

**MINUTES**  
 OF THE  
**FIFTY-NINTH ANNUAL SESSION**  
 OF THE  
**FREE CHRISTIAN BAPTIST**  
**GENERAL CONFERENCE**  
 OF  
**NEW BRUNSWICK,**

HELD AT  
**MARYSVILLE, YORK CO., N. H.,**  
**October 10th, 12th, 13th, and 14th, 1891.**

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## SOCIAL CONFERENCE.

The General Conference of the Free Christian Baptist Church of New Brunswick met in Social Conference at Marysville, York County, on the morning of October 10, 1891, at 9.30 a m.

A large congregation, representing all parts of our denominational field, was in attendance, and for two hours and a half every moment was profitably occupied. Scores of warm Christian hearts, fired with love to Christ, and zeal for the interests of His cause, gave expression to their attachment in testimony, prayer, and praise. The meeting was presided over by Rev. Joseph Noble, and was of gratifying interest and deep spiritual power.

## SOCIAL SERVICES.

The Sabbath was a good day. The attendance at the services was large, and their influence good. There was Prayer meeting at 9 a. m., led by Rev. G. Swim. The Preaching was as follows :

MARYSVILLE, Free Baptist,	10.30 a. m.	Annual sermon,	REV. A. C. THOMPSON.
"	"	..... 2.30 p. m....	" W. M. KNOLLIN.
"	"	..... 7.30 p. m....	" G. A. HARTLEY.
"	Methodist,	.....10.30 a. m....	" J. T. PARSONS.
"	"	..... 7.00 p. m....	" C. T. PHILLIPS.
GIBSON,	"	..... 7.00 p. m....	" G. F. CURRIE.
PENNIAC,	"	..... 3.00 p. m....	" T. O. DEWITT.
GIBSON,	Baptist,	.....11.00 a. m....	" G. W. FOSTER.
"	"	..... 7.00 p. m....	" B. H. NOBLES.
FREDERICTON, F. Baptist,	.....11.00 a. m....	"	J. J. BARNES.
"	"	..... 6.30 p. m....	" G. SWIM.
"	Methodist,	.....11.00 a. m....	" B. H. NOBLES.
"	Baptist,	.....11.00 a. m....	" J. W. CLARK.
"	"	..... 6.30 p. m....	" DR. HOPPER.
KESWICK, Free Baptist,	..... 7.00 p. m....	"	F. C. HARTLEY.

# MINUTES.

THE FREE CHRISTIAN BAPTIST GENERAL CONFERENCE of New Brunswick, convened with the F. C. B. Church, Marysville, York County, N. B., on Saturday, the 10th day of October, 1891, at 2.30 o'clock, p. m., the Moderator—Rev. Joseph Noble—in the Chair.

Opened by Singing, and Prayer by Rev. T. S. VanWart. Rev. G. A. Hartley was appointed to act as Recording Secretary during the temporary absence of D. McLeod Vince.

The Roll was then called, when the following members were found to be present :

## OFFICERS:

- REV. JOSEPH NOBLE, *Moderator.*
- “ A. C. THOMPSON, *Assistant Moderator.*
- “ J. WESLEY CLARK, *Corresponding Sec'y.*

## MEMBERS :

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| REV. G. A. HARTLEY,    | REV. HENRY HARTT,      |
| “ THOMAS CONNOR,       | “ J. J. BARNES,        |
| “ JOHN G. MCKENZIE,    | “ O. N. MOTT,          |
| “ WILLIAM DOWNEY,      | “ G. W. FOSTER,        |
| “ J. T. PARSONS,       | “ G. F. CURRIE,        |
| “ J. N. BARNES,        | “ B. H. NOBLES,        |
| “ T. S. VANWART,       | “ W. H. PERRY,         |
| “ T. O. DEWITT,        | “ GIDEON SWIM,         |
| “ JOSEPH MCLEOD, D. D. | “ A. H. MCLEOD,        |
| “ ELIJAH GRAY,         | “ C. B. LEWIS,         |
| “ C. T. PHILLIPS,      | “ F. C. HARTLEY, A. B. |
| “ JOHN S. JONES,       | “ H. ALLEN BONNELL,    |
| “ T. W. CARPENTER,     | “ ABNER MCNINTCH,      |
| “ JOHN HENDERSON,      | “ LEMUEL A. COSMAN.    |

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" R. W. CARPENTER,

MR. S. J. PERRY,  
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E. W. SLIPP, Esq., *Treasurer F. M. Executive.*

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L. G. SLIPP, Esq., and E. C. FREEZE, Esq., *Honorary Members  
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REV. W. M. KNOLLIN, *Delegate from Free Baptist General  
Conference of Nova Scotia.*

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The Moderator announced that he had associated with himself Rev. W. Downey, and Rev. Dr. McLeod, as a Committee on Preaching Arrangements.

Rev. J. Wesley Clark, Corresponding Secretary, submitted the following Report :

BROTHER MODERATOR AND DEAR BRETHREN :

Another chapter in our history as a Christian Denomination has been filled. We need to examine the record of work done, of results achieved. First of all, it becomes us, with devout hearts, to acknowledge the goodness and mercy of God, who has given us the year and its blessed opportunities. "How great is Thy goodness!" may well be the exclamation of every heart.

The ministry of the Church at home has not suffered loss by death during the year. Those who are not incapacitated by age and its infirmities, have been active in the work. More churches have had the services of pastors; more evangelistic work has been done; the additions to the Churches have been larger; and there is reason to believe that the spiritual life of the Churches, as a whole, is better than for several years.

It cannot be claimed that there have been no defects; no failures to make the best use of opportunities; no facts and influences that have had a weakening effect, making our success less than was possible. And your Secretary does not attempt to make it appear that the activities of ministers and churches have been ideal, leaving nothing more or better to be desired. But of the good degree of devotion, and the earnest activity manifest during the year, and the fact that God has graciously deigned to bless these in so large a measure, record is gratefully made. But with the thanksgiving to God there should be coupled humiliation, on account of our shortcomings; and out of these two feelings should be evolved a purpose to undertake still larger things for God. God has given us a larger field, brethren. We have the men and the facilities with which to give it the needed religious teaching and care. Our responsibility is great, but not greater than we should gladly undertake. Under God our success in the work He has appointed us depends on adherence, both theoretically and practically, to New Testament teaching, as we understand it, and as set forth in our Treatise of Faith; the simple and loving teaching of these doctrines, faithfulness to our oft declared principles on all questions affecting morality and religion, refusal to compromise in any degree with the spirit of the world, and withal, reliance on the Divine Spirit, without whose abiding

presence and almighty power all human efforts, however well intended, fall short of accomplishing the gracious purposes of God.

With a sad heart we have to record the sudden and to us unlooked for death of our beloved brother, the late Rev. A. B. Boyer. Five years ago he was ordained by this Conference and accepted as our missionary for India. Since that time until his death, which occurred on the 7th of June last, in Balasore, India, he worked with great skill and zeal to convert the heathen. He was in love with God and his work; and "to him to live was Christ, and to die was gain."

### FIRST DISTRICT.

This District held its annual session with the Church at Bumfrau, on the second Saturday of July last. It was an interesting session. The presence of the Lord was with His people, who gave thanks to God for His great love to them, and for His mighty power to save. Sinners were impressed with their need of salvation, a number of them seeking an interest in the prayers of the Church.

The faithful and highly appreciated labors of Rev. J. J. Barnes have been continued to most of the Churches in this District through another year. Brother Barnes has had the pastoral care of the Lower Perth, Bumfrau, Bath, Wicklow and Wright Settlement Churches, and as opportunity has afforded has given attention to the weaker churches beyond his pastorate. One was added to the Church at Bumfrau by baptism.

The Arthurette and Long Island Churches have been pastorally cared for by Rev. L. A. Cosman. Brother Cosman has done good work on the Tobique division of the District, and the Churches were hoping to secure his services for another year. Three were added by baptism to the Church at Long Island.

Though but few additions have been made to the Churches of this District during the year, the good seed is being sown, and in God's time will spring up and bear fruit unto His glory.

All of the Churches which have had pastoral care report themselves hopeful and in good standing. There are, however, other Churches from which little or nothing has been heard. The District Meeting appointed a committee to visit them, presuming they were in need, and hoping to encourage and help them.

Seven of the churches have had pastoral care during the year. The same number have regular weekly prayer meetings. Seven hold monthly conference meetings.

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baptism, 4; by letter, 2; total, 6; less by decrease, none; net increase, 6.

Money raised for support of ministry,.....	\$470 00
Current Church expenses,.....	8 00
Buildings and improvements,.....	135 00
Total,.....	\$613 00

### SECOND DISTRICT.

The annual session of this District was held with the Church at Victoria Corner on the last Friday in June last. The meetings were largely attended by people from all parts of the County, and the presence of the Lord was manifested.

Rev. C. T. Phillips continues to be the much appreciated pastor of the First Church, Woodstock. The pastor, assisted by Rev. Dr. McLeod, held special services with this Church during a part of the winter: One of the results was the addition of thirty-three by baptism and eight by letter.

The Tracy's Mills and Knoxford Churches have had the pastoral care of Rev. J. W. Clarke. During a part of the months of February and March the pastor, assisted by Rev. Dr. McLeod, held special services with the Tracy's Mills Church. Thirty-nine were added by baptism.

Rev. John Perry has had the pastoral care of the Churches at Waterville and Connell. Two have been added by letter to the Waterville Church.

The Upper Brighton, Hartland, and Lower Brighton Churches have been cared for by Rev. Joseph Noble. Three were added by baptism to the Upper Brighton Church, three by baptism to the Hartland Church; and one by baptism and three by letter to Lower Brighton Church. Large accessions have been made to two of these Churches since District Meeting, a report of which will be made next year. The special services and earnest labors of Rev. William Downey were greatly blessed.

Victoria Corner, Third Tier, and Somerville Churches have had pastoral care from Rev. Gideon Swim. These Churches have been encouraged and otherwise helped through the labor of the pastor. Bro. Swim has also been pastor of the Coldstream and Rockland Churches. Two were added by baptism to the Coldstream Church.

Rev. Henry Hartt has had pastoral charge of the Brookville and Charleston Churches. The pastor added three to the Brookville Church by letter.

Rev. E. B. Gray has given regular pastoral attention to the

Churches at Knowlesville and Gordonsville. One was added by baptism and two by letter to the Gordonsville Church, and six-teen by baptism and four by letter to the Knowlesvills Church.

The Church at the Seventh Tier, Jacksontown, report Rev. Thomas Connor as pastor; and the Church at Windsor report Rev. A. B. McNitch as pastor. Bro. McNitch's labor with this Church must have been short, as he removed to another Dis-trict early in the year.

River Bank, Pembroke, Lakeville, Bristol, Jacksonville, Second and Third Woodstock, Lower Wakefield, and Foreston Churches reported verbally. None of these Churches have had pastoral care.

The District anxiously hopes that all its Churches may be sup-plied with pastors, and have arranged to hold protracted meetings with those that are in such need.

Since the District Meeting the Pembroke Church has been blessed with a gracious revival of religion under the labor of Rev. William Downey.

Father Sipprell is still living, and, for one of his many years, is healthy and well. He frequently tells of his interest in the denomination. Rev. S. W. Shaw is in poor health.

The spiritual condition of many of the Churches in this Dis-trict is reported good. All the Churches reported hold weekly prayer meetings and monthly conference meetings.

The number added by baptism to the Churches of this Dis-trict is 98; by letter 23; total 121; less by decrease, 63; net increase, 58.

Monies paid for support of Ministry,.....	\$2,397 00
Current Church expenses,.....	592 25
Buildings and Improvements,.....	178 00
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Total,.....	\$3,167 25

**THIRD DISTRICT.**

This District held its annual meeting with the Church at Bear Island, on the third Friday in September. Of its twenty-one churches, but nine of them reported by letter; one other reported verbally.

The Churches at Lower Canterbury, Campbell Settlement, Middle Southampton and Upper Hainsville have been strength-ened and otherwise helped by the pastoral attention of Rev. F. A. Bonnell.

Rev. Wm. Downey is reported pastor of the Churches at Mouth Keswick and Nashwaak. No additions are reported.

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Licentiate William Currie as their pastor. No additions by baptism or letter.

Rev. F. C. Hartley has devoted all his time as pastor of the church at Fredericton. This church reports an addition of thirty-two—twenty-six by baptism and six by letter.

Of the other Churches in this District, some of them, it is said, are barely holding their own, while others of them are evidently declining. The District Meeting expressed its regret concerning the low and weak condition of so many of its Churches, and made several recommendations, in the hope that next year a more favorable condition of its Churches might be reported.

Five pastors labored in this District during the year, all of whom did faithful and efficient work.

District Meeting license was granted to Bro. Winslow Currie.

To the Churches of this District have been added by baptism, 26; by letter, 6; total, 32; less by decrease, 30; net increase, 2.

Monies raised for support of ministry,.....	\$1,566 00
Current Church expenses,.....	529 00
Buildings and improvements,.....	104 80

Total, .....

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#### FOURTH DISTRICT.

The annual session of this District was held with the Church at Patterson Settlement, on the second Saturday in September. Of the fifteen Churches comprising this District fourteen of them reported.

Blissville, Patterson Settlement and Mill Settlement Churches have enjoyed the pastoral labors of Rev. W. Perry for another year. Three were added to the Blissville Church by letter.

Rev. G. W. Foster spent all of his time as pastor of the Fredericton Junction, Tracy Station and Little Lake Churches. Bro. Foster's labors with the Fredericton Junction Church were blessed with revival, when nine were added by baptism and one by letter. Two were also added by baptism to the Tracy Station Church.

Waasis, Waterville and Greenfield Churches have had attention and labor from Licentiate J. Lewis. Bro. Lewis's labors were much blessed in connection with the church at Waasis; eight were added by baptism and one by letter.

The church at Rusagornish has had no pastor; but was greatly revived and strengthened by special meetings, conducted by Rev. W. Downey, in the month of March last. Bro. Downey

added twenty-nine to this church—twenty-eight of them by baptism, and one by letter.

Since March last the Church at Lincoln has had some attention and labor from Rev. Dr. McLeod. The Doctor held some special services with this Church, and added nine to its membership by baptism and one by letter.

The Upper Gagetown Church appointed delegates to represent it at the District Meeting. They failed, however, to attend. It was reported by Licentiate Lewis, who labored with them some part of his time, that it is not very strong. The Geary and Victoria Settlements Churches have had no pastor. They are both weak. Licentiate Lewis has visited them.

Oromocto is weak, with only nine resident members. They have completed their place of worship, and are hoping for better days.

Eleven of the Churches have monthly conference meetings, and nine weekly prayer meetings.

To the Churches of this District have been added by baptism 56 ; by letter, 7 ; total, 63 ; less by decrease, 26 ; net increase, 37.

Monies raised for support of Ministry,.....	\$1,174 71
Current Church expenses, .....	165 39
Buildings and improvements,.....	115 65
Total,.....	\$1,455 75

### FIFTH DISTRICT.

This District held its Annual Meeting with the Jerusalem Church in Queens County, on the first Wednesday in July last. Sixteen Churches' were reported.

The First Greenwich, Fifth Hampstead, and First Westfield Churches have had the pastoral care of Rev. J. G. McKenzie. Bro. McKenzie added one by baptism to First Greenwich Church, and thirteen by baptism and three by letter to the Fifth Hampstead Church, together with sixteen others at the organization. This Church was formerly a branch of the Third Church, Hampstead. It is now independent, and was received into the District at its last annual session. The labors of Brother McKenzie have been blessed in a large degree.

The Second Greenwich Church has had pastoral care from Rev. J. A. Robertson for one fourth of the time. They report the cause low, with but few attending conference and other meetings.

The First, Second and Fourth Hampstead Churches have been cared for by Licentiate S. J. Perry. One was added by letter to the first named Church, and two by letter to the second named.

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Tender reference was made by the First Hampstead Church to the death of our beloved Missionary, the late Rev. A. B. Boyer. Allusion was also made to Temperance work, and to the temperance record of the denomination, and is hopefully looking forward to the day when prohibition shall be had from one end of the Dominion to the other. They deplorably speak of their loss of many of the faithful of the Church, which has tended to weaken the progress and support of the cause.

The Second Church, Hampstead, report their meetings as fairly well attended, but that the spiritual life is deficient, which in one way is shown by a small attendance at the Conference meetings. They have tenderly referred to the death of Bro. Boyer, and have offered prayer for the comfort of the widow and fatherless.

Rev. T. W. Carpenter has cared for the Third Hampstead Church. Five were added by baptism, and three by letter. The withdrawal of fifteen of the members, together with the loss of others by death, has considerably reduced the membership, and has somewhat weakened this Church. Bro. Carpenter's labors are highly spoken of, and good is said of Zion. Brother Carpenter was also pastor of the Fourth Wickham Church until last General Conference. One was added by letter.

The First Johnston and Fifth Wickham Churches have had Rev. O. N. Mott as pastor. The second named report the interest low, and but few to bear the burdens.

The First Church, Kars, has had no pastor and no additions. The Second Kars Church has had the pastoral care of Rev. J. N. Barnes, and has had two additions by letter.

The First, Second, Fourth, and Sixth Wickham Churches have been cared for by Rev. C. B. Lewis. The two first named were blessed with revival through the labors of the pastor. Ten were added by baptism.

The Sixth Wickham Church reports some of its members as being more than usually active religiously, and that the pastor's labors are highly appreciated.

All the Churches in this District hold monthly conference meetings, while only four report midweek prayer meetings.

The number added by baptism to Churches of this District is 31; by letter 10; total 41; less by decrease, 35; net increase, 6.

Money raised for support of Ministry,.....	\$792 00
Current Church expenses, .....	121 43
Buildings and improvements, .....	641.73

Total,..... \$1,555 16

### SIXTH DISTRICT.

This District held its annual meeting with the Coverdale Church, in Westmorland County, on the second Friday in July last. Twenty-six of its thirty-two churches reported.

Penobsquis, Sussex and Dutch Valley Churches have enjoyed the regular pastoral attention of Rev. A. M. McNinch. One was added by baptism to the Church at Dutch Valley.

Rev. William DeWare, the pastor of the Snider Mountain, Millstream Mountain, Head of Millstream, Lower Millstream and Apohaqui Churches, has given faithful and successful work to his pastorate. Bro. DeWare's labors were greatly blessed in connection with the Snider Mountain Church. Fourteen were added by baptism to this Church and two by letter. One was added by baptism to the Lower Millstream Church, and two by baptism to the Head of Millstream Church.

The Norton Station, Midland and Long Point Churches have enjoyed the pastoral care of Rev. T. S. VanWart. Eleven were added by baptism to the Midland Church, and one by baptism to the Church at Norton Station.

Lewis Mountain, North River No. 2, and Wheaton Settlement Churches have been cared for by Licentiate A. Perry. His labors have been greatly blessed, and precious revivals have been enjoyed in all the Churches of this pastorate. Eleven were added by baptism and one by letter to the Lewis Mountain Church; twenty-eight by baptism and two by letter to the No. 2 North River Church, and two by baptism and two by letter to the Church at Wheaton Settlement.

The Coverdale, Portage, Petitcodiac and Rockland Churches have enjoyed the pastoral care of Rev. A. C. Thompson for another year. The last named church was favored with a gracious revival, when twelve were added by baptism and two by letter. Three were also added by baptism to the Petitcodiac Church, and one by letter to the Church at Coverdale.

Rev. J. N. Barnes has been pastor of the Cornhill, Canaan Forks and Lower Ridge Churches, in all of which he has been blessed with revival. Eighteen have been added by baptism to the Corn Hill Church, four by baptism to the Canaan Forks Church, and twelve by baptism and one by letter to the Lower Ridge Church.

Rev. G. F. Currie has spent all his time as pastor of the Church at Moncton. The pastor added three by baptism and three by letter to this Church.

Lutes Mountain, Taylor Village, Dover and Victoria Road Churches have had no pastor during the year.

Kingston, Erb Settlement, Steves Settlement and Newtown Churches sent no report.

The District Clerk, referring to the spiritual condition of the Churches, states "that they are improving. Though some of them are weak and low, they have an anxiety to advance in the Christian life. They feel the need of more systematic work in the finances of the Churches and in Sabbath-school work; and are desiring such arrangement of the pastorates as that the weaker churches shall receive help from the stronger."

Twenty-four of the Churches have monthly conference meetings, and nineteen have weekly prayer meetings.

There have been added by baptism, 123; by letter, 16; total, 139; less by decrease, 41; net increase, 98.

Monies raised for support of ministry,.....	\$2,459 33
Current Church expenses, .....	480 88
Buildings and improvements,.....	523 55

Total,..... \$3,463 76

Church property is worth \$37,025.00.

### SEVENTH DISTRICT.

The annual session of this District was held with the Fair Haven Church, Deer Island, on the third Saturday in August last. This District has often experienced difficulty in getting to and from the places of its annual meetings. This year that difficulty was equal to or greater than ever before; but notwithstanding the high winds and roughness of the passage, there was a good representation from all the Churches but one.

The Waterloo St. Church, St. John, has had the continued and faithful labors of Rev. J. T. Parsons for another year. The blessing of revival was again enjoyed, and eight were added by baptism and four by letter.

Rev. O. N. Mott has spent half of his time as pastor of the Church at Wilson's Beach, Campobello. Bro. Mott's earnest labors were much appreciated, and were encouraging and helpful to the Church.

The Church at Carleton, St. John, has enjoyed the pastoral labors of Rev. G. A. Hartley during another year. His many years of service with this Church have been attended with much success. The past year has not been one of revival with his Church, yet three have been added by baptism.

The Churches on Grand Manan, viz., North Head, Grand Harbor and Seal Cove, have had pastoral care from Rev. T. O. Dewitt. The pastor added fifteen by baptism and three by

letter to the Church at North Head, and six by baptism and seven by letter to the Church at Grand Harbor.

Licentiate Irvine Harvey has extended care to the Church at White Head. One was added by baptism.

The Castalia Church sent no report.

Rev. Benjamin H. Nobles has spent another year as pastor of the Church on Victoria Street, St. John. One was added by baptism.

The Chocolate Cove, Fair Haven and Northern Harbor Churches (all of which are on Deer Island) have received and been profited by the labors of Rev. A. H. McLeod.

The Church at Beaver Harbor, during the first part of the year, was visited by Revs. G. A. Hartley, F. Babcock and others. During the last few months Licentiate David Long has preached for them on alternate Sabbaths.

Eleven of the thirteen churches reported have had pastoral care all or a part of the time.

The Lord's Supper is celebrated in all these Churches, and weekly prayer meetings are regularly held. The year's work on this field, all things considered, has been fairly good, and the Churches as a whole are in a healthy condition.

The number added by baptism to the Churches of this District is 34; by letter, 15; total, 49; less by decrease, 35; net increase, 14.

All the Churches report monthly conference meetings.

It was voted at the last annual session to have a temperance pledge in all the Sabbath-schools.

Monies raised for support of ministry,.....	\$3,465 00
Current Church expenses,.....	1,968 51
Buildings and improvements,.....	1,811 18
Total,.....	\$7,244 69

The Church property is worth \$30,800.00.

This year there has been a net increase in all the Districts. The total number of Churches comprising the several Districts is 146, of which 119 reported. One hundred and thirteen of the Churches have had regular pastoral care. The total number added to all the Churches by baptism is 372; by letter, 79; total, 451.

Total amount paid in all the Districts for support of ministry,.....	\$12,324 04
Current Church expenses,.....	3,857 46
Buildings and improvements,.....	3,509 91

Grand total,..... \$19,691 41



exclusive of the amounts contributed for Home and Foreign Missions, Relief of Sick and Disabled Ministers, Conference Fund, and Education, which will be reported by the Treasurer of those Societies.

The facts as they have come to me are before you. They are, as intimated in the outset, in many respects gratifying. To God be praise for the good He has made it possible to set forth.

It is now our duty to give careful consideration to the features of our denominational life which show neglect and inefficiency. There are no difficulties in our work with which we may not cope, and successfully. God will help us to make strength where now is weakness; to more success where now we deplore failure. "The Lord our God be with us, as He was with our fathers."

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. CLARKE,

*Corresponding Secretary.*

Marysville, N. B., Oct. 10th, 1891.

On motion of Rev. J. T. Parsons, seconded by Rev. Gideon Swim, and supported by Rev. Abner McNintch and Rev. G. A. Hartley,

1. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Corresponding Secretary be adopted.

Rev. W. N. Knollin, Corresponding Delegate from the Free Baptist General Conference of Nova Scotia, was introduced. He congratulated the Conference on the successful year. Though so long absent from the Province—24 years, he has not, he said, lost his interest in the old home. He has watched our progress with interest, and is happy that the work is prospering. He was glad to be able to say that the last year in Nova Scotia was better than either of the four or five years immediately preceding it. One cause of encouragement is that all their Churches but one have pastors. They have sometimes suffered from scarcity of ministers to cover the field. It must not be thought, he said, that their Churches do not produce ministers. Many of their young men go to larger fields. Sometimes

he queries whether it is right for the children to thus abandon the parent, but comforts himself with the knowledge that their men are occupying good positions among our brethren in the States. Those who have remained in the home work are doing good service. If they had one more they would have their field provided with pastors, and he intimated that he would be glad to get the needed man from New Brunswick.

Last year their contributions to the cause were up to the average, and there had been more revivals than for several years. About every Church had additions. The late Conference was, he said, the best held for years. He referred to the movement looking towards the union of Free Baptist bodies in the Provinces, and hope it may be effected. He spoke also of the steps taken towards organic union with the Reformed Baptists, and thought at least a better feeling and better work would result.

The Free Baptists of Nova Scotia are, he said, encouraged in their work. The Lord is with them, and they are purposed to push their cause in His name. He assured the Conference that its delegates were always welcomed to Nova Scotia, and desired the continuance of the correspondence.

On Motion of Rev G. F. Currie, seconded by Rev. C. T. Phillips,

2. *Resolved*, That the Conference heartily welcomes Rev. W. N. Knollin, Corresponding Delegate from the Free Baptist General Conference of Nova Scotia, and is glad to hear of the success of our Brethren across the Bay.

Rev. J. N. Barnes, Corresponding Delegate to the Free Baptist General Conference of Nova Scotia, submitted the following Report :

DEAR BRETHREN :—Your Delegate to the Free Baptist General Conference of Nova Scotia, was, in the Providence of God, permit-

ted to attend their meeting on the tenth of Sept., at Beaver River. Your Delegate received a very hearty welcome, and extended to that body the fraternal greetings of this General Conference. Your Delegate found them earnestly and very faithfully at work, laboring to extend the Redeemer's Kingdom in their own Province, and in the Foreign Field. It afforded me much pleasure to participate with them in the blessing of God that so largely attended their session. In the afternoon it was my privilege to speak the Word of Life to a very large and attentive congregation. Your Delegate, on behalf of this Conference, asked for the continuance of the Delegation, and Bro. Knollin was appointed, whom we greet here to-day.

Respectfully submitted,

J. N. BARNES.

Marysville, Oct. 10, 1891.

On Motion of Rev. Thos. S. VanWart.

3. *Resolved*, That the Report just read be adopted.

*Ordered*, That we do now adjourn till 7:30 o'clock p. m.

Closed with Prayer by Rev. J. T. Parsons.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1891.

Conference met at 7:30 o'clock, p. m. Assistant Moderator, Rev. A. C. Thompson, in the Chair.

Opened by Singing, and Prayer by Mr. David Long.

Minutes of Afternoon Session read.

*Ordered*, That the Minutes, as read, stand approved.

The Recording Secretary, D. McLeod Vince, having arrived, took his seat as a Member of Conference.

The Recording Secretary read a letter from Hon. G. E. Foster, D. C. L., Auditor, applying for leave of absence.

*Ordered*, That leave of absence be granted to Hon. G. E. Foster, and that the Recording Secretary act as Auditor, *pro tem*.

The Recording Secretary read letter from James A. VanWart, Esq., A. M., Member of the Board of Managers, and a Member of the Foreign Mission Executive, resigning these positions.

*Ordered*, That the resignation of James A. VanWart, Esq., A. M., as a Member of the Board of Managers, and a Member of the Foreign Mission Executive, be accepted.

S. L. Peters, Esq., Corresponding Secretary of the Sabbath School Executive, submitted the following Report:

BROTHER MODERATOR:—Twelve months have passed away since I had the pleasure of presenting to this Conference my first report on our denominational Sabbath-School work. Honored with your confidence for a second term, it is now in order for me to lay before you the results of the Executive's labors for the year ending with the close of this Convention.

The First District reports four schools in connection with the Churches at Long Island, Arthurette, Perth and Upper Kent. Total number of pupils enrolled, 168; teachers, 18. Bumfrau and Bath have failed to report. Long Island and Perth schools are ever green; the latter has slightly increased in pupils, while its average attendance is somewhat less than last year. We have a gain of two schools reporting from this District the present year.

Second District: The Year Book for 1890 (Corresponding Secretary of Conference report) gives the number of Churches in this District as 28; 25 of which reported to the District Meeting of last year. Of those 25 Churches 15 reported Sabbath-Schools in connection with the Churches. This year your Executive have to report, with deep sorrow and regret, that only 6 of the 28 churches report schools. Those reporting are Tracy's Mills, Knowlesville, Third Tier, Seventh Tier, Gordonville and Coldstream. Of those that reported last year Knoxford, Windsor, Woodstock, Lower Brighton, Victoria Corner, Hartland, Upper Brighton, Somerville and Connell fail to report this year. Your Executive have no apology to offer this Conference for such a lamentable failure of duty on the part of those Churches and Sabbath Schools. They cannot believe it possible that the County of Carleton, in which this District is situate, has gone back on its splendid record in Sabbath-School work. If not, then have we not the right to ask as to whose negligence prevents this Conference from being in possession of the fullest information? A letter from the Clerk of the District—Bro. Owens—written on the 25th of September, states that he has delayed sending Sabbath-School reports until the present late period, hoping to receive others. He remarks: "I enclose you three, all I have received. I sent blanks to the Clerks of all the Churches in the District." The total number of pupils reported is 294, as against 787 last year; 27 teachers, as against 81 in 1890; 31

conversions. Tracy's Mills and Knowlesville report 37 signatures to temperance pledge.

Third District sends reports from seven schools—the same number as last year. Campbell Settlement sends no report. The Church at Marysville reports a school this year, which keeps the number intact. Total number of pupils, 462, as against 528 last year; teachers 46, as against 47 in last report. One conversion is reported. All are reported in a flourishing condition.

Fourth District sent returns of eight schools last year. This year the school at Waasis is the only one heard from. Two letters addressed to the Clerk of the District, asking to forward returns, failed to meet with any response. The references made in connection with the Second District will apply with much force to this District. Total number of pupils enrolled 65, as against 487 last year; teachers 4, as against 40 last report; six conversions in the school.

Fifth District reports eight schools as against nine last year. Two of those reported are new schools. The Churches at Bald Hill, Shannon Settlement, Oak Point, Bellisle Bay, Perry's Point, Akerly and Narrows, fail to report their schools. Hampstead, Upper Hampstead, Jerusalem, Hamilton's Mountain, Wickham, Hibernia, Central Hampstead and Upper Otnabog send returns of 298 pupils and 33 teachers, with nine conversions during the year. Four schools report 129 signatures to the temperance pledge.

The returns from the Sixth District stand as a bright oasis in our statistics of the year. Twenty-four Churches send reports of their schools, as against 19 last year. Whole number of pupils enrolled, 1,189; increase over last year, 359. Teachers, 109; increase over last year, 21. Ninety-three conversions. Coverdale school reports 56 signatures to temperance pledge.

Returns from the Seventh District are also of the most cheering character. Seven of its churches report schools with 1,112 pupils enrolled; increase over last year 27, with the schools at Wilson's Beach and Beaver Harbor not heard from (these two had an enrollment last year of 197). The net increase in the schools reported would therefore be 224. Teachers 91, as against 114 last year; the actual decrease, however, in the schools reported is only 3. Twenty-two conversions are reported. The St. John Waterloo St. School sends returns of 91 signatures to temperance pledge, and the St. John West End Church reports 607. These figures include all the signatures to the school pledge for past years, and have been transferred to the new rolls of honor prepared by the Executive, as per order of this Conference at its last yearly sitting.

The following tabulated statement will show in a more concise manner the facts in connection with our Schools:

# SABBATH SCHOOL STATISTICS.

No. of District.	No. of Schools.	Pupils enrolled.	Whole number.	Average attendance of Pupils.	No. of Teachers.	Average attendance of Teachers.	12 Months.	6 months.	Volumes in Library.	Cash received during year.	Value of School Property.	No. converted in the year.	Books used.	Papers used.	Both—B. and P.	Lesson Helps used.	Pastors' Attendance.	Prct of Ch mem's attendance.	Pr ct. attendance of child'n in Dist.	No. of signatures to Temp. Pledge & Roll of Honor.	
1st.	4	168	119	18	16	16	2	2	122	\$29 30	\$175 00	...	3	1	...	4	3	36	49	...	
2nd.	6	294	198	27	23	23	3	3	96	58 63	15 00	31	2	4	...	5	5	24	68	87	
3rd.	7	462	315	46	38	38	2	5	1150	89 00	204 00	1	5	2	...	6	4	10	51	62	
4th.	1	65	30	4	4	4	1	...	250	15 06	35 00	6	1	...	...	...	1	33	66	...	
5th.	8	298	179	33	25	25	1	7	661	71 29	100 00	9	4	2	2	5	2	28	78	129	
6th.	24	1189	811	109	93	93	8	16	1711	218 52	369 00	93	8	3	10	15	12	56	73	56	
7th.	9	1112	550	91	68	68	7	2	2175	448 88	1,075 00	22	7	7	7	7	7	15	79	698	
Total,	59	3588	2202	328	267	267	24	35	6165	\$930 68	1,973 00	162	30	19	19	42	34	22pc	46pc	932	1891
Total,	71	4193	2909	414	333	333	29	42	7829	\$1492 47	\$3422 25	110	23	12	30	51	48	31pc	...	...	1890

Leaving the statistical portion of our report for your consideration, the Committee beg to say that it is their belief that the interests of this denomination require that the returns from our Sunday-Schools should be surely made, and should also be as accurate and complete in all their details as is possible for earnest and faithful officials to make them. To secure that degree of accuracy and completeness which gives them value, should be the pride and ambition of those charged with its duties.

That there may be no misapprehension as to who are responsible for the discharge of those duties, the Committee have taken the liberty of embodying in this report that part of the constitution of Benevolent Societies adopted by this Conference in A. D. 1887, and published in the F. C. Baptist Hand-Book, page 57, referring to Sabbath-Schools and the duties of Churches, District Clerks and Sabbath-School Executives, and is as follows :

"It shall be the duty of the Executive for Sabbath-Schools to stimulate and extend the interest in Sabbath-School work in the denomination, employing to that end such means as may be required.

"The Sabbath-Schools in connection with our Churches shall report annually to the Clerks of their respective District Meetings, and the District Clerks shall report to the Corresponding Secretary, whose duty it shall be to prepare the Executive's annual report, and submit it to Conference.

The very gratifying results shown by the returns from the Sixth and Seventh Districts must cheer the heart of every member of this Conference; and had the other Districts given in their full returns, we feel quite sure that a considerable advancement has been made during the year.

Your Executive had two hundred Pledges and Rolls of Honor prepared, and have furnished one or more copies to every school of which they could ascertain any knowledge, and it is hoped that our next annual returns will show a very gratifying number of signatures to them.

We recognize that our Sabbath-School work is the work of the Church; that our aim should be to have all the Church in the School, and all the School in the Church; that every legitimate means should be used to awaken an interest in the schools, and to keep the interest steadily increasing. To this end we believe it very necessary that all the officials of our Churches should make special effort to be present at the Sabbath-School.

As an aid to increased interest in this work, your Committee recommend that the first Sabbath in September, 1892, be made one of special interest for the children in all our Churches, and be known as the Children's Sabbath; that the pastors of Churches be requested to arrange their discourses especially for the benefit and encouragement of the children; that the children be permitted

and encouraged to bring floral offerings to the Church, and to make such floral display as may be in good taste in the house of the Lord ; that they be invited to take a prominent part in the musical part of the service, and made generally to feel that the Church has a special interest in their wellbeing and future happiness ; that so far as may be possible, pastors will attend the session of the Sabbath-School on that day, and by words of encouragement sustain and increase the interest in Sabbath-School work ; the object of the day's exercises being to make it one of glad song and praise to Almighty God from aged, middle-aged and youth, and thus weld more closely the Churches' interest in the school.

We owe it to ourselves that the young people within our reach, and especially the children of Free Baptist parents, should grow up in and with our Churches. Around the hearth-stone it is your ambition that your children should grow up healthy both in body and mind ; you lavish upon them the most tender and unremitting care ; you seek to store their minds with such things as in your best judgment will be of the greatest service to them in the busy walks of life, upon which they are so soon to enter. This is all eminently proper, and deserves the highest commendation ; but ought you stop here ? Is it not your experience, my Christian brother and sister, that there is a higher and purer life that may be reached than mere scholastic attainments or worldly honors ; e'en to know that—

When peace like a river attendeth my way,  
 When sorrows like sea billows roll ;  
 Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say,  
 It is well, it is well with my soul.

Shall we not then by hallowed influences and Christian associations encourage them to seek the dear Saviour ? Do not forget to place a beautifully bound Bible in the hands of your children as soon as they can read ; give it to them for their very own. Point out to them some of the most precious truths contained therein ; encourage them to read the precious utterances of our dear Saviour, and the truths which only holy men of God could speak—truths which burn and flame with their own divinity ; underscore them if you will. So shall they be led from childhood to the stature of men and women, doing good service in the Church ; honored and beloved by all good citizens. Such is the work which the Sabbath School seeks to accomplish. Are you, my Christian brothers and sisters, engaged in it ?

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Executive,

S L. PETERS, *Corresponding Secretary.*

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 10th, 1891.



On motion of Rev. G. A. Hartley, seconded by Rev. C. T. Phillips, and supported by Rev. Dr. McLeod and Rev. T. O. DeWitt,

4. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Executive for Sabbath Schools, be adopted.

The Moderator appointed the following Committee on Nominations: Bros. E. F. Shaw, W. J. Webb, W. VanWart James S. Kinney, J. W. Carpenter, John Sharp and Leonard Dunphy.

On motion of Rev. G. Swim.

5. *Resolved*, That we do now adjourn to meet at 9.30 o'clock, a. m., 12th October, 1891.

Closed by Prayer, by Rev. E. Gray.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1891.

Conference met at 9 o'clock, a. m. Moderator in the Chair.

Opened by Singing, and Prayer by Rev. G. A. Hartley.  
Roll called.

Minutes of last Session read, and

*Ordered*, That the Minutes as read, stand approved,  
F. M. McLeod, Esq., A. B., Treasurer of Conference and  
B. S Palmer, Esq., Treasurer, and a Member of the Board  
of Managers, having arrived, took their seats as members  
of Conference.

Rev. A. C. Thompson was elected Moderator, and Rev.  
G. W. Foster Assistant Moderator.

Wm. Peters, Esq., late Treasurer of Conference, sub-  
mitted the following report:

FREE CHRISTIAN BAPTIST CONFERENCE,  
IN ACCOUNT WITH WILLIAM PETERS,  
LATE TREASURER.

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By Balance on hand at time of audit,.....	\$486 50
“ amounts received after audit—	
Church at Somerville,.....	2 00
“    Fredericton, .....	50
Sixth Church, Wickham,.....	3 25
	\$492 25
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Paid G. W. Day's bill, printing Year Book,...	\$220 50
“ Committee's expenses to attend Execu- tive meeting, .....	29 90
“ G. W. Day's bill, printing Temperance Pledge and Roll of Honor, .....	5 00
“ Proprietor of “Intelligencer,” as per vote of Conference,.....	100 00
“ Expenses Delegates to Nova Scotia,.....	11 00
	\$366 40
“ F. M. McLeod, new Treasurer,.....	125 85
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DEAR BRETHREN.—As the Conference is aware, I asked, at the close of the session last year, to be relieved from the office of Treasurer, but was requested to hold the office until the year's business was closed up, which I did, and have since then handed to my successor, Bro. McLeod, any monies that have come to me. In retiring, I have to thank you for the confidence you have had in me as an officer holding so responsible a position, and also for the honor done me in the many expressions of your confidence, and would bespeak for my successor the same confidence and help in his work.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM PETERS.

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 12, 1891.

*Ordered*, That the Report just read, be referred to the Auditor,

Rev. W. Downey, from Committee on the Sabbath, submitted the following Report :

**BROTHER MODERATOR**,—The Committee on the Sabbath beg leave to submit the following: God, in His wisdom, gave to man the command to keep the Sabbath day holy, and like all other of His commands, its observance is for man's highest good, and in the keeping of it there is great reward. Its influence, morally and spiritually, is designed of God to regulate, purify, and inspire the world to something better, truer, higher and holier than earth and sense can give. Its proper observance elevates man and brings him into closer contact with his Maker, by turning the mind, one day in seven, from the turmoils and perplexities of earth to the heavenly rest that will be a perpetual Sabbath.

Your Committee regrets very much the growing tendency of the times to drift away from the good old Puritanic mode of Sabbath keeping, believing as we do that the prosperity of any people must be largely affected by the manner in which it regards and obeys this divine command. Its faithful observance promotes prosperity, and its disregard must sooner or later work harm and ultimate ruin.

Your Committee, therefore, urge the importance of refraining from the breach of the Sabbath by visiting, unnecessary labor, pleasure seeking, travelling, worldly thought or conversation, burial of the dead when avoidable, or any other thing incompatible with the Divine command, "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy."

Respectfully submitted,

T. O. DEWITT.  
WM. DOWNEY.

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 12, 1889.

*Ordered*, That the Report just read, be adopted.

On motion of Rev. G. A. Hartley,

6. *Resolved*, That Rev. B. N. Nobles be invited to a seat with us.

Rev. G. A. Hartley, from Committee on Temperance, submitted the following Report:

**BROTHER MODERATOR**:—While your Committee believes the temperance reform is making encouraging progress, we also believe that at no period in its history has there been greater need for persistent and well-directed Christian effort to carry this good work on to safe results.

The importance of good, sound temperance work is unquestionless. No denomination of Christians can now reasonably hope

to gain any considerable proportions that does not take a firm and unflinching stand on this question. It is well known that Free Christian Baptists have given no uncertain sound in the temperance reform. Our reformation work, as such, has been regarded as subordinate only in importance to the care of our Churches and Sunday-Schools. Indeed, it has been closely allied with this part of our denominational work.

Intemperance is a conscienceless robber and a cold-blooded destroyer of manhood, whose evils cannot easily be exaggerated. It confronts the work and progress of the Christian Church, and challenges the very prophecies of its ultimate triumph. The church has no foe more implacable, or whose opposition is more diabolical. An enemy so mighty can be slain only by power divine. During our entire history we have been teaching and preaching that the gospel of Christ is the power of God; and is the only safe foundation for salvation from sin, even the sin of drunkenness; and this we still declare to be true. While we invoke the secular powers in this crusade, and stand pledged to seek legislative aid in the suppression of this vice, we do not, however, expect the world to be regenerated by human statutes. The gospel of the grace of God is our only hope. While active in efforts to secure the best possible legislation on this question, we should always relegate human enactments to a place subordinate to the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ. We should not depend too much upon state aid in any moral reform, but should always remember that our stronghold is the cardinal law of our Holy Christianity. Our mission is not one of reform only. We aim at the regeneration of men. All reform agencies that ignore the gospel are doomed to failure. True temperance is self-restraint and self-government, and for this men need internal strength and purity. As prohibitionists we are protectionists, and should ever use our undivided influence in securing good government, and in getting from that government the best possible reform statutory enactments. Society is formed to protect individuals, and government, which necessarily follows, is formed to protect society. But the ultimate purpose in all moral reform is not merely to build walls to protect from the ravages of evil, but to destroy the evil itself. This human laws cannot do. To condemn and even to curse an evil is not to cure it. We need remedy. The divine Christ must walk on these tumultuous waves and command "peace."

It is gratifying to know that the prohibition petition, with the signatures of more than nine hundred thousand of the Christian people of the Dominion, which was sent to parliament at Ottawa a few months since, has had good effect. Ministers of the

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Crown stated to the deputation that they must do something, and that the matter could not longer be ignored. This petition is referred to a Royal Commission, to be soon appointed, whose duty it will be to examine into and to report upon the whole liquor question. Let us hope that much good may come from this investigation.

Your Committee recommends that the Committee on Temperance, appointed by Conference this year, be instructed to cooperate with like committees of other religious bodies in such ways as may be found necessary, and that they watch with care this whole movement, doing all they can to forward the work so well begun, until the results of the petition and the labors of the Royal Commission shall be fully known.

Your Commission wishes to express its appreciation of a neat Temperance Pledge and Roll of Honor, provided by the Executive for Sabbath-Schools, for the use of our Sabbath-Schools. We hope that the names of all the pupils in every school in the denomination may be enrolled on them at once. We would emphasize the importance of diligent care and faithfulness on the part of Sabbath-School officers and teachers in the inculcation of sound temperance principles in the minds of our children. Too much importance cannot be attached to the proper teaching and training of children and young people in both scientific and practical temperance principles.

"And let us not be weary in well doing; for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not."

Respectfully submitted,

G. A. HARTLEY,  
T. S. VANWART,  
G. J. WORDEN,  
A. C. THOMPSON.

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 12, 1891.

On motion of Rev. G. A. Hartley,

7. *Resolved*, That the Report just read, be adopted.

Rev. Dr. McLeod submitted the following Report:

**Prohibition Petition Report.**

BROTHER MODERATOR:—During this year a movement to petition Parliament in favor of Prohibition of the liquor traffic was carried out. The movement was proposed at the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, the other denominations earnestly co-operating. The form of Petition was as follows:

*"To the Honorable the House of Commons of Canada:*

The undersigned members and adherents of the.....Free Baptist Church, in the County (City) of .....Province of ..... and Dominion of Canada, and others, not less than sixteen years of age, humbly sheweth :—

That the general traffic in Intoxicating Liquors is a recognized evil, producing a large proportion of the poverty, suffering, disorder and crime in our Dominion.

That your petitioners believe that a law enacted by your Honorable House, prohibiting the importation, manufacture and sale of all Alcoholic Liquors for all beverage purposes, and containing ample provisions for its strict enforcement by the proper authorities, will greatly diminish these and other evils, and largely increase the prosperity, and promote the health, peace, and morals of our country.

*Therefore*, your petitioners respectfully pray that your Honorable House may be pleased forthwith to enact such a prohibitory law. And your petitioners will ever pray."

The petitions were to be signed by all the members and adherents of churches, not less than sixteen years of age. It devolved upon me to have charge of the petitions for the Free Baptist Churches in New Brunswick. I sent forms of Petition, with circular letter containing instructions, to all the Churches, and solicited the active co-operation of ministers and others in securing signatures. I received returns from 82 Churches, then petitions containing an aggregate of 6,439 names. These I forwarded to M. P.'s and Senators, according to the Counties from which they came, and they were duly presented to Parliament. Though the number of signatures obtained was quite large, many more might have been secured, I think, and would have been, if the same efforts had been made in all the churches that was made in most of those which responded,

In 1873 the petitions presented contained about 500,000 names. This year they had over 900,000 names, nearly if not quite double those of 1873. This shows clearly enough a marked increase of Prohibitory sentiment in the country, and a deepened and deepening determination to have the iniquitous liquor traffic dealt with and prohibited by legal enactment.

The petitions made a noticeable impression on Parliament. As never before, it was acknowledged by both political parties, that "Prohibition is coming," that something must be done to meet the demands of the people, by whom and for whom Parliament exists. The resolution authorizing the appointment of a Royal Commission to examine into the question of Prohibition, may be attributed, in large degree, to the effect produced by the petitions.

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From the investigations of the Commission, when the results are placed before Parliament and the country, much good may be expected—a long step towards the desired Prohibitory Law.

Respectfully submitted,

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 12, 1891.

Jos. McLEOD,

*Ordered*, That the Report just read, be adopted.

Rev. J. T. Parsons, from Elder's Conference, submitted the following Report :

**BROTHER MODERATOR** :—At the session of Elders' Conference, held on Friday last, Rev. A. G. Downey appeared before that body presenting, letters of commendation from the denomination to which he belongs and the churches with which he has labored, requesting membership with us. He was examined carefully as to doctrine and polity, and from the satisfactory nature of such examination, and the credentials presented, on motion it was resolved "that Rev. A. G. Downey be recommended for membership in our General Conference."

Respectfully submitted,

J. T. PARSONS,

*Sec. Elders' Conference.*

Marysville, N. B., October 12, 1891.

On motion of Rev. G. A. Hartley, seconded by Rev. E. B. Gray,

8. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Elder's Conference be adopted, and that the Rev. Andrew G. Downey, of the Free Will Baptist Central Association of New York, be received, and become a Member of this Conference as a regularly ordained Minister. Rev. A. G. Downey then took his seat as a Member of Conference.

E. F. Shaw, Esq., from the Committee on Nomination<sup>r</sup> submitted the following Report :

**BROTHER MODERATOR** :—Your Committee on Nominations beg to submit the following Report.

1.—COMMITTEE ON ABSENT BRETHREN.

Bros. John Henderson, J. N. Barnes, G. Swim, L. Dumphy and James A. Hayward.

2.—COMMITTEE ON COLLECTIONS.

Bros. J. J. Barnes, Samuel Foster, A. C. Smith, M. Fenwick and W. Shepherd.

3.—COMMITTEE ON APPEALS.  
Bros. T. O. DeWitt, A. W. Rideout, John Sharp, D. S. Duplisea  
and G. J. Worden.

4.—COMMITTEE ON DECEASED BRETHREN  
Bros. Joseph Nobles, J. C. McKenzie, C. T. Phillips, T. S. Van-  
Wart and Elijah Gray.

5.—COMMITTEE ON CORRESPONDENCE.  
Bros. J. W. Clark, A. H. McLeod, W. H. Perry, J. U. Burnett  
and W. Whittaker.

6.—COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT MEETINGS.  
Bros. W. Downey, E. F. Shaw, W. McGee, A. W. Mersereau, T.  
McFarland, Albert Palmer and W. Peters.

7. Your Committee request leave to sit again.

Respectfully submitted,

E. F. SHAW, *Chairman.*

October 12, 1891

*Ordered*, That the Report just read, be taken up section  
by section,

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Sections adopted.

Rev. Dr. McLeod read a letter from Rev. J. E. Gosline,  
asking for a letter of dismissal.

9. *Resolved*, That the Rev. S. E. Gosline be granted a letter of  
dismissal from this Conference.

On motion of Rev. C. T. Phillips, seconded by Rev. Dr.  
McLeod, and supported by Rev. G. A. Hartley and Rev.  
J. W. Clarke,

*Whereas* Brother Peters tendered his resignation of Treasurer  
of this Conference, (which was accepted by the Executive last  
November); and

*Whereas*, Brother Peters has never once in all these years been  
absent from Conferenc; and not only has his work as Treasurer  
been faithfully performed, (which involved much work), but he  
has ever been ready to give his best services to all the work of  
the Conference as far as he could. Therefore,

10. *Resolved*, That this Conference puts on record its appre-  
ciation of the valuable services he has rendered for more than  
thirty-five years; and

*Further Resolved*, That this Conference also expresses the hope



that for many years to come Brother Peters may take part in the deliberations of the body with which he has been so long identified.

On motion of Rev. G. Swim,

*Ordered*, That we do now adjourn till 1.30 o'clock, p. m.

Closed by Prayer, by Rev. A. H. McLeod.

Conference met at 1.30 o'clock, p. m., pursuant to adjournment. The Moderator, Rev. A. C. Thompson, in the Chair.

Opened by Singing, and Prayer by Rev. Gideon Swim. Minutes of Forenoon Session read, and

*Ordered*, That Minutes as read, stand approved.

Rev. W. DeWare having arrived, took his seat as a member of Conference.

On motion of Rev. W. Downey, seconded by Rev. Gideon Swim.

*Whereas*, There has been, during the present year, a lamentable increase in the running of Sunday Railway trains and steamboats;

*And whereas*, We believe in most cases it can be avoided, and that it is a direct violation of the command, "Thou shalt remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy."

*Therefore* 11. *Resolved*, That we, as a Christian body, place on record our most emphatic disapproval of the running of regular or excursion trains or steamboats, on Sundays, by any Government, corporation, company, or individual whomsoever, as we deem it an aggravated breach of the Law of God, the spirit of the statutory enactment of this Dominion and the moral and religious sensibilities of this Christian country.

Moved by Rev. William Downey,

That the Constitution and Bye-Laws of this Conference be so amended, that the Board of Managers, and the various Executives, be elected by ballot, in the same manner as the Executive of Conference.

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On motion of Rev. C. T. Phillips,

12. *Resolved*, That \_\_\_\_\_ copies of the Minutes be printed and published.

On motion of Rev. C. Phillips,

13. *Resolved*, That the blank in Resolution 12 be filled with 3,500.

On motion of Rev. Gideon Swim,

14. *Resolved*. That the thanks of the Conference are due, and are hereby tendered to the Rev. A. C. Thompson, for the excellent sermon delivered by him yesterday, and that the same be published in the *Religious Intelligencer*.

On motion of W. Peters, Esq.,

15. *Resolved*. That the Committee on District Meetings, shall at the present and each Annual Session, present a list of Churches to whom the Year Book shall be sent, with the P. O. address and number to be sent to each Church.

Rev. Joseph McLeod, General Secretary, submitted the following Report:

#### General Secretary's Report.

BROTHER MODERATOR:—At a meeting of the General Conference Executive, held on the 18th November last, I was appointed General Secretary for the Conference, and received instructions in the following form:

*Resolved*, That the General Secretary, during the year, visit as many of the Churches as possible, and that he urge the claims of Missions and general denominational work on the Churches visited.

These instructions I have endeavored to carry out, so far as possible, consistent with other duties. This is my Report:

1. *Statistical*.—I have visited forty-two Churches, some of them more than once each; attended five District Meetings; labored in three revivals; preached 141 times; attended ninety other religious meetings—social, prayer, and conference meetings; attended Sabbath Schools 19 times; assisted in two dedications; attended 32 mission meetings, and made 505 visits. Doing this work necessitated absence from home of 174 days, and travelling 7,179 miles.

2. *Results*.—Of these I cannot tell anything. The aim has

been to preach the Gospel, strengthen the hands of the pastors, encourage the Churches in their local work, awaken and increase interest in the mission and other general work of the denomination, to deepen denominational loyalty, and to stimulate all to efficient Christian service.

With the permission of Conference I will present some things that have impressed me as I have come in closer contact with the Churches, and have looked into the denominational life.

#### I. ENCOURAGING:

(1.) More attention is being given to suitable Church buildings. Old meeting houses are being remodelled according to modern ideas, or are giving place to new ones, in keeping with the ability and taste of the people.

(2.) The necessity of regular pastoral oversight is generally felt and acknowledged.

(3.) Better support is given ministers, and better and more business like methods of raising and paying are employed.

(4.) Sabbath Schools are numerous and increasing in efficiency.

(5.) An increasing knowledge of the denomination's general work, as Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Education, and a general interest in it.

(6.) A steadier Christian life. Spirituality is not so much regarded an impulse, an emotion, as a living principle.

#### II.—NEEDS.

(1.) More ministers. A number of our ministers are now feeling the burden of years, and are no longer able to undertake regular work. Men to fill the vacancies and to occupy new fields are much needed. The increase is not large enough to meet the demand.

(2.) The pastorate system needs perfecting. Great progress has been made within a few years, but the system is capable of being made a much greater success and blessing. Some fields are altogether too large—so large that no pastor can do either himself or the work justice. Some Churches are not careful enough to observe the law of mutual interest and help, which is essential to the success of the system. Personal preferences as to ministers, and unwillingness to yield such preferences for the sake of the work, sometimes prevents a group of Churches from having a pastor. Occasionally a minister makes arrangements with churches in disregard of the pastorate plan. Interference with, or obstinacy by, one church, may often disarrange several pastorates. This should be avoided.

(3.) A fund, either the H. M., or one especially for the purpose, from which to give aid to pastorates not yet able to support pastors.

(4.) Better system in support of Home and Foreign Missions, and our Educational undertakings. It is now too fitful and uncertain.

(5.) The organization of our Young People for Christian work. The young men and women in our Churches are intelligent; they are attached to their denomination, and are ambitious for it; they would like to give it the help of their young vigor, but for lack of direction and well defined methods, fail to do all they desire. In almost every Church it is possible to organize a Young People's Society, that would concentrate and direct the energies now too largely latent.

(6.) More attention to the Fund for the relief of aged and sick ministers. None of our ministers have ever had large salaries. They cannot save anything for sickness or old age. When no longer able to labor regularly, they are likely to be sore pressed. Ample provision should be made for them.

(7.) There is room for, and therefore need of, more Evangelistic work. The help of an accredited evangelist would often be welcomed by pastors. Besides, there is much new territory that might be occupied by us. This is an era of aggressive Christian work, and we should not fail of doing our part of it.

The foregoing are some of the things that have been suggested to me as I have visited the Churches. God gave us life and form as a member of "the body of Christ." He gave us a work to do. Our fathers were faithful. He blessed them. He has blessed us according to our faithfulness. In a much larger degree than is shown in the additions to our Churches He has used this denomination for His purposes. It has not been, and never will be possible to tabulate the effects produced by the preaching of our doctrines and the employing of our methods of Christian work. God has used them as leaven, and silently and surely the work has gone on, till many denominations have come into practical agreement with us as to beliefs and methods.

And our mission is not ended. The care of the Churches, instructing and establishing them in our doctrines; teaching our young people, and confirming them in loyalty to the Church of their birth; carrying our interpretation of New Testament doctrine into the regions beyond, &c., is the great work which God gives us to do. To do it in the best way and with the best results, should be our holy ambition.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH McLEOD,  
*General Secretary.*

Marysville, Y. Co., Oct. 12, 1891.

*Ordered*, That the Report just read, be referred to a Special Committee of five.

*Ordered*, That Bros. F. M. McLeod, W. Peters, G. A. Hartley, W. H. Perry and J. W. Clarke, do compose the Committee.

E. F. Shaw, Esq., from Committee on Nominations, submitted the following additional Report :

BROTHER MODERATOR :—Your Committee on Nominations begs to submit the following Report :

8.—COMMITTEE ON LITERATURE.

Bros. Long, W. VanWart, L. G. Slipp, T. W. Carpenter, and A. W. Rideout.

9.—COMMITTEE ON SABBATH.

Bros. J. T. Parsons, Currie, Connor, Swim, and E. Gray.

10.—COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

Bros. A. C. Thompson, Dr. McLeod, G. W. Foster, Kinney, and W. J. Webb.

11.—COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

Bros. J. W. Clarke, F. C. Hartley, Noble, W. H. Perry, and J. T. Parsons.

12.—EXECUTIVE FOR SABBATH SCHOOLS.

S. L. Peters, *Corresponding Secretary*. Bros. H. Allen Bonnell, C. B. Lewis, J. W. Barnes, C. T. Phillips, and H. Hartt.

13.—EXECUTIVE FOR RELIEF OF SICK AND DISABLED MINISTERS.

Bro. Gideon McLeod, *Treasurer*. Bros. A. C. McNitch, W. H. Perry, Joseph Noble, G. A. Hartley, and T. S. VanWart.

14.—EXECUTIVE FOR HOME MISSIONS.

Bro. B. H. Nobles, *Cor. Secretary*. Bro. G. A. Hartley, *Treas.*  
Bros. C. T. Phillips, W. Peters, A. C. Smith, Jas Patterson,  
and J. W. Clarke.

15.—EXECUTIVE OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Dr. McLeod, *Cor. Secretary*. Bro. E. W. Slipp, *Treasurer*.  
Bros. John Perry, Phillips, Thompson, T. S. VanWart, Wm.  
Peters, and J. W. Carpenter.

16.—BOARD OF MANAGERS.

Bros. B. S. Palmer, G. A. Hartley, A. C. Smith, J. W. Clarke,  
L. S. VanWart, and G. J. Worden.

17.—DELEGATE TO THE FREE BAPTIST GENERAL CONFERENCE OF  
NOVA SCOTIA.

Bro. G. W. Foster. Substitute—Bro. Swim.

18.—DELEGATE TO MAINE STATE FREE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

Bro. A. C. Thompson. Substitute—Bro. G. F. Currie.

Respectfully submitted,

E. F. SHAW, *Chairman.*

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 12, 1891.

*Ordered*, That the Report just read, be taken up section by section.

On motion of E. F. Shaw, Esq.

16. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Nominating Committee be adopted as a whole.

Rev. J. McLeod, from the Committee on Education, submitted the following Report :

**Report on Education.**

BROTHER MODERATOR:—Christian education is admittedly of first importance. There is now no denomination of age and considerable size but is endeavoring to provide for the proper training of candidates for the ministry, and also for the advancement of its young people.

As to the first, it is no longer necessary to argue the importance of a ministry well equipped intellectually, as well as spiritually. We do not hold that every one entering the ministry should be required to take a full collegiate education, though it is desirable. We believe in a Divine call to the ministry; but we also believe that a call to the ministry involves a call to make all necessary preparation for its vastly important and sacred duties. There may be times when God calls one who may with propriety enter at once upon the work. Such cases were, we think, quite frequent in the earlier history of the country, and because of the peculiar and pressing needs of that time; but such cases are extremely rare in this day.

It is gratifying that this denomination has made progress in its views on this question, the degree of which progress is shown in its requirements of those who seek a place in its ministry, and in its declared readiness to aid, according to their need, those who are fitting themselves for it. The standard will necessary be raised as the years go on. Meantime the Conference will be doing simply its duty to those who offer themselves for the minis-

try, to the churches over which it has care, and to the Christian cause at large, by requiring compliance with the prescribed course of study, and by assisting student preachers when necessary.

As to the second: For several years the denomination has had an interest in the Union Baptist Seminary, sharing the ownership, control, responsibilities and benefits with our Baptist brethren in this Province. A statement of the work of the Seminary last year and its condition, furnished by the Principal, Rev. Dr. Hopper, is as follows:

"The attendance was 100. In the Seminary course there were five graduates; in the English course, nine; in the Matriculation course, two; in instrumental music, two; in all nine young ladies and eight young men. The literary standard of the school has been steadily raised, and is equal to the best of its grade in the Maritime Provinces, and in advance of most. The teachers have been painstaking and devoted to their work. The discipline of the school and its moral and religious life have been satisfactory. Last year the grounds were graded and 100 trees set out, besides shrubs and flowering plants. The dining room, pantries and kitchens have been thoroughly painted and color washed. A building also was erected for a laundry, store-room, ice-house and refrigerator. The property never looked so well or was in such good condition as now. The expenses of the school were entirely met from the income—from board and tuition, etc.—and a small balance appeared on the right side of the account."

This statement of large attendance, satisfactory work done, a large graduating class, and the school self-supporting, must, we are sure, be gratifying to all the friends of the institution. We hope it may, also, move those who have had misgiving about the wisdom of the undertaking, and perhaps prejudice against it, to regard it with favor and give it help.

Just how many Free Baptist students have attended the Seminary we cannot say; but not so many as is desirable. Among those of last year were three of our young brethren, candidates for the ministry, one of whom graduated last June. We are hoping that there will be soon many others, with the ministry in view, availing themselves of the Seminary's excellent course of study. We wish also to urge upon Free Baptist parents, who intend to send their sons and daughters to some advanced school, the propriety and importance of sending them to our own school. Each year should find an increasing number of our young people in the Seminary, which is the only institution of the kind in which the Free Baptists of the Provinces have any interest.

But while the Seminary has done and is doing good work, and has succeeded in paying the current expenses—an almost unpre-

cedented thing in the history of similar institutions, so soon after being established—the fact needs to be kept before the people that it has necessities—large and pressing. The following statement, furnished by the Principal, shows the financial condition and needs of the Seminary property :

“Last May the Board of Directors, being unable to meet maturing liabilities as fast as required, were forced to trustee the property for the benefit of the creditors. It is still in the trustees' hands. During the past year a subscription list of \$12,000 has been secured, conditional on raising \$15,000. A meeting of creditors was called Sept. 17, in St. John, and the Board of Directors made the following offer for settlement, viz. : to pay in full, dollar for dollar, without interest from date of assignment, 12½ per cent. each six months till all was paid, payment to begin nine months from date of agreement. A majority of the creditors were present, and assented to these terms. It was understood, however, that the \$15,000 conditional subscriptions should be completed in three months, and then be collected as speedily as possible and placed in the hands of A. A. Wilson, our secretary, and Blair & Co., bankers, to be held by them and paid to the creditors *pro rata*. \$3,000 are still needed, and must be gathered in three months. Beyond this there is about \$7,000 which will need to be secured inside four years. This will clear all indebtedness, save the mortgage of \$10,000, which has twenty years to run.”

That the two bodies who are interested in the Seminary are quite able to relieve it from debt, there can be no doubt. And we believe they will do so. The immediate and pressing need, according to the above agreement, is to obtain the \$3,000 required to complete the \$15,000, four-fifths of which is already conditionally subscribed.

There can scarcely be two opinions as to the duty of this denomination. We cannot afford to do less than bear our full share of the financial responsibility attaching to the ownership of the property. Whether, up to this time, all has been done by our people that may have reasonably been expected of them, we do not undertake to say, not having sufficient information. But we do know that just now an earnest and united effort ought to be made to meet our obligations.

The struggles through which the Seminary is passing are not peculiar to it. Every such institution has had like experiences, many of them having had greater burdens, with less strength to bear them. There is no cause for discouragement. With a hearty and united effort success is ours, by the blessing of God.



We beg to suggest the following as some things this Conference might do :

1. Make a clear presentation to our churches of the financial conditions and needs of the Seminary.
2. Set forth the importance of the institution to the denomination, and press its claims on the sympathy, prayers and financial support of all the people.
3. Ask every minister to become an interested and active agent for this part of our work, soliciting contributions in his churches, and canvassing pupils for the school.
4. Give official endorsement to any general agent the Board of Directors may send to our churches, commending him and the institution he represents to their favorable consideration.

In this work our Christian pluck, our integrity and our future standing and success, more than at first glance may appear, are involved. Let us show that we are worthy, to whom, in the order of events, has come this opportunity to responsibility. Helping ourselves, God will help us.

Respectfully submitted,

JOS. McLEOD,  
J. J. BARNES,  
F. M. McLEOD,  
J. T. PARSONS.

Marysville, N. B., Oct. 15, 1891.

On motion of Rev. W. Downey,

*Ordered*, That we do now adjourn to meet at 7.30 o'clock, p. m., this evening.

Closed by Prayer, by Rev. G. W. Foster.

Conference met at 7.30 o'clock, p. m., Moderator in the Chair.

Opened by Singing, and Prayer by Rev. B. H. Nobles.

Minutes of afternoon Session read, and

*Ordered*, That the Minutes as read, stand approved.

Mr. William Reud, Licentiate, having arrived, took his seat as a member of Conference.

On motion of Rev. Joseph McLeod, D. D.,

17. *Resolved*, That Rev. J. E. Hopper, D. D., and Rev. F. B.

Crawley, of the Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces, be invited to take a seat with us.

*Ordered*, That the Report of Committee on Education be taken up section by section.

1st Section adopted.

The adoption of the 2nd section was moved and spoken to by Dr. Hopper and others.

On motion of Rev. G. F. Gurrie,

18. *Resolved*, That we do now adjourn to meet at 8.30 o'clock, a. m., 13th October, 1891.

Closed by Prayer, by Rev. W. H. Perry.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1891.

Conference met at 8.30 o'clock, a. m., pursuant to adjournment. Moderator in the Chair.

Opened by Singing, and Prayer by Rev. J. J. Barnes.

Mr. S. R. McFarlane, a Delegate from the Sixth District Meeting, having arrived, took his seat as member of Conference.

Roll Call.

Minutes of last Session read, and

*Ordered*, That the Minutes as read stand approved.

The consideration of the Report of the Committee on Education was then taken up.

*Ordered*, That the 2nd section of the Report of the Committee on Education be laid on the table.

On motion of Rev. T. O. DeWitt,

19. *Resolved*, That this Conference is of opinion that the ministers and members of our Churches should make an effort to raise fifteen hundred dollars to assist the Directors of the Union Baptist Educational Society in liquidating their present pressing financial needs.

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The Recording Secretary, from the Executive Committee of Conference, submitted the following Report :

BROTHER MODERATOR.—Your Executive Committee begs leave to report :

1. That your Executive held a meeting on the 9th October, 1890, at Millstream, at which only routine business was transacted.

2. Your Executive held a second meeting on the 18th November, 1890, at which, among other business, the resignation of Bro. Peters as Treasurer of Conference, and Treasurer of the Foreign Mission Executive, was accepted, and F. M. McLeod, Esq., A. B., appointed Treasurer of Conference, and E. W. Slipp, Esq., appointed Treasurer of the Executive for Foreign Missions.

3. At the latter meeting Rev. Dr. McLeod was appointed General Secretary for the year.

4. That we recommend that the sum of one hundred dollars be paid to Bro. McLeod, as a small token of recognition of his services during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH NOBLE,  
C. T. PHILLIPS,  
WILLIAM PETERS,  
G. A. HARTLEY,  
J. W. CLARKE,  
D. McLEOD VINCE.

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 13, 1891.

On Motion of Rev. Joseph Noble,

20. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Executive of Conference be adopted.

On motion of Rev. T. O. DeWitt,

21. *Resolved*, That we do now adjourn till 1.30 o'clock, p. m.

Closed by Prayer, by Rev. J. Wesley Clarke.

Conference met at 1.30 o'clock, p. m. Moderator in the Chair.

Opened by Singing, and Prayer by Rev. J. T. Parsons.

Minutes of forenoon Session read, and

*Ordered*, That the Minutes, as read, stand approved.

Rev. W. Downey, from the Committee on District Meetings, submitted the following Report :

BROTHER MODERATOR.—Your Committee on District Meetings begs leave to submit the following Report :

1. The First District Meeting to be held with the Church at Perth Centre, on the second Saturday in July. Ministers to attend—Revs. C. T. Phillips, Thomas S. VanWart, Gideon Swim, and A. C. Thompson. Rev. C. T. Phillips to preach the annual sermon.

2. The Second District Meeting to be held with the Church at Windsor, on the third Saturday in June. Ministers to attend—Revs. J. J. Barnes, Wm. Downey, and C. B. Lewis. Rev. J. J. Barnes to preach the annual sermon.

3. The Third District Meeting to be held with the Church at Cross Creek, Stanley, on the third Saturday in September. Ministers to attend—Revs. J. T. Parsons and William Downey. Rev. F. C. Hartley to preach the annual sermon.

4. The Fourth District Meeting to be held with the Church at Lincoln, on the second Saturday in September. Ministers to attend—Revs. J. N. Barnes, A. H. McLeod, A. G. Downey, G. Swim, G. McKenzie, and J. W. Clarke. Rev. A. G. Downey to preach the annual sermon.

5. The Fifth District Meeting to be held with the Church at Tenant's Cove, on the first Wednesday in July. Ministers to attend—Revs. William DeWare, D. Long, J. W. Clarke, and E. B. Gray. The annual sermon to be preached by Rev. William DeWare.

6. The Sixth District Meeting to be held with the Church at Millstream Mountain, on the second Friday in July. Ministers to attend—Revs. C. T. Phillips, H. A. Bonnell, W. H. Perry, and A. H. McLeod. Rev. C. T. Phillips to preach the annual sermon.

7. The Seventh District Meeting to be held with the Church at Carleten, St. John, on the fourth Saturday in August. Ministers to attend—Revs. E. B. Gray, J. T. Parsons, and D. Long. Rev. J. W. Clarke to preach the annual sermon.

8. Your Committee recommend that Rev. Dr. McLeod be requested to attend all the District Meetings.

9. Your Committee also recommend that each minister who may be appointed to attend District Meetings hold himself in honor bound to do so.

10. Your Committee having had assigned to them the duty of furnishing a list of persons to whom the Year Book should be mailed, and the number of copies to each, have arranged to have that in-

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formation communicated to the Secretary of Conference by the District Clerks.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM PETERS,  
E. F. SHAW,  
WILLIAM MCGEE,  
T. A. McFARLANE,  
WM. DOWNEY, *Sec.*

Marysville, Y. Co., Oct. 13, 1891.

*Ordered*, That the Report be taken up section by section.

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, and 10th sections adopted.

On motion of Rev. W. Downey,

22. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Committee on District Meetings be adopted as a whole.

Rev. John Henderson, from Committee on Absent Brethren, submitted the following Report :

BROTHER MODERATOR,—Your Committee on Absent Brethren begs to submit the following report :

1. We find there are eight ministers absent from this Conference whose names are on the roll.
2. We believe that Brethren Sipprell, Shaw and Garraty should be excused, because of old age and infirmity.
3. That Brother Erb should be excused because of ill health.
4. That Elder J. Perry is detained by his wife's illness, and has our sympathy.
5. That Bros. H. A. Trafton, C. F. Rideout and C. W. Rogers be excused, as they are non-residents of the province.
6. We find that Brother Babcock should be excused because of sickness in his family.

Respectfully submitted,

J. HENDERSON,  
J. N. BARNES,  
GIDEON SWIM,  
LEONARD DUNPHY.

Marysville, Y. Co., Oct. 13, 1891.

*Ordered*, That the Report be taken up section by section.

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th sections adopted.

On motion of Rev. John Henderson,

23. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Committee on Absent Brethren be adopted as a whole.

F. M. McLeod, Esq., Treasurer of Conference, submitted the following Report :

FREE C. BAPTIST GENERAL CONFERENCE,

IN ACCOUNT WITH F. M. McLEOD, TREASURER.

1891.

	DISTRICT No. 1.		
Oct. 12.	Received from Church,	Bumfrau,.....	\$3 20
	"	Wicklow,.....	1 75
	"	Bath, .....	5 30
	"	Maplehurst,.....	1 00
	"	Lower Perth,.....	25
	"	Mineral, .....	25
	"	Long Island,.....	25
	"	Perth, .....	50
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			\$12 50

	DISTRICT No. 2.		
	Received from Church,	Tracey Mills,.....	\$30 21
	"	Knoxford, .....	6 65
	"	Third Tier, .....	1 35
	"	Lower Brighton,...	3 75
	"	Woodstock, .....	27 50
	"	Coldstream, .....	4 50
	"	Seventh Tier,.....	3 65
	"	Charlston, .....	1 50
	"	Upper Brighton,...	3 75
	"	Waterville, .....	25
	"	Brookville, .....	2 20
	"	Hartland, .....	3 00
	"	Rockland, .....	2 50
	"	Gordonsville, .....	2 25
	"	Knowlesville, .....	5 00
	"	Connell, .....	2 00
	"	Victoria Corner,...	3 00
	"	Somerville, .....	2 75
	"	Jacksonville,.....	50
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			106 31

Carried forward,..... \$118 81

Brought forward, ..... \$118 81

## DISTRICT No. 3.

Received from Church,	Upper Hainesville, .	\$2 50
"	" Lower Queensbury,	2 25
"	" Keswick & Douglas,	5 25
"	" Stanley, .....	2 25
"	" Campbell Settle'm't,	2 05
"	" C. Southampton,....	3 35
"	" Prince William,....	1 25
"	" Douglass, .....	2 75
"	" Marysville, .	1 25
"	" Kingsley, .....	1 50
"	" Fredericton, .....	15 00
"	" Caverhill, .....	25

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38 65

## DISTRICT No. 4.

Received from Church,	Frederic't'n Junct'n,	\$8 75
"	" Rusagornish, .....	5 25
"	" Oromocto, .....	1 00
"	" Waterville, .....	50
"	" Patterson Settle'm't,	7 00
"	" Little Lake, .....	1 75
"	" Mills Settlement,....	2 00
"	" Blissville, .....	3 50
"	" Lincoln, .....	6 00
"	" Tracey, .....	8 50

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44 25

## DISTRICT No. 5.

Received from Church,	Jerusalem, .....	\$4 00
"	" Shannon Settle'm't,	3 75
"	" Johnson No. 2, .....	2 00
"	" Fifth Wickham, ....	1 70
"	" Sixth Wickham, ....	1 50
"	" First Hampstead, ...	10 00
"	" First Greenwich, ...	2 00
"	" Carpenter Settle'm't,	2 00
"	" Second Kars, .....	2 00
"	" Westfield, .....	50
"	" Hibernia, .....	3 75

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Carried forward, ..... \$234 91

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Brought forward..... \$234 91

## DISTRICT No. 6.

Received from Church,	Lower Millstream, ..	\$12 50
"	" Corn Ridge, .....	7 75
"	" Graves Settlement, ..	1 00
"	" Portage, .....	1 00
"	" Apohaqui, .....	2 00
"	" Dutch Valley, .....	1 50
"	" Roachville, .....	2 25
"	" Penobsquis, .....	4 00
"	" Sussex, .....	7 75
"	" Five Points, .....	3 45
"	" Wheaton Settlem't,	1 90
"	" Dover, .....	2 65
"	" Snider Mountain, ...	1 25
"	" Lower Ridge, .....	4 50
"	" Taylor Village, .....	5 00
"	" Moncton, . . . . .	5 00
"	" Middleland, .....	2 35
"	" Petitediac, .....	2 00

68 75

## DISTRICT No. 7.

Received from Church,	Carleton, .....	\$28 75
"	" North End, .....	9 25
"	" Chocolate Cove, .....	4 00
"	" North Head, .....	3 50
"	" Grand Harbor, .....	3 75
"	" Wilson's Beach, .....	20 70
"	" Saint John, .....	16 25
"	" Fair Haven, .....	4 55
"	" Beaver Harbor, .....	6 20
"	" White Head, .....	3 00
"	" Northern Harbor, ...	75
"	" Seal Cove, .....	4 00

104 70

From Wm. Peters, ex Treasurer, .....

\$408 36
125 85

Balance on hand, .....

\$534 21
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*Ordered,* That the Report of Treasurer be referred to the Auditor.



F. M. McLeod, Esq., from Committee on Report of the General Secretary, submitted the following Report:

BROTHER MODERATOR:

We, your Committee appointed to examine a report made yesterday by Rev. Jos. McLeod, on the condition of the Churches throughout the Provinces, beg leave to submit the following:

1. That we recommend that Brother McLeod's services be continued as General Secretary for the incoming year, to do, as far as possible, the following defined work:
2. To prepare a plan by which all the churches of our denomination can be arranged into the circuit system.
3. To prepare a definite method for securing a pastor for each circuit.
4. To submit a plan by which a supplemental fund can be raised to aid poor circuits.
5. To prepare a more systematic method of giving to the Ministers' Relief Fund.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. CLARKE,  
W. H. PERRY,  
F. M. McLEOD,  
G. A. HARTLEY,  
WM. PETERS.

Marysville, Y. Co., Oct. 13, 1891.

*Ordered*, That the Report be laid upon the table.  
Rev. Joseph McLeod, D. D., from Committee on Baptist Union, submitted the following Report:

BRO. MODERATOR,—Your Committee on Baptist Union begs leave to report:

1. We believe that the time has come when a more definite expression of opinion as to the advisability of Baptist Union should be given by this denomination.
2. We, therefore, recommend that each District Meeting be requested, at its next session, to vote on the question. And that the District Meetings may more correctly express the feeling of the churches, it is suggested that the churches instruct their delegates how to vote on the question.
3. We also recommend that a Circular Letter be addressed to the Churches, setting forth the question on which they are re-

quested to give an opinion, and urging a full and clear declaration from every church.

Respectfully submitted,

JOS. McLEOD,  
G. A. HARTLEY,  
J. W. CLARKE,  
W. DOWNEY,  
A. C. SMITH,  
C. T. PHILLIPS,  
J. NOBLE,  
J. N. BARNES,  
B. H. NOBLES,  
J. T. PARSONS,  
W. PETERS.

Marysville, Y. Co., Oct. 13, 1891.

*Ordered*, That the Report be taken up section by section.

Rev. F. E. Crawley, Chairman of the Committee from Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces on Baptist Union, addressed the Conference.

1st, 2nd and 3rd Sections adopted.

*Ordered*, That the Report of the Committee on Baptist Union, be adopted.

*Ordered*, That Bros. McLeod, Hartley, Phillips, Clarke and Downey, do compose Committee on Baptist Union.

Rev. G. A. Hartley, Treasurer of the Home Mission Executive, submitted the following Report

HOME MISSION EXECUTIVE,

IN ACCOUNT WITH G. A. HARTLEY, TREASURER.

		Cr.	
1890.			
Oct. 8.	By Cash on hand,.....		\$66 85
	Collection at Annual Meeting,.....		4 60
	Interest from Board of Managers,.....		27 00
9.	Central Southampton,.....		2 50
	Lower Canterbury,.....		1 68
	James Jones,.....		1 00
	Rev. Gideon Swim,.....		5 00
	Rev. John Heuderson,.....		5 00
18.	Cash from W. M. Society,.....		300 00

*Carried forward*,..... \$413 63

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		<i>Brought forward</i> ,.....	\$413 63
1891.	Jan. 30,	A. C. Smith, M. P. P.,.....	25 00
	Mar. 4.	Coll. by Rev. L. A. Cosman, .....	2 25
	7.	Wickham Church, .....	1 76
	April 3.	George Stickney, .....	5 00
	27.	St. John Church,.....	38 61
	May 5.	Lower Millstream Church,.....	12 10
	21.	James Jones,.....	50
	Jne 24.	John Jones, .....	1 00
		Bald Hill Church, .....	1 86
		Carpenter Church,.....	1 19
	July 5.	Rockland Church,.....	3 54
		D. McLeod Vince,.....	50 00
	[27.	Bath Church—	
		Rev. J. J. Barnes and family,....	1 00
		H. E. Blakslee and wife,.....	1 00
		Samuel Barker and wife,.....	1 25
		Charles Giberson,.....	50
		M. A. Smith, .....	25
		S. E. Giberson and wife,.....	75
		Mrs. Stephen Barker,.....	1 00
		Miss Lydia Barker,.....	1 00
		Mrs. C. Phillips, .....	25
		“ E. H. Shaw,.....	50
		“ P. Cass,.....	25
		R. Squires, .....	25
		Amos Giberson, .....	50
		Mr. Tracy,....	25
		Wesley Millbury,.....	25
		Carleton Church, .....	9 00
		Lower Perth Church—	20 00
		Silas Grant, .....	50
		Rev. J. J. Barnes, .....	1 00
		Mrs. Silas Grant, .....	25
		“ Ben. Bishop, .....	10
		“ F. C. Bloodsworth.....	25
		F. C. Bloodsworth,.....	25
		Mr. Stewart, .....	25
		Mrs. W. Smith,.....	10
	Aug. 11	Penobsquis Church, .....	2 70
		Abraham Lewis,.....	2 65
			50
		<i>Carried forward</i> \$591 29	

		<i>Brought forward</i> ,.....	\$591 29
1891.	Cash from	Elizabeth Killam and family, .....	1 00
		S. E. Clark,.....	50
		David Gardiner,.....	25
		W. J. Cheyne, .....	25
		Dutch Valley Church,.....	1 00
20.		Portland Church,.....	8 00
		White Head Church,.....	6 14
		Wilson's Beach Church,.....	7 06
26.		Half collection at District Meeting,.....	3 06
		Fredericton Junction Church,.....	11 00
Sep.14.		Rowena Church—	
		Henry Boone,.....	5 00
		Thomas Finnamore,.....	1 00
		Frank L. Burt,.....	1 00
		E. Lovely,.....	50
		G. Lovely,.....	25
		S. Boone,.....	1 00
		Geo. Wilson,.....	50
		Phillip Brit, .....	1 00
		Miss A. Brit,.....	25
		“ N. Brit,.....	25
		Wm. Lovely, .....	1 00
		Mrs. N. DeMerchant,.....	25
		Collection,.....	4 00
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			16 00
		T. W. Musgrove, M. D.,.....	2 00
		Lower Canterbury Church,.....	5 00
		Edward W. Miller,.....	3 00
Oct. 2.		Rev. Jos. Noble,.....	1 00
5.		Bumfrau Church—Rev. J. J. Barnes, 1 00	
		D. V. Boyer,.....	1 00
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			2 00
		Church Tracy Station,.....	8 25
		Taylor Village Union S. School,.....	1 55
		Central Southampton,.....	8 00
		Church Hainesville, .....	2 20
		Mrs. Elisha Fowler,.....	1 00
		Midland Church,.....	1 50
		Fifth Church Hampstead,.....	2 06
		Church Douglas,..	1 25
		James Jones, .....	50
		Church Woodstock, .....	8 50
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		<i>Carried forward</i> ,.....	\$693 36

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<i>Brought forward</i> ,.....		\$693 36
Cash, Third District Collection, .....		1 74
Rev. J. H. Erb,.....		1 00
Mrs. W. A. Turner,.....		5 00
Allen Scofield,.....		2 00
Mrs. J. W. Clark for W. M. Aid Society of 2nd District,.....		20 00
Mrs. J. W. Clark,.....		5 00
Miss Amanda Thomas,.....		50
Woodstock Church— Collected by Mrs. Chas. Vanwart, 5 50		
“ Mrs. Vince,.....	7 00	
Mrs. J. J. Barnes, for 1st District,.....		12 50
Abner Sipprell,.....		21 10
Geo. Rideout,....		1 00
River Bank Church,.....		1 00
Amelia McKinley,.....		3 25
Mrs. James Patterson, .....		50
“ A. C. Smith,.....		5 00
“ Cyrus Burt,.....		5 00
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		\$782 95

1890.

Dec. 15.	To Letter Press and Book for Sec'y,		Dr.	
	Circulars, .....	\$5 00		
	Cash, R. W. Carpenter, on acct.	3 00		
	Grant to Stanley Church,.....	15 20		
	Cash to Rev. J. N. Barnes, grant to Canaan Forks Church,....	25 00		
	Rev. J. J. Barnes, on acct. grant to First District,.....	30 00		
	P. O. order, .....	20		

1891.

Jan. 13.

Rev. F. Babcock, on grant to B. Harbour, .....	12 50
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Rev. T. O. DeWitt, on grant to Grand Manan,.....	25 00
P. O. order,.....	10

Mar. 4.

R. W. Carpenter, on grant to Stanley Church,.....	25 00
Rev. L. A. Cosman, mission labor on Tobique,.....	30 00

*Carried forward*,..... \$171 00 \$782 95

1891.	<i>Brought forward</i> ,.....	\$171 00	\$782 95
Mor. 30.	Rev. J. J. Barnes, on acct. grant to First District,.....	30 00	
	P. O. order,.....	20	
Ap'l 21.	Rev. J. Robertson, on acct. grant to B. Harbour, .....	15 00	
Jne 22.	Rev. T. O. DeWitt, on acct. grant to Grand Manan, .....	50 00	
	Rev. J. J. Barnes, on acct. grant to First District,.....	30 00	
July 16.	Rev. E. B. Gray, grant to Gordonsville Church,.....	20 00	
27.	R. W. Carpenter, on acct. grant to Stanley Church,.....	12 00	
Sep. 27.	Grant to Moncton Church,.....	50 00	
	P. O. order, .....	30	
28.	Rev. O. N. Mott, grant to Fifth Wicknam Church,....	20 00	
30.	Rev. L. A. Cosman, grant to Tobique River,.....	64 00	
	Rev. J. J. Barnes, balance grant to First District, ..	30 00	
	P. O. order,.....	20	
Oct. 2.	Cash to R. W. Carpenter, .....	8 00	
8.	" to David Long for mission labour, .....	20 00	
	Secretary's bill, postage, &c.,....	2 82	
	Treasurer's bill, postage, &c;,...	1 25	
	Pd Abram Perry, grant to Lewis Settlement, .....	25 00	
		<hr/>	\$549 77
	Balance in Treasurer's hands, .....		<u>\$233 18</u>

*Ordered*, That the Report just read, be referred to the Auditor.

On motion of Rev. W. H. Perry,

24. *Resolved*, That the Recording Secretary publish the Year Book, and that he receive the sum of thirty dollars therefor.

Rev. W. H. Perry, from Committee on Correspondence, submitted the following Report:

BROTHER MODERATOR.—Your Committee on Correspondence begs leave to report that no communications of any kind have been placed within their hands.

Respectfully submitted.

A. H. McLEOD,  
J. W. CLARKE,  
W. H. PERRY,  
J. A. BONNELL,  
WM. WHITTAKER.

Marysville, Y. C., Oct. 13, 1891.

Ordered, That the Report just read, be adopted.

Rev. G. A. Hartley, for Treasurer of Executive of sick and disabled Ministers, submitted the following Report :

GIDEON McLEOD,

Treasurer Executive for Sick and Disabled Ministers,

IN ACCOUNT WITH F. C. B. GEN. CONFERENCE,

1890.		CR.	
Oct. 7.	By Cash on hand, .....		\$134 59
"	" from Rev. J. J. Barnes,.....		1 90
Nov. 15.	" " Rev. G. F. Currie,.....		4 00
1891.			
June.	" " Treasurer 6th District,.....		27 21
July.	" " do. 1st District,.....		9 32
October.	" " do. 3rd District, .....		12 51
"	" " do. 2nd District, 1890,.....		15 25
"	" " do. 2nd District, 1891,.....		21 39
"	" " do. 4th District, 1891,.....		24 39
"	" " do. 7th District, 1891,.....		15 00
"	" " Collection, Conference, 1891,.....		29 66
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			\$295 22

1890.		DR.	
Nov. 20.	Cash to Rev. J. Noble, for Rev. S. W. Shaw, .....		\$25 00
1891.			
Feb. 21.	" Rev. S. W. Shaw,.....	50 00	
"	" Rev. F. Babcock,.....	25 00	100 00
	Balance on hand,.....		<hr/>
			\$195 22

Respectfully submitted,

GIDEON McLEOD.

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 13, 1891.

*Ordered*, That the Report just read, be referred to the Auditor.

Rev. J. J. Barnes, from the Committee on Collections, submitted the following Report :

BROTHER MODERATOR.—Your Committee on Sabbath Collections asks to submit their Report :

We learn that the sum of \$29.66 has been collected for the Ministers' Relief Fund. The sum has been paid over to the Treasurer of that Society.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. BARNES,  
SAMUEL FOSTER,  
W. SHEPARD,  
A. C. SMITH.

Marysville, N. B., October 13, 1891.

MATTHEW FENWICK.

*Ordered*, That the Report just read, be adopted.

On motion of Rev. W. Carpenter,

25. *Resolved*, That the Conference tender its thanks to the Managers of the several Steamboat and Railway Companies, for their favor in granting reduced fares to its members and visitors.

E. W. Slipp, Esq., Treasurer of the Executive for Foreign Missions, submitted the following Report :

F. C. B. GENERAL CONFERENCE FOR MISSION DEPT.

IN ACCOUNT WITH EDWD. W. SLIPP, TREASURER.

1891.

CR.

Oct. 12. Total amount received during year just closed, \$755 99

DR.

To paid Rev. A. B. Boyer's salary in full to			
June 1st, 1891,.....	\$605	00	
" Allowance to children, .....	90	00	
" Members of Foreign Mission Executive			
attending meeting at St. John, June 23,	3	52	
" Discount on notes,.....	13	38	
" Wm. Peters, late Treasurer, balance due			
last Conference, .....	28	52	740 42
Balance in Treasurer's hands,.....			<u>\$15 57</u>

Respectfully submitted,

E. W. SLIPP, Treasurer.

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 13, 1891.



On motion of Rev. W. Downey,

*Whereas*, The *Religious Intelligencer* is the recognized organ of the Free Baptists of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia; and

*Whereas*, Its efficient and beloved Editor has given his best energies and most arduous labors for a quarter of a century, to make it an able exponent and consistent advocate of the principles and practices of our denomination, and of all moral and religious questions that affect the well being of our country; and

*Whereas*, We believe that the *Religious Intelligencer* is richly deserving a far wider circulation than it has; therefore

26. *Resolved*, That we hereby express our most hearty sympathies for, and high appreciation of, Dr. McLeod's labors as its editor and proprietor, and most earnestly request each of our brethren to do all in their power to secure a subscriber in each Free Baptist family in this Province and Nova Scotia, believing that we can in no one way, more effectually subserve the best interests of our cause.

On motion of Rev. W. Downey,

27. *Resolved*, That the next Session of this Conference, be held with the Church at Cornhill, Kings County.

On motion of Rev. E. B. Gray,

28. *Resolved*, That the apportionment of the moneys to be raised for Foreign Missions, be the same as last year.

Rev. G. A. Hartley, Secretary of Board of Managers, submitted the following Report:

BROTHER MODERATOR:—In submitting our annual report, your Board of Managers has to say that:

1. Very little more than the ordinary care of the matters entrusted to us has required our attention, or has been done by us during the year.

2. One deed of lot for meeting house in Westfield, Kings Co., has been received and recorded by us.

3. One thousand dollars has been invested in land security in Carleton County, bearing 6 per cent. interest.

4. The Treasurer's account will show the state of the finances.

The following Boards of Trustees were appointed for the ensuing year, or until others are appointed in their stead:

5. *Lakeville*.—Charles Tracy, Wm. Margeson.

6. *Canterbury*.—John Feero, Wm. Dow, Rev. H. A. Bonnell

7. *Erb Settlement*.—Howard Erb, William Smiley, Charles Smiley.

8. *Newtown, K. Co.*.—D. W. Manning, Geo. W. White, John A. Gosline.

9. *Mapleton, York Co.*.—Rev. W. Downey, Rev. Dr. McLeod, Rev. G. Swim.

10. *Upper Kent*.—Byron Shaw.

11. *Wheaton Settlement*.—John Brown, Fred Lutz, John Murray.

12. *Chocolate Cove*.—J. W. Fountain, Wm. H. Henny, John W. Stover, Oliver S. Fountain.

13. *Fair Haven*.—George A. Simpson, James W. Mosely, W. Rufus Cummings, Theodore Holmes, Stephen O. Ferris.

14. *Northern Harbor*.—Samuel Butler, Stephen Ferris, Asa N. Lord.

15. *Waterville*.—John Whitney, William Culberson, Jacob Palmer.

16. *Bath*.—Samuel Barker, Elijah Shaw.

17. *Woodstock*.—Charles VanWart, Daniel A. Grant, Zebulon Connor, Benjamin P. Clark.

18. *Wickham*.—Leonard S. VanWart, Jacob R. VanWart, James T. Belyea.

19. *Petitcodiac*.—J. Wesley Lowrey, Eltere Cochrane, Harry O. Bleunes.

20. *Victoria Road, Moncton*.—John McFarland, Henry Budds, Philip Kelley.

21. *Norton Station*.—J. D. Baxter, Milton McLeod, William Heinie, John Summerville, T. B. Bassett.

22. *Perth*.—George Morehouse, Charles H. McLaughlin, Samuel Bishop, Sr.

23. *Jacksonville*.—Elisha Slipp, D. W. Smith.

24. *Upper Millstream*.—Malcom Mason, W. B. Wright, B. Ensley Keith, Zebulon Gaunce, W. A. Patterson.

25. *Apohaqui*.—Matthew Fenwick, Robert Williams, Joseph Ricker.

26. *Waterville, Y. Co.*.—Clement Anderson, Allen Scriber, Rev. H. A. Bonnell.

27. *Studholm, K. Co.*.—Whitford Sharp, F. A. McLeod, Edward McLeod.

Respectfully submitted,

G. A. HARTLEY,

Secretary Board of Managers.

Marysville, Y. Co., Oct. 13, 1891.

*Ordered*, That the Report of the Board of Managers, be taken up section by section.

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, and 27th sections adopted.

*Ordered*, That the Report of the Board of Managers, be adopted.

On motion of Wm. Peters, Esq.,

29. *Resolved*, That the Trustees of the Church Property at Jacksonville, and Bros. Noble and Phillips, be Committee in charge of said Church Property.

A. W. Rideout, Esq., from the Committee on Appeals, submitted the following Report :

BROTHER MODERATOR.—Your Committee on Appeals are gratified to be able to report that no appeals have come before Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

A. W. RIDEOUT, *Chairman*.

Marysville, Y. Co., Oct. 13, 1891.

*Ordered*, That the Report just read, be adopted.

On motion of B. S. Palmer, Esq.,

30. *Resolved*, That we proceed to the election of the Executive of Conference.

Bros. G. A. Hartley, Dr. McLeod, J. W. Clarke, C. T. Phillips and Wm. Peters, elected Executive Committee of Conference.

On motion of Rev. Gideon Swim,

31. *Resolved*, That the Order of Business at 9.30 o'clock, a. m., 14th October, be Committee of the whole on Licentiates.

*Ordered*, That we do now adjourn until 7.30 o'clock this evening.

Closed by Prayer, by Rev. Gideon Swin.

Conference met at 7.30 o'clock, p. m. Moderator in the Chair.

Opened by Singing, and Prayer by Rev. O. N. Mott, Minutes of Afternoon Session read, and

*Ordered*, That the Minutes, as read, stand approved.

On motion of Rev. J. J. Barnes, seconded by Rev. J. N. Barnes,

32. *Resolved*, That the thanks of the Conference are due, and are hereby tendered to the people of Marysville, for their boundless hospitality in so generously entertaining its Members.

B. S. Palmer, Esq., Treasurer of the Board of Managers, submitted the following Report:

B. S. PALMER, *Treasurer Board of Managers*,

*In acct. with F. C. B. GENERAL CONFERENCE.*

1890.		Cr.		
Oct. 9.	Cash on hand as audited,.....			\$1,445 50
Nov. 12.	“ Rev. A. Kenny, acct. of note,.....			50 00
	“ “ acct. of interest,.....			6 00
1891.				
Oct. 1.	“ W. J. Bedell, interest, half year,.....			30 00
				<u>30 00</u>
				\$1,531 50
1890.		Dr.		
Oct. 12.	Paid for Blank Books,.....	\$0 70		
	Recording Deed, Erb,.....	1 40		
1891.				
April 1.	Mortgage, W. J. Bedell,...	1,000 00		
	Reedg Deed, H. Herrington	1 40		
Oct.	Postage 1890-91,.....	1 52	1,005 02	
	Balance on hand, ... ..		\$526 48	
SECURITY ACCOUNT.				
	Boyer Mortgage, .....		\$1,800 00	
	Interest on do., one year,.....		108 00	
	Hartt Mortgage,.....		1,200 00	
	Interest on do., one year,.....		72 00	
	Bedell Mortgage,.....		1,000 00	
	Notes on hand, .....		200 00	
			<u>\$4,380 00</u>	
Oct. 13, 1891.				

*Ordered,* That the Report of the Treasurer of the Board of Managers, be referred to the Auditor.

Rev. Joseph McLeod, D. D., Corresponding Secretary of the Foreign Mission Executive, submitted the following Report :

#### Foreign Mission Report.

BROTHER MODERATOR :—This report will make mention of the field, the work, the workers, the needs, with some suggestions as to our duty.

The field is in Southern Bengal, India. The census of 1891 shows the population in the region occupied by the Free Baptist Mission to be 3,610,995. The mission stations are thirteen, as follows: Balasore, Santipore, Matrapore, Baliapal, Chandhali, Bhudruk, Midnapore, Palashani, Dainmari, Bahagadia, Bhimpore, Gadlata and Jellasore.

The various branches of work usual in missions are carried on—preaching tours, schools, a training school for native teachers, a Bible school for native Christian preachers, zenana work, &c.

There are twelve churches, with an aggregate membership of 805. The Sabbath-schools have 9,573 scholars. Other schools have an aggregate of some thousands in attendance.

The additions to the churches by baptism during the year were 103—a larger number than in any previous year. One new church, with seventeen members, was organized. Much good seed has been sown, that will doubtless bear fruit. The results, so far as they can be reported, are thus set forth in the printed report, just received, for the year which closed with March, 1891 :

“The past year has been one of successful missionary work. The report will gladden the hearts of many friends, and be for all a cause of thankfulness to God for His blessings upon the work. The Boards will, we believe, be encouraged to press the claims of the work upon the people of America more than ever before ; and we trust that some who have heretofore hesitated in offering either themselves or their means for this work will be led to hesitate no longer. The harmony which has for so many years characterized this mission still continues, and that true fellowship is made stronger by another year of earnest work, of common desires and united sympathy. Our hearts have been cheered in the work, while the burden of souls has laid heavily on us. It is with a feeling of great joy that we report the spiritual progress of the native Christians. Although no mighty revival has swept over the mission, yet the growth in grace of the members of the churches is very gratifying ; and we begin to entertain hopes of a

purser church in India. That more should have been added by baptism than in any year before, is only what all expected; but we wish to call attention to the fact that a new church, Ulda, has been added to the list, and has begun with the brightest prospects for a thriving church. We report but few deaths. In Midnapore the cholera and small-pox swept the people away by hundreds, yet not one of all the Christians has been taken by these dreaded diseases."

Three branches of work, especially, were in charge of the missionary of this Conference, the late Rev. A. B. Boyer. Concerning each of these he penned a statement for the report. The report of his work, prepared by Mrs. Boyer, and addressed to this Conference, is appended. It is of pathetic interest.

At the beginning of the year there were in the field 48 missionaries—28 English and 20 natives. Of the 28 English missionaries, three were New Brunswickers.

Since then the number has been sadly lessened. Three are in America for needed rest. Two are in "the hills," broken with overwork, but hoping to gain strength enough to resume work without coming home. Three have died—Dr. Bacheler, Junr., one of the native preachers, and our own Bro. Boyer.

The death of Bro. Boyer was a stunning blow to the mission. Five years ago this month he sailed for India. He quickly prepared himself for the work. He was able in an exceptionally short time to preach to the natives. No missionary in the field got so quickly a mastery of the language, and the power to use it to advantage in preaching the gospel. He was a tireless worker. From the outset he showed himself possessed of the true missionary spirit, and was skilful in dealing with the peculiar and difficult characters to whom he went with the gospel message. He was regarded by his fellow-missionaries as one of the most valuable and promising young men in the field. In all our churches his death was and is felt deeply. There is a sense of sore bereavement. It was hoped that he would be spared for a long lifetime of work in his chosen field. He was so well fitted for the work, loved it so much, and was so successful, that we cannot but feel greatly depressed that just as he was fairly entered upon a career which promised great usefulness he should be called away from it. But what we cannot understand we can trust God about, sure that in His own way and at His own time He will make even this heavy blow to work His good purposes. He died at his post. Though but few years were given him, he did not live in vain. His work will abide, and the fruits of his consecrated life and seed-sowing will increase to the end of time.

Mrs. Boyer, in her widowhood, with the two little children,

has been in the hearts and prayers of a host of Christians who have come to know her and her departed husband, for their Christian devotion and their work's sake. May she have abundant grace and the abiding of the Holy Comforter.

Soon after the death of Bro. Boyer, the Executive for Foreign Missions held a meeting. A resolution, expressing our sense of loss by the death of Bro. Boyer, and expressing our sympathy with Mrs. B. and family, was adopted. It was resolved to pay the full salary to the end of the year, and after that to provide for Mrs. B.'s salary should she decide to remain in India, which the Executive hoped she might do.

The Executive also issued an appeal to the churches, stating the needs of the treasury. There has been a fair response to that appeal.

The facts about the field, the workers, etc., have been set forth more in detail than usual, that the situation as it is may be clear to those hearing or reading the report. They show that the needs of the work are great and pressing.

While fully appreciating all that has been done by our churches, the Executive cannot believe that as much has been done as might have been. The amount asked for the year was believed to be easily within the ability of the churches to furnish. And yet the Treasurer has to report a deficit of \$

Three things have to be said of the contributions—they were slow, irregular, and inadequate. This unsatisfactory condition may be attributed to (1) "hard times," (2) lack of system, and (3) failure to appreciate the importance of the work. Whatever influence the first may have had, it is feared that the other two chiefly responsible.

There is in this day great increase of missionary enthusiasm; contributions are enlarged, and activities are multiplied; and the church of Christ, as never before, seems determined upon the evangelization of the heathen world.

Has an increase of this spirit and purpose of evangelization come to us? Perhaps somewhat, but not in a degree that is desirable. There is too much a disposition to think that we are doing enough, that if this year does not fall below its immediate predecessor we have done well—our whole duty. We are in danger of being too easily satisfied. Not only should increase of members of financial ability make increase of aggressive Christian work, but if our churches are being instructed in the things that pertain to the kingdom, the effects of that teaching will find their best expression in a steady increase of practical interest in the spread of that kingdom.

Dr. Pierson discerns clearly when he says: "The coming

church will be essentially a missionary church distinctively, educating the membership to intelligent and systematic participation in the work of witnessing to all men. To give and to pray will be as much a part of church life as to go to church meetings or the Lord's table." Such would we have our churches be and do—fully in harmony with the missionary spirit of the time, and every member regarding it a precious privilege to share in the great work of the world's conquest for Christ.

For the year upon which we will presently enter, the Executive suggests :

1. That the church be asked to contribute not less than \$1,200, and that an earnest effort be made to raise more.

2. That the pulpits more frequently bring the subject to the attention of the churches ; that missionary prayer meetings be established ; and that a better system of collecting be adopted.

3. That earnest prayer be made that God will send us one or more men for the foreign field.

The work remains though the workers die—die, perhaps, because overtaxed by the extraordinary demands upon them, arising from lack of workers.

It is a great work, brethren ; and it is a great honor that it has been entrusted to us. Shall we lose the honor and make ourselves guilty before God—guilty of the blood of those for whom Christ died—by failing to enter in and possess the land in His name ? God forbid.

Respectfully submitted,

Jos. McLEOD,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

#### **Mrs. Boyer's Report.**

DEAR BRETHREN.—It is with a sorrowful heart that I attempt to write this report, embracing as it must the work of one who rests from his earthly labors. But though the heart is sorrowful and almost overwhelmed with grief and desolation, there is no bitterness, and the Father has helped me to say, "Though He slay me yet will I trust in Him."

Mr. Boyer's work, during the past year, has been especially blest. Last year he reported work at Singla, twenty-four miles from here. Near there a great interest sprang up in two adjoining villages—Manikpur and Ujurda. Dannie remained with the people, and Mr. Boyer made frequent visits. In March he had the pleasure of baptizing one man ; and while he was lying ill Dannie came in to say that five more were awaiting baptism. Mr. Brown, who has taken charge of the work, has since baptized



them, and two others, making eight from those heathen villages miles from any other Christian settlement. Last week a little church was organized. Mr. Brown has placed a Christian man there, and Dannie spends much of his time among them. Besu, the catechist, is still at Singla, where he talks with the people and sells books. He and his wife are alone. No one would touch them if they were ill; but he seems full of faith and happy in his work.

Last December Mr. Boyer accompanied Gunga to Cuttack, to try and persuade the girl whom he had married in Hinduism, to join him and be a Christian. The attempt was unsuccessful, and the case was taken to court. Gunga waited in Cuttack four months, so slow is the process of litigation in this country, but she absolutely refused to join him. He was granted a lawful separation, with liberty to marry whom he would. He had never seen his child bride. He has now returned to the Bible school at Midnapore.

Through the untiring efforts of your missionary, the building and compound for the proposed English Zleigh School were purchased last December. It is a fine large place, in every way suitable for the purpose. We moved here in February, and he had planned and was carrying on the repairs at the time he left us. The deeds and transfers had been made out and all the business completed the very week he fell ill. It was while doing this that he first complained of weariness and fever. He was to have opened the school on July 1st, and a number of pupils had been secured. Mr. and Mrs. Ager, from Bhudruck, have moved in here, and he is continuing the repairs, but the school must wait until a teacher comes from America. Our christian boys must continue under Hindoo instructors and Hindoo influences.

The Sunday School has increased in numbers and efficiency during the year. There are now three hundred and fifty-seven pupils. The teachers' meeting has been held weekly and the contributions towards the support of our native evangelist have been continued. Mr. Boyer had been superintendent of the Sabbath School for two and one-half years, and he dearly loved the work. He introduced, and for a long time prepared alone, the Lesson Leaves in Oruja.

The press, of which he had charge here, has been removed to Nudnapore. Tracts, Catechisims, Lesson Leaves, etc. were printed here.

The A. C. F. Society reported last year has met here regularly every week. The young men are pledged to do some christian work. They still carry on a number of Hindoo Sunday Schools and are starting new ones. Training these young people for

future workers seemed too grand a work to be dropped, so Mr. Ager and myself are still carrying it on with a good interest.

Perhaps more than in any of the above mentioned labors Mr. Boyer showed his zeal and love for souls in the personal work he did. No native came to call, for pleasure or business, but the matter of his soul's salvation was brought home to him. When repeatedly late for meals he met my enquiry or reproof by saying: "It was more important that I should talk to a man about his soul." Again and again I have walked far on in the night to hear him talking and praying with some one in his study. We seldom went out for an evening drive without him talking to some one on the way.

He administered the ordinance of baptism for the last time on the 1st of May, to Bolaram, a converted watchmaker. He was converted through the Bazaar preaching. Reference has often been made to him through the *Intelligencer*. A long time ago he went to Cuttack to bring his boy, saying that if he waited until after he was baptised his relatives would refuse to part with the child. He unexpectedly turned up and placed the boy with us. I was glad to find that the little fellow had been taught something about Christianity and could repeat the Lord's Prayer.

I am now superintending the work of Dannie and Besu. Our united work—the Boys' Orphanage—is now mine alone. Nineteen orphans were made over to us in February; now there are twenty-nine. Of the additions, four Mr. Boyer brought in from Hindoo degradation. I feel blessed in the care of these boys as I never did in any other work. Their spiritual and temporal welfare is entrusted to me. It is no small care, but it has become, like the care of my own children, so much of a pleasure that the burden is forgotten.

The seven Hindoo Girls' Schools, reported last year, are still under my supervision. The work is interesting, but I have been obliged to give it much less attention than I would like on account of the more urgent claims of the boys. The standard of scholarship has been kept up during the year. Beside the christian instruction received during the week, there are four Sunday schools in connection with these schools. In my visits to them I am often accompanied by the Bible women. I have much pleasure in testifying to the zeal and efficiency of these two women. They were called of God and he is blessing them in their work. Their light shines in Church, Sabbath school and home.

Before coming to this country I felt an urgent call to this work. Since coming here I have had no reason to believe that I made a mistake. God has not yet called me to return, and I hope to

remain here as long as I can with safety to our children. I thank you for the prayers which I know you have offered for me. In answer to prayer, strength and courage have been given me in these, the darkest hours of my life. These dear missionaries have shown me every kindness and sympathy. They loved Mr Boyer and wept with me and for me. As I have written to many friends, I say here, I have not felt my loss more because it occurred in India. The natives, too, have manifested their sorrow and sympathy, from the Rajah of Balasore down to the poor old woman who cooks for the orphan boys. She said: "Oh, if God could have taken me and spared him, how gladly would I have died for him." The native christians came that sad June morning and said: "He was one of us. He was ours in life, let him be with us in death." So he does not sleep beside the other European dead, but in the little native burying ground, not far from our old happy home, among those whom he loved and for whom he labored.

Balasore, India, 13th August, 1891.

CLARA I. BOYER.

On motion of Rev. J. Wesley Clarke, seconded by Rev. G. W. Foster,

33. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Foreign Mission Executive, be adopted.

Rev. J. McLeod, D. D., from Committee on Deceased Brethren, submitted the following Report:

BROTHER MODERATOR,—This Conference desires to put on record its deep sense of the loss sustained by the denomination and the cause of Christ in the death of Rev. A. B. Boyer, our devoted missionary in India. He died June 7th, of this year, after a brief illness of typhoid fever.

Five years ago he went to India, by appointment of this Conference. Arriving there at the end of the year, he was located at Balasore, and at once entered upon his work. He quickly mastered the language and adapted himself to the necessities of the work. He immediately won the favour of his fellow missionaries, who regarded him with increasing love and confidence. By his devotion and intelligent zeal he commended himself to the natives, even to those who were most strongly prejudiced against the doctrines of Christ, and exercised a powerful influence over them. His death is a great grief to the missionaries, who had come to rely much upon his judgment in matters concerning the work.

Dr. Bachelor, the senior missionary, expressed the feeling of all when he said, "we have good men left, but it will be a long time, I fear, before we will have another like Bro. Boyer." The native Christians were nearly heart-broken at his death. They begged the privilege of having him buried in a new burial ground recently laid out especially for native Christians, and their request being granted, they tenderly bore him to his resting place amongst those whom he loved, and for whom he gave his young consecrated life.

Our people at home have a keen cause of bereavement. It had been hoped that he would spend many years in the work which he loved so well, and in which he was so successful. His sudden cutting off was, therefore, a great shock to all.

While we do not understand his early removal from the service for which he had shown so marked adaptation, we would not complain. "We walk by faith," and are sure that "it is well" that what we know not now we will know in the clearer light that awaits us, into which our dear brother and fellow laborer has already entered.

We place on record our love for him, our deep appreciation of his consecration to Christ as shown in his self-denying, yet joyful devotion to the difficult and riskful work to which God appointed him, and our thankfulness to God that he was permitted, for more than four years, to make Jesus known to the heathen, and that his life and labors were blessed in so large degree.

To Mrs. Boyer the Conference expresses profoundest sympathy in the sore bereavement which she and her children have been called upon to suffer, and assure her of our prayers that she may have in fullness the gracious abiding ministries of the Holy Comforter.

To his aged parents and other relations, and to missionaries in the field, whose hearts are made sad by his death, we also extend sympathy.

We suggest that a fund be raised, by contributions from the people, to erect a monument at his grave in Balasore, a spot of earth that must always be thought of by us with pathetic interest, as containing the remains of our first male missionary, and the first of our own brethren to die amongst and for the heathen whom he sought to turn to Jesus.

We request that contributions be solicited in each church for the proposed monument.

But, another memorial of his consecrated service—the best, the one that would receive his approval could he speak to us, and which will surely be most pleasing to God—is an increase of interest in the work in which he poured out his life—an interest that will

express itself in fervent prayers and generous and steadily increasing contributions. His death does not affect us in the way God designs unless it moves us in this deeper devotion.

“ Weep not for the spirit now crowned  
With the garland to martyrdom given ;  
O, weep not for him : he has found  
His reward and his refuge in Heaven.

But weep for the nations that dwell  
Where the light of the truth never shone,  
Where anthems of peace never swell,  
And the love of the Lord is unknown.”

Respectfully submitted,

JOS. NOBLE,  
T. S. VANWART,  
C. T. PHILLIPS,  
JOS. MCLEOD,

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 13, 1891.

On motion of Rev. C. T. Phillips,

34. *Resolved*, That the Report just read be adopted, and that a copy of this Report be sent to Mrs. Boyer.

Rev. B. H. Nobles, Corresponding Secretary of the Home Mission Executive, submitted the following Report :

**Report of Home Mission Executive.**

*Dear Brethren*,—In the order of a kindly Providence we have been brought into the present, and it now becomes our duty to report to you concerning the department of denominational work entrusted to our care. In connection with our Home Missionary enterprise we, like your executive of former years, have found many things to discourage, nevertheless we feel there is real cause for devout thanksgiving to the Lord of the vineyard and Head of the Church.

**REVIEW OF THE WORK.**

A review of the work of the year just closed shows that eighteen churches and twelve ministers have received aid from your Board. Eight of these churches are in the First District, and have been cared for during the year by Revs. J. J. Barnes and L. A. Cosman. The labours of these brethren have greatly strengthened the cause of our denomination in those parts, especially at Upper Kent and at Rowena, where fourteen have been baptized, and a church organized, with twenty-three members, by Bro. Barnes. Your Board also thought it wise to make a grant to the pastor of the

churches on Grand Manan Island, Rev. T. O. DeWitt, whose diligent and indefatigable efforts have been much blessed to the people. In order that the Gordonsville church might secure the services of our esteemed brother, Rev. E. B. Grey, pecuniary aid was given them from the funds at our disposal. Bro. R. W. Carpenter has been laboring with the church in Stanley most acceptably, and your Board deemed it advisable to assist this church in his support. Years ago we had a church at Canaan Forks, but owing to removals, deaths and lack of pastoral oversight it had become almost if not quite extinct. This year your Executive, after due deliberation, thought it best to make a grant to Rev. J. N. Barnes, so that he might give a portion of his time to work on this field, and we are in hopes the faithful labors of our brother may be of lasting good to the brethren there. The churches at Lewis Cove and Steeves Settlement, because of their scattered condition and financial weakness, were unable to raise sufficient amounts to secure for themselves pastors, so the Board assisted them, and they succeeded in getting Rev. O. N. Mott and Bro. Abram Perry respectively to minister to them portions of their time. At the latter place Bro. Perry has had a glorious revival, and about thirty have been baptized. The church in Moncton received a grant to aid them in raising the salary of their pastor, Rev. G. F. Currie. The Executive regret that owing to the low state of our finances it could not have been larger. Under the faithful ministrations of our brother the church has been greatly strengthened and encouraged. To the Beaver Harbour church also a grant was made to enable them to secure preaching. Revs. F. Babcock, J. A. Robertson and Bro. David Long have laboured with this Church at times during the year, and their visits, we believe, have been blessed to the church. Your Executive may have made mistakes in their attempt to perform the work given them, but whatever of mistake there may have been must be attributed to error in judgment rather than to lack of interest in or love for the churches.

#### HINDRANCES.

In various ways the work of your Board has been impeded. The churches in general have evinced a seeming indifference toward this department of our religious work. Early in the year your Executive published and mailed to the churches, their clerks or pastors, a circular letter, 140 in all, telling of an exhausted treasury, emphasizing the importance of systematic giving in view of the work in hand, and imploring the officers or pastors to bring the matter before their churches. To this appeal there was by no means a general and hearty response, hence we speak of the seeming indifference of the churches. Then there is the scarcity of

ministers. This impedes progress in our work. Howsoever free we might have been from other hindrance, or howsoever much your Executive would have been pleased to do so, this fact—the fewness of men at our disposal—would have effectually prevented us from helping many weak churches or occupying new ground. Further there has been the lack of funds. Whether this has been from lack of interest in our work or fault in our system of raising money, or from other cause, we do not say, but we feel it would be uncharitable for any in the contemplation of this lamentable fact to be forgetful of this, that the past year has been one of great depression in the money market of the world. Your Executive, however, are not disposed to find fault, but would encourage all to increasing faith and intelligent activities, and so in kindly spirit would make the following

SUGGESTIONS :

1. That the pastoral system be encouraged and vigorously carried into effect so far as possible, thus relieving the Board and giving opportunity for aggressive work in new fields.
2. That blank forms be provided for ministers receiving assistance from Home Mission Funds, so that they can report regularly and uniformly, thus enabling the Executive to give to this Conference a detailed report of work done.
4. That this Conference, during the present session, devise ways and means for the awakening in our churches of more interest in the Home Missionary enterprise, and further, for the systematic collection of funds for this and other departments of denominational work.
5. That an itinerant missionary or superintendent of missions be employed for some weeks or months in the year, who shall visit our mission fields to gather information needed for the guidance of your Executive, and to aid, by suggestion or otherwise, the pastors and churches.

If we have a right to exist as a denomination—and if we have not the sooner we come to know it the better—we should care for the weaker interests already established, while at the same time we should go into the regions beyond, where are communities waiting for our doctrines. This we cannot do without men and money. Therefore we appeal unto you ministers, successors of the worthy Fathers of our denomination, who went over hill and dale with the glad tidings; we appeal unto you delegates from the churches; we appeal unto you all to do your utmost to awaken enthusiasm among our people, to encourage systematic beneficence

for the support of our denominational enterprises, and to pray the Lord of the harvest to raise up and send forth more laborers into the field.

Respectfully submitted,

B. H. NOBLES,  
Corresponding Secretary  
of H. M. Executive.

Marysville, Oct. 14. 1891.

On motion of Rev. F. C. Hartley, A. B., seconded by Rev. C. T. Phillips, and supported by Rev. W. H. Perry,

35. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Executive for Home Missions, be adopted.

On motion of Rev. J. McLeod, D. D.,

36. *Resolved*, That we do now adjourn till 8.30 o'clock, a. m., 14th October, 1891.

Closed by Prayer, by Rev. T. O. DeWitt.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1891.

Conference met at 8.30 o'clock, a. m. Moderator in the Chair.

Opened by Singing, and Prayer by Rev. C. T. Phillips. Roll called.

Minutes of last Session read, and

*Ordered*, That the Minutes as read, stand approved.

On motion of Rev. W. Downey,

*Ordered*, That the Report of the Committee on the Report of the General Secretary, be now taken up section by section.

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sections adopted.

On motion of F. M. McLeod, Esq., A. B.,

37. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Committee on the General Secretary's Report, be adopted as a whole.



On motion of Wm. Peters, Esq.,

38. *Resolved*, That Rev. Dr. McLeod be appointed to solicit subscriptions to the Union Baptist Educational Society, in order to complete the raising of \$1,500 required for immediate, urgent need.

The Auditor, *pro tem*, submitted the following Report :

BROTHER MODERATOR :—Your Auditor *pro tem* begs leave to report :

1. That he has examined the books, accounts and vouchers of the Treasurer of the Executive for Home Missions, and finds the same correct.

Balance on hand, 8th October, 1890, .....	\$65 85
Collected during the year,.....	717 10
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Expended to 13th October, 1891,.....	\$782 95
	549 77
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Balance on hand, ..... \$233 18

2. That he has examined the books, accounts and vouchers of the Treasurer of the Executive for Foreign Missions, and finds the same correct.

Collected during year,.....	\$755 99
Paid ex-Treasurer balance due,.....	\$28 52
Expended to 13th October, 1891, .....	711 90
	740 42
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Balance on hand, .....	\$15 57

3. That he has examined the accounts and vouchers of the ex-Treasurer of Conference, and finds the same correct.

Balance on hand 8th October, 1890,.....	\$486 50
Received to 31st December, 1890,.....	5 75
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Paid to 31st December, 1890,.....	492 25
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Balance on hand, which has been paid to new Treasurer,..... \$125 85

4. That he has examined the accounts and vouchers of the present Treasurer of Conference, and finds the same correct.

Received to 13th October, 1891,.....	\$408 36
From ex-Treasurer, W. P., .....	125 85
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Amount on hand,.....	\$534 21

5. That he has examined the accounts, books and vouchers of the Treasurer of the Executive for Sick and Disabled Ministers, and finds the same correct.

Balance on hand 8th October, 1890,.....	\$134 59
Received to 13th October, 1891, .....	160 63

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Disbursed, .....	100 00

Balance on hand,.....	\$195 22
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6. That he has examined the accounts, books and vouchers of the Treasurer of the Board of Managers, and finds the same correct:

Invested in Mortgages,.....	\$4,060 00
Notes of Hand,.....	200 00
Cash on Hand,.....	526 48
Interest on Mortgages, unpaid,.....	180 00

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(Of this amount \$911.50, cash, and \$206 in Notes belong to the Fund for Sick and Disabled Ministers.)

7. Your Auditor recommends that the one hundred dollars voted at this Session to the General Secretary be paid out of the funds in the hands of the Treasurer of Conference.

8. Your Auditor further recommends that the sum of \$88.50 of the moneys in the hands of the Treasurer for Sick and Disabled Ministers be paid to the Treasurer of the Board of Managers, so that the moneys in his hands belonging to the fund for Sick and Disabled Ministers be made up to \$1,000.

Respectfully submitted,

D. McLEOD VINCE,  
*Auditor pro tem.*

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 14, 1891.

On motion of Auditor, *pro tem*,

39. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Auditor, together with the Reports of the ex-Treasurer and present Treasurer of Conference, Treasurer of the Board of Managers, the Treasurer of the Executive for Home Missions, the Treasurer of the Executive for Foreign Missions, and the Treasurer of Executive for Sick and Disabled Ministers, be adopted.

On motion of Rev. G. A. Hartley, seconded by A. C. Smith, Esq., M. P.,

40. *Resolved*, That as we learn that Rev. William Downey intends laboring this year among Churches as an Evangelist, we give him our hearty sympathy, and commend him to God and to our people in this work, hoping and praying that his labors may be abundantly blessed, and that his year's work may be to the edification of our Churches, and the conversion of many souls.

Rev. G. A. Hartley, from Executive for Sick and Disabled Ministers, submitted the following Report :

BROTHER MODERATOR :—Your Executive Committee for Sick and Disabled Ministers beg to submit that they have granted during the year to Rev S. W. Shaw, \$75.00; Rev. F. Babcock, \$25.00. These are the only applications that have reached us. The Treasurer's account will show the state of the finances.

Respectfully submitted,

G. A. HARTLEY,

*Chairman of Committee.*

Marysville, Y. Co., Oct. 12, 1891.

*Ordered*, That the Report of the Executive for Sick and Disabled Ministers, be adopted.

On motion of B. S. Palmer, Esq.,

41. *Resolved*, That the sum of ten dollars be paid to the reporter of the *Religious Intelligencer*.

On motion of Rev. Joseph McLeod, D. D.,

*Whereas*, The Free Baptist General Conference of Nova Scotia has requested this Conference to appoint a Committee to confer with Committees of the Free Baptist General Conference of Nova Scotia, and the Free Baptist General Conference of New Brunswick and Maine, about the Union of these Bodies; therefore

42. *Resolved*, That such a Committee be appointed.

*Ordered*, That Bros. G. A. Hartley, Dr. McLeod, Phillips, Clarke and Thompson, do compose said Committee.

On motion of Rev. Gideon Swim,

43. *Resolved*, That the Moderator do now leave the Chair, and that we go into Committee of the Whole on Licentiate, and such other business as may be brought before the Committee.

Rev. William Downey in the Chair of the Committee.  
The Moderator resumed the Chair.

Rev. William Downey, from the Committee of the Whole on Licentiate, reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received and leave granted.  
On motion of Rev. G. Swim,

44. *Resolved*, That we do now adjourn to 1.30 o'clock, p. m.

Closed by Prayer, by Rev. J. T. Parsons.

Conference met at 1.30 o'clock, p. m. Assistant Moderator in the Chair.

Opened by Singing, and Prayer by Rev. J. N. Barnes.  
Minutes of Forenoon Session read, and

*Ordered*, That Minutes as read, stand approved.  
On motion of Rev. Gideon Swim,

45. *Resolved*, That the Moderator do now leave the Chair, and that we go into a Committee of the Whole on Licentiate.

Rev. W. Downey, in the Chair of the Committee.  
The Moderator resumed the Chair.

Rev. W. Downey, from the Committee of the whole on Licentiate, submitted the following Report :

BROTHER MODERATOR :—Your Committee of the Whole on Licentiate, etc., begs leave to submit the following report :

1. That Brothers David Long, R. W. Carpenter and Abraham Perry be ordained.

2. That Brothers William Reud, Frank A. Currier, S. J. Perry, Irvine Harvey and A. W. Currie be licensed by this Conference.

3. That the Ordination be held in the F. C. B. Church, Marysville, at 7.30 o'clock this evening, and that the services be as follows :

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Invocation,.....	Rev. G. B. Gray.
First Hymn,.....	" J. N. Barnes.
Scripture Lesson,.....	" F. C. Hartley, A.B.
Prayer,.....	" G. W. Foster.
Second Hymn,.....	" G. Swin.
Sermon, .....	" G. A. Hartley.
Third Hymn, .....	" A. G. Downey.
Presentation of Candidates,.....	" B. H. Nobles.
Questions,.....	The Moderator.
Ordination Prayer,.....	Rev. J. T. Parsons.
Hand of Fellowship,.....	The Moderator.
Charge,.....	Rev. C. T. Phillips.
Closing Hymn,.....	" T. O. DeWitt.
Benediction,.....	" D. Long.

4. That Brothers F. M. McLeod, F. C. Hartley, A. G. Downey, Dr. McLeod, S. R. McFarlane, G. W. Foster, G. E. Foster, W. Peters and J. T. Parsons be the Examining Committee of Licentiates for next year.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. DOWNEY,  
Chairman.

Marysville, York Co., Oct. 14, 1891.

On motion of Rev. W. Downey,

46. *Resolved*, That the Report of the Committee on Licentiates &c., be adopted, and the recommendations therein contained, be carried out.

On motion of Rev. C. T. Phillips,

47. *Resolved*, That the question of appointing Ministers as Members of the Board of Directors of this Union Baptist Educational Society, be left with the Executive of Conference.

On motion of Rev. T. J. Parsons,

48. *Resolved*, That the thanks of this Conference are due, and are hereby tendered to the Organist and Choir, for their kindness in furnishing music for the various services during the Session, and that this Resolution be read in the meeting this evening.

On motion of Rev. W. Downey,

49. *Resolved*, That this Conference wishes to express its heartfelt thanks to the Lord, for the bountiful harvest that has crowned

the labor of the husbandman, and for the spiritual blessings given to us as a Denomination in the year just past.

Minutes of Afternoon Session read,

*Ordered*, That the Minutes as read, stand approved.

On motion of Rev. John Henderson,

50. *Resolved*, That we do now adjourn.

Closed by Prayer by Rev. J. T. Parsons.

A. C. THOMPSON,

MODERATOR.

D. MCLEOD VINCE,

RECORDING SECRETARY.

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NOTE.—The name of Rev. A. G. Downey, P. O. Address Fred-  
erickton, N. B., was accidentally omitted on Page 2. It should  
appear after the name of Rev. Charles Rogers.

D. McL. VINCE, *Rec. Sec*

# MINUTES

OF THE

## Woman's Foreign Mission Society.

THE SIXTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSION SOCIETY, was held at Marysville, Y. C., on Monday, Oct. 12th, 1891, at 10 o'clock, a. m. Mrs. A. C. Smith, Vice President in the Chair. Opened with singing and prayer. Officers present:

Mrs. A. C. Smith, and Mrs. McMulkin, *Vice-Presidents.*

Mrs. Jos. McLeod, *Recording Secretary.*

Mrs. J. S. Smith, *Treasurer.*

Mrs. M. Fenwick, *Auditor.*

Mrs. Wm. Peters, Mrs. C. Burtt, Mrs. D. Long, Mrs. A. Turner, Mrs. S. Carpenter, Mrs. Vince, Mrs. James Patterson, Mrs. J. T. Parsons, Mrs. J. W. Clarke, Miss Jane Weyman, Mrs. C. T. Phillips, Mrs. Dr. Secord, Mrs. Thos. Robinson, Mrs. J. J. Barnes.

Minutes of last meeting read.

The Nominating Committee, appointed last year, submitted their Report, and no action being taken, it was laid on the table.

Committee on Public Meeting also reported.

Several letters from the Missionaries—Miss Hobper and Mrs. Boyer—were read.

Adjourned, to meet at 3 p. m.

The public meeting of the Society was held at 3 p. m. in the Church. Meeting opened by singing "All power is given unto me." Mrs. A. C. Smith presided, reading the

Scriptures in the 45th Psalm, followed in prayer by Mrs. J. T. Parsons.

Mrs. C. W. Weyman, Corresponding Secretary, not being present, on account of illness, her Report was read by Mrs. McNintch :

**Report of the Corresponding Secretary of the Woman's Mission Society.**

MRS. PRESIDENT AND SISTERS :—Swiftly and silently has the year gone by, and the time has come for me to lay before you the Annual Report of your work in India. This has been a year of sadness and bereavement. After our yearly meeting last year, we had scarcely been relieved of the anxiety concerning our Sister Hooper's health when the news came almost like an electric shock to us that Dr. H. M. Bachelor had suddenly passed away, leaving wife and children without the tender protection of a husband and a father's loving care. We could not realize why this should be, that one in the prime of life, so emiently qualified for the work and so much needed, should be called so soon from the battle field. And while our hearts ached for his wife and children we could only say: "Even so, Father, for so it seemeth good in thy sight."

Then only a few months more and we read the startling intelligence that we could scarcely force ourselves to believe: "Rev. A. B. Boyer is dead; died of fever." For a time we felt stunned. How that sad cablegram thrilled each heart in the denomination? What questionings arose in these poor frail human minds? And how our hearts bled for the sorely stricken widow and orphan babes, called to pass through such an ordeal so far from home and loved ones. Swiftly came the Divine command to us: "Be still and know that I am God. Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right." God is too wise to err and too just to be unkind. And with bowed heads and stricken hearts we said, "Thy will be done." Our sister's grief seemed to us too sacred for intrusion, but what a volume of prayers went up in her behalf from the sympathetic hearts of our people to the widow's God and the Father of the fatherless. And have not those prayers been answered? How touching the news that has come again and again of the patient bravery shown in such sorrow, of the earnest, faithful devotedness to the burdens and work that have fallen to her in the midst of her grief. And amidst it all our thanks should ascend to our Heavenly Father who has so graciously strengthened and preserved our sister and her dear little ones.



Of our Brother Boyer's labors and eminent fitness for the work it is needless for me to speak ; but should we not on bended knees learn the lessons that this sore bereavement is intended to teach us as a people ? For assuredly there is a wise end and purpose in this dispensation for us.

From the Annual Report, issued from the Mission Press, in India, we find that the past year has been one of successful missionary work. More members have been added by baptism than in any previous year, and a new church with the brightest prospect of success has been added. The growth in grace has been very gratifying and the missionaries entertain hopes of a purer church in India. While some of the workers have been called by the Master up higher, and others have returned to America for a much needed rest, Rev. and Mrs. Hallam and Dr. Mary Bachelor have returned to the field and entered into the work with energy and zeal.

Our work, as you are aware, lies in the Balasore District. Our native preacher, Daniel Nazak, under Brother and Sister Boyer's direction, has been doing faithful, efficient work during the past year. The greater part of his time has been spent in the country, at Singla, twenty-eight miles distant from Balasore, and Manikpur, a few miles from Singla. For some years there has been a surplus of funds after Dannie's salary had been paid, and with this fund Brother Boyer built a house at Singla and employed a Catechist named Besu. Besu sells books and his wife has a school. Dannie frequently visits them.

Speaking of this work Mr. Boyer, in his report ending March 31st, says : " My work in the country for the past year has been peculiarly blessed of the Lord. At Singla, where I have now a Catechist, supported by the New Brunswick ladies, two men have been baptized, and others are anxious to follow. A school is being opened there, which, I think, will be successful. The number of baptisms is not a criterion of the work done. A great many of the people have left off idolatry and lying, and pray like christians in the name of Christ. I believe a most excellent beginning has been made at that place, and that in a short time many of the people near there will profess Christ openly."

While Mr. Boyer was ill Dannie came in from Singla for him to baptize five persons from Manikpur. Rev. Mr. Brown has since baptized them and organized a church of eight persons. This is a very interesting field. Mrs. Boyer and Miss H. have both written recently concerning it. In letters from them, dated August 22nd, Miss Hooper said she received a message from Dannie asking her to go to him at once as he was ill and wished

to see her. She started immediately but met Dannie, ill and weak as he was, going to Mrs. Boyer's with a letter from Besu, telling her that a family of eight had broken caste and wanted to become christians; three of them being adults and wanting to be baptized. Dannie is not ordained and cannot baptize, but he wanted to go at once to them and have Miss Hooper take a Bible Woman and go with him. But both Mrs. Boyer and Miss Hooper told him he was not able to go yet. Sister Hooper says she intends going soon, taking with her her Bible Woman, Uema, who is a native of that place. Dannie says that Sahib (Brother Boyer) was greatly interested in this work. 'Tis for this work that Mrs. Boyer asks for an increase of appropriation this year.

Basnadeb, the orphan boy whom we supported for a number of years, is still in the Bible school, I presume. Beside our native preacher and catechist we have two Bible women under Mrs. Boyer. Of them Mrs. Boyer, in her report, says: "The two Bible women supported by the ladies of New Brunswick have been at work during the year. They, with the other Bible women of the place, report large numbers of women who do not believe in idol worship and have left it off. Among them not a few are learning the Lord's Prayer and the Ten Commandments. When visiting schools at a distance I often take the Bible women with me, and we spend the day at work in the villages near by. I find them a great aid in connection with the school work. They visit the homes of the children and talk with the mothers, and thus the forces combine to break down prejudice and build up faith on the True Foundation." Speaking of her work Sister Boyer says: "I have what ought to be two women's work. I am glad I have a good deal. It keeps me from selfish sorrow, but I really have more than I can do properly. The care of seven large schools and two Bible women is one person's work, but in addition I have 29 boys, whose food, clothing, schooling and religious and moral training all depend on me. It is a great care, but I love these boys dearly, almost as well as if they were my own. These twenty-nine pairs of hands are like so many chains binding me to India. I also take charge of Dannie now, beside the other cares that fall to a missionary." Speaking of the children's health, she says: "Bessie is fairly well, but Rilla is very frail, frailer than ever this year. She is so thin it makes my heart ache to look at her. The missionaries advise a change to the Hills. I will start 1st of September and remain till the cold season sets in. It is needless to say these babes are doubly precious now. I have had a terrible trial. It has been more than I had imagined any trial could be; but I have had a

great impulse heavenward. My face is more firmly set towards the house of many mansions. All are kind, very, very kind. Mrs. Ager, who is here with me, is just like a sister." May God bless and comfort our dear Sister Boyer is the prayer of every heart.

Of Sister Hooper's work it is needless for me to write, as I have full and satisfactory reports of it appended, suffice to say, under her care are four lower primary schools for Hindoo girls, with over one hundred pupils. From these schools six pupils went up in January for the yearly examination, five passed, three in the first grade, two in the second. In all of these schools religious instruction is regularly given. She has also an interesting Sabbath school at Balia. Closely interwoven with the work of the schools is the Bible women's work. Miss Hooper has five Bible women employed. These five women have carried the gospel message to forty-one villages, and over fourteen thousand women have heard the gospel story from them, many having listened to the glorious message for the first time. The New Brunswick Bible women have done all the country work and touring that have been done in the Balasore district this year. Eternity alone will disclose the result of this work. It is a matter of devout thanksgiving to God that our dear Sister Hooper's health has been better this last year than for some time. She says: "The Lord has been good to me and given me greater powers of endurance than I could have hoped for." After Mrs. Smith left, since May, Miss Hooper has been boarding with Miss Coombs at Sinclair Orphanage. It is pleasanter for her and saves rent for the society. She speaks highly of Miss Coombs, and says she is very happy with her. The arrangement is only temporary, and when the American missionaries need the rooms Miss Hooper will have to vacate. So it would be well for this society to continue the appropriation for rent if needed. There is a probability of the rooms being needed very soon, perhaps now. In closing one of her letters Sister Hooper says: "How I would like to see you all and talk for a while. I leave all my affairs, financial and otherwise, in the hands of you all with the fullest confidence." Sisters, this is a sacred trust, we should see that we perform our duty faithfully. In her last letter Miss Hooper says: "My heart is full of gratitude to my Heavenly Father for His goodness to me. Thank the sisters for all their efforts for the work, and for myself personally. I feel as if I must work on here until the Lord sends some one. The work never seemed so precious or the privilege of being here so great." May God bless our dear Sister Hooper, and give her strength equal to the demands made of her.

Where is the sister who is listening to the Macedonian cry and will soon respond, "Here am I, send me."

Hark, the voice of Jesus crying—  
 "Who will go and work to-day?"  
 Fields are white, and harvest's waiting;  
 Who will bear the sheaves away?  
 Loud and strong the Master calleth,  
 Rich reward He offers thee;  
 Who will answer, gladly saying,  
 "Here am I; send me, send me?"

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. C. W. WEYMAN,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

Marysville, York Co, Oct. 12th, 1891.

Miss Hooper's Report was then read by Mrs. Burt, as follows:

**Miss Hooper's Report.**

MY DEAR SISTERS :—It seems unnecessary to write another report of your work over here for this year. I simply send the account of it from the Indian report, with a few explanatory notes on the changes which have come since the above was written in April.

The school at Chunpue, five miles distant, was closed the last of April; the teacher was a Hindoo, cause for closing, inefficiency of teacher.

We were asked at the yearly meeting to co-operate with our brethren in dismissing all Hindoo teachers, in mission schools, by April 1893: New Brunswick falls into line first, by the closing of this school.

The school at Swaraswatipur still occupies the house which was an idol temple. The teacher is faithful. He says his people find fault with him for teaching the catechism and other Christian books. One rupee per month rent serves in place of the idols.

The opposer of the work at Jangniy has become submissive, outwardly. By my invitation he actually presented the prizes to the children a few weeks ago. He looked askance at the Christian books as he handed them to the children.

The school at Brahmaonia is composed of children from villages of all castes. The highest and lowest sit side by side. All are very poor.

The houses at Jangniy and Brahmaonia were built by the people. This year I had to thatch and repair them.

The child-wives who have graduated we follow to their homes

and continue the Christian teaching. They still expect prizes with the other school children.

Although one school has been closed, there is an increase in the number of pupils. There are now over one hundred. From these children, and the books they have with the gospel story, we trust the leaven may spread. James Singh left the work on the first of this month. I could not give him more than rupees five and a half. He now gets fifteen in government employ. I miss his help sadly, yet I am glad for James, as he is worthy, and the family is large.

At Balia, the village which Bro. Boyer had so much on his heart, a Sabbath school is held in which James still helps me.

The work of the Bible women is interwoven with the school work. They visit with me the homes of the children. The work has enlarged this year. Forty-one villages have been visited, many of them for the first time. More than fourteen thousand have heard the gospel message from their Christian sisters. At Soondari, a distant village, a poor woman, weeping, said to Uma: "Why have you never come to tell me this before?" Uma replied, "We have never had a garris to come so far before. When we can we will come again."

There are five women at work now, Uma, Kokoi, Gelha, Suni and Sora. Suni and Sora are not as well educated as the others, but they can sing and tell of Jesus. They have written to you. Extracts from their letters are appended. The burden of their letters are requests for prayer for themselves and the work.

Dear "burden bearers," Jesus says, "If ye shall ask anything in my name I will do it." Often the pressure of the burden of souls seems greater than I can bear.

Assured of your prayerful sympathy, and with gratitude to our Heavenly Father, though

"I see not a step before me,  
As I tread on another year,  
The past is still in His keeping,  
The future His mercy will clear."

JESSIE B. HOOPER.

Sinclair Orphanage, Balasore, Aug. 22, 1891.

TAKEN FROM THE ANNUAL REPORT ISSUED FROM THE MISSION  
PRESS, INDIA.

*Balasore Girls' School.*—Under my care are four lower Primary schools for Hindu girls. They are all in country villages, distant from Balasore from two to five miles. The question has often been asked, Why do you have schools so far away and across rice

fields? Because the need is greater than in the town, where girls' schools have long been established.

Every country village has its school for boys, but none for girls. There are greater difficulties and prejudices to contend against, to be sure. The mothers never having been taught, why should their daughters learn? Fathers say, "What is the use of my girl learning to read? She is going soon to blow some one else's fire."

Marriages, visits to the homes of the mothers-in-law, fever, cholera, small-pox and consequent deaths, all tend to lessen the interest in the schools. The number in attendance last year was 109. This year it is 96. Six pupils went up in January for the yearly examination. Five passed—three in the first grade, two in the second.

Catechism, the ten commandments, the Lord's prayer, are taught, and religious instruction regularly given. We are sorry to state that the four teachers are Hindus. Many requests come from other villages for girls' schools. We have firmly resolved, however, to establish no others till Christian teachers can be had. At present, James Singh, a Christian, renders invaluable help in the schools by examining the classes and giving religious instruction. The Bible women also visit the schools and the homes of the children with me.

We often ask ourselves, Are the results equivalent to the expenditure of time, money and strength? When we find girls who have married and left the schools teaching others in their homes to read, so they too may learn the hymns, we feel it does pay. Just now there is in my mind the case of a young widow in one of these secluded homes. For months she stayed alone in a filthy, dark room of a house, away from the other members of the large family, the head family of the village. One day we begged the mother-in-law to let us see her. "Oh," she said, "What is the use? She weeps all the time." It was true. We found her crouching in the surrounding filth and weeping. The stench was so bad, the Bible women said, "Don't stay, Misseebaba." They told her of the love and sympathy of Jesus. Every time we went to the house we talked with her. One day we coaxed her to come out where the others were. She is now the most eager listener in that home. Her bright face always helps me. She is being taught to read by one of the girls of the school near.

The Women's F. C. B. Missionary Society of New Brunswick supports these schools, with the exception of a grant of rupees five each per month, for two schools, from the Balasore District Fund.

*Balasore Bible Women's Work.*—The work of the Bible women is nearly all in country villages. During the year thirty-six have been visited. In the homes, 12,295 have heard the story of Jesus' love. Many of these villages have never been visited before, not even by Christian men. There are no roads to them except the paths over the rice fields. We go as far as possible in a bullock garrie, and then walk from three to four miles. Despite the long distances to walk in the sun, the Bible women are always asking to go to some new village. They show more zeal in the work than they did last year when visiting villages in Balasore. In one of these out-of-the-way places last week, a poor widow, weeping bitterly, said: "Why have you never come to tell me about the Saviour before?" In these same homes where the women hear nothing of Jesus, we have talked with men who have heard the gospel again and again preached in the bazaars, at markets and fairs. They can read, too, and have Christian books and tracts. "Why should we talk of such things to women? They cannot understand. All they need to know is to cook our rice and take care of the cows." India is a land of contradictions. For instance, the next day, in another home, a boy of about eighteen stood near listening to the Bible women's teachings. He repeated what they said to the Hindu women, saying, "Now listen and obey what is said, and your souls will be saved." We used to fear the old women in these homes as our greatest hindrances. Now the majority of them are our helpers. In every home there is a leading character. It may be the mother, grandmother, or mother-in-law. Whoever she may be she is looked up to. Her judgment is relied upon—in short, she is the oracle of the women of the family. A few days ago, coming from a village, we found one of these oracles waiting under a tree to see us. "Now you wait till I bring my *boes*," she said. From the house near she brought four beautiful young women. After introducing them and explaining that they were the wives of her four sons, she said to them, "Now you must listen and learn." Such incidents cause us to feel painfully how desultory much of our work is. We would like to teach regularly in such places. This was the first time we had seen those women and it may be the last. The village is so far away, and there are hundreds nearer where the women have never heard of Jesus. Access to these country homes is not always easy. In them brahmins and pandahs (priests of Juggernath), reap their richest harvests. While at Soro, in February, everywhere these priests confronted us, thirsting for argument, of which they never weary. We would not argue, but when forbearance was no longer a virtue, we said, "God will judge you, and He will punish you for deceiving the

people." One day an urgent request came to me to go to a house. Women wanted to see us. The guide said, "You must come early." When we got to the house he said, "Sit outside." The sun was hot, so we stepped into the courtyard. Two widows were there, and a boy whom we remembered as having got a book from us the day before. A boy peeped from the half-opened door of a room opposite. The boy was watching a back entrance, and the women looked anxiously in that direction. They were touched with the singing of the story of the widow of Nain in verse. "That is my only child," said the elder. The boy could read, and they wanted to buy "that beautiful story." A sign from the boy, and they all rushed into the room where the boy was, and shut the door. The boy threw the pice, and I put the Gospel of Luke into his hand, and left as quickly as possible; for the Bible women said, "Come, Misse baba, or those women will get into trouble." A little further on, an old woman told us that we had been in the house of the priest to whom we had been talking the day before, as he bathed the idols under a tree.

In another place a man slammed the door in our faces, so we should not see the women. We stayed outside and talked to the crowd. A pandah began a vigorous tirade against the Christian religion. A cut from the "Sword" in our hand, a tiny Gospel of John, silenced him, as it has many others: "God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son."

The work is not restricted to houses. On the roads, under trees, where the poor women rest as they go to and from market, we try to speak to the ones, twos and threes. This has been an unusual year for festivals among the Hindus. One has been going on here for weeks, especially for women—a sort of a Bar-num show of about one hundred clay figures, illustrative of the Ramayana. Thousands have come and gone, and still they are coming and going. Thus there are grand opportunities to speak to many from different villages. Regular weekly prayer-meetings are held in four different villages. We also realize the presence of the Spirit in Hindoo homes when Christian prayer is offered for the first time.

Some one asks, "How many baptisms have you had this year? How many of the twelve thousand told of Jesus in the homes have become decided Christians? What of the other thousands to whom the word has been spoken by the wayside? Tell us of the result." Oh, this is just where woman's work for women, in India especially, needs prayer, patience and faith. We only know, "He that goeth forth and weepeth, bearing precious seed,



shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him."

JESSIE B. HOOPER.

EXTRACTS FROM THE BIBLE WOMEN'S LETTERS.

Dear workers for the good of Orissa, receive my namaskars. The work of the Lord goes on well in this place. We are hoping for still more success in the future. The people who once rejected the religion of Jesus now gladly listen as we tell them about it. Many believe in Jesus and accept Him secretly. For fear of their caste people they do not confess Christ openly. In four places we have weekly prayer meetings. A number of women learn the commandments and how to pray. In one of these villages there is a woman who has received much comfort and peace. Formerly she suffered much bodily pain and used to make offerings in the temple to the gods of the Hindoos. She learned of our God and accepted Him, left off worshipping idols. She says from that day the pain left her, and now she says she knows our God is the true God. She fears to break caste, as she must then leave her husband and people. In another village a woman has left off idol worship and serves the true God. She also fears to break caste and leave her husband. Thus she does not confess Christ openly. This year we have gone to many distant villages, which gives us much joy. Pray much for us and our "missec baba," also for my boy Hoeshe.

Your worker,

UMA MISRA.

Pray for these people who have left off their old habits, that they may confess Christ openly, that Satan may be overcome and the Lord victorious. My love and namaskars.

GELHA SINGH.

Hinduism is decreasing. The women say, "Come every day and tell us about your God." Their minds are very tender. In their hearts they believe in Jesus. My great desire is that they may break caste and confess Christ. I am very anxious about their souls. Pray for them and for us. May the grace and peace of God abide with you.

In love your

KOKOI HUDSON.

Balasure, August 22nd, 1891.

Mrs. C. T. Phillips in a brief speech moved the adoption

of these reports, the motion being seconded by Mrs. Dr. Secord.

“Rescue the Perishing,” was then sung.

The Home Secretary’s Report was read by Mrs. R. Alexander, Mrs. Babcock, Home Secretary, having been detained at home on account of illness :

**Report of the Home Secretary of the F. C. B. W. F. M. Society of New Brunswick for 1891.**

DEAR SISTERS :—One can hardly realize that a year has passed since our last annual gathering. But it is even so ; and to-day we have met to review its history. We are glad to say that, financially at least, there has been little or no retrogression. It is to be regretted, however, that to date only five reports have been received. This is a point in which there is room for much improvement. If the District Secretaries send in their reports promptly, the Home Secretary could give a much more concise and clear report to the annual meeting. However, year by year we are making advancement in this, as in all other lines of our work, and perhaps sometime in the future we shall have reached the ideal.

FIRST DISTRICT.

No report has been received from this District, but incidentally we have learned that \$28.02 was raised, which is \$7.62 more than last year. Of the number of societies and members we cannot write. [Since coming we learn the report has been sent, but had gone astray.]

SECOND DISTRICT.

This Society reports progress—one new society organized—though the Secretary regrets that so few of the Societies hold regular monthly meetings. She reports nineteen Societies, viz :

Lindsay, ... ..	\$3 73
Hartland, ... ..	7 25
Woodstock, ... ..	38 23
Tracy Mills, ... ..	30 10
Lower Brighton, ... ..	15 05
Somerville, ... ..	10 00
Jacksonville, ... ..	1 00
Bristol, ... ..	1 75
Brookville, ... ..	1 59

Carried forward,..... \$108 70<sup>v</sup>

	<i>Brought forward,</i> .....						\$108 70
Connell, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 25
Charleston, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 60
Upper Brighton, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 00
Gordonsville, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 14
Knowlesville, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 00
Knoxford, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 00
Windsor, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 00
Rockland, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 00
Victoria Corner, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 75
Waterville, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 40
Mrs. B. Rideout, Ludlow, Maine,	...	...	...	...	...	...	50
Third Tier, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 25
One-half collection, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 02

Total amount received for Foreign Missions, ... \$161 61  
 Besides this there has been raised for Home Missions, 25 00

Total, ... .. \$186 61

The Secretary refers to the importance of missionary literature, and advocates the appointment of some one to visit the churches in the interests of the work.

#### THIRD DISTRICT.

From this District we received no report, but they have contributed \$33.25.

#### FOURTH DISTRICT.

This Society has made a decided advance during the past year. One new Society has been organized, and another church visited with a view to organizing a Society. Four Societies sent reports, and small amounts were collected and sent from two churches where there were no Societies.

Upper Gagetown, ...	...	...	...	...	...	\$ 8 00
Blissville, ...	...	...	...	...	...	47 22
Frederickton Junction, ...	...	...	...	...	...	28 46
Patterson Settlement, ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10
Three Tree Creek (new) ...	...	...	...	...	...	5 67
Rusagornish, per Mrs. T. Mersereau, ...	...	...	...	...	...	1 20
Oromocto, per Miss Kinney, ...	...	...	...	...	...	

Total amount raised, ... .. \$115 65

—an increase of \$29.60 over last year.

## FIFTH DISTRICT.

The Secretary of this District reports the work in a somewhat low state. They have five Societies.

Second Wickham Society, ... ..	\$8 35
Fourth Hampstead, ... ..	7 72
Sixth Wickham, ... ..	1 30
First Hampstead, ... ..	10 10
Second Church, Johnston, ... ..	1 00
Upper Hampstead, ... ..	18 70
Third Hampstead, ... ..	12 00
Collected at Annual Meeting, .. ..	4 35
Total, ... ..	\$63 52

The members of Fourth Hampstead Society made up a box and sent it to Mrs. Boyer.

## SIXTH DISTRICT

reports eighteen Societies, five of which held regular monthly meetings. Number of members, 126. Societies are as follows:

Penobsquis, ... ..	\$13 80
Snider Mountain, ... ..	3 25
Newtown, ... ..	3 00
Midland, ... ..	7 00
Apohaqui, ... ..	11 00
Lower Ridge, .. ..	7 25
Corn Hill, ... ..	19 50
Sussex, ... ..	24 00
Portage, ... ..	1 50
Graves Settlement, ... ..	1 60
Dover, ... ..	9 45
Taylor Village, ... ..	7 50
Moncton, ... ..	15 00
Coverdale, ... ..	8 57
Petitodioc, ... ..	4 35
Dutch Valley, ... ..	6 50
Lower Millstream, ... ..	15 25
Norton, ... ..	5 45
Lower Millstream Mission Band, ... ..	3 56
Total, ... ..	\$167 53

At the annual meeting a sister was appointed to visit the churches, and she has already organized one new Society, and reorganized another that had ceased to be active.

## SEVENTH DISTRICT.

Six Societies were reported at the annual meeting in this

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District. One, having a membership of twenty-one, was organized during the year. Another new Society was organized at the annual meeting, making seven societies in the District. The membership is something more than 100.

St. John South, ... ..	\$51 86
St. John West, ... ..	45 46
St. John North (new), ... ..	43 12
North Head, ... ..	21 10
Wilson's Beach, ... ..	10 00
Chocolate Cove, ... ..	6 25
Fair Haven (new), ... ..	3 86
One-half collection at annual meeting, ... ..	3 06
Mrs. F. Babcock, ... ..	1 00
Total, ... ..	
<u>\$185 71</u>	

Total number of Societies reported, 53; total amount raised for Foreign Missions, \$756.70.

We have thus briefly gone over the work of the year, and while much more might have been accomplished had we been more earnest and devoted, yet we are thankful that we have been permitted even in a small measure to hasten the time when the heathen shall be given to the Son for His inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for a possession.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. F. BABCOCK,  
Home Secretary.

On motion of Mrs. J. J. Barnes, seconded by Miss Gosline, the Home Secretary's Report was adopted.

The Treasurer, Mrs. J. S. Smith submitted the following Report:

MRS. J. S. SMITH, IN ACCOUNT WITH  
F. C. B. WOMAN'S MISSION AID SOCIETY,  
For the Year 1891.

1890.		RECEIPTS.	
Oct. 14.	Balance on hand, .....	\$1,214	12
1891.			
Sept. 26.	Cash from 1st District, per Mrs. Milbury, ..	29	02
July 16.	" 2nd District, " Mrs. Alexander, ..	161	61
	" 3rd District, " Mrs. C. Burtt, ...	33	25
Carried forward, .....		\$1,438	00

		<i>Brought forward</i> ,.....	\$1,438 00
Sep. 14.	"	4th District, " Mrs. J. W. Hoyt,	115 55
Oct. 1.	"	5th District, " Miss Carpenter,.	63 52
Aug. 5.	"	6th District, " Mrs. D. Long,...	171 53
Set. 13.	"	7th District, " Miss Fullerton,.	184 47
		Interest on deposits,.....	19 60
		Coll. at annual meeting,.....	8 59
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			\$2,001 26

1890.

## EXPENDITURES.

Dec. 15	Paid Miss Hooper, salary and work,	\$190 00
"	" Rev. A. B. Boyer,.....	36 25
1891.		
Feb. 25.	" Miss Hooper, salary and work,...	190 00
"	" Rev. A. B. Boyer,.....	36 25
June 30.	" Miss Hooper, salary and work,...	190 00
"	" Rev. A. B. Boyer,.....	36 25
Feb. 25.)	" Rev. G. A. Hartley, for Home Missions,.....	300 00
"	" Rev. B. H. Nobles, refund,.....	20 00
June 30.	" Geo. W. Day, printing forms,...	10 00
Aug. 12.	" Miss Hooper, salary and work,.	190 00
"	" Rev. A. B. Boyer,.....	36 25
"	" Exchange and postage,.....	1 56
	Cash in Bank of New Brunswick,....	637 26
	Cash on hand,....	127 44
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		\$2,001 26

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. J. S. SMITH, *Treasurer*.

Marysville, Y. Co., Oct. 12, 1891.

On motion of Miss Weyman, seconded by Miss Carpenter, the Treasurer's Report was ordered to be referred to the Auditor.

Mrs. March, of the B. W. M. U., being called upon, made quite a lengthy speech, and was listened to with much interest.

The thanks of the meeting are due to Miss Bubar, who kindly provided the music.

Collection amounted to \$8.59. Closed by singing the Doxology.

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TUESDAY, Oct. 13th, 1891.

Meeting opened with Prayer.

On motion, the following appropriations were made:

*Resolved.* That this Society pay Miss Hooper \$400 salary for the ensuing year, and that it be paid in four quarterly instalments.

*Resolved,* That the sum of \$150 be appropriated to be used by Miss Hooper in the support of the three schools in which she is interested.

*Resolved,* That \$50 be appropriated for the payment of two Bible women employed by Miss Hooper.

*Resolved,* That \$100 be appropriated for the payment of the salary of the native preacher, Daniel Naik.

*Resolved,* That the sum of \$45 be appropriated for Mrs. Boyer's Bible women.

The Report of the Nominating Committee was taken from the table and read as follows :

Mrs. G. A. Hartley, *President.*

Mrs. Stephen Barker,

Mrs. Amos Rideout,

Mrs. William Downey,

Mrs. Dr. Secord,

Mrs. C. H. Ebbett,

Mrs. C. W. Weyman,

Mrs. A. C. Smith,

} *Vice-Presidents.*

Mrs. C. W. Weyman, *Corresponding Secretary.*

Mrs. Joseph McLeod, *Recording Secretary.*

Mrs. F. Babcock, *Home Secretary.*

Mrs. J. S. Smith, *Treasurer.*

Mrs. M. Fenwick, *Auditor.*

*Board of Managers.*—Mrs. Wm. Peters, Mrs. C. Burt, Mrs. D. Long, Mrs. A. Turner, Miss S. Carpenter, Mrs. Vince, Mrs. James Patterson, Mrs. J. W. Clarke, Miss Jane Weyman, Mrs. C. T. Phillips, Mrs. Dr. Secord, Mrs. Thomas Robinson, Mrs. J. J. Barnes, Mrs. R.J. Alexander, Miss M. Gosline, Mrs. A. C. Thompson.

The Report was adopted.

In response to a suggestion from Miss Hooper, several ladies were requested to write to Miss Hooper's Bible

Women, assuring them of the support and sympathy of friends in New Brunswick. Mrs. Phillips, for one, agreed to do so.

A letter was read from Miss Fullerton, Chairman of Publishing Committee, tendering her resignation of that office. On motion, it was

*Resolved*, That Miss Fullerton's resignation be accepted. And also,

*Resolved*, That Mrs. C. T. Phillips be a committee to convey to her the thanks of this Society for the very efficient manner in which she has conducted her department; also the regrets of this Society that circumstances prevent her from longer filling the office.

On motion of Mrs. J. S.<sup>1</sup> Smith, seconded by Mrs. Dr Secord, Mrs. McLeod was elected Chairman, with Miss Fullerton, Mrs. R. Alexander, and Mrs. Babcock, associate members of Committee.

The Auditor submitted the following Report:

This certifies that I have examined the accounts and vouchers of the Treasurer of the F. C. Baptist Woman's Mission Society of New Brunswick, and find them correct.

1891.			
Oct. 13.	Cash on hand and received during year,...	\$2,001	26
Oct. 13.	Expenditures during year,.....	\$1,236	56
	Cash on hand,.....	764	70
		<u>2,001</u>	<u>26</u>

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. M. FENWICK, *Auditor*.

Marysville, Y. Co., Oct. 13, 1891.

On motion, the Auditor's Report was adopted.

On motion, a bill from the Corresponding Secretary, amounting to one dollar, was ordered to be paid.

A number of ladies having last year pledged certain



amounts for the benefit of Home Missions, the following sums were now paid in to the Home Mission Treasury :

Mrs. James Patterson,.....	\$5 00
Mrs. Vince,.....	5 50
Mrs. Charles VanWart,.....	5 00
Mrs. J. W. Clarke,.....	25 00
Mrs. C. Burt,.....	5 00
Mrs. A. C. Smith, .....	5 00
Mrs. J. J. Barnes,.....	21 10
Mrs. A. Turner, .....	5 00
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	\$76 60

On motion of Mrs. Burt, seconded by Mrs. J. S. Smith it was

*Resolved*, That the election of officers hereafter be by ballot.

Mrs. Boyer having, by letter, asked for an appropriation of fifty dollars for special work, Mrs. Phillips volunteered to be one of ten ladies who would collect five dollars each for that purpose. The following are the names of those who agreed to collect five dollars each:—Mrs. C. T. Phillips, Mrs. Dr. Secord, Mrs. Burt, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. A. H. McLeod, Mrs. D. Long, Mrs. J. W. Clarke, Mrs. Weyman, Mrs. McNintch, Mrs. A. C. Smith.

Adjourned, to meet at time and place of next General Conference.

J. F. McLEOD, *Recording Secretary*.

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# APPENDIX.

(A.)

## AMOUNTS RECEIVED FOR CONFERENCE FUND, BY CHURCHES.

### FIRST DISTRICT.

<i>Bath.</i>	<i>Bumfrat.</i>	<i>Maplehurst.</i>
Robert Squires, 25	J. J. Barnes & family 50	Anthony Wright, 40
Joseph Shaw, 25	Geo. Lovean, 25	John H. Hawthorn, 25
E. F. Shaw, 25	D. V. Boyer, 25	Wm. Wright, 10
Samuel Barker, 27	Mrs. D. V. Boyer, 25	John H. Hawthorn, 25
Mrs. Saml Barker, 28	Byron Shaw, 25	
Dora Barker, 25	Bertha Kearney, 25	
Dexter Barker, 25	E. J. Kearney, 25	\$1 00
Stephen Barker, 25	Michael Craine, 25	
Mrs. S. Barker, 25	Mrs. M. Craine, 25	<i>Perth.</i>
Lydia Barker, 25	Frances Craine, 20	William Cox, .25
Eugenia Barker, 25	Mrs. Ada Wyman, 25	Mrs James Grant, 25
James Jones, 25	Mrs. R. Maskell, 25	
Mrs. C. Phillips, 25		
Maud Milbury, 25		
Amos Giberson, 25	\$3 20	50
Chipman Giberson 25		
Mrs. S. Giberson, 25	<i>Lower Perth.</i>	<i>Wickloo.</i>
D. M. Giberson, 25	F. C. Bloodsworth 25	Mrs. C. A. Watson, 25
Mrs. D. M. Giberson 25		Smith Gallop, 25
Harry Giberson, 25	<i>Long Island.</i>	Mrs. Jas. Tweedie, 50
India Giberson, 25	D. H. Jenkins, 25	Samuel Gallop, 25
		Mrs. R. B. Tweedie 25
\$5 30	<i>Mineral.</i>	Mrs. M. Hutchinson 25
	Fannie Kineny, 22	
	(99)	\$1 75

## SECOND DISTRICT.

<i>Brookville.</i>		Miss Edith Robinson	25	<i>Gordonsville.</i>	
		Jonathan Brown,	25	Coles London	25
Wm. S. Margison,	25	Beatrice Richardson	25	Mrs. Coles London	25
Marrel Tracy,	25		\$3 75	Mrs. John White	25
Charles Tracy,	25	<i>Charleston.</i>		Mrs. B. Waugh	25
Mrs. J. W. DeLong,	25	William Barrett	25	Beckwith Jones	50
Mrs. C. Jones,	25	Mrs. Isaac Nelson	25	Samuel Rogers	50
Mrs. G. G. London,	25	" Thos. Ketch	25	Wesley Rickard	25
Mrs. M. London,	20	" Geo. Ketch	25		\$2 25
John Cogle,	25	" Urial Crouse	25	<i>Hartland.</i>	
Mrs. J. Crandlemire	25	" L. Palmer	25	L. E. McFarland	25
	\$2 20		\$1 50	Mrs. L. E. McFarland	25
<i>Brighton, Upper</i>		<i>Connell.</i>		Shepard M. Boyer	25
Rev. J. Noble,	25	Charles Holmes	25	Mrs. S. M. Boyer	25
Charles Chase,	25	James Flannagan	25	Miss Phebe Boyer	25
Mrs. Charles Chase,	25	Eliza Flannagan	25	" Blanche Kelly	25
Charles Bubar,	25	G. C. Turner	25	Samuel Orser	25
Allen Day,	25	Mrs. G. C. Turner	25	Mrs. Samuel Orser	25
Mrs. Henry Day,	25	Josiah Stickney	25	Miss Jaue McMullin	25
A. W. Rideout,	25	Lizzie Nicholson	25	Mrs. Jarvis Day	25
Mrs. A. W. Rideout,	25	Annie Turner	25	Elder Noble	25
Allen Rideout,	25		\$2 00	George Grant	25
Charles Rideout,	13	<i>Coldstream.</i>			\$3 00
Miss Irene Rideout,	12	James Irving	25	<i>Jacksonville.</i>	
" A. Chase,	25	Moses Rideout	25	D. W. Smith	25
" P. Chase,	25	George Melvin	25	Mrs. D. W. Smith	25
Mrs. G. J. F. Nevers	25	W. F. Tompkins	25		50
" H. F. Nevers,	25	Richard Irving	25	<i>Knowlesville.</i>	
Miss Mary Pearson,	25	Alex. McLean	25	Mrs. J. S. Whitehouse	25
	\$3 75	Samuel Foster	25	G. W. Whitehouse	25
<i>Brighton, Lower</i>		Widow Foster	25	Mrs. J. Kierstead	25
Rev. J. Noble,	25	James Tompkins	25	Prince Whitehouse	25
George Stickney,	25	Mrs. W. F. Tompkins	25	Mrs. P. Whitehouse	25
Joseph Robinson,	25	Wid. Crandlemire	25	Mrs. J. Whitehouse	25
Gilbert Brown,	25	S. Crandlemire &	1 00	Jacob Whitehouse	25
Reuben Robinson,	25	family	1 00	Mrs. H. Doucette	25
Mrs. R. Robinson,	25	W. E. Crandlemire	25	" Harris Hobbs	20
Wm. McGee,	25	Mrs. Crandlemire	25	Wilmot Ricker	30
Mrs. Wm. McGee,	25	Miss Crandlemire	25		
James McCleary,	25		\$4 50		
Mrs. J. McCleary,	25				
Miss Eliza McCleary,	25				
Miss Ella McCleary	25				

Mrs. J. Gayton	25	Thomas Bragdon	25	Mrs. T. McBride	25
Mrs. C. Gayton	25	G. W. Shaw.	25	Matilda McBride	25
L. Doucette	25	Rev. Joseph Noble	25	William Baker	25
Miss Kate Lee	25	Mrs. B. McKenzie	25	Mrs. Wm. Baker	25
Miss B. M. Harold	25	Alfred Sharp	25		
Mrs. Spinney	25	Thos. W. Watson	25		
Miss Eva Spinney	25				\$3 65
Ada Spinney	25		\$2 25		
Wm. Spinney	25				
Mrs. W. Lawson	25				
	\$5 00				
<i>Knoxford.</i>		<i>Rockland.</i>		<i>Third Tier.</i>	
George Knox	25	Mrs. Samuel Cook	25	Mrs. B. Palmer	25
Mahlon Knox	25	Orron Hayward	25	Edward Grass	25
Miss Ida Stanlake	25	Miss E. Foster,	25	R. Getchell	35
" Siloam Piper	25	Charles Boon	25	J. Kimball	25
Mrs. Robert Hunter	25	Nelson Sewell	25	Alexander	25
" James Toms	25	Mrs. N. Sewell	25		
Miss Florence King	25	George Pagett	25		\$1 35
" L. G. Vandine	25	A. A. Belyea	25		
" Maud Thomas	25	Mrs. E. Hayward	25		
Mrs. J. Warrington	25	John B. Craig	25		
" D. McGrath	10		\$2 50		
Robert M. Jones	25	<i>Somerville.</i>		<i>Tracy Mills.</i>	
G. R. Thomas	25	Mrs. W. F. Sipprell	25	Rev. J. W. Clark	25
Erastus Hagerman	25	Abner Sipprell	25	Mrs. J. W. Clark	25
Robert Hartley	25	Mrs. A. Sipprell	25	T. Fred. Tracey	25
Godfrey Cogle	25	Miss E. Alexander	25	Mrs. T. F. Tracey	25
Mrs. G. Cogle	25	Mrs. Chas. Stevens	25	John Estabrooks	25
Lambert Williams	25	George Rideout	25	Mrs. J. Estabrooks	25
Mrs. L. Williams	25	Mrs. Geo. Rideout	25	Wm. J. Owens	25
" C. Margison	25	W. M. Rideout	25	Mrs. Wm. J. Owens	25
Miss Ida Margison	25	Mrs. W. M. Rideout	25	John A. Owens	25
Edgar Bartlett	20	J. W. Stevens	25	Mrs. J. A. Owens	25
Mrs George Burke	10	Mrs. J. W. Stevens	25	Miss E. M. Steeves	25
Edward Lockhart	25		\$2 75	Austin M. Adams	25
Wellington Jemison	25			Miss Annie J. Owens	25
Mrs. Wm. Reid	25	<i>Seventh Tier.</i>		" Lena L. Clark	25
John Stewart	25	Robt. McLellan	25	" Laura M. Adams	25
Mrs. Caleb J. Greene	25	John B. Craig	25	" Clara Dixon	25
	\$6 65	Albion Burpee	25	Blanch A. Sloat	25
		Mrs. John Lindsay	25	" Olive J. Tracey	25
		James Briggs	25	Mrs. M. M. Tracey	25
<i>Pembroke.</i>		Gilbert Cheeney	25	" John Palmer	25
James Gray	25	Judson Briggs	25	" Z. E. Sloat	25
W. H. Phillips	25	Mrs. J. Briggs	25	Eben Estabrooks	25
Miss Alma Phillips	25	Solomon Guion	25	Major J. F. Adams	25
		Mrs. S. Guion	15	Atkin Z. Miller	25
		Henry A. Briggs	25	Harry G. Miller	25
				Miss M. McDonald	25
				Mrs. G. D. Perkins	25
				L. B. Clark	25
				E. L. West	25
				Mrs. E. L. West	25
				" H. R. White	25
				" W. G. Nichols	25
				Onslow A. Miller	25

Mrs. W. A. Reed	25	Mrs. J. Peterson	25	Hezekiah Baker	25
John Thomas	25	" Winslow Mills	25	Miss Ella Boyer	25
Mrs. John Thomas	25	" Alfred West	25		
Wm. Thomas	25	John Owens	25		\$3 00
Mrs. Wm. Thomas	25	Miss E. B. Miller	25		
Miss Nellie Hawkins	25	Mrs. Amos White	25	<i>Wookstack.</i>	
W. J. Webb	25	Elijah Cosman	25	Mrs. F. McClusky	25
Mrs. W. J. Webb	25	Mrs. E. Cosman	25	Cook Hall	25
George Long	25	John Barrett	25	Miss M. Stephenson	25
Mrs George Long	25	Gordon Nelson	25	Miss E. Coffarn	25
Oran Simonson	25	G. L. Cronkhite	25	Miss Lulu Shaw	25
Mrs. O. Simonson	25	Mrs. G. L. Cronkhite	25	Mrs. John Reeves	25
" Alex. Steeves	25	" Trueman Jones	25	C. A. Lewin	25
" Wm. Trafford	25	Isaac Cronkhite	25	Mrs. C. A. Lewin	25
" Wilmot Kennedy	25	Mrs. I Cronkhite	25	John Brittain	25
" John Long	25	" Archie Tracey	25	Mrs. John Brittain	25
Mrs. P. Carmichael	25	Henry Cronkhite	25	Mrs. D. Hipwell	25
John W. Page	25	Mrs. H. Cronkhite	25	Stephen G. Jones	25
Benj. Peterson	25	" Wm. Hovey	25	Mrs. S. G. Jones	25
Miss Lizzie O'Neil	25	Harry Cronkhite	25	Mrs. David Phillips	25
" Hattie Toms	25	Wm. Weade	25	Mrs. W. Trecartin	25
" Edith Page	25	Mrs. Wm. Weade	25	Mrs. Geo. True	25
" Abbie M. Page	25	Allan McLean	25	Mrs. C. Alexander	25
Granville Page	25	Aaron Perkins	25	Frank Wright	25
Miss Helen E. Page	25	Thomas Durgan	25	Mrs. Frank Wright	25
Mrs. Wm. Wiggins	25	Robert Jamieson	25	Mrs. Nevers	25
Miss Leitha White	25	Mrs. J. Jamieson	25	Mrs. L. Wheeler	25
Charlie White	25	" E. C. Barrett	25	Miss Isabel Hale	25
Charles White	25	" Ziba Barker	25	Mrs. Wm. Miller	25
Mrs. Charles White	25	" Sanford Dyer	20	Geo. F. Atherton	25
" Charles Gallop	25	Miss Isa Tompkins	25	Mrs. G. F. Atherton	25
" Thos. Orchard	25	John Rideout	25	Fred. S. Sharpe	25
" Tyler Haines	25	Jeremiah Tracey	25	Mrs. F. S. Sharpe	25
" Wilmot Dyer	15	Mrs. J. Tracey	25	Mrs. J. Bragdon	25
James F. Harris	25	Miss Bessie Farley	25	Miss F. Atherton	25
Mrs. J. F. Harris	25	" Sadie Briggs	25	Miss M. Atherton	25
Geo. H. Hartley	25	Mrs. T. Durgan	25	L. G. Slipp	25
Richard Esty	25			Mrs. L. G. Slipp	25
James F. Tracey	25		\$30 21	Miss Emma Slipp	25
Thomas A. Esty	25			Zebulon Connor	25
Amos E. Hartley	25	<i>Victoria Corner.</i>		Mrs. Z. Connor	25
David Campbell	25	George Palmer	25	Charles VanWart	25
Oscar Duncan	25	Mrs. Geo. Palmer	25	Mrs. C. VanWart	25
Miss Lucy Haines	25	G. W. Boyer	25	Miss D. VanWart	25
Darius Nelson	25	Mrs. G. W. Boyer	25	D. A. Grant	25
Mrs. Aaron Hovey	25	J. B. Bowser	25	Mrs. D. A. Grant	25
Mrs. L. N. Weade	25	Mrs. J. B. Bowser	25	T. W. Allan	25
Jarvis Miller	25	Mrs. Z. B. Gallop	25	Mrs. T. W. Allan	25
Mrs. Jarvis Miller	25	Mrs. Ruth Fowler	25	Miss D. M. Wright	25
George Cronkhite	25	Mr. Fowler	25	Mrs. J. A. Mooers	25
Mrs. S. Cronkhite	25	J. W. Boyer	25	Mrs. G. W. VanWart	25

Miss Jessie Mooers	25	Mrs. Thos. Connor	25	C. Baker	25
Wm. Estabrooks	25	Steph. A. VanWart	25	Mrs. C. Baker	25
Mrs. W. Estabrooks	25	Mrs. S. A. VanWart	25	Miss A. Hamilton	25
Charles Oliver	25	Guy VanWart	25	Mrs. M. Shaw	25
Mrs. Chas. Oliver	25	George A. Noble	25	Miss F. McLeod	25
Mrs. Geo. Miller	25	Mrs. G. A. Noble	25	Thos. A. Lindsay	25
Mrs. Wm. Flowers	25	Miss Nettie Lane	25	Mrs. T. A. Lindsay	25
Miss Mabel Pickle	25	Miss Mina Lane	25	Mrs. M. Burpee	25
Miss Ethel Mooers	25	Miss K. Stephenson	25	T. H. McKinney	25
G. W. Slipp	25	Mrs. Joshua Snow	25	Mrs. T. H. McKinney	25
Mrs. G. W. Slipp	25	Charles R. Watson	25	Rev. C. T. Phillips	25
Mrs. H. V. Mooers	25	Miss H. V. B. Watson	25	Mrs. C. T. Phillips	25
G. W. VanWart	25	Joseph VanWart	25	Miss Kate Phillips	25
Miss N. McHatton	25	E. J. Clark	25	Miss Mabel Phillips	25
John Hillman	25	Mrs. E. J. Clark	25	Miss McKinney	25
Mrs. John Hillman	25	D. McLeod Vince	25	Miss Alice McLean	25
Mrs. Hugh Davis	25	Mrs. Vince	25	Mrs. C. Whelman	25
Miss Dunlap	25	W. C. Watson	25	Capt. Wm. Miller	25
B. F. Clark	25	Mrs. W. C. Watson	25		
Mrs. B. F. Clark	25	Mrs. Jane Alcorn	25		
Ernest H. Clark	25	Miss Ethel Noble	25		\$27 25
Elva Clark	25	Miss Lulu Vince	25		
Rev. Thos. Connor	25	Miss H. McLeod	25	Waterville.	
				Wm. A. London	25

### THIRD DISTRICT.

<i>Campbell Settlement.</i>		<i>Fredericton.</i>			
D Schriver, sr	25			Asa VanWart	25
Mrs D Schriver	25	Rev. F. C. Hartley	25	Mrs. A. VanWart	25
Peter A Dunham,	25	James Ryder	25	Ben. F. Cooper	25
John Bates	25	Mrs. James Ryder	25	Mrs. B. F. Cooper	25
Abraham Schriver	30	Ella Smith	25	Richardson Boone	25
Geo. H. Schriver	25	T. C. Atherton	25	John Machum	25
Samuel P. Schriver	25	David Wilson	25	Mrs. J. Machum	25
Mrs. Geo. Draper	25	Mrs. D. Wilson	25	Mrs. R. Stephenson	25
	\$2 05	Chas. McCluskey	25	Mrs. H. Lugin	25
		Mrs. D. VanDine	25	Mrs. McKinnon	25
		Lottie VanDine	25	Jas. S. Raymond	25
		James Burden	25	Mrs. J. S. Raymond	25
<i>Caverhill.</i>		Mrs. Jas. Burden	25	Mrs. W. Ketch	25
G. F. Knox	\$0 25	Mrs. J. Hursey	25	J. J. Fox	25
		James Wright	25	Wm. Kinghorn, jr.	25
<i>Douglas.</i>		Mrs. J. Wright	25	Mrs. Wm. Kinghorn	25
Mrs. F. Clanfield	25	Grace Yerxa	25	P. D. McKenzie	25
“ W. Gilbert	25	Elzar Boone	25	Mrs. P. D. McKenzie	25
“ W. Merithew	25	Wm. H. VanWart	25	Peleg Smith	25
“ J. McGibbon	25	Mrs. W. H. VanWart	25	Mrs. P. Smith	25
Josiah Hallett	25	Oliver Burden	25	Dow VanDine	25
Mrs. W. Merithew	25	Mrs. O. Burden	25	James Machum	25
H. W. Currie	25	Miss Alexander	25	Mrs. Jas. Machum	25
	\$1 75	Mrs. H. D. Currie	25	Cyrus Burt	25
				Mrs. C. Burt	25

Jonathon Rice	25	W. H. Ellison	25	<i>Prince William.</i>	
Hiram Brewer	25	G. W. Sharp	25	Mrs. R. Wheeler	\$0 25
Mrs. J. Hazelton	25	J. W. Sharp	25	Jared W. Smith	25
Miss Henry	25	Mrs. Allen Price	25	Wm. VanWart	25
Mrs. E. C. Freeze	25	Samuel Johnston	25	William Slipp	25
E. C. Freeze	25	Mrs. S. Johnston	25	Benjamin Courser	25
Bessie Tennant	25				
Mrs. C. Atherton	25		\$3 25		\$1 25
Mrs. Rushbrook	25				

\$14 25 *Marysville.*

<i>Hainesville, Upper.</i>		Densimore Pond	25		
Jas. F. Jones	25	Joseph Allan	25		
Rev. J. S. Jones	25	Mrs. J. Allan	25		
Mrs. J. S. Jones	25	Mina Black	25		
G. M. Sleep	25	Jane Boyce	25		
Henry Reicker	25		\$1 25		
Mrs. Wm. Sleep	25				
C. H. Knox	25				
Mrs. J. Wallace	25				
Simeon Clark	25				
W. A. Sharp	25				

*Mouth Keswick.*

		W. Shepherd	25		
		Mrs. W. Shepherd	25		
	\$2 50	E. S. Merrithew	25		
		Mrs. Merrithew	25		
		Moses Yerxa	25		
		Mrs. M. Yerxa	25		
		H. F. Dunphy	25		
		M. A. Brewer	25		
		Wm. Hagerman	25		
		C. F. Tozer	25		
		Mrs. J. Ebbett	25		
		Ernest Ebbett	25		
	\$1 50	Mrs. Isaac Yerxa	25		
		Whinat Williams	25		
		Mrs. C. E. Scott	25		

*Middleland.*

B. W. Sherwood	25	Richd. S. Dunphy	25		
A. M. Sherwood	25	Mrs. R. S. Dunphy	25		
Hugh Walker	25	Ella Howard	25		
Mrs. H. Walker	25	Walter Williams	25		
George Campbell	25	Mrs. C. Hagerman	25		
Abraham Colpitts	25	G. W. Merrithew	25		
Geo. Cosman	25		\$5 25		

*Queensbury, Lower.*

John A. Cliff	25				
Geo. Jordan	25				
Geo. Slipp	25				
Aaron Ingraham	25				
Geo. H. VanWart	25				
Mrs. G. H. VanWart	25				
Hedley VanWart	25				
Mrs. H. VanWart	25				
Mrs. C. A. Gunter	25				

\$2 25

*Sonthampton.*

Mrs. J. C. Grant	25				
" J. F. Patterson	25				
H. C. Grant	25				
Michael Fenentine	25				
David Freeman	25				
Orin Patterson	10				
Gordon Grant	25				
John C. Fero	25				
Ezra Grant	25				
Samuel Schriver	50				
Geo. Clynick	50				
Rev. A. H. Bonnel	25				

\$3 35

*Stanley.*

Stephen Merrill	25				
Mrs. S. Merrill	25				
Josiah Wade	25				
Rev RWCarpenter	1 00				
Mrs. Carpenter	25				
Chas. J. Porter	25				

\$2 25

R.  
A.  
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T. L  
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J. L  
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Jame  
J. Ma  
E. P.  
Wm.  
Thos.  
T. A.  
Josep  
S. D.  
Asa N  
Mrs. T  
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" T  
" J  
" S  
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" T  
Miss E  
" M  
" P.  
" E  
" M  
Mrs. D  
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" T.



## FOURTH DISTRICT.

<i>Blissville.</i>		Mrs. J. Kingston	25	<i>Mill Settlement.</i>	
R. Webb	25	" S. Hayward	25	A. N. McFawn,	25
A. W. Mersereau	25		\$8 75	Alexander Wooden	25
Mrs. Ralph Seely	25			Norman Hoyt	25
Joshua Webb	25			Mrs. Jacob Howe	25
W. G. Smith	25	<i>Lincoln.</i>		" S. Crawford	25
Mrs. C. W. Duplisea	25	J. A. Hayward	25	" J. F. Gardiner	25
Orlo Mersereau	25	Mrs. Hayward	25	" F. Byers	25
Fred. Hoyt	25	Bruce Hayward	25	" John Charlton	25
D. E. Smith	25	Dr. McLeod	25		\$2 00
Otis E. Hoyt	25	Parker Glasier	25		
	\$2 50	Geo. Hayward	25	<i>Oromocto.</i>	
		Mrs. Geo. Hayward	25	J. S. Kinney	\$0 25
<i>Frederickton Junction.</i>		Melvin Patterson	25	J. W. Currier	25
J. Alexander	25	Mrs. M. Patterson	25	Mrs. J. T. Currie	25
T. Alexander	25	Henry Nevers	25	Fred. A. Carr	25
T. L. Alexander	25	Isabel Nevers	25		\$1 00
Whitfield Mott	25	Mrs. J. Paterson	25		
Herbert Pride	25	Miss L. Paterson	25	<i>Patterson Settlement.</i>	
J. L. Alexander	25	H. B. Mitchell	25	G. W. Kirkpatrick	25
Abraham DeWitt	25	Mrs. H. B. Mitchell	25	Mrs. Kirkpatrick	25
James Harris	25	Miss F. Mitchell	25	Ambrose Duplisea	25
J. Maynard	25	" A. Mitchell	25	Mrs. Duplisea	25
E. P. Hartt	25	George Garrity	25	Jos McKutcheon	25
Wm. Pride	25	Judson Ferris	25	Mrs. McKutcheon	25
Thos. Russell	25	John H. True	25	John Patterson	25
T. A. Lindsay	50	Mrs. J. H. True	25	Mrs. J. Patterson	25
Joseph Kingston	25	" Albert True	25	Thos. Graham	25
S. D. Alexander	25	Geo D. True	25	Mrs. T. Graham	25
Asa Nason	25	David L. Mitchell	25	B. Mersereau	25
Mrs. T. Alexander	25		\$6 00	Mrs. B. Mersereau	25
" D. W. Hartt	25	<i>Little Lake.</i>		W. S. Kirkpatrick	25
" T. L. Alexander	25	Mrs. A. Dewitt	25	Amy Mersereau	25
" J. L. Alexander	25	Mrs Annie Nason	25	W. O. Patterson	25
" S. L. Curry	25	Mrs. Fredk. Grass	25	Mrs. W. Patterson	25
" Dr. Secord	25	Mrs. W. H. Grass	25	Ange Mersereau	25
" T. Russell	25	Mrs. Frank Phillips	25	Mrs. A. Mersereau	25
Miss E. Patterson	25	Mrs. W. H. Grass	25	Maggie Mersereau	25
" Miss B. Hoyt	25	Frederick Phillips	25	Mrs. M. Allen	25
" P. L. Kingston	25		\$1 75	Mrs. T. Duplisea	25
" Emma Ball	25			Mrs. A. Patterson	25
" M. Mersereau	25			Andrew Patterson	25
Mrs. D. T. Hartt	25			Mrs. Amasa Webb	25
" L. Mersereau	25				
" T. A. Lindsay	50				

John McFawn	25	Mrs. S. Waugh	25	Mrs. Jas. Boone	25
Mrs. F. Kirkpatrick	25	Sherman Phillips	25	C. B. Tracey	25
A. Kirkpatrick	25	Mrs. S. Phillips	25	O. A. Tracey	25
W. Kirkpatrick	25			J. W. Burt	25
				E. C. Morgan	25
	\$7 00		\$5 25	Lavina Tracey	25
		<i>Tracey Station.</i>		Geo. F. Nason	25
<i>Rusagornish.</i>				Mrs. G. F. Nason	25
A. A. Nason	\$0 25	Adilbert Webb	\$0 25	John S. Harris	25
John Morgan	25	Fred. Harris	25	Ida M. Nason	25
Mrs. Kear	25	John C. Tracey	25	Albin Harris	25
Dunbar D. Jones	25	Isaac Lewis	25	Allen Tracey	25
Mrs. W. J. Noble	25	Rev G W Foster	25	Leaman Phillips	25
S. K. Nason	25	Henry DeWitt	25	Fred. Pheasant	25
Mrs. S. K. Nason	25	D. S. Duplisea	25	M. F. Taylor	25
George Carr	25	Mrs. D. S. Duplisea	25	Samuel Golding	25
Mrs. G. Noble	25	Mrs. John McCleary	25		
Abner Smith	25	Fred. N. Nason	25		\$8 50
Rufus Nason	25	Mrs. F. N. Nason	25		
Mrs. Rufus Nason	25	I. U. Nason	25	<i>Waterville.</i>	
John Smith	25	Mrs. I. U. Nason	25	D. F. Brown	25
Taylor Mersereau	25	Burletta Boone	25	Mrs. Alcorn	25
Mrs. H. Phillips	25	Ernest A. Tracey	25		
Thos. Phillips	25	Frank Nevers	25		\$0 50
S. Sinclair	25	Jeremiah Tracey	25		
Mrs. T. Phillips	25	Violetta Boone	25		

FIFTH DISTRICT.

<i>Carpenter Settlement.</i>		Mrs. J. A. Price	25	Miss N. Thompson	25
		John Price	25	G. F. Thompson	25
Isaac W. Carpenter	25	John Hamilton	25	Chas. H. Wasson	25
Mrs D. B. Carpenter	25			Mrs. B. R. Slipp	25
Matilda Ducey	25		\$2 00	Bruce Palmer	25
Leslie Ducey	25	<i>Hampstead, First.</i>		Haniton Slipp	25
Rev. T. W. Carpenter	25			G. G. Slipp	25
J. T. Carpenter	25			Mrs. G. G. Slipp	25
Mrs. T. W. Carpenter	25	John A. Dugan	25	Joseph Wasson	25
Miss S. Carpenter	25	Mrs. J. Dugan	25	G. E. Vanwart	25
		John Holly	25	E. P. Vanwart	25
	\$2 00	Mrs. C. VanWart	25	Miss E. M. Vanwart	25
		George C. Watson	25	B. S. Palmer	25
<i>Greenwich, First.</i>		Mrs. G. Watson	25	Mrs. B. S. Palmer	25
		James Stults	25	Reid Slipp	25
Mrs. B. D. Anderson	25	F. C. Stults	25	Mrs. R. Slipp	25
Amelia Cameron	25	Albert Palmer MPP	25	Miss Augusta Slipp	25
Wm. Hamilton	25	Mrs. A. Palmer	25	Asa Slipp	25
Daniel Jones	25	Mrs. A. E. Ferguson	25	Miss A. Slipp	25
J. A. Price	25	Mrs M. Cowperthwaite	25	Willard Slipp	25

Mrs.  
Mrs.  
A. E.  
Mrs.  
Brad  
Mrs.  
Ered.  
E. B.

David  
Almed  
W. J.  
S. E. C.  
Mrs. S.  
Mrs. C.  
Mrs. C.  
Jas. I.  
Mrs. J.  
Mrs. M.  
W. J.  
Mrs. W.  
W. G.  
Alfred  
John M

John  
Robert  
James I  
Amos E  
Dennis  
Thomas  
Robert I  
C. L. Be  
James E

Mrs. J. Stults 25  
 Mrs. Wm. Vanwart 25  
 A. E. Slipp 25  
 Mrs. A. E. Slipp 25  
 Bradford Palmer 25  
 Mrs. B. Palmer 25  
 Ered. Palmer 25  
 E. B. Palmer 25

\$10 00

*Kars, Second.*

Wilmot Price 25  
 Esther Price 25  
 Herbert F. Jones 25  
 Caleb Jones 25  
 Gabriel Vanwart 25  
 John Erb 25  
 Chas. Jones 25  
 Ada Urquhart 25

Jacob Mott 15  
 William Smith 25  
 Mrs. Willett Green 20  
 Mrs. J. McCready 25  
 Mrs. Alex. Webster 25  
 Miss M. McCready 25  
 Miss M. E. McCrea 25  
 John H. DeLong 25  
 James Colman 25  
 James McCrea 25

\$2 00

\$3 75

*Hibernia.*

David Gardner \$0 25  
 Almada Burchell 25  
 W. J. Cheyne 25  
 S. E. Clark 25  
 Mrs. S. E. Clark 25  
 Mrs. C. McConachie 25  
 Mrs. Caleb " 25  
 Jas. I. Davis 25  
 Mrs. Jas. I. Davis 25  
 Mrs. Magee 25  
 W. J. Nickerson 25  
 Mrs. W. J. Nickerson 25  
 W. G. McConachie 25  
 Alfred Rathburn 25  
 John McConchie 25

\$3 75

*New Jerusalem.*

T. W. Redstone \$0 25  
 Mrs. Redstone 25  
 Geo. Hamilton 25  
 David Hamilton 25  
 Mrs. S. K. Vallis 25  
 Miss Susie Vallis 25  
 Arthur Johnston 25  
 Miss Eva Short 25  
 Timothy Short 25  
 Samuel Machum 25  
 Miss M. Machum 25  
 " Minnie " 25  
 Mrs. C. Johnston 25  
 T. W. Machum 25  
 A. M. Short 25  
 A. Machum 25

\$4 00

*Wickham Fifth.*

Adam Akerley 25  
 Wm. H. McKenzie 25  
 Isaac Clark 25  
 R. E. Akerley 20  
 Rev. O. N. Mott 25  
 George N. Clark 25  
 John McKay 25

\$1 70

*Wickham Sixth.*

Garret VanWart 25  
 J. R. VanWart 25  
 L. S. VanWart 25  
 Mrs. L.S. VanWart 25  
 G. J. Worden 25  
 Mrs. G. J. Worden 25

\$1 50

*Johnston, Second.*

Robert Black \$0 25  
 James L. Akerly 25  
 Amos E. Belyea 25  
 Dennis Corcoran 25  
 Thomas Corcoran 25  
 Robert McKim 25  
 C. L. Belyea 25  
 James E. Hamm 25

\$2 00

*Wickham, Fourth.*

John McCready 25  
 John A. Jones 25  
 Jesse Jones 25  
 Johh Colman 25  
 Joseph Reicker 20  
 Miss Mary McCrea 20

*Westfield.*

George Neal 2  
 Wilmot Neal 2

\$0 50



## Graves Settlement.

Marshall Graves 25  
 Minnie Wilson 25  
 Cora Graves 25  
 Chas Holmes 25

\$1 00

## Millstream, Lower.

Silas Fenwick 25  
 Mrs. Silas Fenwick 25  
 Robert Adamson 25

Mrs. Robt. Adamson 25

J. E. Good 25

Mrs. J. E. Good 25

Wm. Woodel 25

Mrs. Wm. Woodel 25

Millard McLeod 25

Mrs. M. McLeod 25

Thos. McFarlane 25

Mrs. T. McFarlane 25

W. G. McLeod 25

Mrs. W. G. McLeod 25

G. W. McLeod 25

Mrs. G. W. McLeod 25

Edward McLeod 25

Mrs. E. McLeod 25

D. Fenwick 25

Mrs. D. Fenwick 25

" J. A. Fenwick 25

" J. McLeod 25

" A. G. Musgrove 25

" Seth McLeod 25

" George Sharp 25

" Wm. McLeod 25

Benjamin Lester 25

Robert McLeod 25

James McAuley 25

C. Musgrove 25

A. E. McLeod 25

Miss Ruth Fenwick 25

" Mary Fenwick 25

" Mary McLeod 25

" Lide McLeod 25

" Alberta McLeod 25

" H. Musgrove 25

" A. H. McLeod 25

Mrs. H. A. Corbitt 25

C. W. Weyman 25

Mrs. C. W. Weyman 25

Miss Jane Weyman 25

Abner Weyman 25

John E. McAuley 25

Mrs. J. McAuley 25

John P. McAuley 25

Miss Birdie McLeod 25

Mrs. D. M. Johnston 25

George M. Parlee 25

Arthur N. Parlee 25

\$12 50

## Penobscuis.

Miss A. McKinley 25

George Wallace 25

Miss Ida Wallace 25

A. Phelps 25

Mrs. A. Phelps 25

" C. Osburn 25

Edgar Wallace 25

Mrs. E. Wallace 25

H. E. Freeze 25

Mrs. H. E. Freeze 25

" C. E. Freeze 25

Miss M. A. Freeze 25

" Ida Morlon 25

" Bell Pugsley 25

Mrs. G. McLeod 25

Gideon McLeod 25

\$4 00

## Petitcodiac.

G. W. Lowery 25

Mrs. G. W. Lowery 25

Rev. A. C. Thompson 25

Mrs. A. C. Thompson 25

Mrs. B. H. Freeze 25

Mrs. M. Surratt 25

Mrs. J. Tucker 25

Jane Tucker 25

\$2 00

## Portage.

H. V. Jonah 25

Mrs. H. M. Jonah 25

Alfred Dunfield 25

Mrs. A. Dunfield 25

\$1 00

## Roachville.

John Roach 25

Mrs. John Roach 25

Miss Ada Roach 25

Daniel Bonnell 25

Mrs. D. Bonnell 25

Miss Annie Bounell 25

Miss Janie Bonnell 25

Chas. McAllister 25

Mrs. C. McAllister 25

\$2 25

## Sussex.

John Asbil 25

J. U. Burnett, M.D. 25

Samuel Killen 25

Joseph Slipp 25

Thomas Blanch 25

W. B. Burnett 25

Wm. Erb 25

William Asbil 25

Mel. Scott 25

F. M. McLeod 25

Jessie McKenzie 25

Seth Jones 25

John Slipp 25

Mrs. G. L. Slipp 25

" Joseph Barnes 25

" J. U. Burnett 25

" F. M. McLeod 25

" James McLeod 25

" Thos. Blanch 25

" Mel. Scott 25

" Ramsay 25

" McKenzie 25

" Geo. Worden 25

" Seth Jones 25

" J. A. McArthur 25

" J. A. Freeze 25

" Emery Erb 25

Miss M. J. McLeod 25

" Betsy Williams 25

" C. McKenzie 25

" Bertie Worden 25

\$7 75

<i>Snider Mountain.</i>			<i>Wheaton Settlement</i>	
		Mrs. J. Newcomb	25	
		Miss S. L. Newcomb	25	
George Grigg	25	" E. S. Newcomb	25	Mrs. J. Babbirk 25
John Soper	25	" R. E. Newcomb	25	Roland Brown 15
Mrs. Paterson	25	" E. Jane Taylor	25	William Lutz 25
John Long	25	" Levinia Taylor	25	Fred. Lutz 25
A. Schofield	25	" C. Taylor	25	Howard Wheaton 25
		" E. F. M. Armour	25	Miss N. Wheaton 25
	\$1	Mrs. Ann Steeves	25	Mrs. W. D. Murray 25
		Arthur Dobson	25	W. D. Murray 25
<i>Taylor Village.</i>		Alfred Taylor	25	
		Blair B. Taylor	25	
George H. Cochran	25	Miss E. A. Taylor	25	
Mrs. E. Cochran	25	Samira Banister	25	
Stephen Cochran	25	Louis Taylor	25	
Mrs. S. Cochran	25			
Joseph Newcomb	25		\$5 00	
				\$1 90

## SEVENTH DISTRICT.

<i>Beaver Harbor.</i>		<i>Chocolate Cove.</i>		<i>Carlton, St. John.</i>
		Wm. H. Chaffey	25	
G. A. Eldridge	25	Mrs. Lizzie McNeil	25	Rev. G. A. Hartley 25
Mrs. G. A. Eldridge	25	O. S. Fountain	25	Mrs. G. A. Hartley 25
Mrs. Joshua Paul	25	Mrs. O. S. Fountain	25	Mrs. Shepard 25
James Eldridge	25	Alpha Appleby	25	Mrs. J. Cogle 25
Mrs. Geo. Wright	25	Frank Appleby	25	D. C. Clark 25
" H. Nodding	25	Mrs. F. Appleby	25	Mrs. D. C. Clark 25
" Jas. Dickson	25	John W. Stover	25	John Cooes 25
" Johnson Barry	25	Mrs. J. W. Stover	25	Mrs. John Cooes 25
" Geo. Eldridge	25	Mrs. Annie Haney	25	Capt. J. C. Rogers 25
" Geo. Dickson	25	Della M. Haney	25	Mrs. J. C. Rogers 25
" Wm. Parker	25	Onslo Haney	25	Mrs. J. Lamoreaux 25
" S. W. Holmes	25	J. K. Fountain	25	W. O. Slipp 25
" A. W. Holmes	20	Mrs. J. K. Fountain	25	Mrs. W. O. Slipp 25
" Nelson Wright	25	Eva Fountain	25	Jessie Slipp 25
" Seward Cross	25	Mrs. S. M. Fountain	25	Mrs. Roberts 25
" Albert Cross	15	John W. Cummings	25	Mrs. Pierce 25
" S. L. Dakin	25	Mrs. J. W. Cummings	25	Mary Pierce 25
Maggie Eldridge	20	W. H. Fountain	25	Charles Anderson 25
William Best	25	Mrs. W. H. Fountain	25	Mrs. C. Anderson 25
Joshua Hawkins	25	J. F. Chaffey	25	Letitia Anderson 25
Louisa Eldridge	15	Mrs. J. F. Chaffey	25	Thomas C. Smith 25
Annie Eldridge	25	W. H. Cummings	25	Elijah Ross 25
Lizzie Wadlin	25	Mrs. W. H. Cummings	25	Mrs. E. Ross 25
John Paul	25	Aggie Cummings	25	Hettie Ross 25
Douglas Cross	25	Walter Beaney	25	Charles Boone 25
Nettie Hunter	25	Mrs. W. Beaney	25	Mrs. T. Morris 25
				Willie Morris 25
	\$6 20		\$6 75	R. J. Freeze 25

J. S.  
Mrs.  
Mrs.  
Mrs.  
D. W.  
Mrs.  
Jam  
Mrs.  
John  
Will  
Mrs.  
John  
Mrs.  
Ada  
B. F.  
Mrs.  
Harry  
Mrs.  
T. W.  
Estel  
Mary  
Riel  
Mrs.  
Jas. A.  
Mrs. J.  
H. C.  
Mrs. I.  
C. B.  
Mrs. C.  
A. C. S.  
Mrs. A.  
Mrs. V.  
Lilly J.  
Maggi  
R. H.  
Mrs. R.  
Hattie  
Estella  
Ed. W.  
Mrs. E.  
Mrs. T.  
Cora T.  
Saunde  
Mrs. S.  
Jacob  
Mrs. J.  
F. R. C.  
Mrs. F.  
William  
Mrs. W.  
W. J. T.

J. S. Clark	25	Mrs. Parks	25	Wealthy Randall	20
Mrs. J. S. Clark	25	Bertha Parks	25	Gus. Stover	25
Mrs. C. Peck	25	Mrs. S.F. Kierstead	25	Linnie Wentworth	10
Mrs. Foster	25	S. Carpenter	25	A. H. McLeod	25
D. W. Clark	25	Mrs. S. Carpenter	25	Mrs. A. H. McLeod	25
Mrs. D. W. Clark	25	Capt. Geo. Seely	25		
James Trecartin	25	Mrs. G. Seely	25		
Mrs. J. Trecartin	25	Agnes Seely	25		\$4 55
John Cullen	50	Addie Williams	25		
William Howard	25	Bessie Fullerton	25	<i>Grand Harbor.</i>	
Mrs. Wm. Howard	25	Clara Fullerton	25	Nelson Guthrie	25
John Hamilton	25	Lydia Fullerton	25	John Brown	25
Mrs. J. Hamilton	25	Joseph Howard	25	Mrs. Sarah Plant	25
Ada L. Hamilton	25	Mrs. J. Howard	25	" Elizabeth Foster	25
B. F. Smith	25	Oliver Howard	25	" Eliza Gardiner	25
Mrs. B. F. Smith	25	Samuel Gardiner	50	Mark Daggett	25
Harry S. Clark	25	Mrs. S. Gardiner	25	Mrs. Mark Daggett	25
Mrs. M. McLeod	25	George Nelson	25	Isaac Dakin	25
T.W. Musgrove, M.D.	25	Mrs. Geo. Nelson	25	Charles Guptell	25
Estella Musgrove	25	R. L. Adams	25	Amos Dakin	25
Mary Fleming	25	Mrs. Ells	25	Frank Green	25
Riel Webb	25	Mrs. W. H. Sherwood	25	Frank McBrine	25
Mrs. R. Webb	25	Mrs. Ward H. Ells	25	Mrs. Marretta Green	25
Jas. A. Stackhouse	25	Rev. J. H. Erb	1 00	Miss H. Cheney	25
Mrs. J. A. Stackhouse	25	James Cobham	25	George Gardiner	25
H. C. Smith	25	Mrs. J. Cobham	25		
Mrs. H. C. Smith	25	John M. Trecartin	25		\$3 75
C. B. Lockhart	25	Mrs. J. M. Trecartin	25	<i>North Harbor.</i>	
Mrs. C. B. Lockhart	25	Sherman Hoyt	25	Mrs. A. N. Lord	25
A. C. Smith	25	Mrs. S. Hoyt	25	A. N. Lord	25
Mrs. A. C. Smith	25			Lizzie R. Johnson	25
Mrs. Wright	25				
Lilly Eatman	25		\$28 75		\$0 75
Maggie Vail	25	<i>Fair Haven.</i>			
R. H. Simpson	25	Ada Cummings	25	<i>North Head.</i>	
Mrs. R. H. Simpson	25	Sarah Higgins	25	Mrs. Flora Smith	25
Hattie Simpson	25	Patience Wentworth	25	Mrs. Cynthia Guthrie	25
Estella Smith	25	J. B. Wentworth	25	Mrs. H. McFarland	25
Ed. Woodworth	25	Helen Wentworth	25	James McFarland	25
Ed. Woodworth	25	George Beaney	25	William Watt	25
Mrs. E. Woodworth	25	Sarah Doughty	25	Mrs. Wm. Watt	25
Mrs. Thos Moore	25	Cora Mosley	25	Edward Daggett	25
Cora Tufts	25	Addie Simpson	25	Mrs. Edw. Daggett	25
Saunders Clark	25	Mrs. J. Wentworth	25	Miss J. E. Daggett	25
Mrs. S. Clark	50	Stephen Farris	25	J. M. Small	25
Jacob Ross	25	George Wentworth	25	Miss Bertie Green	25
Mrs. Jacob Ross	25	Nellie Farris	10	Miss B Fullerton	25
F. R. Connor	25	Bessie Farris	10	Mrs. May A. Lawson	25
Mrs. F. R. Connor	25	Jane Farris	10	A Friend	25
William Belyea	25	Lillie Doughty	10		
Mrs. Wm. Belyea	25	Eliza Wentworth	15		\$3 50
W. J. Tiner	25				





25	Wm J Galley	25	Judson Porter	25	Edgar Anthony	25
25	Joseph Boyd	50	William Porter	25	Mrs Edgar Anthony	25
25	Neil Seelye	25	Joseph Brown	25	Mrs Thos Matthews	25
25	Mrs Neil Seelye	25	Geo W Newman	25	Abram Matthews	25
25	Mrs C Matthews	25	John A Newman	25	John Porter	25
25	" Ira Wilson	25	Beverly Lank	25	Miss Rilda Porter	25
25	" Alfred Brown	25	Miss L Wilson	25	Miss Jennie Kelly	25
25	" Hermon Brown	25	" Bertha Savage	25	Mrs Jas Mallock	25
25	" John Phinney	25	Chas W Savage	25	" Alex Mallock	25
25	" Fulton Nash	25	Mrs J L Savage	25	George Calder	25
25	William Newman	25	Ethelbert Savage	25	George Matthews	25
25	Mrs Frank Brown	25	A Friend	25	Daniel Hillyard	25
25	" Cecilia Mitchell	25	Levi Porter	25	Wesley Hillyard	25
25	" John Wilson	25	Mrs Levi Porter	25	Arthur Porter	25
25	" Barth Brown	25	Nathan Sirles	25	J W Matthews	25
25	Miss Pamela Brown	25	Mrs James Sirles	25	Nelson A Matthews	25
25	Guilford Babcock	25	Mrs N Matthews	25	Mrs Sylvester Sirles	25
25	Hermon Matthews	25	William Phinney	25		
00	Miss Nelia Brown	25	David Anthony	25		\$20 70
	Howard Jackson	50	Charles Haggerty	25		
	Mrs H Jackson	25	Thaddeus Mitchell	25		
	William Newman	25	James Whalen	25		
	John R C Byron	25	Obadiah Anthony	25	W S Robinson	25
	Lincoln Newman	25	Alfred Phillips	25	Mrs W S Robinson	25
	William Sirles	25	Edmund Porter	25	Mrs W A Turner	25
	Mrs Wm Sirles	25	Mrs Robert Sirles	25		

## APPENDIX B.

## F. C. B. HOME MISSION FUND.

## LIFE MEMBERS.

## MALE.

D. W. Clark, Esq., Carleton, St. John.	Rev. T. S. VanWart, Somerville.
William Peters, Esq., St. John.	E. C. Freeze, Esq., Fredericton.
G. W. VanWart, Esq., Woodstock.	Rev. Wm. Kinghorn, Neshwaasis.
Mr. William D. Harit, Woodstock.	M. White, Esq., Nashwaak.
Mr. F. A. Peters, St. John.	D. C. Clark, Esq., Carleton, St. John.
Carleton F. C. B. Sabbath School.	Mr. G. Hartley Clark, do.
George W. McCready, Esq., Sussex.	Mr. Charles R. Clark, do.
Rev. William Downey, Fredericton.	Mr. Ethelbert Cosman, do.
Mr. George R. Peters, St. John.	Master A. Neville Vince, Woodstock.
Rev. J. T. Parsons, Marysville.	Hon. Geo. E. Foster, D.C.L., M. P.,
Rev. G. A. Hartley, Carleton, St. John.	D. McLeod, Vince, Esq., Woodstock.

## FEMALE.

Mrs. William Peters, St. John.	Mrs. William Peters, jr., Saint John.
Mrs. J. T. Parsons, Marysville, Y. C.	Miss Charlotte L. Peters, do.
Mrs. Wm. Kinghorn, Nashwaasis.	Miss Augusta Parsons, do.
Mrs. Mitchell, Lincoln.	Miss Anna E. Hartley, do.
Mrs. Yerxa White, Lakeville.	Mrs. C. H. Peters, do.
Mrs. Dr. Hanington, Yale, B. C.	Mrs. Baker, Fairville.
Mrs. D. B. McIntosh, Carle'n, St. John.	Mrs. J. Mitchell, Lincoln.
Mrs. G. W. McCready, Sussex.	Mrs. W. B. McLaughlin, G. Manan.
Mrs. J. E. Reud, Portland.	Miss Edna L. Harris, Carleton Co.
Mrs. D. W. Clark, Carleton, St. John.	Miss L. Barnes, Oromocto.
Mrs. Allan Steeves, Coverdale, A. C.	Mrs. Vince, Woodstock.
Mrs. John Leeman, Coverdale, A. C.	Miss Jessie G. Vince, Woodstock.
Mrs. Albert Peters, St. John.	Miss Lulu N. Vince, Woodstock.
Mrs. G. A. Hartley, Carleton, St. John.	Mrs. A. C. Smith, Carleton, St. John.
Mrs. Wm. Downey, Fredericton.	Mrs. W. H. Sherwood, St. John.
Mrs. J. N. Barnes, Downeyville, K. C.	Mrs. Alex. Taylor, Olean, N. Y.
Mrs. Wetmore, St. John.	

## APPENDIX C.

## F. C. B. FOREIGN MISSION FUND.

## LIFE MEMBERS.

## MALE.

- Rev. J. N. Barnes, Downeyville, K.C.  
 William Peters, Esq., St. John.  
 Capt. B. Corning, Yarmouth, N. S.  
 Rev. G. T. Hartley, Upper Woodstock  
 Rev. John Perry, Connell, Carleton C.  
 Rev. F. Babcock, West End, St. John.  
 Church, White Head Island.  
 Carleton F. C. B. Sabbath School.  
 Rev. T. O. DeWitt, North Head, G.M.  
 E. C. Freeze, Esq., Fredericton.  
 F. C. B. Sabbath School, St. John.  
 Lorenzo Wilson, Esq., New York.  
 Rev. Wm. Kinghorn, Nashwaasis.  
 J. A. VanWart, Esq., A.M., Fred'ton.  
 James Patterson, Esq., St. John.  
 Mr. F. A. Peters, St. John.  
 Mr. George B. Peters, St. John.  
 George W. McCready, Esq., Sussex.  
 John N. Perry, Esq., Springfield.  
 Mr. A. Hartley Reud, Indiantown.  
 F. C. B. S. S., Middle Southampton.  
 C. H. McAlpine, Esq., Hampstead.  
 Daniel C. Barnes, Esq., Grand Manan.  
 G. W. Boyer, Esq., Victoria Corner.  
 Rev. J. Noble, Woodstock.  
 F. C. B. S. S., Grand Manan.  
 D. C. Clark, Esq., Carleton, St. John.  
 Edwin R. Atherton, Esq., Fredericton.  
 John March, Esq., A. M., St. John.  
 Wesley VanWart, Esq., A. M., F'ton  
 Rev. G. W. McDonald, Woodstock.  
 Hon. G. E. Foster, D.C.L., M.P., Ottawa.  
 Master A. Neville Vince, Woodstock.  
 Albert C. Smith, Esq., M.P.P., St. John.  
 Rev. J. Wesley Clarke, St. John.  
 Mr. John Kimball, St. John.  
 Master E. Raban Vince, Woodstock.  
 Master G. Whitfield Jones, Greenwich.  
 Mr. Abraham Schofield, U Millstream  
 James Marsten, Esq., Woodstock.  
 W. H. VanWart, Esq., Fredericton.  
 I. W. Marsten, Eel River.  
 Stephen Carlisle, Esq., Douglas.  
 F. C. B. Sabbath School, Portland.  
 Mr. Spurgeon G. Jones, Greenwich.  
 Mr. Elisha Cosman, St. John.  
 Richard Slipp, Esq., Hampstead.  
 F. C. B. S. School, Up. Hampstead.

## FEMALE.

- Mrs. Albert Peters, St. John.  
 Mrs. G. W. McDonald, Woodstock.  
 Mrs. J. E. Reud, Portland.  
 Mrs. G. W. McCready, Sussex.  
 Mrs. J. N. Barnes, Downeyville, K.C.  
 Mrs. J. Mitchell, Lincoln, Sunbury C.  
 Mrs. William Peters, St. John.  
 Mrs. Dr. Hanington, Yale, B. C.  
 Mrs. D. Merritt, Hampstead.  
 Mrs. J. Perry, Connell, Carleton Co.  
 Mrs. Joel Jenkins, St. John.  
 Mrs. E. Cosman, Presqu Isle.  
 Mrs. Stephen Carlisle, Douglas.  
 Mrs. James Slipp, sr., Hampstead.  
 Mrs. Charles H. Peters, St. John.  
 Mrs. G. VanWart, Indiantown.  
 Mrs. Thomas A. Peters, St. John.  
 Miss Willa G. Peters, St. John.  
 Miss Mantie Mersereau, Blissville.  
 Miss Marion B. Harris, C. C.  
 Mrs. William Peters, jr., St. John.  
 Mrs. Baxter, Fairville.  
 Miss Charlotte L. Peters, St. John.  
 Miss Augusta Parsons, Marysville.  
 Mrs. Joseph McLeod, Fredericton.  
 Mrs. Alexander, Jacksonstown.  
 Miss Ella H. Kenney.  
 Miss L. M. Cheney, Grand Manan.  
 Miss Mary Carl, White Hd, G Manan  
 Miss Mary S. U. Peters, St. John.  
 Mrs. Elijah Cosman, St. John.  
 Mrs. Vince, Woodstock.  
 Mrs. Mary Connor.  
 Miss Ella F. Armour.  
 Miss L. N. Vince, Woodstock.  
 Miss Jessie G. Vince, Woodstock.  
 Miss Maggie J Smith.  
 Miss Jessie B. Hooper, Balasore.

F. C. B. GENERAL CONFERENCE,  
FOREIGN MISSION EXECUTIVE,  
IN ACCOUNT WITH E. W. SLIPP, TREASURER.

1891.	Cr.	
Received from	6th Church, Wickham, .....	\$10 00
"	A member F. C. B., Hampstead, .....	2 00
"	Abraham Scriber, .....	1 00
"	Church, North River, .....	5 05
"	Deacon Thomas Nason, .....	6 00
"	F. C. B. S. School, North End, 1889, .....	20 00
"	Church, Central Hampstead, .....	3 05
"	Alpha, of Carleton Church, for Bible distribution in India, .....	10 00
"	Joel Jenkins, .....	2 00
"	William Murray, Butternut Ridge, .....	1 00
"	Daniel Schriver, sr. ....	2 00
"	Bessie Jones, .....	1 00
"	Charlotte A. Jones, .....	1 00
"	Geo. W. Jones 50c; Alice A. Jones 50c	1 00
"	G. F. Smith, .....	5 00
"	Mrs. T. R. Benjamin, .....	50
"	Rev. Dr. McLeod, .....	10 00
"	A Free Baptist, .....	5 00
"	Walter J. Doucett, .....	1 00
"	Church, Waterloo Street, .....	40 50
"	Laura A. Daggett, .....	1 00
"	Ella W. Daggett, .....	1 00
"	Church, Grand Harbour, .....	4 25
"	Grand Harbour Sabbath School, .....	3 11
"	Church, North Head, .....	7 25
"	North Head Sabbath School, .....	2 13
"	Church, North Head, Grand Manan, .	2 00
"	"    Lower Ridge, .....	13 85
"	"    Seventh Tier, .....	3 35
"	"    Third Tier, .....	1 03
"	Mrs. M. Burpee, .....	1 00
"	Church, Corn Hill, .....	4 00
"	"    Hartland, .....	6 00
"	"    Corn Hill, collected by Mary A. Burlock, .....	8 05
"	"    "    coll. by Lavinia Dunfield	7 30
"	"    "    Mrs. J. A. Brown	4 65

*Carried forward, .....*      \$197 07

1891.	<i>Brought forward</i> ,.....	\$197 07
Received from Church,	Stanley,.....	3 25
"	" Fair Haven,.....	4 39
"	Rev. A. H. McLeod,.....	1 00
"	Church, Lewis Mountain,.....	6 00
"	" Upper Millstream,.....	5 00
"	Samuel J. Perry,.....	1 00
"	D. McLeod Vince,.....	50 00
"	Church, Jerusalem,.....	8 75
"	" Upper Greenwich,.....	7 00
"	Lizzie E. Morrell,.....	1 00
"	J. D. Morrell,.....	50
"	Lydia J. Fullerton,.....	5 00
"	Church, Charleston,.....	1 00
"	" Gordonsville,.....	2 00
"	Collection, Second District,.....	3 00
"	A Friend,.....	1 00
"	Church, Fredericton Junction,.....	11 00
"	Allen Schofield,.....	5 00
"	John Fox,.....	1 00
"	Church, Graves Settlement,.....	5 00
"	" Coverdale,.....	12 00
"	" White Head, Grand Manan, ..	5 00
"	" English Settlement,.....	6 35
"	Rev. J. Noble,.....	1 00
"	Sabbath School, North End, St. John,	15 00
"	Church, Upper Hainesville,.....	7 00
"	Elijah Cosman,.....	15 00
"	B. W. B. ....	2 00
"	T. W. Musgrove, M. D. ....	2 00
"	Church, Apohaqui,.....	8 00
"	Fifth District Meeting, collection,...	5 14
"	Church, Penobscuis,.....	5 65
"	Collection,.....	10 00
"	Church, Central Southampton,.....	10 80
"	" Bath,.....	7 50
"	" Petitcodiac,.....	5 00
"	Mrs. H. N. Jonah,.....	1 00
"	Church, Lower Millstream,.....	13 25
"	" Long Point,.....	6 00
"	" Fair Haven,.....	1 35
"	" Woodstock,.....	16 00
"	Mrs. S. Jones 50c ; Stephen Jones 50c	1 00

*Carried forward*, .... \$479 99

1891.	<i>Brought forward, .....</i>	\$479 89
Received from	Mrs. Charles Wheman,.....	50
"	Church, Blissville,.....	12 50
"	" Patterson Settlement,.....	7 08
"	" Mill Settlement,.....	3 00
"	Rev. J. H. Erb, .....	1 00
"	Third District, collection, .....	1 74
"	Friends, from Round Hill, .....	5 00
"	Church, Lincoln, .....	9 66
"	F. L. Alexander, .....	1 00
"	Collection, Marysville Church,.....	2 15
"	Church, Keswick,.....	3 50
"	" Tracy Station,.....	8 25
"	" Prince William,.....	8 00
"	" Lower Canterbury,.....	7 50
"	" Middle Southampton, .....	4 00
"	" Campbell Settlement, .....	6 70
"	" Tracy Mills, Carleton Co. ....	30 00
"	" Carleton, St. John, .....	30 00
"	" Upper Hampstead,.....	18 00
"	" Moncton, .....	9 10
"	" Chocolate Cove, .....	8 00
"	" Knoxford,.....	9 27
"	Rev. J. N. Barnes,.....	5 00
"	Church, Fredericton,.....	21 75
"	" Sussex, .....	10 00
"	" Middleland, .....	18 00
"	" Wheaton Settlement,.....	3 00
"	" Fourth Hampstead, .....	8 80
"	" North End, St. John, .....	23 50
"	" Central Hampstead, (omitted in the Annual Report,).	10 00
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		\$765 99.

1891.	DR.	
To paid	Rev. A. B. Boyer's salary to June 1,.	\$605 00
"	Allowance to children, .....	90 00
"	Expenses to members of Executive at- tending special meeting in St. John,	3 52
"	Discount on notes, .....	13 38
"	Wm. Peters (late Treasurer) amount due last year,.....	28 52
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		\$740 42
	Balance on hand,.....	<hr/>
		\$25 57

## Amounts received for Foreign Missions by Churches.

<i>Bath.</i>			Fred. Hopper	25	James H. Brown	75
Mrs. S. Barker	\$1 00		George Hopper	25	John E. Keith	50
Lydia Barker	1 00		Stewart Geldert	25	John W. Debow	1 00
Eugenia Barker	1 00		Wm. Anderson	25	Mrs. D. McLeod	50
Mrs. S. Giberson	1 00		Mrs. Jas. Steeves	25	Mrs. B. McLeod	40
Amos Giberson	50		Miss Maud Steeves	25	Lawson Brown	50
Chipman Giberson	50		Edward Price	25	John Foley	25
Mrs. L. Bloodsworth	50		Bliss Wilson	25	S. L. Stockton	25
Albert Kinney	50		Mrs. A. W. Leeman	25	Mrs. John Keith	25
Rev. J. J. Barnes	1 00		Maggie Stewart	25	Mrs. D. Rouse	25
Mrs. J. J. Barnes	50		E. McFarlane	10	Mrs. C. M. Hunt	25
			A Friend	5	Charlie N. Brown	20
	\$7 50				Charlie H. Burlock	10
				\$5 35	John C. Burlock	5
<i>Blissville.</i>			Coll. by Miss Ida Geldert.		Isaiah Calhoun	25
John K. Hoyt	\$1 00		Noah Steeves	50	John W. Brown	25
A. R. Hoyt	50		A. H. Steeves	50		\$8 05
Lyman Webb	50		Emerson Steeves	50		
Orlo Mersereau	50		Judson Steeves	50	Coll. by Mrs. J. A. Brown.	
Rev. W. H. Perry	1 00		James Ayles	40	James A. Brown	1 00
John W. Hoyt,	1 00		Howard Chatman	25	Robert Harper	50
Samuel Kenney	25		Wm W. Steeves	25	Wm Nickerson	50
A. W. Mersereau	1 00		Cornelius Ayles	25	Nehemiah Graves	25
Collections	3 25		A Friend	25	Mrs. N. Graves	25
Richard Webb	50				Amos O. Harper	25
Ralph Seely	50			\$3 40	Mrs. A. O. Harper	25
Gilman Mersereau	50		Coll. by Mrs. J. Wilson		Abram Harper	25
D. D. Davis	50		Alfred Lester	25	Mrs. A. Harper	20
W. D. Smith	50		Mrs. G. Steeves	25	Miss Jennie Fowler	20
D. E. Smith	50		Mrs. Nichol	25	C. M. Hunt, Esq.	25
William Wright	50		Vina Wilson	25	John Nickerson	50
	\$12 50				Mrs. J. H. Hunt	25
				\$1 00		\$4 65
<i>Coverdale.</i>			Church collect'n,	2 25		
Collected by Miss Maggie Stewart.			Miss Geldert's col.	3 40	Coll. by Miss Lavinia J. Dunfield.	
			" Stewart's "	5 35		
A. W. Leeman	50		Total Coverdale	\$12 00	J. H. Branscomb	1 00
Frank Mitten	50				Ab'm Branscomb	1 00
William Mollins	50		<i>Corn Hill.</i>		Ezekiel Dunfield	75
Arthur Steeves	35		Coll. by Mary A. Burlock		John B. Dunfield	1 00
George Ayles	30		Jas. A. Burlock	\$1 05	Zephie Saunders	50
Mrs. C. A. Steeves	30		Alexander Brown	1 25	Naaman Hughson	50
Albert Hopper	25				George W. Keith	25
					Henry Branscomb	75

Geo. A. Coates	25						
Murray Dunfield	5						
Mrs. S. L. Stockton	25						
Mrs. Jas. Dunfield	25						
Miss A. A. Dunfield	25						
Miss D. A. Thorne	25						
" B. A. Branscomb	25						
	\$7 30						
Miss Burlocks col.	8 05						
Mrs. J. A. Brown's	'4 65						
<b>Total Cornhill,</b>	<b>\$20 00</b>						
<i>Charleston.</i>							
Wm. Barratt	50						
Thomas Ketch	1 00						
George DeLong	50						
Mrs. L. Palmer	25						
Emerson Crouse	1 00						
Geo. McCormack	1 00						
Urial Crouse	50						
Howard Palmer	50						
Isaac Nelson	75						
	\$6 00						
<i>Coldstream.</i>							
Samuel Foster	1 00						
S. Crandlemire	1 00						
C. W. Crandlemire	1 00						
Moses Rideout	50						
Alex. McLean	50						
James Tompkins	50						
James Irving	50						
George Foster	50						
Mrs. W. F. Tompkins	50						
Richard Irving	50						
W. F. Tompkins	50						
Mrs. S. Crandlemire	25						
Fred. Crandlemire	50						
Annie Crandlemire	25						
Albert Crandlemire	25						
W. E. Crandlemire	75						
Mrs. Crandlemire	25						
Mrs. S. Foster	25						
Luce Foster,	25						
Ella Foster	25						
	\$10 00						
<i>Gordonsville.</i>							
Randolph Stickney	50						
Samuel Rogers	45						
George	25						
Israel Craig	20						
Coles London	60						
	\$2 00						
Half Collection 2d							
Dist. Meeting	\$3 00						
<i>Graves Settlement.</i>							
Coll. by Miss M. Wilson.							
Miss M. Golden	1 00						
James Patterson	50						
Mrs. Wm. Wilson	50						
Mrs. J. Patterson	25						
C. F. Colpitts	25						
Mrs. C. F. Colpitts	20						
Mrs. J. Blakney	10						
A Friend	20						
	\$3 00						
<i>Hampstead Fourth.</i>							
Collected by							
Almedia Burchill	1 90						
Pricilla Davis	1 10						
Eudora Dougan	3 30						
	\$5 30						
<i>Jerusalem.</i>							
Stephen E. Smith	50						
H. Vallis	10						
J. Parks	10						
L. S. Webb	10						
Evelyn G. Webb	10						
H. M. Short	50						
A Friend	10						
W. H. Short	10						
T. W. Redstone	1 00						
D. E. Hamilton	15						
A Friend	10						
A Friend	25						
George Hamilton	50						
S. T. Vallis	10						
L. Beckert	20						
A Friend	10						
S. Machum	1 50						
H. B.	25						
Charles L. Scott	25						
James McKinney	25						
Charles L. Belyea	25						
	\$10 00						
<i>Greenwich, Upper.</i>							
Col. by Edith M. Louder							
and Maggie Hamilton.							
Mrs. R. D. Anderson	20						
Wm. Hamilton	1 00						
E. M. Brundage	25						
Mrs. G. B. Whittaker	25						

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Thos. W. Machum	50	<i>Lower Ridge.</i>	<i>Millstream, Upper.</i>
Mrs. T. W. Machum	50		
Wm. A. Machum	50	Col. by Miss Rosie Keith	Zebulun Gaunce 1 50
Maggie E. Machum	50	Byron Keith	Isaac Gaunce 1 00
Arthur Johnston	25	Thos. G. Perry 1 00	Lizzie E. Gaunce 1 50
		George A. Perry 1 00	Geo. W. Soper 1 00
	\$8 75	Abram Perry 1 00	
		Disraeli B. Perry 25	\$5 00
		Miss Rosie Keith 25	
		Alice Lockhart 25	
		Mrs. Lee F. Corey 25	

*Lewis Mountain.*

Coll. by Ada Cochran.			<i>Millstream, Lower.</i>
Abram Lewis	1 00	Willard McLeod	1 00
Bedford Rodgers	15	T. A. McFarlane	1 00
Mrs. Amos Rodgers	20	J. E. McAuley,	50
Mrs. Elizabeth Kil-		L. C. Musgrove	25
lam and family	1 00	G. W. McLeod	2 00
Chip'n McFarlane	1 00	W. G. McLeod	2 00
James Lewis	50	C. W. Weyman	1 50
Mrs. I. Fairweather	25	W. D. Fenwick	1 00
Charles L. Henry	40	Silas Fenwick	50
Bliss O'Blenes	50	J. E. Good	2 00
William Rogers	30	Edward McLeod	1 50
Ansley Lewis	50		
Ada Cochran	20		\$13 25
	\$6 00	George Gorham	1 00
		Willie Betts	10
		Mrs. M. Cusack	10
		Mrs. C. Keith	15
		Miss E. A. Fowler	10

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Mrs John Patterson	25		<i>Eagle Settlement.</i>
Miss Lillie Patterson	25		
Mrs M Patterson	25	Thos. Taylor sr.	1 00
G W Mitchell	25	Henry Lewis	50
Harvey True	25	Charles Lewis	50
Charlie Patterson	25	S. S. Taylor	1 00
Mrs J Segee	25	Thos. Johnston	25
J Ferris	25	Gesner A. Taylor	1 00
J Raymond	25	M. Luther Taylor	25
Bruce Hayward	25	Thomas Taylor	25
D H Nevers	50	Geo. W. Taylor	25
George True	50	Mrs. D. O'Blenes	25
T Rowan	50	Susie Lewis	25
George Hayward	50	Roslyn Taylor	25
J P Mitchell	1 00	Effie O'Blenes	10
J A Hayward	1 00	Mrs. Abner Taylor	25
Fen Wisely	1 00	Mrs. R. Beckwith	25
J McKinney	2 00		\$6 35
Harvey True	10		
Fred Wisely	6		
	\$9 66	Miss Keith's coll.	5 00
		" Fowler's "	2 85
		Total L. Ridge	\$13 85
		Hicks Eagles	15

*North River, Second.*

*Eagle Settlement.*

Mr. & Mrs J. Blenes	85	Mabel J. Turnbull	25	<i>Seventh Tier.</i>	
Jas. D. McLeod	25	Mrs. George Jonah	25		
James Campbell	25	Matthew Wade	25	In memory of late	
Thos Campbell	25	Nellie Porter	25	Elijah Briggs	1 00
Mrs. P. Cochran	10	Maudie Porter	25	Judson B Briggs	1 00
Miss Mary McLeod	25	John Gallagher	25	Geo. A. Thomas	25
Miss Flora Taylor	25	Boswell Jonah	25	Ezra J. Briggs	25
		Mrs. John McNeill	25	A. McDonald	20
	\$2 85			Albion Burpee	20
			\$3 25	James Cheney,	25
Coll. by Miss S. Lewis.				Fred. Cheney	20
Mr & Mrs I Lewis	1 00	<i>St. John, Waterloo St</i>			
Wm. Johnston	50				\$3 35
Frederick Lewis	25	William Peters	\$5 00		
Miss Alberta Lewis	20	James Patterson	2 00	<i>Third Tier Ch.</i>	\$1 03
Miss Sarah Lewis	25	E. Duval	1 00		
		C. W. Day	1 50	<i>Woodstock.</i>	
	\$2 20	M. Burgess	1 00		
Miss Campbell's		David Miller	1 00	Mrs. M. Burpee	\$1 00
collection	2 85	Abner Smith	2 00		
Eagle Settlement		Ed. Puddington	1 00	<i>Wickham, Sixth.</i>	
collection	6 35	John Roberts	1 00		
		Maggie Murdock	1 00	John C. Smith	25
Total N. River	\$11 40	J. S. Smith	1 00	J. R. VanWart	1 00
		Joseph Witham	1 00	G. J. Worden	1 00
<i>Petitcodiac.</i>		W. A. Gosline	1 00	Collection	1 70
B. H. Freeze	1 00	J. A. White	2 00	Mrs. John London	25
J.W. Lowery	75	Jacob Morrell	1 00	E. J. Webster	50
Elton Cochrane	50	Hiram Smith	50	E. H. VanWart	75
Mr. Brown	50	J. W. Penery	2 00	W. Sheldreck	25
Judson Smith	25	Mrs. M. Sloan	1 00	A. G. Sharp	50
Henry O'Blenis	25	G. B. Colwell	1 00	L. S. VanWart	3 80
Walter Lutz	25	David McDonald	1 00		
Charles Vallis	25	Wilford Day	1 00		\$10 00
Samuel Snider	25	John Connell	1 00	<i>Wheaton Settlement.</i>	
G. F. Fowler	25	A. W. Case	1 00		
John Arthur	25	Mrs. Appleby	1 00	Hiram Kerr	25
Rev. A.C. Thompson	50	Mrs. U. Bleakney	1 00	Fred. Lutz	25
		John Jackson	50	Mrs. Chas. Lutz	25
	\$5 00	Mrs. J.W. Penery	1 00	W. D. Murray	25
		Wm. Alward	1 00	Mrs. W. D. Murray	25
<i>Portage.</i>		J. H. Belyea	1 00	Miss N. Wheaton	50
Mrs. H.N. Jonah	\$1 00	William Curry	1 00		
		Wm. Crawford	1 00		\$1 75
<i>Stanley.</i>		Mrs. J.T. Parsons	1 00		
		J. S. Nickerson	1 00		
Charles J. Porter	50				\$40 50
George Jonah	25				
Stephen Merrill	25				
Elizabeth Merrill	25				

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## APPENDIX D.

## F. C. B. WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSION AID SOCIETY.

Memorandum of Monies received since publishing the Minutes last year, from the following Societies:

## FIRST DISTRICT.

<i>Arthurette.</i>		Mrs. R. Squires	1 00	<i>Long Island.</i>	
Mrs. J. Giberson \$1 00		" E. F. Shaw	1 00	Mrs. T.A. Jenkins	1 00
		" A. Giberson	50	Miss G. Fowler	1 00
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<i>Bumfrau.</i>			\$6 50		\$2 00
		<i>Lower Perth.</i>		<i>Wicklow.</i>	
Mrs. J. Marshal	1 00	Mrs. Bloodworth	1 00	Mrs. M. Hutchinson	1 00
" E. Crane	55	" J. L. Dougherty	10	" Jas. Tweedie	1 00
" Sam'l Moore	1 00	" F. A. Grant	15	" N.B. Milberry	1 00
Miss E. Kearney	1 00	" H. Dow	50	" A Friend	1 00
" E. deMerchant	1 00	" C. R. Inman	15	Miss M. Milberry	1 00
Mrs. R. Currie	1 00	" John Grant	15	" Mary Tweedie	25
" Jos. Crane	1 00	" D. W. Gaughey	20	Douglas Milberry	25
	<u>        </u>	" R.H. Inman	15		<u>        </u>
	\$6 55	" Robt Grant	10		\$5 50
<i>Bath.</i>		" W. Miller	25		
		Miss Ida Kilburn	10	Collected at An-	
Mrs. E. Phillips	1 00	" Blanche Grant	15	nual meeting	3 17
" J. J. Barnes	1 00	" Clara Griffiths	20	Mrs. Geo. Lavine	1 00
" Steph. Barker	1 00	Mrs. Jas. Stewart	10		<u>        </u>
" S.E. Giberson	1 00				\$4 17
			\$3 30		

## SECOND DISTRICT.

<i>Knoxford.</i>		Miss Ida Margison	10	Mrs. J. Hagerman	25
Mrs. L. Williams	1 00	" V. Lockhart	24	" James Toms	50
" W. Jamieson	1 00	Mrs. Anson Boon	25	" George Knox	25
Miss Gerty Esty	10	" C. Haines	10	" Geo. Thomas	50
Mrs. John Brown	10	Miss Ada Vandine	10	" Robt. Hunter	31
" C. Margison	50	" Ada Vandine	10		<u>        </u>
" L. Bartley	25	" Florence King	25		\$6 00
		Mrs. Thos. Fulton	10		

<i>Rockland.</i>		<i>Victoria Corner.</i>		Mrs. Jas. Barter sr. 25	
Mrs. N. Sewell	\$1 00	Mrs. B. C. Shaw	50	James Culberson	40
<i>Lower Brighton,</i>		" J. P. York	25	Mrs. J. Palmer	1 00
Mrs. M. McGee	1 00	In memory of Mrs.			\$5 40
" Ruth Dow	1 00	G. W. Boyer	1 00	<i>Bristol</i>	
" R. Robinson	1 00	Mrs. M. Boyer	1 00	Mrs. Israel Merritt	50
" C. Richardson	1 00	" H. Birmingham	1 00	" Jacob Sherwood	50
" Addie Thomas	1 00	" J. B. Bowser	1 00	" James Boyer	25
" Henry Tedley	1 00	" Colman Shaw	1 00	James Boyer	25
" Susan Browne	1 00	J. W. Boyer	1 00	Walter Tompkins	25
" D. Dickenson	1 00	Mrs. B. Gallop	1 00		
" D. H. Nickson	1 00		\$7 75		
Miss Stickney	1 00	<i>Knowlesville.</i>			\$1 75
Mrs. R. Dickerson	50	Mrs. J. Whitehouse	1 00	<i>Windsor.</i>	
" J. Browne	25	" Jos Whitehouse	1 00	Mrs. Setph. Orser	1 00
" Norris Browne	25	" L. Doucett	1 00	" Amy Shaw	1 00
" William Dcw	50	" John Gayton	1 00	" Stephen Shaw	50
" David Noble	30			" Geo. McAuley	25
" Jos. Robinson	50			" Geo. Orser	25
" J. McRenney	25				\$3 00
" Robt. Nickson	50	<i>Connell.</i>		<i>Third Tier.</i>	
" Jas. Tramley	25	Mrs. Jas. Stickney	1 00	Mrs. E. Grass	1 00
Miss Edna Brooks	25	" E. Holmes	1 00	" Henry Hartt	1 00
" Nettie Tidley	15	" G. C. Turner	1 00	" R. J. Alexander	1 00
" Ada Hovey	10	" S. R. Boyer	75	Miss Carrie Hartt	25
" A. McRenney	25	" J. E. Nicholson	25	" Annie Palmer	25
Mrs. Jas. McLary	25	" John Perry jr.	25	" Carrie Kimball	25
A Friend	75	" E. Flannigan	25	" Laura Ludgate	25
	\$15 05	" Jas. Flannigan	25	Mrs. Addie Rideout	50
<i>Hartland.</i>		" Marion Shaw	25	" Rebecca Seely	25
Mrs. S. M. Boyer	1 00	" Joseph Shaw	25	" Wilmot Burt	50
" Salome Shaw	1 00	" Laverta Shaw	25	Mite Society	1 00
" L. E. M'Farland	1 00	Miss Annie Turner	25	Half collection	1 00
Miss Phebe Boyer	1 00	Master F. N. Holmes	25		
" Blanche Kelley	1 00	Mrs. E. S. Miller	1 00		\$7 25
" J. McMullen	50	Miss E. Simcnson	25	<i>Waterville.</i>	
Mrs. Jarvis Day	25			Mrs. J. Whitney	1 00
E. Alexander	50			" W. Culberson	1 00
D. E. Morgan	25			" Wm. Davis	1 00
Mrs. D. E. Morgan	25			" Jas. Gardiner	50
Myrtle McFarland	25			" Jas. Barter	25
Arnold McFarland	25				\$6 35
	\$7 25			Also raised for	
				Home Missions	5 35
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*Lindsay.*

In Memory of late  
Mrs. Elijah Briggs 1 00  
Mrs. J. Lindsay 1 00  
" J. L. McBride 25  
" G. A. Thomas 25  
" Ezra J. Briggs 25  
" James Briggs 25  
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Harry Thomas 5  
Fernie Thomas 5  
Mrs. H. Briggs 25

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*Charleston.*

Mrs. E. Crouse 1 00  
" Thos. Ketch 25  
" Geo. Ketch 25  
Sidney Dewitt 10  
Mrs. Jas. McCormac 25  
" Wm. Barrett 25  
" Geo. Delong 25  
" Isaac Nelson 25

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*Brookville.*

G. C. London 25  
Mrs. G. C. London 25  
" Catherine Jones 50  
W. L. Margeson 25  
Charles Tracy 34

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*Jacksonville.*

Mrs. E. O'Donnell \$1 00

*Gordonville.*

Mrs. B. Jones 1 00  
" S. Richards 50  
" S. Burlock 25  
" C. London 25  
" S. London 25  
" G. Clare 25

Mrs. J. Cregg 25  
" S. Jones 25  
" J. Jones 10  
" J. Derah 25  
" W. J. White 25  
" B. Stickney 25  
W. J. Jones 15  
Mrs. E. Brooks 14

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*Somerville.*

Mrs J W Stevens 1 00  
" S Sipprell 1 00  
" H M Stevens 1 00  
" W H Sipprell 1 00  
" W F Sipprell 1 00  
" A M Sipprell 1 00  
" C McCormac 1 00  
" R L McRee 1 00  
" E Sipprell 1 00  
Miss S Sipprell 1 00

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*Tracey Mills.*

Mrs W J Webb 1 00  
" E L West 1 00  
" A H Tracy 1 00  
" E M Hawkins 1 00  
" G D Perkins 1 00  
" H B White 1 00  
Miss Ella Stiles 1 00  
" N Hawkins 50

Mrs W Nicholson 25

" T Trafford 25  
" Z B Miller 1 00  
" T F Tracy 1 00  
" M M Tracy 50  
" B Wheeler 25  
" Z E Sloat 25  
" J. N. Sloat 25  
" John Palmer 25  
" A. McDonald 25  
" J. A. Owens 1 00  
" W. J. Owens 1 00  
" J. W. Clarke 1 00  
" J. F. Adams 50

Miss A. J. Owens 1 00  
" Edna M. Clark 50  
" Lena L. Clark 50  
" Laura Adams 25  
" M. McDonald 25  
" Hattie Toms 25  
Mrs. A. Page 50  
" C. A. Long 25  
" John Long 25  
" Ednor Long 25  
" George Long 50  
" Geo. Wheeler 25  
" John Page 1 00  
" Wm. Trafford 1 00  
" W. Kennedy 1 00  
" Thos. Orchard 1 00  
" E. B. Gray 1 00  
" Mary Cronkite 1 00  
Charles White 1 00  
Mrs. Wm. Thomas 50  
" Geo. Cronkite 25  
" Sydney Loyd 20  
" Wilmot Dyer 15  
" Darius Wilson 25  
" George Hartley 25  
Miss Lucretia Cronk 50  
" Leitha White 25  
G. Nelson 25  
R. Estey 25  
H. Cronk 25

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*Woodstock.*

The late Mrs. Joseph Noble 1 00  
Mrs. C.T. Phillips 1 00  
" Moses Burpee 1 00  
" C. VanWart 1 00  
" G. W. Slipp 1 00  
" E. J. Clark 1 00  
" Chas. Watson 1 00  
" G.F. Atherton 1 00  
" G.W. VanWart 1 00  
" J.M. McClusky 1 00  
" R. Williams 1 00  
" D. Phillips 1 00  
" D. McL. Vince 1 00  
" Chas. Turner 1 00  
" Thos. Allen 1 00

Mrs. D. A. Grant	1 00	Mrs. G. A. White	1 00	<i>From Maine.</i> Mrs. B. Gallop \$0 50 Half Collection at Public Meetg \$3 00 Total amount for For. Missions \$160 61
" Thos. Connor	1 00	" A. Patterson	50	
" J. C. Jones	1 00	" B. F. Clark	50	
" Zopher Philips	1 00	" S. G. Jones	25	
" John Hillman	1 00	*Miss M. G. Burpee	50	
" Thos. Wasson	1 00	*Mastr G. M. Burpee	50	
" Z. Connor	1 00	Mrs. S. Hipwell	1 00	
" L. G. Slipp	1 00	Mrs. A. Oliver	1 00	
" T. Lindsay	1 00	Half collections	3 98	
" C. Whenman	1 00			
" Hugh Davis	1 00		\$38 23	
" Wm. Watson	1 00	*These two, contrib-		
" Alcorn	1 00	uted by children, to be		
Miss Emma Slipp	1 00	used expressly for chil-		
		dren.		

THIRD DISTRICT.

<i>Fredericton.</i>	<i>Mouth Keswick.</i>	<i>Upper Hainesville.</i>	
Mrs. A. Turner	1 00	Mrs. Wm. Sleep	1 00
" Jos. McLeod	1 00	" Adam Sharp	1 00
" J. Hazelton	1 00	" John J. Jones	1 00
" E. C. Freeze	1 00	" James Jones	1 00
" F. Todd	1 00	" George Sleep	75
Miss Colwell	1 00	" M. A. Wallace	50
" Atherton	1 00	" Henry Reicker	50
Mrs. C. Burt	1 00	" Theo. Jones	25
" P. D. McKenziel	00		
" A. Chase	25		
" A. Cooper	50		
	\$9 75		\$6 00
		<i>Southampton.</i>	
		Mrs. Thos. Lone	1 00
		" Wm. Henry	1 00
			\$2 00
<i>Marysville.</i>			
Mrs. David Pugh	1 00		
" Sanford Pond	1 00		
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**FOURTH DISTRICT.**

<i>Blissville.</i>		Abbie Hersey 10	<i>Rusagornish.</i>	
		D. Currier 10	Mrs. Ludlow Smith 25	
		Friend 5	" Merton Bunker 25	
Mrs. Otis E. Hoyt 1 00			" Thos. Phillips 25	
" John Murphy 1 00			" T. T. Mersereau 25	
" R. Webb 1 00		\$8 00	Edna Mersereau 10	
" J. H. Hoyt 1 00			Helen Mersereau 10	
Mrs. D. D. Davis 1 00			H. L. Mersereau 10	
" W. H. Perry 1 00			James Gerow 25	
" A. R. Hoyt 1 00			Ziza Mersereau 25	
" Odbur Webb 1 00	<i>Oromocto.</i>		Mrs. Rufus Nason 25	
" C.M. Duplisea 1 00	Mrs. M. McMonagle 25		" John Smith 25	
" J. R. Seely 1 00	" M. A. Miles 10		Abner Smith 50	
Mrs. J. W. Peters 1 00	Miss Banks 25		Amasa Dottin 25	
" D. E. Smith 1 00	" B. McPherson 10		Friend 10	
" W. D. Smith 1 00	" T. B. McLean 25		Mrs. Abner Nason 10	
" A.N. Mersereau 25	" E. Kenney 25		Pearl Nason 10	
Miss Mary Jane		\$1 20	Mrs. S. Sinclair 20	
McQuestion 1 00			" George Bunker 20	
Miss D. Mersereau 1 00			" Manzer Bunker 25	
" Lizzie Perley 1 00	<i>Fredericton Junction.</i>		Stella Bunker 10	
Proceeds of Circle,	E.C. Secord, M.D. 1 00		Faith Bunker 10	
goods sold, and	Miss O.M. Smith 1 00		Mrs. G. A. Smith 25	
Pie Social, 30 97	" Maria Boone 1 00		" T. Mersereau 25	
	Mrs. G. Hayward 1 00		" Samuel Waugh 20	
\$47 22	" Mrs. J. Taylor 1 00		Ida Waugh 10	
	" T.L. Alexander 1 00		Mrs Alex. Mott 25	
	" D. W. Hart 1 00		" Thos. Bunker 20	
	" T. Alexander 1 00		" Parker Phillips 22	
	W. Nobles 1 00			\$5 67
<i>Patterson Settlement.</i>	Mrs. L. Mersereau 54			
Mrs. C. McFawn 25	" Albert Boone 25			
" Martin Allen 25	" John Maynard 25			
" Chas. Duplisea 25	" B. J. Tracey 25			
" Henry Duke 25	" A. L. Duplisea 25			
" Jas. McFawn 25	" T.W. Alexander 25			
Proceeds of Pie	" J.L. Alexander 25			
Social, 13 20	" Abram DeWitt 25			
Collection 65	" Thos. Russell 25			
	" O.S. Mersereau 25			
\$15 10	Miss Lizzie Hartt 25			
	Proceeds of Pie			
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	sold at Bazaar 5 43			
		\$28 46		
<i>Upper Gagetown.</i>			<i>Recapitulation.</i>	
T. McMulkin 5 00			Blissville, \$47 22	
Mrs. T. McMulkin 1 00			Patterson Set't 15 10	
Mastr. D. McMulkin 25			Up. Gagetown, 8 00	
Mrs. T. Crothers 1 00			Oromocto, 1 20	
Allen Currier 25			F'ton Junction 28 46	
Mrs. T. Estabrook 25			Rusagornish, 5 67	
			Collections tak-	
			en at Mission-	
			ary meetings, 9 90	
			Total. Fourth	
			District \$115 55	

## FIFTH DISTRICT.

<i>First Hampstead.</i>		Mrs. Fraser Fox 25	<i>Third Hampstead.</i>	
Mrs. G. Slipp 1 00		" C. H. Ebbett 1 00	Mrs. Fred. Webb 1 00	
" W. VanWart 1 00		Miss M. E. Hewlett 1 00	" J. I. Harrison 1 00	
" B. Palmer 1 00		" H. A. Slipp 50	" T. W. Redstone 1 00	
" Alfred Slipp 1 00		" L. L. Corbett 25	" J. R. Douglass 1 00	
" B. S. Palmer 1 00		Mrs D. C. Ebbett 1 00	" T. Machum 1 00	
" Asa Slipp 1 00		In memory of	" A. W. Johnston 1 00	
Miss A. Slipp 1 00		Allie & Lilly 2 00	Miss M. Machum 1 00	
Mrs. J. G. Holly 25		\$18 70	" Zella Harrison 1 00	
Miss E. Corbett 40			" Susan Vallis 1 00	
Mrs. Edw. Carle 25		<i>Sixth Wickham.</i>	" D. A. Johnston 1 00	
" Janet Slipp 25		Mrs. E. H. Vanwart 25	Mrs. T. L. Short 2 00	
" G. Merritt 25		" W. Shedrick 10	\$12 00	
" N. W. Everleigh 20		" L. S. VanWart 20		
" Bruce Palmer 25		" J. R. VanWart 25	<i>Second Wickham</i>	
" I. S. VanWart 25		" Geo. J. Worden 20	Mrs. R. Whelpley 1 00	
Miss N Thompson 1 00		Miss M. Golding 20	" T. W. Carpenter 1 00	
\$10 10		" Belle Case 10	" I. W. Carpenter 1 00	
<i>Upper Hampstead.</i>		Collection at Dis-	" Geo. Palmer 1 00	
Mrs. L. Slipp 1 00		trict meeting 4 35	" J. Balmain 50	
" C. T. Carpenter 1 00		\$5 65	" Chas. Watson 50	
" S. J. Perry 1 00		<i>Fourth Hampstead</i>	" James Belyea 25	
" Robt. Slipp 1 00		Mrs. J. Stockford 1 00	" Chas. Golding 10	
" S. L. Peters 1 00		" J. Cheyne 1 00	" T. M. Carpenter 25	
" M. Redstone 25		" O. Davis 1 00	" D. B. Carpenter 50	
" John Slipp 1 00		" S. Clarke 1 00	Miss F. A. Carpenter 1 00	
" C. H. McAlpine 1 00		" R. Scott 1 00	" S. J. Carpenter 1 00	
" Jos. Ebbett 1 00		Miss A. J. Stockford 1 00	F. G. Carpenter 25	
" J. Gaunce 1 00		Annual meeting	\$8 35	
" John Fox 1 00		collection 1 72	<i>Second Johnston.</i>	
" P. C. Belyea 1 00		\$7 72	Cash \$1 00	
" I. F. Fox 1 00				
" John Gilchrist 45				

## SIXTH DISTRICT.

<i>Petitcodiac.</i>		Miss Jane Tucker 25	<i>Lower Ridge.</i>	
Mrs. B. H. Freeze 1 00		" Matilda Smith 25	Mrs. Colby Keith 25	
" A. C. Tompson 1 00		" Julia M. Smith 25	" George Perry 25	
" Jas. Lowery 25		" Arminta Berry 25	" H. Fairweather 25	
" J. W. Lowery 25		A Friend 25	" D. H. Keith 1 00	
" M. Suratt 25		B. F. Thompson 10	" Abram Perry 1 00	
" Judson Smith 25		\$4 35	Miss Myrtle Perry 25	



Miss May Kelso	25	Mrs. Geo. Erb	50	Mrs. A. G. Musgrove	00
Mrs. Gilbert Perry	1 00	" S. Wortman	50	" Ed. McLeod	1 00
" Thos. G. Perry	1 00	" W. McKnight	50	" Geo. McLeod	1 00
" Hanford Price	1 00	" J. E. Erb	50	" John McAulay	1 00
Miss Emma Price	1 00	" J. W. West	30	" T. A. McFarlan	1 00
		" Seth Jones	25	" M. McLeod	1 00
	\$7 25	" John Asbell	25	" Jon. McLeod	1 00
		Miss J. McArthur	20	" W. G. McLeod	1 00

*Cornhill.*

Mrs. J. Hughson	1 00		
" J. W. Deboo	1 00		
" JH Branscomb	1 00		
" Chas. Hunt	1 00	Mrs. A. Dunfield	1 00
" A. Branscomb	1 00	" Wm. Teakles	50
" I. Calhoun	1 00		
" Bruce McLeod	1 00		
" D. McLeod	1 00		
" J. E. Keith	1 00		
" N. Hughson	50		

*Portage.*

" J. Burlock	1 00	Mrs. J. Myers	1 00
" J. H. Brown	1 00	" J. Patterson	1 00
" H. Branscomb	1 00	Miss M. Patterson	1 00
" E. Dunfield	1 00	" M. McNaught	25
" Alex. Brown	1 00	" Ann Petticoat	25
" J. B. Dunfield	1 00	" J. Richardson	25
Miss A. Dunfield	1 00	Mrs. A. McAfee	25
" Cartilda Marr	1 00	" J. McNutt	25
Mrs. J. A. Brown	1 00	Baird	25
" Z. Saunders	1 00	Cathers	10
" G. Worden	1 00	Mrs. J. McAuley	10
" R. E. McLeod	1 00	Miss M. McAuley	20
" J. U. Burnett	1 00	" M. C. Adair	10
" Teakles	1 00	" E. M. Hamilton	10
" J. A. Freeze	1 00	Mrs. T. Hamilton	10
" F. M. McLeod	1 00	" A. McGarrigel	25
" J. A. McArthur	1 00	Miss M. McGarrigel	25
" G. L. Slipp	1 00	" Mary Fanjoy	20
" J. L. Barnes	1 00	Mrs. D. McManus	20
" John Roach	1 00	" P. McKnight	20
" D. Bunnell	1 00	" A. Munroe	10
" Thos. Roach	1 00	" W. J. Patterson	10
" Thos. Blanche	1 00	" G. McKnight	25
" Mel. Scott	1 00		
" J. McKenzie	1 00		
" Jas. McLeod	1 00		

*Dutch Valley.*

Miss M. E. McLeod	1 00		
" Ada Roach	1 00		
" F. Teakles	1 00	Mrs. W. D. Fenwick	1 25
" C. McKenzie	1 00	" R. Adamson	1 00
" Maggie Roach	1 00	" Jas. E. Good	1 00

*Lower Millstream.*

\$24 00

\$1 50

\$6 50

\$15 25

*HOME MISSIONS.*

Mrs. G. McLeod	1 00
" J. E. Good	1 00
Miss J. A. Wayman	1 00
S. S. Miss'n band	3 66

\$21 81

*Norton.*

Mrs. H. Heine	20
M. E. Ellsworth	25
Mrs. J. E. Price	1 00
A Friend	25
Mrs. S. McCready	25
C. J. McCready	25
Annie Somerville	25
Alta McLeod	25
Mrs. T. S. Vanwart	1 00
Myrtle Vanwart	25
Mrs. Wm. Walker	25
Miss Kate Baxter	25
Miss E. Burnett	1 00

\$5 45

*Penobscuts.*

Mrs. A. Phelps	50
" R. Pugsley	1 00
" W. E. Wallace	1 00
" Thos. Morton	1 00
" G. W. Vobles	50
" J. Sproul	1 00
" Ellen Freeze	1 00
" J. Linden	50

Mrs. G. McLeod	1 00
" M. McLeod	30
" E. Hall	25
Miss Bell Pugsley	1 00
" Laura Morton	25
" Ida Morton	1 00
" A. McKenelly	1 00
" M. A. Freeze	1 00
" Bell Morton	50
" Ella Freeze	1 00

\$13 8

*Snider Mountain.*

Mrs. R. Paterson	1 00
" Geo. L. Grigg	50
" J. H. Ganong	25
" Wm. Marr	10
Walter S. Long	25
Ezra H. Brown	10
Lodge M. Grigg	10
Miss M. Sopher	35
" Sophia Ogden	30
Harris Grigg	5
Miss A. B. Long	25

\$3 25

*Newtown.*

Mrs. J. A. Gosline	1 00
Miss C. E. Gosline	1 00
" M. Gosline	1 00
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Miss M. Gosline	\$3 00
Home mission	1 00

*Midland.*

Mrs. H. Walker	1 00
" S. E. Sherwood	1 00
" A. M. Sherwood	1 00
" Elijah Cosman	1 00
" J. H. DeLong	1 00
" P. L. Cosman	50
" Allen Price	50
" Wm. Burnett	25
" Moses Price	20
" Geo. Cosman	50
Cora A. Sherwood	5

\$7 00

*Apohagui.*

Mrs. R. Williams	1 00
" J. H. Brown	1 05
" J. Wanamake	1 00
" E. Long	1 00
" W. Wetmore	1 00
" J. Ellison	1 00
" M. Fenwick	1 00
" J. Ricker	50
" S. Grey	50
" S. Lockhart	50
" Chas. Secord	25
" H. E. Sinnott	50
" G. B. Jones	25
" W. F. Downey	25
" C. Little	25
" P. Fairweather	25
Miss F. Ellison	20
Mrs. F. Gross	25
" J. Abrams	25

\$11 00

*Dover.*

Mrs. John Irvine	25
" Wm. Steeves	50
" John Steeves	35
" Rufus Steeves	40
" C. Deery	25
" A. McFarlane	20
" C. R. Colpitts	50
" R. A. Steeves	50
" James Steeves	75
" J. McFarlane	1 00
" A. Dernier	1 00
" D. Steeves	1 00
" Jas. Powell	50
" Chas. Powell	50
Miss Ester Steeves	50
" L. A. Lowerison	50
" Z. A. McFarlane	25
" A. Dernier	25
" M. A. Lowerison	25

\$9 45

*Taylor Village.*

Mrs. J. Newcomb	1 00
" J. B. Newcomb	1 00
" Geo. Taylor	1 00
Miss E. J. Taylor	1 00

Miss L. Taylor	1 00
Mrs. Ann Steeves	1 00
" H. Chapman	25
Miss C. Taylor	25
" E. F. M. Armour	25
" S. L. Newcomb	25
" E. S. Newcomb	25
" Janie Steeves	25

\$7 50

*Moncton.*

Mrs. Wm. Lewis	1 00
" Harry Floyd	1 00
" J. H. Wetmore	1 00
Miss A. Harshman	1 00
" Bertha Lewis	1 00
" Lillian Burt	1 00
Mrs. Eliza Heine	1 00
" W. A. Carson	1 00
" Wm. Day	1 00
" Harshman	1 00
" Geo. Jones	1 00
" G. F. Currie	1 00
" French	1 00
" Neilson	1 00
Miss D. S. Heine	1 00

\$15 00

*Coverdale.*

Mrs. N. Steeves	1 00
" Early Harmer	1 00
" Wallace Taylor	50
" Lewis Steeves	25
" Jane Hoar	25
" R. H. Chapman	1 00
" J. Leaman	1 00
" A. W. Leaman	50
" A. H. Steeves	1 00
" Alfred Steeves	32
" David Smith	1 00
Miss Flora Steeves	25
" Ida Geldart	25
" Maud Steeves	25

\$8 57

*Graves Settlement.*

Mrs. J. Bleakney	1 00
" A. C. Thompson	60

\$1 60

## SEVENTH DISTRICT.

<i>St John East.</i>		<i>Carleton, St. John West.</i>			
Mrs. J. T. Parsons	1 00	Mrs. G. A. Hartley	1 00	Mrs. Corbett	1 00
" Wm. Peters	1 00	" D. W. Clark	1 00	" H. Mowry	1 00
" Jas. Patterson	1 00	" A. C. Smith	1 00	" J. Belyea	1 00
" C. W. Day	1 00	" Shepherd	1 00	Miss Jessie Purdy	1 00
" W. J. Blakney	1 00	" W. O. Slipp	1 00	" F. Boyd	1 00
" M. Wilcox	1 00	" J. C. Rogers	1 00	" B. VanWart	1 00
" T. Robinson	1 00	" Geo. Seely	1 00	" P. VanWart	1 00
" J. H. Belyea	1 00	" Munro	1 00	Mrs. J. E. Reud	1 00
" David Miller	1 00	" S. Clark	1 00	" Logan	1 00
" J. S. Smith	1 00	" J. Forbes	1 00	" A. Pierie	1 00
" E. Jones	1 00	" Lane	1 00	" J. Colwell	1 00
" G. B. Colwell	1 00	" Gregory	1 00	" Parks	1 00
" J. W. Roop	1 00	" Jas. Cobham	1 00	" Secord	16
" W. A. Gosline	1 00	" R. Simpson	1 00	" Black	1 00
" Joel Jenkins	1 00	Miss L. Fullerton	1 00	" Browning	25
" J. A. White	1 00	" C. Fullerton	1 00	Miss McMulkin	25
" E. O'Brien	1 00	" Alice Kindred	1 00	Mrs. Wilson	25
" J. W. Penery	1 00	Mr. A. C. Smith	1 00	" Carl	25
" John Connell	1 00	Collec'n at month-		Receipts of Con-	
" Wm. Currie	1 00	ly meetings,	2 10	cert	10 96
" S. W. Scribner	1 00	Collections of Mis-		Second Concert	8 00
" M. Stevens	1 00	sion'y Mite Soc.	4 20		
" John Jackson	1 00	Collection at pub-			\$43 12
" Jos. Witham	1 00	lic meeting	11 07		
" J. V. Morrell	1 00	Contents of Mis-		<i>North Head.</i>	
" J. S. Machum	1 00	sion Box, kept		Mrs. J. McFarlane	1 00
" A. Courtney	1 00	during a part of		" W. Kendrick	1 00
" E. E. Hay	1 00	the year by one		" Wm. Watt	1 00
" John Weldon	1 00	of the members		" T. Redmond	1 00
Miss L. McKenzie	1 00	of Society,	8 09	Miss E. Redmond	1 00
" Jane Harper	1 00			Mrs. Griffin	50
" Jennie Dunlop	1 00			" L. Flagg	65
Mrs. Gibbon	16		\$43 46	" G. B. Noyes	1 00
" Allan Belyea	1 00			" Jas. Small	1 00
" Jos. Dalzell	1 00	<i>Portland,</i>		" M. Small	1 00
" Case	1 00	<i>St. John, North End.</i>		" Wm. Kent	1 00
" M. Kelly	1 00	Mrs. Whittaker	1 00	" F. A. Kendrick	1 00
S. S. Infant Class	3 00	" Dunphy	1 00	" A. McFarland	50
S. S. Bold for the		" Burke	1 00	" A. H. Maxwell	50
Truth	1 00	" Titus	1 00	" Rodney Flagg	1 00
Collection at Mis-		" Chase	1 00	" Wm. Tallon	1 00
sionary concert	12 46	" Gerow	1 00	A Friend	10
	\$52 62	" E. J. Robinson	1 00	A Friend	5 00
		" Theal	1 00	A Friend	25
		" J. A. Robinson	1 00	A Friend	10
		" Patterson	1 00	Cash	1 50
					\$21 00

<i>Fair Haven</i>	<i>Chocolate Cove.</i>	<i>Wilson's Beach.</i>
Patience Beaney 25	Mrs. W. H. Fountain 25	Mrs. Mary Brown 1 00
Cora B. Mosely 25	" A. H. McLeod 1 00	" Hannah Nash 1 00
Sarah Doughty 25	" R. B. Haney 50	" A. Jackson 1 00
C. E. Doughty 25	" O. S. Fountain 25	" Carrie Lank 1 00
Ada Cummings 25	" W. G. Beaney 25	Miss E. Ludlow 1 00
Helen Wentworth 25	" W. Cummings 1 00	" E. Rancroft 1 00
Sarah E. Higgins 50	" John Chaffy 50	" P. Brown 1 00
H. Wentworth 25	" JWCummings 1 00	" Maggie Towle 1 00
Sophia Bridges 15	" Eliza Gibson 25	Fulton Nash 1 00
C. Fountain 30	Miss M. Fountain 25	Mission quilt 1 00
Mary J. Farris 25	" Delha Haney 50	
A Friend 30	" Alpha Appleby 25	\$10 00
Jerusha Green 11	" L. McNeil 25	
Jane Farris 25		Half collection at
Susan Haney 25	\$6 25	annual meeting 3 06
		Mrs. F. Babcock 1 00
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\$3 86		

## WOMAN'S HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

### Amounts received from Second District.

<i>Third Tier Church.</i>	<i>Somerville.</i>	<i>Upper Brighton.</i>
Mrs. R. Getchell 1 00	Mrs. W. Stevens 60	Amos W. Rideout 1 00
" Harry Hartt 1 00	" H. Stevens 60	Mrs. A. Chase 50
" R. J. Alexander 1 00	" W. H. Sipprell 60	" C. Chase 50
" J. Kimball 1 00	" A. Sipprell 60	" W. Boyer 50
Miss F. McLeod 1 00	" W. F. Sipprell 10	" G. F. Nevers 50
Fred. Jewett 25	" C. A. McCormack 60	Miss Jodie Pearson 50
Albert Palmer 10	" A. Kennedy 60	" Idella Gallop 70
	" S. Sipprell 50	" Pauline Chase 25
\$5 35	Miss Susie Sipprell 15	" Irene Rideout 25
	Master F. Stevens 5	" Jennie McMullin 25
<i>Waterville.</i>	\$4 50	" Agnes Rideout 50
George McLeod \$1 00		" Ida Rideout 55
		Mrs. J. Halcy 50
<i>Victoria Corner.</i>		A. Harmon 50
Mrs. Jas. Boyer \$1 00		Allen Rideout 50
		Charles Rideout 25
		\$8 25
Whole amount raised for Home Missions by Women's Society		
of Second District,..... \$20 00		

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