

Notice.

The St. John and Kings Counties Conference will hold its next session with the First Church in Penobscot, on Tuesday, December, at 11 o'clock.

W. P. EVERETT, Sec.

John, 1st December, 1879.

W. M. A. S.

10th Rockland, per Mrs. A. W. Estabrooks. \$5 00

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W. M. A. S. of N. B.

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St. John N. B.

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Acadia College.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Governors in the new College Building on Wednesday, Dec. 17th, at half past seven o'clock p. m.

STEPHEN W. DEBLOIS, Secty.

Wolfville, Nov. 26th 1879.

Cash Received Toward Fund for Re-building Acadia College.

Mrs. S. Bain, Milton, Yarmouth Co. \$10 00
On current expenses:
Tanook Church. \$ 8 00
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ENDOWMENT FUND.

Mr. Judson D. Harris, Cornwallis, \$100 00
A. D. W. BARSS, Treas.
Wolfville, Nov. 22nd 1879.

Received for Foreign Missions.

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T. P. DAVIES, Treas. to F. M. Board.

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Marriages.

No charge is made for the usual announcement of marriages or deaths. Ordinary notices, however, exceeding twenty lines, will be charged at the rate of 25 cents for each additional ten lines, counting ten words to a line. The money should be sent with the notice. Those who ask their pastor to prepare such notices and send them for publication, should be careful to furnish him with the money to be forwarded with the same to our office. No poetry to be inserted.

DOAK-CULHANE.—At the Baptist Parsonage, Blissfield, on the 7th of October 1879, by the Rev. Wm. M. Edwards, Allen Doak to Bertha Culhane, both of Blissfield, Northumberland Co., N. B.

DONALDS-ARBO.—At the residence of Charles Donalds Esq., on the 31st of October, by the Rev. Wm. M. Edwards, John Donalds of the Parish of Blackville, Northumberland Co., N. B., to Barbara Arbo of the same place.

MITCHELL-BETTS.—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 10th of November, by the Rev. Wm. M. Edwards, William Mitchell of the Parish of Blissfield to Mary B. Betts, both of Blissfield, Northumberland Co., N. B.

ALLISON-IDEAR.—At the residence of Thomas Sutherland Esq., on the 19th of November, by the Rev. Wm. M. Edwards, Alexander Allison of the Parish of Blissfield to Margaretta Idear both of Blissfield, Northumberland Co., N. B.

PORTER-ROBINSON.—In St. John, Nov. 12th, by the Rev. George Armstrong, M. A., Frederick F. Porter to Mary E. Robinson, daughter of the late James Robinson, all of St. John, N. B.

TABOR-WALTON.—At Greenville, Nov. 8th, by the Rev. T. B. Layton, David Tabor to Rebecca Walton, both of St. Stephen, N. B.

PURDY-HARPELL.—At Wallace Nov. 19th, by the Rev. T. B. Layton, Rufus S. Purdy of Greenville, to Adeline Lauretta Harpell of Wallace.

CHAPMAN-STONE.—On the 22nd inst., by the Rev. D. P. Harris, Nelson Chapman of Canning, Queens Co., to Esther Jane Stone of Northfield, Sunbury Co.

MUNRO-ROLLINS.—At the Minister's residence, on the 6th inst., by the Rev. D. P. Harris, Samuel R. Munro to Dortha Rollins, both of Canning, Queens Co.

Deaths.

MERSERAU.—On Tuesday Nov. 18th, Richard Merserau, in the forty-sixth year of his age. He was a member of Blackville Baptist Church, beloved in life and happy in death.

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That the N. B. H. M. Board to appoint a Committee of three of its members to administer any monies received from the Estabrook Fund, and to consult with Convention Board of Home Missions in regard to fields and missionaries, the Convention Board of Home Missions guaranteeing to expend a sum of not less than \$2,200 in Home Missionary operations within the Provinces for the current year.

All Agents of the N. B. H. M. Board to be immediately withdrawn from the field, and all collecting to be done through the Finance Committee of the Convention.

In accordance with the above the following Committee was appointed:—

C. F. Clinch, Wm. Allwood, T. P. Davies, T. S. SIMMS, Secy. Pro. Tem.

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JOHN MCILLAN, P. O. Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office, St. John, 28th Nov., 1879.

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