

1. *Come with us. You need a Church Home*

## Notes.

89 Rev. E. E. Gates preaches to-day. Rev. A. T. Kempton, Fitchburg, preaches next Sunday. He is the son of our beloved Dr. Kempton, Portsmouth.

The Quarterly Meeting of the W. M. A. Societies of Halifax and Portsmouth will be held in the North Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 1st, at 3.30 o'clock.

Ed. Bedford Items. Bro. McGregor has been holding special services in the Baptist Church, Bedford. The newly organized Baptist Church added a member Gordon to their roll, who last Sunday evening was baptized before many witnesses. At the close of the sermon, some 15 persons rose for prayer.

Pastor Fash and family heard from. Arrived safely in Boston, all A. K. Just in time to meet the hot weather. Will reach Fall River on the 10th. In closing, writes—"We wish to be remembered to all the friends."

Our Bloomfield St. Mission holds its own these warm days—89 scholars reported in attendance last Sunday. The Sunday and Thursday evening meetings are well sustained. Special arrangements made for bicycling on Thursday evening. You are cordially invited to drop in and give your testimony.

Are we giving all we ought to for the conversion of the 2,000,000 Tulu-son on our Mission Field? We have 18 Missionaries, male and female, on the field—8 males, 5 wives, and 5 single ladies. We have 7 churches, with 14 members. In 1897-8 the total receipts for Missions \$16,234.20. Compare these figures with those of the home land. The Baptists of the Maritime Provinces have 409 Churches, with 193 Pastors, and over 50,000 members, expending in support of these churches \$154,008.00.

Our Revenue.—This Church is supported by the free will offerings of the people. Every member, young and old, is expected to contribute regularly. If each one gives as "God has prospered," no one will be burdened, and there will be ample means for support of every department. Subscriptions may be made at any time to the Treasurer, Deacon W. T. Harris, and A. E. Soulis, Chairman of the Finance Committee, who will supply envelopes for "CURRENT EXPENSES," "MORTGAGE FUND," and "ORGAN FUND." "Convention Fund" offering the second Sunday of each month.

All Seats Free.—Application for sittings should be made to Deacon Jas. McPherson, Chairman of Pew Committee, who will also provide envelopes. The seats are assigned—not rented. Each pew holder is expected to be a contributor. Notices for "Our Calendar" must be given to the Pastor not later than Thursday evening.

The Pastor will be glad to speak with you at the close of each service. Kindly inform him immediately concerning the sick, strangers, any without regular church home, and where a visit will be helpful. All are urged to use the information cards in purs.

s. Get your "Letter" at once and help save the Lost.