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Will all pastors and other persons holding pledges of churches, please send them to the Field Secretary, retaining a list of such for their own use.

#### ANNAPOLIS COUNUNY CONFERENCE

The next session of the above named conference will convene at Milford on Feb. 22nd and 23rd. Milford is a quite an out of the way place but for that very reason it is especially requested that all the brethren make an effort to attend. Pray that God may bless this conference and make instrument in winning souls.

E. LEROY DAKIN.

The next session of the Digby Co. Quarterly meeting will convene at Centreville, Digby Neck, on Feb. 28th and 9th.

A. J. ARCHIBALD, Secretary.

The next session of the Shelburne County Baptist Quarterly Meeting will be held with the church at Sand Point, Feb. 2nd and 3rd, 1904.

E. P. COLWELL, Secretary.

#### Quarterly Meeting.

The place of meeting was with the 1st Cambridge church at MacDonald's Corner in Queens county, N. B. The time was Jan. 8, 1904. Contrary to all expectation the attendance was small. Two pastors and the enthusiastic president, Colwell, were on the ground in advance of Saturday's sweeping snowstorm. The Friday evening hour was spent in social religious exercise. By means of much push in the way of breaking roads and what might be regarded as Sabbath breaking a congregation was comfortably seated on Sunday afternoon to hear Pastor M. P. King preach an expository sermon based upon the words—"He must needs go through Samaria." The same speaker

discoursed again in the evening from the text—"For Zion's sake will I not hold my peace." Other voices were heard in the after-service.

A business conference, without form but by no means void, occupied the morning hour on Monday. The customary, and more religious, conference followed in the afternoon. The evening services were protracted until Wednesday night of the same week. The entertaining church was much blessed. Rev. A. B. MacDonald and his brother M. C. MacDonald, M. D., were present to give touching appeals and timely help. The sound advice and soul stirring addresses by Brother King and Mrs. King were well appreciated by the people of his former charge and none the less so by the present incumbent. F. N. ATKINSON, Sec. pro. tem.

A decision was rendered in the practice court at Montreal on Monday holding that Canadian courts have no right to interfere with the United States government and the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., whereby the railway carries back to China all its Chinese passengers denied admission across the border. Judge Lavergne decided the company had the right to deport the Chinese back to Hong Kong.

Missionaries of the American Board of Foreign Missions have complained to United States Minister Conger at Peking that their converts in the district of Pao Ting Fu were being looted by bandits, who claimed to be Catholics, and that a reign of terror prevailed in the district. Minister Conger requested the Chinese government to suppress the bandits, but his demand was without apparent result. Secretary Williams, after a week's personal investigation, effected an arrangement with the officials of the district, who promised to protect the people if Minister Conger would cease to make complaint, which injured them at the seat of government. Secretary Williams is not satisfied that the bandits are Catholics. The Catholic bishop disclaims them.

A New York woman who earns \$12 a week and whose husband earns \$7.50 a week, has applied to the courts to compel her husband to turn \$3 of his weekly wages over to her, and the husband files a cross suit asking the court to compel his wife to turn \$7 of her weekly wages over to him instead. The puzzle seems to be as to what's the use of getting married.

## THE GRIP AGAIN.

THIS DANGEROUS EPIDEMIC HAS  
MADE ANOTHER APPEARANCE.

A Suggestion as to How to Guard Against the Trouble and its Pernicious After Effects.

Every winter influenza, or as it is more generally known, the grip makes its appearance in Canada. Every few years it spreads and assumes alarming proportions. From all appearances this is one of the years in which it will seize upon a great number of victims, for every day new cases are reported. As scarlet and typhoid fever, the after effects of grip are often worse than the disease itself. The sufferer is left with a debilitated system, short of breath upon the slightest exertion, subject to headache and heart palpitation, affected by every change in the weather, and in a physical condition to invite the attack of more serious diseases, such as pneumonia and consumption.

A timely suggestion as to how to enable the system to resist the inroads of the grip and its after effects, is given by Miss Emma Doucett, St. Eulalie, Que., who says:—"I had an attack of the grip which left me a sufferer from headache, pains in the stomach, and general weakness. I used several medicines but found nothing to help me until I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When I began to take these pills I was very much run down and very weak, but they soon began to help me, and after using them a few weeks I was not only as well as ever but had gained in flesh as well. I can hardly tell you how pleased I am with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, for I was feeling very hopeless when I began their use."

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Maxwell F. Riddle, Treasurer.

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