

## CONFERENCE HILL PAVILION.

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THE deep interest Miss Dick had in the Holy Scriptures, and the truths of the Second Coming of Christ, and the present office of the Holy Spirit—led her to invite the “Believers’ Meeting for Bible Study” to hold their session in July, 1883, within the grounds of the “Queen’s Royal Hotel.”

Beneath a tent pitched in the Hotel Park, just at the mouth of Niagara River, at the point of its junction with Lake Ontario, some five hundred Christians assembled that year to study the Word, and to enjoy most delightful fellowship in things pertaining to the coming Kingdom. The quietness and peace of this beautiful elevation above the outspread waters of the Lake—the kindness and courtesy of the proprietors of the grounds and of the people of the village of Niagara, near by, made a profound impression on those who gathered that year. The question arose as to the possible permanence of the situation. Miss Dick, as proprietress of the grounds, offered, in conjunction with Messrs. McGaw & Winnett, the lessees of the property, to erect a suitable and commodious pavilion for future use. And when, after a year or two, it was found too contracted for the numbers who desired to attend, with her usual noble-heartedness she proposed, in connection with the lessees, to enlarge the building; and so from year to year large numbers have gathered to defend the truths of the Bible, and to learn more and more of their power. At these meetings no one was more constant in attendance, more rapt in attention than Miss Dick. Each year she was more and more interested in the continuance and success of the meeting. She