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Reception to Pastor Nobles, Carleton

The school room of the Carleton church presented a very bright and pleasant appearance last Wednesday evening when a large number of the congregation, with other friends, gathered to spend some time in social intercourse, and with the special purpose of greeting and welcoming the new pastor, Rev. B. N. Nobles and his wife. The first part of the evening was given to social intercourse. Then, with Deacon J. McKinnon as chairman, the meeting assumed a more formal character. An address of welcome was presented to the pastor by Deacon Richards and called forth a fitting response from Pastor Nobles. Following this there were a number of congratulatory addresses from ministers present, including Revs. Dr. Gates, Dr. Mannin, Mr. Hughes, Mr. Smith, of Leinster St., and Mr. Stackhouse of the Tabernacle, and interspersed with the speeches there were recitations and music, which added much to the pleasantness of the occasion. Pastor Nobles enters upon his work under interesting and hopeful conditions. Quite extensive repairs are being put upon the church, including the covering of the walls and ceiling of the main audience room with metallic sheathing, repainting, etc., which when finished will add materially to its appearance. In entering upon his work in St. John, Mr. Nobles has the hearty good-will and high esteem of his brethren in the ministry, and we will hope and pray that his labors in St. John may be crowned with abundant blessing.

Anniversary at Collins, N. B.

On Saturday evening, October 27, 1900, about one hundred persons, including many of their relatives, assembled at the residence of Deacon William Keirstead to greet Deacon Keirstead and his wife on the anniversary of their marriage, which took place sixty-nine years ago. The tokens of

friendship amounted to upwards of fifty dollars in value. Words of appreciation of the excellent character and influence of Deacon Keirstead and Mrs. Keirstead were spoken by a number of gentlemen, including Deacon F. J. Keirstead (chairman), James H. Ganong, George W. Ganong, John Brown, Jacob I. Keirstead, William Sharp, W. A. Keirstead and Allen Keirstead. Among those who were represented by letters were G. W. Ganong, M. P., Dr. W. F. Ganong, Mrs. Wm. Perkins, Dr. E. M. Keirstead, Rev. E. K. Ganong. In acknowledging the courtesy of their friends Deacon Keirstead and Mrs. Keirstead (nee Elizabeth Ganong) referred in most touching words to their residence of seventy years in this community, stating that in all these years they had lived on terms of closest friendship with their neighbors. Of the ten children of the family nine are living. The sons are Harvey B., James G., Seth W. (Rev. S. W. Keirstead), Edmund W., Elias W.; the daughters are Mrs. J. M. Wright, Mrs. T. W. Farmer and Mrs. Joseph Huggard. There are 51 grandchildren, 40 great grandchildren and 2 great, great grandchildren.

The meeting was of interest to our church here because of the service during its entire history of these most faithful and esteemed of its surviving constituent members. Their lives have been spent in the enjoyment of its fellowship and in efforts for its advancement. Deacon Keirstead, at the age of ninety-one and a half years, is still able to wield the axe with vigor. Only those who have lived in this community can fully appreciate the contribution made by these disciples to our Lord's cause, but many others will recognize the grace and goodness of God manifested to them and theirs. It was matter of regret that Rev. S. W. Keirstead was unable to be with his parents at this meeting. He has the sympathy of this church in his illness. He is remembered by his native community as a man of fine character and spirit and honored as a good minister of Jesus Christ.

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Cash for Forward Movement.

Cyrus Harper, \$2.50; G. H. Verge, \$1. Albert Trefry, \$2.50; Miss Hannah Gaw, \$3; Mrs. Israel Atkinson, \$1; Edw. Allen, \$2; Rev. P. J. Stackhouse, \$5; Rev. J. Williams, \$5; Edwin Phinney, \$3; Isaac Spidle, \$1; John McLeod, \$6.25; Rev. J. C. Spurr, \$5; Annie McDonald, \$1; Lemuel Wood, \$2; Susan and Hannah Jones, \$1; Elkanah Minner, \$2; Henry Minner, Sr., \$2; Herbert Minner, \$1; Capt. Jos. Mitchell, \$3; Sylvanus Snow, \$2; J. C. Olive, \$10; Miss Grace B. Reynolds, \$5; S. Bowly's Estate, \$5; Rev. W. H. Warren and wife, \$15; H. Hennigar, \$1; Mrs. H. Hennigar, \$1; Miss B. A. Hennigar, \$1; Rev. E. Ingraham, \$1; Rufus Cole, \$1; Mrs. R. Cole, \$1; Dr. F. W. Barbour, \$5; Mrs. F. W. Barbour, \$2.50; J. E. Baker, \$2.

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Rev. C. C. Burgess Deposited.

WOLFVILLE, Nov. 30th, 1900.

FOR THE MESSENGER AND VISITOR:

On the invitation of the Wolfville Baptist church, a representative council of delegates from Baptist churches met at Wolfville, N. S., on the 20th Nov., 1900, to consider charges of immorality against the Rev. C. C. Burgess a member of that church. The council was composed of the following delegates, From New Minas, Rev. George Taylor and Deacon Ainsley Bishop; Halifax First, Rev. A. C. Chute; Halifax North, Deacon J. C. Dumaresq; Tabernacle, Rev. G. W. Schurman; Berwick, Rev. D. H. Simpson and Rev. Alfred Chipman; Windsor, Deacon C. H. Dimock; Hantsport, Rev. Geo. R. White; Canning, Rev. W. N. Hutchins; Kentville, Rev. C. H. Day and Deacon A. A. Pineo; Billtown, Rev. M. P. Freeman; Gaspareau, Rev. J. D. Spidell, Deacon John Coldwell, Canard, Rev. G. H. Martell and Deacon Charles Ellis; Wolfville, Rev. H. R. Hatch, Rev. Dr. Trotter, Rev. Dr. Keirstead, Rev. A. Cohoon, Deacon Tingley and C. R. H. Starr. Invited to seats, Rev. A. Martell, Rev. J. H. Barns, Rev. M. C. Higgins and Rev. John Williams.

The council found the charges sustained by evidence including the confession of the accused and after full deliberation, resolved to depose Mr. Burgess from the Christian ministry.

The Wolfville church was asked to ratify this action, and was further advised to exclude Mr. Burgess from its membership. At the regular Conference of the Wolfville church, Nov. 29, action was taken pursuant to the above, when the act of deposition was ratified and the accused was excluded from church fellowship.

By order of the council,
A. C. CHUTE, Moderator,
A. E. COLDWELL, Sec'y,
and Clerk of the Church.

Notices.

The Carleton, Victoria and Madawaska Quarterly Meeting will be held with the Albert street Baptist church on Friday, Dec 14th, at 7 o'clock p. m. As a good programme is being arranged and some important business to be transacted, a full attendance of ministers and church representatives is earnestly desired. We also ask the prayers of the churches for a special outpouring of the Spirit.

E. P. CALDER, Sec'y-Treas.
The next meeting of the P. E. Island Baptist Conference will be held with the church at St. Peter's Road on December 10 and 11. The first meeting to be on Monday evening, the 10th.

G. P. RAYMOND, Sec'y.

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