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MARRIAGES.

PROSSER-WHITNEY.—At Andover, Victoria Co., June 2nd, at parsonage by Rev. H. D. Worden, George E. Prosser, to Henrietta Whitney, both of Presque Isle, Aroostook Co., Me.

JENKINS-HOOPER.—At Morell, P. E. I., June 2nd, by Rev. C. W. Corey, Mr. R. H. Jenkins, of Charlottetown, to Minnie May Hooper, Morell.

SCAMONE-WHYNOT.—At the Baptist parsonage, New Germauy, June 2nd, by Rev. J. L. Read, William U. Scamone, of New Canada, to Cora M. Whynot, of New Germany.

KELLY-WILLIAMS.—At Beaver River, N. S., May 1st, by Rev. D. H. McQuarrie, Chas. P. Kelly of Brookville, Digby Co. N. S., to Annie Williams of Port LaTour, N. S.

MASON-LANGILLE.—At the residence of the bride's parents, on the 27th inst., by Rev. W. McGregor, Howard Mason, to Bridget Langille, both of Big Tancook Island.

DUNCAN-FENDGE.—In St. John, on 2nd inst, by Rev. W. E. McIntyre, John A. Duncan to Retta Fendge, both of Chipman, N. B.

ESTY-PARKS.—In this city, at 61 Elm street, on 1st inst, by Rev. Dr. Carz, William Ludlow Esty, to Alice Maud, daughter of Mr. Archibald Parks.

McMAHON-McINTYRE.—At the home of the bride, "Elmdale," Aylesford, N. S., 2nd inst, by Rev. J. S. Coffin, J. Frank McMahon and Margaret H., daughter of Wm. McIntyre, Esq.

WEBSTER-COX.—On June 1st, at Cambridge, Kings Co., N. S., by Rev. M. Brown, Joseph G. Webster and Ethel L. Cox, only daughter of the late James Cox, Esq., both of Cambridge.

PARENT-RIDEOUT.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Middle Simonds, June 2nd, by Rev. A. H. Hayward, William S. Parent, of Upper Queensbury, York Co., N. B., to Effie E., daughter of William Rideout, of Middle Simonds.

MINER-BLACKADAR.—In the North Temple church, by the Revs. T. A. Blackadar, and P. S. McGregor, the Rev. Johnstone L. Miner, A. B., associate pastor of the Amherst Baptist church, and Floris M., third daughter of J. Albert Blackadar, Esq., of Ohio, Yarmouth Co., N. S.

DEATHS.

HOVEY.—At Ludlaw, May 4, Clair A. Hovey, in 22nd year of his age, son of Deacon Alford Hovey.

WEAVER.—At Blissfield, April 19, David Weaver, in the 63rd year of his age.

HARRIS.—Suddenly of typhoid fever, on May 15, Mr. Peter Harris, of Doaktown, Northumberland Co., N. B.

CARPENTER.—At McLaughlan road, May 8, of spinal disease, Idella Carpenter, beloved and only child of Archibald and Maud, Carpenter in the tenth year of her age.

CURRY.—At Brooklyn, Hants Co., May 29, John Curry, aged 78 years. His remains were buried in the cemetery at Falmouth, where for many years he was a respected citizen.

COMSTOCK.—At Hantsport N. S., May 31st, Ruby beloved wife of Deacon Rufus Comstock, fell asleep in Jesus, aged fifty four years. She was baptized thirty years ago by Rev. D. M. Welton, D. D., then stationed at Windsor. She was a woman beloved by all for her amiable Christian character, very active in church work and especially devoted to the work of the W. M. A. S., of which she was secretary until consumption put an end to this most faithful and valuable life. Their many friends join in earnest sympathy with the bereaved husband and sons.

LINGLEY.—At Margaree, N. S., May 23rd, after a lingering illness, Joseph Lingley, in the 69th year of his age. Brother Lingley was born at Cape Tormentine N. B. in the year 1828, and at the age of eleven moved to Margaree with his parents where he lived until called to his Heavenly Home. Brother Lingley was converted when quite young, and at the age of nineteen, was baptized by Rev. Hugh Ross and joined the Margaree Baptist church of which he remained a member until he died. He served this church as clerk for 37 years in a very satisfactory way. He was also a teacher in the Sabbath school for many years. He had a great love for God's Word, and as a teacher few excelled him. He will be greatly missed both in the church and community. But we trust our loss is his gain. He leaves a widow, four sons and two daughters and many kind friends to mourn their loss. Say to the righteous it shall be well with him.

MARSHALL.—On Friday, April 30, at Bridgetown, after a lingering illness, borne with submission to the Divine Will, Deacon Edward Marshall, in the 72nd year of his age. Thus another link has been broken which binds the present with the past. In early life he made a profession of religion and united with the Wilnot church, and for a period of something over fifty years he maintained a consistent Christian walk before his fellow-men. He was thoroughly acquainted with the Scriptures, which he made the rule and guide of his life, being able to quote very many passages from its sacred pages correctly. During the months previous to his last illness he spent a large portion of his time in reading his Bible and in marking special and favorite passages, with the request that it be sent to his son, Dr. C. F. Marshall, of Glenmere, Lynn. Our departed brother possessed a wonderful gift in prayer. His last days were cheered by seeing an extensive revival in the church, and it could be said of him as was said of one of old "he was not for God took him." During the pastorate of Rev. J. T. Eaton he was chosen by his brethren to the diaconate, which office he continued to fill until called to join the church triumphant. Appropriate memorial services were conducted by Pastor F. M. Young at the house and church on Monday, May 3rd, where a sermon was delivered from Zach. 14:7, last clause of verse. The text having been given to Bro. Young by the departed, after which the remains were interred in the Lawrence town and Valley West cemetery. He leaves a sorrowing widow, one son and five daughters, besides a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn for a kind husband, a loving father and a faithful friend and citizen. We commend them to the care of Him who has promised to care for the widow and fatherless.

N. B. Convention.

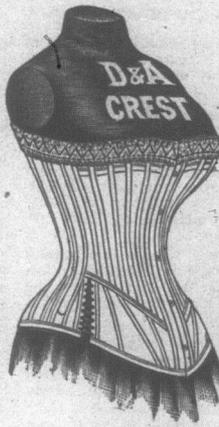
The Board held its regular monthly meeting in Brussels street church on 1st inst.

The executive of the N. B. Baptist Sabbath School Convention having intimated to the board their decision to engage a Sabbath School missionary for the province, it was resolved that we heartily co-operate with the effort, and bear one-half the support. It was also unanimously resolved that the board and executive of the Sabbath School Convention request Bro. Allen Hoben, B. A., of Newton, to undertake this work. Bro. Hoben has done excellent service in the home church at Gibson and the board expressed gratification in finding so conscientious and efficient a worker to fill this important post. It is expected that he will begin his duties at once, visiting the Sabbath Schools and associations of the province as rapidly as time will permit.

An appeal in aid of this special object is also to be made, and it is hoped that every Baptist Sabbath School will respond generously.

A communication was presented from Rev. O. E. Steeves asking the aid of the Board in looking after the mission property at Newcastle, Northumberland county, and a committee was appointed to comply with the request. Rev. J. H. Hughes and Bro. T. L. Hay constitute the committee.

A similar communication was read from Grand Falls, requesting the co-operation of the Board in the matter of a church lot belonging to the denomination in that



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place. This was donated many years since for the use of the Baptist denomination and has been held in trust by trustees, only one of whom now survives. Steps will be taken to attend to this at an early date.

Correspondence was also presented from the Grande Ligne missionary, Bro. C. H. Schutt, B. A., now at St. Leonards and St. Francis. Bro. Schutt began his work early in May, and gives promise of good service. Our hope is that a successful mission may be established among the French and English settlements of Madawaska. The present missionary is conversant with both languages.

The ground is endeared to us through the labors of Fathers March, Knight and others who have in the past given years of anxious toil in behalf of these people. Of late this mission has been sadly neglected. We now appeal to all the churches to help at this time and to so equip the Board that we shall soon be able to place another laborer among the French Roman Catholic settlers of northern New Brunswick. Brethren, pray for our French mission in Madawaska. At the recent session of the Board, after many tender expressions of feeling from all members of the Board present, a resolution was passed placing on record their Christian sympathy with the deeply afflicted family of the late W. C. King, Esq., of Chipman. They feel that his sudden removal has inflicted upon his family circle a deep wound and an irreparable loss, and our prayer is that Divine support may be given to the sorrowing widow and children of our departed brother. We know that the church and community to which he belonged have sustained a great loss, as also the denomination with which he was connected, and this Board of which he was a valued member. May the kind and loving Father vouchsafe to all who are thus bereft by this inscrutable providence grace to still trust in Him and to be reconciled to His mysterious ways.

An invitation having been forwarded from the Gibson church, inviting the New Brunswick convention to hold its next session with that church, the Board accepted the same with thanks. The next gathering of this body will accordingly be held with the Gibson church, beginning on Saturday, Sept. 11, 1897. Let us hope that the annual meetings will be even more enthusiastic and richly blessed than those of last year.

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