

Valley congregation. A call from St. Peter's Road congregation in favor of Rev. Mr. Moss was next considered, and on motion was sustained as a regular Gospel call. It was resolved to apply for a grant of \$250 from the Augmentation Fund in aid of this charge. Mr. Moss accepted the call. Information was received that the Presbytery of Minedosa would apply to next General Assembly to receive and ordain Mr. John Wray, licentiate of the Presbytery of Philadelphia. A letter was read from the secretary of the Grand Orange Lodge, Prince Edward Island, asking that the Presbytery would cause to be circulated among the Presbyterians of the Island petitions requesting the Parliament of Canada not to interfere with the Manitoba School Law. On motion the clerk was instructed to acknowledge the receipt of the letter, and to inform the writer that the entire question of the Manitoba School Law is under the consideration of the Presbytery. Rev. J. K. Fraser, convener of the committee, presented the report on Sabbath Schools, which, on motion, was received, the diligence of the convener commended, and the following recommendation adopted: (1) That Sabbath schools which have failed to send in their returns to the Presbytery be requested to forward them at once to the convener of the General Assembly's Committee. (2) That all schools within the bounds be requested to adopt some system of registration for the coming year. Rev. Wm. Hamilton, Ottawa, was appointed a commissioner to the General Assembly, vice Hon. B. Rogers, resigned. An appeal from certain parties in the section of Strathalbyn congregation against the decision of the Presbytery at last meeting on their petition was not allowed. Rev. J. G. Cameron tendered his resignation of the pastoral charge of Souris, Bay Fortune and Grand River, the consideration of which was postponed till next adjourned meeting.

#### Presbytery of Barrie.

THE Presbytery met in the Townline church, Essex, for the induction of Rev. G. H. Greig to the pastoral charge of Cookstown, Townline and Ivy. Notwithstanding bad roads there was a fair assemblage, all the congregations being represented. Mr. W. J. Hewitt was moderator *pro tem*. Mr. W. R. McIntosh, B.A., conducted the devotional services and preached from Matthew xx. 3: "And he went out about the third hour and saw others standing idle in the market-place." The moderator then in due form inducted Mr. Greig to the pastoral charge. The right hand of fellowship was given to the newly inducted minister, and addresses were delivered by Mr. J. A. Ross, B.A., and Mr. R. Moodie, to the minister and to the congregation. The people were dismissed with the benediction, and as they retired welcomed their new minister at the church door. It is gratifying that the long vacancy in these congregations is ended. Another meeting was held in the Presbyterian church, Mineaung, for the induction of Mr. P. A. Tinkham, as missionary to the congregations of Mineaung, Midhurst and Edenvale. Mr. McLeod, moderator of Presbytery, presided. Mr. W. Gallagher preached from John xvii. 15, "I pray not that thou shouldst take them out of the world." Addresses to the missionary and the congregation respectively were delivered by Messrs. R. Moodie and W. R. Johnston, B.A. The attendance here was also fair, but regrets were expressed that the induction service was not held in the evening when there would have been many more present.—E. R. MOODIE, Clerk.

#### Pan-Presbyterian Alliance.

THE Executive Commission of the western section of the Alliance of the Reformed Churches holding the Presbyterian polity was held in the lecture-room of the Reformed church, 29th street and 5th avenue, New York. The Rev. Dr. T. W. Chambers presided. Dr. Cochrane, of Brantford, Ont., was appointed recording secretary *pro*

*tem* in the absence of Dr. Waters, of Newark, who was detained by an engagement there, but who arrived before the close of the meeting. There was a large attendance of delegates from all parts of this country and Canada. After the calling of the roll, and the sustaining of the minutes of the last meeting of the commission, Dr. Roberts presented a lengthy report of the work done during the past six months, accompanied by several suggestions for the consideration of the executive. It contained among other things the question of the federation of the Reformed Churches in America—the appointment of delegates to visit the various Synods and General Assemblies this year; the financial relations of the two sections of the commission, east and west, and the issuing of a circular to the various Church courts, giving a resume of the work done by the Alliance during the year. The report with suggestions was adopted. The time and place of next meeting of the executive was left in the hands of the officers, to decide as they saw best. Dr. Ellinwood, of New York, presented the report of the committee on Foreign missions; Dr. Cochrane on Sabbath schools; Dr. Catell (through Dr. Roberts) on work on the European continent; and Dr. Fisher on Co-operation in Home Missions by the various churches in the Alliance. A considerable time was taken up in discussing the draft programme prepared by the eastern section for the next General Council, to be held in Glasgow in June, 1896. Finally after certain amendments had been made it was adopted, and recommended to the two committees on the programme for final adjustment. Regret was expressed by many of the members that the Glasgow meeting had been fixed for June, as the effect would be to exclude the possibility of the attendance of members of the Canadian and other churches. A recommendation was agreed to that the General Council should make all the conveners of the committees corresponding members of these gatherings, and a motion was also passed that the travelling expenses of the officers of the Executive Commission should be paid. It was further agreed that the Glasgow Council should be asked to hold, if possible, certain special services in commemoration of the covenanting struggles in Scotland, which took place in that neighborhood in the 17th century. The commission will meet again next October. The meeting was one of the best and most largely attended the commission has held, which augurs well for the success of the meeting in Glasgow next year. A reception to the delegates was given in the evening by the Presbyterian Union of New York in the Hotel Brunswick. Mr. Warner Van Norden, president of the Union, occupied the chair, and interesting addresses were delivered by the Rev. Dr. T. W. Chambers, of the Dutch Reformed Church, chairman of the American section; Rev. Dr. G. D. Matthews, London, England, general secretary of the Alliance; Rev. Dr. W. H. Roberts, of the Presbyterian Church the United States, secretary of the American section; Rev. Dr. Hoge, of the Presbyterian Church in the United States; Rev. Dr. Cochrane, of the Presbyterian Church in Canada; Rev. C. S. Gerhard, of the German Reformed Church; Mr. John Paton, and others.—Ex.

## Correspondence.

### Acknowledgment.

EDITOR PRESBYTERIAN REVIEW:

SIR.—An anonymous friend has sent me \$2.50 to assist in purchasing library books for the prisoners in the Albany, N.Y., penitentiary, and requests that I acknowledge the receipt of the same through the columns of the PRESBYTERIAN REVIEW. Will you please make mention of the same and oblige. Fraternally yours,

REV. GEORGE SANDERSON,

Chaplain, Albany, N.Y., Penitentiary, Providence street, near Delaware avenue, Albany, N.Y. May 14, 1895.

## He Deceived the People and is in the Penitentiary for a Year.

[From the Lowell Morning Citizen.]

At Atlantic, Iowa, on May 7, C. M. Ailor, alias "Crip," Ailor, was convicted of deceiving the people by selling a worthless compound, which he represented to be Hood's Sarsaparilla, and was sentenced by Judge Macy to one year at hard labor in the Iowa State Penitentiary. Ailor's methods were those of a travelling fakir. He has been travelling through Missouri, Nebraska and Iowa, making stands of a day or more in each town, and representing himself as an agent under salary from C. I. Hood & Co., and selling his concoction at one dollar or fifty cents per bottle, giving with each sale various other worthless articles. Citizens of Griswold, Iowa, became suspicious and ascertaining from a druggist that Ailor's compound was not Hood's Sarsaparilla, but merely colored water, had him arrested. Three indictments were found against him, the jury convicted him after only thirty minutes deliberation, and he was sentenced as above. This incident suggests the wisdom of purchasing medicines only of reputable dealers whom you know. Hood's Sarsaparilla is never sold by peddlers, and such offering it should be at once reported to the authorities, or to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

To give strength after illness my doctor says nothing is equal to Wyeth's Beef, Iron and Wine.

But he says that I must see that I get "Wyeth's" as there are a lot of imitations of their Beef, Iron and Wine which are valueless for the purpose of building one up.

Wyeth's Beef, Iron and Wine has made its great reputation because it contains what it claims.

In this preparation are combined the stimulant properties of Wine, and the nutriment of Beef, with the tonic powers of Iron, the effect of which on the blood is so justly valued.

In each tablespoonful there is the essence of one ounce of Beef and two grains of Iron, in solution of Sherry Wine. It is, therefore, a refreshing stimulant, the effect of which is not merely to quicken the circulation and impart a temporary benefit, but also to supply actual strength.

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## The New England Conservatory.

Few educational institutions are so widely and favorably known as the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston. In the midst of such times as these its strength and prestige are shown by a patronage which fills the home and educational departments to overflowing. It is manifestly evident that the American people have found that the best is none too good for them and also that the best is the cheapest in the end. To those desiring the highest and most complete musical training this institution offers inducements second to none in the world. It has departments of Elocution and Arts as well as Music, each being complete in itself and placed under the personal supervision of a principal and corps of instructors.

### Hood's Restored Health.

"For a number of years I have been troubled with a pain between my shoulders, and a shortness of breath. The medicine which I took did not benefit me, and I began using Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills. I now enjoy a good appetite and am feeling well in other ways."—MRS. JAMES HORTON, Box 46 Dresden, Ont.

### Hood's Pills cure all liver ills.

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