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FUNERAL TODAY—The funeral of Dorothy May Carver will take place this afternoon from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carver, 172 Kent Street. Service starting at 3.30 p.m.

CLYDE AND WEST RIVER—Services Sunday March 2nd, Clyde River 11 a.m. West River 3 p.m. Subject "The Great Invitation." Sabbath school in West River at 2 p.m. Evening service in Clyde River also at 7. Subject "Impotent Man Healed in Bethesda on the Sabbath Day."

BAPTIST CHURCH—At the Baptist Church evening an inspiring sermon was preached by Rev. G. S. Gardner. There was special music by the choir, as follows: Grand Overture in B (Bastie) by Prof. Ball; male duet, "The Battle Eve" (Bonheur) Messrs. Quigley and Dingwell; organ solo, Concerto in F (Handel) Prof. Ball; ladies' duet, "When the Wind Bloweth in from the Sea," (Smart) Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. Ball; organ solo, (a) Andantino in D Flat, (b) Gavotte from Mignon (Thomas) Prof. Ball; violin solo "La Serenata" (Braga) Miss Bernice Stultz; part song, "Comrades Song of Hope," (Adams) Baptist choir; God Save the King.

PERSONALS

Mr. W. H. Kirby, Salem, Ohio, is at the Victoria.

Hon. J. E. Sinclair left yesterday morning for Ottawa.

Miss Mary McDonald, Panmure Island, was a guest Saturday at the Revere Hotel.

Mr. A. A. Archibald, of the Dominion Live Stock Department, Truro, is at the Revere Hotel.

Messrs. Keith Boswell and E. Boswell, Victoria, were registered Saturday at the Queen Hotel.

Messrs. J. F. Arnett and A. C. Rogers, Summerside, were in the city Saturday.

Miss Marion MacGillivray and Miss Mary MacGillivray, Vernon, were guests at the Victoria Hotel on Saturday.

Mr. Charles Cuming leaves this morning for Ottawa to attend a convention of Marine Engineers of Canada.

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IN MEMORIAM

MRS. WILLIAM JOHNSTONE.

Relatives and friends scattered all over Canada have been saddened by the news of the death of Mrs. Will Johnstone on the morning of Feb. 20, 1924 at her home in Long River, P. E. I., at the age of thirty years. She was known and loved as Miss Vivian Howatt, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Howatt, French River, and when almost three years ago she came home from Drumheller, Alta., where she occupied a responsible position as Assistant Supt. of the Municipal Hospital, to become the bride of Mr. Wm. Johnstone, eldest son of Mrs. Andrew Johnstone, Long River, there was great rejoicing in her old home and among her friends on the Island. Some years ago Mrs. Johnstone trained as a nurse in the P. E. I. Hospital, and was most successful in her profession. She spent a year as Matron of the Good Samaritan Hospital in Dawson City, Yukon Territory, which, during that time, was swept by the "flu", and in the following autumn she again cared for "flu" victims during the severe epidemic in Montreal, from whence she was summoned to care for those at home, who were suffering from the same disease. After a winter at home, she was called to the important position in Drumheller, and it is impossible to estimate her service to the sick and suffering during those years of nursing.

Her married life began under the happiest auspices, and when a beautiful baby boy came to gladden the home, life seemed indeed full. About a year ago she suffered a severe attack of intestinal flu, and her recovery never seemed complete. In October she went to the Montreal General Hospital for expert advice, and her trouble was pronounced to be the dread disease cancer. She wished her doctors to tell her exactly what they discovered in an exploratory operation, and received the heavy news in a manner that won for her the admiration of all who saw her there, coming home with high courage and self-sacrificing devotion to spend the few months left to her on earth so as not to darken the lives of her loved ones. Her husband, his mother and sister, her own father and mother, sister and brothers—all who cared for her during the severe suffering of the past few weeks have only memories of her courage, cheerfulness and patience, as she waited trustingly for her rest, and it is of these things they will tell her little son Arthur, who, only a year and a half old, can scarcely realize that his mother has gone before.

Mr. and Mrs. Howatt have had fifty years of married life, and this is the first break in their family, of which the other members are, Irving B. of Edmonton and Bruce of Wetaskiwin Alberta, both lawyers; Charles M. in Norboro, P. E. I. Eliphalet at home, Mrs. Truman Best of Dawson City, Y. T. and Mrs. James Sims, French River. The funeral service attended by an unusually large number of people was held at Mrs. Johnstone's home Long River, on Friday afternoon, Feb. 22, by the Rev. George Millar of New River, assisted by Rev. A. W. Robertson of Kensington and Rev. J. M. Murchison of Mespereau. She was laid to rest in the cemetery of the Geddie Memorial Church, French River, the pall bearers being Messrs. Ernest Johnstone, Edwin Johnstone, Eliphalet Howatt, Charles M. Howatt, Oscar Johnstone and Joyce Hayes.

There passed peacefully away on Friday, Feb. 15th, 1924, at the home of her sister Mrs. John Ryker of Newark, New Jersey, Catherine Elizabeth May (Lilla) Matheson daughter of the late Ronald Matheson of Forest Hill, P. E. I., aged 25 years. The sympathy of all goes to the bereaved family and friends as Lilla was loved by every body. Her loving disposition and pleasant smile won her warm friends where ever she went. To know her was to love her. She was for some months in the Essex M. F. Sanatorium in Verona, New Jersey, and for two weeks before her death with her sister in Newark, New Jersey. All that medical attention and the care of loving sisters and brothers and friends could do failed to stay the messenger of death and her spirit passed to the Great Beyond.

She leaves to love and cherish her memory three sisters and two brothers. Mrs. O. C. Allen of Wood Haven, Long Island, Mrs. John Ryker of Newark, New Jersey, Ada of Woodhaven, L. I. Norman of Forest Hill, P. E. I., Miles of Woodhaven, L. I. Her father and mother predeceased her. Funeral services were held at the home of her sister Mrs. John Ryker of Newark, N. J., Saturday, Feb. 16th, at 8 p.m. and on Sunday morning the remains left New York for St. Peters, P. E. I., accompanied by her brother Miles Matheson and her friend Percy Robbins of Morell, and was taken from the station to her home in Forest Hill where funeral services were held on Thursday, Feb. 21st, at 2 p.m. The large procession which followed her to her last resting place showed the esteem in which she was held. The services were conducted by the Rev. W. E. Aitken assisted by Rev. J. M. McLeod of St. Peters, at the home and in the Presbyterian Church at Dundas of which she was a devoted member, afterwards her body was laid beside that of her father and mother in the cemetery adjoining.

The floral tributes were beautiful consisting of wreaths from Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. John Ryker, Ada and Miles Matheson, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Matheson, Mr. Harold Webster and Mr. Lloyd Robbins and many others. The pall bearers were neighbor boys, Garfield McLeod, John McBeth, Dan W. McPhee, Eflin McPhee, Sterling McSwain and Sheldon McSwain.

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1883.....	\$ 1,114,300	\$ 470,000	\$ 6,717,000
1893.....	\$ 1,500,000	\$ 1,200,000	\$ 10,441,000
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