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Will all subscribers sending money to Treasurers, kindly write the INITIALS and names they wrote on their **p**ledges, also the county they live in. This will save much

time. Will all pastors and other persons holding pledges of churches, please send them to the Field Secretary, retaining a list of such for

YORK AND SUNBURY COUNTIES, N. B.

Totek AND SUNBORT COUNTES, N.B. The York and Sunbury Quarterly meeting will meet with the church at the mouth of the Keswick on Friday March 11, at 7 pm. Friday evening, 7.30, Evangelistic sermon speaker, Rev. C. Curie. Saturday evening, Educational Meeting addressed by Rev. J. H. McDonald and others. Pastor McDon-ald's experience in connection with our In-stitutions at Wol ville and his interest in the cause of an education insures to us an earnest and practical treatment of his the cause of an education insures to us an earnest and practical treatment of his sudject.

Let all the churches be represented by their deleg ites. W. B. ROGERS, Sec'y.

Carleton and Victoria Quarterly

The next session of the above named Quarterly will meet with the Albert street Baptist church, Woodschock, N. B., on Tues-day and Wednesday, March 8 and 9. First session Tuesday, 2.30 p m. W. H. Smith, Sec'y.

Temperance.

The date of the Temperance lesson for the present quarter is March 13th. The title of the lesson, "Death of St. John the Paptist," and in it we study from effect to cause; it shows the necessity of starting right, of good

shows the necessity of starting right, of good beginnings. "Temperarce in its broadest, truest sense means the intelligent care and control of the body, with all of its powers, and appetites, and passions that it may be made to serve in the highest degree the purposes of the soul of which it is the seat. The present lesson warns against those bodily passions and in-dulgencies which war against the soul." We again advise any who have not adopt-ed the Temperance department into their Sunday schools to make arrangements to do so on the 13th of March. Any information and supplies can be ob-tained by applying to the parts

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A registered letter, containing three dollars, for the MESSENGER AND VISITOR, came into my hands a few days ago. There was no name to the letter, and no Post office address given. There is a Fox River stamp on the envelope. Will the person who sent that letter, please give me his or her name, and Post Office address. Signed

Signed. A. T. DYKEMAN.

The Year Book.

Mr. Creed in a recent communication to the MESSENGER AND VISITOR refers to his "Editor note" in the Year Book. This note s not fair to us as the printers of this book. We have issued a circular explaining that the proofs were not promptly returned which is the cause of the delay.

Of course we have every regard for Mr. Creed and know his professional duties re-quire considerable time, but surely we should not suffer on that account.

We can publish the Year Book easily in sixty days if the copy is in early and proofs returned promptly even if the proofs are read in Fredericton. The distance there would make little or no difference, as one batch of proofs would follow another and if returned promptly in the same way, we would not get too much type up in the one work and prē swork could follow second proofs and the whole matter run smooth. We would know when to expect proofs and could make our arrrangements accordingly. We should have the proofs back in two days, but did not get them for from six to fourteen days, and in one case nearly three weeks elapsed without the return of any proofs. Had the proofs been promptly returned we could have worked steadily on this job until it was finished, but could not aff rd to 1 eep our compositors waiting for proofs, neither could we afford to set the whole book up in type at

Last year the printing was finished Decem ber 1st, two months earlier than this year, but it took some time to get the books distributed for which we were not responsible as we had nothing to do with that part of the contract This year we were asked to distribute the books and in three days they

were all out. Mr. Creed speaks of the amended form of te which he sent us. We did not wait for it for the following reasons :

The last forms were ready sooner than we expected, and as we had the job hanging on us so long we were glad to start the presses on them ; then, we were not sure Mr. Creed would amend and modify his note.

In conclusion we may say: we feel Mr. Creed did us an injustice in pub'ishing this note. We could do the Year Book just as quick as any printer in the Maritime Provines, but want a fair show

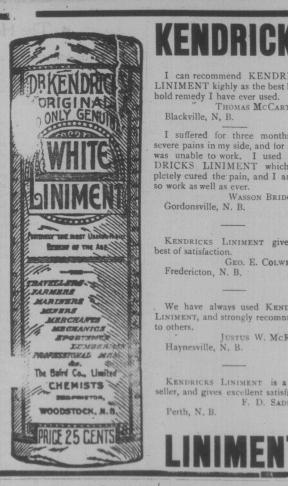
CLAUDE DEL. BLACK, Manager, Black Printing Co., Limited Amherst, N. S. Feb. 25th 1904

Our Late Year Book

MR. EDITORS-In my letter dated, Feb. 12, which you kindly published, I said it might become necessary for me to place before your readers some further statements Since the "note from the publisher," of which he sent me a copy on the 20th inst., does not represent matters in accordance with the facts, and since it has perhaps been sent out to every person in Canada, the United States and England to whom the Year Book goes, it seems right for me to follow the incorrect statements with correc tions. My only resource is in the columns of the Messenger and Visitor

First, however, I wish to say that the publisher has expressed to me in a letter his regret that he did not wait a day later and get my modified form of the "Note from the Editor," and says in extenuation that he must have made a mistake of a day."

In the first few lines of his "Note" the publisher seems to mean that I was especially responsible for not giving the work this year (1903) to him in the first place, instead of asking for tenders elsewhere. But the truth is it was well understood at the Convention in St. John that the printing was to be done elsewhere than at Amherst; and a resolution was passed by the body that Mr. Claude Black "be paid the difference between



his tender for three years and that for one

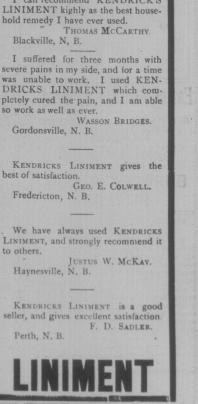
Next the publisher claims to have been the means of saving to the Convention about \$ 200 a year since 1930 So far from this being true, the facts are as shown in the following table, in which I give the year, the place where the work was done, the rate per page :

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Again, the publisher a serts that the proofs were out of his office from six to fourteen days, and that bundles sent me on

the 8th, 9th, 14th and 16th November were not received back till November 25th, and after, nearly three weeks. This conveys the idea that six days was the least interval and that fourteen days or nearly three week^s was the greatest. His "three weeks" would be from Nov. 8 to Nov. 26, or eighteen days. What are the facts? He made this same statement in a letter dated Nov. 24, and 1

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Down in Virginia, says Thomas Nelson Page, there was an old darkey preacher, who had preached about infant baptism morning and night until his congregation couldn't stand it any longer. They told him to preach something else or they'd have to find some one who would. He promised, and the next Sunday announcedt his text. Adam where art thou?

'Dis, bredern, can be divided into fouth heads,' began the dominie. 'First every' man is somewhar. Secondly, most men are where they ain't got no business to be. Thirdly, you'd better look out or you'll be gittin there you'self. Fo'thy, infant baptism. Now, brederu, I guess we might's well pass by the fust three heads, and come immed't ly to the fo'th, infant baptism.'-New York Exchange

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