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OLICE COURT—A man who
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11 a. m., Marshfield 2.30 p.
Brackley 7 p. m.. Hubert, T.
Pastor.

HFIELD SERVICES—The
y School will meet in the
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—Services for Sunday, March
s follows:—Fairview, 11 a.m.;
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Rev. M. O. Brinton, B. A.,
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s will continue next week.

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LTON PARISH SERVICES—
Sunday, March 1st, there will
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, at 11 o'clock in the morn-
h Administration of the Holy
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k there will be service at St.
's Church, Rustico. The Rev.
stace Purdie will officiate.

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MOUNT STEWART METHODIST CIRCUIT — Services will be held on Sunday, March 1st, Marie, 11 a. m. Subject "Missions" Mount Stewart, 3 p. m.

TRYON METHODIST CIRCUIT—Preaching services for Sunday, March 1st, Tryon 11 a. m. Crapaud 3 p. m. Victoria 7 p. m. Special preacher for the day from Mt. Allison University.

SUPREME COURT—At the Supreme Court at Georgetown yesterday the last case on the docket was heard before Chief Justice Mathieson. This was an appeal case from the County Court tried last August before Judge Fraser, Mr. Mark McGuigan for plaintiff and Mr. McQuaid for defendant. Judgment was reserved and the Court adjourned "sine die."

CORNWALL YORK INSTITUTE—The Feb. meeting of Cornwall York Institute was held on Monday evening Feb. 2nd. with Mrs. Annie McDonald Cornwall. A large number of visitors and members present. The usual business of the meeting was disposed of and a report of concert and basket social which was held on Jan. 14th, was given. The concert being voted by all present, as one of the best ever given in the Church Hall. The thanks of the Institute are due all those from outside the district who assisted in making it a success and also to Mrs. Frank Howard who so kindly loaned her piano. The sum of $57.90 being realized which goes toward the Cornwall Hall. The usual dainty lunch was served, after which a social hour was enjoyed by all. The March meeting, will be at the home of Mrs. Hector Murchison, York Point, Monday evening March 2nd.

WEDDING BELLS—A very pretty and quiet wedding was solemnized at St. Dunstan's Cathedral on Wednesday morning, Feb. 18th, when Miss Anastasia Murphy, daughter of Patrick Murphy, Millvale, became the bride of John E. Walsh, formerly of Hope River and now residing in Charlottetown. The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. Walsh of the Cathedral staff cousin of the groom. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Katherine, while the groom was ably supported by his brother, Louis. After a sumptuous wedding breakfast at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Wm. Dooley, King Street, the happy couple left by the 6.45 train on a short honeymoon tour. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Walsh visited the latter's home at Millvale, where a pleasant evening was spent, many friends of the newly married couple gathering to wish them many years of happiness. The many useful and expensive presents received from friends in the city and country testified to the popularity of the bride and groom.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. John Murray, New Wiltshire, desire to express their heartfelt thanks for the many acts of kindness and sympathy from neighbors and friends during their recent sad bereavement; the death of their son, Wilfrid Murray. 677

IN MEMORIAM

CHRISTINA POPE

Mr. and Mrs. William Pope of North Lake, P. E. I., have the sympathy of many friends in the passing away of their daughter, Christina at the early age of nineteen years. Christina was a bright happy hearted girl of a singularly sweet and beautiful disposition.

Kind, gentle and affectionate she was loved by all, and her early death is sincerely regretted in the community. In the home she was all that could be desired in daughter and sister. Her life as a christian was consistent, and she looked forward to her departure from earth without fear, confident that the Savior whose presence cheered her in her suffering would receive her unto Himself. Calmly she said "good-bye" to her loved ones, assuring them that all was well with her and asking them to be patient and trustful in their sorrow. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. W. R. MacWalker at the Christian Church on Sunday afternoon. Despite the severity of the weather, a very large audience assembled to show their esteem for the young woman whose life was so early terminated. The pastor chose as his text the words: "Weep not, she is not dead but sleepeth," and in the course of his remarks made mention of the beautiful life and the triumphant death of the departed.

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France's Potential Resources

Refunding External Debt. Latest reports indicate that France is about to proceed with the funding of her debt to Great Britain and the United States. This step, in the opinion of international bankers, will prove a powerful impetus in the rise of the franc. The aftermath of such refundment can best be gauged by the behaviour of the British Pound Sterling, which has recently scored a new high since the war of $4.80 per pound, or, within 6 cents of its par value. The Franc, during the early part of January showed strength and the movement, we believe, is but precursory, in view of the recent better tone of news, to a rise of greater proportions. As the current rate of exchange determines the future value of French Government 6% bonds present purchasers of these securities will have some splendid profits to show within the next few months.

Reparations. France is to receive large sums on her reparation account from Germany which will greatly enhance her treasury. The Ministry of Finance has issued a statement outlining the economic and financial situation. As it contains much information of interes to Canadian investors in French Government 6% Bonds we have summarised the statement as follows:—

The Government will shortly be in a position to increase its reimbursements to the Bank of France which will do away with the menace of inflation, while it will also help to stabilize the value of the franc in relation with foreign exchanges. The franc as a result, will then start to gain in value and so cause the cost of living to decrease.

The budgetary situation shows a steady improvement. In 1919 national expenditure exceeded revenue by nearly 24 billion francs in 1923, the general budget, which included all expenditure of government departments balanced; in 1924, the general budget will show an excess of revenue which will go a good way towards covering expenditures under the Special Budget for reconstruction of the devastated regions; in 1925, for the first time in eleven years, according to the present official estimates, all expenditures will be met by normal revenue.

The general economic situation shows a similar improvement. The uninterrupted development of France's foreign trade, the constant increase in revenue from all sources of taxation, the reconstruction of the devastated regions and the new wealth brought to the country by the return of Alsace Lorraine are all factors of prime importance to the nation's economic balance sheet.

In 1920 France's imports exceeded exports by 24 billion francs; today the situation is reversed and France is selling abroad more than she is buying. On the basis of the figures for the first six months of last year, the trade balance, for 1924, will be in France's favor to the extent of 3 billion francs.

Seventy-five per cent. of the total damage done by the German armies in the devastated regions of Northern France has now been made good and this remarkable result has been achieved by France alone. The provinces of the north have recovered their entire pre-war population of 4,278,000 inhabitants and the terrible ravages of war will soon be wiped out.

Most important of all, in concluding this statement of France's economic and financial condition, the French Minister of Finance points out that Germany has now declared herself willing to make reparations payments and that under the provisions of the Dawes plan 52 per cent. of these payments will be credited to France. These monies will be of substantial help in enabling the French Government to speed up the execution of its financial program which includes provision for the amortization of the public debt.

Area and Population. The total area of France, including Alsace-Lorraine, amounts to 212,659 square miles. The population of France in 1911 was 39,601,509, and that of Alsace-Lorraine in 1910 was 1,874,014. In 1921, France within its new boundaries, had 39,209,766 people. The total population of the republic, according to the latest available figures is 184 per square mile. In 1921 there were 1,550,449 foreigners in France. Paris, the capital, has 2,906,472 inhabitants, and Marseilles, Lyons, Bordeaux, and Lille are cities of over 200,000 population.

National wealth and resources. The national wealth of France was estimated in March 1922 as being about Fcs. 770,000,000,000 as compared with Fcs. 300 000,000,000 in 1913 and 190,000,000,000 prior to the Franco-Prussian war. The national income is estimated at Fcs. 82,000,000,000 as compared with 37,000,000,000 in 1914, while the value of foreign investments (largely reduced since the war) is placed at from Fcs. 17,500,000,000 to 21,000,000,000 (gold). In 1914 it was estimated at 42,000,000,000. French capital before the war had gone considerably into her colonies but in much larger amounts into older and larger foreign countries. The French investments in the United States, in Canada, South America, the Near East and the Far East were important factors, and the revenue from these foreign holdings probably aggregated about $400,000,000 per annum. The total debt of the Russian Government to the French Government was given as of January 1, 1923 at Fcs. 6,040,000,000 (gold) inclusive of Fcs. 995,-000,000 (gold) charge by the Bank of France for discounting Russian Government obligations. Advances to other countries amounted on January 1, 1923 to Fcs. 9,278,500,000, viz., Rumania, Fcs. 1,181,000,000, Jugo-Slavia Fcs. 1,795,000,000; Greece Fcs. 861,000,000; Poland Fcs. 1,056,000,000, Czecho-Slovakia, Fcs. 574,000,000; Belgium Fcs. 3,684,000,000; Italy Fcs. 49,000,000; exclusive of Fcs. 800,000,000 (gold) in supplies of materials to be covered to indefinite extent by value of Italian supplies of materials, Esthonia; Fcs. 10,500,000; Montenegro Fcs. 13,000,000. Lithuania Fcs. 6,000,000; Hungary Fcs. 1,000,000; Austria Fcs. 500,000; and Latvia Fcs. 11,000,000.

Transportation. France has 25,766 miles of railway. The principal lines include the Northern Railway, the Eastern, the Paris-Lyons-Mediterranean, the Paris-Orleans, the Southern (Midi) and the State Railway. The aggregate surplus of all lines amounted to Fcs. 403,-300,000 for 1922 as compared with a deficit of Fcs. 2,084,000,000 in 1921, and 3,012,000,000 in 1920. During 1923 the railways did decidedly better than during the preceding year. Gross receipts for the period January 1-November 11, 1923 aggregated Fcs. 6,166,804,900 as compared with Fcs. 5,838,784,800 for the corresponding period in 1922.

Navigable rivers total 4,512 miles and canals 3,031 miles. In 1914 there were 23,918 miles of national roads.

French shipping comprises 1,400 steamers and motor vessels of 2,963,229 aggregate gross tonnage; 338 sailing vessels of 281,965 aggregate gross tonnage; total 1,758 ships of 3,245,194 tonnage. The present shipbuilding schedule calls for a construction of 1,255,000 additional tons.

Foreign Trade. France commands a great export market. Her exports are destined chiefly for Great Britain, Belgium-Luxemburg, the United States, Switzerland, Italy, Germany, Argentina. They consist largely of silken goods, cottons, clothing, chemicals, wine, lace, automobiles, and hewn timber. French imports are coal and coke cereals, raw cotton, cast iron and steel, wool and machinery, and come in great quantity from the United States, Great Britain, Belgium, Argentina, Italy and Germany. Exports aggregated 19,187,000 tons in the first ten months of the past year as compared with 18,212,000 tons in 1922 and 17,846,000 tons in 1913.

"The world must know that the franc will improve slowly but surely, like the wine of our country."
—M. HERRIOT, French Premier

"France the worker, has before her a magnificent future which will demonstrate to the world that it was not wrong in displaying confidence in her."
—M. CLEMENTEL, French Finance Minister

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Due to the depreciation of French francs, a French Government 6% Bond can now be bought for approximately $40.00; with French Exchange at normal (19.3c per franc) these same bonds would have a value of $193.00 each.

International bankers believe that French francs will sell above 10c per franc before very long. Just think what it means to French Government securities; when the franc touches 10c, each bond of 1,000 francs would have a value of $100.00—a rise of over 125% or a profit of $60.00 for every $40.00 invested. With the franc selling at 15c per franc or $150.00 per 1,000 francs your profit will be $110:00 for every bond of 1,000 francs or for every $40.00 invested.

We made a thorough investigation to determine the best way to buy French francs for maximum profits. We believe that the French Government 6% Bonds, maturing after 1931, afford the best medium, for they represent to French Investors precisely what the high grade British Government Consols and our own Canadian Government Victory Bonds represent to us, **being legal investments for every institution, Trust Fund and Savings Bank in France** and constitute a strictly high-grade gilt-edged government investment. They may be sold again instantly, being listed on the Paris Stock Exchange (Bourse). The interest coupons have always been paid promptly on the dot and can be cashed in Montreal, New York, London and the principal financial centres of the world at the current rate for francs.

French Government Bonds will unquestionably come back to normal ($193.00 per 1,000 francs). The United States were financially bankrupt after the Civil War. Their securities could be bought for a song, yet in a few years the Americans were on their feet financially again, and today are considered the richest nation in the world.

England, too, once faced what seemed to be financial disaster With Napoleon virtually pounding at her gates, British Bonds went next to nothing, but the victory at Waterloo sent them skyrocketing. The Rothschild family accumulated the major portion of its wealth by investing in British Bonds and selling them when Wellington's victory became known.

The experience of France, bankrupt at the hands of Bismark, is within the memory of living man Her bonds sold down to 7% of their normal value after the Franco-Prussian war. They appeared hopeless, yet in two years they had recovered 95% of their normal value, making fortunes for those who had the courage to invest in them. When millions of men and populations of nations lend their collective efforts to the task—nothing is impossible. The French Franc will undoubtedly come back to normal.

A study of history convinces one forcibly that the most difficult thing in the world to destroy is national existence. History will repeat itself. We believe that the opportunity of a lifetime, to make remarkable profits, exists today for our clients, through the purchase of these high-grade government securities. They rank as the highest-grade French Government bonds, and are virtually a first mortgage on the entire assets and resources of the Republic of France. The bonds are valid for thirty years after maturity and the interest coupons for five years after redemption date, thus enabling you to cash them at any time the exchange rates are favorable.

France ranks as a first-class military, naval and commercial power of the world. French industries are thriving and working overtime. France is exporting goods to every country of the globe; her shipping is crowding the seas and the nation shows every evidence of industrial and economic progress. Reparation payments from Germany are further enhancing her treasury. These conditions should be quickly reflected in a rapid rise in the French franc, which would in turn increase the value of her Government bonds. That is why we urge you to buy French Government bonds now while they are on the bargain counter.

As the franc rises, the value of these bonds will increase as follows:

FRANCS	Present Price	With Franc At 10 cents	With Franc At 15 cents	With Franc At Par (19.3c)
1,000 French Government 6% Bonds	$40	$100	$150	$193
2,000 French Government 6% Bonds	80	200	300	386
5,000 French Government 6% Bonds	200	500	750	965
10,000 French Government 6% Bonds	400	1000	1500	1930
25,000 French Government 6% Bonds	1000	2500	3750	4825
50,000 French Government 6% Bonds	2000	5000	7500	9650
100,000 French Government 6% Bonds	4000	10000	15000	19300

We are selling a good many of these bonds at the above price which covers every expense. Upon receipt of money-order or accepted cheque, we will at once confirm sale by return registered mail, but order must be received by return mail to insure these prices, as quotations are changing daily.

We handle all kinds of foreign government and municipal bonds and it is vitally important to us to have our clients select those which will make the most money for them and make it most quickly. Our interest does not cease after a sale, for it is our constant aim to keep in touch with our clients, to render them service, posting them when the bonds rise in market value, and advising them whether or not we deem it advisable to sell. This service is expensive to ourselves but its value to our clients is incalculable. Use the order form below.

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J. Pierpont Morgan, probably the greatest financier the world has ever known, is recently quoted as saying:

"We have absolute confidence not only in the resources of France, but even more in the intelligent and industrious population...

"France, soon will be invincible, in the economic domain. In any case, we shall always be at her side and sustain her when necessary...

"Before two years have elapsed, France will have reconquered, from the economic viewpoint, the preponderating situation she enjoyed before the war."

After having exhaustively studied the sound financial condition of France, we believe that purchasing her high grade government bonds at present prices is an opportunity one cannot afford to miss, as the profits will be large and very rapid.

French Government 6% Bonds, which are described in these columns are purchased by French citizens, not only for the safety of the principal, but also because of their never failing, tax-exempt, interest income. In purchasing these bonds at the actual market price, the client makes his investment at rock-bottom prices.

It is our opinion that the present rate of exchange of the French franc is inconsistent with the financial and potential natural resources of the Republic of France.

We momentarily anticipate a sharp upward movement in the franc. In fact we believe that it will sell at 10c per franc, or $100.00 per 1,000 francs before very long. We are convinced our clients will double, if not treble their money within a remarkably short time.

Not only does the principal increase in value as the franc advances but the interest income becomes automatically augmented. For instance each bond of 10,000 francs yields an income of 600 francs per annum.

At the present rate of the franc holders of French Government 6% bonds receive interest at the rate of over 7¾%. As the franc rises the interest or return on the principal, automatically increases.

With the franc quoted only at 8 cents, the holder of these bonds would receive $48.00 in Canadian money for each 600 francs yearly interest income. This is a good return on an original outlay of $400.00, representing as it does, an interest rate of about 12 per cent instead of 6%. With the franc at 10 cents, or $100.00 per 1,000 francs, the interest income converted into Canadian currency would amount to $60.00, equivalent to an income return of 15% on the principal invested.

When the franc is quoted at 15c or $150.00 per 1,000 francs, every 600 francs will be worth $90.00 in Canadian money this return represents an interest rate of over 22½ on an investment of $400.00. When the franc reaches par, the annual interest in Canadian currency will be $115.60 for every 600 francs, this return is equivalent to an interest rate of over 28 per cent on $400.00.

As remarked elsewhere, you do not have to cash your interest coupons as soon as they become due. You can hold each interest coupon for five years after redemption date. This will permit you to dispose of them at materially higher rates than at the present time.

The important fact to remember, however, is that your principal increases in value as the franc rises.

Rarely has the investing public been offered an investment that returns such an attractive yield with absolute guaranty of both principal and interest.

Thousands of our clients in Canada and the United States have purchased these sound, high-grade, French Government Bonds. They have placed their money where it will return them a handsome income together with a unique opportunity of reaping a liberal profit.

Many investors, heretofore compelled to be satisfied with 5 and 4% interest on their principal have liquidated their former holdings and purchased French Government 6% Bonds.

They are, as a result, in great demand and it is not at all unlikely that the decreased floating supply alone will cause them to rise in value. We believe present purchasers will receive handsome profits during 1925. French Government 6% Bonds will rapidly increase in value.

As the security is unequalled—and the investment thoroughly safe, we advise clients to buy as many of these bonds as they may possibly find it convenient to invest in. Immediate action must be taken if real profits are to be made.

As the largest dealers in Canada specializing exclusively in foreign government and municipal bonds, it is only after we have sounded exhaustively the merits of an investment that we recommend it to our clients. Being in constant touch with the foreign markets of the world, we offer our clients the benefits of a reliable service and efficient organization.

Our past record stands out as testimony to our ability to make money for all who deal with us. In November of 1923 we urged investors to make immediate substantial investments in German Government 5% bonds. We sold those bonds at $39.00 per one million marks. Nine months later these same bonds rose to $2,800.00 returning a profit of about five thousand per cent. for every $39.00 invested. One of our customers who made an investment of $1,140.00 in November, 1923, was offered $240,000.00 for the same bonds on September 18th, 1924.

On August 2nd of last year we sold to some of our clients City of Hamburg 4½% Bonds, 1919 issue, at the price of $245.00 per bond of one million marks' denomination. On September 10th—in less than one month's time—we bought back the same bonds at a price of $1,150.-00 returning a profit of $905.00 for every $245.00 invested.

Thousands of C. M. Cordasco & Company's clients, scattered throughout the length and breadth of Canada have become comparatively wealthy by investments made in selected securities upon our recommendation.

Fortunes are earned every day by far-sighted investors in selected foreign government and municipal bonds which we recommend.

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Owing to the great demand for these bonds and their present scarcity our staff is taxed to the utmost. While we give each investor the same attention and service, and care is always given to individual requirements, in justice to all we are compelled to fill orders in the rotation in which they are received.

MRS. LEMUEL MacKAY

Monday afternoon Mrs. Lemuel MacKay, of this city, fell on sleep—her gentle spirit passed to Him who gave it.

Before her marriage she was Miss Anna Douglas—daughter of the late Mr. George Douglas, for many years City Surveyor, — and was descended from the United Empire Loyalists.

For some time past she had been residing with her son-in-law, Mr. Frank Beales, West Street, where her death occurred. Lately she had been in delicate health, nevertheless, all who knew her and loved her will be greatly shocked to learn of her demise.

The late Mrs. MacKay was a lady in every sense of the word. She had a richly stored mind of the best literature, and her chief delight was in reading the works of the standard authors of both the past and the present. Passionately fond of poetry she had an exceptionally wide acquaintance with the poets, and she was able to very effectively recite many of the finest poems in the English language.

Owing to her love of literature and her ability to memorize Mrs. MacKay was an exceedingly interesting and bright conversationalist, and it was a great delight to her friends to hear her converse on the art of literature, and give her opinion of the writers of the day.

Endowed with those womanly graces and charm of manner vouchsafed to few, she enjoyed the respect of all who knew her, and the affection of those in her more immediate circle of acquaintances. She is now at rest until the day break and the shadows flee away.

There are left to mourn two daughters, Mrs. Frank Beales, of this city, and Miss Marion, now residing in Boston.

MRS JOHN BRUCE

In the passing away of Mrs. John Bruce, of Kingsboro, P. E. I., one more of that great army of noble women who bless our land has gone forth from among us leaving many hearts sorrowful because she is no more of their number and many lives richer because of her influence.

Mrs. Bruce was a true wife and a devoted mother, her chief joy being the giving of herself in unselfish service to her loved ones. But her ministries of love did not end in the home. The sick, the poor, the afflicted, the sorrowing were the objects of her genuine solicitude. Like the Divine Master she "went about doing good." Called upon to pass through much intense suffering and through much sorrow of an unusually distressing type, with a steadfast faith in God she would submissively say "all is well," when a less steadfast soul might have given away to despair.

Three years ago she met with an accident from which she never fully recovered and which caused her great agony and finally caused her death at the age of sixty-six years. Her husband, four daughters and two sons are left to mourn their loss. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. W. R. MacWalker, pastor of the East Point Baptist Church, of which Mrs. Bruce was a consistent and devoted member.

MR. JOHN CLARKIN

A gloom has been cast over the residents of Emyvale, for on February 9th the Angel of Death hovered about and took in its flight, a most respected citizen, in the person of Mr. John Clarkin, at the age of seventy years.

The late Mr. Clarkin was a man of excellent character and outstanding qualities, and by his honest and upright dealings with his fellowman, he was highly respected and esteemed by all who knew him. By his ardent love for work, and strict attention to duty, he built up a home that cannot be surpassed in the community.

The deceased will be greatly missed in the general activities of the locality, as he was a man of such a character that took an active part in any work, which tended for the betterment of humanity. He will be sorely missed in church affairs for in this particular work, he showed talents of a real, true christian spirit.

There are left to mourn the loss of a benignant husband, a pious and loving father, his wife (nee Annie Monaghan) three sons and four daughters, viz. James in U.S.A. Aneas in Emyvale and Peter on the homestead; Mrs. Peter Cusack, Bonwell; Mrs. William Ronaghan, Morell; Mrs. Ernest Rossiter, Morell and Teresa of Boston, Mass.

The funeral which was one of the largest ever witnessed in the parish took place February 11th to St. Ann's Church, Lot 65, where a Requiem High Mass was sung by Rev. Joseph Gallant, Parish Priest. After the celebration of the Holy Sacrifice, the remains were laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. The deceased was frequently consoled during his illness by his reverend pastor, who gave him the last rites of the Catholic Church.—R. I. P.

MR. ALLAN MACDONALD

On February 9th. Peakes Station and St. Teresas parish lost one of its most respected citizens by the death of Allan Macdonald. His demise came as a shock to his family and many friends. For although he had reached the age of almost eighty three years he still had the rigor and youth of a much younger man, and was quite as well as usual on the day previous to his death. Born in Pisquid in the year 1842 where he grew up to manhood being the youngest son of John Macdonald, (Bornish). In his younger life he followed railroading having completed sub contracts on the Souris branch and later on the Murray Harbour line of railway when it was being built.

He was a successful farmer, and had the happiness to see all his family settled comfortably around him on their native soil a coincidence which rarely happens to the present generation of today.

The late Mr. Macdonald was a man of great constitution, broad of mind firm of purposes. A kind prudent and devoted father, he loved the warmth and cheer of the family home, and none could surpass him in contributing to its enjoyment. His name has been a household word in western Kings County and the greater part of Queen's County for the last fifty years, but his greatest interest was in his family by whom he was greatly loved and respected.

In the year 1874 he married Mary Gillis of Pisquid who predeceased him twenty three years ago. Of this union there were five sons and two daughters three of whom are deceased the other surviving members being Rev. J. Macdonald of St. Columbia Kings Co., Dugald A. and Peter B. Macdonald of Peake's Station and Mrs. Raymond McKinnon of St. Peter's Bay, one brother Rt. Rev Mgr. D. M. McDonald and one sisters Mrs. Mary Gillis of Charlottetown Hospital.

The funeral took place to St. Teresa's Church on Feby 12 and was largely attended. Many coming from a distance to pay the last tribute of respect to one they knew so well in life. Solemn High Mass of Requiem was celebrated by Rev. R. J. Macdonald, of St. Columba assisted by Rev. Joseph Rooney of Morell as Deacon, Rev. P. L. McMahon of Souris as Subdeacon and Rev. L. R. A. Macdonald as Master of Ceremonies, Revs. A. P. McLellan, P. D. McGuigan and R. F. Macdonald, S. J. Macdonald were in the Sanctuary. The pallbearers were James J. Macdonald, M. L. A. James McIsaac, James Connelly, Philip Mooney, John B. Joy and Pius Macdonald, Spiritual offerings were received from Rt. Rev. Mgr. D. M. Macdonald and Mrs. Mary Gillis, Hon Dr. W. J. P. and Mrs. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gillis, Mrs. Angus and Miss Hattie Gillis, The Sisters and Nurses of Charlottetown Hospital, D. B. Macdonald of North Bedeque, Mr. and Mrs. Columba Macdonald, of Lakeville and Souris Council of the Knights of Columbus.

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