

BIRTHS.

SMITH.—At Central Clarence, Annapolis Co., N. S., March 7th, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Smith, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

BLACKFORD-McGREGOR.—At the home of Mr. Chas. Winchester, on Feb. 21st, by Rev. B. H. Thomas, Shannon E. Blackford to Annie M. McGregor, both of Digby.

COMEAU-DUNPHY.—At Upper Blackville, March 1st, by Rev. M. P. King, Frederic J. Comeau, of New Bandon, Gloucester Co., to Miss Ella E. Dunphy, daughter of Lewis Dunphy, Esq.

GAVEL-HURLBURT.—At Springhaven, March 2nd, by Rev. M. W. Brown, Elisha Gavel, of Gavelton, and Eva Hurlburt of Springhaven, Yarmouth Co., N. S.

SPIDELL-JOHNSTONE.—At Lockeport, N. S., by Rev. J. B. Woodland, March 1st, Rev. John Allan Spidell, pastor of the Baptist church at Osborne, and Miss Jean Johnstone of Belmont, Col. Co., N. S.

DEATHS.

CHRISTOPHER.—At Hopewell Cape, Feb. 13th, Nancy Christopher, aged 26 years, died trusting in Christ.

McGILVERY.—At Gabarus Bay, Feb. 26, Gibson Theodore, infant son of Daniel and Harriet McGilvery, aged 1 month and 5 days.

CRAWFORD.—At Salmon Jay, Queens Co., Martha, daughter of Andrew Crawford, aged 30 years. Weekly Telegraph please copy.

RUSHTON.—At Westchester, N. S., Mar. 1st, Geo. A. Rushton, aged 54 years, leaving a widow and a family of 12 children to mourn their loss. Pastor J. Clark conducted the funeral services.

STEVES.—On Feb. 26th, at Hillsboro, N. B., Doris, aged 6, the beloved child of Mr. John T. Steves. She was lovely in life, and lovely in death. "My Beloved is gone down into his garden to gather lilies."

VAN TASSEL.—At Mount Pleasant, Digby, on Feb. 13th, Mr. Abram Van Tassel, in the 97th year of his age. Bro. Van Tassel was for over half a century a member of the Baptist church. His was a living history of the Baptist cause in Digby Co. "To die is gain."

SCOTT.—At Springfield, K. C., on the 20th of February, Susannah J. Scott, aged 68 years. She left one son and three daughters. She was the eldest daughter of the late Charles Pierce of Johnston. "The memory of the just is blessed."

JONAH.—At Baltimore, Albert Co., Feb. 7th, beloved wife of Dea. A. D. Jonah, aged 52 years, leaving a husband and three daughters. For a number of years our sister was one of the most consistent living and faithful followers of Jesus. She loved her Saviour and loved him to the end.

SPINNEY.—At South Meadowvale, Feb. 10th, Mrs. James B. Spinney aged 84 years. She was baptized at an early age by Rev. I. E. Bill and united with the Nictaux Baptist church of which she has continued to be an honored and consistent member. Hers was a shining faith, showing itself in a peaceful and quiet life. Her last years were spent with her son William. Her other sons are Arthur and Prof. Peleg. She also leaves a married daughter at Bear River.

BOGGS.—On the 6th inst., Jessie W., relict of the late Wm. F. Boggs, passed away to be with her Lord, from the residence of her son, Thomas, of Kentville. Sister Boggs was possessed of a most genial and lovable nature and unshakable faith in Jesus, though deprived for some years of sanctuary privileges and active social life. It was only 2 months ago her companion was taken from her and now she joins him. May the bereaved sons and relatives be comforted.

TABOR.—Passed from the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Baird, Uppertown, Kings Co., N. B., to her heavenly home, Feb. 3, Sister Lydia Tabor, in her 76th year. For more than 50 years our departed sister was an active, consistent member of Hammond church. Fifty-eight years ago she was united in marriage to Deacon Jesse Tabor, (who now is dangerously ill). Unto them no children were born. Five survive. Our sister was spared to see her children's children enlisted in His service, filling the offices of deacon, superintendent S. S., and teacher. Her end was peace.

COLPITTS.—At Boston, March 3rd, Mrs. Frances Colpitts, in the 63rd year of her age. Our sister moved to Boston last autumn in company with her son. Her health has not been good for some time, but the end came sooner than was expected. Her body was brought back to her native land for burial. A fitting service was held in the 1st Elgin church, conducted by the pastor. Thus another faithful sister in Christ has entered into rest. She leaves two daughters and one son to mourn.

BLAIR.—At Onslow station, February 16, after a brief illness of la grippe, Hannah Johnson, wife of R. T. Blair, aged 74 years. This sister was for many years a member of the church of Christ, being baptized into the fellowship of the Onslow Baptist church, by Rev. Stephen March. Her life was marked by earnestness and zeal for the prosperity of Zion. Her very sudden death will be regretted by a large circle of friends, who by her kindness and deep sympathy she won to herself both at home and at the Institution for the Blind in Halifax, where she held the position of matron for a number of years, discharging its duties with all faithfulness.

READ.—At his home in Sycamore, Ill., February 22nd, William Read peacefully passed from the earthly to the heavenly home. He was born in Sackville, N. B., July 11th, 1822, where he spent his boyhood days. Mr. Read was the eldest son of the late Dea. Eliphalet Read, and brother of Revs. J. L. and E. O. Read. Our brother united with the Baptist church in Sackville, when a young man. In the year 1848, he went to De Kalb Co., Ill., where he lived an exemplary Christian life for fifty years. The deceased married Miss Abigail Nichols, who survives him. Seven children were born to them, five of whom are living to mourn the loss of a worthy and highly esteemed father.

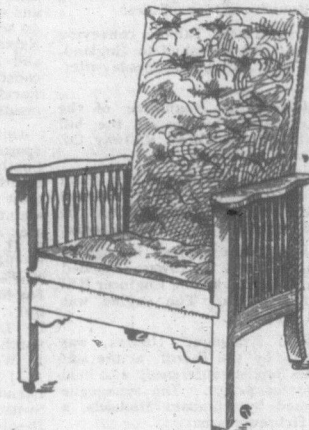
SALLAPHER.—On Feb. 27th, at Hillsboro N. B., Mrs. Spurgeon Sallapher, aged 40 years. This beloved sister had for some time past been disabled by paralysis, and la grippe supervening, she was soon taken from our midst. In recent years by reason of much weakness, her life has been one of great affliction, which was borne with exemplary patience. When in health she had been most regular in her attendance upon the house of God, and devoted to the performance of religious duties. Baptized many years ago, she maintained a consistent course to the end. The large gathering at her funeral gave evidence of the general esteem in which she was held. She leaves a son and daughter.

LAWRENCE.—On Feb. 23rd, at Surrey, N. B., Mrs. Ruth Lawrence, aged 73 years. Our sister passed away almost suddenly. She only took her bed about an hour before the end came, which was caused by heart failure. She had suffered severely from asthma for years, and for her death meant deliverance from much distress and pain. She had long been ready for the great change, and so being absent from the body she was at home with the Lord. A memorial service conducted by the Rev. C. W. Townsend was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Isaac Gross, Surrey, before the removal of the remains to Albert, where Rev. I. B. Colwell officiated at the interment. Deceased leaves 1 daughter, before mentioned, and an adopted son, Mr. George Canine, to mourn the loss of a devoted mother.

BROWN.—At Torbrook, Feb. 8th, after a lingering illness which was borne with Christian fortitude, William Brown, aged 73 years. Bro. Brown was baptized by

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Rev. Nathaniel Vidito and received into the Nictaux Baptist church when he was 18 years of age. "He has borne the burden and heat of the day" and has entered into rest. He was one who felt the power of the gospel. It was always a privilege to go with him over the days when the Lord wrought mightily in the midst of his people. His exhortation in the conference meeting was a benediction. "We shall miss him much, but we trust that his mantle will fall on others. A widow, one daughter, and three sons mourn his loss. One of these sons is our faithful and esteemed Rev. Maynard Brown of Tusket church, Yarmouth Co.

STILES.—At Banister Road, Feb. 23rd, Belvine O. Stiles, of consumption, in the 23rd year of his age. Our young brother never made a public profession of faith in Christ, but before his death he gave himself up fully to the Lord and his end was peace. "His anxiety about his companions was great, and his prayers for their conversion earnest and unceasing. Just before he died he said, "I want to get home before sun down," and as the sun went down his spirit took its flight. He was the son of Dea. Riley Stiles of the Pollett River church. His funeral was very largely attended, when a sermon was preached by the pastor. The family have the sympathy of the whole community in their great affliction.

POSHAY.—The death of Rev. James Herbert Poshay which occurred at Middleboro, Mass., on March 2nd, was a great shock to the wife and family also to the mother who came not long ago from Truro to visit her son in his affliction. There had been a small hope that he would recover, but gradually the disease was seen to be getting a firmer hold upon him. His death, though expected by the church, was still a great shock when it came, for although the deceased had not been able to mingle among his people, yet he was loved by all, and their choice of him as pastor had been unanimous. The whole town is tenderly affected by Mr. Poshay's death. The church was very kind to him during his illness, especially should the kindness of Dea. M. H. Cushing and family be mentioned. Special prayer was made by all the churches in Middleboro and in the neighboring towns for the recovery of Bro. Poshay. But God who knows what is best took him to himself. Milford, the eldest son, arrived from Wolfville in time for the funeral services, but not before his father's death. The service held in the Central Baptist church was very solemn and impressive. Rev. J. B. House presided. Invocation by Rev. G. A. Grant (Methodist). The choir sang the favorite hymn of the deceased "Lead kindly light." Rev. W. O. Ayer of Brockton read the scripture lesson. Dr. W. H. Eaton sec'y of State missions, offered prayer. Dr. Osterhout of Providence was expected to be present and make an address, but was detained. The writer, who has been acquainted with the deceased for some time and visited him during his illness, made a sympathetic address. Rev. R. G. Woodbridge (Congregational) addressed the mourners lovingly. After hundreds of friends viewed the remains, the wife and children took their last look at him whom they loved so well. May God

bless and sustain these dear ones in this the greatest trial of their lives.

J. L. MINER.

Plymouth, Mass., Mar. 7th.

WOODWORTH.—At his home in Canning, Cornwallis, Jan. 26th, after a short illness, Levi C. Woodworth, in the 91st year of his age. A remarkably healthy man, for he had scarcely known what sickness was, he retained his mental faculties, and much of his physical activity, to the end of his long life. He will be much missed in the community in which his whole life was spent, for he had not dropped out of the life about him, but was still interested in all that pertained to life, when death came to him. Mr. Woodworth was married three times. His first wife was Susan the daughter of Dea. Wm. Eaton of Canard, a woman of sterling worth. She died leaving four daughters and one son, who still survive her, viz:—Mrs. A. L. Wood of Halifax, Mrs. Tufts and Mrs. Andrews of Wolfville, Miss Annie Woodworth and Spurr H. Woodworth of Canning. His second wife was the widow of the Rev. John Cogswell, a woman of sweet disposition, who filled the place of mother to his family with dignity and affection, and made his home a place of rest and comfort. She left to Mr. Woodworth one son, Charles Levi, who died some years since, unmarried. The third wife was the widow of Israel Longley, a venerable Christian lady, who survives her husband, patiently waiting the call to go and be "with Christ." In early life, Bro. Woodworth professed faith in Christ, and united with the Baptist church in Canard. Thither he went with his family each Lord's day to worship God. With this church he worked in loving fellowship, for many years, interested in all that pertained to the cause of Christ. For this church he retained a fond regard to the close of his life, attending its services when convenient for him to do so, even up to the present winter. When the church in Canning was organized in 1870, Bro. Woodworth, as was natural, took his leave of Canard and united with the church in Canning, and became one of the deacons, an office which he held to the end of his life, and filled with credit to himself and satisfaction to his brethren. To his pastor, Bro. Woodworth was a tower of strength. His house was ever open to him, and his time and service at his command. Again and again has the writer of these lines heard Pastor D. Freeman of precious memory, speak of Dea. Woodworth on whom he could ever confidently place his hand, and in whose kind-hearted and sympathetic family he ever found sincere affection and support. A kind husband, a most indulgent father, a peace-loving neighbor, a generous friend to the poor, a staunch advocate of every good cause, a thoroughly upright man, a sincere Christian, Dea. Levi C. Woodworth was held in much esteem by all classes while he lived; and he will be long and lovingly remembered, now that he is gone. Such men are God's precious gift to their generation.

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