

MARRIAGES.

MILLS-GRANT.—At Parrsboro, N. S., Feb. 14th, by Rev. D. H. MacQuarrie, Edward Mills of Advocate, N. S., and Hallie Grant of Ward's Brook, Cumb. Co., N. S.

CANNING-GILBERT.—At Halfway River, March 11th, by Rev. D. H. MacQuarrie, Rupert Canning of Parrsboro, N. S., and Sadie Gilbert of Halfway River, N. S.

MEEKINS-WILLIAMS.—At Parrsboro, March 16th, by Rev. D. H. MacQuarrie, James O. Meekins, of Five Islands, N. S., and Clara Willagar, of West Bay, Cumberland County, N. S.

DAVIS-KEMP.—At Parrsboro, April 16, by Rev. D. H. MacQuarrie, Leander Davis of Moose River, Cumb. Co., N. S., and Letitia Kemp of Five Islands, N. S.

WYMAN-DAVIS.—At the Baptist parsonage, Sydney, C. B., April 21st, by Pastor A. J. Vincent, Herman C. Wyman to Letitia Davis, both of Kentville, Kings Co., N. S.

HALD-OGILVIE.—At Los Angeles, Cal., April 14th, by the Rev. Wm. W. Logan, Harry C. Hald of Los Angeles, formerly of Nova Scotia to Etta P. Ogilvie of Harborville, N. S.

DEATHS.

SABKAN.—At New Tusket, April 30th, Haines Sabkan, aged 75 years and 6 months.

ARNOLD.—On March 25th, at East Iddore, aged two years, Glenwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Arnold.

BLAKENY.—On April 15th after a brief sickness, aged two months, Willis Jenner, son of Lemuel and Ermina Blakeny.

RICHARDSON.—At South Bar, C. B., April 17th, of consumption, William Richardson, in the 26th year of his age. He was the son of the late John Richardson and leaves a widowed mother, brothers, and sisters, with a large circle of friends to mourn his departure.

PHINNEY.—At Amherst, N. S., Oct. 30, 1902, Henry Phinney, in the 39th year of his age, leaving a wife and four small children to mourn their loss. He had committed his soul to Christ and rested on him alone as his hope of life and peace with God.

MACCULLY.—At Port Greville, N. S., March 27th, Emma, beloved wife of Emerson MacCully, aged 48 years. Our sister was much respected and loved by all who knew her. Her husband and twelve children have the sympathy of their many friends.

STEVENS.—At Parrsboro, N. S., April 21, aged 71, leaving his wife and son and two daughters to mourn their loss. Our brother had a good hope through grace. He and his son who was then but a little boy were baptized on the same day about forty years ago.

GOODICK.—At Sandy Point, April 12th, Mrs. Catherine J. W. Goodick, relict of the late Thomas P. Goodick. She was baptized into the Sandy Point and Jordan Bay church by Rev. John McKennie of blessed memory. While able to attend, her seat in God's house was filled and she expressed joy when called to the Upper Home.

MCDERMID.—At Highlands, Carleton Co., April 15th, Elizabeth, widow of Angus McDermid, entered into rest at the age of 73 years. Fifty years ago this sister and her husband professed faith in Christ and were baptized in the fellowship of the Titusville Baptist church in Upham, Kings County. Ten years later they removed to this part of the province and out of the wilderness formed a home for themselves. Later on they assisted in erecting the edifice for worship that stands on the land they cleared, and a little farther up the hillside their bodies rest in the beautiful cemetery, also a bequest of theirs for such. Their home was ever open to God's servants, and their hands were reached out to do good to all. Three sons and five daughters mourn the loss of a loving Christian mother.

SANFORD.—At Delhaven, Kings Co., N. S., Rebecca A. Sanford, wife of the late Charles Sanford, in the 84th year of her age passed away. In early life she sought the Saviour, confessed him as her Lord, was baptized by Rev. Edward Manning and united with Pereaux Baptist church. For many years she was a patient sufferer from her chamber, for more than thirty years, she sent forth her prayers and her offerings to bless the world. For her it may be said "she hath done what she could." She was the mother of six children. Three of them survive her, Mrs. Samuel McKeen, Mrs. Asahel Bentley, and Mrs. (Dr.) Loss Holmes. She was also the grandmother of nine children and the great grandmother of sixteen children. A large number of relatives and friends were in attendance at her funeral which was conducted by her pastor, Rev. I. A. Corbett.

HURRY.—The family of Mr. George Hurry, of North River, P. E. I., have recently had to pass through the deep waters in a particularly trying manner. On the 24th of February, Mrs. Hurry's third daughter, Emma, passed to the Land of Rest, after a lingering illness. Emma was eighteen years old; and for two years had been a consistent member of the North River Baptist church, and her last moments were bright with the dawn of Eternal Day. Again, on April 9th, after a week's illness, another daughter, Sadie, joined the majority, at Vancouver, B. C., where she has resided for several years. She was also a member of the North River church and a faithful Christian. Mr. Hurry said adieu to mortality several years ago. Slater Hurry and her four remaining children have the sympathy of the entire community, and the loving support of Him who declares, "My grace is sufficient for you."

PRIEST.—Abbie Ada, beloved wife of Deacon James Priest, fell asleep in Jesus at her late home, Oxford Junction, on April 11th, aged 42 years. About eighteen years ago she professed faith in Christ and with her husband was baptized at Truro by Rev. J. E. G. Ucher. She united with the River Philip church when it was organized and was a faithful member until called to the church triumphant. The funeral was largely attended and services were conducted by the pastor of the Oxford group of churches. Beautiful floral tributes were placed on the casket by friends and members of the church. The body was conveyed to Valley cemetery near Truro and laid to rest by that of her mother. Brother Priest and their adopted son Arthur have the sympathy of the whole community. Beside husband and son our late sister leaves a father, a brother and two sisters to mourn their loss.

We are not of these who imagine that prohibition would deliver our country from all evils, nor yet that such a measure would issue in all that some men promise along the line of temperance. And still we firmly believe in the principle, and hope to see some of its good fruits abound in our fair land. From time to time testimony is borne to its results by those who live where prohibition has been enacted, and where with more or less stringency its laws have been enforced. The following selection from a reliable paper seems timely:

Prohibition although imperfectly enforced in some parts of Kansas, has been of incalculable value to the State. It has raised the standard of good citizenship.

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CONVENIENT BARN LADDER.

When I built my barn, I was for some time at a loss for a plan to build a stairway or ladder from the hallway to the mow above, one which would be entirely out of the way when not in use. This is the way I finally solved the problem: cut the opening to the mow in the centre of the hallway, then made a ladder of the proper length to reach from floor of hallway to the mow above. I had the blacksmith make two clips, one of which I bolted on the upper end of each side piece of the ladder. I also had two hooks made which I nailed to the framework of the opening. I then hung a hook from one of the joists at the opposite of the opening. Now by hanging the clips which are on the end of the ladder on the hooks attached to the framework of the opening the ladder can be swung up and hooked to the hook on the joist. This swings the ladder clear above my head and leaves hallway unobstructed.—W. D. Latahaw in Practical Farmer.

ODD BIBLE NAMES.

The Gutenberg Bible is the earliest book printed from movable metal type. It is in the Latin language, and was printed by Gutenberg at Mentz in 1450.

The Bug Bible is so called from its rendering of Ps 91: 5, "A'raid of bugs by night." It was issued in 1551. The Breeches Bible gets its queer name from its rendering of Gen 3: 7: "Making themselves breeches out of fig leaves."

The Place-Maker's Bible translates Matt 5: 9 as follows: "Blessed are the place-makers." It was printed in 1562.

The Treacle Bible translates Jer. 8: 22 thus: "Is there no treacle (instead of balm) in Gilead?" It was issued in 1568.

The Rosin Bible translates the same chapter and verse in Jeremiah: "Is there no rosin in Gilead?" Issued in 1609.

The He and She Bible reads Ruth 3: 15, thus: "She went into the city." The other has it: "He went into the city."

The Thumb Bible gets its name from its size, being one inch a quarter and an half thick. It was issued in 1670.

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Let us all resolve—First to obtain the grace of silence; Second, to deem all faultfinding that does no good a sin, and to resolve, when we are happy ourselves, not to poison the atmosphere for our neighbours by railing on them to remark every painful and disagreeable feature of their daily life; Third, to practice the grace and virtue of praise.—Harriet B. Stowe, Baptist Union.

Despatches from Sofia, Bulgaria, announce that a band of Macedonians recently surrounded and slaughtered forty Bashibazouks and fifteen gendarmes out of revenge for the murder of their leader, Capt. Saffi, who was recently killed in engagement in the district of Melnik. Vienna, April 24. The band subsequently captured the district Chief of Patriarchs and 60 soldiers, whom they strapped and released.

Dried sweet potatoes are said to be comparatively more palatable and more like the green product than are dried apples. The department of agriculture is preparing a bulletin which will tell how "sweets" can be dried and kept indefinitely.—Rx.

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