

Rev. T. Ball, M.A. On the day of Humble Supplication, Sunday, February 11th, we had seven Services, he kindly taking three at Waterville. The principal Services were well attended, and a fervent spirit seemed to prevail. The congregation was larger at Eustis than at North Hatley, but the largest was at Waterville, where the Congregationalists cheerfully attended as a body together with their Minister, the Rev. Mr. Craik, filling the Church to its utmost capacity. The offertories for the Patriotic Fund amounted to \$27.33.

Mr. Ball is kindly engaged in collecting in the Mission for the Robert Hamilton Memorial, and his list of subscribers is lengthening out encouragingly.

PENINSULA AND LITTLE GASPE.

The Rev. A. W. Dutton reports:—We are experiencing very heavy weather here. Snow storms and wind storms are the order of the day. Since the 29th of January the fall of snow has amounted to ten feet, and more is expected. Old residents here say they have not seen such a winter for many years. Naturally the roads are bad for travelling, yet in spite of this, the Services in both Churches have, with only two exceptions, been held regularly.

On Sunday, February 11th, we had the special Service of Intercession in reference to the war in South Africa. The Congregations were large on the occasion, and the Service was much appreciated by all. The collections, which amounted to \$9.00, were given to the Canadian Patriotic Fund.

It is my sad duty to record the death of two of my parishioners in Peninsula On January 29th, Charles Bland, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Annett passed away after a brief illness.

The parish also mourns the loss of one of its most esteemed members. On February 15th, Charlotte Elizabeth Asah passed to her rest, in her 62nd year, after a long and tedious illness. It was a cause of much thankfulness to her and to her family that she was enabled to partake of the Blessed Sacrament of the Holy Communion on the day previous to her death. The fact of there being a Church in the parish of Peninsula is due to the efforts of our departed sister. Besides this, although an invalid for many

years, she was ever foremost in promoting the interests of the Church in Peninsula, and by her death the Church here has lost a sincere friend. We offer to the members of these families our heartfelt sympathy in their affliction. The Rev. Rural Dean I. Newton Kerr, the Inspector of Schools for this district, paid us a short visit. He arrived at the Parsonage on Feb. 18th, in the midst of a heavy snow storm, and was made cordially welcome. In the evening of the same day (Sexagesima Sunday) he very kindly assisted me at Evensong, preaching a very instructive sermon from the text 1 Cor., ix., 24.

Mr. Kerr stayed with us till Wednesday morning, and during the days he was with us, enjoyed the full benefit of a Gaspé snow storm.

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