

Presbytery agreed to ask the H. M. board to appoint Rev. E. Mullen to Seabright and Uphill as ordained missionary for two years, and W. S. Stewart to Cobocook and Kilmount for the same period. Augmentation was asked for Sunderland and Leaskdale. Rev. Mr. Currie, from the committee appointed in connection with the death of Rev. Mr. Scott, submitted the following:—"The presbytery, having learned of the unexpected death of its esteemed clerk, the Rev. James R. Scott of Cambray, desire to record its profound sense of the loss which it has sustained hereby. Since the formation of the presbytery he has been its clerk; his calm judgment, his brotherly feeling, and wise counsels have been of incalculable value in all its deliberations. The presbytery is well assured that the visitation did not come to him as a surprise. It recognizes the hand of an all-wise, loving Father and bows obediently to His will in this dispensation of His providence. This court desires also to express its sincere sympathy with the afflicted family in their bereavement and prayerfully to commend them to the tender love and care of the heavenly Father." Mr. Currie moved the adoption of this report, which was seconded by Mr. R. Irwin, and after many of the members of the presbytery present had expressed their high appreciation of the venerable clerk, was carried unanimously as voicing the feelings of the court. The committee at a later stage brought in a report as follows:—"That in view of the recent decease of the late clerk, and to avoid all appearance of undue haste, no successor be elected at present, but that Rev. P. A. McLeod of Sonya be appointed clerk pro tem till next regular meeting." This was agreed to. Rev. R. Johnston laid on the table a call from Beaverton and Gamebridge addressed to Rev. M. N. Bethune of Gravenhurst. The conduct of the moderator was approved, the call sustained, and provisional arrangements made for the induction. Rev. W. Galloway handed in his resignation of the congregation of Kirkfield and Balover. It was ordered to be laid on the table and the congregation cited to appear for its interests at next meeting. Rev. Mr. Ross of Cannington gave in the report on temperance, Mr. McLeod on Sabbath schools, and Mr. Johnston on systematic beneficence. In the evening a public meeting was held in connection with the Lindsay Presbyterial of the W. F. M. S. The report read showed substantial advancement. Members of the presbytery expressed their gratification. Rev. R. P. McKay, F. M. secretary, and J. McDougall, B. A. returned missionary from China, addressed the meeting. The presbytery met again for the transaction of business on Wednesday morning, commencing at nine o'clock. Rev. W. G. Hanna, B. A., was appointed treasurer of H. M. funds, and also to conduct the memorial services of the late Mr. Scott and disperse communion at Cambray on the second Sabbath of March. Rev. H. Currie was appointed representative on the board of Knox College. The following were appointed commissioners to next general assembly, namely: Ministers—Rev. M. McKinnon by rotation, and Messrs. Hanna, McAuley and McMillan by ballot; elders—Messrs. Gross Lindsay; Reid, Woodville; C. C. McPhadden, Cannington; and Reid, Vroomanton. The next regular meeting was appointed to be held at Woodville on the third Tuesday of April next, at 11 a.m. Closed with the benediction.—P. A. MacLeod, clerk pro tem.

OBITUARY.

DEATH OF REV. JAMES RUSSEL SCOTT.

We have this week to chronicle the decease of one of our most esteemed citizens in the person of the Rev. James Russel Scott, of the Presbyterian church, Cambray, which sad event occurred on Saturday last, the 25th ultimo. He had passed the seventy-eighth anniversary of his birth and goes home full of years and good works, esteemed by a large circle of friends in his own neighborhood and throughout the Lindsay Presbytery as well. The deceased gentleman was born in Fifeshire, Scotland, in July, 1814, and received his education in the Edinburgh university. After completing his university course he entered the Presbyterian church in 1843, preaching in one or two places until 1858, when he emigrated to Canada and in a very short time was called to the Presbyterian church of Perrytown, where he laboured until 1865, and received an invitation from the Whitby congregation and continued in charge there until his removal to Cambray in 1868. He continued as pastor of the Cambray church until 1875, when his health became so poor that he felt unable to continue in the active ministry and was granted a superannuated relation. He was at this time appointed

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

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BIRTHS.

At St. John's manse, Brockville, on Saturday, Feb. 25th, the wife of Rev. Chas. J. Cameron, M.A., of a son.
At Beaverton, on Wednesday, February 22nd, 1893, the wife of Wm. Smith, of a son.
At Beaverton, on Wednesday, February 2nd, 1893, the wife of H. Logan, of a daughter, still-born.

MARRIAGES.

At the Presbyterian manse, in Paris, March the 7th, 1893, by the Rev. E. Cockburn, Mr. K. McCormick, to Miss Alice Maud Peers, all of Paris.

On the 8th inst., by the Rev. H. Crozier, Grand Valley, at the residence of Mr. Alexander Park, brother of the bride, Mr. Onslow Jupp of Belwood, to Mary, daughter of the late George Park, Esq., of East Garafraxa.

On Thursday, Feb. 9th, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. J. W. McLeod, South Finch, Ont., Mr. Donald D. McArthur, contractor, Winnipeg, Man., to Janet Elizabeth, second daughter of Malcolm Condie, Esq., Lancaster, Ont.

DEATHS.

At Beaverton, on Friday, February 24th, Flora, relict of the late Wm. Caskill, aged 76 years.

On March 8th, at Crescent Street Church, by the Rev. Dr. McKay, F. Sutherland to Jessie Denovan, daughter of John Denovan, Dalkeith, Ont.

In Thorah, on the 28th February, 1893, Catherine McLean, relict of the late Duncan Johnston, aged 84 years.

At St. Andrew's Manse, Lindsay, on the 7th inst., by the Rev. Robert Johnston, B. A., Thomas James Wilson and Mary Taylor, both of Carden Tp.

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clerk of the Lindsay Presbytery and continued to fill that position until the time of his death. Although not the pastor of the Cambray congregation its interests lay close to his heart, and he thought no trouble too great for him where its prosperity was concerned, and he will be nearly as much missed by the congregation as if he were indeed their pastor. Mr. Scott was twice married, and leaves a widow, four sons and six daughters to mourn his loss.—Lindsay Watchman.

The annual convention of the Brant County Sunday School Association, held in the city of Brantford, was largely attended. Dr. Cochrane and Mr. W.N. Howie took a fair share of the work, the former delivering a stirring address on "The Sabbath School, the harvest field of the Church's Membership."

St. John's congregation, Brockville, continues to grow under the pastorate of Rev. Chas. J. Cameron, M. A. The Times says: "If the Sunday evening congregation in St. John's Church keeps on growing the trustees will be compelled to build an addition to the church to accommodate the crowds. Last evening it was crowded to the doors. Mr. Cameron's sermon on the inspiration of the Bible was a rare treat."

Justification by faith on the side of man is justification by grace on the side of God.—Timothy Dwight.

In thankfulness for present mercy, nothing so becomes us as losing sight of past ills.—Gen. Lew Wallace.

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STUDENTS APPOINTED TO MISSION FIELDS.

The closing meeting of the Knox College Missionary Society was held on Tuesday evening, March 7. After devotional exercises encouraging reports were given of the work carried on by the society in the gaol, Central prison, Old Women's Home, Sick Children's hospital and other missions in the city.

The report of the treasurer showed that the finances of the society were in a favorable condition.

The committee appointed last year with instructions to secure if possible the better equipment of the museum reported the work which had been done, and recommended the new committee to diligently prosecute it.

The society appointed missionaries to the following fields for next summer:—

In the Northwest—Field, C. T. Tough; Gleichen, James Menzies; Louglaketon, A. S. Ross, B. A.; Carnduff, J. Burnett, B. A.; Brookdale, W. C. Dodds.

In Ontario—Kent Bridge, Jas. Skene; Buxton, P. W. Anderson; Colchester, J. E. Radford; New Dundee and Baden, A. F. Webster; Black River, W. J. West; Kilworthy, J. T. Hall; Warren, W. D. Bell; Providence Bay, Geo. I. Craw; Bethune, W. G. Findlay; Franklin, J. B. Torrance; Ophir, W. Wallis; White Fish, D. McPhail; Berrydale, John Bailey; Loring, E. Mason; South Bay, Geo. Arnold; Port Carling, J. A. Doy, Lake Joseph, G. B. Wilson; French River, A. G. Bell; Squaw Island, W. A. Campbell; Algoma Mills, S. Whaley; Korah and Prince, T. A. Bell; Canal mission, D. L. Campbell; Buck Lake, P. F. Sinclair; Dunchurch, T. Menzies; Collins' Inlet, H. McCulloch.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, Wm. Cooper, B. A.; first vice-president, R. G. Murison; second vice-president, C. T. Tough; recording secretary, Jas. Borland, B. A.; corresponding secretary, A. S. Ross B. A.; treasurer, J. A. Dow; financial secretary, J. A. Cranston, secretary of committees, Geo. Arnold; councillors, J. T. Hall; R. F. Cameron, J. C. Smith, W. D. Bell.

The president-elect then took the chair and a number of newly elected officers spoke briefly, thanking the students for the honor conferred on them. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the retiring committee, to which W. R. McIntosh, B. A., the retiring president, replied.

Be brief; for it is with words as with sunbeams—the more they are condensed the deeper they burn.—Dr. Southey.

Never was any one so exalted as our Saviour, and never did any one make such a use of His exaltation.—Robert Hall.

He that dwells in the highest heavens dwells in the lowest hearts, and inhabits sincerity as surely as he inhabits eternity.

Be not disturbed by infidelity. Religion cannot pass away. The burning of a little straw may hide the stars, but the stars are there and will reappear.—Thomas Carlyle.

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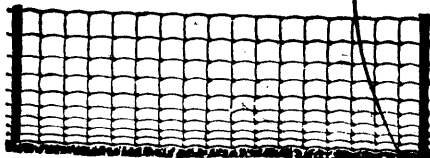
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