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all believe that a true mother in Israel has gone to her eternal rest in Heaven. The family she has left, the church to which she belonged and the community in which she lived, feel deeply their loss; but they have the blessed life she lived to comfort them. When we think of her noble christian character, her peaceful death, and her incorruptible inheritance in the bright world above, we are constrained to say, "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord."

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Union Baptist Seminary.

Having consented to suspend my Home Mission work for a month or two, to assist in placing the N. B. Union Baptist Seminary on a satisfactory financial basis, a plan was at once organized for a simultaneous effort that would cover the whole Province in the course of the month of August.

It was also recommended that a more careful classification of the monies received during the year should be given in the finance agent's report, which should also include all monies raised for any benevolent purpose by the churches, and that an auditor be appointed to audit the accounts of the finance agent.

It was felt that the present plan of doing our denominational work was not the best, and the committee recommended that the whole question of a better plan be referred to a conference of the various boards, to report at our next Convention. All their recommendations were adopted by the Convention.

The recommendation that a finance agent be appointed this year led to a long and free discussion. There was much plain speaking. There was a little warmth; but in the main, a good spirit. It was finally decided by a majority of two or three, to appoint an agent, and Dr. Day was continued. It was early Wednesday morning, and after some routine business, the Convention adjourned to meet at Wolfville at the usual time, next year.

THE WEEK.

The British government having proclaimed the Lead League, Gladstone moved a resolution censuring the action. There was a long debate in which many of the leaders took part. Balfour read from documents of crimes committed in Ireland, but refused, point blank, to lay them on the table of the house for general inspection. At the voting, it was found that about 200 members were not in their place, many of them shirking the division. Nine of the Unionists present voted with Gladstone. The vote stood 278 to 194, a majority for the government of 75, or 32 less than it was at the beginning of the session. Chamberlain voted against the government. He has withdrawn from the Unionists and declared himself an independent Liberal. The fact that the country has declared itself so decisively against the Unionists gives the government greater power over them. They know the overthrow of Salisbury and a new election means their own political annihilation, and they are not inclined to bring on the crisis. The government holds them in hand by a threat of dissolution of parliament. This state of things cannot long continue. It is doubtful, however, whether the government will use the power it has in its hands to attempt to suppress the League. It is evident that there is less crime in Ireland to suppress than for years, and that the objects of the League are political rather than criminal.

The rebels in Afghanistan have been scattered by the troops of the Amer, and now comes the rumor that Ayoub Khan has escaped from his confinement in Persia, and is hastening toward his old country to stir up new rebellions. Prince Ferdinand is showing a great deal of pluck since accepting the Bulgarian throne. He does not seem inclined to say "by your leave," to any of the great powers. He is supposed to have the support of England, Austria, Italy, and perhaps, Germany, while France and Russia are opposed. It becomes more and more apparent that Russia will be no great aid to France. The arrangement of the Afghan frontier difficulty with Great Britain shows that she will support her own interest, and care little for anyone else. The death of Kaitoff, the editor of the Moscow Gazette, a man who has often exercised a controlling influence over the Czar himself, will be against the policy of a very close alliance with France.

It is admitted that the American fishermen have done comparatively nothing this year as they did last, while the Canadian fishermen have done fairly well. This shows the Canadian fisheries to be of great value, and may be one reason why the American government are not disposed to come to terms. There is great excitement in Manitoba. The government of the province is determined the people shall not be at the mercy of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and have begun a branch line to connect with the railway system of the United States. The C. P. R. have begun a spur line to intercept this line, and have issued an injunction prohibiting the construction of the new road across this line and the land which has been purchased to build it upon. This will throw the final action back upon the Canadian government. The Manitoba case is generally aroused, and there may be serious trouble, if the Dominion government side with the C. P. R. and attempt to enforce their ruling.

The sugar refiners have combined and have raised on the price of sugar a long way. The cotton manufacturers are said to be about to do the same. If this goes on very far it will do more to prejudice the whole protection system in the eyes of the people than almost anything else. Send to Baptist Book Room for Bibles for Sunday school 122 cents and 25 cents each; Little Gift Bibles 30 cents; 40 cents, 50 cents, 75 cents and \$1.10 each; large print for old people 75 cents. Look at this! T. S. Bibles \$2.00 per 100 copies. During the pastor's absence, attending Convention, send for a Bible, Revised Version, new gilt edge, 22 1/2 x 14 1/2 inches. Bible, teacher's edition, Oxford, \$2.50. \$3.50. \$5.00 and \$7.00 kind in red and silk covers. Now is the time to get suited.

proceed to comply with their request. After listening to a sermon by Pastor Bishop, text, Ps. 48:13, the council adjourned to meet again at 7 p. m. At the appointed hour, the council met again and listened to a sermon by Pastor Rowe, text, Matt. 16:18. The church having selected as deacons Francis Hines and William Uppin, the pastors present proceeded to their ordination. Thus the little church was successfully launched, receiving at the unanimous voice of the church, the significant name "Little Hope." The membership is fourteen, with a good prospect of further additions in the near future. The small number of churches represented on the council is explained by the difficulty of access. The church will have a pastor for a portion of the time. Truly this was a happy time for the hitherto neglected brethren of Fisherman's Harbor, and may it be the beginning of better days. A charge to the church was given by Pastor Bishop; a charge to the deacons by Pastor Rowe. O. C. GIFFIN, Clerk.

Religious Intelligence.

NEWS FROM THE CHURCHES.

ROCKLAND, C. Co., Aug. 22.—Since writing last, we have visited the baptismal waters on four occasions, all on the Coldstream. Twenty-four in all have been baptized since our meetings began. Yesterday was a blessed day with us, after listening to a very earnest and warm-hearted sermon by Bro. Young, we gave the hand of fellowship to five candidates, and proceeded to administer the Lord's Supper to a large number of communicants—it being the first time with many of them. The Spirit of the living God was evidently present. Bro. Young, who has been laid aside by a severe cold upon his lungs for a few weeks, is now able to resume work, having spent the last two Sabbaths with us in the work. We are now about leaving this field, having labored here since the beginning of our ministry, nine years ago. We expect (D. V.) to remove to Springfield, Kings Co., N. B., next month, having accepted a call from the first and second Springfield Churches, O. may the great Shepherd lead some of his ambassadors to care for this section of our country in his earnest prayer. A. H. HAYWARD.

BRIDGEWATER, Lun. Co., N. S., Aug. 16.—I gave the right hand of fellowship to two recently, and another has been received by letter. Expect to baptize soon. Our prayer meetings of late, have been very interesting. The pastors have united in sending a request to Mr. Meikle, (Evangelist) and we are hoping to have him with his tent early in September. Pray for us, that a great outpouring of saving mercy may be in store for this spiritually thirsty town. C. B. B. DOOR.

St. MARTIN'S.—Last night was the last meeting of the series. Bro. Philip was with us; the house was packed; the presence of the Lord was surely there. Nine other happy converts are now received for baptism, and more than thirty rose for prayer. The nine weeks spent with the dear brethren at St. Martin's have been by God's blessing a blessing in labor and result. I preached sixty-four times and held seventeen other meetings; made three hundred and thirty family visits, in one hundred and eighty different homes; about one hundred souls, either by rising or speaking, avowed a desire to be saved; thirty-one of them have been baptized; about as many more are saved and seeking for light on the path of duty, and the rest are seeking for Jesus. Let them all have an interest in your prayers, dear reader. Aug. 27. D. G. M.

MIDDLE SACKVILLE, Halifax Co.—On the second Sabbath in August, I baptized two Women professing faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. May the time soon come when Her in the place will follow their Lord in his appointed way. J. W. JOHNSON.

PERSONALS.

Bro. Walter Bates wishes his friends to take notice that his address is changed from Victoria, B. C., and is now 10 George street, Rochester, N. Y.

Dr. Bill preached a sermon on Baptist Union to a large congregation in the Carlton Baptist church on Sabbath evening last.

Bro. Joshua T. Eston has received and accepted a hearty and unanimous call to the pastorate of the Lawrenston and Valley West church. The church are to be congratulated on securing the services of one of our wisest and best men. May abundant blessing attend our brother's pastorate.

Bro. D. W. Simpson has received a unanimous call to the pastorate of the Hantsport church. He hopes he may consider it favorably. Bro. S. has been in the West since he began his work in the ministry. We hope he may be inclined to decide to remain and help on the work in his native land. He is a kind of man we need very much.

NOTICES.

The Auxiliary H. M. Board of Hants Co., meets with the New Ross and Waterville churches, at Waterville, Tuesday, Sept. 6, at 10-30 a. m. J. W. BROWN, Secy.

Falmouth, Aug. 24. The next annual meeting of the Baptist Sabbath School Convention of the Central Association of N. S. will be held in the First Baptist church, Halifax, on Thursday, Sept. 2nd, at 11 a. m. The usual forms for returns have been sent to the schools, and each is earnestly requested to have them completed and returned to the secretary, Kentville, by 15th Sept. Schools not receiving forms by 10th Sept., will be supplied by applying to the secretary. The usual reduced fare on the W. and A. Railway will be given those attending the Convention. S. S. STRANGE, Secretary.

The Nova Scotia Eastern Association will be held at Little River Cumberland Co., N. S., on Friday, the 19th, at 10 o'clock a. m. It will be necessary for all the delegates who intend coming by rail to be at Oxford station on Thursday, when they will be there on the arrival of both trains to convey the delegates and ministers to the scene of the Association. COM. OF ARRANGEMENT. Ministers and delegates purposing to attend the N. S. Eastern Association, to be held at Little River, Cumberland Co., on the 19th

of September, will please send in their names to the undersigned by the 1st of September, so that arrangements for their entertainment may be made in time. Oxford. T. M. MURDO.

FURTHER NOTICE to the Ministers and Delegates to the N. S. Eastern Association. Reduced fares have been provided for on the L. C. R. and Parraboo line; that is, delegates, by paying one full first class fare on going to the association, will be returned free, by complying with further arrangements. COM. OF TRAVELLING.

Denominational Meetings for 1887.

N. S. AFRICAN.—Rev. A. W. Jordan, Moderator; P. E. McKerrrow, Clerk meets at Halifax on the first Saturday in Sept'r. N. S. EASTERN.—Rev. Joseph Murray, Moderator; Rev. T. B. Layton, Secretary, meets at Little River on the second Friday in September, at 10 a. m.

Marriages.

HINES-FENTON.—At the residence of the bride's father, Aug. 10th, by Rev. Truman Bishop, Mr. Robert Hines, and Miss Mary Fenton, all of County Harbor. PROSSER-DORSON.—At Coverdale, on the 21st of August, by the Rev. J. E. Fillmore, Mr. Truman P. Prosser, of Elgin, and Miss Susan Dorson, of Moncton.

TOOD-GRANT.—At Marshmore cottage, St. Mary, Aug. 23rd, by the Rev. B. N. Hughes, Mr. Elias Todd, of the city of Fredericton, and Miss Julia Grant, of Douglas, all of York Co.

LEARY-MILLER.—At the residence of the bride's father, Aug. 5th, by Rev. J. L. M. Young, Capt. C. F. Leary, Sandy Cove, N. S., to Miss Clara M. Miller of Bear River, N. S. BLACKBURN-WALLACE.—August 5th, by Rev. J. L. M. Young, Miss Adelaide Blackadder of Turburok, N. S.

MCGREGOR-SNOW.—At the residence of the bride's mother, Annapolis, N. S., Aug. 23rd, by Rev. J. L. M. Young, W. L. McGregor, Toronto, Ont., to Miss Adelaide A. Snow, daughter of the late P. C. Snow, Esq.

MILLER-KENNEDY.—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Newcastle Bridge, Queens Co., on the 20th inst., by Rev. W. P. Anderson, James D. Miller, Esq., to Miss Sadie Kennedy.

BOWEN-GRAY.—At the residence of the bride, Windsor Plains, Aug. 24, by Rev. J. W. Johnson, Mr. John W. Bowen, to Mrs. A. Gray, both of Windsor Plains, Hants Co. N. S.

Deaths.

BLADE.—At Cox Settlement, Charlotte Co., N. B., July 27, Mrs. Margaret Blade, aged 59. Her life was one of simple trust in Jesus. Others took knowledge of her, that she had been with Jesus.

FOEHLAY.—At Litchfield, Ohio, U. S. A., Aug. 23rd, Charles Herbert, aged 2 years, youngest son of Rev. M. W. and Inez A. Foehlay.

CANNING.—On Aug. 19th, after a painful illness of only a few hours, Mary, wife of John Canning of Port Graville, Cumberland Co., N. S. Our young sister was widely esteemed, and was exerting a noble influence. We thought she could not be spared, but the one who has taken her to himself knows best. May the great Comforter console the mourning husband, parents and friends. I. W. F.

TRICE.—Miss D. J. Trice, who died July 15th, after an illness of a few days, was a faithful and devoted member of the Brussels street Baptist church. While quite a child she was the subject of religious impressions. During the ministry of Rev. A. B. McDonald in Hampton, her convictions were deepened, and God displayed himself to her as a sin-pardoning God, and bade her rejoice in a crucified Saviour. Some years intervened before she had confidence to make a public profession of religion. She was baptized by her pastor, Rev. Dr. Hopper. Only a short time before she was taken ill, I was conversing with her upon her hope in Christ. Her reply was, "I am not a faithful Christian, but I am ready to go, when Christ wants me." For years she experienced many bodily afflictions, but I trust they were blessings in disguise. She is now with Him who has conquered death, and whose presence fills the soul with joy. S. J. BLAKELEY.

DODGE.—At Hantsport, N. S., John Dodge, formerly of Middleton, departed this life in the 74th year of his age, leaving a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. He was, for many years, a faithful and consistent member of the Baptist church, always present at the social meetings, and ever ready, when possible, to respond to the call of duty. He was a kind father, a devoted husband, a true citizen, and his neighbors are unanimous in saying that a good man has gone to his reward.

MARSHALL.—At Middleton, N. S., Aug. 6th, Margaret M., beloved wife of Dr. Thomas Marshall, aged 50 years. She leaves a large family, and many friends and relatives to mourn their loss. She was for 59 years a member of the Baptist church, and passed away with a firm trust in Jesus. While the mourning ones she has left behind feel deeply their bereavement, they cannot but be comforted with the hope of meeting their loved one in the blessed world beyond, where their meeting will never be saddened by the thought of parting.

CHERRILL.—At Amherst, N. S., Aug. 22, Mary E. Cherrill, relict of the late Robt. Cherrill, aged 72 years, a member of the First Church, Amherst, for 37 years. She leaves one son (Stewart Dixon of Boston), and one daughter (Mrs. W. M. Robb of St. John), and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. In the absence of Rev. D. A. Steele, the funeral was attended by Rev. C. Corey and Mr. C. M. McLeod by Rev. D. McGregory, Presbyterians.

BAYLEY.—At Newcomb, Grand Lake on Friday 26th inst., A. L. Bayley, Esq. in the 47th year of his age. Deceased has been a consistent member of the Baptist church for many years, beloved by all who knew him. He leaves a wife and one child, besides a large circle of relatives and friends. Our loss is his gain. C. W.

HARDING.—At Pine Grove, Wilnot, N. S., on the 19th inst., aged 76 years, Sarah Bayard, widow of the late E. F. Harding, M. D., and daughter of the late Col. S. V. Bayard. Sister Harding was baptized into the Christian faith by Rev. J. H. Robbins, and was adorned her protection by a genuine christian life. She always had a word of encouragement for struggling christians, especially for the young; and