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**BIRTHS.**

**HUBLEY**—At Seabright, Halifax Co., N. S., Sept. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey S. Hubley, a son.

**MACCABE**—At Tanook, Nov. 24th, to the wife of Rev. A. H. MacCabe, a daughter.

**MARRIAGES.**

**TITUS GODDERT**—At Weymouth, Nov. 1st, by Rev. J. T. Eaton, Charles Howard Titus to Bertha Elsworth Goddert of Weymouth, Digby County, N. S.

**CRUMWELL-JARVIS**—At Weymouth Falls Nov. 23rd, by Rev. J. T. Eaton, Joseph Henry Crumwell, to Alvena Langford Jarvis, of Weymouth Falls, Digby County, N. S.

**SNOW-SHORT**—At Half Island Cove, N. S., on Nov. 18, by Rev. W. E. Carpenter, Samuel Snow, of Upper White Head to Blanche Short of Half Island Cove, Guysboro Co., N. S.

**JUSTASON-BORTHWICK**—On the 16th of November at the Baptist parsonage by the Rev. T. M. Munro, Thomas S. Justason, and Mary S. Borthwick, both of Pansfield, Charlotte county, N. B.

**DOGGETT-FREEMAN**—At the home of the bride, Greenfield Queens Co., N. S., Nov. 23rd, by Pastor W. B. Bezanson, Angus McR. Doggett and Mabel V. Freeman.

**JACKSON-MASON**—At the home of the bride's parents, head of St. Margaret's Bay, N. S., Nov. 23, by Rev. L. J. Tingley, Mr. Halburton Jackson, of Bedford, N. S., to Miss Lois Verbena Mason, N. S.

**KINNEY-GREEN**—At the residence of the officiating Minister, Rev. C. Stirling on Nov. 9, 1904, David Kinney, to Susan Green, both of Mineral, Car. Co., N. B.

**PURDY-EVANS**—At the residence of the bride's mother, Nov. 23, by the Rev. E. T. Miller, Mr. John M. Purdy, of Londonderry, to Miss Melissa Evans of Acadia Mines.

**CHIPMAN WILKINS**—At Upper Clarence, Nov. 23rd, by Rev. M. W. Brown, Ernest L. Chipman of Nictaux and Louise E. only daughter of Adelbert Wilkins, Esq., of Upper Clarence, N. S.

**LONG-MILBERRY**—At the Baptist parsonage, Clementsvalle, N. S., Nov. 9th, by Rev. J. H. Balcom, George Long of Clementsvalle, to Mabel Milberry of Boston, Mass.

**WILLIAMS-BANKS**—At Clementsvalle, N. S., Nov. 22nd, by Rev. J. H. Balcom, Maurice W. Williams of Halifax, N. S., to Bessie A. Banks of Annapolis Royal, N. S.

**HENSHAW-DOUGGETT**—At the Parsonage, Clementsvalle, N. S., Nov. 22nd, Carey Henshaw, Bear River, N. S., to Lottie Douggett of Marshalltown, Digby Co., N. S. Rev. J. H. Balcom officiating.

**RAFUSE-HOLLAND**—At the home of the bride's parents Clementsvalle, N. S., Nov. 23rd, by Rev. J. H. Balcom, Howard W. Rafuse of Waterville, N. S., to Annie Maude Holland of Clementsvalle, N. S.

**LEARY-BISHOP**—At the home of the bride Annapolis Royal, N. S., Nov. 16th, by the Rev. N. A. Whitman, Bertram R. Leary of Lynn, Mass., to Mary S. Bishop of Annapolis Royal, N. S.

**FOSSHAY-PURDY**—At the home of the bride, Jemseg, on the 9th Nov., by Rev. A. B. Macdonald, Sylvester S. Foshay, and Emma Myrtle Purdy third daughter of Archelus Purdy, Esq., all of Cambridge, N. B.

**PATRIQUIN CURRIE**—At the residence of the bride's father, East Village, Londonderry, Colchester co., Nov. 23, 1904, by Rev. E. T. Miller Mr. John David Patriquin, of Londonderry, to Miss Barbara J. Currie, East Village.

**DEATHS.**

**MASON**—At Hastings, Ont. Co., Nov. 11th, Harold Mason aged 28 years.

**PERRY**—At Augusta, Maine, on the 13th inst, Fred H. Perry, son of the late John W. and Ruth Perry of Coles Island, Queens county, aged 34 years, leaving a wife and one child and a number of other relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

**KENNEDY**—On August 28, at the residence of Mr. David Reid, Robert H. Kennedy aged 77 years. As a teacher he was well and favorably known, having taught in many schools in Nova Scotia. He suffered very much in his last sickness, but was never heard to complain. To the writer he said 'I am resting on the promises of Jesus.' His end was very peaceful.

**FRASER**—At North Brookfield, Queens Co., N. S., Nov. 18th, George M. Fraser, aged 69, leaving a widow and three children. Our brother was laid aside from active duties for two years. During this time he has been a great student of the word. For many years he has been an active member of the church and deeply interested in its welfare. He had many friends and was a great favorite among the young. He left us with unswerving faith in his risen Lord.

**ELLS**—The many friends of Deacon and Mrs. O. E. Ells, of Canard, sympathize most deeply with them in the loss of their little boy, Alfred, aged three years, as result of an operation in the hospital at Halifax. Everything that medical skill and faithful attendance could do were added to the mother's devotion to save the little life, but he never fully rallied from the operation, which was on Saturday Nov. 12, and on the following Monday evening he fell asleep in Jesus.

**GREY**—Phoebe London, aged 44 years, beloved wife of Willard Grey of Good's Cove, Car. Co., died Nov. 19, surrounded by husband and children and loving friends. Mrs. Grey had endeared herself to all who knew her, by her kindly, sympathetic, lovable disposition. She lived a consistent Christian life, and died triumphant in Christ. Her presence will be much missed not only in home circle, but also in Bloomfield and Good Corner Church of which she was a member, and in the community where she lived. Two daughters, one son, and a husband, sisters and brothers are left to mourn their loss.

**BALTZER**—At Port Lorne, Annapolis Co., N. S., Oct. 31, Margaret, widow of the late Wentworth Baltzer, aged 60 years. Mrs. Baltzer was baptized at Mt. Hanley by the late Rev. Warren Parker, who preached on that occasion from the words,—"Being persuaded of this very thing that he who hath begun a good work in you will perform it unto the day of Jesus Christ." The same text was chosen by her pastor as the subject of his discourse when her body was laid to rest in hope of the resurrection morning. Her consistent Christian life, her patience under trial and suffering bore abundant testimony to the sustaining power of Him "who keeps the feet of His saints."

**SAUNDERS**—At Clarence, N. S., on Nov. 16th, in her 68th year, Mrs. Saunders wife of the late deacon J. F. Saunders of Digby, N. S., passed away. For almost a year our sister had been living with friends in Clarence, but for many years prior to that she had been one of the most enthusiastic workers and whole-hearted supporters of the Digby church. Her life was one of great activity and she knew well the meaning of the word "Cross", but to-day she has found the compliment, "the crown." She has left one son, Fred, of Canso; and brothers, sisters and a large number of friends to mourn the loss of a good woman.

**MONROE**—At Millford, Annapolis Co., N. S. Nov. 16th, of heart failure, sister Robert Monroe in the 68th year of her age. Our sister was born at Port Lorne, N. S., in 1837 and was converted and baptized at the same place some forty years ago, she subsequently removed with her family to the States where she resided for some time but afterward came to Millford, where she lived with her son until suddenly called to her reward. Sister Monroe is very highly spoken of by all who knew her. She leaves three sons and seven daughters, besides a host of relatives to mourn the loss of a kind mother and friend, May the God of all comfort and grace, comfort and sustain them.

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT.**

Monday evening, November 22, it was expected that there would be a choir practice at the Mahone Bay Baptist parsonage. When the choir arrived it was found that it had grown to most surprising proportions, and that the members, instead of carrying music books, were all burdened with groceries, provisions and various useful articles, which meant a very choice and abundant addition to the Pastor's food supply, and to other home requirements. This large pound party proved a great success socially as well as in material contributions. May the Lord richly bless our kind hearted and thoughtful people.

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people's kindness. Words fail us in expressing our gratitude to this people. May the God of all mercies abundantly bless them in temporal and spiritual things. These people are not only kind but very Baptistical, fearing the Baptists might be hurt, and the doctrine to which all their lives they have listened and which they love might be blessed by going into the proposed Union, they voted not in favor, wishing rather to stand by the old "Article of Faith and Practice." Our prayer meetings, are large and good, our preaching services well attended. We are hoping for greater manifestations of the Divine Power in saving souls in our midst.

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**AMHERST, N. S.**—About 30 were received at the Communion service Nov. 6th, twenty one of whom had been baptized during the preceding month. Nov. 20th, six others were baptized. William Cummings, Esq., of Truro, preached recently on a Sunday evening to a congregation that crowded audience room and vestry. Dr. Trotter preached at both services Nov. 20th, to large audiences, in the morning making a grant appeal on behalf of the Second Forward Movement, and in the evening a masterful sermon from John 1:1. A Thanksgiving service was held on the evening of the 17th, which was of more than usual interest. The Pastor was assisted by Dr. Steele, whose address was very apt and abounded in illustrations suited to the occasion. A thank offering taken to assist the Pastor in special evangelistic effort netted \$126.51. Bro. J. T. Dimock the assistant Pastor is doing grand work in the outstations of the church. His faithful efforts are already bearing fruit. The pastor's young men's class has increased to about sixty. A spirit of deep interest and ready response is showing itself in all departments of the church life.

S. W. C.

**GOLDEN WEDDING.**

On the evening of the 17th inst, a large number of the children and the grand children and other friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David C. Parent of Queensburg, York Co., where a most enjoyable evening was spent. The object of the gathering was to celebrate the golden wedding of the host and hostess. Mr. and Mrs. Parent were the recipients of many useful and valuable presents, and were made to feel that to grow old, is not the worst thing that can come to people. The MESSSENGER AND VISITOR extends to Mr. and Mrs. Parent cordial congratulations and best wishes for continued health and strength until the call to higher service comes.

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For terms of sale and other particulars, apply to the Plaintiffs' Solicitor, or to the undersigned Referee.

Dated at St. John, N. B., this 8th day of November, A. D. 1904.

E. H. McALPINE, Referee in Equity.  
EAWLE, BELYEA & CAMPBELL,  
Plaintiffs' Solicitors.  
T. T. LANTALUM, Auctioneer.