

OBITUARY

Albert Fawcett

At Nortondale on Feb. 3rd, Albert Fawcett, aged 72 years, passed away. Those who mourn their loss are a wife, two sons, Hedley and Hughie, at home, one daughter, Mrs. Ray Sharpe, of Pembroke; four step-children, Mrs. Percy Stewart, Mrs. Nettie Bear, John Harley and Bentley Harley.

Mrs. Zora Fox, East Waterville, and Mrs. John F. Allen, of Pokiok, are sisters. Mr. Fawcett was a loving husband and kind father. For several years he had been afflicted and his death was not unexpected.

The funeral service was held at Temperance Vale and interment made in the family cemetery. Services conducted by the writer on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 6th.

L. T. SABINE.

Charles Barnette

After a few days illness following a paralytic stroke, Charles Barnette passed from this life Feb. 18th. He was born at Hodgeson, Me., and moved to Greenbush, N. B., some thirty-five years ago where he had been engaged in farming and other pursuits since that time. He is survived by one son, Wallace, two brothers, Allen and Alexander; two sisters, Eliza and Mary Ann, and a number of other relatives and friends. Mr. Barnette was seventy-five years of age, a good neighbor and friend. The funeral was conducted from his home on the afternoon of Feb. 20th, the writer officiating. His body was placed in the Middle Southampton cemetery by the side of his wife who had predeceased him seven years. We sympathize with those who mourn.

P. W. BRIGGS.

Mrs. William Benson

We are sorry to have to report the death of Mrs. William Benson, who passed peacefully away at her home on the early morning of March 1st, after a short illness of about two weeks. She had been in her usual good health until seized with an attack of lagrippe, when complications set in, resulting in her speedy death. Sister Benson was a woman of sterling Christian character, and a member of the Reformed Baptist Church. She will be much missed from her usual place in the services as well as in the life of the community. She leaves to mourn two sons and three daughters, besides brothers and sisters, all residing in this community.

The funeral was held on Friday, March 4th, and was largely attended. The singing was in charge of a choir selected from the choirs of the U. B. and R. B. Churches, and was beautifully rendered. The writer preached the funeral sermon from Psalms 107:30, "Then are they glad because they be quiet; so he bringeth them unto their desired haven."

Rev. Mr. Crossman of the U. B. Church was present and assisted in the service. The remains were laid to rest in the local cemetery besides the body of her late husband, who predeceased her about two years ago.

H. C. MULLEN.

Seal Cove, N. B.

Ruth Marie Milley

The death of Ruth Marie Milley, four-day-

old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Milley, Union street, Saint John, occurred Monday, Feb. 7th. The funeral was held Tuesday morning at Brenan's undertaking rooms and the body was placed in the vault at Cedar Hill cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. P. J. Trafton. The stricken parents have our sympathy as this was their first-born.

Sarah L. Colpitts

Sarah L., the wife of Rev. B. Colpitts, departed this life at Woodstock on March 3rd at the ripe old age of ninety-three years and three months. She was the daughter of the late John McLeod, of Portage, Kings Co., the last one of a family of fourteen.

She leaves behind the husband, with whom she had spent over sixty-four years as wife through the various vicissitudes of life. There are three children living: Bertram M., at Woodstock; Mrs. Harry D. Reid, of Plymouth, and Mrs. W. B. McLeod, of Woodstock. Also twelve grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. The children can look back and see in many ways in which she left her impress for good on their lives.

The funeral service was in charge of Pastor E. W. Lester, who spoke from Psalm 17:15, giving a very appropriate message. He was assisted by Revs. L. T. Sabine, H. S. Dow and P. J. Trafton. The last time she prayed at the family altar she prayed more earnestly than usual. Kind friends sent a beautiful assortment of flowers.

Mrs. Hall Wallace

At her home in Lower Hainesville on March 6th, Mrs. Hall Wallace passed peacefully away at the age of 39 years. She leaves to mourn her early departure, her husband and five children, father and mother, George and Mrs. Billings, four brothers and four sisters, and many friends and relatives.

The funeral services were largely attended and held on Tuesday following, conducted by the writer. The floral offerings were beautiful.

To the bereaved ones the entire community expresses its deepest sympathy.

L. T. SABINE.

QUARTERLY MEETING.

The quarterly meeting of District No. 3 convened with the church at Seal Cove, N. B., Feb. 24th-27th, 1927.

On Thursday evening, Brother P. H. Greene, gave us the opening message from Luke 13:24, emphasizing the fact very forcefully that in the strong current which opposes us we most earnestly strive in order to enter in through the straight gate. One young man sought salvation at the close.

Friday evening, Rev. H. C. Archer preached from Mark 2:3, using these words, "Borne of four," this was a good message to show us the responsibility of the church in bringing sin sick souls to Jesus.

On Saturday afternoon at 2.30 a small business session was held. In the absence of the president, Rev. H. C. Archer was chosen chairman. Prayer was offered by Brother Henry Benson. Minutes of last meeting read and adopted. The following officers were chosen:

Rev. H. C. Mullen, President.

Rev. H. C. Archer, Vice President.

Mrs. H. C. Mullen, Secretary.

Brother Fred Wilson, Treasurer.

Brother Edward Thomas, Highway Agent.

Devotional Committee, Rev. H. C. Mullen.

Brothers Lorne Wilson, Edward Thomas and Henry Benson.

Ministers present: Rev. H. C. Archer and Rev. H. C. Mullen. Rev. C. R. Hagerman absent on account of illness.

Delegates from Seal Cove—Robert Greene and Calvin Benson.

Calais Church reports services well attended and seasons of blessing. Some have been seeking salvation since last quarterly meeting. Sunday School attendance increasing.

North Head reports the blessing of the Lord upon them and the work well sustained. One man recently started anew in the prayer meeting.

Verbal reports were given from Seal Cove by Brothers Greene and Benson to the effect that the Spirit of God is working in the services, the prayer meetings being special seasons of helpfulness and blessing. One young man was reclaimed a short time ago.

Rev. H. C. Archer spoke encouragingly of the work at North Head.

Moved by Rev. H. C. Archer, seconded by Brother Edward Thomas, that the quarterly meeting protest against the proposed opening of an export house for liquor in the City of Saint John.

Brother Archer also spoke of the urgent need of the extension of the home work and the maintenance of a home missionary continually in the field.

The usual vote of thanks given to the Church for entertainment of the quarterly meeting.

The place and date of the next quarterly meeting to be arranged by the officers.

Saturday evening service was small as the severe storm continued throughout the evening. Rev. H. C. Archer gave us an encouraging message for the occasion from the "four anchors" we need in the storms of life, taking his message from Acts 27:29.

Sunday morning love feast led by Brother Henry Benson followed by preaching by Rev. H. C. Archer from Acts 9:11. All who profess to follow Christ need to live on the "Street which is called Straight."

Brother P. H. Greene gave the closing message at 7 p. m. "The Master is come and calleth for thee." Two souls were at the altar.

We feel that the quarterly meeting was a time of blessing and encouragement to the Church.

MRS. H. C. MULLEN,
Secretary.

MARRIED

At Minneapolis, Minn., Wednesday, Feb. 2nd, 1927, Dorothy Evelyn Johnson, of Flint, Mich., and Alfred H. Trafton, eldest son of Rev. P. J. Trafton, were united in marriage by Rev. Henry P. Dewey, pastor of Plymouth Church. The happy young couple will reside at 1830 Stevens Ave., Apt. 26.

At the Reformed Baptist parsonage, Woodstock, N. B., Feb. 17th, 1927, by Rev. E. W. Lester, Mr. John Lyford Rowe and Miss Gertrude Opal McAllister, of Derby, Maine.