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following assisted. Misses Hosie and Ballantyne, piano duet; Miss B. Mitchell and Messrs. A. Williams and E. W. Knowles, vocal solos; Miss Adamson, Toronto, violin.

The strawberry festival in connection with the Presbyterian Church, Barrie, took place on Monday evening a week ago. It is an annual affair and is always well patronized. Large numbers turned out and contributed to the success of the entertainment. In the evening tea was served and an entertainment held in the church, at which addresses were delivered by the Rev. Mr. Washington and Mr. Sam. Brown, of Ivy, who acted as chairman, in his own witty and pleasing manner.

Rev. D. Robertson, London has gone on a trip to Scotland for the benefit of his health. In view of his departure the congregation of the King street Presbyterian Church entertained Mr. Robertson at a bon voyage social Tuesday, when a pleasant hour was spent. Mr. A. Black occupied the chair. Mr. W. A. Mackay spoke briefly, wishing Mr. Robertson an enjoyable holiday and a safe return. The pastor replied, and the evening was concluded with the singing of "God be with you." During the evening refreshments were served.

#### INDUCTION.

The induction of the Rev. W. L. Clay to the pastoral charge of St. Andrew's Church, Victoria, took place on the evening of the 21st June.

The Moderator of the Presbytery, Mr. D. A. MacRae, of Nanaimo, presided.

On the Tuesday evening following, a public reception was extended to the new pastor and his family by the congregation. Mr. D. MacRae, Moderator of the Session during the vacancy, presided. Addresses of welcome were given by Mr. R. B. McMeeking, in name of the Session and Board of Management, and by the Revs. Dr. Campbell, A. B. Winchester, R. G. Munro, P. H. McEwen and Joseph Hall in behalf of other city congregations. An interesting feature of the occasion was the presentation of an address and beautiful pulpit gown by Mrs. T. M. Henderson, president, and Mrs. Schroeden, secretary, on behalf of the Ladies' Aid Society.

Mr. Clay enters upon the pastorate of St. Andrew's, Victoria, with bright prospects of great usefulness.



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#### REV. J. McMILLAN.

##### MINUTE ANENT HIS DEATH.

The Presbytery of Lindsay desires to express its profound sorrow in recording the death of the Rev. John McMillan of Wick and Greenbank. For about seven years he was a member of this Court. During all that time he was singularly diligent in attendance at its meetings, and remarkably faithful in the performance of all duties assigned to him. He was wise in counsel, as well as peace-loving and equitable in all his administration of affairs. He was an honest, earnest and persuasive preacher continually preaching with men to be reconciled to God, and tenderly exhorting them to the nurture of a Christian life. Then too the moral fust of his own daily life gave power efficacy to his message. It would be difficult to find a higher ideal of pastoral work than he cherished. For he held his duty wisdom till he should bring the matter of personal salvation directly before the heart of everyone of his people, by repeated personal appeal and individual conference. In his persuation of the ideal with warm devotion and unflagging zeal he overtaxed his strength, and after a lingering illness of many months, borne with exemplary patience and resignation, he was called to rest. Though his voice is silent here his influence is living and potent with us still, for he left a shining example of zeal and consecration to God in the work of the ministry, that will continue to be a reminder and inspiration. Long will his sick-bed messages to his brethren be cherished in loving remembrance: "It is a great privilege to be permitted to preach the Gospel of Christ." "Preach with all your might." We sincerely mourn his death, and deeply sympathize with Mrs. McMillan and family in their bereavement. It is ours to bow submissively to our Father's will, and prayerfully commend them to His paternal guidance and care.—W. G. HANNA, Convener of Committee.

#### PRESBYTERY MEETINGS.

The Presbytery of Sarnia met recently in St. Andrew's church. Rev. Mr. Lochhead Moderator, in the chair. The Rev. Mr. Livingstone, formerly in charge of the Methodist church at Point Edward, was then received as a member of the Presbyterian church. A call was brought up from Burns church and Moore Line to Mr. Livingstone. This was sustained, and the induction fixed for the 8th July. The standing committees were appointed for the ensuing year, and other routine business transacted. In the evening a public meeting was held in the Albert St. church, addressed by Revs. Graham, Cuthbertson and Jordan.

At a meeting of Halifax Presbytery recently Rev. D. M. Gordon, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, was unanimously nominated for the vacant professorship in the Presbyterian college. The nomination will go to the Synod of the Maritime Provinces, along with nominations from other Presbyteries, and appointment will be made by the Synod, subject to formal ratification by the General Assembly. And it will be remembered that about two years ago Mr. Gordon was offered a professorship in the Presbyterian college at Montreal, which he declined. Those who are best acquainted with Mr. Gordon consider that he is well qualified for the vacant professorship for which he has been nominated by Halifax Presbytery.

The Presbytery of Peterborough met in St. Andrew's church on Tuesday, 3rd inst. Rev. J. K. Smith, D.D., Moderator, presiding. A call was considered from Millbrook to Mr. Wm. Johnson, of Knox College, a licentiate, which he had accepted, and it was arranged that his ordination and induction take place at Millbrook on Tuesday, July 17th. Provision was made for removing the debt on the new Harvey church. Rev. Mr. Hamilton, of Toronto, having declined a call to Lakefield, the congregation was given permission to make another call. A committee was appointed in reference to the reconstruction of the stations in the field formerly occupied by Rev. Mr. Bennett and Mr. Ewing, Springfield and Omecece respectively, to take action and report to Presbytery.

The Presbytery of Ottawa met on Tuesday the 3rd July, in Montebello and in the French Church there ordained Mr. Joseph A. Savigneux to the office of the holy ministry. The Rev. P. S. Vernier, of L'Ange Gardien, presided and ordained. The Rev. E. F. Seylay, of St. Marc's Church, Ottawa, preached from the text Romans i. 16. The Rev. Dr. Armstrong, of Ottawa, suitably addressed the newly ordained missionary, and the Rev. C. A. Dondiet, of Buckingham, the congregation. The little church was full, as quite a number of friends from Ottawa, E. Templeton, Buckingham, Cumberland and Rockland went to the service. Besides the above members of Presbytery, who took an active part in the service, there were present Messrs. Dr. Campbell, R. Whillans, R. Gamble, J. H. Beatt and J. J. Byrnes. The captain of the steamer "Empress" took the party, at excursion rates, to Montebello and back.—JAS. H. BEATT, Presbytery clerk.

Presbytery of Lindsay met at Glenora, on Tuesday, June 26th. There was a small attendance of members. Rev. D. McDonald was appointed Moderator pro tem. Rev. R. Johnston, B.A., B.D., of St. Andrew's Church, Lindsay, was appointed Moderator for the ensuing year. The clerk read an extract minute from the Synod of Toronto and Kingston transferring the mission field of Haliburton and Minden from the Presbytery of Peterborough to that of Lindsay. Its name was placed on the roll and the missionary in charge invited to a seat in the court. A minute was passed on the death of the late lamented Rev. John McMillan and ordered

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##### MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. James Robinson, on Wednesday evening, 13th June, by the Rev. James Hastie, Mr. Wm. H. Davis, M.A., of Queen's, to Miss Lena MacPhee, only daughter of the late John MacPhee, Esq., Merchant, all of Cornwall.

to be engrossed in the records of Presbytery, and a copy forwarded to Mrs. McMillan. By request Mr. W. G. Hanna was appointed Moderator of the vacant sessions of Wick and Greenbank with instructions to preach the pulpits vacant on the second Sabbath of July. The session was empowered to secure its own supply for the first two months of each quarter beginning the first of July, giving the last month of the quarter to the committee on Distribution of Probationers.—P. A. McLEOD, Presbytery clerk.

The Presbytery of Toronto held a short session on Tuesday, July 3rd, at which the most important business was the reception of three ministers from the United Presbyterian Church of Scotland. Two of these presented Colonial Commissions, viz.: Revs. W. W. Hardie, M.A., and J. Lindsay Robertson, B.D. and were cordially welcome by the Moderator. Rev. John Muir, M.A., was received on the recommendation of the General Assembly, and after answering the customary questions was received and welcomed. The committee appointed to confer with Rath St. congregation presented an interim report and asked to be continued. A committee was appointed to strike Standing Committees for the coming year. A permanent Roll of the Sessions in the Presbytery, prepared by taxing the Roll of Presbytery submitted to the first General Assembly, and adding to this the congregations in the Presbytery subsequently formed, in the order of their formation, was submitted and adopted. It is intended to use this Roll as the one from which Sessions shall annually choose their representative to the General Assembly. It was intimated that copies of the new book of praise would be given to members of the Presbytery for examination, and the clerk was instructed to forward a copy to all members who had not already received one. The congregation of Ruth St. was granted leave to renew the mortgage on their church property. An extract from the records of the Presbytery of Stratford stated that the translation of Mr. Morrison, called to be pastor of East Church, had been granted. It was accordingly agreed to meet on Thursday, the 19th day of July, at 7:30 p.m., in East Church, Toronto, for the induction of Mr. Morrison and the transaction of other necessary business. At the induction, the Moderator was appointed to preside, Mr. W. C. Clark to preach, Dr. Charnichael to address the minister and Mr. J. McP. Scott to address the people. It was agreed to hold no August meeting of Presbytery, but to transact any necessary business at the meeting to be held in East Church, on Thursday the 19th inst.—R. C. TIBB, clerk.

#### THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

MR. EDITOR,—The managers of the Children's Aid Society desire to say to the public, that they have resolved to discontinue the Fresh Air excursions, partly because they have failed to send in that permanent benefit which the society aims at, partly because in too many instances they only meant so many more excursions to children, who, besides enjoying these in connection with Sunday and Mission schools, have parents who are quite able to treat them to an occasional outing. The children's Protection Act now opens up so wide a sphere for rendering permanent benefit to neglected children that the society wishes to give its undivided attention to work of this kind.

A new shelter has been secured in what was formerly the St. James' Rectory. This has been partially fitted up at a considerable expense, and the increased facilities which it affords will be utilized to the fullest extent.

It is earnestly desired that the kind friends of neglected children who have formerly contributed to the Fresh Air Fund, will send in their contributions in aid of the general work, or if preferred, in aid of the furnishing of the shelter. Address, A. M. Campbell, Treasurer C. A. S., Room 25, Confederation Life Building.

The many friends who have already responded to our appeal, will kindly accept our thanks. I. E. Starr, Secretary. J. K. MacDonald, President.

The Cleveland Convention opens July 11th (Wednesday) and continues in session until the evening of the 15th. Low rates have been obtained on all railways. Both C. P. R. and G. T. R. will issue return tickets from all stations at one single first-class fare for double journey. No certificates are necessary. In addition to this a special rate from Toronto of \$5 for return trip has been obtained via Niagara navigation steamers to Lewiston thence by N. Y. C. and H. R. R. to Buffalo; from that point by boat to Cleveland (Buffalo & Cleveland Line). A \$3 rate has been secured from London and delegates may travel from Sarnia to Cleveland and back for the same price. Time limit of tickets is from July 9th to 31st. A circular giving full information may be obtained by writing the secretary, 70 Madison Ave., Toronto.

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