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LESSEN LABOR AND BRING COMFORT.

8. Why did Jacob leave home? Describe his experiences at Bethel.

Seniors and Teachers.—1. "And God said, Let us make man in our image after our likeness." Explain this clearly.

2. Explain, "For as in Adam all die even so in Christ shall all be made alive."

3. Why was the sacrifice of Abel more acceptable than that of Cain?

4. What is a covenant? Give the chief points of those made with Adam, Noah and Abram.

5. What was God's purpose in calling Abram and separating him and his descendants from the rest of mankind?

6. "By faith Abraham, when he was tried, offered up Isaac." Explain each of the three parts of this sentence.

7. What were the advantages of birthright, and how did Esau despise his?

8. What covenant was renewed at Bethel and how did Jacob promise to show his thankfulness for it?

DEPARTMENT V—TEACHER—TRAINING.

Text-book: Morrison's Handbook, chaps. i-vi.
1. State the qualifications, both natural and acquired, of the ideal Sabbath school teacher.

2. What is meant by a "Principle of education?" State, with reasons, what you consider the three most important principles to be kept in mind by the S. S. teacher.

3. State what you know about the mental laws and processes in the act of remembering.

4. State the laws of the association of ideas, and show by illustrations how these laws should be utilized in the Sabbath school.

5. You wish to have your pupils commit a chapter, or a part of a chapter in the New Testament, state fully how you would train them to do it.

6. Give clearly and fully the meaning of Analysis and Synthesis. "In teaching a given lesson both the analytic and synthetic methods should be used." Select a subject and teach it so as to illustrate this quotation.

PRESBYTERY MEETINGS.

The Presbytery of Huron met in Clinton on the 5th of May. Mr. Musgrave submitted a tabulated statement of the financial returns of congregations for the past year, showing the average contributions per family of all the congregations within the bounds. The statement was ordered to be printed

for distribution among our people. A call from the congregation of Union Church, Brucefield, to Rev. A. Stewart, B.A., of Clinton, was sustained. The call was unanimous, stipend promised \$1000 with a manse, and a month's vacation. An adjourned meeting of Presbytery was appointed to be held in Clinton on the 22nd inst., to dispose of the call, etc. At the adjourned meeting, after due consideration of the whole case, the translation of Mr. Stewart was not granted by the Presbytery. A. M. L.

The Presbytery of Guelph met in St. Andrew's church, Guelph, on the 15th May, Rev Dr. Jackson, of Knox church, Galt, Moderator *pro tempore*. Gratification was expressed at the return of Dr. Middlemiss, who has been absent in Britain about a year. A report was made of what has been done in the case of the Rev. James Donaldson since last meeting, which was approved, and, according to its recommendation, it was resolved to memorialize the Assembly in his behalf, and to ask the co-operation of the London Presbytery in doing so. Mr. Glassford was appointed to support the memorial on the floor of the Assembly. Mr. McNair was appointed Moderator of Session at Hawkesville and Linwood, from and after the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Armstrong, to take effect on the last Sabbath of June next.

The Presbytery of Barrie met at Elmvalle on Tuesday, 15th May, for the induction of Rev. W. K. McCulloch, late of Hallville, to the charge of Elmvalle and Knox church, Flos. There was a large congregation present, including Rev. Messrs. Watson of the Episcopal church, and Jones, of the Methodist. Mr. McLeod presided. The services were impressive and profitable. In the evening the congregation held a tea-meeting which was well attended. The instrumental band of the village contributed to the pleasurable character of the occasion. The choir of the Elmvalle church, led by Mr. Malcolm, sang at intervals during the evening in the Agricultural Hall, where the people were met for further entertainment after tea, and addresses were delivered by members of the Presbytery, congratulating the pastor and the congregation on the settlement made after a long vacancy—ROBT. MOODIE, Clerk.

The Presbytery met at Wingham, May 15th, 1894. Mr. Forest, Moderator *pro tempore*. The resignation of Mr. Davidson, of Wroxeter, was accepted. The Presbytery, while expressing regret that a connection which has been so fruitful of good results in the past, should be broken, accepted the resignation of Mr. Davidson of the pastorate of Wroxeter congregation. Rev. A. Stevenson was appointed to declare the charge vacant on the 27th inst. Mr. Ross was appointed interim Moderator of Session of Wroxeter congregation. Resolution from the congregations of Duogannon and Port Albert, intimating that the charge as become self-supporting, was read. The Presbytery expressed gratification at the advance made. Rev. Mr. Law tendered his resignation of the charge of Belgrave congregation. An adjourned meeting of Presbytery will be held at Belgrave, on Monday, 28th instant, at 9 a.m., to consider the resignation and for the transaction of any other competent business.

A *pro re nata* meeting of Regina Presbytery was held in Knox Church, Regina, on the 8th inst. A call was read, from St. Andrew's Church, Victoria, in favor of W. L. Clay, and with all other necessary papers was laid on the table. Mr. McKee and Dr. Robertson were heard in support of the call and R. K. Thompson (elder) was heard for Moose Jaw congregation. The call was placed in Mr. Clay's hands who declared his desire to accept it and asked the Presbytery to grant the translation, which it did. Mr. Clay severs his connection with Moose Jaw congregation the last Sabbath of May. Mr. McKee was appointed to preach and declare the pulpit vacant on the first Sabbath of June and to act as Moderator of Session during the vacancy. Mr. Harry Donnell, of Buffalo, Lakefield, was appointed assessor with Moose Jaw Session. Mr. Hoffstrand was engaged for six months to do mission work among the Swedish colonists at Stockholm, New Denmark and Fleming. All missionaries were requested to report arrears of salary actually due them, to Mr. Carmichael, not later than May 25th. A letter from Wapella was read asking the Presbytery to take up services there as early as possible. Dr. Robertson and Mr. Muirhead were appointed to attend to this. Mr. Muirhead, Whitewood, was appointed clerk in the place of Mr. Clay. Mr. Campbell, Wolseley, was appointed treasurer of Presbytery.

J. W. MUIRHEAD, B.A., Clerk.

The Presbytery of Winnipeg met on the 5th inst., in Manitoba College; in the absence of Rev. Mr. Omand, of Keewatin, the Moderator, the Rev. R. G. MacBeth was chosen Moderator *pro tem*. There were read communications from the Presbytery of Rock Lake, from P. R. Young, St. Andrew's in regard to the minister's salary at that place; from Rev. A. Macfarlane, of Dugald, as to securing contributions for the schemes of the church and from Rev. Jas. Farquharson, on behalf of the Synod's Home Mission Committee, in the matter of the grant to the Springfield congregation, and proposing a further grant to meet the increased needs for missionary work in the Rainy River district. The grant to Springfield had coupled with it the request that the Presbytery takes steps to readjust the stations in the locality. In reference to this readjustment it was moved and seconded by Rev. C. B. Pitblado and Prof. Hart that the matter be referred to the Home Mission Committee with the powers of a commission to confer with the stations interested, and report at the next meeting of Presbytery. It was moved in amendment by Revs. Prof. Baird and Jos. Hogg that the missions from Prairie Grete on the south to Bird's Hill on the north be cited to appear for their interests at the next meeting of Presbytery, in view of the proposed readjustment of the fields. After some discussion the motion was carried. Revs. Pitblado and Omand

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

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BIRTHS.

At the manse, Cardinal, May 24th inst., the wife of Rev. G. Macarthur, of a daughter.

At 22 Selby St., Toronto, May 15th, the wife of the Rev. Louis H. Jordan, B.D., of a son.

At 15 Balmuto street, Toronto, on the 20th inst., the wife of Alfred G. Rogers of a daughter.

At the Presbyterian Manse, Dalhousie Mills, Ont., on May 20, a daughter to the Rev. and Mrs. A. K. MacLennan.

MARRIAGES.

On May 14th, in Millbank, by the Rev. M. L. Leitch, pastor of Knox church, Stratford, Wm. Hy. Beckford, of Stratford, to Lizzie Fetter, of Wellesley.

At Stratford, on the 24th inst., by the Rev. M. L. Leitch, assisted by the Rev. W. W. Craw, Mr. Sheridan Campbell, of Toronto, to Miss Vas Scott, daughter of the late W. L. Scott.

At the residence of the bride's father, 26 Kensington ave., Toronto, on the 23rd inst., by the Rev. Alex. Gilray, Mr. R. B. Green, of the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Service, to Maggie, youngest daughter of Mr. John Waddell, of the Ontario Civil Service.

DEATHS.

On Wednesday, May 16th, at the manse, Wick, Rev. John McMillan, in his 43rd year.

On May 24th, at his residence, No. 25 Ontario avenue, Hamilton, Wm. Turnbull, late of Turnbull & Co., iron founders, aged 79 years.

and Messrs. C. H. Campbell, D. Sinclair and Prof. Hart resigned their commissions as delegates to the General Assembly. Rev. Prof. Hart was appointed as a minister in place of Rev. C. B. Pitblado; Rev. S. C. Murray, of Port Arthur, was appointed in place of Mr. Omand; and as elders, Messrs. J. G. Forbes, of St. John, N.B., Jas. McAllister, of Moncton, N.B., and Geo. Cunningham, of Halifax, were elected. On motion of Rev. C. B. Pitblado and Dr. Duval, the commissioners from this Presbytery were instructed to extend a cordial invitation to the Assembly to hold the gathering of 1895 in Winnipeg. Rev. Joseph Hogg presented the report on temperance, in which strong grounds were taken in favor of prohibition. The report was received and adopted and ordered to be transmitted to the Committee of the General Assembly on the same subject. Rev. J. A. F. Sutherland presented the annual report on Sunday Schools. The committing to memory of scripture verses was recommended, as it was noticed with regret that this teaching was neglected. It recommended that in every Sunday School a collection be taken up for missionary purposes, not only for the pecuniary return but for the educative effect on the habit of giving on the future of the church.

The Presbytery of Honan met at Hsin Chen, Honan, on Saturday evening, Jan. 13th, 1894, Rev. D. MacGillivray, Moderator, in the chair. Members present:—Revs. J. Goforth, J. F. Smith, M.D., D. MacGillivray, M. MacKenzie and W. H. Grant and W. McClure, M.D. Mr. MacKenzie reported the proceedings of the Shantung Missionary Conference, convened at Ch'ing Chen Fu on November 11th, 1893, to which he was the delegate. On Sabbath evening Rev. D. MacGillivray preached the retiring Moderator's sermon, and all the members of the mission present united in commemorating the Lord's Supper. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday forenoons and afternoons, and Thursday forenoon the Presbytery transacted business, while in the evenings public conferences were held. Station reports were received from Hsin Chen and Ch'u Wang. At Hsin Chen work in the dispensary or street chapel has been kept up steadily, during the summer and autumn. Our enemies were very busy during a large part of the summer slandering us. Messrs. MacGillivray and MacKenzie waited on the mandarin in regard to the matter; hostility was less active in the latter part of the year. The difficulty in producing additional premises still exists. Several visits have been paid to Ho' Tao, where our first converts live. Encouraging signs have appeared at Hsiao Chai, a village 20 miles distant, but it is yet too early to say anything about them. At Ch'u Wang all branches of the work have been carried on without interruption; since last Presbytery meeting additional premises have been rented to meet the increase of in-patients; special attention has been paid to several places where an interest in the gospel has been awakened. At Hsin To'an, a village 15 miles distant, the names of eight men were accepted as enquirers. Several preaching tours have been made, some as far as eighty miles. The medical work has never been so prosperous as during this interval. Arrangements have been made for expending \$200, the gift of the Knox College Alumni Missionary Association, in the purchase of books for distribution among the candidates at the approaching provincial examinations. Diligent enquiry has shown that the only health resorts at present open to Honan missionaries are Chefoo and Japan. It was resolved to print, this year, as was done last, the annual reports of our mission. Upon Mr. MacGillivray's retiring from the Moderator's chair Mr. MacKenzie assumed the honors and duties of

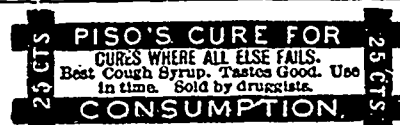
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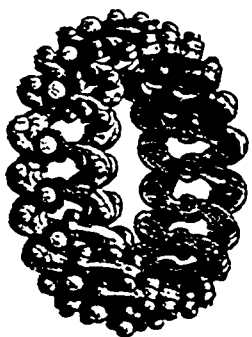


the office. The treasurer's, auditor's, general and personal reports were received and approved for transmission to the Foreign Mission Committee. Rev. D. J. Macdonnell, B.D., of Toronto, was nominated Moderator of the next General Assembly, and Rev. J. H. MacVicar, Judge J. Stevens, of St. Stephen, Charlotte County, and Robert Murray, Esq., of Halifax, were appointed commissioners to the General Assembly. It was agreed to continue the systematic correspondence with the Canadian Presbyterian Record. Owing to the lack of accommodation at Hsin Chen, renewed efforts are to be made to secure additional premises, while at Ch'u Wang efforts are to be continued to plant a mission station in Chang Te Fu. Arrangements were made for meeting Rev. Kenneth McLennan and wife, when they arrive at Tientsin, and escorting them inland. Miss Lucinda Graham, M.D., and W. H. Grant were examined by senior members of the mission and certified as having passed a satisfactory examination on the work prescribed for the first year. It was agreed to form Christian Endeavor Societies in our mission at an early date. It was resolved to establish station classes for instructing natives in the doctrines of Christianity, to be held twice a year. The importance of emphasizing the duty of native Christians to contribute to church purposes was agreed upon. It was deemed inadvisable in the present stage of the mission to establish schools at outlying places. Dr. Smith, feeling that the yearly increasing duties of treasurer of the mission have become too burdensome, resigned the office of treasurer, the appointment of another being referred to the Foreign Mission Committee. Teacher Wang's wife having been examined it was resolved to baptize her at an early date. Dr. McClure, at his own request, was placed in full charge of the evangelistic work among the patients at Ch'u Wang. Evening conferences:—On Monday evening a conference was held held at which the subject, "Woman's Work" was discussed. On Tuesday evening a conference was held, at which the subjects "Day Schools" and "Touring by medical men to regular appointments," were discussed. On Wednesday evening a devotional meeting was held, when Mr. Goforth administered the sacrament of baptism to "Margaret Lucinda," infant daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Smith, and delivered an address on a scriptural topic.—(Sgd.) W. HARVEY GRANT, Pres. Clerk *pro tem*.

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