

INTEREST AND ATTENDANCE WELL MAINTAINED AT CLOSING SESSIONS Final Meetings of S. S. Convention Held Friday - Reports of Treasurer and Temperance Department Made Good Showing - Addresses by Rev. Mr. Campbell, W. C. Pearce and Others - Diplomas Presented.

The final sessions of the N. B. and P. E. Island Sunday school convention took place Friday and up to the close the meetings were favored by a large attendance. The various reports and conferences proved interesting and helpful. The addresses of W. C. Pearce and the other speakers were of great benefit and the delegates expressed themselves as well satisfied with the work done which they considered would be of great help on account of its practicality. At the morning session the reports from the temperance and primary departments were taken up. Miss A. Maud Stillwell reported on her work in the primary department for the past year. In some counties the work of the department seemed to be growing rapidly, while in others there was evidence of its going behind. Kings county was the only one to adopt the plan of appointing parish helpers. The number of schools reporting for 1906 totals 150, with 69 cradle rolls, having a total membership of 1563. The number of schools organized during the year was 24, with a total enrollment of 3,209. Thirty-four schools have kept records, and throughout the province there are 103 separate rooms in connection with the schools. Forty picture rolls have been kept, and there are 56 blackboards in use. The number of schools reporting has increased by twelve, and there has also been an increase of four in cradle rolls. The temperance report which was read by Rev. A. Lucas, in the absence of Mrs. J. A. Bullock, the secretary, was next taken up. In the course of the introductory portion it was stated that the creation of a temperance department in the International had acted greatly to the Sunday teaching on temperance. The fact that the liquor party are publishing in their own organs their anxiety regarding trade because of prohibition fanatics, speaks for itself. Twenty armies have been organized in the provincial Sunday schools and special days are observed. The number of children reported to be in was a matter of disappointment. The reports received from the counties show 222 members—not including the Presbyterian schools and armies with a total membership of 192. Northumberland—Twelve armies, with an increase of four, and total membership of 433. Added to these, 337 children in the county observe cigarette day. Westmorland—The superintendent of this county writes of failures. In Mountain armies have been organized in two towns. Five hundred certificates have been secured and 200 red, white and blue cards issued during the year. In Sackville, one army of 100 members has been organized. St. John—Thirteen armies, with a total membership of 2,105, and four armies have been organized during the year. Three hundred and fifty certificates have been issued and 200 red, white and blue cards. In Fairville school Cigarette Day is observed, as well as in several other schools. The county of C. T. U. has distributed 13,119 pieces of literature. From York County there is no report, but two armies are known to exist in Fredericton. Charlotte county has 30 armies, with a total membership of 1419, and Kent reports nine armies with a total membership of 194. The report for the province generally is as follows: Army membership 1904-5 1905-6 New organizations 110,229 12,829 Certificates used 2,089 2,463 Plans of work 2,463 2,463 Pages of literature 29,460 3,729 Quarterly lesson leaves 2,329 4,618 One hundred and seventy-four letters were written and 67 postals. Of the packages and special programmes sent out, 212 were forwarded to superintendents. A special feature is the preparation of "Plans of work" by the superintendent. The first quarterly Sunday is observed as Cigarette Day, and the World's Sunday as Organization Day. A conference on primary department work was then conducted by Mrs. D. H. Simpson, who gave a very interesting exposition of next Sunday's lesson by means of the sand-board method, teaching the children to read the lesson by means of the sand-board method, and the results will doubtless make themselves felt in the schools of the province. At 11 o'clock W. L. McFarlane, of New Brunswick, opened his address on "The Country School," which was a very practical and encouraging one, and was the lot of the country, the speaker claimed, to supply a large percentage of the men and women who are today occupying positions of prominence in the world, and a much greater chance to develop along solid lines than had his city fellow, and the greater part of our city life is more important it was that his youth should be surrounded by elevating influences. Up-to-date methods were well within the reach of every school, and as much as possible they should be adopted. Following Mr. McFarlane's address, there was the most animated discussion taking part and shedding much light upon the difficulties encountered by city schools, and the way of overcoming them. Winter time closing and lack of teachers were the chief troubles spoken of. At 12:10 the meeting closed with the Benediction by Rev. Mr. Dickie. Afternoon Session In the afternoon the first address was given by I. H. Meredith, of New York, who took as his subject Music in the Sunday School. The first thing necessary, he said, towards success of music in a Sunday school is an appreciation of the beauties of music. Luther said: "Music is the fairest gift of God." Music is the greatest of the fine arts, and should not be supplemental, but given a place by itself. Something is lacking in a child's life unless he hears music. It creates an atmosphere which attracts boys and girls. It creates an interest and is a factor in keeping order. The leader of the music should, above all, be an earnest Christian. Every scholar should have a hymn book to himself and the books should have music in them. An interesting discussion followed the address. T. S. Simms, as president of the execu-

tion committee, announced that Rev. J. B. Gannon, the field secretary, would be sent to Rome, next April, to represent the association at the World's Convention. W. C. Pearce spoke of the advantages accruing from such an action, and asked for pledges to make up the money necessary. The following pledges were received: T. S. Simms, \$10; R. T. Hayes, \$5; Rev. H. E. Thomas, \$5; W. C. Pearce, \$5; Rev. W. C. Cross, \$5; Rev. A. Lucas, \$5; Rev. Z. L. Fash, \$5; Miss Smith, \$5; Mr. Peirce, \$5; Miss Burpee, \$5; Mrs. E. H. Wilson, \$5. A number of the Sunday schools gave pledges conditionally up to \$100. About \$300, it was stated, was needed for the purpose. Rev. D. Hutchinson spoke on Missions in the Sunday School. He said that there was a growing feeling in favor of missions in the Sunday school. Many churches had special Sundays on which missionary instruction was given, and the Sunday school was the best place to arouse an interest in missions. The mission bands were doing a great work. The plastic condition of child nature and the receptiveness of a child's mind are good reasons for missionary effort in the Sunday school. Children are never too young to have impressed upon them the importance of the Saviour's message: "Go ye out into the world and preach the gospel to all creatures." Literature containing the histories of great missionaries such as Paton, Livingstone and Murray should be placed in the hands of the children. The teacher should have a more intimate knowledge of the heathen world, and be distinguished by a greater spirit of liberality. A determination to carry out Christ's command should be obvious. Rev. A. Lucas led a short and interesting conference on Temperance. W. C. Pearce said that cigarette work was worse than alcohol. Men who drink may succeed in life, but a boy who smokes many cigarettes before he is fifteen is done for. The cigarette evil is growing and many girls were becoming addicted to it. Mr. Pearce then gave addresses on County Organization. The officers secretary, he said, are the president, secretary, treasurer, executive, and superintendents of the different classes of the county. The convention should perfect the organization in every parish. The county officers should visit every parish at least once a year. They should visit to get acquainted, to get reports, to secure funds, and to encourage week schools. The county convention should have delegates from every school, and have representatives of the different classes of Sunday school work. Statistics and reports of conventions should be printed. He had great faith in printed ink. The treasurer's report, presented by Mr. Chipman, was encouraging. The total receipts up to date were \$2,975, and the expenditure about \$2,800, leaving a surplus of \$175. The amounts paid by the counties lacked \$150 of the \$2,000 pledged last year. The report from the International Bible Reading Association was presented by T. S. Simms, and showed progress. The financial statement of the Advocate was presented by Robert Reid, and was very satisfactory. The report of the credential committee showed that there were 35 pastors, 32 superintendents, 10 teachers and officers, 41 scholars and 14 international and provincial workers present. The meeting then adjourned. Evening Session The evening session was devoted to teacher-training. The number of graduates this year was 38, of whom a number were present. The session opened with song and reading of the minutes, after which Rev. G. M. Campbell spoke on "The Book of Job." The Bible, he said, was the pre-eminent book which contained the revelations of God to man. No book can supersede it as an educator. Its destruction would be the epitaph of history, and its eclipse would mean the return of chaos. It contained the story of the Hebrew nation and though that nation was often steeped in sin they were far above all contemporary people. The reason of this was to be found in the tenacity of their faith in God. The Bible is the survival of the fittest. Everything that was pure and holy remained, what was unfit was winnowed out. It is the spiritual atmosphere of the most spiritual people of the world. Whenever and wherever the Book is introduced, civilization and justice and liberty appear, and paganism and darkness and tyranny are driven out. The Bible recovers liberty in Rome and Greece and emancipated Europe. On the individual the Bible has great power. If he is in sorrow, its precepts will comfort him, if he is dull, they will enlighten him, if he is weak they will strengthen him. The Bible is the hand-book of right living. It is the most popular book. No novel ever rivaled it in its popularity. The British and Foreign Bible Society has distributed over 6,000,000 copies in one year. Increasing numbers study the Bible each year. In one church alone in a large city in the United States there is an adult Bible class of 1,500. In Germany, the land of investigation and skepticism, more than 1,500 met every morning to study the word. E. R. Machum, teacher training superintendent, spoke of the importance of that branch of the work and gave a short resume of what had been done during the year. He quoted from eminent Sunday school workers who all agreed on the necessity of teacher training. The course in New Brunswick consists of elementary lessons on Bible history and geography, Sunday school management, church history, psychology and missionary work. Miss Helen McMurray, of St. John, the speaker said, died with Mrs. Beasley of St. Stephen first place in the elementary course. Special mention was made of Mrs. Geo. Dickinson, who was the first to take the diploma for the advanced course in New Brunswick. In the absence of Dr. Inch, Rev. Mr. Campbell presented the diplomas. The educational course diploma was first presented to Mrs. Geo. Dickinson amid applause and waving of handkerchiefs. The elementary diploma was presented to five bright looking boys, whose average

age was 12 years. A number of young ladies also received diplomas. Rev. Mr. Campbell, in presenting them, spoke wise words of counsel to the graduates. The report of the resolution committee was read. Resolutions thanking the hosts and hostesses who entertained delegates, the officers of St. Andrew's church, the railways and the press were passed. A resolution expressing abhorrence at the condition of affairs in the Congo Free State was also read. Gratification was expressed at the presence of W. N. Hartsborn, W. C. Pearce and Messrs. Young and Stockford. Mr. Pearce then addressed the graduates. He said God always called leaders when he needed them. Abraham had been called to found a nation, Moses to lead the children of Israel out of bondage, Daniel and Saul to establish a nation and Solomon to build the temple. In modern times God has called men to evangelize America and France. E. Willard to lead the temperance movement. The graduates were called to stand on their feet. On the success of the future church. They will develop the future ministers. If their instruction does not turn the hearts of children to Christ, at the time, in after years it will bear fruit. The most of the sinners reclaimed had religious instruction when they were young. Mr. Pearce concluded with the words: "Heaven and earth will pass away but My word will not pass away." The address a short period was devoted to music and Mr. Meredith sang the beautiful solo, "O Holy Spirit." The convention closed with the benediction pronounced by Rev. D. Lang, pastor of St. Andrew's.

LOCAL NEWS

G. Earle Logan is resigning the position of secretary of the R. L. Boden Club as he intends leaving shortly for the west. William E. Clark, who was found guilty of attempted rape at the circuit court on Thursday, will not be sentenced until the end of the term. An effort is to be made this winter to raise another \$10,000 for the Y. M. C. A. building fund, thus making the total \$60,000. Building operations will likely be commenced in the spring. The death of Florabelle Harley, eight years old, occurred Saturday afternoon at the General Hospital. "The Little Girl" was suffering from intussusception of the bowels and in an extreme when taken to the hospital Friday night. Rev. J. M. Heaney, D. A., pastor of the Silver Falls Methodist church, has notified the quarterly board of the Carleton Methodist church of his acceptance of their call to succeed Rev. H. D. Marx in June next, subject to approval by the conference. Residents of Carleton living in the vicinity of Queen square, are to be asked to sign a petition protesting against the proposed railway company laying a track through Queen square. The wardens of St. Jude's church have already entered a protest.

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Mrs. Upham Fowler. Hampton, Kings Co., Oct. 26—The arrival here this morning at half-past five o'clock by the early express from Halifax, of the late Mrs. Upham Fowler, who, less than a year ago, went from Hampton to live with Adventists at Williamdale, Colchester county (N.S.), was great news to her family and friends. She was born in the town of Upper Canada, and had lived in various parts of the province. She was a member of the Methodist church, and was a devoted wife and mother. She died at her home in Hampton, Kings Co., on Oct. 26, at the age of 78 years. She was buried in the cemetery here on Monday morning. Her husband, Mr. Fowler, died several years ago. She is survived by several children and grandchildren.

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Charles L. Corey. The death of Charles L. Corey occurred suddenly at his residence, 334 Union street, for some time past Mr. Corey, who was a well-known carpenter, had been in ill health, owing to internal injuries due to a fall from a ladder, but his death Monday was unexpected. He was a son of the late Samuel Corey, of Grand Lake, Queens county, and leaves a widow and one little girl. Mrs. D. W. McCormick. Mrs. Sarah McCormick, wife of D. W. McCormick, of the Victoria Hotel, died very suddenly Monday afternoon. The deceased lady had been ailing more or less for the last six years with heart trouble. Yesterday, about breakfast time, she was in the kitchen, apparently in good health, when she was suddenly taken with a weak spell and had to be carried to her room. Drs. Emery and McInerney were summoned at once, and under their care she seemed to rally. After dinner, however, she had a relapse, and in spite of all that could be done, passed away about 4 o'clock. 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