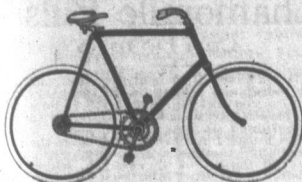


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MARRIAGES.

MCCUTT-BLACKMORE.—At Truro, June 17, by Rev. T. B. Layton, Ross McCutt, of Truro, and Mary Jane Blackmore, of North River.

CHISHOLM-COCKELL.—At Truro, July 7, by Rev. T. B. Layton, Joseph C. Chisholm, of Great Village, and Alice L. Cockell, of Acadia Mines.

SHARPE-STEVENS.—At the residence of the bride's parents, June 30, by Rev. C. J. Steeves, T. Bartlett Sharpe, of Dover, N. H., to Marjorie L. Steeves, of Hillsboro, Albert Co.

TYNER-HURDER.—On the 9th ult, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. J. A. Gordon, M. A., John Tyner and Nellie Hurder, both of St. John.

MACLEAN-ROBERTS.—On 7th inst, by Rev. J. A. Gordon, M. A., Alexander Maclean, of New York, and Lily May Roberts, of St. John, N. B.

MURCH-PICKER.—At the home of the bride's father, June 30, by Rev. W. J. Rutledge, Charles O. Murch, of Lowell, Mass., and Fannie A., daughter of John S. Picker, of Woodstock, N. B.

CURRIE-DELANEY.—At Springhaven, June 30, by Rev. M. W. Brown, William Currie, of Springhaven, and Hannah Delaney, of Acadia, Yarmouth Co.

ROBINSON-WILDS.—At the Baptist parsonage, Digby, July 6, by Rev. Byron H. Thomas, Daniel Robinson and Mrs. Mina Wilds, both of Parker's Cove, Annapolis Co., N. S.

SMITH-MULLEN.—At the home of the bride's father, June 15, by Rev. H. A. Giffin, Thomas Smith, of Weymouth, to Mabel Mullen, of New Tusket.

MCDONALD-CHAPMAN.—At Windsor, June 30, by Rev. A. A. Shaw, John Montrose McDonald, of Upper Nine Mile River, Hants Co., and Jeneva Josephine Chapman, of Waverly, Mass.

ROACH-GROGAN.—In the Methodist church, North Kingston, N. S., on 30th ult, by Rev. J. S. Coffin, Ashby R. Roach, merchant, and Lila L., daughter of John Grogan, of North Kingston.

McELHINNEY-SOMERVILLE.—At the Baptist parsonage, Florenceville, N. B., July 7th, by Rev. A. H. Hayward, John F. McElhinney, of Argyle, Aberdeen, to Lucy A., daughter of Thomas Somerville, Esq., Biggar Ridge.

CONNERS-DOAK.—At the residence of David Ward, Blissfield, July 8th by Rev. M. P. King, Jas. R. Connors, of Blackville, to Dora Doak of Blissfield.

WYNACHT-WHAGLE.—At Bridgewater, N. S., on the 8th inst., by Rev. A. H. C. Morse, A. B., Allen Wynacht, to Lucretia Whagle, both of Camperdown, Lunenburg Co., N. S.

DEATHS.

KINNEY.—At Spragues Mills, Aroostock Co., Me., July 4th, of consumption, Annie M., aged 23 years, daughter of James S. and the late Layna Kinney, of Oromocto, Que. Co.

JOHNSON.—At Port Lorne, June 13, of paralysis, Arie Johnson, aged 79 years. She had been a Christian and church member for many years, and lived a quiet, consistent, Christian life. In the absence of the pastor her funeral services were conducted by Bro. Benj. Miller, Lic., of Bridgetown.

RUDDERHAM.—At Sidney, May 31, Mary Rudderham, aged 32 years. Although she was confined to her bed during the past year, yet she bore her sickness with a marked degree of Christian patience. From the first of her sickness to the end she manifested unshaken trust in her Saviour. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

KINNE.—At Moncton, May 11th, Rachel, widow of the late William Kinne, aged 76 years. She was a member of the Germantown Baptist church. It may be said indeed of her "To know her was to love her." Her Christian life, though quiet, spoke powerfully for the cause of Christianity. For her to live was Christ, and to die, gain.

ELLS.—At Cooper, Maine, June 10, after a short, but severe illness, Seretta, beloved wife of Howard Ellis, aged 44 years. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, of Port Lorne. She united with the church in her native place while young, and after removing to the United States joined a Baptist church there. She was a true Christian and died submissive to the Divine will and happy in her Saviour's love. She leaves, beside her parents and friends at home, a husband and one daughter.

CRAIG.—At Woodstock, N. B., June 26, Herbert, youngest son of the late Wm. P. Craig, of Woodstock, aged 22 years. This amiable young man and darling of his recently widowed mother, met instant death in the railway accident, which occurred on the C. P. R., about seven miles from this town, at eleven o'clock on the evening of the above date. Deceased had been attending to his duty as brakeman on the ill-fated train when the sudden crash came which hurled him into eternity. May all grace be given to the widowed mother, our Sister Craig, to comfort her in her heavy sorrow.

GIUSE.—We are much grieved to state that our much beloved Deacon Giuse, of St. Leonard, left this present world, with the hope of a glorious reunion with his loved ones gone before, and those coming after, at the throne of God. Our dear brother became a New Testament believer and was baptized by Rev. Mr. Henderson, some 3 or 4 years ago, and has been an example for his neighbors, a pillar in his church and a Christian light, which never was hid under a bushel ever since. Deacon Giuse was 74 years of age. He leaves an aged companion and nine children to mourn the loss of a beloved husband and father. Peace be with his remains.

PAGE.—At Rockland Shelburne Co., N. S., July 1st, Mrs. Margaret Page, aged 64 years. Mrs. Page was the widow of the late Captain Bradford Page, so well and favorably known as a faithful Christian and skillful seaman. For more than 40 years Sister Page has been a quiet, but earnest and faithful member of the Rockland Baptist church. Better known by good deeds than by words, and more noted for genuine humility than for any kind of public display. Such a life is only fully appreciated when it is no longer with us. Her trust in Jesus never faltered. She leaves two daughters. She was a native of county Clare Ireland.

CAMERON.—On June 28, at Mill Cove, Richard, son of Deacon Cameron, aged 20 years. His last sickness was of short duration, but was most painful. Happily before the end the pain abated, and he enjoyed great peace of body and soul. A few years since he was converted and baptized; and the genuineness of his Christian experience was apparent to all. He was enabled on his death-bed to triumph gloriously. To his younger brother and other unavailing relatives he uttered earnest and loving exhortations, urging them to be reconciled to God. The present writer, his pastor, was privileged to be with him in the closing moments of his life. To questions concerning his faith and hope, he answered clearly and confidently. As we think of it we are constrained with fresh emphasis to utter the oft-quoted words: "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord." His funeral, which took place on July 1st, was attended by a very large number, Mill Cove meeting house being crowded for the memorial service. It was conducted by Rev. C. W. Tufts, who was assisted by Revs. A. B. Macdonald and F. Wright.

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No Respector of Persons.

When Admiral de Horsey, at Port Royal, was one night returning to his flag-ship alone, his way to the boat led across the barrack square. A black sentry of one of the West India regiments halted him at the gate with "Who goes dar?" Great was the admiral's annoyance to find he had neglected to get the password. "That's all right," he said carelessly, hoping to overcome the man's scruples by indifference: "you know who I am." "Dunno know nobody, sar," replied the nigger pompously; "you can't go in dar." "Why, I'm Admiral De Horsey!" "Well you can't go in," was the reply. "I don't care if you's Admiral De Donkey, I don't." [Household Words.]



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