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The community of McAskill River and adjacent country was saddened by the news of the death of Andrew McKinnon on July 17th, 1918, aged 67 years. Deceased was well and favorably known in the community in which he spent the greater part of his life. Some years ago he went to California and remained there several years until failing health necessitated his return home about three years ago. He engaged in the grocery business and by strict attention to business and genial manner built up a good trade. The funeral to St. Peter's Church was largely attended the large number of people attending bearing witness to the esteem in which he was held. Com. (Boston and California papers please copy.)

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. George Palmer, Mount Royal in the death of their infant daughter Greta Jane aged 16 months and 3 days. Little Greta had been a great sufferer for about 4 months. All that medical skill and careful nursing could do was of no avail and on Monday July 15th the little spirit passed to Him who said, "Suffer Little Children to Come Unto Me". Besides the sorrowing parents one little sister Doris is left to mourn the little loved one. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon 16th. Rev. Robert Murray conducting the services at the home and grave. Four of the little neighbor boys, George Buchanan, Harry McDonald, Willie McDonald and Malcolm Buchanan were pall bearers. The little remains were laid to rest in Bloomfield Cemetery.

There passed away at St. Peter's Road, Cardigan, on Monday, July 15th Mrs. Margaret MacLeod, relict of the late Norman MacLeod at the advanced age of 89 years. The deceased was one of the oldest residents in that section of the country. She was born in Raasay, Scotland, in the year 1829, and emigrated to this province with her parents, when it was a primeval forest in the year 1830. The late Murdoch MacLean and family settled in Upper Belle Creek, known now as Melville. The late Mrs. MacLeod was of genial and cheerful disposition. She endeared herself to all who knew her. She retained her faculties to the last, and died trusting in the merits of her Redeemer. She leaves to mourn two sons, Alexander, of Galtton, Pa., and Murdoch, with whom she resided, and five daughters, Mary wife of Daniel Dewar, Roxbury, Mass. Mrs. Frank Boyn, Mass.; Mrs. Daniel McLean, St. Peter's Bay; Mrs. Jessie Oliver, Alberton, P. E. I., and Maggie at the Falconwood Hospital, Charlottetown. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. D. McVicar in the Presbyterian Church, Cardigan. Her remains were laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. Blessed are they who die in the Lord.

The death of Mr. John Sherren of St. Catherine's, on the 15th of June, cast a gloom not only over this community, but also over the adjoining settlements, as John was a general favorite among both young and old. Of a vigorous constitution he was one of the last we would suppose would be called away. But God's ways are not our ways, nor His thoughts as our thoughts. His sickness was of a lingering nature, yet all was borne with patience and entire submission to the will of his heavenly Father. His trust and confidence were firmly fixed on the only Saviour of men, the Lord Jesus Christ. It seems hard to see a young man of splendid character called away from earth, whilst many that we at least think are not much good for anything left here, but God does all things wisely, and the short of this life the longer immortality. He leaves to mourn the loss of a dutiful son and affectionate brother, a father and mother, five brothers and five sisters, viz.: Hector in Canoe Cove, Neil and Peter in Grand Forks B.C., James on military service, Geo. at home, Mrs. Jas. Taylor, Charlotte town, Mrs. John MacLean, Providence, R.I., Mrs. Donald MacLean, DeSable; Mrs. Walter Carson, Bonshaw, and Mrs. Alexander MacDougall. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. D. MacLean and were attended by a large number of people. Messrs. James MacFadyen, Daniel MacFadyen, John MacBeachern, Seymour MacLean, Neil MacKenzie and John Laurie acting as pall-bearers. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord; yea saith the spirit that they may rest from their labors and their works do follow them."—Com.

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A sad gloom was cast over the community of Tryon, May 11th inst., when Jane Dawson, beloved wife of John F. McNeill passed peacefully from this world of Life Eternal. Deceased was 71 years of age and a devout member of the church of Scotland. Till about two months previous to death she had seemingly enjoyed the best of health and although death was expected it came as a shock to her many friends and relatives. All that loving hands and skillful care could do was of no avail. She leaves to mourn besides a sorrowing husband one son Thomas; also two daughters Mrs. Albert Mabey and Margaret all living in Tryon. The funeral took place at her home in Tryon May 13th. Rev. Waldron McQuarrie Presbyterian Pastor at Bedouque officiating. The large number of people which gathered at the home and followed the remains to Cape Traverse Cemetery show the esteem which they held for the once cheerful character who lay at rest.

HOME FOR BURIAL.—The remains of Miss Della Matheson, who died in Montreal recently were brought to this province on Tuesday August 6 and forwarded to her old home church at Montague, where at 2 o'clock on Wednesday the pastor Rev. W. J. Donville, preached the funeral sermon from the text, "Be ye also ready, for in such an hour as ye think not the Son of man cometh." The speaker in his usual pleasing style portrayed the Home of the departed saved, but laid particular emphasis on, "The stage of preparation here." He made it very clear, that we must prepare on earth, if we wish to inherit that "Crown of Life which is undefiled and fadeeth not away." The late Miss Matheson who was only 24 years of age, was the daughter of Mrs. Maude Matheson and granddaughter of Mr. William VanDerstine formerly of Montague, but now of Edmonton. With her only sister Stella, she spent her childhood with her parents at Montague, where they received their education, afterwards going to Montreal as stenographers where they lived very happily with their widowed mother for several years, until Stella after being married only a short time died from a lingering illness, leaving Della, who was waited upon very patiently by her mother during her many months sickness. Mrs. Matheson has the sympathy of a host of friends as she mourns for her only children. The burial was in Lower Montague Cemetery.—T

MUNN—MUNN WEDDING.—At the home of the bride on the evening of the 7th of June the marriage of Mr. S. N. Munn, a young and prosperous farmer of Wood Islands was united in marriage to Miss Olive Baxter, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Donald Munn of Mermaid, Lot 48. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. D. MacLean in the presence of a number of invited friends of the contracting parties. The bride was given away by her brother Jas. R. Munn. When the ceremony was concluded and the hearty congratulations of friends were given all were invited to the dining room where a rich repast had been prepared by the mother of the bride in her usual elegant manner, needless to say all did ample justice by partaking liberally of the rich things prepared for them. The remainder of the evening was spent with vocal and instrumental music and the entertaining of a number of young people who came clothed in various costumes to serenade the young couple. A table in the sitting room could scarcely hold the various gifts brought by the friends of bride and groom. Congratulations from the Guardian.

WEDDING BELLS.—A very pleasing event took place in Cardigan on July 10th inst., when Miss Laura Bell young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Finlayson, became the bride of Mr. Howard McKay, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Colin McKay of Bangor, P. E. I. The nuptial knot being tied by Rev. D. MacVicar. The fair young bride looked very winsome in a beautiful white dress with pale blue girdle and wore a large white plumed hat, and wore the conventional veil. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Ray Finlayson, who wore a charming costume of white. Mr. Harry McKay, brother of the groom, ably supported him. After the marriage ceremony was performed the bridal party drove to the home of the bride, where a sumptuous supper awaited them, served in Mrs. Finlayson's prevailing best style, after which other amusements followed. The happy couple were the recipients of many useful and valuable gifts from Africa, the British Isles and the United States, as well as from their many surrounding friends, testifying to the esteem in which the young couple are held. Mr. McKay is one of the young men Britain is proud to own, having enlisted in the 105th, and seen active service for nearly two years. After having been wounded severely he was given an honorable discharge and returned home in the early spring of 1918, and he has certainly done "his bit." Mrs. McKay is well known in Charlottetown, having been in that

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place for the past two months, and as she makes many friends wherever she is known, Charlottetown is no exception to the rule. Mr. McKay is certainly to be complimented on his good choosing in the matrimonial field. Their many friends join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. McKay joy, happiness and prosperity in their journey through life.

WEDNESDAY
OUTING ENJOYED.—The ladies of the Dundas Red Cross Society went by boat down the beautiful Grand River to "Shore Acres," the summer home of Dr. and Mrs. P. H. Thompson, on Wednesday, August 7th, where they spent a very pleasant afternoon. Besides the regular work carried on by the Society, the popular and efficient president, Mrs. L. McKay, of Bridgetown, introduced two new features in the work—the knitting of Afghans for ambulance covers, and the making of surgical jackets for our wounded boys in the hospitals in France.

Mr. James Paton, M. L. A., yesterday received the following telegram: "Sincerely regret to inform you Lieut. James Rowland Paton, Infantry, reported seriously ill in No. 8 General Hospital, Rouen, Aug. 10th, 1918. Gunshot wound left wrist and knee. Director of Records."

This news will be received with general regret, as Lieutenant Paton was one of the most popular young men of this city, and a decidedly fine type of young gentleman. He left here with the 105th Battalion and was afterwards transferred to the 13th Reserve Battalion and later to the 26th New Brunswick Battalion, popularly known as "The Fighting 26th." He has been in France since the first of January and has been continuously on duty since. A letter received from

him dated three weeks ago, stated that they were then camped in an old orchard. He was then engaged as a scouting officer, a particularly dangerous post. This was before the big advance began. From the nature of the wounds it would appear that Lt. Paton was leading his men into action, when they were received. It is to be hoped that good news may soon be received concerning him.

Miss Knox, Principal of the Havergal College, Toronto, gave a delightful and timely address in St. Paul's Hall last evening on "The Woman Question of Today." Woman's influence as one of the great factors in the solution of after the war problems was the keynote of this admirable address which was listened to with eager attention throughout.

The mother-training of the children the training in the day schools and the Sunday schools were each discussed in turn and through it all ran the golden thread of woman's influence on companions, on society on the nation.

Miss Knox is a pleasing speaker and of pleasing personality and her strong, wholesome, womanly address will long be remembered by all who heard it.

The Rev. T. W. Murphy presided and at the close presented Miss Knox with the hearty thanks of the audience.

WEDDING BELLS.—In the early morning on Wednesday August 7, in the presence of their immediate relatives and friends, the marriage of Francis H. MacKenzie of Lynn, Mass and Harriet A. Higgins was solemnized in St. Paul's Catholic Church, Summerside. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Father McLean. The wedding march was most beautifully rendered by the Rvd. Mother Superior of Summerside Convent. The

bride dressed in a gown of beautiful silk was attended by her sister Miss Bertha Higgins. The groom was ably supported by Mr. Charles Trainor of Elmwood, Lot 65. After the ceremony the bridal party returned to the home of the bride where a sumptuous breakfast was partaken of. Conspicuous among the decorations were the American and Canadian Flags. Mr. and Mrs. MacKenna left immediately for their home in Lynn, Mass., followed by the best wishes of all. En route they will visit the Groom's sisters of St. Vincent's Convent, St. John, N. B., also his Brother Mr. Charles MacKenna of Manchester, New Hampshire. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold locket and chain to the bridesmaid a gold necklace and to the groomsmen a gold watchchain and guard. The bride was the recipient of many useful gifts testifying the esteem in which she was held. Mr. MacKenna is a native of P. E. Island and is one of her successful sons in Uncle Sam's domain.

HOME IMPROVEMENT.—Mr. William O'Brien, assisted by Mr. Henry Sampson, Georgetown, has finished painting the residence of Mr. D. A. McDonald. The work reflects great credit on Mr. O'Brien, both for the tasteful blending of the colors as well as the skill with which they were applied. Mr. McDonald's beautiful residence is now a credit to the town. Mr. Chas. Johnson, the veteran painter and decorator, of Georgetown, has completed repainting the residence of Mr. James Hessian on Main St., and is now engaged, assisted by his son, Nathan, in repainting that of Mr. John Stewart, Water street. This work shows that Mr. Johnson has not lost his skill as a decorator. G

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