



CHURCH NEWS

Halifax, N. S.

From Halifax we extend to you warm and sincere greetings. God has been good to us and a people and with praise upon our hearts, we sincerely trust that the few words we have to say will be both informative and encouraging. This is our first letter to the Highway since coming to Halifax. When we arrived, late in June of 59, we were met by a group of friendly people. A lovely shower of groceries and gifts of money were presented to us. At Christmas time another large donation of money was given us as part of the annual Christmas program. This was indeed a fine gesture from our people and took us completely by surprise. By in large this friendly attitude has continued and as we take up the pen today we feel to praise God for His constant faithfulness and manifold blessings received.

Our church is, as you realize, very young and there have been problems, and there are problems, but the truth of Holiness that we love and preach is being accepted. This is encouraging in itself. Our people have a genuine hunger for spiritual truth and by God's grace we are endeavoring to key their spiritual hunger satisfied.

There have been quite a number of victories at our altars. Few Sundays go by without seeing precious seeking hearts. This, in any area of God's work is a good sign. Numbers have been baptized and six new families have been taken into the church. Today there are more who are ready to become members, members not only in the Reformed Baptist Church but in the glorious bride of Christ.

Praise should be given here to the men of the church who have worked with us so faithfully in some very needed repairs to the church building. A new surface for the steeple was completed, the church exterior was painted and very attractive changes and renovations have been made on the interior. We are yet hoping for a new basement and extra Sunday school room to accommodate our growing Sunday school.

Perhaps in closing you would like to share with us the joy of a service we had a few Sundays ago, when at the close over twenty-five, both christians and sinners sought God for help. God came upon us in a wonderful way — there was weeping, laughing and praises to God, — confessions, apologies and sincere testimonies. Praise God for victory! The effect of this one service upon the church and city, will have far reaching consequences for the glory of God.

We would appreciate your continued interest and prayers. God bless you. Let us pray for one another.

Yours in Christ,
B. G. and Mrs. Bridgeo.

Port Maitland, N. S.

Greetings in His wonderful name. Some time has passed since we last wrote to our Highway friends. We are happy however to be able to report that the Lord has been undertaking for us in a wonderful way in this part of the work.

Recently we finished special meetings with Rev. J. A. MacKenzie and Bro. Cedric Landers. Many were helped in the Meeting and we thank God for the definite victories at the place of prayer. Since coming to Port

Maitland we have been caused time and time again to praise the Lord for His bountiful blessings. We count it a privilege to work with such a fine group of Holiness folk. Many times we've been made aware of the fact that God's people are indeed thoughtful of their pastor. We are believing God for great things in these winter months that are before us. Pray with us that this part of his vineyard might be moved upon in a mighty way by the presence of the Holy Spirit.

In His Service,
Norma Lee & Hazen Ricker

MRS. H. C. SANDERS WRITES

Dear Highway Friends:

Just to thank the kind friends for remembering me at Christmas tide with cards, gifts of other things and some money.

"It is so sweet to be remembered, but sad to be forgot". I send each, heartiest and warmest greetings in Jesus' precious name.

The closer I live to Jesus the happier I am in obeying His will and still finding much I can do, for Him in this troubled world.

God is richly blessing us here in our church and Sunday School and we are looking forward to having a new church building in a few months. Bro. Bagley, our pastor is a faithful and tireless worker in every phase of pastoral mark.

God is blessing us in every department of our church. Both at home and in the foreign field and we are praising Him and believing for much success in the future.

As for me I am still busy trying to fill up the remaining time of my life in winning souls for Jesus and helping others.

Yours in Jesus,
Mrs. H. C. Sanders.

FOREIGN MISSION RECEIPTS—DEC. AND JAN.

DECEMBER

Maple Ridge	\$ 28.50
Hartland	35.00
Crystal-Belvedere	28.70
Sandford S. S.	50.00
Port Maitland	20.59
Barker's Point	25.00
Mrs. Manning Mullen	30.00
Doaktown	25.00
Brazil Lake	5.00
Primitive Baptist Churches—	
Lerwick	16.00
Arthurette	8.00
Plaster Rock	30.57
Plaster Rock S. S.	5.00
Truro	100.00
George Sanders	25.25
George Sanders	20.00
Lic. Gerald Inman	10.00
Marysville Men's Bible Class	50.00
Jonesport	17.35
Saint John	66.00
Lower Hainesville	15.00
Woodstock Auxiliary	30.00
Barker's Point	50.00
Wood Harbour	31.25
Fredericton	200.00
Walter C. Hodgson, Jr.	130.00
William K. Trafton	50.00
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunn	25.00
Marysville Y. P. Society	21.25

Dec. Total\$1,148.46

JANUARY

Houlton Auxiliary	50.00
Old Town	10.00
Gordonsville	21.00
Beals	115.00
Bloomfield	18.00
Londonderry	10.00
Fort Fairfield	512.52
Fort Fairfield	21.74
Old Town	5.00
Seal Cove	100.00

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