

**Births.**

At 4477 Western avenue, Westmount, on Sunday, January 8th, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. John Hugh Peattie.

**Marriages.**

On Thursday, Dec. 29th, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. John Mackie, Walter W. McVicar, of Daleville, Que., to Lizzie A. Armstrongs, daughter of Robert Armstrongs, Lachute.

At 72 Prince Arthur Avenue, Toronto, the residence of her brother, Mr. John A. Ferguson, barrister, on January 11, 1899, by the Rev. Stuart Acheson, M.A., of St. Paul's Church, Warton, brother-in-law of the bride, Herbert W. Burgess, to Amy Bell, youngest daughter of the late Colonel T. R. Ferguson, M.P., and granddaughter of the late Colonel Ogilvie R. Gowan, M.P.

At the residence of the Principal, at Winnipeg, on Jan. 9, 1899, by the Rev. Principal King and the Rev. William Dewar, B.A., brother of the bride, George Simpson, Ottawa, to Helen Primrose, youngest daughter of the late Rev. Robert Dewar, of Annan, Ont.

At Ottawa, on January 12, 1899, by the Rev. Dr. Moore, at Lovat Place, the residence of Mr. J. Carling Kelly, Alice Maude, daughter of Mr. David Bayne, of Carleton Place, to the Rev. F. W. Gilmour, of Sawyerville, Que.

At the residence of the bride's mother, on the 11th inst., by the Rev. N. Waddell, Mr. Frank Henry Harris, of Sarnack Lake, N.Y., to Miss Amelia Law, of Lachute, Que.

In this city, on January 12, 1899, by the Rev. A. J. Mowat, Mr. Wm. H. Walkley, to Miss Isabel J. Fetherston, daughter of J. W. Fetherston.

On January 11, 1899, at the residence of the bride's sister, No. 224 Gloucester street, Ottawa, by the Rev. D. M. Ramsay, Miss George Young, of this city, daughter of Mr. Wm. Young, of Tweed, to Mr. Wilbert Woodcock, of Deseronto.

At 16 Sussex Avenue, on January 10th, 1899, by the Rev. A. B. Mackay, D.D., Carl W. Kimpton, of Philadelphia, to Alice R. Munro, of this city.

In this city, on January 12th, 1899, by the Rev. A. J. Mowat, Mr. William H. Walkley to Miss Isabel J. Fetherston, daughter of J. W. Fetherston.

On January 11, by the Rev. Robert Campbell, Duncan Wright to Sarah J. Sweetman, both of Montreal.

At Hamilton, Ont., on December 28th, by the Rev. Dr. Fletcher, Mr. Frederick Le Mesurier to Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Patterson.

At Montreal, on December 31st, by the Rev. F. M. Dewey, T. H. Johnson, of Smith's Falls, Ont., to Christina Beaton, youngest daughter of the late James Beaton, H. M. Customs, Stornoway, Lewis, Scotland, and niece of the late James McKenzie, of Poolewe, Rosshire, Scotland.

On December 28th, at the residence of the bride's uncle Mr. A. G. Burns, by the Rev. K. J. McDonald, B.A., Miss Mary C. Burns, to Mr. Neil Morrison.

At the Manse, Beaverton, December 28th, by the Rev. K. J. McDonald, Miss Isabella Lepard, Mara, to Mr. Robert E. Hamilton, East Gwillimbury.

In the city, on December 14th, 1898, by the Rev. W. R. Cruikshanks, Mr. Harry Lawson to Miss Agnes Gorman, daughter of David Gorman, of Montreal.

At the Central Church, Toronto, by the Rev. Dr. McTavish, on 21st ult., Rev. Richard Whiteman, B.A., pastor of St. John's Church, Port Perry, to Miss Myra L. Greny, of Toronto.

**Deaths.**

At Williamsport, Pa., on the 5th inst., Norman Macdonald, father of J. K. Macdonald, Westmount, aged 87 years. Interred at Williamsport.

Of pneumonia, at the residence of her son-in-law, S. R. Hart, No. 21 Wilcox street, Toronto, on Jan. 5, 1899, Mrs. Wyllie, widow of the late G. B. Wyllie, Toronto, in the 82nd year of her age.

At North Lancaster, on January 2nd, Norman Mackay, aged 85 years.

At Baltimore, on December 23, 1898, Oliver William Ketchum, eldest son of the late Jesse Ketchum, of Orangeville, and grandson of the late Jesse Ketchum, of Toronto.

On January 16, 1899, at his residence, 65 Hutchison street, Montreal, the Rev. Charles Chiniquy, D.D., aged 89 years, 5 months and a half.

Funeral on Thursday, 19th inst., from the residence, at 2 o'clock, to Erskine Church. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

Rev. Andrew Murdock, in an obituary notice of "Elder Slayht," a well-known and exceedingly worthy Baptist minister of the County of Norfolk, tells this incident which has an interest for Presbyterians all over Canada. "In 1782 the leaders of the Liberal party were looking for a man who would be likely to gain a victory in Norfolk. The late Hon. George Brown wrote to Mr. Slayht, strongly urging him to allow himself to be nominated. Mr. Slayht at once declined. He, however, suggested the name of Mr. John Charlton, headed a deputation which waited on him, secured his consent to run, and so exerted himself that Mr. Charlton was elected, and has worthily represented Norfolk in the Dominion Parliament ever since."

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