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Douglasstown, Que.

The family and community suffered a sad loss in the death of Mr. Martin McCabe which took place on Wednesday, June 6th. Mr. McCabe had been in poor health since a few months but during the last few weeks had shown considerable improvement in his condition and hopes were entertained for his ultimate recovery. On Tuesday, however, he was stricken with a stroke of paralysis and passed away peacefully, his death coming as a great shock to his family and friends. He was a son of the late Nicholas McCabe and his wife Bridget Campbell, natives of Ireland. Deceased was in

his seventy-fourth year and spent his life at his chosen calling of farming, and by industry and painstaking care won ample provision for his declining years. Sturdy for the right, a good neighbor. A man who followed the ways of peace and good-will with all men, he will be much missed. He leaves to mourn his sudden death his wife, formerly Margaret Walsh, three sons John of Douglas West, Alfred of Port Arthur, Ont., five daughters, Mrs. James Morrissey of Chandler, Misses Corinna, Marjorie, Alice and Edith at home also one brother, Mr. John McCabe of the North Western Province, three sisters (Sarah), Mrs. Lawrence Rooney, (Catherine), Mrs. Isaac Rooney, of Douglasstown and (Alice), Mrs. George Ashby of Ellery Cove, Que. His remains laid in state at his late home until Saturday morning, when his funeral service was held in our church. The cortege as it passed it away from his late residence in Douglas West to the church was indicative of the esteem in which he was held, not only in his own immediate district but throughout the surrounding villages for there were present people from many sections of the country who had been friends for as long as half a century of the late Mr. McCabe. The church of St. Patrick was becomingly draped for the occasion and Grand Mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. Father Ernest Myles who also officiated at the obsequies at the coffin. The body on entering the church was also received by the pastor and the altar boys. During the services at the church, several solos, appropriate to the occasion, were rendered by members of the choir of St. Patrick's and rarely has the walls of St. Patrick's echoed to such a melodious blending of voices. The music of the mass and Libera was faultlessly played by Miss Agnes Morris, the soloists were Messrs. Jerome Morris, Edmund Myles, Robert Rooney and Ben Kennedy. Relatives from out of town who attended the funeral were: Mr. James Morrissey, son-in-law of Chandler, Mr. Alfred McCabe, son of Montreal and Mrs. John Carberry of Grand River. The following friends and neighbors acted as pall-bearers: Messrs. Michael Walsh, John Foley, George McGrath, Joseph Walsh, Edward McDonald, Elias Briand and Joseph Bolduc. The marriage of Miss Mildred Gault, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gault of Douglasstown, Que., to Mr. Joseph Ball of Seal Cove, was quietly solemnized in St. Patrick's Church here on Monday morning, June 4th at six o'clock by the Rev. Father Ernest Myles, P.P. The bride who was attended by her sister, Miss Marie Gault as bridesmaid wore her travelling suit of navy blue serge and hat to match. Mr. Gilbert Briand of Seal Cove, acted as best man. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Ball drove to the station where they embarked on the express for a brief honeymoon trip to the Gaspé Coast, returning to their home in Seal Cove later.

ESTATE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Dennis Fitzgerald, late of Tide Head in the Parish of Addington and County of East-guiche. All persons indebted to the said Estate are required to make payment forthwith to James W. Fitzgerald, Administrator, and all creditors of the Estate are requested to file their claims duly proven within thirty days from date.

Dated at the Town of Campbellton, N. B., this thirty-first day of May, A. D., 1923.

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Control of Root Maggots

The aggressive subliminal treatment is now regarded as the most economical and efficient method of controlling the cabbage maggot, says a recent pamphlet issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. Radishes, garden and field turnips, cabbages and cauliflowers may all be treated with this substance without fear of injury. At least two treatments in the spring or early summer are necessary, but three are advisable in the majority of cases. Not only are the plants rendered free from attack by the treatment, but the effect on their growth is beneficial. Corrosive subliminal is used at the rate of one ounce to ten gallons of water and should be applied to the stem and roots of each plant at weekly intervals after egg-laying has commenced, which in most sections of Canada usually about the middle of May in a normal season. On the Pacific Coast of British Columbia however, eggs may be laid early in April.

The Onion Maggot

For control of the onion maggot, two methods that have been found satisfactory, namely, the poisoned bait method and the trap crop method. When the flies are active, which occurs especially on bright, warm days, the following bait can be beneficially used: Sodium arsenite $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce dissolved in a gallon of boiling water and a pint of molasses added. Place from twenty to forty pans, dishes, china saucers, filled with the bait, on the soil surface of each acre when the seedling onions are from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 inches high, and then on four or five later occasions as warranted. Excellent results have also been obtained by sprinkling the bait mixture in large drops over the soil and foliage of onions and neighbouring vegetation.

Under the trap crop method, the culls of last season's crop are planted, 100 feet apart. Their earlier leaf growth attracts the fly. The trap plants are pulled up about June 15, and destroyed.

It should be remembered that both poisons are extremely virulent and should be kept out of reach. The pamphlet referred to, is entitled "Root Maggots and Their Control," and can be had free on request.

Chandler now of this village. The ceremony took place at eight o'clock and was performed by Rev. Father Ernest Myles, brother of the groom. Mr. Val. Maloney of Barachois and Mr. Michael Myles of Chandler acted as witnesses. Following the ceremony at the church, a wedding breakfast, which was attended by many friends and relatives, was served at the residence of the bride's parents, supper was served at the groom's home. The bride and groom were recipients of many useful and appreciated gifts. They will make their home in Douglasstown.

Mr. Thomas Morris, assistant at the Atlantic, Quebec and Western Railway stations in Gaspé Harbour, moved here in company with Mr. Jas. H. Morris on Thursday.

Mrs. Robert Rooney is now staying for the summer months with her mother, Mrs. Charles Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome White and children of Brilliant Cove, spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Smith E. Baird.

Miss Jennie M. McAuley is here from Montreal on her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAuley and sister Mrs. H. D. Kennedy.

Messrs. Robert and Allan Baird were business visitors to Percé, Que., on Monday.

The Rev. Father Ahles, parish priest of St. Adolphe de Pabon, Que., paid a flying visit to Rev. Father Myles here last week.

Miss Violet Rooney will leave next day morning, June 6th in St. Patrick's Church, Douglasstown, Que., of Miss Sheila M. Maloney, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Maloney of this place to Mr. Edmund Myles, son of Mrs. James Myles, formerly of

CAN YOU DRIVE AN AUTOMOBILE

Slogans of Better Safe Than Sorry Campaign—Take No Chances

The City Business Club of Philadelphia recently offered prizes for the best set of fifteen automobile driving rules in a "Better-Safe-Than-Sorry Campaign." Since a great many "Wear-Em" men drive cars, these rules will be of interest. Here is the prize-winning set, reprinted from the Philadelphia Public-Leader.

"Never take a chance; Let the other fellow do it."

"Be sure your brakes are good; it's better to have good brakes, than a broken neck."

"Put your hand out; the driver behind you cannot read your mind."

"Blow your horn; It's cheaper to have your battery charged than to be charged with murder."

"Keep to the right; Let the Road Hog pay the fines."

"Always be on the watch for Jay-hawkers; They pop up when least expected."

"Keep your eyes on the road; the moment you turn your head to talk in when it happens."

"Be Cautious—Don't Rush Ahead thinking you have the right of way. The other fellow may not know the law as well as you."

"Slow up and blow your horn at every street crossing; The street you miss is where you'll get it."

"Don't pass a standing trolley; Others have tried it to their sorrow."

"Don't try to hook traffic; You always end up in a jam."

"Don't cross the other fellow for obstructing traffic; Make sure you are not doing the same thing."

"Always remember that the other fellow may not have the control over his car that you have over yours; So give him a chance."

"Don't make a left hand turn if you can avoid it; Drive around the block and save the price of a new car."

"Don't race with the other fellow; If he is in a hurry to go to a hospital let him go; Don't let him take you down."

"Remember; 'Drive slow' with no fines to pay and 'live' to drive another day."

The Precious Blood, Superior of the Congregation of the Holy Rosary. Mr. Gilbert Briand of Seal Cove has recently purchased a horse from the Howard Smith Pulp Company in Sandy Beach.

Mr. Donald Moran of Gaspé Basin, spent Sunday in this village with friends.

Mr. Thomas Morris who has been attending college in Moncton, N. B., arrived home last week for the summer holidays and is staying with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Morris.

Last Sunday being the feast of Corpus Christi the usual procession through the streets was not held owing to the weather.

Miss Lillian Carberry left on Thursday morning for Montreal to attend the wedding of her sisters which are taking place this month.

Mr. T. Paulmier from Barachois, was a business visitor to our village on Monday.

during the course of the past week. Mrs. Arthur Ste. Croix of Chandler, was a visitor to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAuley and Mrs. Hector D. Kennedy on Tuesday.

Weather during the past week has been very fine with plenty of sunshine, farming operations have finished, but rain is needed to start everything growing.

Mr. James H. Morris had the misfortune of having one of his valuable cows killed by the train the other morning.

Mrs. John Carberry of Grand River spent a few days here last week the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Myles and Mrs. Xavier Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Maloney motored here from Barachois on Wednesday to attend the wedding of the latter's sister, Miss M. McAuley to Mr. E. Myles.

Mr. Gilbert Briand of Ontario is spending a few weeks at his home in Seal Cove.

Mr. Joseph Holland met with a serious accident the other day, having had his hand badly cut. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Quite a few of the fishermen have launched their boats and have started on their summer's work with the fishing. Up to date some fine catches have been made. Lobsters are more plentiful than at the opening of the season, also herring are being caught.

Mr. Michael Myles from Chandler came here on the 6th inst., to attend the wedding of his brother Mr. Edmund Myles.

ESTATE NOTICE. Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the Estate of Robert L. Duncan to make payment of all debts, bills or accounts due the estate, at once.

All creditors of the Estate are requested to file their claims, duly proven, within three months from this date.

(Sgd.) ARCH. F. FERGUSON, Executor. M. A. K. Proctor. May 31-4wks.

His Difficulty. The form-master was angry when Thomas appeared ten minutes late for school one morning.

"Why are you late, Tommy," he said sharply.

"Please, sir," replied the sinner, "it was late when I started from home."

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CANADA GOOD ENOUGH.

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We don't know, of course, how far Germany will go in the matter of settling reparations, but we feel obsessed with the notion that she'll not overpay and then add with a careless wave of the hand, "keep the change."

Plain Words.

Keeper—"I say, are you fishing with a permit?" Angler (coolly)—"No, just with worms."



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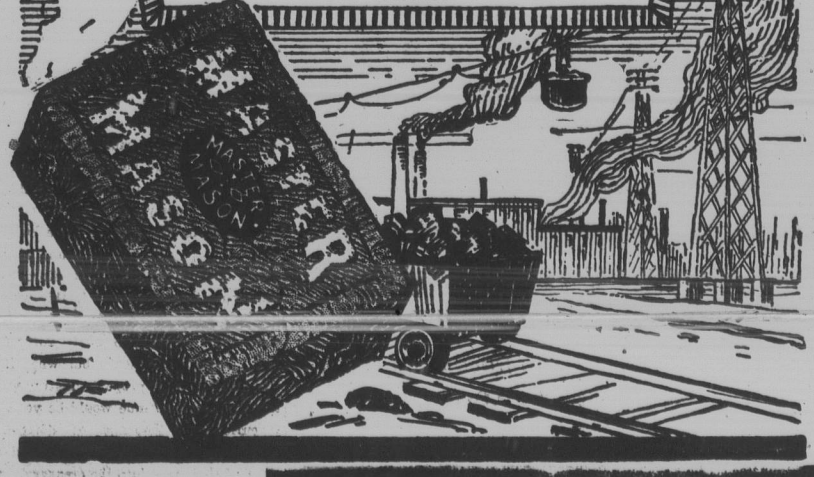
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