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Charles Marshall, in the 28th year of his age. Our brother was baptized and united with the Baptist church here some ten years ago. He was cut down in the midst of days, but we trust his end was peace. The funeral service, which was very largely attended, was held in the Baptist church, Rev. J. J. Armstrong of Wolfville, a former pastor, delivering an appropriate and comforting address, based on John 11:33-35. The deceased was a member of the Order of Foresters and that Society conducted the services at the grave. A large circle of relatives and friends are left to mourn their loss.

**WINCHESTER.**—At Smith's Cove, Digby county, N. S., on April 11th, Capt. Jacob Winchester, in the 54th year of his age, Capt. Winchester, who has been one of the most prominent and successful master-mariners in this section of country, arrived home from Jacksonville, Fla., but two weeks since suffering acutely from Bright's disease. He leaves a mother, wife, two brothers two sisters, a son and two daughters to mourn their loss. O these, the mother, the wife, the youngest daughter, Bessie, his brother Edward, and his two sisters, the wives of Deacons Simeon Sells and Spurgeon W. are resident members of the Smith's Cove church, of which the deceased was also for many years a member. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon, conducted by Pastor Fisher, assisted by Rev. W. R. Parker.

**WEST.**—April 5th, at Hopewell Hill, A. Birt county, N. B., Wm. A. West passed over to be with his Lord, aged 60 years. Our brother last June fell from a building and dislocated his back; and although the joint was put back into its place again, he did not recover the full use of his limbs and suffered greatly. It was finally decided to try an operation and the shock seemed to be too great for him, he died of heart failure. He has been the efficient clerk of our church for several years and was the Superintendent of the Sunday School at the Hill and an active worker in the church. He also represented the parish of Hopewell in the Municipal Council for several terms. His funeral was one of the largest ever seen here. The pastor was assisted by Rev. E. M. Fletcher, (Baptist), and Rev. J. K. King, (Meth). His body was interred in Bay View Cemetery, Harvey. He leaves a wife and seven children and a very large circle of friends to mourn.

**MACKEEN.**—At Athol, N. S., April 4, Sarah A., beloved wife of Rev. David MacKeen and daughter of the late Joseph Read, of Minudie. Mrs. MacKeen was born June 18, 1834, and united with the Maccan and River Hebert church in 1851, being baptized by Rev. Willard Parker. She was married February 7, 1855, and during forty-seven years was a helpmeet indeed. During her husband's preaching times her practical nature showed itself in looking after her husband's temporal concerns, as well as in the care of a large family. Her self-denying disposition manifested itself in waiting upon others, especially in times of sickness. One instance out of many must suffice: In 1876, when nearly every house in Athol was visited by the plague diphtheria, and when the deaths in one family reached the number of eight, Sister MacKeen in the spirit of a true Christian, nursed the sufferers, leaving her own large family to the mercy of God, who graciously warded off the dread scourge from her loved ones. Thus, and in other ways, she served her generation. When the eventide came, after more than a year's severe sickness, borne with Christian fortitude, the divine light was in her soul. She assured her husband and others of her firm reliance upon her Saviour, and suggested that at her funeral should be sung as an expression of her faith, the hymn "My Saviour first of all." Bro. MacKeen and family must have been deeply touched by the sympathy of the large concourse of friends from the surrounding country who attended the funeral services. These were observed at the commodious new home of the family and were participated in by Revs. D. A. Steele, F. S. McGregor and Whitman (Methodist.) The remains were deposited in the cemetery at Athol.

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**MARRIAGES.**

**WEATHERBEE-POLLEY.**—At Goshen, A. Co., N. B., April 16, by Pastor H. H. Saunders, John Weatherbee to Alice A. Polley, both of Goshen.

**DOUCETTE-KEATING.**—April 17, at Temple parsonage, Yarmouth, N. S., by Pastor W. F. Parker, Remi Doucette to Lillie Maud Keating. Both of Yarmouth, N. S.

**SHAW-KINNEY.**—April 17, at the residence of the bride's parents, Prince Street, Yarmouth, N. S., by Pastor W. F. Parker, Norman Corning Shaw to Leta Lillian Kinney. Both of Yarmouth, N. S.

**CONRAD-COOK.**—At New Cumberland, N. S., on the 13th of April, by Pastor J. E. Makney, George Edmund Conrad, of Broad Cove, to Eliza Jane Cook, of New Cumberland.

**FRANCIS-DORAMMA.**—At the Mission House, Bobbitt, on March 6, 1902, by Rev. G. Churchill, T. John Francis, of Tekkall, to K. Doramma, of Bobbitt; and at the same time and place, M. Parasiah to M. Pidamma, both of Bobbitt. The latter couple had been married when children according to Hindu fashion. Both having become Christians they requested, when of suitable age, to be united in Christian marriage.

**DEATHS.**

**SNOW.**—At Hampton, N. S., April 14, of paralysis, Sylvanus Snow, aged 64 years, leaving four brothers and one sister and a large circle of friends to mourn.

**HICKS.**—At Upper Sackville, on Monday, April 7, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. David Hicks, aged about two months. The little one died of pneumonia after a very brief illness and was buried in Midgic cemetery.

**STEVENS.**—Lucella Stevens, daughter of Samuel Stevens, of Harvey, Albert Co., N. B., after a brief illness past into rest, April 9th, aged 18 years. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents, who lost a fine boy only a few years ago and are now left childless.

**JORDAN.**—At Cape Bear, April 8, Peter Jordan, aged 19 years. He was a member of the Cape Bear Baptist church, and though very quiet in his manner, yet manifested to all who visited him and knew him how good it was to trust Christ in youth. He was the most patient of young men that the writer has known. The message to the young men, through his pastor, was "Boys be followers of Christ." May God bless and comfort the relatives who mourn their loss. This is the third son who has died of consumption.

**LOGAN.**—At North Sydney, C. B., after a short illness of congestion of the lungs and heart failure, Mrs. Alexander Logan, aged 68 years. For many years our sister has been a recognized leader in Christian work and a working force in connection with Calvary Baptist church, of which she has long been a member. Of late years because of failing health she has not been able to engage as actively in the work of the Lord as in former years, but was always ready "as much as in her was" to do. She rests from her labors, but her works follow her. The community as well as the church appreciated her worth, and we all feel our loss. She leaves a husband and only daughter at home to deeply mourn their loss, with three sons and a large connection. She is missed.

**MARSHALL.**—At Brockfield Colchester county, N. S., on April 3rd, Leveid W. Marshall, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs.

**Lunenburg County Quarterly Meeting.**

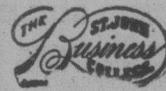
The second session of the Quarterly Meeting for the year was held with the church at New Canada, Rev. Josiah Webb, pastor. The first meeting on the afternoon of March 31st, took the form of a Conference led by Pastor Webb. At this meeting a rich season of spiritual blessing was enjoyed and a good preparation was made for the subsequent gatherings. The evening of that day was devoted to an evangelistic sermon led by Pastor M. B. Whitman, and an aftermeeting, in which nearly every Christian present testified and several rose for prayers, led by Pastor H. B. Smith. On Tuesday forenoon the business of the Quarterly Meeting began with the election of officers resulting in the reappointment of Pastor H. S. Erb as president and Pastor Whitman as Sec'y-Treas. Then followed reports from the various churches many of which were very encouraging. In the absence of Pastor R. O. Morse, who was expected to read a paper on "The Pastor in his Study," the subject was ably introduced by Bro. Erb. At the afternoon session the subject previously introduced was heartily discussed by all the other pastors present, after which an address of great interest and profit to all present was delivered by Pastor H. B. Smith on "The Relation of the Pastors and Churches to the Quarterly Meeting." It is sincerely hoped that a larger attendance will result from this address. As the Secretary was obliged to leave at this point, he is unable to report on the session of the W. M. A. S. and upon the evening session. Pastor Freeman of Bridgewater was the preacher of the evening, and we have no doubt that an inspiring sermon was delivered. Pastor Webb is doing a good work in New Canada and has a large number of faithful helpers in the church. May the special efforts which both preceded and followed the Quarterly Meetings result in a large gathering of souls.

M. B. WHITMAN, Sec'y-Treas.  
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