

DISTRICT S. S. CONVENTION

Held in the Presbyterian Church Kensington on August 12th.

On Aug. 12th owing to the prolonged illness of the Pres. Mr. Henry Stewart, Hamilton, he was unable to be present. The first Vice, Mr. H. R. Baker, presided. A goodly number were present at the afternoon session, and schools were represented as follows: Baltic—Mrs. George Bearisto, Miss Cousins; Darnley—Christy McKay, Mrs. Keir Bearisto; Kensington Pres.—Wm. Brown, Lucy Clarke, Jno. Anderson; Kensington Meth.—Mrs. Wm. Paynter; Long River—John Johnson, Jas. Gillispie; Est. Bell; Malpeque—Mrs. Lewis Henry; Margate—Mrs. Thos. Taplin, Mr. Glydon The Secy. read the minutes of meeting

at Malpeque, and the financial report both of which were adopted. Mr. John Johnson, Long River, read a splendid paper on "Some qualifications of a successful teacher." He enlarged on these qualifications. Regeneration, Knowledge, Tact, Punctuality. The paper was discussed and commented favorably on by Revs. G. P. Raymond, E. Smith, R. Sinclair and Mrs. Wm. Brown.

The Field Secy. addressed the Convention, urging the schools to be kept open all the year, and to take up the Home Department, and the Normal Course.

The evening session was largely attended. A large choir, with Miss Emily Browne as organist, rendered appropriate music, and a very pretty duet was sung by two young girls, Miss Blanche Riggs, and Miss Duncan, accompanied by Mrs. F. Semple.

Rev. E. Smith gave an address on "Relation of the Home to the School." He said the duty of each parent was not to withhold the Word of God from the child, but to familiarize him with it. The aim of the school is to make known to the children the revelation of God to them, to pray with them, and endeavor to lead them to Christ. The School may take the place of the Home if no religious instruction be given there, it may supplant the training of the Home; or it may give better and more advanced training than the Home could do. There should be a better understanding and more sympathy between the teacher in the School and the parent in the Home. Never speak disparagingly of the teacher in the presence of the children. Show interest in the School by attending at least once a quarter.

William Green, Clifton, read an interesting and thoughtfully prepared paper on "Thoroughness in Study." The chief end of all education is to do our work well. By study we make ourselves acquainted with the Bible, and thus we ourselves become more like God, changed to be like Him, and endued with His attributes.

Rev. W. A. Thomson gave an address on "Grace for S. S. workers." Soul-winners must have the principle of submission, trusting God that he does what is right. He must have the principle of response to God, by greater invocation on our part. We need more of Christ in our hearts, more power behind us, more of the Spirit of Christ within, to enable us to work for Him.

Mr. Raymond then spoke on "Benefits of Conventions." Before the Convention we are benefited by the prayers we offer for its success, and our young men and women especially by their attempts to prepare papers, teaching them to think closely over Bible subjects and express their thoughts in words. At the convention, we gain inspiration, mutual help and acquaintance. It is good for members of different denominations to meet together and pray and sing for by this means religious barriers are broken down. The success of the convention comes in when schools are kept open all winter, when people go to their homes with their religious lives broadened and strengthened, when the Bible is better and more thoroughly studied.

The questions were then answered and a resolution of sympathy with our Pres. in his affliction was then passed. Session closed with singing God be with you and benediction by Rev. G. A. Thomson.

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Annual Meeting Of The Grand Encampment Of The Maritime Provinces.

MONROTON, Aug. 13 The annual meeting of the Grand Encampment of the Maritime Provinces convened in Oddfellow's Hall at 9 o'clock this morning. Neil Morrison, Grand Patriarch, presiding. After the opening exercises, and the admission of new delegates, the Grand Patriarch delivered his annual address. In opening, he said: The swift passage of time has added another year; to those that are behind us, and with grateful appreciation of the manifold blessings which have attended us during the past year, we are once more permitted to assemble in annual session to interchange fraternal greetings, and to counsel together and legislate for the interest and welfare of our beloved order. While the membership of this branch of the order has not increased as rapidly as we have desired, we have cause for congratulation at the progress made compared with some previous years.

The reports of the Grand Scribe and Grand Treasurer were submitted, and referred to the usual committee. Grand Scribe Melville McKean stated he had the pleasure to report the Grand Encampment has made very substantial progress, both in membership and financially. The number of members per last report was 575, and present membership 605. After deducting the withdrawals and the deaths, the Patriarch branch shows a net increase of 27. The financial report is as follows:

RECEIPTS OF SUBORDINATES.	
From admission and degrees.....	\$ 794.76
Initiations and degrees.....	267.
Other sources.....	146.78
Total.....	\$1,208.54
Current expenses.....	683.13
Amount of funds invested.....	2,120.00

RELIEF FUND.	
Number of weeks' benefits paid.....	341.2
Number of Patriarchs relieved.....	5
Amount paid for relief of Patriarchs.....	\$ 73.00
Amount paid for burying the dead.....	\$ 40.47
Amount paid for special relief.....	25.00
Total.....	\$138.47

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Sunday School Convention.

The South East Prince Sunday School District met in Convention in the Methodist church of Tryon on Tuesday last.

The afternoon session was opened with devotional exercises led by James Morrison, of Tryon.

The president, Albert Schurman of Bedeque, then took charge of the Convention. The minutes of the last Convention were read by the Sec. Treas. Herman Myers of N. Carleton.

The following schools were represented. Albany, Union—Edith Clark. Tryon, Methodist.—Mrs. R. Lord, Mrs. B. Lee, Mrs. Smith, Richard Mead. Cape Traverse, Methodist.—Mrs. C. Bent, W. McTear.

Crapaud, Methodist.—Mrs. E. McFadyen, Richard Cameron.

N. Carleton.—Herman Myers. Bedeque, Methodist.—Rev. T. A. Wightman.

Bedeque, Baptist.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schurman; Mary Schurman, Artemas Schurman.

Searlton, Methodist.—Major Lowther. Victoria, Methodist.—Henry Wadman. Tryon, Baptist.—B. Howatt, A. Hallowsell, Maggie Howatt.

Westmead, Baptist.—W. B. Eschbach, Edna Newcome, John Newcome.

North Bedeque, Presbyterian.—J. Carruthers.

Tryon, Presbyterian.—James Morrison. Rev. G. F. Dawson, pastor of the Tryon Methodist Church extended a hearty welcome to the delegates and made everyone feel at home. He then conducted an open parliament on the subject, "The ideal teacher." The following points were discussed: 1. What is the object of the teacher's work? 2. Some of the things the teacher ought not to do. Don't be late. Don't neglect the study of the lesson. Don't bring the lesson helps into the class. The Field Secretary spoke briefly encouraging the delegates to persevere and attempt greater things.

At the evening session the audience room of the church was filled, a large audience showing a great interest in the convention.

The devotional service was led by Herman Myers. The first address of the evening was given by Mr. J. Carruthers of North Bedeque. His subject was "The Holy Spirit" and his words were earnest and helpful indicating a knowledge of scripture and a dependence upon the Spirit of God for fitness for Christian work.

The speaker thought that in the primitive church the experience of conversion and the endowment of the Holy Spirit were two separate and distinct experiences. He urged every teacher to wait upon God for the baptism of the Spirit that they might be qualified for service. A solo was rendered. Rev. F. P. Calder of Summerside gave a strong address on the subject "Bible study." It is earth's crowning glory that it has received a revelation from God and it is earth's crowning shame that revelation is so neglected. In our Sunday School the Bible is treated as a sort of honorary member, highly revered but not put to much use. We should study the Bible for the following reasons:

1. Its literary importance; Bible inspires a literary taste.
2. It shows all sides of human character.
3. It teaches the principle of judgement between right and wrong.
4. It meets the supreme needs of man. For the revelation of God's love to lost man study the Bible.

Rev. F. A. Wightman of Bedeque, next gave an address on Sunday School literature, prefacing his remarks by a reference to literature in general. It is a vast part of the day that we have committed and each one of us has a religious literature. Use the Bible, use the Bible, use the Bible. The Denominational Literature furnished by your own publishing house. Let the current literature circulated in the schools be of such a nature as to foster in the minds of the young, a spirit of loyalty to our loved country and its honored institutions.

The circulating library is not worked for all it is worth. Carefully select a library, putting into it books of biography,

travel, adventure and history. He commended the works of Ralph Connor, because he is a Canadian and his works are excellent.

Let us overcome the effect of pernicious literature by giving good reading. The Field Secretary answered the questions that had been handed in.—Edw.

THE HAKING COUGH

One of the meanest things to get rid of is a haking cough. There is apparently no cure for it. No soreness, no irritation at first, but the involuntary effort of the muscles of the throat to get rid of something is almost constant. Of course, with many coughs is a habit, but in a haking cough, it should be stopped. When you realize this and try to stop it, you find you can't for by that time there is an actual irritation, which will never get better without treatment.

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