

OUR TWENTIE TH CENTURY FUND,
\$50,000.

Foreign Missions, India, \$25,000; Home Missions, Maritime, \$10,000; North West Missions, \$5,000; Grand Ligne Missions, \$5,000; British Columbia Missions, \$2,000; Treasurer for Nova Scotia.

Rev. J. H. P. 1888, Wolfville, N. S.
Treasurer for New Brunswick and P. E. Island,
Rev. J. W. ANNING,
St. John, N. B.

Field Secretary,
Rev. H. F. ADAMS,
Wolfville, N. S.

Will all subscribers sending money to Treasurers, kindly write the INITIALS and names they wrote on their pledges, also the county they live in. This will save much time.

Will all pastors and other persons holding pledges of churches, please send them to the Field Secretary, retaining a list of such, for their own use.

YARMOUTH CO. QUARTERLY CONFERENCE OF BAPTIST CHURCHES.

The Yarmouth Co. N. S. Quarterly Conference will be held at Argyle, July 26th, and 27th. Weather permitting all sessions will be held on the picnic grounds near the H. and Y. railway station. Delegates and friends are requested to bring well-filled baskets. Lodging for the night and meals for the 27th provided by Argyle friends. If wet the meetings will be held in the church. Morning session July 26th at 10.30 o'clock. H. and Y. train leaves Yarmouth 8.30 a. m. returning leaves Argyle 2.05 p. m. on 27th. A large attendance is hoped for.

H. C. NEWCOMBE, Sec'y

DELEGATES TO MARITIME CONVENTION.

TRURO, N. S., AUGUST 20TH, 1904.

The Committee of Entertainment requests:
(1) The Delegates be appointed at the July Conference meeting of the church desiring representation. (See Year Book, Page 9, Article 2.)

(2) That the names of all delegates desiring entertainment be sent in not later than August 1st. The Committee of entertainment cannot be responsible for providing entertainment for any delegates whose names are received after that date. This is positive.

(3) That delegates desiring entertainment forward their credentials of appointment, signed by Church Clerk or Pastor, with application, in order that the Committee may have authority to place names on the list.

(4) That delegates to the Maritime W. M. A. S., who expect the Committee to provide free entertainment for them, be appointed as regular delegates by their churches.

(5) That those desiring hotel or boarding house accommodation advise the committee not later than August 15th. Rates will run from 75 cts. to \$2 a day. Delegates applying for such accommodation should state what they are willing to pay.

Postal cards with instructions and location will be sent to all whose names arrive in time. In case a delegate is appointed or located, who afterwards decides not to come he will please notify the undersigned at once.

On behalf of the Committee of Entertainment.
W. P. KING, Chairman.

THE MARITIME BAPTIST HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

The above named Institution will meet in the vestry of the Truro First Baptist church on Saturday at 9 a. m. Aug. 20th for the election of officers and the consideration of its first annual report to the convention; also for the transaction of any other necessary business. It is highly desirable that all the members of this society be present at this meeting.

The names of the members will be found on page 30 of the year book.

J. W. BROWN, Sec'y.

Hopewell Cape, July 8.

THE CONVENTION.

The Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces will meet (D. V.) on Saturday, August 20th, at 10 a. m., in the First Baptist Church, Truro, N. S.

Official notices of the meeting have been sent to all the churches, through the clerks of the several associations. Church clerks were therein asked to forward the credentials of delegates to the Secretary of Convention by a certain date. But as the Committee of Entertainment in Truro have requested "that delegates desiring entertainment forward their credentials of appointment . . . with their application" to the chairman of the committee (Mr. W. P. King, Truro), such delegates are hereby authorized to send the credentials to me, but to Truro as above. Delegates who do not wish the Committee of Entertainment in Truro to provide for them may see that their credentials are sent to me. The regular printed form is not necessary; a written statement of appointment by the Church, signed by the Pastor or Clerk is sufficient.

HERBERT C. CREED, Sec'y of Convention.
Fredericton, June 21.

The annual meeting of the Maritime Baptist Publishing Company will be held in the vestry of the 1st Baptist Church, Truro, on Saturday, August 20th, at 9 o'clock, a. m.

E. M. SIPPPELL,

President of the Board of Directors.

BAPTIST MARITIME CONVENTION.
TRAVELLING ARRANGEMENTS.

The following railway and steamboat lines will carry delegates to the Baptist Convention to be held at Truro, N. S., on August 20th, at one first class fare, full fare to be paid going and return free on presentation of a certificate issued by the station agent or purser at starting point, signed by the secretary of the Convention.

The Canadian Pacific Ry., Intercolonial, Dominion Atlantic Ry., Canada Eastern Ry., New Brunswick Southern Ry., Salisbury & Harvey Ry., Moncton & Buctouche Ry., N. B. & P. E. I. Ry., Canada Coals & Ry. Co., Midland Ry. Co., Prince Edward Island Ry., Sydney & Louisburg Ry.

Cumberland Railway & Coal Co. will issue at all stations on its line except be-

tween Spring Hill Mines and Spring Hill Jct.

The Halifax & South Western Ry. will issue tickets only as far as Middleton on Standard Certificate plan.

The Charlottetown Steam Navigation Co. Ltd., Coastal Steam Packet Co.

Purchase through tickets whenever possible to avoid more than one certificate.

Certificate on all lines good until 25th.

H. E. GROSS,

Chairman of Com.

Moncton, N. B., July 20th, 1904.

BABY'S DANGERS.

The summer months are a bad time for babies, and an anxious time for mothers. Fermentation and decomposition in the stomach and bowels are the cause of the many summer complaints of babies and young children. This is the season why the hot weather months are more fatal to little ones than any other season. Baby's Own Tablets should always be found in every home, where are young children and their prompt use during hot weather may save a precious life. The tablets cure constipation diarrhoea, and stomach troubles, and are guaranteed to contain no opiate or harmful drug. Mrs. Walter Rollins, Sisson Ridge, N. S. says:—"Before using Baby's Own Tablets my little one cried almost continuously with stomach troubles. I can truthfully say I never had any medicine act so promptly and give such satisfaction as the tablets do. I do not think you may make any claim for them which their use will not substantiate." The tablets can be had from any medicine dealer or by mail from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. Price 25 cents a box.

A BRASS MONKEY.

One day there was a brass monkey in a show window of a cigar store, which worked automatically, and when the cigarette was put into its hands, it drew it to and fro, and puffed the smoke just like a live person. But after a while it stopped, and no oil nor anything else would make it work. So they took it apart, and to their great surprise they found the machinery inside was clogged with tobacco, and it would not work until it was cleaned. What do you suppose cigarettes will do for the machinery of a boy—his heart, lungs, liver, brain, etc., if they will do that for the machinery of a brass monkey? It can do this much worse: It can kill a boy by affecting his machinery. It can keep him from having a good, steady nerve, a clear brain, a strong heart, and tough muscles for the work of life, before it does well.—Exchange.

About six o'clock on Tuesday evening at Upper Kent, Carleton county, Sydney Armour, seventeen years old, while in bathing with a companion, Lee Shaw, was drowned.

HOMESTEAD.
REGULATION

ANY even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories, excepting 8 and 16, which has not been homesteaded or reserved to provide wood lots for settlers, or for other purposes, may be homesteaded upon by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 21 years of age, to the extent of one quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

ENTRY.

Entry may be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land to be taken is situated, or if the homesteader desires he may, on application to the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, or the local agent for the district in which the land is situated, receive authority for some one to make entry for him. A fee of \$12.50 is charged for a homestead entry.

HOMESTEAD DUTIES.

A settler who has been granted an entry for a homestead is required by the provisions of the Dominion Lands Act and the amendments thereto to perform the conditions connected therewith, under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of any person who is eligible to make a homestead entry under the provisions of this Act, resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such person as a homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If a settler has obtained a patent for his homestead, or a certificate for the issue of such patent, counter-signed in the manner prescribed by this Act, and has obtained entry for a second homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by residence upon the first homestead, if the second homestead is in the vicinity of the first homestead.

(4) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land. The term "vicinity" used above is meant to indicate the same township, or an adjoining or cornering township.

A settler who avails himself of the provisions of clauses (2) (3) or (4) must cultivate thirty acres of his homestead, or substitute twenty head of stock, with buildings for their accommodation, and have besides 80 acres substantially fenced.

Every homesteader who fails to comply with the requirements of the homestead law is liable to have his entry cancelled, and the land may be again thrown open for entry.

APPLICATION FOR PATENT should be made at the end of the three years before the Local Agent, Sub-Agent, or the Homestead Inspector. Before making application for patent, the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

INFORMATION.

Newly arrived immigrants will receive at the Immigration Office in Winnipeg or at any Dominion Lands Office in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories, information as to the lands that are open for entry, and from the officers in charge, free of expense, advice and assistance in securing land to suit them. Full information respecting the land, timber, coal and mineral laws, as well as respecting Dominion lands in the Railway Belt in British Columbia, may be obtained upon application to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, Manitoba, or to any of the Dominion Lands Agents in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories.

JAMES A. DEAN,

Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—In addition to Free Grant Lands to which the regulations above stated refer, thousands of acres of most desirable lands are available for lease or purchase from railroad and other corporations and private lands in Western Canada.

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