The collections were \$3.50 for the Woman's Missionary Aid Society of the Jennseg church, \$5 oo for the objects of the Quarterly Meeting, and \$21 oo for Rev. J. H. Hughes in his illness. J. Coonness, See'y

June 20th, 1002.

Golden Wedding.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Nobles, of Springfield, was the scene of an interesting and delightful gathering on Thursday evening, the occasion being the celebration of the 50th anniversary of their marriage. The spacious house mile and a half from the church. At this meetwhich is picturesquely situated in the midst of the broad acres which slope gently to the shores of the beautiful Bellisle Bay, was filled to overflowing, guests to the number of 78 having come to enjoy the hospitality of the genial host and hostess and to congratulate them upon their long and happy matried life.

Their only children are Beverley, pastor of the Baptist church, Carleton; Benjamin, pastor of the Sussex Baptist church, and Charles, farmer and humberman of Springfield. These sons, with their families, were present, enjoying and contributing to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Gold coins to the amount of apwards of \$50 and beautiful presents indicated esteem in which the worthy couple are held. Among the gifts were a beautiful burnished silver and gold butter knife suitably engraved, gold and silver meat and fish lorks, nut dish, fruit spcons, sauce ladles, sugar shell-each gold lined-also silver cake basket, fruit dish, lamp, vases, sofa pillow, ice pitcher. Conversation, feasting, singing and speeches by Rev. Mr. Field, M. Nobles, Councillor Miles Jenkins, Capt. Wm. Brittain and Alexander Baird, constituted the programme of the evening. An excellent display of fireworks : added to the enjoyment of all.

In the waning light of the setting moon the friends departed to their homes with hearty wishes for well-being and long life to Mr. and Mrs. Nobles, who at 75 years and 70 years respectively, are hale and hearty.

N. B. Eastern Association.

This Association will convene with the Baptist church at Dorchester Corner on Saturday the 19th day of July next at 10 a. m. The churches are requested to send their letters to the undersigned Clerk not later than July 5th. Delegates who have purchased one first class ticket and received a Standard Certificate at place of purchase, will be returned free over the I. C. R. and Salisbury and Harvey R. R. Those who travel over the N. B. and P. E. I. and the Elgin and Havelock R. R. will be entitled to return ticket free on presentation of a certificate of attendance. Those crossing the Ferry at Hopewell Cape will receive round trip ticket for one fare.

F. W. EMMERSON, Clerk.

Moncton, N. B., June 19th.

Will all delegates to the Eastern Baptist Association, to be held at Dorchester, July 18, send their names at once to Pastor B. H. Thomas, Dorchester.

B. H. THOMAS.

Works Both Way-Welles-"Did Christian Science cure you of rheumatism?"

Syckley-"No; but rheumatisn cured me of Christian Science."-Judge.

Reilgious News.

We have entered on our

Sicond Kinos- second year with the Prince CLEAR AND PRINCE William and Second Kings-WM. CHURCHES, clear churches. Although we cannot report any ad-

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ditions we believe we can report favorably. At Kingsclear our congregations are small, averaging about 45 or 50, but a good interest is manifested. Our Sunday School is closed during the winter but during the summer we have a good school. We also conduct a Sunday night prayer meeting at Longs Creek school house, about a ng we have good congregation and a good interest manifested. Last week one of the sisters, Mrs. A. H. Hartt, collected for the Ladies Missionary Aid Society about \$10, At Prince William we have good congregations and a good interest manifested in the services, we have a good Sunday School superintended by Bro. Josiah Lawrence and assisted by a staff of earnest faithful teachers besides our regular Sunday services we sustain a weekly prayer meeting, at times the attendance is small, but we feel that the meetings have been helpful to those who have attended. On Monday evening, 23rd inst., we held at our church a literary and musical tecital the music was furnished by home talent and the literary part of the programme was furnished by Miss M. Florence Rogers, who gave four of five selections, the audience expressed perfect satisfaction with Miss Rogers as an elocutionist, and if she should visit Prince William again she would be assured of a good audience. We can heartily recommend Miss Rogers as an elocutionist of great ability one who is able to entertain and instruct her audience.

Kingscleat.

SOUTH ESK.

REV. C. W. SABLES. The Lord has been blessing people here. They have a

NOR. Co., N. B. nice building and have kind, generous, proven active people. The weather has been wet and cold and people did not stop for that. So far during the meetings 11 have confessed Christ with the mouth, others have stood and showed they are trusting the Saviour, many more have asked the prayers of God's people. We expect many more to come out on the Lord's side as the meetings go on. One was baptized last Lord's day by Bro. Hurst, and received the right hand of fellowship. Others have expressed a desire to do the same. The people this way are somewhat weak on these points for various reasons. One is, many are married to Presbyterians Another is the work of the "Holy Ghost and us" people here last fall and winter, about which we shall say more in another place, some other time if permitted for the benefit of other brethren and churches. The people here have already contributed \$43.37 in offerings and donations for which to them we express our thanks. The Sunday School is doing good work, having 80 scholars sometimes. We hope to have the prayers of all for greater blessing here and else-G. H. BEAMAN. where.

BELMONT.

au understanding heart.

On Sunday evening, 1st inst. and again on Sunday evening, 8th inst, I had the privilege of visiting our most beantiful baptistry just below the bridge. To the many who heard the truth on these occasions may the Lord give

W. H. JENKINS.

married.

BLANEY-REED-At the residence of the brides father, Mr. Geo. D. Reed, on June 18th, by Rev. W. Artemas Allen, Albert Allen Blaney to Miss Alrado M. Reed, both of Maple Bidge, York County, N. B.

CAIN STEEVES-A' the residence of the bride's parents by pastor I. N. Thorne, William O. Cain to Maggie M. Steeves on June 18th all of Elgin A. Co.,

BANISTER-HARRISON - At the parsonage June 19th, by pastor I. N. Thorne, William G. Banister to Author Lenda Harrison of Forest Hill all of Elgin, A.Co.,

DURBIN VAIL-At Hatfields Point, on the 17th enst., by R.v. Wm, M. Field, John G. Darbin and Bertha A. Vail, both of St. John.

GIBERSON GIBERSON-At the residence of the bride's father, Plaster Reek, on Júne 18th, 1902, by Rev. C. Sterling, William Giberson of Bath, Carleton Co., to Alice, second dura hter of Howard P. Giberson, Esq. Manager of Hotel Tobique, Plaster Rock.

GIBERSON-SISSON-At the residence of the efficient log intenster, Plaster Rock, by Pastor C. Sterling, Bruce Giberson of Arthurette, V. C., to Iva M second daughter of Harvey Sisson, E-q, of Sisson Ridge, V-€.

BLACK CHENEY - At the home of the bride's father June 4th, by the Rev. W. Currie, Leslie Black of Elo-mileld, and Isadora Chene, of Lindsay, C Co.,

ESTAEROOK GUNTER-In the Church at Bear Island York Co., on the 11th mst., by Rev. Dr. McLeed, Walter P. Estabrooks, of Woodstock, and Lau a M. daughter of Judson Cunter Esq. of Bear Island.

CAPIN-FARRELL-On the 11th its", at the home of Geo, Fitus, Marysville N. B. Ly Rev, A. A. Aideent Wesley Capin of Marysville to Agnes Fariell, of Presque Isle Me.

*STEEVES MELBOTRNE – At Moneton, on the 3:d inst by Key, Gideon Swim, Nobie Steeves, of Moneton, and Bertha Melbourne, of Hillsboro, A.C.,

CROS-MAN-WHITNECT-At Moncton on the 5th inst by Rev. G. Swim, Charles Crossman and Bessie Whit-nect both of Moncton, N. B.

RYAN-STEEVES-At the Free Baptist Parsonage, Moncton, on the 11-b inst, by Rev. G. Swim, Owen S. Rya , of Stany Creek, Athert Co, and Ada G. Steeves, of Dover, W. Co,

CLIF-BARLETT-At Alfred Batth it's, father of the buile, Temperance Vale, York Co., on the 11th inst, by the Rev. J. J. Barnes, Mr. Clarence A. Cleff, of Lover Southampton, York Co., and Miss Pearl I. Bartlett, o' Temperance VIe

MAGEE-GAMBLE-At the home of the officia tng clergyman, Rev. R. M. Bynon, June 25th, Fred J Magee to Eliza J. Gamble, all of Lewisville, N. B.

KENNEDY-BROWN-At the home of the bride, Avondale, Carloton Co., N. B. on June 21st, by Rev. Jos, A. Cahill, Christie Kennedy to Annie Brown.

WATERS-CALHERSON-At the parsonage, Jackson ille, on the 25th June, Hanford J Watters to Kate P ('alberson.

HOOD-BODDY - At the residence of the bride's parent Prince William, by Rev. C. W. Sabley, Gilford Hood and M. Grace Boldy, both of Prince William.

Died.

MUTCH-At South Esk, North Co., N. B., May 20th Maudie Mutch, 6 morths' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs David Mutch. Services at house and grave by Hurst and Beaman.

STREVES-Died at Pollet River, May 28th, aged 87 years, Henry Steeves, Living to a good old age re-spected by all, a man of piety and humility. He gave good witness for Jesus Christ for many years in the church to which he belonged at 'follet River, A widow and several children mourn his departure.

COLLISI-Deacon Nels a Collier of 3rd Elgin church departed this life on the May 30th at the advanced age of 77 years; by his death the church su-tains a great los, he was married three times by his first wife he leave a son deacon R. Collier, and Mrs. Wilson Second Wife, three some 3 dauchter2; and Third wife. to mourn the absence of a loving husband and kind father. The church mourns a godly deacon. The fueeral took place at Hill Side, the Pastor preached from the Text 2nd Tim 4.7 verse, to an overflowing congregation. congregation.