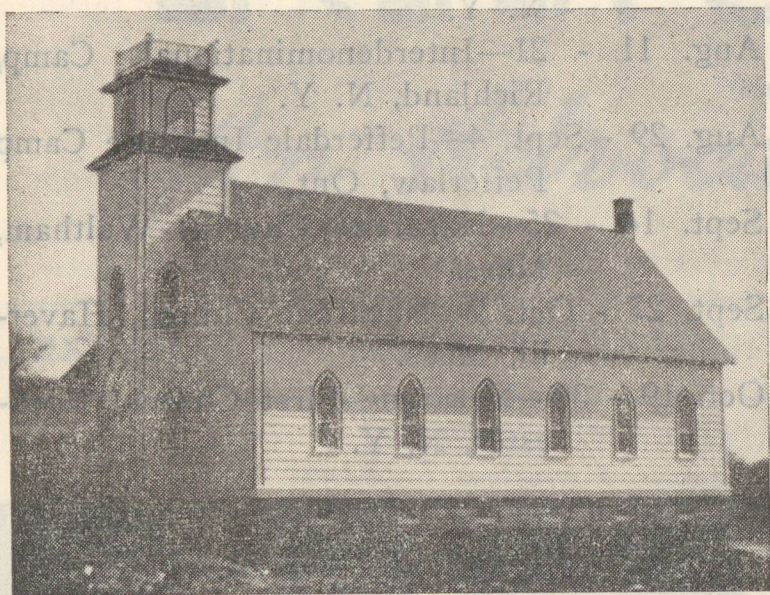


# Church and District News

## NEW CHURCH DEDICATED AT HAVELOCK, N. S.



The dedication service of the newly erected Reformed Baptist Church, Havelock, N. S., was held May 15th., at 3 P.M., with an overflow crowd of an estimated four hundred.

This beautiful new church which is a credit to the community has a seating capacity of two hundred and bespeaks well of a people who have a vision, a love for Jesus and the souls of men, and a faith in our unfailing and unchanging God.

Rev. N. E. Trafton, Supt. preached the dedication sermon taking as his text Eph. 5: 25-27. Rev. R. T. Sellick offered the dedication prayer. Revs. H. S. & Mrs. Mullen, Mrs. J. A. Owens, Rev. M. M. Grant, Rev. S. W. & Mrs. Ingersoll, Rev. L. K. Mullen, Rev. W. E. Green and Lic Karl Gorman also participated. Rev. Mr. Whitehouse, pastor of the United Baptist Church, and Rev. Mr. Carr, pastor of the Christian Disciple Church were also present. Specials in song were also rendered.

There are many blessed memories connected with the work of the Lord here in the past years while God was worshipped in the old church building, which has stood as a beacon light to wayfaring men, and where many precious souls have found Jesus precious to their souls.

Nevertheless we feel the future looks bright as we let Him lead the way.

D. C. Webb

## BROADCASTS BY REV. RALPH HOBSON

The following broadcasts are being conducted by Rev. Ralph Hobson: MOMENTS OF MEDITATION, from CJCH, Halifax, N. S., each Saturday at 7.45 a. m., and CJLS, Yarmouth, N. S., each Monday at 7.00 p. m.; GLOBAL MISSIONS, each Sunday at 9.15 a. m. from CFBC, St. John, N. B., 930 on the dial.

## MORNING DEVOTIONS BROADCAST FROM CFNB, FREDERICTON, N. B. 8.30 - 9.00 A. M.

Rev. G. R. Symonds, 10th of each month.  
Rev. H. S. Wilson—19th of each month.  
Rev. B. C. Cochrane, 27th of each month.  
Rev. J. A. Owens, 30th of each month.

"The most untamable thing in the world has its den back of the teeth."

## FROM HAVELOCK, N. S.

Dear Highway Friends:

Greetings in the name of our blessed Lord, from Havelock, N. S.

We feel a brief report from this part of His Vineyard is in order at this time.

First of all, we feel grateful to God for such a fine loyal group of people, who have kept their faith in the Saviour, and have a burden for a lost and dying world and who have stood by their pastor in prayer and support.

God has been good to us since coming here two and a half years ago. His hand has been upon us visting our services again and again with His blessed presence, and it has been a joy and a thrill to see many precious souls pray through to victory at an altar of prayer.

Not only is God blessing in the church services, but the Sunday School has grown to an all-time high of 146; as a result, we have three extra classes to that of last year. Much of the credit goes to our faithful Supt., Bro. Prime, and a band of loyal teachers.

Our spring revival effort closed Sunday May 15th. Workers were Rev. R. T. Sellick, and Rev. & Mrs. S. W. Ingersoll, Bro. Sellick preached with the anointing of God upon him, which resulted in a number of souls finding the Lord in Salvation or heart cleansing.

Yours for souls,

D. C. & Mrs. Webb

## ALLIANCE NOTICE

The Sixty-Seventh Annual Session of the Alliance of the Reformed Baptist Church will convene at Beulah Camp Ground Wednesday, July 6, 1955. There will be a devotional service at 10.30 a.m. and the first business session will be at 2.00 p.m.

H. R. Ingersoll,

Alliance Secretary

"MOMENTS OF MEDITATION" NOW  
HEARD FROM CJLS, YARMOUTH, N. S.,  
EACH MONDAY, 7.00-7.15 P. M.

## HOME MISSION FUND

Crystal Church.....	\$ 24.
Wood Island ".....	27.60
Presque Isle ".....	100.
Black's Harbour ".....	50.
Moncton ".....	65.
Lower Brighton ".....	27.25
Maple Ridge ".....	20.
Londonderry ".....	10.
Hartland ".....	37.
Wood Harbour ".....	22.
Jonesport ".....	40.
Royalton ".....	32.
Blissfield ".....	6.
Truro ".....	50.
Woodstock ".....	19.
Bloomfield ".....	23.

To all who have contributed towards the above named amounts we are sincerely thankful. May God bless you all.

W. L. Fernley (Treas.)

## TOO STRICT WITH YOUR CHILDREN

"You are too strict with your children," said a good Christian woman, whose bright-eyed, active little boy was playing about the streets, to another mother, who held her own mischievous son under strict, yet kind, control, and would not allow him to associate with rough boys, or enjoy the advantages of the "street school."

Twenty years have passed away. The boy whose mother was "too strict" with him is in college—sober, temperate, and respected; the other squandered his parents' property, contracted habits of intemperance, became an inmate of a prison, and at last has gone to an untimely grave, though not, we trust, without penitence or hope.

"You are too strict with your daughter. Young folks must enjoy themselves," said a kind mother. But the daughter who was guarded and watched over has grown up in safety, while those who had their liberty brought bitter sorrow to their mothers' hears.

Where love tempers authority there is little danger of being "too strict." The world is very evil." Times are perilous; snares are many; parents are responsible for the training of children. And "A child left to himself bringeth his mother to shame." (Prov. 29:15). —Evangelical Visitor.

## THE DECAY EATING OUT THE HEART

I saw a great oak tree fall flat to the ground one day in the midst of a thunderstorm. To the untrained eye it had appeared sound and strong. But it was merely a standing shell. Its heart had been eaten out by worms, and it could not stand the strain of sudden storm. The virulent germs that are multiplied in the mind by every evil thought eat out the heart of a man in much the same way. The man is struck by a sudden gust of temptation, and the wreckage reveals the rottenness. A man must think morally and not immorally if he would make his record true—"for to be carnally minded is death." That is a real fundamental.—Dr. H. H. Crane.

## A GOSSIPER SILENCED

RuthA—was a good woman, eager to be at peace with all, but when SusanR—came in to gossip, Ruth was so unhappy that she asked her pastor what she should do about the matter. He prescribed the following remedy:

"Keep the family Bible on the table, and when Susan comes, and becomes too disagreeable and bothersome, say to her, 'Susan, you are quite a good scholar; read a Psalm, and pray with me. It might do us both good.'"

She did, and received this answer: "Another time, Ruth, when I'm not so busy. Please excuse me today."

There was no more gossiping in Ruth's house. —D. Carl Yoder.

Misemployment of time is injurious to the mind. In illness I have looked back with self-reproach on days spent in my study: I was wading through history and poetry and monthly journals, but I was in my study! Another man's trifling is notorious to all observers, but what am I doing? Nothing, perhaps that has a reference to the spiritual good of my congregation. Be much in retirement and prayer. Study the honor and glory of your Master.

—Richard Cecil