

An Explanation.

In the issue of the MESSANGER AND VISITOR of last week there is a very kind communication from Mr. Herbert C. Creed, which, however, needs an explanation which may serve to banish the misapprehension contained in his last sentence. The facts in the matter are just these. In 1894 the Maritime Convention appointed a committee of twelve to arrange with the N. B. Convention for the carrying on of home missions in New Brunswick; and, inasmuch as the N. B. Convention could not legally allow that committee to vote with them on the transaction of their business, the committee felt that representation without franchise was no privilege, therefore they declined to meet with the Board of Directors of the N. B. Convention. So united action between the two parties proved a failure. But to the credit of the Maritime committee it should be said that they never sought to say to the N. B. Convention, but allowed the most of the funds that came to them to remain unused until the meeting of the Maritime Convention in St. John, in August, 1895, when the committee, of which Bro. Creed speaks, was appointed, half of them being members of the Board of Directors of the N. B. Convention, and inasmuch as these brethren were already qualified by joining in with the other half of that committee and organizing another Home Mission Board to do such work in this Province, and virtually take away from the N. B. Convention the work for which it was already organized to do, it was therefore thought best by the N. B. Convention at its meeting in Harvey to appoint all the brethren of the committee who were not on the Board of Directors, to be members of that Board, so they could legally vote on all the business which should be done by said Board, and thus secure united action between the committee and the Board of Directors, which has been most harmoniously accomplished. So far the committee and directors transact the business as if there was but one body. It is true, that Bro. Creed declined to have his name put on the Board of Directors, but as others of that committee had signified their willingness to act on the Board, he was appointed, it was thought best to appoint them all, and give an opportunity for all to take up the work harmoniously, and if any of them should decline to act they could send in their resignation to the Board. Some of them verbally accepted their appointment, others said they did not see their way clear as yet to do so, but are acting with the Board as committee men; none have officially resigned, not even Bro. Creed. And if his other duties would admit of his attendance with us I think he would be pleased with the spirit and action of our doings. All are striving to promote harmony of action, and to do the most good with the limited means at our disposal. As no resignations had been sent in to any of our regular meetings before the Minutes of Year Book, as it is called, were printed, the names of all the directors as appointed were allowed to stand. The committee appointed to superintend the printing of them had no authority to drop any of them. I am very sorry that Bro. Creed feels aggrieved at the appearance of his name in the place where it is found in our year book. It appears in good company, but can be dropped next year if he so determines and directs. He had a perfect right to make the statement he has, except the last sentence, which is a pardonable one under the circumstances. But I have felt it needful to make this explanation to the why and wherefore of the matter.

J. H. ROBERTS.

Queensbury Parish S. S. Convention.

The Queensbury Parish S. S. Convention, held in the Upper Queensbury Baptist church, 11th week in a meeting, was a success; though somewhat disappointed at not meeting our Field Secretary, Rev. A. Lucas, who we expected to be with us.

The programme was well arranged and carried out in detail. President H. N. Clark opened the convention with a hearty greeting to all present, and called upon Pastor Jenkins to lead the devotional exercises. The report of schools was very encouraging. May the time speedily come when the church of God will wake up to the importance of Sunday school work.

The evening session opened with a short service of praise and prayer, led by Rev. E. C. Jenkins. Mr. Wm. Clark followed with an address, "Should S. S. be overgrown," which must have been most helpful to many. Dea. D. C. Barent outlined the "essential qualifications of a Good Superintendent," his hints, suggestions and experience will doubtless bear much fruit. Dea. H. H. Smith then gave a most interesting and delightful talk on "Should teachers visit their scholars." Our brother's health is gradually declining, but the simplicity of his address touched the hearts of all the

NOTICE!

Pastors, Agents, and all others accustomed to collect and forward subscriptions to the MESSANGER AND VISITOR are cordially requested to "call in line" at the beginning of the year. Renewals and new subscriptions should now be the order of the day. Revised mailing lists will be forwarded to all who desire the same. The Business Manager is ready to furnish blank receipts, envelopes, and all necessary information. He would esteem it a favor if agents would write at once stating their needs and naming districts they are accustomed to look after and for which they desire lists. Kindly bear in mind that he is not yet as familiar with his field as his worthy predecessor.

audience. Much benefit was derived from the reading of the lesson by our president, H. N. Clark. "The essential characteristics of a teacher," was the topic of a very interesting address by Rev. E. C. Jenkins. He defined the many qualifications a teacher should have. The subject will not soon be forgotten by the teachers present. An invitation was received from the Baptist S. S. at Newackville to hold the next convention there. The invitation was accepted. The convention was then brought to a close by singing "God be with you till we meet again." The delegates departed for their homes well pleased and satisfied in all respects with the success of the convention.

ALICE PARKER, Secy.
Upper Queensbury, Dec. 23.

Quarterly Meeting
The Carleton, Victoria and Madawaska Counties Quarterly Meeting, convened with the Albert street Baptist church, on Friday evening, Dec. 20th. Preaching, by Rev. H. D. Worden, social service followed. Business meeting Saturday morning. The next Quarterly Meeting was appointed to be held with the Baptist church, Bristol, the second Tuesday in March, instead of the third Friday. This change was made in order to allow the pastors to be with their respective churches on the Sabbath. Rev. J. H. McDonald was appointed to preach the first sermon, Rev. J. A. Cahill to preach the second, and Rev. J. C. Blaney the third. The Quarterly Meeting, Rev. J. H. McDonald, was appointed to prepare a paper to be read at the next meeting, on "The Best Method of Conducting a Social Service." Rev. J. W. S. Young was appointed to prepare a paper, or deliver an address, on the "Best Method of Conducting our Quarterly Meetings." The Rev. Thos. Todd was appointed to prepare an outline of sermon for criticism. Very interesting reports from a number of the churches were presented by the pastors. A very unanimous resolution passed expressing our confidence in, and sympathy with, our two general home missionaries, brethren Young and Irvine. On Saturday p. m. a very interesting conference was held in the evening; Rev. C. Currie preached an excellent missionary sermon. A well prepared paper was read by Mrs. Watson, of Harland, addresses by brethren Irvin and Young. On Sunday morning Quarterly sermon was preached by the writer; service p. m. in behalf of the young people, addresses by Rev. A. H. Hayward, Currie and Young. Rev. J. A. Cahill preached in the evening, a thoroughly practical discourse, touching many points of vital importance.

The collection for Home and Foreign Missions \$13.53.
THOS. TODD,
Secy.-Treas.

Foreign Missions.

It will be interesting to the many friends of our work to learn from Rev. H. N. Sanford how he is getting along in his voyage to India. From a letter just to hand under date of Dec. 21st, he says: "Our ship carrying the weekly mails for Egypt, India and nearly all the countries of the East is now beginning the second half of the third day from Brindisi and probably will reach Port Said at two or three o'clock tomorrow morning. I hope to mail this for you at that place. Had a note partly written in London, but my stay there was a very short one and very busy. Did not continue much on twenty-four hours. Arrived Friday evening 12th and left Saturday evening 13th, by the overland express to Brindisi, the last opportunity to catch the mail steamer for that week. Forty-eight hours were spent in crossing from London to Brindisi. Thus far all has seemed to go well. I hope that some good degree of success may attend our efforts on the field. We will look upon the Lord in whom we are trusting. When He shall have sufficiently tried the faith of His people then He will bring them forth into a wealthy place."

By this time Bro. Sanford is doubtless in India and is exchanging greetings with his brother missionaries. May the desire of his heart be abundantly realized.
J. W. MANNING.

Week of Prayer Topics.

Monday, Jan. 6.—"Humiliation and Thanksgiving." Tuesday, Jan. 7.—"The Church Universal." Prayer for the Church of Christ, and that the Rationalism and Superstition now so prevalent may be arrested.—Eph. iii. 14-19; 1 Cor. xii. 12-13.—"Nations and their Rulers." Thanksgiving for the special blessings enjoyed by the Church of Christ during the last half century.—Ps. xcv. 1-7. Prayer for Rulers and for those who manage and administer the law.—1 Tim. iii. 1-4. For Subjects, that they seek the advancement of temperance and purity; special prayer on behalf of all who are suffering for Christ's sake; that righteousness may be promoted in all lands.—Titus iii. 1; Rom. xii. 7; 2 Peter i. 5-6; Rom. xii. 10-15; Isa. ii. 2-4.

Thursday, Jan. 9.—"Foreign Missions." Praise to God for the increasing recognition of obligation in this matter; for readiness to obey the call of the Holy Ghost; for the fidelity of some even unto death; for many tokens of the Divine blessing.—Rom. vii. 9-17. Prayer for the Messengers of the Gospel; for the power and guidance of the Holy Spirit; and for increased liberality and sympathy among the Home Churches.—John iii. 6-8.

Friday, Jan. 10.—"Foreign Missions." Praise for missions; all Christian Evangelists, all Missionaries, Bible Colporteurs, and for Missions among Soldiers and Sailors.—Matt. xxiii. 9-13. Special Prayer for God's Ancient Israel.—Rom. xi. 4-8 and 25-27.

Saturday, Jan. 11.—"Families and Schools." Praise for the blessings of family life, and for the young who have given their hearts to the Lord.—3 Tim. ii. 1-2. Prayer for Sunday Schools; for Christian Associations of young people; for Schools, Colleges, and Universities.—Gen. xviii. 19; 2 Tim. iii. 14-17.

Sunday, Jan. 12.—"Sermons." Let him who holds of my life and vitality be afflicted. In this lies the great secret of the popularity of Parmenter's Vegetable Pills.

DENOMINATIONAL NEWS.

Churches and individuals contributing to the work of the denomination should send their contributions to the Treasurer of the denomination, Rev. A. C. Johnson, Wolfeville, N. B., is treasurer of Maritime Convention, and Rev. J. H. McDonald, St. John, N. B., is treasurer of Maritime Convention, under New Brunswick and P. E. Island. J. A. Titus Esq., St. Martin's is treasurer of the funds of the N. B. Convention.

Grimon, N. B.—Three were baptized here last Sunday, namely: Sherwood Yorsa, Walter MacFarlane and Bessie Cole. We are continuing the meetings this week, but the pastor was taken with a very severe attack of a gripe and has been unable to attend. The meetings being conducted very successfully by the church.

Jan. 2.
Lower GRANVILLE, N. S.—On Sunday morning the 29th Dec., at Lower Granville, N. S., in obedience to our blessed Lord, we baptized two more happy converts, namely: James and Mary Massels, a young man and young woman, brother and sister, and still the work goes on. All praise be to the Lord.
J. A. PORTER.

WILMOT, N. S.—On the evening of Monday, December 30th, the good people of Claremont met their pastor, Mr. William Bishop's, and presented him with a handsome donation in cash, groceries, and other useful articles. The Claremont people have given us many expressions of friendship and good-will during our five years work among them and have our heart felt thanks. This is probably the last week brother Dimock will be with us in the meetings at Paradise. The Holy Spirit works with us. Twice since we have visited the baptismal waters, there to bury with their Lord, May Gesner, Lemuel Nahsen, Miss Gail, and Owen Coveat. We hope and pray that more may come next Sabbath. The prospects are as great as the promises of God.

Jan. 2
H. B. KIMBY.
WALTON, HANTS CO., N. S.—The Baptists of this place, after thoroughly renovating and beautifying their house of worship, held very interesting services there on Sabbath, Dec. 21st. Pastor Rees, of Newport, preached in the morning from 1 Tim. 3: 15, an able and solemn discourse. The dedicatory hymn was composed by our former beloved pastor, Rev. G. Wethers, who, also, preached in the afternoon to a large and appreciative audience. The congregation that braved the severe storm of the evening were well repaid in listening to an excellent and much needed sermon on "Words," by Rev. A. Boyd, (Presbyterian), followed by earnest and stirring remarks on the same subject by Rev. G. Wethers, G. F. Mitchell (Methodist), and our own pastor, Rev. F. E. Simpson. It was a day long to be remembered in Walton. The Hon. Dr. Parker, of Halifax, has presented us with a valuable communion set in memory of his late father and mother, who were faithful members of this church, until they joined the church triumphant. His father, the late Francis Parker, Esq., was our first deacon, and largely to his liberality do we owe the spacious and thoroughly built house of worship that we all well remember. We need now the Holy Spirit that each heart in our church may be a temple for his holy indwelling.

DENOMINATIONAL FUNDS.

NEW BRUNSWICK.
From Dec. 1st to Dec. 31st.
E. C. Jenkins (F. M. \$70, Gr. Lig. \$5.70) —\$11.40. Hopewell church, Lower Cape Cod, N. S. \$5.25; Hillsboro (F. M. \$3, W. M. \$7.50) —\$10.75. Fredericton, N. S. \$200; Second Kingsdale B. Y. P. M. \$4; Sackville, N. S. \$25.50. Total, \$256.74. Before reported, \$687.71. Total to Dec. 31st, \$944.45.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

North River, D. W. \$10; Springfield church, N. S. \$10; P. M. \$10; Summerville church, D. W. \$12; East Point church, D. W. \$2; Min. Conf. D. W. \$5; Mrs. John E. Robertson, N. W. M. \$1—88. Charlottetown \$25.50. Total before reported \$105.56. To Dec. 31st, \$1,050.11.

Total N. B. and P. E. \$1,119.01.
J. W. MANNING,
Treas. N. B. & P. E. I.
St. John, Jan. 1, 1896.

Money Contributed for Baptist Book Room.

Hebron—Mrs. G. R. Doty \$1, J. Patten \$1, Miss L. A. Patten \$1.50, Mrs. J. H. Cross \$1, M. Harris \$1, Mrs. Capt. J. Patten \$1, Mrs. Capt. Wyman \$1, Capt. J. Patten \$1, Mrs. J. A. Harris \$1, Mrs. G. Crosby \$2, Mrs. B. Haines \$1, Rev. J. W. Tingley \$1, a friend \$1, J. J. Phillips \$1, other amounts \$5. Cherokeegon—G. Churchill \$1, W. Corning \$1, collection \$2.25, W. H. Williams \$1, J. A. Harris \$1, Argyle \$1, Yarmouth—Rev. J. H. Fosbury \$1, Mrs. A. Lovett \$1, J. Huestis \$1, A. C. Robins \$1, Mrs. J. Lovett \$1, H. P. Allen \$1, Mrs. S. Hillson \$1, H. E. Haley \$1, G. P. Allen \$2, Prof. J. H. Morse \$1, Sabbath supply at Temple church, \$10. Aradale—Capt. Cook \$1, N. Courter \$1, a friend \$25, R. G. Rogers \$1, A. C. Shaw \$1.50, Mrs. A. Perry \$1. Tusket—E. Simonson \$1, Mrs. J. Hatfield \$1, Mrs. W. Haley \$1, W. J. Leut \$1, Hatfield \$1. Argyle—Mrs. J. Hobbs \$2, J. Hobbs \$1, A. Nickerson \$1, Mrs. J. H. McLaren \$5, other amounts \$5. East Pubnico—Collection \$2. Mrs. A. Hines \$1, Mrs. N. Worthen \$1, Mrs. J. Nelson \$1, Mrs. R. Larkin \$1, Miss R. Dolph \$1, Capt. Morley \$2, other am'ts \$4.80. Forbes' Point—Mrs. J. Forbes \$1, other amounts \$7.62. Woods Harbor—Rev. C. McLean \$1, B. Brannan \$1, Mrs. A. C. Homer \$1, N. Crowell \$1, other sums \$1.30. Barrington—Mrs. S. Malone \$1, J. F. Larkin \$1, Mrs. S. Haskins \$1, other sums \$4.20. Lockeport—E. O. Locke \$5, J. Locke \$1, Miss I. Locke \$1, W. McMillan \$1, A. Locke \$1, C. B. Locke \$1, S. Locke \$1, S. Harlow \$5.60.

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Rebrought forward \$ 20 15
Treas. of Conference, N. S. 1895 25 00
Treas. of Conference, N. B. 1895 100 00
Special Donations 288 31
Total \$ 353 46
Estate Rebecca M. Eaton \$ 100 00
Miss May Smith, 500 00
Estate J. H. Rogers 100 00
Jesse Oakley 200 00 900 00
Interest 200 00 300 17
Total \$ 1,200 17
\$309 31

EXPENDITURE.

General purposes of Missions \$4,016 00
Salaries of Missionaries 2,932 75
B. Sanford's acct. travel to India 351 00
Bonds for money borrowed 800 00
Home expenses, including interest to Dr. Bradshaw 344 18
Total \$ 8,444 74
Deficit last year 9,577 16
Total \$ 18,021 90

Hal. Dec. Treas. Dec. 31st, '95. \$3,097 65
Jan. 1st, 1896. J. W. MANNING, Sec.-Treas.

Special Donations to Foreign Missions.

From Nov. 1st to Dec. 31st.
B. Y. P. M., Tanook, \$7.00; Woodstock church, Mr. Sanford's exp. \$10.24; Warren Hayward, \$2; Mrs. A. Bentley, for Mr. Sanford's expenses, \$1; Samuel Pearson, for Mr. Sanford's exp., \$10; Rev. R. B. Ward, \$2; George Young \$5; Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Miller, for Mr. Sanford's exp., \$2; Mrs. Wm. Haley \$5; Alfred E. Worden \$5; Rev. G. W. Schurman \$5; Pulpit supply, Sec. Treas. \$50. Total, \$142.25. Before reported, \$146.02. Total to Dec. 31st, \$288 31.

Thank you, brothers and sisters, one and all. Your offerings are timely and are fully appreciated by the F. M. B. We have entered upon a New Year. The news from the foreign field is encouraging. Bro. Higgins has baptized three at Kimedy, and Bro. Churchill two at Bobbitt. Two more have been received at Kimedy and rich blessings are coming to the Bimilpham and Chocole fields. A spirit of inquiry is over the whole field. Oh, for more laborers. Who is saying, "Here am I, send me." Continue your help. The reaping time surely coming.
J. W. MANNING, Sec.-Treas.

NOTICES.

The P. E. Island Baptist Association having requested its secretary to procure a complete set of its published minutes, any person having copies on hand are requested to forward them to the undersigned at Bay View post office.

ARTHUR SIMMONS, Secy.

The Cumberland County Ministerial Conference will convene with the River Hebert church on the 21st inst., at 7 o'clock p. m. We earnestly desire the presence of all our ministerial brethren, and as many others as can make it convenient to be present. H. B. SMITH, Springfield, Jan. 1, 1896.

The Annapolis County Conference of Baptist Churches will meet at Torbrook on Monday, Jan. 13th, 1896, at 7 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing a new pastor, and also for the purpose of discussing the proposed direction of pastor Brown. The place of worship has been recently changed and beautified. Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, prayer service; at 10 a. m., annual meeting of officers, reports of churches, and general business until noon; 2 p. m., Revivals, discussed by pastor Kinley; the church as a moral force, discussed by pastor White; the economic value of christianity, discussed by pastor Lorne, at 7 p. m. B. Y. P. M. Rally, which is sure to be enthusiastic and helpful. J. T. EATON, Secy., Clementsport, Dec. 25, 1895.

WANTED.—1. All the Minutes of the New Brunswick Association, from 1821 to 1847, except the years 1841, '42, '43 and '44. 2. Minutes of the Eastern N. B. Association for 1850. 3. Any copies of the Eastern, Western and Southern N. B. Associations that have been published since 1887 apart from the Year Book. 4. "Baptist Missionary Magazine of N. S. and N. B." for Jan. & April of July 1827 and April 1829. 5. Reports of the Canadian Baptist Telugu Mission previous to 1882. 6. Any pamphlets containing histories of Baptist Churches or Associations in the Maritime Provinces. The stamps necessary for transmission will be forwarded if names and addresses of senders are given. Address
Rev. A. C. CHUTE, Halifax, N. S.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.

We desire to make grateful mention of our Homelife, Mrs. and Port Morion friends, for the many kindnesses shown us since our coming to this field. We would particularly thank them for the donation of useful household articles and cash—in all, twenty-five dollars worth—on Monday evening, Dec. 22nd. May the great giver of every good and perfect gift ever bless them, and bountifully increase their store.
E. A. McPHERSON.

Homeville, N. S., Dec. 31, '95.

A very sad accident occurred at a crossing of the D. & A. Railway about a mile and a half eastward of the Aylesford station. A carriage in which were two young men, named Austin E. Loomer and George Bentley, both of Sheffield's Mills, was struck by the west bound express, and both young men were instantly killed. The engineer in charge of the train says the usual signals were given in approaching the crossing and that when the danger of collision was seen the engine was reversed and the brakes applied without avail. The deceased are spoken of very highly as young men of excellent character.

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THE TRIBUNE, New York.

Comptroller Fish, of New York was out at lunch the other day when a small boy came into his office and left for him an envelope. In this, when he opened it, he found \$1,500 conscience money, a new \$1,000 bill and a new \$500 bill, with a note which said: "Taxes justly due the city."

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