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Plum Roll

BY MRS. S. T. RORER,

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Ministers and Churches.

THE Rev. A. T. Love, pastor of St. Andrews Church, Quebec, arrived back from Europe last week.

THE Rev. D. C. Johnston, of Knox Church, Beaverton, has returned home from his three months' vacation.

THE Rev. J. H. Simpson, of Brucefield, is taking a month's vacation. His church duties are being supplied by Rev. Mr. Ross, of Clinton.

THE congregation of Duawich, in the Presbytery of London, has moderated in a call to the Rev. John Gillis, lately minister of St. Andrews Church, Paisley.

THE Theological Seminary of Columbia, S. C., in which Rev. Dr. F. R. Beattie is professor, opens on the third Wednesday of September. The prospects of a large attendance are fully assured.

THE Synod of the Maritime Provinces will meet in St. Matthew's Church, Halifax, on Thursday, October 1, at half-past seven p.m. A large attendance of both ministers and elders is expected.

THE Rev. Mr. McGregor, Presbyterian minister, Tilsonburg, arrived home recently from a trip to the Old Country, accompanied by his family, who were visiting in Toronto. They were tendered a reception, a large number of their friends spending the evening with them.

A CORRESPONDENT calls attention to an inaccuracy in the brief obituary notice of the late Rev. R. Gavin, which appeared in last issue. His charge was New Deer, not Strichen. Mr. Gavin was ordained and inducted to the pastoral charge of the Free Church, New Deer, in 1843.

THE Rev. John T. Burton, of Edinburgh, preached in St. Matthew's Church, Halifax, recently. After a few days in Halifax as the guest of Mr. Fowler, of St. Matthew's Church, Mr. Burton proceeded on his tour to Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Boston, New York and Philadelphia. He hopes to preach in Edinburgh on the first Sabbath of October.

THE monthly business meeting of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavour of Knox Church, Guelph, was held last week, at which the following were elected to office for the ensuing six months: Miss M. E. Hadden, president; S. McCuen, vice president; C. Laing, recording secretary; Miss E. Hamilton, corresponding secretary; Miss Mary Millar, treasurer.

THE formal opening of the pipe organ of Division Street Presbyterian Church, Owen Sound, took place on Friday evening week, and was highly successful, a large audience being present, and the music provided being of a fine character. On the Sabbath both the services were well attended. In the morning Rev. Mr. Turk, of the First Methodist Church, preached an eloquent sermon, and in the evening Rev. Mr. Somerville, M.A., discoursed on the place of music in religion.

AT the Leslieville Presbyterian Church on Sunday week Mr. Eshoo, a native of Persia, addressed the congregation in the morning. Mr. Eshoo, who has been but three months in America, can speak English fluently, and his address was very interesting. Mr. Eshoo is taking a course at the Presbyterian Seminary, Chicago. He also addressed the Sunday school in the afternoon. In the evening the pastor, Rev. W. Frizzell, preached to a large congregation, his subject being "The First Sin."

AT the close of the meeting of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavour of King Street Presbyterian Church, London, last week, Eli Allen, who is about to leave for New York, where he will spend a few weeks before proceeding to North-West Persia to take charge of the industrial school, under the United States Presbyterian Board of Missions, was made the recipient of a magnificent Oxford Bible and a copy of Farrar's "Life of Christ," accompanied by an address from the young people of the Church.

COMMUNION service in the church at Leeburn last week had a good attendance, over fifty partaking of the rite dispensed by Rev. J. A. Anderson, B.A., formerly pastor of the church. The rev. gentleman gave an able sermon from John ix. 35. His closing remarks to the communicants were pleasing and instructive to those who partook of it for the first time—six of the young people. He urged on them the importance of the stand they had taken to be ever faithful workers with an example to others that would lead them to become soldiers of Christ in this battle of life.

THE Ottawa Free Press says: There was a marked improvement in the attendance in St. Andrews Church on Sunday week, when the esteemed minister, Mr. Herridge, preached at both services. In the evening Mr. Herridge delivered a scholarly sermon on the teachings of nature, basing his remarks on Psalm xix. The preacher drew some beautiful word pictures on the beauties, the moral and spiritual teachings, the demands and the commands of nature, and of how it obeys the law of God. He drew vivid comparisons between man and nature, how man's actions stand out in glaring contrast when we contemplate nature's obedience to the law of the universe.

THE new church erected by the Presbyterians of Alice was opened for divine service on Sabbath week. The Rev. G. D. Bayne, Pembroke, preached an able and impressive discourse in the morning, and the pastor of the Church, Rev. R. Knowles, conducted appropriate services in the afternoon. On both occasions large numbers attended. On the following evening a most successful tea-meeting was held, at which Mr. Hunter, Pembroke, presided, and addresses were delivered by Messrs. Bayne, Knowles and Beattie. The proceedings were enlivened by the presence of the Pembroke choir, who sang various musical selections in the course of the evening. A large and appreciative audience was in attendance.

THE Halifax Witness says The death of the Rev. James Allan, Cove Head, P. E. I., removes

another of the fathers of our Church and closes another of the long pastorates now so uncommon. On the 15th of July, 1843, West St. Peters and Cove Head were disjoined from the extensive charge of the Rev. Robert Douglas. A long vacancy of three years occurred, when Rev. James Allan in 1846 was ordained over them. Had Mr. Allan been spared five years longer he would have spent fifty years in the ministry. He laboured forty-five years over one congregation and was one of our ministers ordained in 1846. The other three still survive, viz.: Rev. D. B. Blair, Alexander Sutherland and Alexander Campbell.

THE excursion to Cumberland by the *Empress* was largely attended by the members of the congregation and Sunday school of Bank Street Church, Ottawa. An interesting programme of athletic sports had been arranged by the committee and were heartily entered into. The weather was all that could be desired, and the tired crowd reached Ottawa thoroughly satisfied with the day's outing. The scholars of St. Pauls Presbyterian Church embarked on the *Empress* for Besserer's grove, where they held their annual picnic. As with the other picnic they spent a most enjoyable day, returning by the same boat in the evening. The choir rendered a number of musical selections during the return trip which were greatly appreciated.

THE ceremony of laying the corner stone of the new Presbyterian church in Mosca was performed by the Rev. W. S. Ball, of Vanneck, on Tuesday, 1st inst. A large assembly was present. After the stone was laid the congregation repaired to an adjacent grove where the ladies had prepared a dinner, after which a good programme was carried out. Speeches were delivered by Rev. Messrs. Ball, of Vanneck, Sawers, of Dorchester, Henderson, of Appin, Currie, of Glencoe, Wilson, of Dutton, and Messrs. Sutherland, of Napier, and McLean, of Toronto. Probably the most interesting part of the programme was a speech by Mr. Archibald McLean, student of Knox College, Toronto, in the mother tongue of the majority of those present, the Gaelic language, which evoked frequent and continued applause. We predict for Mr. McLean a future of brilliancy and usefulness in the Church.

A FAIR sized audience gathered in the Lutheran church, New Dundee, on Monday evening week to hear the lecture by the Rev. J. S. Hardie, B.A., of Ayr. The lecture was learned and interesting. The subject was "Christian Endeavour Work, Warnings and Wages." Under the head of Work the lecturer divided his remarks according to the following sub-heads: Know well your Bible; know the face of Jesus in prayer; know that personal work is necessary; know that you are a member of the regular army; know that you are united in the Church of God. His Warnings were: Don't be a religious shik; don't be a religious shark; don't be a religious wolf in sheep's clothing; don't be a religious tramp. He spoke only of the present wages. Consciousness of duty well done to Christ; consciousness that you are on the homeward march to victory. Miss Patterson, of Ayr, also favoured the audience with a solo.

THE social of the Presbyterian Church, Nanaimo, was held in the basement of the church in the evening of Monday week, and, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, was well attended and was a success financially. The programme which composed some of the best local talent was well carried out, and all present appreciated the different pieces rendered, encores being numerous. The refreshments were fully up to the requirements of the occasion and great credit is due Mrs. E. Pringle and other ladies of the congregation whose management so largely contributed to the success of the event. The ladies of course regret that the weather was so unfavourable as they had intended having the band and the grounds of the manse illuminated by electric lights, in which case there would doubtless have been a much larger number present to hear the really excellent programme, and partake of the ice cream and cake which was bountifully distributed.

MR. CHINQUY lectured last week in a hall in Bathurst, N. B., which was well filled. The hall not being large enough to accommodate all who desired to hear him, the Presbyterian church was opened on the following evening and a large audience awaited him, all anxious to hear one who had been fifty years in the Church of Rome. The subject was one of the leading doctrines of the Roman Catholic Church, transubstantiation, which he explained very successfully to his audience for an hour and a-half. His language was all love and kindness. On the following Sunday morning the Presbyterian church was again filled to overflowing, chairs having to be brought in. Mr. Chinquy gave an excellent discourse, his subject being the meeting of our Saviour with the woman of Samaria at the well. In the evening he preached in the Methodist church, and was well received by the multitude, and all was peace and quietness, and every one was pleased with his visit.

THE Rev. T. F. Fotheringham, St. John, N.B., Convener of the Sabbath School Committee, sends the following relating to the "Home Study Leaflet": "I have just received a letter from Dr. Warden, Superintendent of Sunday school work in the Presbyterian Church in the United States, which he kindly permits me to use, and which contains the following warm commendation of our 'Home Study Leaflet': 'I have examined the 'Home Study Leaflet' with great care, and I unhesitatingly pronounce it most suggestive and stimulating to the study of the Bible out of school. It strikes upon the weakest spot in our Sunday school work. As far as I know not one-fourth of our Sabbath scholars study the Sabbath school lessons at home. This is both startling and deplorable. I trust that you may succeed in inducing the teachers in your Sabbath schools to persist in the use of the 'Home Study Leaflet.' Even if their success is but partial, it will far more than repay all the effort. I have examined your report and regard it as a marvel of accuracy and thoroughness.' I shall be happy to send samples to any who wish to examine with a view to introducing into class or school."

THE *Truro Guardian* says: The one hundred and twelfth anniversary of the formation of First Presbyterian congregation, Truro, N. S., was celebrated on Sabbath week. Divine service was conducted by Rev. John Burton, D.D., of Edinburgh, Scotland, in the morning. There was a large congregation present, who listened with much pleasure to a plain and powerful sermon from the text "As thy day is so shall thy strength be." In the evening there was a service of praise and thanksgiving, lasting one hour, and conducted by the pastor, assisted by Professor Connery. Part of the exercises consisted of the reading of a most interesting manuscript, giving numerous incidents in connection with the history of Presbyterianism in Truro during the past one hundred and twenty years. The service was concluded by a short address by Dr. Burton. His preaching is plain, practical and forcible. His voice is full and melodious. His language is well chosen. His illustrations are apt and pointed, and his whole discourse rendered attractive by a kindly manner and a pleasing humour. To hear him was a pleasure not soon to be forgotten.

ABOUT one hundred of the members and adherents of the Presbyterian Church, Norval, recently assembled at the old manse to bid farewell to their former and much-esteemed pastor, Rev. Joseph Alexander, M.A., prior to his going to Ireland for an indefinite time. Rev. Mr. Alexander had been pastor of the Church for nearly thirty-five years, and the last of the many kindly acts of his people toward him was the presentation to him at this pleasant gathering of a purse containing \$100 and an address expressive of the warm and respectful feelings with which the memory of his past labours is cherished, and of the kindly wishes entertained for his future well-being. Mr. Alexander's reply was touching, as in tones of deep sympathy he stood surrounded by many who had from their youth been under his Christian influence and pastoral care, and expressed his thanks for the many kindnesses they had done him. After all had heartily partaken of the excellent lunch provided by the ladies a musical programme was carried out. Those who took part were: Mrs. L. Hunter, the Misses McPherson, Miss Mitchell, of Brampton, Messrs. J. Watkins and A. L. Noble. After bidding good-bye to their old pastor the company left for their homes. And thus the last of the many pleasant gatherings in the old manse came to a close.

THE Presbytery of Chatham met, pursuant to appointment, in Mount Zion Church, Ridgetown, on Tuesday, September 1, at eleven a.m. to examine the Rev. K. J. Hunter, B.A., in the subjects prescribed in the Book of Forms, the Rev. John Becket, of Thamesville, presiding. Being satisfied with the examination, the Presbytery adjourned until two p.m., when they would proceed with his ordination and induction. At two o'clock a large congregation had assembled in the auditorium of the church. The resident ministers of the town present were invited to correspond, as also was the Rev. W. A. Hunter, of Erskine Church, Toronto, brother of the pastor elect. No objection being offered to the life or doctrine of Mr. Hunter, Mr. Kay, of Duart, conducted divine service, preaching from Luke xiv. 16. Mr. Becket narrated the steps taken to fill the vacancy caused by the translation of Dr. McRobbie to Shelburne, Ont. By the laying on of the hands of the Presbytery Mr. Hunter was solemnly ordained to the Gospel ministry and inducted into the pastoral charge of Mount Zion Church, Ridgetown. The Clerk, in the absence of Mr. Shaw, addressed the minister, and Mr. McLaren the people as to their respective duties. Service having been concluded, the pastor was conducted to the vestibule of the church by Mr. Larkin, of Chatham, and received a hearty welcome from the retiring congregation. The ladies, with their usual thoughtfulness, invited

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