

Bro. Murray and other friends, but time was pressing, so I had to forego that pleasure for the time.

I have a number of requests from friends on P. E. Island, asking me to attend the annual there, but I will not be able to do so this year, and regret it very much.

I read with a great deal of pleasure the letter from Charlottetown in the last CHRISTIAN. I have always been interested in these brethren; and now that the church is freed from debt they will be able to do more. I understand they are to have a preacher—a Bro. Manifold. I trust he may prove just what they need. I am of the opinion that all the churches on the Island should combine to help build up a strong church in Charlottetown. Success, brethren!

And now about our own annual. Bro. Morrison, as chairman of the programme committee, will give an outline in this month's CHRISTIAN. I will tell you next month just how you will get here from the station, and of course you will be all right when you get here. I would like to have those who are coming send me word, or let the pastors or elders of churches find out about how many are coming from their respective churches, and let me know as soon as convenient. Bro. Hiram Wallace who has been so ill in California, is at present here. Sister Wallace is with him; they have many warm friends in these parts.

When I write again I will be able to tell you about our County meeting, which takes place in Newport, beginning Saturday, July 3rd.

Sister Matilda Stevens, daughter of Bro. Martin Stevens of Newport, was graduated from Acadia College, this month, with honors.

W. H. HARDING

West Gore, Hants County, N. S.

PROGRAMME.

Following is the programme as arranged for the Annual Meeting of the Disciples of Christ of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, to be held at West Gore, Hants County, N. S., September 3rd, 1896:

- THURSDAY, 7 00 P. M.—Service of Welcome led by W. H. Harding.
- 7 30 P. M.—Preaching, H. A. Devoe
- FRIDAY, 9 00 A. M.—Social Meeting.
- 9 30 A. M.—Business Session.
- 1 30 P. M.—A study of the Epistle to the Galatians—Conducted by M. B. Ryan.
- 2 30 P. M.—Women's Missionary Meeting. Collection for Foreign Missions.
- 7 00 P. M.—Social Meeting.
- 7 30 P. M.—Preaching, R. E. Stevens
- SATURDAY, 9 00 A. M.—Social Meeting
- 9 30 A. M.—Business Session.
- 9 30 A. M.—Woman's Business Meeting.
- 11 00 A. M.—A study of the Epistle to the Galatians, continued.
- 2 30 P. M.—Social Meeting.
- 3 00 P. M.—A study of the Epistle to the Galatians, continued.
- 7 00 P. M.—Home Missionary Rally. Collection for Home Missions.
- LORD'S DAY, 9 00 A. M.—Social Meeting.
- 10 00 A. M.—Preaching H. W. Stewart
- 11 00 A. M.—Lord's Supper.
- 2 00 P. M.—Papers and Discussion of same.
- 3 30 P. M.—A Study of the Epistle to the Galatians, continued.
- 7 00 P. M.—Preaching, R. W. Stevenson.
- 8 00 P. M.—Farewell Meeting.

Both the Intercolonial Railway and the Dominion Atlantic Railway have granted a single fare rate, provided ten or more persons travel by either road.

Delegates on buying a first-class ticket will also receive from the ticket agent a standard certificate which will be filled out by the secretary of the meeting; this certificate can be exchanged at railway station for a return ticket free.

If less than ten persons attend by either road, the fare for return tickets will be one-third rate. Further announcements will be made later.

D. A. MORRISON,

Chairman Programme and Rates Committee.

Births.

McEWEN.—On June 18th, to the wife of Mr. Wm. McEwen, Milton, Queen's Co., N. S., a daughter.

Married.

FARRIS-BOYD.—At Leonardville, N. B., June 15th, 1896, by M. B. Ryan, Arthur M. Farris of Eastport, Me., and Miss May E. Boyd, of Leonardville, N. B.

ANNIS-HUNT.—At the residence of the bride's parents, June 10th, Joshua Annis of Dorchester, Mass., to Flora, eldest daughter of Eldrid Hunt of New Grafton, Queen's Co., W. H. Harding officiating.

NORRIS-DALEY.—In St. John, on June 3rd, 1896, by Henry W. Stewart, Andrew Norris to Alice Daley, both of this city.

MASTON-THOMPSON.—In St. John, on June 3rd, 1896, by Henry W. Stewart, Charles E. Maston to Sarah Thompson, both of this city.

RICKETTS-PORFER.—In St. John, on June 3rd, 1896, by Henry W. Stewart, John Ricketts to Bertha A. Porter, both of this city.

KANE-LINTAMAN.—On June 7th, at the home of the father of the bride, by T. H. Blenus, Miss Alice Maud Lintaman to Mr. John Kane, both of Dartmouth, N. S.

Died.

FREEMAN.—Allister Freeman, son of bro. Lodwick Freeman of Maitland, Queen's Co., was drowned on Monday, May 25th, and buried Thursday, 28th. He was a fine young man, 21 years of age, and his sudden death cast a gloom over the whole community. The writer preached at the funeral from the words: "His sun is gone down while it was yet day."—W. H. H.

CARRINGTON.—It becomes our sad duty to chronicle the death of our dear young brother Charlie Carrington who died Lord's day morning, May 24th, aged 22 years. Several months ago he left Halifax, attended by his mother, to test the more genial clime of the Bermudas. The writer had several hopeful letters from him during the winter. Bro. Charlie had been in failing health for some time, but being possessed of an indomitable will power, and hopeful nature, he battled bravely and manfully, though unsuccessfully, against the terrible odds of an incurable disease. Toward the spring, convinced that he was rapidly losing his hold on this life, he had a longing desire to return home and spend his last hours in the midst of loved ones. He was home in Halifax but two weeks when we laid his mortal remains in Camp Hill Cemetery. Our dear young brother's death was a glorious victory for the truth of our most holy faith. He died as he had lived, in the strong hope of a glorious immortality. The brief history of his Christian life is a precious legacy to us. T. H. BLENUS.

KENTY.—On Monday, June 1st, at Elmsdale, we tenderly and tearfully laid to rest dear little Ethel Kenty, the only child of Wilson and Allie Kenty. The Presbyterian church at Elmsdale was crowded with sympathizing friends and neighbors, while the writer attempted to address words of hope and comfort to the stricken ones. T. H. BLENUS.

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