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MARRIAGES.

PRICE-PARKER.—At Doaktown, Feb. 27th, by Pastor M. P. King, Jessie A. Parker of Doaktown to James A. Price of Ludlow.

HICKMAN-HULL.—At Glace Bay, on the evening of March 4th, by the Rev. A. J. Archibald, M. A., Geo. W. Hickman to Amelia E. Hull, both of Glace Bay, C. B.

FIDDLER-THOMPSON.—At Chipman, N. B., on 17th inst., by Rev. W. E. McIntyre, R. Somers Fiddler to Sarah A. Thompson, both of Fiddler.

BAKER-PAULKNER.—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Woodstock, on the 7th, by the Rev. Thos. Todd, Walter B. Baker of Woodstock and Annie A. Paulkner of Maple Wood, county of York.

DIXON-CLEVELAND.—At Alma, N. B., Feb. 6th, by Pastor F. N. Atkinson, Isaiah C. Dixon and Rebecca Cleveland, both of Waterside, N. B.

BACKMAN-MCGEE.—At the residence of the officiating minister, Kentville, N. S., Feb. 11th, by Rev. C. H. Day, William de Blois Backman of Port Williams to Edith McGee of Canning.

NORTH-COLEMAN.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Kentville, Feb. 27, by Rev. C. H. Day, William Oscar North to Carrie E. Coleman, both of Kentville, N. S.

SIBLEY-WEST.—By Rev. Dr. Lorimer, at his residence in Brookline, Mass., Jan. 23rd, Edward R. Sibley of Weston, Mass., to Mrs. Hannah E. West of the same place, daughter of the late Rev. R. S. Morton.

FLEMING-YORKE.—At Diligent River, Feb. 11, by Rev. D. H. MacQuarrie, Harry A. Fleming of Advocate, N. S., and Florence M., daughter of Geo. Yorke of Diligent River, N. S.

YORKE-VICKERY.—At Diligent River, N. S., March 4, by Rev. D. H. MacQuarrie, Albert M. Yorke and Bertha M., daughter of Jonathan Vickery of Diligent River.

DEATHS.

AMOS.—At Ludlow, March 10th, Nellie C. Amos, child of James Amos, aged 2 years and 6 months.

FORBES.—At Parrsboro, N. S., March 3, after a lingering illness, Lawson, son of John Forbes, age 27.

COOK.—At Parrsboro, N. S., March 3, after a prolonged illness, Frank C., only son of Capt. C. Cook, age 27.

DANIELS.—At Lawrencetown, N. S., on March 12th, of pneumonia, W. Burton Daniels, aged 68 years.

TAYLOR.—At Wittenberg, Colchester county, N. S., on the 5th inst., Joseph Douglas, youngest child of Joseph and Anne Taylor, aged 5 years and 3 months.

ROBINSON.—At Williamstown, N. S., March 11th, after a severe and painful illness, borne with Christian resignation, John Robinson, aged 22 years, leaving aged parents, two sisters and a brother to mourn their loss.

MCVICAR.—At the Range, N. B., on the 11th inst., after a brief but severe illness, John McVicar, in the 71st year of his age, leaving a wife, two sons and one daughter. A worthy and consistent member of 2nd Grand Lake church.

JENNEX.—At Oyster Pond, Jeddore, March 24th, Lavinia, aged 4 months, child of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Jennex. "Suffer the children to come unto me and forbid them not for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

SNOW.—At White Head, N. S., March 8, in the forty-eighth year of her age, Elizabeth Snow, wife of Deacon Samuel Snow. Throughout her protracted illness, which lasted about two years, she exhibited a patient spirit, and when the summons came she was found reconciled to God. The deceased leaves a husband, mother, six children, two brothers and two sisters in mourning.

MYERS.—At Goldboro, N. S., on Feb. 28, Maggie, beloved wife of William Myers, at the age of 34 years. Deceased was a worthy and consistent member of the Goldboro church, and bore her last painful illness with Christian fortitude and submission. A husband and five children, —one an infant of six weeks—are left to mourn an irreparable loss.

EHLER.—At Queensport, N. S., March 5th, in the eighty-second year of his age, Mr. John Ehler, passed to his heavenly reward. For a number of years he had been in declining health and the end was not unexpected. Our brother found Christ when he was young in years and became a member of the Crow Harbor Baptist church and remained such until his death. He was a strong advocate of "Baptist doctrines" and desired the "sincere milk of the word." The funeral services were conducted on the following Thursday by Pastor Berrie, at the home of the deceased, after which the remains were conveyed to Guysboro for interment. Rev. W. I. Croft of Guysboro attended service at the grave. The deceased leaves a wife, two daughters and a number of brothers and sisters to mourn their loss.

ILLSLEY.—At Kentville, Feb. 9, died Annie Grace, aged 15 years, daughter of Deacon B. H. Illsley of the Baptist church. Of a beautiful and thoughtful nature, this young sister early manifested an interest in spiritual things. By her kind and loving disposition she greatly endeared herself to the members of her family and to her friends. About a week before she died, she, in communication with her pastor assured him of her trust in Jesus as her Saviour. Without fear she awaited in calmness the approach of the dread messenger, and in the last, when her eyes were closing on earthly scenes she murmured, "I'm going home." May God comfort the hearts of the stricken father and mother, who are thus called upon to mourn the loss of a dear one, for the second time within a year!

FALT.—At Antigonish, Feb. 20th, Catharine, beloved wife of Brother Arthur Falt, fell asleep in Jesus, in the 31st year of her age. During her long sickness, she was a very patient sufferer. Though she longed to live for the sake of her husband and little child, yet she sweetly said, "Not my will, but thine be done." Jesus was very precious to her all through her days and nights of suffering. A short time before she passed to her heavenly home she asked her pastor to sing, "I know that my Redeemer lives," etc., and in the last hours of her earthly life, the prayer was on her lips, "Come quickly Lord." To such, "to die is gain." Kind and loving hands and hearts tenderly ministered unto her, and are now left to mourn, but not as those without hope. May the God of all comfort reveal himself in all love to the bereaved husband and kindred and light up their hearts and homes.

SHANKEL.—At Hubbard's Cove, Halifax county, March 4, aged 80 years, Brother Joseph Shankel. Our brother was born at La Have, Lunenburg county, Aug. 12, 1820. When 21 years old went to Greenfield, Queens county and began life for himself and for God. There he was baptized by the Rev. B. Taylor and united with the Baptist church. There too he married Miss Lucena Hunt and God blessed him in the church, in his home and in his business. After the death of his wife he moved to Hubbard's Cove in 1870 and united with the 2nd St. Margaret's Bay church. He was probably the first Baptist who settled at "the Cove."

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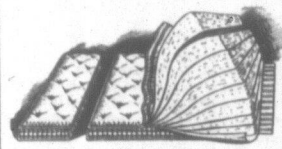
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and as there was no place where Baptists could meet for worship he agitated the erection and largely built it of his own means, while it was building opened his own house for public worship. On April 2nd, 1872 he was again married to Miss Bessie Dimock, a granddaughter of Father Jos. Dimock. She was a true helpmeet and during the four months of suffering previous to death watched him faithfully. One of Bro. Shankel's children is the wife of Rev. J. E. Tiner of Salisbury and one is a member of the Sophomore Class at Acadia. Others are workers in the church that will sadly miss our brother and all are hoping for a reunion in the better land.

COOK.—Again we mourn the loss of an esteemed member of the Chebogue church, in the person of Mrs. Caleb Cook, who passed to the home above on the 4th inst., aged twenty-eight years. Married less than a year ago, she and her husband settled in a cosy home here in Acadia, but on the death of her mother two months later, leaving her father and brother alone, she did not hesitate to break up her own home, and return with her husband to the old home that she had just left, that she might take care of her father. Mrs. Cook was the youngest daughter of our highly esteemed brother, Deacon John Holmes, for whom, as well as for the sorrowing young husband, sister and brothers, the deepest sympathy is felt. In the departure of Mrs. Cook, the Chebogue church loses another of its most consistent and valued members and we feel the loss keenly. Her mother who died a few months ago (and of whose death no mention was made in the MESSENGER AND VISITOR) was also a beloved member of the same church. Thus, with the recent loss of three prominent sisters and the conversion of a goodly number of young people, the experience of this old and honored church, has been a striking co-mingling of sorrow and of joy.

Here is another brother who has found the denominational paper a good companion to live with. Rev. Dr. Kempton, of Dartmouth, in forwarding (among others) the subscription of Deacon James Gaetz, says: "D. A. Gaetz is an old subscriber. He says he has taken the MESSENGER for 57 years, and always paid in advance, and he also says that he has enjoyed the paper the last three or four years more than ever before in his life. He at any rate thinks that the paper improves continually."

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