

MINISTERS AND CHURCHES

Ministers open for a call to pastoral work
1951

Rev. R. H. Parks, Africa.

Rev. E. R. Watson, Milltown, Maine.

Rev. A. L. Stairs, Westchester, N. S.

Rev. F. A. Dunlop, Yarmouth, N. S.

Lic. Wilfred E. Green, Sackville, N. B.

Rev. H. S. Mullen, Havelock, N. S.

See Rev. R. H. Nicholson's letter in this issue: Our Young People of Tomorrow.

Again we have come to the time of making plans for the coming year. I want to be in His Will wherever I labour, "here or elsewhere" so therefore I am open for a call wherever He would have me.

REV. B. D. PRICE,

Amherst, N. S.

Sickness in the printing office made the last Highway late in getting out.

PERSONALS

We are glad for the Highway, and pray God's blessing upon it, to His glory.

Your Brother in Christ,

(Rev.) R. T. BENSON.

Dear Mr. Dow:

Enclosing money for the King's Highway. This will pay up for last year's and renewal.

We enjoy the paper very much and send it on to others to read.

Christian love,

MR. & MRS. EARL LONDON.

Bro. Claude Cronkhite of Sepulvedo, California, son of the late Abraham and Mrs. Cronkhite of Temple, N. B., whom many of our readers knew and esteemed highly.

Claude, who is a valued subscriber to the King's Highway writes: "I enjoy the Highway very much." He always sends an offering to the Supplementary Fund.

We are very thankful to our subscribers for their good response to our appeals for their renewals, we hope many more will do likewise.

Thanks,

EDITOR.

QUARTERLY MEETING DIST. NO. 3

The Quarterly Meeting of District No. 3 will convene with the church at Black's Harbour, N. B., March 8-11. Churches are requested to send delegates and letters.

RONALD T. SABINE,

Secretary.

HOME MISSION MONEY

Middle Southampton Church	\$ 20.00
Londonderry Church	5.00
Wood Island Church	20.00
Black's Harbour Church	21.00
Port Maitland Church	100.00
Sandford Church	50.00
Moncton Church	100.00
Saint John Church	30.00
Beals Church	81.25
Crawford Church	40.00
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Quarterly Meeting of District No. 5 will convene with the Church at Perth, March 8-11. Churches please send delegates and letters. Different individual churches have charge of the first three services.

REV. G. R. SYMONDS.

SUPPLEMENTARY FUND

Miss Marie Wilcox	\$1.00
Mrs. J. MacQuarrie	1.00
Rev. H. L. Robertson50
Claude Cronkhite	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Earl London	1.00

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to express our deep appreciation for the cards, telegrams, and letters of sympathy received during our recent bereavement. The beautiful floral pieces from the Alliance and the Ministerial Association which were tokens of the love and esteem held for our departed loved one, by the church as a whole, were a great source of comfort to us as a family.

In Christian love,

MRS. P. J. TRAFTON & FAMILY.

HE WAS A FINE CHRISTIAN
GENTLEMAN

Rev. Percy J. Trafton, who died in Fredericton the other day, in his early eighties, was long one of the strong and solid pillars in the Reformed Baptist denomination in the Maritimes. His passing will not only be regretted by the many who embrace his own communion in these provinces, but by countless others in the Protestant faith who had been privileged to know him.

During his successful pastorate in Moncton Reformed Baptist Church, Rev. Mr. Trafton made a notable contribution to the upbuilding of his church and to the furtherance of religious endeavor in the city and district. And he had an equally splendid record in all the other fields in which he had ministered in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. The Moncton Ministerial Alliance also benefitted from his membership in the wise counsel that he always could be depended upon to render. In its activities his interest was always both deep and abiding.

He devoted much of his time, talents and efforts to charitable causes and was one who ever reflected the highest principles of citizenship. Now his long earthly service in the Christian religion has ended, but Rev. Mr. Trafton will long be remembered by all those to whom he had ministered and by all who knew him as a fine gentleman of the cloth.—Editorial, Transcript.

IF TWO AGREE

Matthew 18:19

There stood one night at the door of the church of which I was pastor in Chicago, a very desperate, hardened Scotchman. As the crowd poured out of the old tabernacle that night, he stood at the door of the building with a pitcher of beer in his hand, making sport of the people as they came out of the meeting, and offering them a glass of beer.

There was not a more hopeless case in the whole city than this poor blasphemer. But he had a Christian mother: she was more than 3000 miles away, over in Scotland, but she prayed for the poor, blasphemous, lost and wandering son. The Spirit of God, in answer to that mother's prayer, fell into the wretched man's house in Chicago, waked him out of his sleep, converted him without his getting out of bed, and today he is a deacon in my church in Chicago.

He went back to Scotland to tell his mother

how God had answered her prayer. He had a brother unsaved, a sailor on the seas. The saved boy and the saved mother knelt and prayed for the salvation of the wandering boy, who that night happened to be on the deck of a vessel in the China Seas.

And, as John Morrison, the saved boy, and his mother prayed for the unsaved son, that very night the Spirit of God fell upon the deck of the ship in the China Seas, and that young fellow was converted. He came home and became a missionary, and died in China as Dr. Morrison, the medical missionary. GOD ANSWERS PRAYER!—Selected.

HOW MAY WE LOVE HIM MORE?

Spend much time alone in contemplating what He has done for you; and what He is, as the "Chiefest among ten thousand" and the "altogether lovely." Stir the inner fire by means of memory; and let hope pile on it the fuel of promise till it begins to blaze. Cultivate the habit of speaking aloud to Him, in an empty chamber, or a lonely walk, until He be interlaced in the tiniest episodes of existence.

Open your heart to the entrance of the Holy Spirit, shedding abroad the love of God in the heart, and gathering the rays of that love into a burning focus, so that you may love God back with love which has come from His heart into yours.

And, very specially, accustom yourself to do, for the sake of His dear love, many things which cost you self-sacrifice and effort. As we show love to others we understand His love to ourselves. "Every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God. He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love". (1 John 4:7-8).

The key to the knowledge of the love of Jesus is not in singing rapturous hymns, nor in seeking to arouse intense emotion; but in quietly doing daily deeds of self-denial for His sake. And surely this is the way to sow ourselves as corns of wheat in the ground; whilst He measures the least act of love, not by the magnitude of the deed itself, but by the strength of the love which prompts it. It is astonishing how quickly we graduate in the school of love, when we begin to put in practice all we know.—F. B. Meyer.

Where are the Christly leaders who can teach the modern saints how to pray and put them to it? Where are the apostolic leaders who can put God's people to praying? Let them come to the front and do the work and it will be the greatest work that can be done. Nothing but a specific effort from a praying leadership will avail. The chief ones must lead in the apostolic effort to radiate the vital importance of prayer in the heart of the Church.

—E. M. Bounds.

OBITUARY

Margaret Rose, aged four, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gillespie, died Jan. 24th. The funeral service was conducted from their home at Lower Blissfield, N. B., by Rev. R. H. Nicholson, assisted by Rev. W. S. Barker, of the United Church of Upper Blackville.

To the sorrowing ones we extend our deepest sympathy.

The highways of history are strewn with the wreckage of nations that forgot God.