

Both the First Step to Life.

MARTIN S. A. ANNUAL REPORT, NOV. 10, '97, BY REV. J. W. HAYES.

Gal. 2: 20. "I am crucified with Christ."

It is a common error to suppose that the spiritual crucifixion of the apostle Paul... Many people... Paul... crucifixion... Gal. 2: 20.

And, however, as the call to the vineyard... the preparation and the reward... Gal. 2: 20.

Let us search our text for the grounds of Paul's confidence... Gal. 2: 20.

Death by the cross was indeed a terrible torture... Gal. 2: 20.

The apostle also entered into this slough of stagnation and contempt... Gal. 2: 20.

Such a life and such words perfectly agree with our text... Gal. 2: 20.

The Lord's prayer in John 17 is a window through which we may see... Gal. 2: 20.

This was compassion like a God... Gal. 2: 20.

And into every regenerate heart flows the same earnest desire... Gal. 2: 20.

My brethren, have a crucifixion await at the close of your life... Gal. 2: 20.

To stand powerless over your child who is suffering agonies... Gal. 2: 20.

Consider of what soul is composed... Gal. 2: 20.

I. A resurrection to eternal life... Gal. 2: 20.

And whoever gives up himself, his whole carnal nature, to be crucified with Christ...

Jesus Christ is the Son of God... Gal. 2: 20.

like his master, Jesus, shall experience a resurrection... Gal. 2: 20.

Another result is that a way is opened by which you can show to the world... Gal. 2: 20.

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Sore Eyes

The eyes are always in sympathy with the body... Ayer's Sarsaparilla...

My eyes are now in a splendid condition... Ayer's Sarsaparilla...

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It is a goodly preparation of them for future service... Ayer's Sarsaparilla...

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THE HOME

What Can We Do? Oh, what little children do to make the great world glad...

THE GARDEN

Bells for Winter and Spring Blooming. In early spring thousands of people admire the beautiful flowers...

THE MOTHER

Teach the children to respect you. First have you smile at this. Love turns to fear above and beyond respect...

THE FATHER

Dear little Grace at the window stood. Watching that winter night. The great round moon in the far blue sky...

PARSONS' PILLS. These pills were a wonderful discovery. No others like them in the world. Will positively cure or relieve all manner of disease...

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McShane Bell Foundry. Largest Grade of Bells. Chimes and Pells for Churches, Schools, Colleges, etc.

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THE JAPANESE HARBINGER OR CHINESE LILY. In China or Japan no family, however exalted or exalted their standing...

GRANDMA'S LESSON. BY MRS. HARRIET A. CHEVRE. Dear Grandma Vance, with her white puffs of hair, her dainty cap and placid smile...

Encourage Home Manufacture! BEARDSLEY'S Celebrated Oil Paste Blacking. The best Leather Preservative known for Harnesses, Boots and Shoes...

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Notice to Contractors.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed 'Tender for Public Works' will be received at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Dominion Railway at Ottawa, until 11 o'clock on Friday, 4th November, for the construction of work at Fort Inverness, St. John, N.S., in accordance with a plan and specification to be seen at the Office of the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the Custom House Building, St. John, N.S.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 25th October, 1911.

Oxford & New Glasgow Railway SECTIONS.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed 'Tender for Oxford and New Glasgow Railway' will be received at this office up to noon on Friday, the 4th day of November, 1911, for the grading, bridging and masonry masonry fencing, etc.

Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, 25th October, 1911.

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The attention of General Dealers is directed to our large stock of American Rubber Boots and Shoes, in various styles, including Galoshes, Puttees, and many specialties.

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Intercolonial Railway.

77. SUMMER ARRANGEMENT '07.

3rd AND AFTER MONDAY, JUNE 15, 1911, the Train of this Railway will run daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:-

Day Express	1.00
Express for St. John and Quebec	13.25
Express for St. John and Halifax	25.15

TRAINS WILL ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN.

TRAINS WILL DEPART AT ST. JOHN.

TRAINS WILL ARRIVE AT HALIFAX.

AGENTS

News Summary.

-On Friday last a meeting of those interested in the Haven, lately established in St. John, was held in the Y. M. C. A. building. During the five months since it started fifteen have been admitted, and the result has been very encouraging, a good average of the unfortunate having been restored to right living, and a number of others were \$263.04, and the expenditure \$173 95.

-Four residences at Peterboro, Ont., occupied by Scott's set people have been fired by incendiaries lately, but all the losses have been covered by insurance. Since January last \$5,000 have been taken from violators of the Scott act, and these acts of incendiarism are supposed to have been committed by opponents of the act.

-The attention of general dealers is directed to the advertisement of Messrs Estey Allwood & Co., our present issue. They are large dealers in the specialties they advertise, and have a large business connection throughout the Province, yet seek farther correspondence with every reliable merchant.

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-At the regular prayer meeting of the first Baptist church Wednesday, a statement was made showing the progress of the church during the three years pastorate of the Rev. W. H. Cline. During this time the church has lost eight members by death, 31 have been dismissed to other churches, and six expelled. The increase was reported as follows: By baptism 39, by letter from other churches, 27; by restoration, 1; by experience, 1, - or a total of 68, giving a present membership of 270, a net increase in the three years of 67 members. The various meetings for prayer and social purposes, are very fully attended, especially of late; and the outlook for this church is of the most encouraging nature. -Halifax Herald.

-Hon. A. W. Maclelan, postmaster general, has been re-elected in Colchester, N.S., by a majority of 524.

-An insane young man, Alex. McDonald, who had been placed in jail at Port Hood for safe keeping, Thursday night, set fire to his cell and was unfocused with smoke.

-Last week, the annual session of the Grand Division, Sons of Temperance of New Brunswick, was held at Fredericton. The order is in good condition. The following were elected officers for ensuing year: Rev. G. M. Campbell, St. Stephen, grand worthy patriarch; H. H. Pitts, Fredericton, grand worthy associate; D. Thompson, St. John, grand scribe; W. C. Whitaker, St. John, grand treasurer; H. A. McKenna, St. John, grand chaplain; S. McLeod, Woodstock, grand conductor; D. J. Noah, Petitcodiac, grand sentinel.

-The Carleton Sentinel, Woodstock, says: Rev. A. F. Brown, of London, Eng., preached in the Albert Street Baptist Church, Sunday, his sermon affording much pleasure to his large congregation. The reverend gentleman had been invited to accept a call to, and entered upon the duties of the pastorate of the church.

-Mackerel fishing is a pretty profitable pursuit for Prince Edward Islanders just now. On Friday last \$20 was asked in Charlottetown for a single half-barrel, and \$27 was paid for six half-barrels. One dealer stated that he had sold \$940 for 48 barrels.

-The inter-provincial conference closed its session at Quebec on Friday. It is stated that the financial propositions relating to the several provinces were of a particularly important nature and were highly endorsed by the present delegates; also that perfect good will and harmony marked all proceedings, and that unanimous and satisfactory conclusions were reached on all questions brought before the conference. The resolutions will not be made known to the press until after copies had been sent to the provincial governments and the dominion government. After the close of the conference the delegates were entertained at lunch by Premier Mercier. -Sun.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN. -British frigates have been ordered to the west coast of Africa, in consequence of trouble among the natives.

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UNDER THE VICTORIA. Jubilee Jewellery at Half-Paid Prices. Nov and until after the JUBILANT SEASON. I will offer to CASH CUSTOMERS selection from my splendid assortment of FINE GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES AND JEWELRY, CLOCKS AND SILVERWARE, DIAMONDS, and other fine goods at greatly reduced prices to ensure sales.

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