

Parkers—whose years of consecrated christian service adorn the pages of denominational history.

During the summer of 1885 Mr. Eaton was baptised by Dr. D. A. Steele of Amherst. Feeling the claims of the christian ministry upon himself, he at once turned his attention toward Acadia College for which he prepared at the Amherst High School. Entering this institution in the Autumn of 1886, he made an unbroken and brilliant course, graduating with the Class of '90. During his course, Mr. Eaton filled a most important place in the college societies and in the Y. M. C. A. which was organized in the autumn of 1888. In his senior year he was Editor-in-chief of this magazine. During his last two years here he also supplied, with great acceptance, the pulpit of the Baptist church in Annapolis Royal.

Upon graduation, Mr. Eaton at once proceeded to Newton Theological Institution from which he was graduated in 1893, receiving the degree of M. A. from Acadia at the same time. During his last year at Newton, he was called to a pastorate at Natick, Mass. where he enjoyed a most happy and successful period of ministration.

In the summer of 1894 he accompanied Dr. Lorimer to England where he studied in the Summer School of Theology at Oxford. In the following year he again visited England, where upon invitation he supplied the pulpit of Bloomsbury Baptist Chapel, London. He is also invited for this summer, and will supply Bloomsbury and Abbey Road during the vacation.

On the 26th June, 1895, Mr. Eaton was married to Miss M. Winnifred, daughter of W. D. Parlin, Esq. of Natick, Mass. Mrs. Eaton, accompanied her husband abroad last summer.

Upon the call of Rev. O. C. S. Wallace to the chancellorship of McMaster University, Mr. Eaton was unanimously called to be his successor at Bloor St., Toronto, where a most enviable success crowns his labor. Of his work, a correspondent to the Boston Watchman says:— "At Bloor Street, Rev. Charles A. Eaton by his winsome personality, eloquent tongue and profoundly earnest evangelistic spirit has already demonstrated to the satisfaction of old and young, learned and unlearned, rich and poor, that his predecessor, whatever may be said of his wisdom in other cases, showed sagacity of a high order when he recommended the young Natick pastor to be his successor in this important pastorate. Great congregations assemble to hear Mr. Eaton, and his