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Money is needed for the churches, and appointed committees of every denomination to sustain and foreign, and all charitable work that is given and the needs of the churches, and the building of the Roman Catholic churches, and the strengthening of the organized church of Rome, and the government of the Bible of conscience and the separation of the Roman Catholic and the Bible of conscience and the separation of the Roman Catholic and the Bible of conscience...

Mahone Bay, Lakeville, Lunenburg, Farmington, New Canada, New Germany, New Cornwall, Bridgewater, Chester Basin, Chester.

Officers for ensuing year were then elected by open vote. President, Bro. G. A. Parker, of Lunenburg, vice-president, Bro. Joseph Ham, of Mahone Bay; secretary and treasurer, J. W. Dimock, of Lunenburg. Resolved that pastors and superintendents be an executive committee.

Reports were then read from the seventeen schools which had sent them in, the remainder of the twenty-five having sent none in. The late secretary stated that he had had considerable difficulty in securing some of the reports, and from some he could get no report at all. It is to be hoped that even at this late date they will fill out their reports and send them to the secretary.

Resolved that the president be empowered to select a committee of three to prepare the questions to be presented to the schools for the next year. Rev. G. P. Raymond, Bro. Pickles and Bro. Bass appointed.

Reports from district visitors were then read or given verbally. Brother Pickles read a very interesting report from the district assigned to him. Bro. Hiram Hennigar gave a verbal report on Western Shore, Beech Hill and Tanook schools, as did Bro. W. R. Bass on New Germany, Foster Settlement, Farmington and New Canada schools; and Bro. G. A. Parker on Lunenburg and Cross Island schools. On motion it was resolved that these reports be received and embodied in the minutes.

Resolved, That the same District Committee act during the following year.

Question was raised as to who are adults in our schools, but not having sufficient time to discuss the question, it was dropped.

At this stage Rev. M. W. Brown was asked to take a seat with this Convention and discuss the questions before the body.

After a lengthy discussion it was resolved that this Convention be non-committal in reference to the Interdenominational Convention of this county. Session closed with prayer by Bro. Ham, to meet again in the evening.

Evening Session opened with devotional exercises. The committee selected in the afternoon brought in their report.

On motion the invitation to the Convention from Foster Settlement school to meet with them the following year was accepted.

A stirring address was then given by Rev. G. P. Raymond, of New Germany, on "The Responsibility of the Church in Reference to S. S. Work," which was ably supported by speeches by Revs. Brown, Colwell and Shaw, and Bro. Ham, Parker and Bass.

Bro. H. T. Ross' paper on "Bible Study in its bearing on character" was read by Rev. Mr. Parry. Bro. Ross being absent.

The question box was then opened and answered by Rev. M. W. Brown, Bro. Bass and Ham.

The following pastors were present: Rev. J. W. Brown, of Bridgewater, Rev. G. P. Raymond, of New Germany, Rev. Mr. Shaw, of Mahone Bay, Rev. Mr. Colwell, of New Canada, Rev. Mr. Parry, of Chester, and Rev. M. W. Brown, of Margaret's Bay, who was invited to a seat.

A vote of thanks was then passed to the friends of Chester Basin for their kindness during the stay of the Convention there.

Convention closed to meet next at Foster Settlement on the third Tuesday in September, 1895.

J. W. DIMOCK, Sec.-treas.

The Yarmouth Co. S. S. Convention.

The Yarmouth Co. Baptist Sunday-school Convention met at Chebogue on the 23rd inst. Officers for the ensuing year were appointed as follows: President, W. R. Doty; Vice-Presidents, Joshua Heustes and Asa Wyman; Secretary, F. H. Beals; Treasurer, Mrs. F. C. Robbins. Executive Committee, Pastor J. H. Foshey, Wm. Corning and W. E. Heustes.

The reports showed a falling off in attendance owing chiefly to the prevalence of scarlet fever.

The secretary presented a method of memorizing Scripture by the Sunday-school. A most interesting discussion followed, showing the importance attached to the subject. It was voted to have 2000 copies of the plan printed in leaflet form for distribution among the schools of the county, and a collection for defraying expenses was taken.

A paper was presented by Pastor J. B. Champion, subject: "The Sunday-school a help or hindrance to home-training, which?" This suggestive paper was followed by a discussion which elicited not only a number of important facts bearing on the relation between the home and the Sunday-school, but also many helpful hints as to methods of teaching in the home.

The question box afforded a variety of queries, which were answered in an instructive manner by Pastors Beattie and King.

The attendance was large. Great credit is due to the entertainment committee for the exemplary way in which they did their work. The next session will be held with the Fort Maitland school. In the evening the county B. Y. P. U. held an inspiring service in which it was shown that the Sunday-school and B. Y. P. U. supplement each other's work.

F. H. BEALS, Sec.

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REV. D. G. LAWSON.

This well known minister was born at Sackville, Halifax Co., Oct. 28, 1822. In his early days he spent one year in the Nova Scotia office with the late Hon. Joseph Howe, for whom he entertained a warm feeling through life. Then taught school for some years, and while teaching in Rawdon, he filled the position of lay reader in the Episcopal church. During his change of views, after a period of great anxiety, he was baptized by the late Rev. Richard McLaren in Dartmouth. This was when about thirty years of age. He soon began to preach, and March 18, 1855, was ordained at Stewiacke. Rev. D. W. C. Dimock, who is still living, being one of the council. In 1857 he removed to Point deBute. He was pastor there and at Amherst Shore, etc., for some years. He then, for reasons which seemed justified to his own conscience, separated from the Baptist Body (though his sentiments remained essentially the same) and for the remainder of his life, ministered to congregations in Cookville, Dorchester Co., Hopewell, Hammonds, etc. Last he resided at Westmorland Point, in a residence very prettily situated, owned by himself; and when at home dispensed the gospel to his neighbors.

For the past year or two his health has gradually failed, and at St. John's Sunday evening, Oct. 7, he literally "fell asleep."

Our dear friend was characterized by a fervid spirit; having a strong desire to save men, and to see being forth the fruits of righteousness. He was ready on all occasions to speak to the people in public and in private, about the one thing needful. It may be said of him, "He knew nothing among you save the Christ, and Him crucified." Of late years, when I knew him, his mind seemed to be always on the one subject. If troubled for a moment about other things he reverted almost instantly to the gospel theme of which his mind was full. Such a man, though distinguished by some peculiarities, must do a vast amount of good—must leave behind him a train of influences which will be helpful to poor sinners for ever.

Mr. L's character was of great importance to him, and he was sensitive about doing or leaving undone anything that would give the world occasion to speak disparagingly of the ministry. He had the "good name," which is to be chosen rather than great riches. Few men have left more friends in the counties where he labored.

Our brother was married to Mary Eliza Moxey, and four sons and a daughter survive them—one daughter having preceded him during the present year. George C., his youngest son is at present pastor of part of his father's late interest in Hammond.

The funeral took place at Amherst, from the residence of his son, B. J. Lawson, and was participated in by Revs. D. A. Steele, H. G. Estabrook, and D. MacGregor (Presbyterian pastor). His body rests in the cemetery, Amherst Highlands. D. A. S.

DENOMINATIONAL NEWS.

ALL monies (except legacies) contributed for denominational work, in S. S., Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Ministerial Aid Fund, Grand Light Mission, Christian Union, Free churches or individuals, etc., in New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, should be sent to the Rev. W. H. Manning, St. John, N. B., and all monies for the same work from Nova Scotia should be sent to the Rev. J. H. Foshey, St. John, N. B. Envelopes for collecting funds for denominational work can be had on application to the above, or to the Baptist Book Room, Halifax.

JEMSEG.—Six persons were baptized at Jemseg last Sunday. Converts in a series of meetings held by Pastor McDonald, assisted by Evangelist Young.

LESTER ST.—A most successful tea meeting was held on Thursday night at the close of which a most interesting musical and literary entertainment was given.

HARVEY.—Rev. F. C. Wright, of Penfield, N. B., has been extended a unanimous call to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Harvey, Albert Co. It is understood he has accepted and will enter upon his duties at once. The home and premises of Mathias Steeves will probably be secured for a parsonage for him.

NEW GLASGOW, N. S.—It was our privilege to baptize two happy converts at the close of the preaching service Sunday morning, Sept. 23. The converts were twin daughters of our esteemed doctor, M. C. Olding. We are praying that the Lord may continue to add to His church such as shall be saved.

EAST POINT, P. E. I.—The Lord is still blessing His people in the place. Last Lord's day we were permitted again to baptize the baptismal waters where three happy young converts were buried with their Lord. Many more are seeking peace and we hope they may soon find it at the foot of the cross. Brethren pray that the Lord of the harvest may be with us. A. C. SHAW, Oct. 10th.

TEMPLE, YARMOUTH, N. S.—Rev. J. H. King, who is supplying for three months, baptizes six candidates on Sabbath evening, Oct. 14th. Union services among the Baptist young people of the town, have been in progress for the last two months, and these new converts are some of the results. Pastor White hopes to take up his work again the first of December. Com.

ONSLow, EAST.—The workers in this field are enlarging their borders. A new house of worship, commenced some years ago at Brookside, is well nigh completed. They hope to open the same on Sunday, Oct. 21, when Pastor Adams will preach in the afternoon at three, and Pastor Owen at seven o'clock. It is hoped that the small debt will be cleared off at the opening. E. O.

LAST RIVER.—After returning from the N. S. Eastern Association we began meetings at Pleasant Hill and continued them for nearly three weeks. The Holy Spirit was with us from the first. Fifteen professions of conversion, and many more were deeply interested. On the 14th John McIntosh, Mrs. McIntosh, John Welsh, Emma McLaughlin and Amos McLaughlin obeyed Christ in baptism. There are more to follow, although many of these dear people are all well attended. It is a real pleasure to labor with these dear children of the Lord, over one hundred of which have become members of the church

FREDERICTON.—Arrangements are made for a recognition service in connection with the coming of Rev. Mr. Freeman, pastor elect, for this Wednesday evening. The MESSENGER and VISITOR extends to our brother a warm welcome to the province and to our capital city, and hopes that as he labors in the past made use of the denominational press, he will not forget that our paper will always be glad to make room for the product of his pen.

FAIRVILLE.—A recognition service was held in the church last Wednesday evening, when a warm welcome was given Rev. Mr. Corey and wife. Dr. Steeves occupied the chair. Rev. Mr. Hickson read the Scriptures and prayed; Rev. Dr. Hopper spoke on requisites for the ministry, and gave Mr. Corey the right hand of church fellowship. Rev. Dr. Carey addressed the church. Both gentlemen were at their best, and instruction, welcome and counsel were happily blended. Rev. Mr. Corey responded and assumed the pastoral charge. After the benediction all were invited to the vestry, where coffee and refreshments were served. Bro. Corey and wife are already settled in the beautiful parsonage, and the prospects for great usefulness are most encouraging.

TRUET.—Permit me to say a few things regarding the fields of Christian work in which the providence of God has placed me. There are nine practical questions in connection with the churches which, of course, afford all the work that one man is able to perform. I think occasionally, especially after preaching three sermons on Lord's day and attending four or five meetings the next week, that two men could do the work better than one, there being enough for two. Our congregations are large and interesting, and all we seem to need is the manifestation of the blessed power of the Holy Ghost. Last Sabbath at Gavelton a large congregation met at the waters of baptism to witness the sacred rite as taught and practised by Christ and His apostles. We expect to repeat our visits to our waterfalls in the near future for a like purpose. To God be all the praise. T. M. MURDO, Oct. 9.

NEWPORT.—Since my last report of September last I have had the pleasure of baptizing into the fellowship of the church two converts, one man and one young woman. On Sabbath, Oct. 7th, we gathered in that beautiful spot where so many hundreds have "put on Christ," and where we also with the dear ones "gone down into the grave," had a pleasant and cold, windy and cloudy, but as we sang the 678th hymn the sun in all its brightness burst forth from the threatening clouds, tingling the leaves of autumn with beauty, and drove the black and stormy clouds away. A beautiful baptism as John Card, Lotan Burgess and Edna Foley followed the Saviour in the way of His commandments. And there are yet others. We ask your prayers, you that know. Wm. W. REES, Oct. 11.

HARVEY, N. B.—I have enjoyed a visit extending over three Sabbaths with the Harvey Baptist church, including short visits to Walsdale, New Horton and Germantown. We had a fine meeting at Harvey, but stormy weather and a somewhat severe attack of lagrippe prevented my accomplishing very much. Still some progress was made. I had the pleasure of presiding at a business meeting of the church on Saturday evening, Oct. 8, when a unanimous and hearty call was extended to Rev. F. C. Wright to become their pastor. I believe he has signified his purpose to accept and to enter upon his duties next Lord's day. Oct. 12, we were treated to a pleasant and important sphere. It may be my duty and privilege to say that the folk at Harvey treated me well financially. Through the kindness of J. M. Stevens, Esq., post master of Harvey, a combination of generous offerings from thoughtful friends was made me on the morning of my departure. May the Lord reward them. Oct. 18. I. WALLACE.

OSBORNE, Shel. Co., N. S.—We cannot report additions by baptism, but we can report advances all along the line of church work. Social services quite well attended and in nearly every respect full of interest. Our S. S.'s are large and the interest manifested in the study of the excellent. Our school at Osborne celebrated "Our Lord's Day" with excellent results. At our last monthly conference we held a "roll-call" of members; some fifty or more responded. As we have a large number of non-resident members, a committee was appointed to correspond with them, and to persuade them to take letters of dismission to unite with churches where they are residing. I believe this to be a step in the right direction. We purpose holding another roll-call in January '95. Our church has purchased a bell weighing 500 lbs. from the Buckeye Company. It is of excellent workmanship and tune, and no doubt will give unbounded satisfaction. A tea meeting was held in Brighton Hall raise means to the fray expenses of bell, and about one hundred dollars was realized. Our church at the head of Lockport Bay is to hold a supper the 25th inst. to raise means for seating the church there. We expect to be in a position to dedicate said church in November. Shelburne Co. Quarterly Meeting convenes with Osborne church Nov. 6th and 7th. May a great blessing be ours to enjoy. Pray for us readers of the MESSENGER AND VISITOR. Com.

GRANDE LAKE, Cumberland Bay, N. B.—Thinking a short report from this field might be appreciated by the readers of our paper, I will contribute the following: Since settling here in May last my time has been broken into by attending denominational gatherings and adding one section of my old field in the erection of a house of worship, which will soon be ready for opening. This field consists of two churches. The first is a regular preaching station, and the three at which I preach occasionally. We have a prayer meeting each night in the week except Saturday, three monthly conference meetings, three preaching services every Sunday, although many of these dear people are all well attended. It is a real pleasure to labor with these dear children of the Lord, over one hundred of which have become members of the church

within the last eight months; and I am happy to say, with very few exceptions, are proving true to their vows. Recently we have held special services at Coal Mines and Coal Creek which have been productive of good results. We have visited the baptismal waters there. Twelve happy believers have been buried in the likeness of Christ's death. Others are looking this way. Following are the names of those received: Misses Gerlie and Amy Beck, Annie Brown, Mrs. Ella Weaver, Mr. Samuel Bick, Mrs. Sarah McLean, Mrs. Regina Northrup, Mrs. Annie Fairweather, Misses Maggie Brown, Blanche Nightengale and Beatrice McLean. To God we give all the praise. Brethren, pray for us. Oct. 17. S. D. EYNSIE.

WOLFVILLE, N. S.—Dr. Higgins is enjoying his annual vacation. His pulpit was supplied on the 14th inst. by Rev. J. A. Gordon, of St. John, and Rev. W. B. Boggs, D. D., who has made Wolfville his residence for the winter. Both sermons were able and interesting. Mr. Gordon preached on "Holding fast the profession." He emphasized the importance of experience—the vital relation of the soul to God—of the profession of the doctrines of Christianity, of co-operation in Christian service. Dr. Boggs took for his subject: "The power of the vision of God"—"Enduring as seeing Him who is invisible." It was a precious, inspiring statement of gospel truth. Mr. Gordon addressed the students of the Institutions in College Hall, in the evening upon the "Great Commission," his lecture being comprehensive, earnest, and effective. Rev. D. P. Brown, Evangelist, held a few services in College Hall and in the church. He gave clear, strong sermons on the nature and importance of spiritual life. The time was unfavorable for direct results in conversions, as the schools were just entering upon their regular work; but the meetings were profitable to those who could attend. The College Y. M. C. A. is taking hold of religious work in an intelligent systematic way. Mr. Gullison, of the senior class, is president. Welcome meetings were held on 15th inst. to receive with Christian greeting the new students of academy and college. The nature of the work of the Association was explained, and the chairman of the various committees appealed for assistance in the several departments. Dr. Sawyer, representing the college, welcomed the new students, and gave excellent advice as to the influence of the Association upon the character of the young men. The students have published a small but valuable hand book giving much information as to the undertakings of the Association. They are to have monthly addresses by prominent men. The list includes M. G. Gibson, Rev. E. Hall, Rev. Prof. Falconer, Presbyterian College, Halifax; Rev. A. C. Chute, Rev. S. McCully Black, D. D., Rev. Prof. Gordon, Halifax.

DEAR EDITOR.—Doubtless some of your readers have been surprised to see in the secular press a charge of larceny against the young and esteemed pastor of the Shelburne group of churches, Bro. D. E. Hatt and his associates. I drop you this card to say, that after an exhaustive examination of the case before the court both were, as everybody expected, honorably acquitted, the stipendiary stating: "In this case I have not the slightest doubt of the entire innocence of both the accused." Next week I shall give your readers a full account of the malicious charge, and a glimpse into the character of the party who made it. D. G. MACDONALD, Halifax, Oct. 17, '94.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT. On Tuesday evening, Oct. 9th, the friends of the Kingsclear church called. We bid them welcome and to our surprise find a donation party with well filled baskets. An inviting supper was served, and an evening spent most pleasantly with music and conversation; but before the party broke up, besides having left some good things in our pantry they presented us with a half dozen handsome rattan chairs and an elegant dinner set. Will the kind friends accept our most heart-felt thanks for these very acceptable gifts. Mrs. O. E. STEEVES, Keswick Ridge, York Co., Oct. 13.

NOTICES. District Meeting, Queens Co., N. S., will be held in Brookline, on Wednesday, Nov. 14th. Afternoon session at 2:30; evening session at 7 o'clock. Important business will be attended to and topics of interest to be discussed. C. B. FREEMAN, Sec'y.

YEAR BOOK, 1894.—Will all Clerks of Associations, Chairmen of Committees and other persons having matter which should go into the year book, please forward the same without delay to Yours truly, B. H. BAXTON, Sec'y of the Year Book Committee, Halifax, N. S.

Friends will please take notice that the next meeting of the Hants County Auxiliary will be held at "Windsor Plains" on Tuesday, Nov. 6th, at 10:30 a. m. In the evening there will be an evangelistic platform meeting, led by Pastor P. S. MacGregor, of Hantsport. All interested are cordially invited to come. F. A. MACEWEN, Sec'y.

The regular monthly meeting of the P. E. I. Baptist Conference will be held at Hantsport church at Montague Bridge on Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 5th and 6th. The first session will be on Monday evening, at 7:30 p. m. All the churches in the association should be represented. Kindly send delegates and let us have a large representation and a profitable session. M. C. HIGGINS, Sec'y.

The next session of the Shelburne County Quarterly Meeting will be held with the church at Osborne. The meetings begin Tuesday evening, Nov. 6th. As very important business must be transacted every church in the county is especially requested to send three delegates to act with the pastor. As a preparation for this important gathering the Osborne church is now having meetings which are filled with the fire of the Holy Spirit. Make any sacrifice to be present. ADDISON F. BROWNIE, Secretary. Wolfville, Oct. 15, 1894.



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In behalf of committee, I. B. OAKES, Wolfville, Oct. 15, 1894.

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