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Ministers and Churches.

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THE Sunday school in connection with the Church of the Redeemer, Deseronto, has the honour of being the banner school in the Presbytery of Kingston. It has the largest attendance.

THE Alumni Association of Knox College hold their annual meeting on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 5 and 6. The programme is an interesting one. Arrangements have been made to billet Alumni from a distance in homes in the city.

THE Auxiliary to the W. F. M. S. of Knox Church, Kincardine, has just closed a most prosperous year. The sum of \$230 has been raised, all of which has been the result of direct contributions. Much interest and spiritual life have been shown by the Society.

THE Montreal *Witness* says: "The Rev. Ghosn B. Howie, Ph.D., of Mount Lebanon, Palestine, whose lectures in this city will be remembered by readers of the *Witness*, has revisited Palestine since, and is now lecturing in Windsor, Scotstown and Sherbrooke to large audiences." He is now in Three Rivers, and is to be in Niagara Falls on the 17th April.

THE Executive Board of the General Assembly's Sabbath School Committee will meet in the Y.M.C.A. Board Room, Toronto, on Wednesday, April 6 h, at 9.30 a.m. Members of Committee who can make it at all convenient to attend are urgently requested to do so. Advantage may be taken of the reduced railway rates in connection with the closing of Knox College.

THE anniversary services of the First Presbyterian Church, St. Marys, held recently, were a success in every particular. The Rev. W. A. Hunter, M.A., of Erskine Church, Toronto, occupied the pulpit both morning and evening and preached two eloquent and instructive sermons which were attentively listened to by large congregations. On Monday evening the reverend gentleman gave a lecture on the "Good Old Times," which was certainly not only interesting and instructive, but also showed plainly the marked advancement which has been made in material, social and religious development during the past century.

IN an item inserted under "Ministers and Churches," in our issue of 2nd March, a statement of a contemporary was quoted, implying that Rev. Mr. Jack, of Maitland, N.S., had candidated for the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church, Victoria, B.C., to which Rev. Dr. Campbell, of Collingwood, has been called. Mr. Jack, we are informed, although requested by Mr. R. Erskine, in the name of the committee of the congregation having the matter in hand, to supply their pulpit "with a view to filling the vacancy," declined, and in reply to further correspondence refused to become in any shape an applicant for the vacant pastorate.

THE Synod of Montreal and Ottawa, wishing to make its annual meeting more profitable, decided to devote the afternoon and evening of Wednesday, May 11, to the discussion of questions of vital importance to the cause of religion within its bounds. The committee appointed for the purpose has prepared the following programme: 2.30 p.m.—French Evangelization: 1. Methods of French Evangelization, Rev. L. Morin, Montreal; 2. The Bearing of French Evangelization upon our National Life, Rev. Dr. Armstrong, Ottawa. 7.30 p.m.—Our Young People: 1. How can we bring the young into fellowship with Christ? Rev. J. Ross, B.D., Perth. 2. Young People's Societies, Rev. C. H. Cooke, Smith's Falls. Very profitable discussions are anticipated.

COMMUNION service, as celebrated at the Church of the Redeemer, Deseronto, Sunday, March 13, will be remembered with deep gratitude to God for His manifest presence and blessing. After an exceedingly profitable address to the new communicants, in which Rev. W. B. Floyd among other things spoke kindly and loyal words in behalf of the absent pastor, Rev. R. J. Craig, baptism was administered to two adults. The Clerk of Session then read the names of nineteen persons who had been examined by the Session. All these on profession of their faith rose and entered into covenant with God through the Church and were given the right hand of fellowship. Eight of these persons had been prepared through a devotional service which Mr. Floyd calls the Enquirers' Class, which has been fruitful of much good to the young people. It is said that quite a number are already in preparation for the next communion. Eight new members joined the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavour in the evening and much credit is due to the Lookout Committee, under the direction of Miss Stoddart.

THE new Presbyterian Church at Beachburg was opened recently. The Rev. E. Scott, M.A., editor of the *Record*, preached in the morning and afternoon, and the Rev. Dr. Campbell, of Renfrew, in the evening. The church was literally packed at each service, especially at the morning and evening services, the isles, platform and every available seat being occupied. On Monday evening a tea-meeting was held, when over 800 were present and a number were unable to gain entrance. The pastor, Rev. R. McNabb, presided. Able and interesting addresses, interspersed with choice selections of music by the choir of Calvin Church, Pembroke, were delivered by the Revs. M. D. M. Blakely, G. D. Bayne, W. A. Hanna and J. D. Ellis, and by Messrs. Pattison and Scott. The collections on Sabbath amounted to \$167, and the proceeds on Monday evening to \$218, in all \$385. The church is a substantial brick building built from plans and specifications prepared by Mr. W. R. Gregg, Toronto. The audience room is entered from tower on south-east corner, and porch at south-west corner. The basement is well arranged for Sabbath school work. The cost, including fur-

naces, is about \$5,700, and is paid but \$2,000, which is fully covered by subscription.

THE Montreal *Witness* says: John Lohead, a bright and promising student of McGill University, Montreal, died recently in the General Hospital. Although just finishing his second year in medicine, he was but eighteen years of age. He was the son of the Rev. J. S. Lohead, formerly in the Presbytery of Montreal, but of late years the pastor of Park Hill, in the Presbytery of Sarnia. The young man had not been feeling well for the last fortnight, but on Friday, being much worse, his doctors ordered his removal to the General Hospital. On Saturday alarming symptoms developed, and his father was at once telegraphed for. He arrived about four hours before his son's death. The sad news spread rapidly among his fellow-students, and certainly there were but few of them who had not heard of it. At fifteen minutes past seven the secretary's large room at the General Hospital was crowded with them, and the members of the McGill Y.M.C.A. conducted a short religious service. The remains were then removed to the Grand Trunk station, where from 150 to 200 students assembled to pay the last token of respect to their late friend. Among others present were noticed Dr. James Stewart, Dr. Elder, Dr. Hamilton, superintendent General Hospital; Rev. J. Nichols, Rev. Dr. Smyth, etc. The students had provided a magnificent flower pillow—very large—in lilies, white roses, etc., and the words "Our Classmate, 1894," wrought on the top in flowers of dark colour. Some one led the hymn, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and the young men sang it with great earnestness and feeling. Many of them wept, for John Lohead had been a great favourite with them. The sorrow-stricken father addressed a few words to them, and then took his seat in the car, where he guarded the flower pillow in front of him as if it were the one thing he had left to him. At 8.40 the train moved out of the station. The young man was well-informed; a great student; had an unblemished character. During this last college session he had been a regular worshipper in the American Presbyterian Church, and a faithful member of the Bible class in connection with its Sabbath school. Mr. Ames, his teacher, and Mr. Kingman, the superintendent, speak of him in very warm and affectionate terms.

ON Tuesday, March 15, the Presbytery of Ottawa met at 2 p.m. in the Church at Russell for the purpose of inducing the Rev. Orr Bennett, B.A., into the pastoral charge of the congregations of Russell and Metcalfe. There was a good attendance of the people to greet their new pastor. The Rev. J. H. Beatt, of Cumberland, presided on the occasion. The Rev. J. M. Goodwillie, M.A., of Osgoode, preached the induction sermon from the text, Rom. xii. 1. After putting the usual questions to the pastor, Mr. Beatt solemnly inducted him by prayer to his charge. Dr. Moore, of Ottawa, then addressed suitable words of counsel to the newly-inducted pastor, and Mr. Beatt similarly addressed the congregation. Mr. Bennett was introduced to the members of the congregation present as they retired at the close of the service. Mr. Bennett is a son of the Rev. Wm. Bennett, of Springfield, Clerk of the Presbytery of Peterborough. He has lately returned from Scotland, where he had gone to prosecute his studies in order to furnish himself more fully for his life's work. In the evening there was a social meeting to welcome Mr. Bennett. The church was filled with an enthusiastic gathering. Dr. MacDougall occupied the chair. On the platform besides the newly-inducted pastor were the Rev. Dr. Moore, of Ottawa; the Rev. J. H. Beatt, of Cumberland; and the Rev. J. C. Campbell, of the Bible Society, Ottawa, formerly pastor of the congregation; the Rev. Mr. Austen, of the Methodist Church of Russell and Metcalfe, and the Rev. Mr. Osborne, of the Methodist Church of Bearbrook. These gentlemen addressed words of greeting and cheer to the young minister and his people on this auspicious occasion. The choir, which was only formed for the first time a few days ago, gave admirable renderings of a few hymns during the evening and gave an earnest of what they might do in the future in leading the praise of God in His house. Mr. Beatt gave two hymns entitled "Flee as a Bird" and "Ah, Long Ago." An excellent repast of tea, coffee and cake was served during the evening. Altogether a most enjoyable evening was spent, and Mr. Bennett must have been cheered and encouraged by the enthusiastic welcome he received at Russell. May he be long spared and much blessed in his work for the Lord.

PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON.—This Presbytery met on March 15th. Grants for supplements were considered. Three charges were removed from the list. The grants now asked for are, Smithville, \$50; Dunnville, \$150; Port Colborne, \$300; Louth, \$100; Locke Street, Hamilton, \$250; Niagara, \$100; Cayuga, \$150; Hagersville, \$200; Ancaster, \$3 per Sabbath; Merriton, \$1.50, and Fort Erie, \$4. Arrangements for supply of vacancies and mission fields were made. Resolved to apply to Synod for transference of Waterford and Windham Centre to the Presbytery of Paris. Messrs. James Murray and G. Rutherford were appointed to serve on the Synod's Committee on Bills. Mr. John Gray, of Windsor, was nominated as Moderator of Synod. Reports on Temperance, State of Religion, Sabbath Schools were ordered to be transmitted to Synod. Approval was expressed of the Bill now before Parliament for the better observance of the Lord's Day. Resolved also to petition for the closing on the Lord's Day of the Canadian department in the Chicago Fair next summer. The induction of Mr. F. Ballantyne at Bunly was fixed for April 7. A call to Mr. J. A. Hamilton from Hullett and Londesboro was laid on the table. Commissioners to next General Assembly were elected, viz.: Mr. Lyle, Dr. Laidlaw, Dr. McIntyre, Messrs. Robertson, Smith, Shearer, Dr. Laing, Dr. Fraser, Mr. Dey, Mr. Cameron, ministers; J. Charlton, M.P., R. Lawrie, G. Rutherford, R. McQueen, A. McPherson, F. Reid, J. M. Dingwall, W. J. Leckie, M. Turnbull, T. D. Cowper, elders.—JOHN LAING, Pres. Clerk.

PRESBYTERY OF OWEN SOUND.—This Presbytery met in Owen Sound March 15, Mr. McAlpine, the Moderator, in the chair. The Presbytery approved of dividing the Synod, but preferred that the Western Division of the Church should be formed into five Synods with 125 ministers in each, and adopted an overture to that effect submitted by Dr. Fraser. Rev. J. Gillis was appointed ordained missionary in Lion's Head for two years, and to have oversight of the Indian Peninsula. Remit on College Summer Session was adopted in terms of the resolution of Toronto Presbytery. Reports on State of Religion, Temperance and Sabbath Schools were left for final adoption till the adjourned meeting. Application was made to the Augmentation Fund Committee for \$100 for Temple Hill, etc., and \$275 for Knox Church, Sydenham. Application was made to the Home Mission Committee for sums as follows: \$57 for Lion's Head, with \$50 for superintendence. Four dollars for Markdale and Crawford, \$3 for Hepworth and the Indian Peninsula, \$2 in summer and \$3 in winter for Berkeley, etc., also for \$3 for an ordained missionary in Johnson, etc. A letter was read from Mr. Bell in which he declined appointment in Johnson field, and stated that he had promised to return to Laurel etc., in Orangeville Presbytery. Commissioners were appointed to the General Assembly as follows: Messrs. Dewar, McLaren, Somerville and Rodgers, ministers; Messrs. Armstrong, Christie, Murray and Dr. Sloan, elders. Commissioners unable to accept the appointment are requested to notify the Clerk of Presbytery as soon as possible. Dr. Waits was granted two, and Mr. McLaren three, months' leave of absence. The resignation of Mr. Ross of Meaford was accepted to take effect May 15, and Mr. McLaren was appointed Moderator of Meaford Session after that date. Dr. Waits was appointed Moderator of Knox, St. Vincent, and St. Pauls, Sydenham, after May 15. Mr. McLaren presented annual financial statement duly audited. The report was adopted, thanks tendered, and he was re-appointed treasurer. Messrs. McLaren and Somerville were appointed to prepare an application to General Assembly to have Mr. Rodgers placed on the list of annuitants of Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund. Messrs. Fraser, Waits and Somerville were appointed to draw up standing orders for the Presbytery and submit them to next regular meeting. Mr. McAlpine was appointed on the Synod's business committee. Mr. Yeomans gave notice that he would move that the June meeting should be held in Wiarton. The Presbytery then adjourned to meet in Division Street Hall, on Tuesday, April 10, at ten a.m., and the meeting was closed with the benediction. JOHN SOMERVILLE, Pres. Clerk.

PRESBYTERY OF ORANGEVILLE.—This Presbytery met on the 8th inst., at Orangeville, Rev. D. C. Hossack, M.A. LL.B., Moderator, in the chair. The attendance of ministers was good, but that of elders small. Elders' commissions were received from Mr. R. Currie of Laurel and Mr. A. Steele, M.A., of Orangeville. The Presbytery considered Mr. Hudson's resignation of Dundalk and Ventry. Mr. Edwards of Dundalk and Mr. Clark of Ventry stated that Mr. Hudson had done good work in those congregations and expressed their sorrow at his resignation. As Mr. Hudson pressed his resignation, it was accepted to take effect on the first day of April. Messrs. McRobbie and Wells were appointed a committee to prepare a minute anent Mr. Hudson's resignation. Dr. McRobbie was appointed interim Moderator of Session, and to preach in those stations on April 3 and declare the pulpits vacant. Mr. Wilson submitted a very interesting report on Sabbath schools. It could not be as full as desirable as only twenty-six out of forty-two Sabbath schools reported. After considerable discussion the report was adopted and the thanks of the Presbytery tendered to Mr. Wilson. Mr. Farquharson presented an application from the congregations of First Chin-

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