

MARRIAGES.

ROGERS-BALSER.—At the home of the bride, July 19th, by Rev. J. Miles, Alfred Rogers, to Rhoda (Dollie) Balser, both of Stony Creek, Albert County, N. B.

WHITMAN-GRANT.—At the Baptist church, Sydney, C. B., July 20th, by A. J. Vincent, Rev. Arthur H. Whitman, of Alberton, P. E. I., and Bessie H. Grant, of Sydney, C. B.

PARKER-STONACH.—At South Farmington, Annapolis County, N. S., July 22nd, by Rev. L. J. Tingley, John D. Parker, of North Cambridge, Mass., to M. Alice Stonach, of South Farmington, N. S.

HAYNE-MITCHELL.—At Isaac's Harbor, N. S., July 3rd, by Rev. Geo. A. Lawson, Robert Hayne, of Middle Country Harbor, to Phoebe Mitchell, of Upper St. Mary's, N. S.

BURKE-JARVIS.—At Isaac's Harbor, N. S., July 26th, by Rev. G. A. Lawson, Amiriati Burke to Olive Jarvis, both of Drum Head, Guysboro County, N. S.

KEIRSTEAD-CORRY.—At the parsonage, Upper Newcastle, Queens County, N. B., July 27th, by Pastor N. P. Gross, D. M. Keirstead, of Colina, Studholm parish, N. B., and Martha M. Corry, of New Zion, Northfield parish.

FANNING-GAMMON.—At Seal Harbor, July 25th, by the Rev. W. J. Rutledge, David B. Fanning, of Seal, Harbor and Francis E. Gammon, of Coddle's Harbor, all of Guysboro County, N. S.

BACON-JACKSON.—At Bangor, Me., July 25th, by Rev. W. H. Jackson, brother of the bride, George Bacon of Bidlow Falls, Vt., and Mary Jackson, daughter of the late William Jackson of Liverpool, N. S.

DEATHS.

MILLER.—At Havelock, Annapolis Co., N. S., July 19th, Allen Miller, aged 71 years. He was a member of the Wilnot Mountain Baptist church in which he held the office of deacon for many years. Through his long illness he steadily avowed his trust in Christ and submission to His will. He leaves a widow, three sons and two daughters and a large circle of other relatives.

MENNETT.—At Onslow, July 3, 1897, Mrs. J. B. MenNETT widow of the late J. B. MenNETT, Esq., Onslow. Sister MenNETT was a Miss De Wolfe of Wolfville. She was a devoted Christian lady, an appreciative reader of Christian Messenger and the MESSENGER AND VISITOR to the time of her death and took the liveliest interest in all matters pertaining to the well-being of the denomination she loved so dearly. As will be seen in another column Foreign Missions were remembered in her will.

HORSMAN.—Marion, sixteen months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horsman, of Elgin, Albert County, N. B., was drowned in a tub of water Saturday afternoon, July 22nd. It is supposed she was playing in this tub when she lost her balance and fell in head first. She was quite dead when found. The parents and all the family have the sympathy of the entire community in their great affliction. She was their only child. The funeral service took place Monday morning and was largely attended. Service conducted by the pastor. "Of such is the kingdom of God."

SMITH.—William Smith, aged 82 years, fell asleep July 21st, at the residence of his son Deacon Solomon Smith, Pollett River, Westmorland County, N. B. Our brother had been in failing health for some time past and his death was not unexpected. He was one of the old residents. In his death the community loses one of its best citizens and the church a quiet God-fearing member. He leaves one son and one daughter, Mrs. Edward Simpson, of Petitcodiac, and a very large connection to mourn. His funeral on Sunday afternoon was very largely attended and was conducted by the pastor, Rev. F. D. Davidson.

MCDONALD.—At Ellerslie, Prince Co., P. E. I., July 19th, Joseph H. McDonald, in the 59th year of his age. Our departed

brother had for many years been a member of the Tyne Valley church, holding the position of Clerk up to a few months ago, which, on account of ill health, he was then compelled to resign, but never for a moment did he lose his interest in the work or the welfare of the people of God. Our brother's sufferings were great, but having his trust in God he never complained but said "Lord thy will be done," waiting patiently for the time when God in His mercy should call him to that home where sorrow and pain are not known. May God's richest blessing rest upon his mother and all those bereft.

Acknowledgement.

Permit me to acknowledge through your columns the kindness of friends whose generosity made possible my trip to the Richmond Convention, entirely free of cost to myself. A few days before time of starting the Aylesford B. V. P. U. presented to me a purse of \$14.28 to which were added two five dollar bills by two good sisters at Aylesford and Kingston respectively, and some smaller donations from several individuals. On the return trip from Richmond, in addition to many other kindnesses, the little party of which it was my privilege to be leader, still further increased my debt of obligation to them by handing me a purse of \$17.50. May the Lord reward these dear friends and make the recipient of their gifts more worthy of their friendship and generosity.

JOHN BURTT MORGAN.

Aylesford, N. S., July 27th.

Denominational Funds from July 18th to July 25th, '99.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Lower Aylesford church, \$43.50; do, special, \$7; Hampton, \$5; Amherst, \$75; Kentville, \$16.28; do, B. V. P. U., \$2.05; Mrs. David Barr, New Tuskent church, \$2; Rev. J. W. Bancroft, Springhill, \$10; Debert church, \$14; Little Grace Bay, \$7; White Head, \$7; Wm. Lent, Epsom, \$7; H. \$5; New Glasgow church, \$19; Bass River, \$18.70; do, annuity, \$1.30; Little Hope, \$10; Port Hillford, \$5; Apple River, \$9; Antigonish, \$26; Dalhousie East, \$3; Forbes Point Section, \$10; 1st church, Truro, \$17.49; Central Association, \$10.52; Leicester, Cumberland Co., \$6; Cambridge church, \$8.25; Mrs. George Parker, Waterville, \$3; Immanuel church, Truro, \$31.74; Brazil Lake, Sunday School, \$10.52; Tuskent church, \$21.03; S. S., do, \$3.07; 1st Yarmouth church, \$36.64; Port Medway, \$6; New Ross, \$10.65; Annapolis and Round Hill, \$27.50; Wolfville, \$29.40. Total \$630.45. Before reported \$7108.67. Total \$7739.12.

A. COHOON, Treas. Den. Funds, N. S. Wolfville, July 25th.

Temperance Resolution.

Adopted by the N. S. Western Baptist Association, (representing 12,500 Baptists of the five Western Counties of Nova Scotia).

Whereas, The Liquor traffic is known to interfere with the rights and privileges of the people of this Dominion; and

Whereas, The prohibition of this traffic is the demand of righteousness and was so declared by the people on Sept. 29, 1898; and

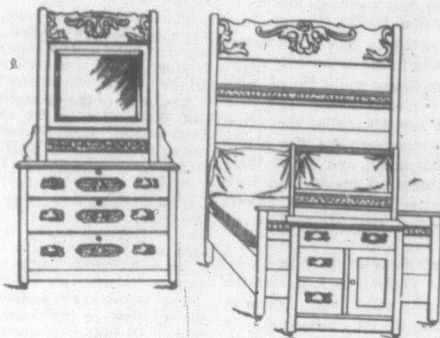
Whereas, The right of our government to prohibit the traffic has been sanctioned by the highest court in the realm; and

Whereas, It has been enacted by the present Parliament, that the voice of the people should be heard on this question by a Plebiscite, and the Electorate has responded by giving a substantial majority of votes for Prohibition; and

Whereas, In our free government, the will of the people as expressed in majorities should rule;

Therefore Resolved, That this Association must regard the continuation of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, in the Dominion of

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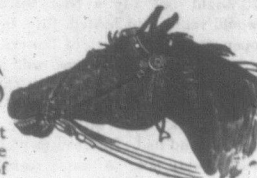


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Unanimously adopted June 21, 1899.

Mr. John Cram, who for the past year has been the manager of the Dawson City branch of the Bank of British North America, and who has just been appointed manager of the Ashcroft, B. C., branch is in Montreal on a visit. Mr. Cram states that in his opinion some \$12,000,000 will be taken out of the Yukon this year, as compared with between \$8,000,000 and \$9,000,000 for the year 1898. Mr. Cram was of the opinion that this country had a great future before it. When the present primitive methods of mining were abandoned, and when capital was put into the country and hydraulic mining introduced, there was going to be a vast amount of the yellow metal taken out.

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