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Queens Co. N. B. Quarterly Meeting.

This quarterly meeting assembled with the 1st Johnston church Thorntown on the 8th inst. beginning at 7.30 P. M. At the first session an instructive address accompanied with maps was given by Rev. H. H. Hall of Manitoba. A collection was taken up for that object.

At ten o'clock Saturday morning the business of the quarterly and Sabbath School work commenced. It was decided to hold the next quarterly meeting at Scotchtown, beginning Friday afternoon at half past two.

It was unanimously resolved that this quarterly meeting indorse the action of the committee appointed in the matter of Bro. Mont. McDonald's claim on the late Baptist seminary of St. Martins. It was stated that Bro. McDonald had given his notes for \$6,500 that he himself had provided for 2,000 dollars but that there will remain unpaid \$4,500 which was pressing heavily upon him. It was also stated that the Free Christian Baptists had assumed \$1,500 their part of the debt and was making laudable effort to pay it and that three thousand dollars remained to be provided for by the Baptists. Pastors and leading brethren at the quarterly pledged themselves to do all in their power to obtain 50 cents per member of the resident membership of their church to pay their indebtedness. Rev. G. O. Gates of St. John is the treasurer of the committee.

A paper was read by the writer upon Sabbath School work and a resolution that we organize a Sabbath School convention for Queens county in connection with it quarterly, was introduced and after thoughtful discussion was adopted. Bro. Isaac Hetherington was elected president, the writer secretary and Bro. James Hetherington treasurer. The first day of the quarterly is to be given to the convention.

On Saturday afternoon we had a religious conference, this is always one of the best meetings of the sessions and the one at Thorntown was not an exception. On Saturday evening the subject of temperance and Home Missions were considered. Addresses were delivered on temperance by Brethern C. W. Pearce, by C. W. Barton and by Joseph Hetherington and on Home Missions by Bro. O. P. Brown and Rev. J. H. Hughes.

A prayer meeting led by Bro. C. W. Pearce was held on Sabbath at 9.30 P. M. at 11 Bro. C. J. Steves previously appointed preached the quarterly sermon and at half past two the meeting of the Woman's Aid Societies began. Sister C. W. Pearce the county secretary, presided. Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. H. Hughes, and an address was given by the writer after which a report from the societies was given by the county secretary. Queens appears to be the banner county of New Brunswick. It has fourteen Aid Societies, has the provincial secretary, gives more than one sixth of the amount contributed by the Aid Societies of N. B.

On the evening of the same day Rev. J. H. Hughes preached an excellent sermon taking the place of the Rev. Mr. Townsend who was ill. This sermon was followed by an evangelistic service in which a goodly number took part. Collection for missions 17.57.
J. COOMBS,
Jan. 13th. Sec'y pro tem.

News Summary.

CANADA.

The Queen has contributed £500 to the fund started by the Lord Mayor of London for the relief of famine sufferers in India.

R. G. Dunn & Co.'s weekly review of trade says the failures for the week were 71 in Canada, against 81 last year.

A number of distressed Canadians from Brazil en route for Montreal have arrived at Liverpool, and will sail for Canada today and Saturday.

The Globe woollen mills, Montreal, with liabilities amounting to \$200,000, have com-

promised with their creditors at the rate of 50 cents on the dollar.

John R. McDonald, Chatham, charged with a violation of the Scott Act, was fined \$50 and costs, and in default was taken to jail for sixty days.

Lord Aberdeen has signed an order commuting the death sentence of Michael Brennan, of Barrie, Ont., who murdered John Strathy, to imprisonment for life.

At the Conservative convention at Truro, Friday, Dr. D. H. Muir was nominated to contest Colchester for the Dominion house. Firman McClure will be the Liberal nominee.

Edward Painter, of Petcodiac, while feeding a threshing machine, had his arm and hand so lacerated that it had to be amputated—Hazen Henderson, of the same place, was struck by an axe and severely cut in the face.

The Wallaceburg, Ont., Queen Hotel was destroyed by fire Wednesday. Albert Ughle, of Indians, and Andrew Baird, of Hamilton, Ont., were burned to death, and Mrs. Collison, cook, was so severely burned she will not recover.

The conditions of Hon. George Kirkpatrick, Lieutenant Governor of Ontario, upon whom an operation was performed in London on Wednesday, is very satisfactory. His physicians say all his symptoms are favorable.

All the German states have approved of the sentiment expressed in a recent edict of the Emperor in regard to duelling in the army and have adopted His Majesty's suggestions in regard to the referring of disputes to courts of honor.

In the case at Hull, Que., of E. B. Eddy vs. Mrs. Bessey, his daughter, in which the plaintiff sought to recover possession of property valued at about half a million dollars left to Mrs. Bessie by her mother, judgment has been given in favor of the defendant. Mr. Eddy's present wife was formerly Miss Shirreff, of Chatham, N. B.

Right Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, government leader in the House of Commons addressed his constituents at Manchester Sunday night, and in the course of his remarks strongly denied Ireland was over-taxed. Ireland's only hope of solvency and prosperity was to maintain her partnership with Great Britain.

The election of Hugh John Macdonald in Winnipeg is void on account of teams having been hired and paid for to drive electors to the polls. Proceedings have been stayed until the Supreme Court renders judgment on the preliminary objections that it has not been proved that the petitioners were legally qualified voters.

The contract for the Dominion engraving has been awarded to the America Bank Note Co. for a term of five and a quarter years from July 1 next. The work consists of engraving Dominion notes, postage stamps, postal cards, revenue stamps and so forth. The work must be done in Ottawa under government supervision. Under the new contract a saving will be effected of \$120,000.

Clifford Gallagher, son of the late Hugh Gallagher, who one time kept the Temperance House, Sackville, gets \$100,000 as a legacy under the will of the late Hon. H. L. Pierce, of Boston. Mr. Pierce was president of the Walter Baker Company, of which Mr. Gallagher was manager and principal business man, and the legacy was to mark Mr. Pierce's appreciation of the good qualities of his subordinate.—Globe.

Colonel Kitson, the new commandant of the Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont., has inaugurated a number of reforms since taking command. The most noteworthy is the abolition of all kinds of intoxicating liquor from the cadets' mess. It was the only place within the bounds of the college where liquor was procurable, and, by forbidding its sale there, it is banished from the precincts of the institution.

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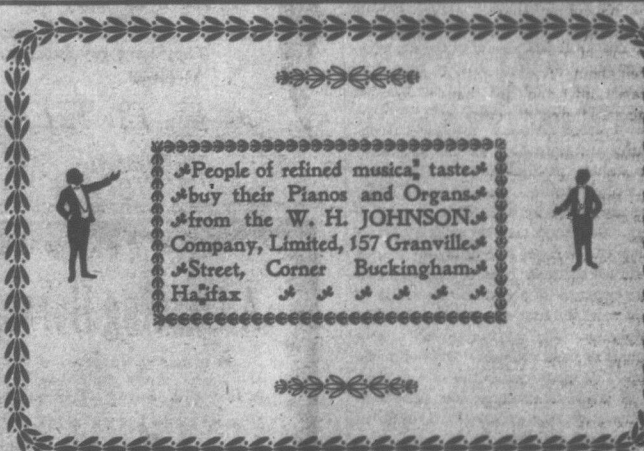
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