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We understand that Dr. Keirstead of Acadia College is to speak on Wednesday evening of this week in the school room of Germain St. church. The lecture, or talk, will embody some impressions received by the speaker during his recent visit to the old countries. Dr. Keirstead's ability to please, instruct and inspire an audience is well known. Those who have heard him upon his recent travels, say that the lecture is exceedingly rich in its contents and masterly in method. Those who are able to hear him on Wednesday evening will doubtless enjoy a rare treat.

Cape Breton Quarterly Meeting.

The Cape Breton Quarterly Meeting convened with the church at Glace Bay on the evening of Jan. 27th, Rev. R. B. Kinley of the Myra group, being the preacher of that evening. His subject was, The Christian Benediction, as found in II Cor. 13: 14, and according to his custom, gave us a pleasing and helpful discourse. On Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, Bro. Kinley conducted a short devotional service, after which, at the roll-call of the churches, delegates reported from Myra, Homeville, Glace Bay, Bethany church, Sydney and North Sydney. Pastors Young and Vincent not present. Brother Vincent is engaged in special services and Bro. Young at the eleventh hour pleaded an engagement. Reports from the various churches were on the whole favourable, but nothing startling from any, unless it were the statement of the pastor of Bethany that for a period at least, the members of his church had averaged \$97 each for denominational work. Then came the election of officers for 1902:—President, Rev. F. O. Weeks, Secretary, A. J. Archibald.

The afternoon session was given over to the ladies. Miss Lewis, the county president and Miss Harrington, the county secretary were both present and being greeted by a good representation of the ladies of Glace Bay, the meeting was a decided success. Papers by Mrs. Crawley and Mrs. A. J. Archibald, together with encouraging remarks by the county officers and short testimonies made up the programme.

The evening service was to be an evangelistic effort (according to programme) and we were not disappointed. Rev. F. O. Weeks preached a very solemn and powerful sermon on The Sufficiency of Revelation, Luke 16: 31. In the after service a large number took part and we were dismissed, feeling that God and Truth had meant something to us for an hour at least. A. J. ARCHIBALD, Sec.

Meeting of Kings County Conference.

The meeting was held at Aylesford, Jan. 21st, according to appointment. The subject of pastoral work had the right of way. J. L. Read spoke on method in preparation of the sermon, C. H. Day on pastoral visitation, and D. H. Simpson on The pastor as leader in church activities. The addresses were pertinent and practical and elicited interesting discussions. E. O. Read spoke on the Conference Meeting and M. P. Freeman gave a paper on "The Lord's Supper." At the last Conference a plan was formulated for the carrying on of the "20th Century Fund" campaign in the county, Aylesford was chosen as the place of beginning. Pastors Hatch and Hutchins were the leaders and spoke effectively. A fair start was made at the evening service, in the circulation of pledge cards. The work will be carried on in the other sections of the field. We will now be in order for the other churches

to begin. There should be a simultaneous movement over the whole field. A willing pull, a strong pull, and a pull altogether will ensure success. Pastors who need the pledge cards, will please notify the secretary of the Conference and they will be promptly supplied. M. P. FREEMAN, Sec'y.

Testimonial to Rev. H. H. Roach.

At the monthly meeting of the St. John Branch of the Evangelical Alliance on Monday last, Rev. Howard H. Roach presented a report in reference to his work during the recent epidemic of smallpox in the city. The report was of an interesting character, showing that much had been done, in ministering to the physical as well as the spiritual needs of the sufferers. It will be remembered that, with the approval and endorsement of the Alliance, Mr. Roach had undertaken to minister to the spiritual needs of the small pox patients connected with denominations represented in that body. After Mr. Roach had presented his report, a motion suitably expressing the appreciation of the Alliance of Mr. Roach's courageous and self-denying labors was moved, supported by warm and earnest words from Rev. W. O. Raymond, Geo. Steele, J. D. Freeman and Judge Forbes and heartily adopted by the meeting. The President, Dr. Fotheringham, in presenting this vote to Mr. Roach stated that it was accompanied by a check of \$450 contributed by churches connected with the Alliance, besides \$50 contributed by the St. Stephen Presbyterian church, making the whole sum five hundred dollars. It is believed that there may be many who intended to contribute to the Testimonial but were prevented by the severe storm of Sunday from doing so, and it is therefore possible that the sum named above may be considerably augmented.

An agreement binding the various trans-Atlantic lines plying between the United States and England to adopt a uniform freight rate on grain and provisions was signed on Friday by the representatives of the various steamship lines interested. The freight rates are increased on all grain and provisions leaving America for Liverpool and London. The minimum rate on grain is fixed at one and one-half penny per bushel of 60 pounds, and the minimum rate on provisions at 10 shillings per ton of 2,240 pounds, increasing the grain rate 33 1/4 per cent. and the provision rate 18 per cent. No maximum rate has been fixed.

A large party was coasting at Keeseville, N. Y., using a bobbed, holding from ten to twenty, which became unmanageable and ran into a telegraph pole while going at great speed. Wilfred Graves, aged twenty-two years, was almost instantly killed, and his sister, Miss Rachael Graves, and Miss Edith Bulley were crushed so that it is feared they cannot recover.

The first annual report of the department of labor Ottawa, was issued Thursday. In regard to alien labor complaints, 64 were fully investigated, and as a result 52 persons were deported.

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Notices.

The next session of the Annapolis county Conference will meet on Feb. 17th and 18th at Stoney Beach (3 miles below Granville Ferry). Churches are asked for a good delegation. A good programme and large attendance anticipated. The first on Monday at 7 p. m.

W. L. ARCHIBALD, Sec'y.

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. P. G. MODE, Sec'y, Prov. Com.

Yarmouth, P. O. Box 322.
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. P. G. M.

The Quarterly Meeting of the Baptist churches of York and Sunbury counties will convene (D. V.) with the Margerville Baptist church on Feb. 14th-16th. On Lord's Day dedication services will be held at Upper Margerville. The churches will kindly send names of delegates to Bro. H. Harrison, Margerville, on or before Feb. 10th. N. B. ROGERS, Asst. Sec'y.

The provisional programme for the Quarterly Meeting includes sermons by Revs. F. B. Seeley and C. W. Sables, an address by Rev. H. F. Adams and a conference led by Rev. W. D. Manzer. At the dedication services on Sunday Rev. B. H. Thomas of Dorchester is expected to preach in the morning, Rev. J. H. McDonald in the evening and Revs. Geo. Howard and W. R. Robinson and Deacon Spurden to give addresses in the afternoon.

The next session of the Yarmouth Co. Quarterly Meeting will be held with the Hebron church Feb. 17th and 18th. The programme will be announced later.

W. F. PARKER, Sec'y.
In connection with the Quarterly Meeting.

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ing there will be an ordination of deacons of the Hebron church, Monday evening. The sermon will be by Rev. J. H. Saunders, D. D., and Revs. E. J. Grant, P. G. Mode and D. Price will take part in the service. On Tuesday, besides the usual devotional exercises, business, reports, etc., there will be sermons by Revs. M. W. Brown and W. J. Rutledge and a paper on Regeneration by Rev. J. H. Saunders. Every church should send delegates to this meeting.

Quarterly Meeting.

The next session of the Shelburne Co. Baptist Quarterly meeting will be held with the church at Jordan Falls, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 18th and 19th. A good program has been prepared and a large attendance is hoped for. First session Tuesday morning at 10.30.
S. S. POOLE, Sec'y.

Public Notice.

Application will be made to the Legislature of this Province at the next Session for the passage of an Act to authorize James E. Whittaker, Trustee under the Will of Charles Whittaker, deceased, to convey a certain lot of land situate on the South East corner of Dorchester and Carleton streets, in the City of Saint John by way of Mortgage for the purpose of securing the repayment of a loan not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars to be applied in the conversion of the dwelling house on said land into two tenements.
JAMES E. WHITTAKER, Applicant.
January 28th, 1902.