

Preached 52 sermons; attended 5 Conference and Prayer meetings; visited 34 families; travelled 325 miles, and collected \$38.50.

Bro. Wethers writes on the 9th June as follows:—

“Having completed a mission of twelve weeks as appointed by the Board, I hasten to give you some information respecting this field, knowing your desire to appropriate the funds of the Society so as best to promote the glory of God and the spread of truth.

The village of Maitland where we have a large audience is a growing place. Our congregations there are made up of Presbyterians, Churchmen, Methodists, Baptists and non-professors. We have to occupy a hired house but hope soon to have one of our own.

At Beekville and the Dimock settlement we got a fair hearing. There are some enquiring souls there.

I have also preached at Noel corner and on the road leading from Newport to Maitland, twelve miles from the latter place, but was looked upon with a jealous eye.

This field ought not to be forsaken, true there have been no baptisms since I have been laboring there, and but two while Bro. Porter was there. But we must be like the husbandman, who waits for the precious fruits of the earth, and has long patience for it, till he receives the former and the latter rain. I hope the Lord will abundantly water the seed sown, so that for a rich harvest we may give praise to His name.”

Lunenburg County.

Rev. Augustus Shields has performed 8 weeks missionary labour in New Ross.

Preached 32 sermons; attended 2 Conference and Prayer meetings, and 80 family visits; collected \$18.75.

“I had delightful services. Romanists and Episcopalians crowded our meetings and evidently there are indications of the good work of grace among the people. I trust the good seed of the kingdom will spring up and yield a glorious harvest. They are very destitute and have claims on our sympathies and prayers.”