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## District Meeting.

The District Meeting of Guysboro Co., Antigonish and Port Hawkesbury convened with the Goldboro church, May 20th, 2.30 p. m., Pastor E. Quick of Guysboro in the chair. After singing "To the Work" prayer was offered by Bro. J. Whitney, (lic). The reports from the Sunday Schools showed many encouraging features in connection with this part of our work in the district. A. C. Berrie, (lic), presented the report on the state of the denomination in which he said much good work was being done in many of our churches, but deplored the want of consecration in others. Several spoke to the report showing their interest in the work of the denomination by calling for Christian consistency in all our churches. The reports from the churches which were given by the Chairman and delegates present were mostly encouraging. Some fields were reported pastorless, a condition of things which seems to be growing more prevalent in these parts. A. C. Berrie and Rev. E. Quick were appointed a committee to arrange for place and programme of next district meeting. Deacon Nichols having invited the Guysboro West District Association to meet in September with the Goshen church, Brothers Nichols, Atherton and the Secretary were elected a committee to arrange the programme of meeting. After the appointment of a committee to draft a resolution asking all the churches in the district to send their pastors to the quarterly meetings, the session closed with prayer by the pastor. In the evening at 7.30, A. C. Berrie preached a sermon from the words "One thing thou lackest," which was followed by a testimony meeting led by the Chairman. May 21st, 9.30 began a soul-refreshing devotional service led by Dea. S. R. Giffin. The meeting then resumed the business of the day. Addresses were given on Home and Foreign Missions. The subject of temperance was taken up by Bro. J. Whitney, who spoke of the evils of strong drink considered according to physical, moral and spiritual law. Session closed with prayer.

At 2 o'clock, p. m., there was a short business session. The report (of the committee appointed to draft a resolution asking the churches in the district to send their pastors) was read and adopted. The W. M. A. S. work of the Goldboro church was then reported by Sister Mrs. W. McMillan. Next on the programme was Church Discipline. The subject was opened by the secretary and spoken to by a number of others. In the evening we went over to the Isaac's Harbor church, where Pastor Quick preached from the words "It is finished." The collection amounted to \$4.80.

O. P. BROWN, Sec'y.-Treas.  
May 26th.

## Another Successful Acadia Boy.

The following is copied from the "Manilla Times" of April 2, 1902: "Contract Surgeon James B. Pascoe has been promoted to Captain and Assistant Surgeon of the Army."

J. B. Pascoe is one of the graduates of the class of '90. He studied medicine in New York and at the opening of the Philippians war was given an appointment as one of the surgeons. He has made a creditable record for himself as the above shows. He is the son of Rev. Joseph Pascoe, retired Methodist minister, living at Pettitville, N. A. MACNEILL.

## Personal.

Professor Cecil C. Jones, of the department of Physics and Mathematics, Acadia, has received from his Alma Mater, the University of New Brunswick, the degree of Ph. D. in course.

The many friends of Dr. E. M. Saunders will be glad to hear from him this week through the letter "From Halifax," and will hope for his complete and speedy recovery from the painful and disabling disease from which he has been suffering.

## LITERARY NOTES.

The issue of The Outlook for June 7th is the Thirtieth Annual Recreation Number. The leading features are "Hunting Big Game with the Camera," by A. G. Wallihan; "When You Meet a Bear," by W. J. Long; "Mountain Climbing," by Charles E. Fay; "Camping for Women," by Martha Coman; "Lost in the Woods," by George Kennan; "Behind the Guns," by James Barnes; "The Salmon Leap," (a beautiful picture illustrating a passage from Isaac Walton); and "Winning a Y," by Walter Camp. There are also Dr. Hale's "Memories," an illustrated article on Jane Austen's Home, a good story, and interesting, timely portraits. The number is richly illustrated with drawings by Charles S. Chapman, Philip R. Goodwin, Henry Sandham, J. Conacher, and F. C. Gordon; and photographs by A. G. Wallihan, J. Horace McFarland, and others.

The June number of the Homiletic Review completes volume 43 of that standard publication. It is full of interesting material from the opening article by Professor Sayce to the ample index of the volume at the close. The Oxford professor brings "Freshest Light from Egypt"; Dr. D. J. Burrell treats appreciatively of "Talmage the Preacher," and Dr. Meredith of Boston, of "John Wesley as a Preacher for the Present Time"; Professor Wilkinson tells of "Our Continuing Need of Paul," and Dr. Pick completes "Life of Jesus Literature in the Nineteenth Century."

## Notices.

## Quarterly Meeting.

Carleton, Victoria and Madawaska Quarterly Meeting, will convene with Good's Corner Church, the 2nd Tuesday of June, (10th), at 2.30 p. m. We expect a good session. Will all the churches bring an offering. Rev. J. A. Cahill will preach Quarterly sermon.

R. W. DREMMING, Sec'y.-Treas.

## Quarterly Meeting.

The Picton and Colchester Quarterly, will convene, D. V. with the church at New Annan, on Monday and Tuesday, June 16th and 17th. The introductory sermon will, it is expected, be preached by Rev. Mr. Lawson, of Bass River, on the first evening at 7.30. An interesting program is being prepared, and it is hoped that a large number of pastors and other delegates from the churches will be in attendance, so that with the divine blessing, this gathering may be made very helpful to the new Annan church and its esteemed

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## Southern Association.

The Southern Association will meet with the Tabernacle Baptist church in St. John on the 5th of July. Will all the churches please be prompt in sending in their letters to J. F. Black, Fairville.

A. T. DYKEMAN, Moderator.

## N. S. Western Association.

The fifty-second annual meeting of the N. S. Western Association will meet at Port Maitland, Yarmouth county, on Saturday, June 21 at 10 o'clock, a. m.

W. L. ARCHIBALD, Clerk of Asso.

Intending delegates to the N. S. Western Association are requested to forward their names to either of the undersigned before June 15 that arrangements for their entertainment may be duly made. Also state on what day coming, and whether by private conveyance or by train to Ohio station where coaches will be in waiting to convey you to place of meeting.

W. J. RUTLEDGE, Pastor.

H. P. CROSBY, Clerk.

Port Maitland, N. S., May 30.

## P. E. I. Association.

Will the churches, sending representatives to the P. E. I. Baptist Association, (meeting with the Charlottetown church, June 27 to July 1), kindly forward the names of their delegates to the undersigned, not later than June 23, in order that entertainment may be provided.

Delegates can obtain return tickets from any station on the P. E. I. Railway to Charlottetown by payment of one first class fare and presentation of certificate, signed by the clerk of the Association. Tickets good for return up to and on Wednesday, July 2nd.

A. W. STERN, for Committee.

## The N. S. Central Association.

The Central Association of N. S., will convene with the Bridgewater church, June 27th, at 10 o'clock, a. m. To meet for business Friday morning will give delegates an opportunity to take the early train Monday, a. m.

May 20. H. B. SMITH, Sec'y.

## N. S. Central Association.

This Association meets at 9.30 a. m., on Friday, June 27th, 1902, at Bridgewater. All delegates are requested to forward their names to the undersigned not later than Wednesday, June 18, 1902, so that arrangements may be made for their entertainment. Please state date of arrival and probable conveyance.

HENRY T. ROSS, Sec'y. Com. Entertainment.

Bridgewater, N. S., May 24, 1902.

Delegates to the Central Association, to be held at Bridgewater, N. S., June 27-29 who purchase single tickets and secure certificates at starting point, will be returned free over the lines of the Dominion Atlantic and Central Railways.

The Midland Railway will return delegates for one and one-third fare. Steamer Bridgewater will issue a return ticket to delegates for one fare. If 20 or more tickets are sold, Steamer Bridgewater will sail from Halifax, calling at Chester, on Thursday, June 26th, instead of Wednesday, the 25th of June, as usual.

Tickets for this trip may be had of Geo. A. McDonald, 120 Granville St., Halifax, and of Rev. R. O. Morse, Chester.

C. R. FREEMAN.

Chairman of Com. of Arrangements.

## N. B. Southern Association.

To the Churches of the N. B. Southern Association.

BRETHREN:—As no invitation was extended by any church, to the Southern Association, at its last session, to meet with them this year, the undersigned would be glad to hear from any church that is prepared to entertain the said Association at its annual gathering, commencing July 5th.

Signed, A. T. DYKEMAN, Moderator.

J. F. BLACK, Secretary.

Fairville, N. B.

## P. E. Island Association.

The 35th annual meeting of the P. E. Island Baptist Association will be held with the Charlottetown church, commencing on Friday, 27th June, at 10 o'clock, a. m. All church letters to be sent to Rev. J. C. Spurr, Pownall, ten days before the date of meeting.

ARTHUR SIMPSON, Secretary.

Bay View, 17th May.

## N. B. Western Association.

The New Brunswick Western Baptist Association will convene (D. V.) with the Rockland Baptist church, Carleton county, on Friday 2.30 p. m., June 27th. We hope to see a large delegation from the churches.

C. N. BARTON, Clerk.

Debec Junction, May 8th.

The Queens County, N. B., Quarterly Meeting will convene with the Upper Jemseg Baptist church, beginning on Friday evening, June the 13th, at 7.30 and continuing through Saturday and the Sabbath.

J. COOMBS, Sec'y.

May 15th, 1902.

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Dated this twenty-second day of May, A. D. 1902.

ROBERT R. RITCHIE,

Sheriff of the city and County of St. John.

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## Notice to Churches and Pastors.

At our last Home Mission Board Meeting, April 14th, after filling applications and supplying vacant mission fields as best we could, we found that we had the names of several worthy young brethren left on our list, who desire to work for the Master. Now if any of our churches would like the services of one of these brethren or any of our over-worked pastors would like an assistant for the summer vacation, please apply at once to the Board. Our young brothers want to work for the Master and they want the temporal remuneration. Such work brings to help them in obtaining their education. Let the churches and pastors come to their assistance.

M. W. BROWN, Rec. Sec'y.

Pleasant Valley, Yar. Co., N. S.

At the Home Mission Board meeting convened in Yarmouth Sept. 10, a provisional committee of the Board was appointed, to take charge of the work hitherto carried on by Bro. Cohoon, until such time as his successor could be obtained or a permanent satisfactory disposition of his work be arranged. Correspondence upon all Home Mission questions should be addressed to me during this provisional arrangement. Any correspondence forwarded to me, will be immediately submitted to the members of the committee.

W. F. PARKER, Sec'y. Prov. Com.

Yarmouth, P. O. Box 495.  
P. S.—I would like it to be understood that I have nothing whatever to do with the finances of Home Missions. Do not send any money to me, but to A. Cohoon, Wolfville, N. S. who is still Treasurer of Denominational Funds for Nova Scotia, and he will see that the Home Mission portion reaches our Treasurer in due time. This will save trouble and prevent mistakes.

W. F. P.