

Church and District News

FROM BEALS, ME.

Dear Highway:

It has been quite a long time since we have reported through your columns. We always enjoy letters from others but are negligent in writing them ourselves.

We have been enjoying the blessing of God upon our regular services and have felt His presence with us.

In November we held revival meetings with Evangelist Wilfred Moutoux and wife. We enjoyed their fellowship and found them true and faithful workers. We did not see the revival we hoped for but the church was blessed and edified. The children's meetings under Mrs. Moutoux were well attended and several children claimed to be saved. Mrs. Moutoux is a gifted worker among the children.

We wish to thank the people of the church here for their kindness and for their gifts at Christmas. We thank our many friends from other parts of the country for their lovely greeting cards which cheered our hearts. We wish also to express our appreciation for the many messages of sympathy which was received after the passing of Mrs. Mullen's dear mother in October.

We do not know yet where the Lord wants us to labor for the coming church year but we are open for a call as He may lead.

We wish all The Highway readers a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,

H. S. and Mrs. Mullen

FROM REV. AND MRS. J. A. OWENS

Dear Highway:

We would like to say "Happy New Year" to all the "Highway family" if it is not too late.

Thank you, dear friends, for the many Christmas cards that came to us from far and near. We had a lovely Christmas from every stand point. God was especially near as we tried to exalt Jesus as a "Prince and a Saviour". Our people on this circuit were mindful of our needs, and gave us many gifts of cash, produce, and personal items.

The many storms, and deep snow makes it hard to get around as we would like to, yet we manage to keep most of the services going.

The time is drawing near when the churches will be calling pastors again. We feel definitely led to say we will be concluding our pastorate here at the end of this church year. These years spent on the Millville circuit have been very happy and fruitful years and we pray God to open up to us some place where we can again be used for His glory, and that the right pastor will be sent here to care for these dear people that we have learned to love.

Yours for the Cause of Holiness,

Arthur and Hazel Owens.

ANNOUNCEMENT FROM PRESQUE ISLE, ME.

Special evangelistic meetings are to be held in the Presque Isle Church March 6-20, with Rev. G. A. DeLong and Herbert McCrea as special workers.

Prayer is requested for this effort.

The King's Highway

HAPPENINGS AT HALIFAX

The second anniversary services of the Grace Reformed Baptist Church, Halifax, were observed on Sunday, January 16.

Rev. Norman Trafton, Superintendent of the Alliance of Reformed Baptist Churches, and President of Bethany Bible College, Yarmouth, was guest speaker for the occasion. Mr. Trafton delivered challenging messages on the subjects: The Bethel of Our Christian Experience and The Necessity of Faith. Ministering to us in song was the Bethany Bible College Male Quartet.

In retrospection of the last two years, the Halifax Church has much for which to praise God. The church has prospered both temporally and spiritually and many have been added to the numbers.

Truly we can:

"Enter into His gates with Thanksgiving and into His courts with praise; be thankful unto Him and bless His name, for the Lord is good" (Ps. 100:3,4a).

FROM REV. & MRS. F. A. WATSON

Dear Highway Friends:

May we use a small portion of valuable space to give a brief report of our work here in this needy city, and to express our deep appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us at the Christmas season?

We began our ministry here last July and from the first have found our people to be most co-operative in every way. We have worked together with heart and hand in repairing and redecorating our church building, which now presents a very attractive appearance. There is no better way to get acquainted than by doing a bit of manual labor together. We have just placed six new windows in the church. These are of Cathedral glass and give the church a finer, softer light which is a great improvement. We had the pleasure of having Rev. Ralph Ingersol, one of our own members, with us to dedicate the same.

Our hearts were deeply moved at Christmas by the generous gift of the Church to pastor and wife; also the many personal gifts from individual members and friends. To one and all, and to the many friends who sent cards we say a hearty "Thank you," with a prayer that God's blessing enrich every day and hour of this new year 1955.

Along with our expression of thanks we would ask every one of you to remember us at the throne of Grace. Please pray that God may send a gracious revival to this church; a revival that will stir our hearts to greater activity in every phase of the work of God; one that will not only warm our own hearts but increase our influence and multiply our usefulness.

Yours in the glad service of the Master,

F. A. and Mrs. Watson

A COOK WANTED FOR BETHANY

WANTED—A cook for Bethany Bible College. Any person interested in making application please write the Chairman of Bethany Bible College Board, Rev. H. R. Ingersoll, Sub P. O. No. 13, Saint John, N. B.

FROM GRAND HARBOUR, N. B.

Dear Highway Readers:

Another Christmas season has gone into history. The good folk here surely did make our first Christmas among them a bright one. The church presented us with a nice cheque and other members and friends remembered us in a tangible way. While we were sorry not to have all the family home, yet we had so many things to be thankful for. As we enter another year we do thank God for the privilege of being pastor of these good people.

We are beginning meetings with Brother Sellick and Brother Deverne Mullen, and we solicit the prayers of saints. The Lord has been moving on hearts of late and folk are praying through, so we take courage and expect better days ahead.

Brother James Ingalls, one of our valued members, had the misfortune to break his ankle; this is a real test to him as he will be laid up for some time. Will you remember this precious brother when you talk to the King.

The Woodward's Cove members and friends were indeed kind to us; they presented us with a lovely woollen blanket at Christmas. The Lord helps me and I enjoy my labours with these fine folk. We will be having meetings March 27-April 10, Brother G. A. DeLong as the Evangelist. Pray for us.

Yours for souls,

H. E. Mullen

FROM GLENDON F. D. KIERSTEAD

Dear Highway Friends:

Greetings in the name of our risen Lord and Saviour. During these first days of the New Year we pray this year will be one of blessing to our people, our churches, and our whole denominational program.

In a letter received from the Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board the following resolution was included: "For Glendon Kierstead, resolved that we do not feel it is possible to send them out this year due to finances, but hope to send them in 1956-57." Due to this news, I would like to offer myself to our churches as being open for a call for the church year 1955-56.

Wishing you all God's blessing this year.

Yours for Souls

(Lic.) Glendon F. D. Kierstead

G. A. DeLONG'S SLATE

Feb. 6-27—Seal Cove, N. B.

March 6-20—Presque Isle, Me.

March 27-April 10—Woodwards Cove, N.B.

NO COMPROMISE . . . From Page 6 speak."

Last in line of God's holy prophets; his was the same spirit and determination that rang in the voice of Nathan as he pointed the finger at David, and said, "Thou art the man!" Or that throbbed in Elijah's voice, as he answered Ahab's question, "Hast thou found me, oh mine enemy?"

No, this proud and corrupt King of the Jews, raised in luxury, and living in adultery, was met by this stinging rebuke. "It is not right for thee to have thy brother's wife. Repent and forsake thy evil ways, or thou too must perish." No, faithful without faltering that voice cried its message. "There was no compromise."