

## MARRIAGES.

**JONES-BRAMAN.**—At Hampton, May 6th, by Rev. J. D. Wetmore, J. Henry Jones to Emma S. Braman, both of Kingston, Kings Co.

**GABRIEL-JERDIN.**—At Springhill, Cumberland Co., May 10th, by Rev. J. W. Bancroft, William L. S. Gabriel to Ida May Jerdin.

**CAMPBELL-KENNEDY.**—At Fairville, N. B., May 12th, by Rev. G. R. White, Andrew W. Campbell to Lizzie Kennedy, all of St. John, N. B.

**HODGSON-CHARTERS.**—At the parsonage, Gibson, N. B., May 5th, by Rev. F. D. Davidson, Charles W. Hodgson and Clara E. Charters, both of Marysville, N. B.

**DELONG-JEAN.**—At the bride's home, New Germany, May 5th, by Rev. J. L. Read, Allen Spurr DeLong to Zilpah Albertha Jean, both of New Germany.

**CARTER-ARTHUR.**—On May 12th, at Petitcodiac, by Pastor H. G. Estabrook, Charles Carter of Bannister Road, Albert Co., to Hattie Arthur of Petitcodiac.

**RIDEOUT-SWAIN.**—At the residence of Mr. Howard Clarke, Lower Wakefield, by Rev. W. G. Corey, Carey Rideout of Hartland, Carleton Co., N. B., to Cora E. Swain of Wakefield.

**MORLEY-KEMPTON.**—At Port Medway, 12th inst, by Rev. Frank E. Bishop, assisted by Rev. W. L. Archibald, Allan Morley of Milton, N. S., and Ada Alice Kempton of Port Medway, N. S.

**BILL-THOMAS.**—On the 5th inst, at Cold Stream, Ont., by Rev. I. E. Bill, father of the bride groom, assisted by Rev. G. B. Davis, B. Th., Rev. I. E. Bill, Jr., B. A., of Rochester, New York, to Miss Blanche Thomas of Cold Stream, Ontario.

**PEPALL-OLIVER.**—At the residence of Mr. George Thornton, Beech St., Halifax, N. S., on May 6th, by Rev. G. A. Lawson, assisted by Rev. Mr. Bullock, army chaplain, Harry Pepall, bandsman of Royal Berkshire Regiment, to Mrs. Prescilla Oliver, daughter of Deacon Chambers Blakeney.

## DEATHS.

**STEVENS.**—At DeBert, April 24, Mrs. Abigail Stevens, in the 78th year of her age.

**JOHNSON.**—At Great Village, April 27, Gardner Johnson, of heart failure, aged 69 years.

**HOPKINS.**—At East Jeddore, March 15th, Viola May, daughter of John and Maggie Hopkins, aged two years and eleven months.

**MARTIN.**—On May 6th, at East Jeddore, Lily, daughter of William and Elizabeth Martin, aged 16 years. Her end was peace.

**RIDEOUT.**—At Calais, Me., May 7th, Mrs. Mary Rideout, relict of the late O. R. Rideout, aged 86 years and 5 months. She had been for many years connected with the Baptist church.

**COLWELL.**—At Jemseg, May 2nd, in the eighth year of her age, Mabel Irene, daughter of Charles J. and Amelia Colwell, the little daughter was a patient sufferer. She is now at rest with Jesus. May God sustain the sorrowing family.

**DREW.**—At Springfield, May 6th, Eliza R. Drew, aged 77 years, passed quietly away to her everlasting reward at the home of J. H. Gray, Esq., where she has for a long time made her home and received the most kind attention.

**PORTER.**—At Hastings, Cumberland Co., N. S., May 3rd, in the 24th year of her age, Mary, daughter of Isaac Porter. The deceased died of consumption. About four years ago she professed faith in Christ, and was baptized by Pastor MacDonald and continued until her death a faithful and consistent member. Her sickness was a lingering one, but she bore it patiently, often repeating the words "Jesus doeth all things well." Her death was triumphant. For her to live was Christ, but to die was gain.

**MACMILLAN.**—At Isaac Harbor, May 1st, Lorinda, beloved wife of Howard MacMillan, passed peacefully away at the age of 38 years. Many and severe had been the sufferings through which our sister was called to pass, but she never murmured for Jesus was with her through them all. She leaves a husband and four children to mourn their loss, which is indeed her gain. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the community.

**FLETCHER.**—At St. Marys, May 6th, of meningitis, Sarah, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher. During the last year our little sister was truly converted, and if her life had been spared, would have been baptized. She was 11 years and 10 months old when called away. She was a general favorite and will be greatly missed.

**BANKS.**—At Havelock, May 9th, after years of suffering, Charles Banks, aged 80 years. He was an esteemed member of the Wilmot Mountain church. His voice was often heard in testimony when he was able to attend the house of God, but for several years he was prevented by illness from doing so. His faith in Christ never failed him, and he passed away submissive to the divine will.

**TAYLOR.**—On Saturday, April 10th, Margaret Taylor, beloved wife of Bro. O. Taylor, of Upper Falls, Charlotte Co., N. B., aged 51 years. Sister Taylor was baptized in Salisbury, Westmorland Co., in 1875, and always lived a consistent Christian. Her loss will be keenly felt in the circles in which she moved. Sister Taylor leaves a husband, two sons, a sister and two brothers to mourn their loss. Rev. C. E. Pineo, in the pastor's absence, attended the funeral and preached a very appropriate sermon to the large congregation assembled.

**JOHNSON.**—At Arlington, May 6th, Deacon Uriah Johnson, aged 73 years. Our departed brother had been a consistent and useful member of the Wilmot Mountain church for fifty-five years. For many years he had served the church as deacon. He had a wonderful gift for public prayer and exhortation and faithfully used it. The church has sustained a great loss and deeply deplores it. One son and three daughters greatly mourn, not only the loss of their father, but also of their mother, who passed away only a few months ago.

**VAUGHAN.**—Died at Saint Martins, N. B., May 7th, of paralysis, William Vaughan, aged 73. Our brother was a member of the Baptist church here, and a regular attendant at the Sabbath services. Always contributing liberally of his means to the support of the gospel and other Christian objects. He was a noble, upright Christian gentleman, and manifested by his daily life that he really possessed the Spirit of the Master. The community and church sustain a great loss by the departure of this brother, but we trust God will raise up others to take his place. He leaves a widow and four children to mourn for him, but as they are all Christians, they are looking forward to a family reunion in heaven.

**STUART.**—At Middlefield, Queens Co., N. S., May 6th, Phoebe, wife of Robert Stuart, aged 46 years. Her beautiful character caused her to be held in the highest regard in the community in which she lived and by her many friends in other places, and she will be sadly missed. During a long illness she exhibited that patience and resignation which results from trusting in Jesus. Early in life she took Christ for a Saviour, and united with the Middlefield Baptist church, remaining a member of that church until her death. During the last weeks of her illness she engaged the presence of the Master in a special degree, and happy in His love she entered into rest with unshaken hope. She leaves behind a husband and five brothers, who, though deeply feeling the loss of a beloved wife and sister, yet "mourn not as those who have no hope."

**MCGOWAN.**—Died at Canard, on the 2nd April, Mrs. Wm. McGowan, in the 68th year of her age. Mrs. McGowan was the daughter of the late Michael Sellers, of Chester Basin. She was the mother of eleven children, five of whom preceeded her to the Spirit world. An aged husband and six children remain to mourn their loss. Mrs. McGowan gave her heart to Jesus over 50 years ago, under the ministry of the late Dr. DeBlois, but being a member of an Episcopalian family, was hindered from making a public profession of her faith in Christ Jesus. Last autumn when on a sick bed, it all came back to her, and she asked the Lord to raise her up that she might have the privilege of making a public profession of her faith. Her prayer was answered, and on the second Sunday of December last she was baptized and united with the 1st Cornwallis Baptist church. During the many years of silent Christian life between conversion and baptism her husband and children can testify to her Christian influence and nobility of purpose. The funeral took place at her home on April 4th, when appropriate remarks on a mother's influence were made by her pastor.

**YOUNG.**—Mary Young, widow of the late Wm. Church, fell asleep in Jesus, April 19th, aged 79. She was baptized by the late Rev. R. B. Dickie in 1832, and was one of the twenty original members of the Falmouth church. She loved God's cause and gladly made sacrifices for it. In the Sunday school she was ready to teach or be taught. If possible her seat in the sanctuary was filled, and her appreciation of the gospel was so clearly manifest that it was an inspiration to her pastor. She carried missions and the missionaries on her heart. Joining the W. M. A. S. when organized by

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Miss M. Norris (now Mrs. Armstrong) she made herself a life member and continued to generously support the society during her lifetime. Since the death of her husband she has resided with her children, the closing scene taking place at the home of her son-in-law, Andrew Johnson, Esq., of Wolfville. The sweet Christian graces were well developed in our sister, consequently she was very helpful to all associated with her. It was another case of Mary sitting at the feet of Jesus. Though she suffered much during the closing hours, her mind was so clear that she, while conversing with her daughter, suddenly exclaimed, "I'm going," and in a moment was beyond the veil. Death should not be mentioned in connection with her going. It was a loving adieu, and a happy translation.

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