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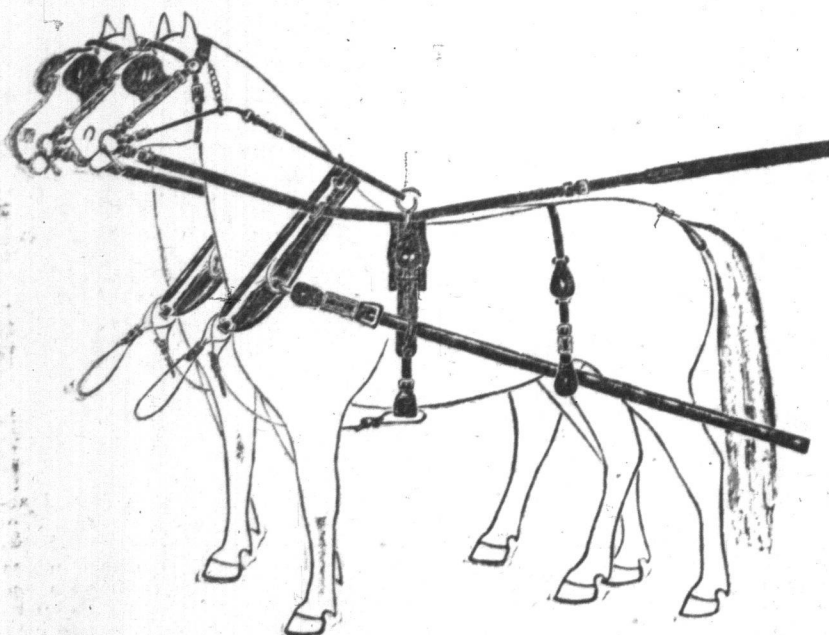


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## BIG MEETING

Annual Convention of Baptists at North Buxton—Good Addresses and Program.

North Buxton, Sept. 19.—The 62nd anniversary of the Amherstburg Regular Baptist Association and S. S. convention met with the First Baptist church here, opening on the 19th. The following ministers were present: Rev. L. Noard, Rev. Haden, Rev. J. H. Penick, G. W. Gordon, A. Isbell, S. H. Davis, J. D. Hulbert, R. Baylis, and visiting ministers, Rev. T. J. Henderson of Toronto church; Rev. Dr. Powell, of Detroit Baptist church; Rev. R. Gillard, state missionary of Chatham Association, Michigan; Rev. W. H. Jones, of the B. M. E. church, Buxton and Rev. P. Brooks, of Chatham B. M. E. church.

The Ministers' and Deacons' Alliance met on Wednesday, at 10 a. m., with Rev. J. D. Hulbert, moderator, and Rev. J. H. Penick, secretary. After the usual routine of business, Rev. Noard read a very able and carefully prepared paper, subject: "Is it necessary for a sinner to pray in order to obtain salvation?" which aroused a lengthy and heated discussion, the pros and cons being sharp and quick in succession. Finally it was the sense of the Alliance that it is necessary for a sinner to believe in order to obtain salvation.

The afternoon and evening sessions were taken up with revising the constitution and the sermon by Rev. Mr. Isbell, and the following topics were carried forward for the next session which takes place in Sandwich in December next:—

"Why should Regular Baptists refrain from communing with baptized believers in other churches?" and a paper by Rev. Hulbert on the second coming of Christ.

The weather was fine and the attendance large. Rev. L. Noard, moderator; Rev. J. H. Penick, recording secretary; J. M. Garel, corresponding secretary; M. C. Green, treasurer.

The Association proper met on Thursday at 10 a. m., Rev. L. Noard, moderator, J. G. Brown, clerk, M. C. Green, treasurer.

The day was fine and the attendance good. The village was crowded with visiting friends. J. F. Haden preached the introductory sermon and the general business was taken up. Eleven churches reported, and the Digest committee's report showed that seven pastors, and that the growth and decrease of membership was equal, and they had paid for preaching during this year \$1,039.70; indebtedness of the churches, \$269.24; present number of members 182.

The Nom. Com. reported for moderator, Rev. L. Noard; Vice, Rev. Isbell; secretary, J. G. Brown; assistant secretary, R. Bradby; treasurer, M. C. Green; Rev. J. H. Penick, delegate to Chatham Association, and that E. L. Bradby preach the educational sermon, Rev. Holt, the doctrinal sermon and Rev. Isbell the introductory sermon, and Rev. Noard the missionary sermon.

The Missionary board hereafter will form a part of the general business committee and are no longer a separate body. This was done to facilitate business.

The Sunday school convention met on Friday at 2 p. m. The rain was falling heavily but the attendance good with the full. Officers present: President R. Bradby, Vice Bertha Talbot, Secretary Josiah Carroll, Asst.-Sec. Irene Harbert, Treas. Mrs. H. Jackson. After devotional exercises the general business was taken up. Reports from most quarters showed interest and progress. The nominating committee reported President R. Bradby, Vice Miss C. Holt, Secretary Miss Irene Harbert, Assistant Miss L. Watts, Treasurer Mrs. H. Jackson. In the evening the rain was still falling heavily but the attendance was small and much was cut out of the program in consequence. Nevertheless, a good program was rendered. Rev. Dr. Powell, of Detroit Baptist church, and Rev. R. Gillard of Amherstburg, Mich., addressed the convention in such an able and instructive manner that they will, we hope, do much good. Collection \$21.63.

The Women's Home Mission Society met on Saturday. The weather was fine but the roads were bad and slow. The following officers were present: President Mrs. L. Irons, Vice Mrs. M. Cooper, Secretary Mrs. S. A. Campbell, Treasurer Mrs. M. Moore. After devotional exercises the general business. Reports from all parts of the field were very encouraging. Much good work had been done in the mission field—seven branches reported.

The program in the evening was excellent. Mrs. S. A. Campbell took the chair. Music by the choir. Prayer by Rev. Isbell. Address of welcome by Mrs. Lovey Shreve. Response by Mrs. Irons, of London. Papers by Miss Harbert and Mrs. Isbell and reading by Mrs. Dodson.

The Windsor elocutionist was excellent. The address by Rev. T. J. Henderson, of Toronto, was masterly. Rev. W. H. Jones of the B. M. E. church came forward and with his wit and humor kept the house in a continuous roar of laughter. Mrs. Irene Johnston, organist, and the choir deserve much praise for their excellent good service during the whole session of the association. Collection \$48.41.

On Sunday the weather was fine and the two churches were unable to hold the people. Rev. T. J. Henderson preached the memorial sermon at 11 a. m.; Bro. Bradby doctrinal sermon at three p. m., followed by communion. Rev. Mr. Henderson preached the closing sermon. At the Methodist church Rev. Mr. Isbell preached at 11 a. m., Rev. Mr. Hulbert at 2 p. m., and Rev. Mr. Hayden at 7 p. m. Collection from all sources \$137.67. Adjourned to meet with the Amherstburg Baptist church in Sept., 1903. Closed with "God be with you till we meet again."

A vote of thanks was tendered the Buxton people for the kind and attentive manner with which they cared for the association, which was no small task.

## THE DISTRICT.

THAMESVILLE.

Sept. 18.—Rev. J. Tolmie, of Windsor, was in town yesterday. Mrs. C. E. Baile and Charlie spent Wednesday in London.

Peter Richards, of Walkerville, is visiting his son, Charles. Mrs. H. E. Harmer, and Miss Jennie Harmer returned yesterday from a month's visit with the former's father, Rev. Mr. Hinde, Shelbourne.

Miss MYCatcher, of the Stewart, Howe & May Co., Toronto, is in town today. Mrs. Wm. Bambridge is quite ill. A very pretty wedding occurred in the evening at the residence of Daniel Room, Zone, when his only daughter, May, was united in marriage to Wm. Pink, of London. Rev. Fanjoy, of Petrolia officiated. After the ceremony, about 150 guests sat down to a sumptuous repast after which the bride and groom left on the evening train for their new home in London.

Mr. Ammon Hubbell and Mrs. Janet Marshall were quietly married at Chatham yesterday.

A. H. Daugherty is seriously ill. E. E. Lambrook is in London today. J. J. Vincent has bought the stock of Mr. Simpkins, of Bothwell and will move there shortly.

The barns of John McKerricher, Botany, caught fire from the threshing machine yesterday and were totally destroyed.

Large quantities of apples are being bought at the evaporating factory.

## TILBURY

Sept. 19.—Mrs. Stenlake is visiting in London this week.

Died.—In Tilbury on Thursday, September 18th, Joseph Cassidy, aged 79 years. The funeral service will be held in St. Francis' R. C. church here tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, at which the remains will be taken to St. Peter's R. C. church, Tilbury east, for interment.

Mrs. E. Elliott leaves this week on a visit to her former home in Walkerton, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. D. L. Shafer, of Windsor.

Mrs. W. C. Crawford left yesterday on a visit to her former home in St. Mary's.

John O'Neill, of Niagara Falls was in town this week.

Miss Ellen Clark, who has spent the summer with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark, Sr., returned to her home in North Dakota this week.

Three daughters of Napoleon Paquette, Tilbury North, left this week for Indian Orchard, Mass.

Mrs. Bellanger and daughter, from Montreal, sister and niece of Father Langlois, have been visiting him this week, en route to Butte City, Montana.

Miss Martha Cowan is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. Alexander, of Staples. Mrs. W. C. Clark, of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. W. Clark, of Tilbury North.

George Chalmers has purchased the carriage shop of T. Restume, and will put a competent man in charge to run it.

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## DRESDEN

Sept. 19.—Mrs. (Dr.) Galbraith and Mrs. J. P. Frank Williams, are visiting in London.

Alfred Kimmerly is having his residence in North Dresden, raised and repaired.

Mrs. McDonald, who is at present the guest of Mrs. James Kimmerly, is seriously ill.

Thomas George, Park street, is seriously ill and there are very little hopes for his recovery.

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Mrs. Martin has returned from Portland, Mich.

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