Town, Maine.

It was with a burden on our hearts for Old Town, and much prayer that God would lead the way, that we first started looking into the situation in this city. For four weeks before Beulah, we conducted special services. I did the preaching myself and had assistance with the music from different sources. After Beulah the Home Mission Board sent Rev. R. H. Nicholson, and Rev. N. E. Trafton to us for a three week campaign. The attendance and interest in the services grew throughout the time they were carried on. On August 12th, the last day of the campaign, we organized the church with nine charter members. Our group may seem small, but they are all fine faithful people, and we believe that God will use us together to build a work in Old Town.

Our Sunday School has been organized, and already we have started a door to door canvassing of the city for prospective Sunday School children. We plan to organize our Foreign Missionary Society this week.

We have found a rent centrally located in the city and already feel very much at home here.

Our church here is so located that it can serve considerable surrounding area. If any of our readers know anyone of Reformed Baptist background or have friends with no church affiliation in our area, we would be glad to have you let us know of them that we might contact them. Stillwater, Milford, Great Works, Orono, Veazie, and even Bangor are within a short distance of Old Town.

Do pray for us. God has certainly opened doors for us that only He could open. There are more ahead, and we are trusting Him for the key to the situation as we need it. He is able, and will never leave us or forsake us, and we thank Him for that promise.

Yours in His service,

J. A. and FRANCES MOSES.

CHURCH ORGANIZED AT OLD TOWN, MAINE

On August 12th, the Old Town Reformed Baptist Church was organized by Rev. Joseph A. Moses, assisted by Rev. N. E. Trafton, President of Bethany Bible College, and Rev. R. H. Nicholson, president of the Home Mission Board. The meeting was under the direction of Rev. N. E. Trafton. Rev. Joseph Moses presented the Bible as the rule and guide of our faith and practice, and the foundation of Christianity. Lic. James MacArthur of Island Falls offered prayer. Rev. N. E. Trafton spoke of the organization after which he read the covenant and offered the prayer of consecration. Rev. J. A. Moses gave the right hand of fellowship to the members. Rev. R. H. Nicholson gave the charge to the church, bringing a splendid challenge to the church and all present. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Allan Pfautz, pastor of the Bangor Church of the Nazarene. Special music for the service included two instrumental numbers, a cello solo by Storer Emmett, and a trumpet solo by Richard Mountfort of Waterville. A vocal selection was rendered by J. Neson Brown of Fairfield.

HOME MISSION SUNDAY

Sunday, October 28th, has been set apart throughout the Denomination as Home Mission Sunday. Let every church prayerfully plan, and give SPECIAL OFFERINGS for the great work of Home Missions.



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