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(Hand written notes)

Toms Howe and Newton's Parents and Brother Charles Howe

Mr William Rufus Howe died May 18, 1878 age 57

Mr Mary A (HARPER) Howe died Sept 1882 age 57 years

Tom's

Brother Charles Howe died 22 Nov 1905..

Brother Fred Howe died 13 April 1898

Ant Mary Boone died Ma...

Ida B Howe died Oct 9, 1940

Thomas A Howe died Sept 17, 1953

Cynthia Davis died 28 Aug 1932

John Berry died Feb 5, 1934

Frank Wood died Sep 30, 1934

Morris McMinn died Dec 3, 193...

Mrs Abner Howe died Jan 10, 1935

Frank McMinn's wife died Jan 30, 1935

John Larkin died 24 Feb 1936

Fred Boone died of burns 12 Sept ..

George McMinn died March 24, 193...

Parker Howe died 1940

Charles Wood granddaughter died Sept.

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Births of our Home Families

Stephen Howe

Father born Nov 23, 1829 - died June 27, 1919

Elvira Wood

Mother born Feb 13, 1843 died March 27, 1930

Stephen and Elvira Howe's Children.

**CHILDREN:**

Sister Mary born Nov 5, 1864 died Mar 23, 1886 - Married Henry Till

Sister Alice Born Sep 25, 1866 - Married - married Wallace Cosman

Sister Ida B. Born Oct 11, 1868 died Oct 9, 1940 - married Thomas Adam Howe

Sister Georgie born 13 March 1871 - 3 children married a Wilson

Sister Ella born Jan 14, 1879 died May 3, 1945 - married John Barrie, Stitham

Sister Susie born 09 Oct. 1874 - married Peter Lutz

Pearl Howe born June 26, 1891

Charles Henry (BOONE) Howe born Mar 15, 1893

Birth of Thomas Adam Howes Home

Charles E Howe born July 15, 1857 - died Nov 23, 1905.

Thomas Adam Howe born Feb 20, 1860- died 17 Sept 1953

Fred Howe - born June 4, 1863 died 12 Apr 1898

Margaret Annie Howe- born Jan 30, 1866 died Jan 20, 1932 - never married

Newton Philip Howe- born June 18, 1869 - never married

(hand written information)

Susie Howe - born 9 Oct 1874 - died

Peter Lutz - born 03 Feb 1871 - died

Susie HOWE and Peter LUTZ Married Dec 25, 1893

Their children born:

Stephen .L. Lutz born June 4, 1895

Ella.B. Lutz born Nov 9, 1896

Nettie .M. Lutz born Apr 10, 1899

Howard A Lutz born Jan 8, 1903 died Sept 18, (Sat) 1920

Alice.U. Lutz born Dec 14, 1910

L.M. Lutz Apr 17, 1907

S.C. Lutz died Sep 19, 1895

Daisy Lutz died Dec 27, 1928

Thomas Adam Howe's Mother

Mary Harper Howe died Sep 3, 1882 age 57

Thomas Adams Howe's Father

William Rufus Howe died May 18, 1878 age 57

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(handwritten notes)

STEPHEN HOWE - b. 23 Nov 1829 died 27 June 1919

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(Newspaper clipping)

McGEOCH - WILLIAMS

of Selden to Wed

Danforth, April 29 - Mr. And Mrs. Harry McGeoch of Cambridge N.Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter Elizabeth Jane, to Foster Eugene Williams son of Mr and Mrs. Floyd Williams of Selden. Miss McGeoch is a student at Houghton College, Houghton, N.Y. Williams is a graduate of Houghton College, and is now attending Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, Penna. No date has been set for the wedding.

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(hand written information)

24 Sept 1901

Memorandum

We moved from North Lake Sep 24, 1901.

Moved from Millage ap 9 1903 Weston

Charles came from west ap 23 1917

Charles moved from Boston Harbor Apr 26, 1919

We had auto accident Nov 23, 1930

Aunt Berries auto accident 1930

Aunt Maria Howe went to B.C Sept 5, 1925

Alavah Irish Had typhoid fever Feb 27, 1918

Baptist church opened Feb 8, 1909

Mr Bubar first services Feb 8, 1909

Georgie Howe and I (Ida Howe) joined church 1909

Mary Heal and Pearl Baptized July 18, 1909

Tom Howe Look in Church Jan 29, 1911

Charlie (Boone) Howe baptized June 12, 1918

Newton Howe baptized July 3, 1918

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(newspaper clipping)

12 Sept 1936

FRED G. BOONE

12 Sept 1936

Funeral of Well known man who died in Saint John, be held tomorrow

Geary, Sept 4 - This community was shocked by the sudden and tragic death of a well-known and highly respected resident in the person of Fred G. Boone. His death occurred at the Saint John General Hospital at 8 am Sept 12., as a result of burns received in a recent explosion at Musquash.

Mr. Boone was 49 years of age. He had been employed as foreman by LB. Smith of West Saint John for Upwards of 25 years. Mrs. Smith, in tears spoke of the many happy days they had spent together.

Mr. Boone was widely know as he and his son Rupert. Wife name Frances Howe of Lauvina. Two sons Rupert and Donald and two daughters Helen and Elaine. Mother Mrs M. L. Boone of West Saint John, one sister Mars T. Manzer Howe of Fredericton Junction, and one brother Marvin Boone of Geary. Interred in Geary cemetery.

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(Handwritten notes and newspaper clip.)

AUNT MARY BOONE

March 20, 1903

Funeral of Mrs Boone, an aged aunt of Mrs John a Gaskin, whose death occurred Friday night, was held at the home of the latter, Sunday afternoon, Rev. W. Paul Curtis, officiating.

LYDIA (WOOD) FISH

March 20, 1903

Mr. And Mrs George Wood, who were summoned to the bedside of their daughter Mrs. Fish, of Millville, returned home on Tuesday, 7<sup>th</sup> inst, after having witnessed the death and burial of their daughter Lydia at that place. Deceased left a sorrowing husband, three sons, father and mother, two sisters Mrs Whitfield Peck and Mrs. Frank Clark, three brothers Henry, George and Millage, all at home. They have the sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

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(Newspaper clipping)

**JOHN BARRIE**

Millinocket, Feb 12, 1934 ...

Mr. John Barrie, of Edinburgh, first wife Essie Savage deceased. Second wife Ella (Howe) Stitham and adopted son Donald McGuire of Bangor, and step sons Harley Stitham, of Bucksport, Perley Stitham of New Britain, Conn. Henry Stitham and Mrs John Lane Millinocket, and Mrs Jere Coolong of Gardiner.

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(Newspaper Clippings)

**MRS ELVIRA WOOD HOWE**

March 27, 1931

The community was saddened to learn that Mrs Stephen Howe died, age 88, born on March 27, at Geary, N. B. moving her family to North Lake 65 years ago. She leaves to mourn her loss 5 daughters, Mrs Henry Till, Mrs John Barrie of Millinocket, Mrs Thomas Howe and Mrs John Wilson of Danforth, Mrs. Peter Lutz of North Lake, with whom she made her home and was tenderly cared for the last years. . She leaves 14 grand-children, 30 great grand-children, and 1 great great grand child. One Brother Charles Wood of Danforth, two sisters, Mrs Elias Carlow of Eaton and Mrs Abner Howe of Hatzic B.C.; several nieces and nephews. She was a faithful member of the Baptist church for 55 years.

Funeral services were held from the home Sunday afternoon by her pastor, Rev. Mr. Ramsay, three selections were given by the choir. Those attending the funeral from out-of-town were: Mr and Mrs. Henry Till, Mrs. John Barrie, Mr and Mrs. John Gaskin of Millinocket, Mrs. Thomas Howe, Mrs. John Wilson, Miss Pearl Howe, Mrs. Charles Wood, George and Hiram Veysey of Danforth, Mrs. Elias Carlow of Eaton, Mrs. Harry W. Clark of Portland.

**RACHAEL WOOD**

Jan 7 1932

Bangor Daily News

Danforth, Jan. 7 - The death of Mrs Rachael Wood which occurred Sunday came as a shock to her friends here. Mrs Wood, came to this town from North Lake, N.B. following the death of her husband six years ago and lived with her sons and daughters here. The remains were taken to her old home where funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Wood is survived by five

sons and two daughters also a brother who resides in Blissville, N.B. her birthplace. 66 years old. Mrs Lida Smith of Sherman her daughters was called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. Wood.

#### HARRISON BUTTERFIELD

May 18, 1931

The death of Harrison Butterfield, occurred Sunday at the home of his brother David Butterfield in Weston. Mr. Butterfield had resided with his brother since the death of his wife several years. Ago. Rev. P. H. Lush officiated at the funeral services which were held at the home Tuesday. His Age was 86 years,

#### MRS SARAH (MCMINN) BUTTERFIELD

1927

Mrs Sarah Butterfield died April 12 at the home of her brother Thos McMinn Mrs Butterfield who was 73 years of age is survived by her husband Harrison Butterfield two brothers George McMinn or North Lake N.B. and Thos McMinn of this town..

(And a poem to a mother how left them.)

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(several newspaper clips with dates hand written on them.)

(Aunt)

(Newspaper clipping)

#### RACHAEL WOOD

1932

The death of Mrs Rachael Wood, occurred Sunday afternoon following a short illness. The remains were taken to North Lake, N.B., Mrs. Wood's old home where the funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, She was born in Blissville, N.B. sixty-six yeas ago. Mrs.. Wood came to this town following her husband's death. Her husband died 6 years ago. She leaves 5 sons and two daughters, also a brother. (1932)

#### ST GERMAINE - STEWART

Wedding - 1932

A pretty wedding took place at St. Anne's rectory Saturday afternoon, when, Miss Ruth I. Stewart younger daughter of Mr. And Mrs E.C. Stewart where united in marriage with Arthur St. Germaine of Worchester, Mass. Rev. Alexander W. Doucetta performing the single ring ceremony. The attendants of the couple were Matthew Barrett and Miss Eva Huff. (1932)

#### JOHN BARRIE

(1934)

Millinocket, Feb 12 - A familiar figure will be missed by the passing of John Barrie, died 53 years old. Since several automobile accidents in which he as injured, his health had failed and on Jan 7 he had a severe shock.

Funeral services were held in the Congregational church on Thursday, Rev. Stanley Gould officiating, followed by the I.O. O. F. ritual. The bearers, all Odd Fellows were: Geoffrey Baker, Ollie Hurlbert, Charles Tingley, Jos Nickless, Lawrence Curran and Charles Morgan.

Mr. Barrie was born in Edinburgh Scotland and move to Nova Scotia at 6, lived in Wallagrass and Boston and Millinocket. Married Essie Savage in Houlton, now deceased, and Mrs Ella Stitham, , who survives, and an adopted son Donald Maguire of Bangor, and step children Harley Stitham, of Bucks port, Perley Stitham of New Britain, Conn. Henry Stitham and Mrs John Lane, Millinocket, and Mrs Jere Coolong of Gardiner.

#### MRS. ENOCH BUCKINGHAM

(1907)

It is with sadness we record the death from la grippe of Mrs Enoch Buckingham, which took place on Wednesday evening, Feb 13, 1907. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Weed of Danforth, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the 16<sup>th</sup> inst. Her husband, who was taken sick about the same time as she deceased, lies critically ill and was unable to attend the service.

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#### MRS. ELVIRA WOOD HOWE

(March 27, 1931)

Canterbury, York Co., March 31, - The death of Mrs Stephen Howe occurred at the home of her of her daughter Mrs Peter Lutz, North Lake; York County. On March 27, 1931. Mrs. Elvira Howe was 88 yeas old. She was survived by 5 daughters, Mrs Peter Lutz, North Lake, Mrs Thomas Howe, Danforth, Me; Mrs Henry Till, Millinocket, Me.;

The funeral was held on Sunday, Rev. W. R. Ramsay officiating.



Mrs John Wilson, Danforth, and Mrs John Barrie, Millinocket. By the death of Mrs Elvira Howe, 88 years old, Charles Wood , Mrs Thomas Howe, Mrs John Wilson and Miss Pearl Howe of North Lake N.B. Mrs Harry Clark of Portland, who was called here by Mrs Howe's death is spending the week at the home of Thomas Howe.

#### MISS MARGARET ANNIE HOWE

(Jan 22, 1932)

Funeral services for Miss Margaret Annie Howe, for many years an employed of the State Hospital, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. At the Kilkenny and Ca?palors. Fraternal orders to w???Miss Howe belonged as asked to notice. Miss Howe was born in Jean, .. N.B. the daughter of William Rufus and Mary Harper Howe on Jan 30, 1866, is survived by two brothers Thomas Adam Howe and Newton Philip Howe Geary. N.B..

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(4 newspaper clipping with some hand written notes)

(Henry and Alice (Howe) Till married 2 Sept. 1933)

#### MRS CYNTHIA J. DAVIS

1932

Easton, Aug 1 - The death of Mrs Cynthia J. Davis died, wife of Raymond Davis of Easton, which occurred Thursday following a few months' illness is mourned by her friends.

Mrs. Davis, who was the daughter of the late Lincoln Davis, and Mrs Louise Davis Carlow, was born in Easton 32 years ago. Her marriage to Mr. Davis took place in several years ago, and he together with 6 children are left. She is survived by her mother and 6 brothers and sisters who are: William and Vernon Davis, Bangor; Julian Davis, Farmington; Mrs Inez Golding and Mrs Ora Pictond, Brewer, Mrs Ethel Ducker, Cronford, N.J.

Mrs. Davis was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church at Easton. The funeral services were held Saturday afternoon.

#### MRS W. VANTASSEL (GIRTIE)

NORTH LAKE, June 2 - The funeral of the late Mrs W. VanTassel, took place on Saturday, June 1<sup>st</sup>. Rev. Mr. Thompson preached the funeral sermon. The choir from Forest City rendered some very beautiful and appropriate music. A large concourse of people in teams and on foot followed the remains to their last resting place, where they were tenderly laid beside those of her little boy who died last November.

This death is especially sad for the deceased's grandmother, Mrs. Alexander Boone, with whom she lived from a child, and who on account of illness was unable to see her during her last sickness and death.

#### MRS FOREST HOWE

It is reported that the wife of Mr Forest Howe, formerly of this place but now of Island Falls, Maine is dead from poisoning, whether by accident, or intentional has not been definitely learned. Oil of cedar was the fatal drug.

#### HENRY WOOD

(Mar 13, 1923) Relatives here received news of the Death of Henry Wood of North Lake, N.B. which occurred Friday at the age of 60 years. Funeral services were held at the home Sunday. .

#### WESLEY KINNEY

(Jan 6, 1908)

North Lake, Jan 12. - The death took place at Danforth on the 6<sup>th</sup> instant of Wesley, oldest son of Austin and Eliza Kinney, of this place. The deceased had been ill for about a year with consumption; but was unable to be around and attend to light duties up the day he died. He leaves to mourn a widow and three children, his father, Mother, 5 brothers seven sisters. and aged grandmother.

The funeral took place from the home of his sister, Mrs. Samuel Collier, on Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> inst. Rev. Thomas McDonald preached the funeral service and Geo Maxon was the undertaker. The remains were interred beside those of a sister in the upper cemetery. The bereaved have the sympathy of the community.

#### SALOME DEWITT

Jan 10, 1908

An old lady by the name of Salome Dewitt, residing with Mrs. O Buckingham found dead on the floor of her room on Sunday evening 10<sup>th</sup> inst. The deceased had been blind for a number of years. She was always very cheerful and would converse freely with anybody who would talk with her. The interment will take place on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>.

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(4 newspaper clippings and some hand written dates)

#### HARRISON BUTTERFIELD

(May 1931)

The death of Harrison Butterfield occurred Sunday at the home of his brother of his brother David Butterfield in Weston. Mr. Butterfield had made his home with his brother since the death of his wife a few years ago. Rev P.H. Lush officiated at the funeral services which were held at Mr. Butterfield's home. Tuesday afternoon. His age was 86 years.

#### GEORGE FOSTER

1907

Fosterville, March 11 - The sad news was received here last week of the death of George Foster, who went to Colorado with the hope of regaining his health, but he never rallied, and died in that far away place aged 28 years old

He left a loving wife and two children to mourn their sad loss.

Mr. Foster was a kind and loving husband a fond and indulgent father, and an obliging neighbor. He was a man of remarkable even temper, always calm, thoughtful and cheerful, looking on the best side of life.

He will be missed by his friends and acquaintances, but mostly by his brother and sisters, he was tenderly cared by his younger brother, Grover, who went with him.

All that could be done to alleviate his sufferings was done by loving hands, but the Angel of Death came and guided him to the heavenly mansion, where there is no sickness or death; and where an eternal day reigns forever and ever.

#### ALMER LUTZ

(1907 July 13)

Woodstock, July 13 - The funeral of Alma Lutz, was held this afternoon from his residence, Main Street. Rev. H E. Allaby conducted service , assisted by Rev. Clayton Grey, Meductic; Rev. W.R Ramsay, Forest City; Rev, HS. Bishop Capt: Ritchie of Salvation Army, and Rev. SC Young. Interment was made at McKenzie Corner. The service at the grave was under the auspices of Orange Order . The funeral was largely attended and the floral tributes were numerous and beautiful..

#### WALLACE W. COSMAN

(1931)

The may relatives and friends of Wallace W. Cosman were saddened to learn of his death, which occurred Friday morning, May 15, at his home on Park Street. He was born Jan 16, 1852 at Carroll Maine, son of the late Jacob and Charity Cosman. Following his marriage to Alice Lutz of Woodstock, he resided for a number of years at Forest City N.B. later engaging in farming at

Debec, N. B. He came to Houlton, Maine two years ago to reside with his sons, Murray and George of this town. His wife passed away Feb 12, 1930 at Aroostook Hospital.

Although he had been a invalid for nearly a year his sudden passing came as great shock to his family and many friends to whom sympathy is extended in their bereavement.

He was a quiet home loving person, a kind husband and father and will be greatly missed by his large circle of friends.

Mr. Cosman was survived 5 sons and two daughters, Murray, Ralph and George of Houlton. Millage of Debec.N.. And Robert of Gorham, Maine. Mrs Augustus Upton of Lakeville, N.B. Mrs Lyle McLaggan of London Ontario. Other relatives are 15 grandchildren and 5 brothers and 2 sisters. Putnam of Denver. Colorado, Paul of Seattle Washington, George of Niagara N.Y. Herman of Forest City, and John of Debec N.B., Mrs W Noble of California and Mrs. W McGeorge of Seattle Washington.

Funeral services, which were largely attended by neighbors and friends of the deceased were held at the Baptist church at MacKenzie Corner, N.B. Sunday May 17at one o'clock, Rev. Mr. Miller of Debec, officiating. Two selections were sung by the choir, "Lead Kindly Light" and "Shall We Gather at the River".Interment was made in the family lot in the Baptist cemetery at McKenzie Corner.

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(newspaper clippings with hand written dates)

**MRS JULIA A. PETERS**

(1932)

Weston, July 23, - Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon for Mrs Julia A Peters, 83, who died Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Peters was a life long resident of Weston, having been born here. When a young woman she married married Ruel Peters, who deceased some years ago. Of the 4 children only one is left.

Mrs. Peters was one of the charter members of Grand Lake Grange and until her last sickness was nearly always at the meetings, having filled the office of treasurer of the Grange for a number of years.

Beautiful flowers were sent in profusion and the home filled with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Peters was respected and loved by all who knew her, for her many kind deeds.

Out of town relatives were Elmer Gilpatrick of Winterport, Mrs E. K. Stinchfield, Mrs Fred Bailey and Mrs Abbie McMinn of Bangor, Mrs Ora Gilpatrick, Mrs Rex Gilpatrick and Mrs Lydia Davis of Houlton and William McKenzie of St. Stephen.

#### AMOS COLBURN

The death of Amos Colburn, occurred Saturday at the age of 77 years. Rev A.J. Hamilton conducted the funeral services at the home Monday afternoon. Surviving are his wife Mrs Sarah Colburn, and a sister in Nova Scotia.

#### MRS LORETTA PAYNE

(Jun 1932)

The death occurred at Douglas this morning of Mrs Loretta Payne, after a short illness, at the age of 84 years. She was a native of North Lake and as far as known has not near relatives.

#### HUGH MCMINN

(May 11, 1906)

The people of this place were shocked when they learned that Mr Hugh McMinn at an early hour this morning. (11<sup>th</sup> Inst). Although the deceased had been very poorly for some time the news was a surprise to many. He was in his usual health when he retired on Thursday evening and slept until 3:30 am. On Friday when he arose and sat on the side of the bed. His wife, who was in bed, called to him and receiving no answer she started to get up when the deceased fell over, partly on his wife and partly on the bed. Mrs. McMinn rapped on the wall and aroused her nephew and his wife who immediately hastened to the bedside but on arrived found life was extinct. The funeral will take place from the home of his nephew, with whom he has lived for a year past, at two o'clock, on Sunday afternoon. At the church funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Phelan of Danforth, Me. The deceased left no family but a number of nieces and nephews and one sister, Mrs. D. Wood, to mourn the loss of a kind relative.

Mrs Geo Kimball, Oromocto, and brother Parker McMinn, Mr and Mrs Thos McMinn and daughter in law of Danforth and Mrs H. Butterfield. Have arrive to attend the funeral of their uncle, the late Hugh McMinn. Mr and Mrs. Thomas Howe and their daughter Miss Pearl Howe of Weston are visiting relatives here.

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(newspaper clippings and hand written note)

#### HARRY WOOSTER BUNKER

The death of Harry Wooster Bunker, occurred on Thursday 27 Feb -- at the Massachusetts Homeopathic hospital in Boston. He had been in the hospital for several days for examination

and died suddenly. Death being due to chronic nephritis. Harry was the son of Mr & Mrs Leslie R Bunker of Sutton Me. Where he was born 25 Sep 1906 .

He was a member of the Congregational Church and at Southwest Harbor High School in June, 1926. He was president of the senior class and won the Lurvey medal, which is awarded to the senior who has done the most for the high school during his four years.

In September, 1926, he enrolled in the business administration course at Rhode Island State College in Kingston. In September , 1927, he transferred to Boston University college of Business administration and completed one year in the day division, specializing in accounting.

At the end of that school year. He secured an accounting position and transferred to the evening division of the college. He continued as an evening student, throughout the year, 1928-1929 and in the college year 1929-1930, until his death. He was a candidate for the BBA degree in the evening division class of 1932, and was member of the Boston University Chapter of the Alpha Kappa Psi fraternity.

At the time of his death he was employed as a clerk in the Hotel Bellevue, Boston.

His summer vacations were spent at his home in Sutton Island, where he operated a motorboat for summer residents.

He is survived by his mother and father and sister Mrs Alvah Irish of Danforth and three brothers Philip and Kenneth of Boston and Lawrence of Lewistown Pa.

Services for temporary interment were held at Mt Hope cemetery in Boston and were conducted by the Rev. George L. Paine of Cambridge, Mass., and Sutton Burial will take place at a later date in Southwest Harbor.

(Thought)

In sweet rest she has entered,

No more to suffer and weep

But safe in the arms of Jesus

Dear Mother has fallen asleep

#### LESLIE R. BUNKER

Southwest Harbor, people and those of this vicinity were deeply shocked and saddened, when the news came last week over the radio that Leslie R. Bunker, formerly of this town had died in a Boston hospital from the results of an automobile accident. It was understood that Mr. Bunker was crossing a street on his way to his business when he was struck by a passing car. The body was brought to Southwest Harbor on Thursday and funeral services were held at the

Congregational church that afternoon by Rev. Oscar L. Olsen of Castine. The flowers were abundant and beautiful. Mr. Bunker had held many offices of trust in the towns where he had lived and was a kind neighbor and a man of public spirit. He had many friends who are grieved at his untimely passing. He leaves his wife, one daughter Mrs Ethel Irish of Danforth Maine and three sons Leonard of Philadelphia, Phillip and Kenneth of Boston. Another son Harry W. Bunker a promising young man, died only a few months ago. The sympathy of many friends is extended to the family. (Sep 8, 1930)

(Poem)

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(Newspaper clippings and hand written notes)

### GUY POWELL

(1926 Remains 16 Oct 1926 remains taken to Hanford Gould)

The community has been greatly saddened by the death of Guy Powell, which occurred Oct 16, at the home of his parents Mr and Mrs Almon Powell of Mango Fla.. The body arrived here Saturday accompanied by the parents. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon. Rev. Alvah E. Kelley, officiating. Among the out of town relatives were: Mr and Mrs Marshal Powell of Waterville; Wm Powell old Town; Dr and Mrs Harry Goodwin and Mrs. Ella May Goodwin, Bangor; Mr and Mrs L C Hathaway, Mrs Eula Butterfield and daughter, Passadumkeag; Mr and Mrs Evin Rowell, New York; Mr and Mrs John Hall, Mr and Mrs George Stevens, Houlton; Mr and Mrs Fred Sevens, Houlton; Mr and Mrs Fred Severance, Mr and Mrs Freeland Stevens, Mrs Burnham Mallory, Topsfield.

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(newspaper clippings with dates)

### JOHN E. HALEY

Prominent Civil War Veteran Leaves Many Friends to Mourn His Passing

Cherryfield, Feb 27- In the death of John E Haley, which occurred Thursday, Feb 20, The town has lost a much respected and honorable citizen, generous and sympathetic in all his dealings, interested in all that was best for our community . The funeral service were conducted by Rev. Mr. Price of Machias, a life long friend, assisted by Rev. B.F. Johnson. The Masonic Ritual was also given. Although not a citizen of Cherryfield at the time of the Civil war, Commander Haley Post commander of Hiram Burnham Post (civil war), G.A.R. was none the less an esteemed veteran for Cherryfield holds in high estimation, those who wore their country's uniform.

Mr. Haley was born in Howland, Penobscot county, Aug 12, 1838, enlisted Aug 12, 1862, on his 24<sup>th</sup> birthday as a private in Capt John Ayer's company, Col. Charles W. Tilden of Castine as commander,. From the time of his enlistment he was with his regiment.

#### MRS JAMES BUTLER

(1915)

Feb. 11 North Lake, The relatives of and people were shocked when words was received that Mrs James Butler passed away early that morning. She had been in excellent health, Deceased was in her, 86<sup>th</sup> year. She leaves to mourn, 8 daughters Mrs Lodlia W Veysey and Mrs Harvey Boone of Forest City N.B. Mrs John Hartin of Island Falls Me, Mrs L Jones of Boston, Mrs W Styles of Maine, Mrs Devereau of Austin Pa, Mrs D Kelly of Seldon Me, Mrs Jas Crone of North Lake, One son John H Van Tassel by her first husband The late Mrs Butler formerly lived in North Lake, Interment took place on Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> instant, in the cemetery at the Jellison Cemetery.

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(Newspaper clip)

#### MRS CORDELIA SMITH EARL

1926

Mrs Cordelia Smith Earl, passed to the great beyond March 8, at the home of her daughter in Bangor. During the early fall Mrs. Earl's condition became so serious that she was taken to a Bangor hospital for medical treatment. Later she was taken to the home of her daughter on Division street, where she was tenderly cared for till the end. She was operated on about a year ago.

Mrs. Earl was 54, years old. Thirty-three years ago she married Husband Elmer Earl of this town. Born to them were one, daughter who lives in Bangor, and twin boys who passed way at infancy.

Mrs. Earl was a member of the Methodist church. She was always willing and ready to help in all that goes to make the cause of God a success. She was also a charter member of Grand Lake Grange. She will be greatly missed by her many friends and neighbors. She held a high and honor place in the hearts of a very wide circle of friends.

She leaves to mourn their loss a husband, and a daughter, a mother and Step-father Mr and Mrs Thomas Scanlin, two brothers and 1 sister, besides other relatives and a host of friends.

The funeral was held at her home here Wednesday, March 10. A large gathering assembled to pay their last tribute of love and respect. Two beautiful selections were sung by Mrs. Ida Lions, Mrs. Bessie Bridges and Delbert Springer of Danforth. Rev. W.H. Dunham of Danforth officiated. The respect of the many friends and the beautiful floral are tributes all spoke of worth,



love and high esteemed in which Mrs. Earl was held in the offices she filled in life She has rendered herself to many friends as a woman of fine qualities. A Friend. SMF March 18, 1926.

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#### DR. MARTIN L. PORTER

Danforth, Dec 31 - Dr Martin L Porter, 75, a practicing physician here for many years, died Tuesday at his home. He was engaged in drug business at the time of his death and had been a druggist since he retired from the practice of medicine 10 years ago. He was treasurer of the Main Pharmaceutical Association.

Dr. Porter was graduated from the University of Vermont in 1880. He served as town treasurer for many years, also as secretary of the Danforth Board of Trade. He was a promoter and a director of the Danforth Trust Co. In Masonry he ranked high, and was a member of several other fraternal and social organizations.

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(Two newspaper clippings with dates)

#### CLARA ANNA PORTER

(1914)

Death of Clara Anna Porter, wife of Dr. Martin L Porter occurred Thursday morning, Jan 16, from Pneumonia, was born in Topsfield Dec 31, 1814, daughter of Samuel B and Isabella Crabtree. Of Twelve brothers and sisters only three survive her, Eben F Crabtree, of Oakland Cal, Mrs Sarah L Stewart of Carmel, and Mrs Emma Lathrop of Springfield Mass (Youngest), Mrs Porter being next to the youngest, early in the 70's was united in marriage to Albert Quimby of Bangor, a conductor on the European & North American Railroad, no the Maine Central. He died in a few years, and Mrs. Quimby took up her residence in Danforth. Dr. M. L Porter of Stillwater had located in Danforth for the practice of medicine and in 1882, he and Mrs. Quimby were married, and continued to reside in Danforth.

Mrs. Porter was prominent in social and fraternal circles, being the first noble grand of Judith Rebecca lodge, 88, and for several terms matron of Nonpareil chapter, 92, O.E.S. Until recent years she possessed a voice of remarkable range and sweetness and was ever ready to use it for the pleasure of her friends and in religious services. Her last sickness was of short duration, the first symptoms of the disease being noted a little more than a week before her death. Every precaution was taken and every effort made to combat the disease and until Wednesday the attending physicians gave encouraging reports of her progress, but on that day she began to fail rapidly and passed peacefully away at 4 a.m., Thursday morning, Jan 16.

Funeral services were held Saturday with a brief service at her late home, conducted by Rev. I H. Lidstone, pastor of the M.E. church and a service at the church conducted by Judith Rebecca

lodge. The floral tributes were profuse, attesting to the esteem in which Mrs. Porter was held, and expressive of the sympathy of a host of friends for her sorrowing husband, whose ministrations as family physician to so many in the community during a period of 35 years and services as secretary of the Maine Pharmaceutical association for several years, have brought him close to friends at home and throughout the state.

The burial service of the Rebecca lodge was impressively conducted by the officers in charge and the beautiful selection. Face to Face, was touchingly rendered by Dr. D. S. Springer, a friend and neighbor of the deceased.

The funeral arrangements were in charge of and conducted by Charles E. Berry, almost a life long friend of the family. The members of Nonpareil chapter, O.E.S. served as escort for the remains and for Judith Rebecca lodge. The bearers were: B.W. Stinchfield, Dr. R. H. McCready, A.P. Stinchfield, and C. W. Rowe, The remains were place in the town vault to await the coming of spring. Danforth, Jan 21.

#### Dr. MARTIN L. PORTER

Outstanding Citizen For Many Years.

(1932)

The death of Dr. Martin L Porter, an outstanding citizen of this town, occurred Monday at age 74 years. Although he had been ill for a short time Dr. Porter's passing comes as a shock to his friends here and in other towns throughout the state, where he was well known.

He was born in Dixmont, his parents being Byron and Susan Piper Porter. Following graduation from the University of Vermont Medical School he began the practice of medicine in this town. After 25 years of faithful service to the community, he retired from active practice, since which time he had conducted a pharmacy, serving the public with credit.

Dr. Porter took an active part in community affairs, acting as town treasurer for several years. He has served as secretary of the Danforth Trust Co. Since its organization in 1921 and also as secretary of the executive board of the bank.

He was associated with a number of fraternal orders, throughout his life. He was a 32<sup>nd</sup> degree Mason, a member of Anah Temple Shrine of Bangor, Houlton lodge of Elks, Baskahegan lodge, F. and A. M. Nonpareil chapter, O.E.S., and Danforth I.O.O.F.

He was an active member of the Maine Pharmaceutical Association acting as its secretary for over 30 years. He was affiliated with the American Medical Association, the American Pharmaceutical Association and the National Retail Druggists' Association,. He was a member of Lion International.

Dr. Porter is survived by a brother, Dr. Byron F. Porter of Caribou, and four nephews and nieces - Joseph Porter of Danforth, Byron F. Porter, Jr. of New York, Mrs, Howard Ramsey of

Limestone and Miss Marion Porter of Caribou. He leaves a step-mother, Mrs. Emma Porter of Stillwater.

Dr. Porter's wife, Mrs. Annie Crabtree Porter, whom he married in 1879, died 18 years ago.

The funeral services will be held at the Methodist church Thursday, at 2 p.m.

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(Newspaper clippings with hand written dates)

### ANNIE KER

(1910)

At Brooklyn, N.Y. April 15, Mrs. Annie Ker departed for her home in heaven after a short illness. She was taken sick while visiting her daughter, Mrs Harry Jacobs in that city. All that medical science and loving care could do to mitigate her suffering she received. The deceased was born in Westbrook, 66 years ago, and early in life removed to Presque Isle where she remained till she came to Danforth, about 36 years ago. About this time she was married to Dr. J. P. Ker, who was a prominent physician in this town and vicinity up to a few years of his death, which took place four years ago after a long illness. The care and devotion she gave him during his affliction was commendable and it is thought the nervous strain and her underatigable ministrations to him so depressed her constitution that she never fully recovered therefrom.

The remains were brought to Danforth and interred in the village cemetery Apr 18, the last rites being performed by Rev. Q. W. Genge and the members of the order of the Eastern Star of which she was a member. The church was tastefully decorated with flowers and the large number of friends in attendance manifested the respect and esteem with which she was regarded.

Three daughters are left to mourn the loss of kind mother, namely, Mrs Harry Jacobs and Mrs James Walsh of Brooklyn and Jean of this town. The deceased had a large circle of friends and acquaintances who can bear testimony to her fine qualities. She had a kind, sympathetic disposition and a manner that was pleasing. She will be missed in this town where she so long has made her home. Danforth...Apr 25, 1910.

### JACK VEYSEY

(1929)

Canterbury, Feb. 13- The many friends of Jack Veysey will be saddened to hear of his death, occurred at his home in Fosterville York county, following several days of Pneumonia. Mr. Veysey was 29 years of age, the youngest son of Mr and Mrs Charles Veysey, Fosterville, and was well known and highly respected.

Besides his parents he leaves a wife, who was formerly Miss Lottie Farrell of North Lake N.B., leaves one son and one daughter, two sisters, Mrs Fred Wood and Mrs Lily Kinney of Fosterville, and three Brothers Henry of Farmington, Maine; Alfred and Clyde Veysey of Fosterville.

The funeral was held Friday at 2 p.m., Rev. A.E. Ramsey officiating, Pall bearers were his three brothers, Henry, Alfred and Clyde Veysey, and Laurel Kinney, a nephew of the deceased.

Interment was at Fosterville, York county.

#### GEORGE A. SMART

The passing of George A Smart, whose death occurred July 2, this community loses one its oldest and most respected citizen. Mr Smart was born Magadavic N.B., in 1841. In 1865 he was united in marriage to Miss Alwilda Edgerly of Princeton, and they came to Weston, where they resided for many years. Affiliating with the church early in life, he was ne of its most earnest workers and living as a true Christian for over 50 years., his place will be hard to fill. In 1915 , Mr. and Mrs. Smart observed the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of their marriage.

The widow survives , also 3 sisters and a brother, Mrs Agnes Smith of Seattle Wash, Mrs Mary Morrison of Bangor, Mrs Melissa Curtis of Danforth, and Henry D Smart of Houlton.

Funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon, Rev. Arthur J. Hamilton officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends who came to pay their last respects to the respect citizen. Danforth. July 6, 1927.

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(Newspaper clippings and Picture of Frederick A. Powers, and handwritten dates)

#### MRS MARY HARDING CARSON

(1932)

Danforth, Feb 8 - News of the death of Mrs Mary H. (Harding) Carson which occurred in Albion Thursday, came as a shock to her friends in Danforth.

Mrs. Carson was born Oct 26, 1851, The daughter of Warren and Minerva (Quint) Harding and spent the greater part lived in Danforth, going to live with her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Frye, upon Mr. Carson's death in 1917. Mrs. Carson is remembered as a kind and sympathetic neighbor, with a large circle of Danforth friends who mourn her passing. She became a member of the United Baptist church when a young woman and for many years was a faithful worker, serving as an officer of several church organizations.

She was a charter member of Nonpareil Chapter, Order of Eastern Star and of Lygonia Rebekah lodge of Albion.

There are left 2 sons and 1 daughter, Frank f Carson of Portland, Woodbury Carson of Bangor and Mrs Ernest Frye of Albion, 4 great-grandchildren. 2 sisters Mrs Everett Murchie of Boston and Mrs William E Dunn of Danforth. Part of 11 children.

The funeral services were held in Albion, Sunday and the remains were brought here Monday morning. Prayers were held at the Harding home Monday at 2 p.m.

### FREDERICK A. POWERS

(1923)

Houlton, Feb 14 - Frederick A Powers, former associate justice of the Maine Supreme court and former state attorney-general, died Tuesday night in St. Petersburg Fla, where he was spending the winter, according to messages received at his home here. He was a brother to the late Llewellyn Powers governor of Maine from 1896 until 1900.

Judge Powers for many years was prominent in Republican political circles in this state. He was born in West Pittsfield in 1855 the youngest of 8 sons, graduated from Bowdoin College in 1875 and was admitted to the bar the following year.

He was engaged in practice here with Governor Powers and another brother Don A H. Powers, until his appointment to the Supreme Court by Governor Powers in 1900. Previously he had served four years as attorney-general of Maine. Judge Power resigned from the bench shortly after his reappointment in 1907.

He later became a candidate for the United States Senate, opposing Hon. Eugene Hale for the Republican nomination. The state legislature, however was Democratic in majority and Hon. Charles F. Johnson was chosen as a successor to Senator Hale.

Besides a widow who was with him in Florida, Judge Powers leaves two sons, Llewellyn H. Powers and State Senator Paul P. Powers both of Houlton.

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(Newspaper Clipping with handwritten date)

### THOMAS W. WETMORE

Dies Suddenly While Visiting with Relatives in Saint John.

One of the Best Known Residents of York County - Born in England 81 Years Ago.

Dec 18, 1935

News of the death at Lancaster Heights, Saint John, yesterday of Thomas W. Wetmore, aged 81, of North Lake, came as a shock to his legion of friends in Fredericton and other parts of New Brunswick, the State of Maine, and other places in Canada and the United States.

Mr. Wetmore was born in Basingstoke, England, and when a comparatively young man came to New Brunswick, locating at Saint John. He also worked in Fredericton upon the construction of the original Provincial Normal School erected in 1877 and burned several years ago. For some years he was employed in Saint John as a mason and later moved to North Lake, York county, where he was employed by the Canadian Customs. Some time later he was appointed immigration officer and in both positions he carried out his duties most faithfully, giving satisfaction to the Dominion Government and to the many people with whom he had dealings.

In 1910 Mr. Wetmore was elected to represent the Parish of North Lake at the York Municipal Council and again in 1911. He filled his duties most acceptably and such a hold did municipal affairs have for him that he never missed a session of the council, coming to Fredericton in January and July each year and attending the sessions. He always gave a short address to the councillors and his semi-annual visits were always bright spots of the meeting. He did not confine his visits to Fredericton to twice a year but was but was a frequent visitor, making his home at the Waverly Hotel. 'Uncle Tom', as he was known to his friends, always a smile and greeting, giving kindly advice where needed and always ready with a joke or story. He was in Fredericton a few weeks ago and was then looking forward to again coming to the Council meeting in January.

#### Covered 41,000 Miles With Horse.

Mr. Wetmore a few years ago owned a black mare named "Gladys", and he claimed he and his mare had covered 41,000 miles in the discharge of his duties. He told many interesting stories of the time he did his work by the aid of "Gladys". And it was with sorrow he saw her died a few years ago. He was known to tourist from the United States and Canada who frequently visited

Skiff lake and North Lake, and he and his wife, "Aunt Maggie" who died a few years ago, were noted for their hospitality and kindness to the stranger within their gates.

He was a follower of race-horses and always was at Fredericton, Woodstock and Houlton when the racing season was on. He was a kind, courteous gentleman, a member of the old school which is fast disappearing and one who will be missed not only in his own community, but where ever he was known and in his death York County has lost one loved and admired for many fine qualities of heart and mind. His was a good and useful life, filled with many acts of kindness to his fellow man.

#### Met With Accident

Mr. Wetmore met with an accident about a year ago when he was thrown from an automobile while coming to Fredericton with a party of friends. He did not fully recover from the injuries received, although he never complained. Mr. Wetmore went to Saint John last week to visit at the home of relatives, Mr and Mrs. T.W. Perry and it was at their home he suffered a heart attack

yesterday which resulted in his death. He is survived by a son, Councillor Arthur C. Wetmore, with whom he lived since the death of Mrs. Wetmore, a few years ago.

The body was taken last night to his home at North Lake for interment . The funeral taking place this afternoon.

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(3 newspaper clipping with hand written dates)

#### MRS. GRACE BAILEY

(1933)

Funeral services of Mrs Grace Bailey, 43, were held Thursday morning at the Lyon Funeral Home. Rev. Cecil Grant officiated. The bearers were brothers, Reuben Robinson, Clinton Robinson, and Elmer Robinson and a nephew Elwood Robinson. Mrs. Bailey was the daughter of the late Daniel Robinson and was born in this Danforth. Her husband Edison Bailey died a year ago. She is survived by 4 brothers and a sister, brothers Reuben Robinson, Clinton Robinson, and Elmer Robinson of Danforth; Howard Robinson of Wytovitlock; Mrs Elizabeth Briggs of Kingman. There are a number of nephews and nieces.

#### MRS. MAGGIE (BOONE) WETMORE

Mrs. Thomas Wetmore, Wife of Ex-Councillor Wetmore, Passes at Age of 79

(JAN 14, 1933)

North Lake Jan 17. - The community was shocked to hear of death of one of the most highly esteemed residents, Mrs Maggie Thomas Wetmore, on Saturday the 14<sup>th</sup>, at the age of 79 years.

Deceased has been in failing health for some time. All that medical aid and tender care could do added to her comfort but were without avail.

She is, survived by husband and one son, Arthur of Fosterville; 3 sisters Mrs Elizabeth Bustard, Mrs Alice Bustard, of Monument settlement, Mrs Annie Hall of Maxwell N.B. 4 brothers Harvey, George and Charlie of forest city N.B., and William of North Lake.

The funeral service was held at the house with Rev. W. R. Ramsay officiating. The all-bearers were her 6 nephews Arlie , Fred, Basil and Otto Boone, Joseph Hall and Basil Boone of Forest City, N.B. The hymns sung were Rock of Ages and Abide With ME by the Choir and a solo sung by Mrs. Alice Lambert, Never Alone. The floral tributes were beautiful. The remains were laid to rest at the upper cemetery at Fosterville besides those of her daughter May Wetmore, who predeceased her some years ago. There was a large gathering from Houlton and McAdam and the surrounding country paying their last respect to the dead.

## MISS MAY WETMORE

(1907)

North Lake, April 20- It is with sadness we are called upon to record the death of one of our most esteemed and dearly beloved young people in the person of Miss May Wetmore, only an dearly beloved daughter of Mr and Mrs Thomas Wetmore, who entered into rest on Saturday, April 6, 1907,

Although deceased had been in poor health for some time it only became apparent since Christmas that she was rapidly fading away.

It was a pleasure to converse with her. All were greeted with a smile of welcome. She never murmured or complained, but place her whole trust in her risen Savior, and although her last moments were those of severe suffering, she tried to cheer her weeping parents and friends, telling them it was all sunshine with her., and when at last the Death Angel summoned her she smiled an approval as her spirit took its flight to brighter scenes and fairer climes to be forever with the blest. It seemed good to look upon the dead form as it gave forth the divine assurance of a life beyond this vale of tears.

The funeral took place on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> Inst.

A great many attended although it was extremely difficult as the worst storm of the season raged, making traveling almost impossible. Many including near relatives, started but were unable to be there. Miss Wetmore allied herself with the Episcopal church at Canterbury, NB. about three years ago and has been a consistent member ever since. She was visited by her pastor Rev. J.E.Flewelling quite frequently. She is sincerely mourned by her loving parents, including her aged grand-parents. Mrs and Mrs. Alex Boone, and a large circle of friends who kindly ministered to her very want. attending grand-parent Mr and Mrs Alex Boone,. One brother Arthur Wetmore and Mrs. Maggie BOONE Wetmore and Mr. Wetmore.

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(Newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

## ALICE LUTZ COSMAN

(1930)

The death of Mrs. Alice Lutz Cosman, occurred at the Aroostook hospital Feb, 12, following a short illness. She was taken to the hospital on Friday of last week.

She was born in Moncton N.B., and her age was 63 years old.

She was married forty years ago to Wallace Cosman of forest City N.B., who survives. Nine children were born to them, 7 survived, 2 died in infancy. They had lived in Debec, NB for



number of years, coming to Houlton last November to live at the home of their son, Murray Cosman of Pearce Ave.

Mrs. Cosman was member of the Baptist church of Woodstock, NB.

She was a quiet home loving woman greatly devoted to her family and home.

She was highly esteemed by many friends, both here and at Debec, her former home, all of whom were saddened to learn of her passing.

Besides her husband, Wallace Cosman, she is survived by five sons Murray, Ralph and George of Houlton; Millage of Debec and Robert of Mapleton, 2 daughters Mrs Augustus Upton of Lakeville N.B. Mrs Lisle McLaggan of Port Burwell Ont, 2 brothers Peter Lutz and George Lutz of north Lake N.B., also a number of grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Friday morning at 9 o'clock, Rev William B. Chase of the Court Street Baptist church officiating. Burial was made in the Mackenzie Corner N.B., cemetery.

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#### ALPHONSO FROST

(1908)

Weston - Alphonso Frost committed suicide March 25, by shooting himself in a camp a few miles below McAdam Junction. Mr Alphonso Frost, belonged in the town of Weston and leaves a sister, Mrs Frank Smart, Mrs. Frost was a veteran of the Civil War and well known in Aroostook county. Mr Frost was a single man making his home most of the time with his sister, Mrs. Frank Smart of this town.

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#### MRS. OLIVE (CASE) COSMAN

Canterbury, N.B., Jan 25 - The death of Mrs Olive Cosman, occurred at her home at Eel River Lake, York Co, at 11 o'clock, Thursday evening, after an illness of two weeks. Mrs. Cosman was a member of the United Baptist Church, Eel River, Possessed of a quiet and loving disposition. Mrs. Cosman was a home loving person and many friends will regret her passing, She was 79 years old. Surviving her is one brother Elisha Case of Boston, and 1 daughter Mrs Alice Seeley of Bangor, Maine, who has been with here during her illness. Dr Case of Saint John is nephew of the deceased. Funeral service took place on Saturday, Rev. A. E. Ramsay officiated. Interment took place at North Lake.

#### DR. MARTIN .L. PORTER

(1932)

Danforth Dec 30, - Many friends attended the funeral services of Dr Martin L. Porter, which were held at the Methodist Church Thursday afternoon. Rev. Philip H. Lush officiated. The Masonic ritualistic service was impressively read by Baskahegan Lodge, F. and A. M. Two selections were sung by Mrs. P. W. Lyon and Mrs. Hollis Scanlin. Beautiful floral tributes in profusion were sent by friends and by a number of organizations of which the deceased was a member.

The bearers were Guy P. Row, H.M. Pullen, S. D. Springer, Walter Godsoe and George Baker, Interment was in the family lot in the cemetery here where the committal service was held by the lodge.

Relatives called here to attend the funeral were Dr Byron F Porter of Caribou, Mr and Mrs Howard Ramsey of Limestone, Mr and Mrs Charles Newell, Raymond Newell of Bangor, Mr and Mrs Samuel Crabtree of Island Falls.

#### MRS FRED LEE

Funeral services of Mrs. Fred Lee, 69 years old of Orient were held at her home Wednesday afternoon. Rev. A. R. Dalbeck officiated and burial will take place at Selden.

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(Newspaper clippings with handwritten Dates)

#### MRS MILDRED (LUTZ) THOMAS GOLDING

The Community of McAdam was saddened on Friday morning, the 17<sup>th</sup>, when it was learned that Mrs Thomas Golding had passed away at the early age of 33years, after an illness of four months of that dead disease tuberculosis, She will be greatly missed by her many friends.

Besides her sorrowing husband she leaves 3 daughters Madeline, Georgie, and Mabel and one son Alden, her mother Mrs Robert Lutz, and brother Elmer Lutz, both of Woodstock.

The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon at 2/30 from the Baptist Church of which deceased was a charter member, and the funeral was largely attended.

An impressive and comforting sermon was preached by Rev. J.E. Grosline, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. George A Ross of the United Church of Canada.

At the close of the service by the pastor the funeral service of the Loyal True Blue Order No. 233, of which Mrs. Golding was a beloved member was conducted by the members.

The pall bearers were Harry Babock, Ernest Love, William Watson, Allen Moffitt, Arthur Pheaney and Harry Pheaney.

The remains were tenderly laid to rest in the Rockland cemetery.

Those attending from out of town were Mr and Mrs H W Mann, Miss Marvel Mann, Mr and Mrs A W Lutz, Misses Marion and Mildred Lutz, Mrs Wm Norris, Woodstock, Peter C Lutz, George Lutz, Miss Nettie Lutz, North Lake, Mrs John Lutz Mrs Albert Lutz, Fort Fairfield, Milliage Cosman, J A Lilly, Mrs John Glanville, Debec Jct J.C. Lilly, Oakfield Maine.

The floral tributes were very beautiful and numerous attesting to her deserved popularity and to the place she held in the affections of her many friends.

#### ROBERT LUTZ

C.P.R Employee Dead

Robert Lutz Passes Away at his Home at Tapley Mills

(1927)(age 64)

Woodstock, N. B. May 21 - Robert Lutz an employee of C. P. R. for a number of years, died at his home, at Tapley Mills, near Debec, on Thursday night, age 65 years. He resided in this town for several years. He leaves a widow, one son, Almer at home, one daughter, Mrs. Mildred Golding, of McAdam. The funeral will be held at Tapley Mills Sunday.

#### ALMER LUTZ

Late Almer Lutz

(1932)

Woodstock July 12,- Almer Lutz well-known hotel proprietor and horseman, died at this home here last night, following an illness of about six weeks. He was 42 years old, Mr. Lutz recently underwent an operation at Fisher Memorial Hospital here and for a time hopes were entertained for his recovery.

Mr. Lutz was born in Woodstock, but for some years lived near Debec. He returned to Woodstock about seven years ago and took over the Central Hotel on Main Street, which business he carried on until his death.

He was keenly interested in harness racing and was a well known figure on Maine and New Brunswick tracks, frequently driving his own horses. He was interested in civic affairs and in January last was a candidate for town council office

He is survived by wife and 3 daughters Mildred, Marion and Nina. The funeral will be held on Wednesday with Rev. H. E. Allaby pastor of United Baptist Church officiating. Interment will be at McKenzie Corner.

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( picture from newspaper)

Thomas W. Wetmore, passed away.

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(hymn, picture clipping and handwritten notes)

## WILL WHITE

(1928)

Funeral services for Will White were conducted at the Baptist Church Sunday Afternoon, Sept 23, by Rev. Alvah E. Kelley, of Mapleton, a former pastor, Mr. and Mrs. H T. Scanlin sand two selections. Mr. White is survived by 3 sons Hudson White of Danforth, Judson White of Minot N.B. Morse White of Smyrna; two daughters Julia and Elizabeth White of Danforth; four brothers Hadley White of Long Reach, N.B. Sam and Judson White of St. John, N.B.; Nelson White of Montana, also other relatives.

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(Mr Leonard)

## Rev A.A. Walsh

Wayside Evangelist dies at Allagash,

Allagash; Oct 25 - Rev A. A. Walsh, widely known as the "The Wayside Evangelist," died here Sunday night. He had been in decline since he came here last May and confined to his bed for some months.

Mr. Walsh had long been in the ministry, serving a number of pastorates but was best known as an evangelist. For a number of years he traveled over the country in specially constructed automobile, from which with his family and sometimes assistants, he held meeting and often remained several weeks in a place.

HE was particularly well known in the Penobscot valley, especially at Passadumkeag and Enfield, where he was greatly beloved.

Mr. Walsh was of a strong and vigorous personality a forcible speaker and few had the personal acquaintance and high esteem of more friends widely scattered, to whom his passing will be regarded as a personal loss.

He is survived by his wife, a son and daughter.

The funeral will be at Allagash at one o'clock, Thursday afternoon.

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(newspaper clippings and some handwritten notes)

#### JACK VEYSEY

well known young man, succumbs to pneumonia after few days illness.

(1929)

Canterbury, Feb 13 - Th many friends of Jack Veysey will be saddened to hear of his death which occurred at his home in Fosterville, York County, following several days of pneumonia. Mr Veysey was 29 years of age, the youngest son of Mr and Mrs Charles Veysey, Fosterville, and was well known and highly respected.

Besides his parents he leaves a wife, who was formerly Miss Lottie Farrell of North Lake N.B., 1 son 1 daughter, 2 sisters Mrs Fred Wood, and Mrs Lily Kinney of Fosterville and three brothers Henry of Farmington and Alfred and Clyde Veysey of Fosterville.

The funeral was held Friday at 2 p.m., Rev. A. E. Ramsay officiating, Pall bearers were his three brothers, Henry, Alfred and Clyde Veysey, and Laurel Kinney, a nephew of the deceased. Interment was at Fosterville York County.

#### REV. ALVAH E. KELLEY

(1932)

News of the death of Rev Alvah E Kelley of Gray has been received here and is deeply deplored by Danforth friends. Mr Kelley was a former pastor of the Baptist Church here and leaves many friends in this section as well as throughout Aroostook County where he held pastorates for years.

#### REV T. F. JONES,

(1930)

Danforth, May 7, - Danforth friends of Rev. Thomas F. Jones, D.D., were shocked to learn of his death which occurred in Augusta Tuesday following a short illness. He was pastor of the Methodist Church here from 1915 - 1918.

Mr. Jones will be remembered as one whose life has been devoted to the service of others and whose reward had been the gratification received in the feeling that much had been accomplished during his year in Christian service. His name will be cherished by those who knew him and received inspiration from his life of helpfulness and unremitting service.

## BRYDEN HARDING

(Bryden Harding killed by Lighting July 25, 1914)

The remains of Bryden Harding of Danforth who was killed when building burned Saturday, were brought to Riverside cemetery for Interment Monday.

Prayers were said at the grave by Rev. Whitesides of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Orono.

## JESSE BYRON PORTER

News was received in town Sunday of the sad drowning of Jesse Byron Porter, the youngest son of Dr. Porter and Mrs. Porter of Caribou. Dr. Porter was a former resident of Stillwater and has many friends here with the family in their bereavement

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(Newspaper Clippings with hand written notes)

## BAYFIELD D. GILLIS

(1932)

Danforth, Sept 29 - A large number of friends and relatives attended the funeral services of Bayfield D Gillis, age 34 years old, which were held Tuesday afternoon at the home of his mother

, Mrs George Lee of North Bancroft. Rev. Philip D. Lush officiated.

The bearers were William Gillis, Gordon and Stanley Lee and Stuart Salter. Two selections were sung by Mr and Mrs. Hollis Scanlin and Leon Irish.

Mrs. Gillis' death occurred Sunday at the age of 34 years and following an illness of several months. He was born in Miscouche P.E.I., coming here when very young. For the past few years he has been a member of the Gillis Brothers, machinist here.

He is survived by wife Mrs Eva Gillis (whom he married in 1929, and a son. He leaves his mother Mrs. George Lee; a brother William Gillis of Danforth, 2 half-brothers and a half-sister, Gordon and Stanley Lee and Mrs Arlene Hannigan of North Bancroft.

## MRS. MARY GOULD

(1907)

Forest City, Mrs Mary Gould, who departed this life Thursday morning, Sept 26, was born in Sidney, C.B. 60 years ago. When a young woman she lived for a few years at a minister's home

in Boston, While there she married to Leonard Gould and they soon returned to Nova Scotia. But after a few years they removed to Canterbury and little later to North Lake, This proved to be their permanent home and as a mother devoted to her family, as well as a kind neighbor and an unfailing friend Mrs. Gould endeared herself to all who knew her. A strong faith in God, which showed itself in works as well as by words, made her a leader in Christians work in the community. She was baptized by Rev. Thomas McDonald, together with some of her children, 12 years since she was the mother of 13 children, all but two of whom are living. Viz: William, George, Charles, Hanaford, Edward, Lyle, Clarence, Fred, Eldon, Mrs. Charles Dwyer and Mrs. Clarence Graham. She had been in poor health for some months and was a great sufferer during the closing weeks of her life.

The funeral was held Saturday afternoon from the church at North Lake; Rev. Thomas McDonald of Lubec preached the sermon from Rev. 3:11. Rev. S. M. Thompson of Forest City assisted. Appropriate hymns were sung by Mr and Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Joseph Blanchard.

All the family were present, The casket was covered with flowers. The Interment was at Fosterville.

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(newspaper clipping)

(1931)

### MRS. LINDBERGH APPEAL

1931

Heartbroken Mother's Appeal to Kidnapers, March 2, mothers appeal for the Linbergh baby.

Here is a heartbroken appeal direct from the mother of the child you stole.

The baby has been sick and its recovery may depend on the treatment it gets from you. You must be especially careful about the diet.

Mrs. Lindbergh issued to the press today the strict diet she has been following since the baby fell ill. She did this in the hope you might read this story and that there was some spark of humanity even in the heart of a baby thief.

Here is the diet, accompanied by the fervent prayer of a grieving mother;

One quart of milk during the day.

Three tablespoons of cooked cereal morning and night.

Two Tablespoons of cooked vegetables once a day.

Half a cup of orange juice on waking.

Half a cup of prune juice after the afternoon nap.

And 14 drops of a medicine called voisterola during the day.

That's all, kidnapper of the Lindbergh baby. That's what the baby's mother wants you to give the boy. Please do as she requests.

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(Newspaper clipping with handwritten dates)

Mr and Mrs. THOMAS NEWMAN

40<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

(June 1929) Forty-five of the neighbors and friends of Mr and Mrs Thomas Newman gathered in their home in South Levant, Wednesday evening June 5<sup>th</sup>, to celebrate with them their fortieth Wedding anniversary. Mrs Thomas Newman, read an original poem Reminiscences of Forty Years. Rev. P. J. Quigg sang Silver Threads among the Gold, followed by appropriated remarks, by request Mrs. Newman and daughter sang. Sweeter as the Years Go BY.

Many old songs, were sung in which many heartily joined and a real social time followed during which ice-cream and cake was served. By the young ladies present assisted by Mrs. Fred Mason and Rev. Everett Rockwell, son-in-law of Mrs and Mrs. Newman, Mrs. Rockwell, their daughter was the accompanist for the musical numbers.

The bride and groom of forty years received many congratulatory letters from friends and absent members of the family and many beautiful and appropriate gifts including \$25 in money. The only out of town guests were their daughter Zillah and her husband, Rev. E. A. Rockwell of Monson and two granddaughter, Evangeline and Margarette Ida Rockwell; their son Prof. H. L. Newman of Waterville was unable to be present on account of Mrs. Newman's illness. At a late hour the guests departed, wishing Mr and Mrs. Newman Many more years of happy wedded life.

WARREN C. DAGGETT

(Amity)Dea. Warren C Daggett died at his home in Amity, aged 76 years, 8 months,, 6 days. For the past six years he had been an invalid, much of the time suffering extreme pain; so the summons to depart was a welcome one. Dea. Daggett experienced religion about 30 years ago in a revival under the labors of Rev. L. Mayo. He united at with the Amity church and later was chosen as deacon which office he most worthily filled. He lived five miles from the meeting house, but he and his wife were among the most faithful and constant attendants at all the services of the church as long as his health permitted. His pastors always found in him a warm, true friend and a wise counselor. During all the years of his sickness he was most tenderly and



faithfully cared for by his wife, who now has the loving sympathy of the church and community.  
He is survived by wife.

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(newspaper clipping with handwritten note)

(1932)(Adversity) (200yrs)

Washington, ( 200 anniversary of George Washington's birth)

## WASHINGTON

by James Russell Lowell

George Washington, first President of the United States was born in Westmoreland County, Virginia, February 22, 1732, and died at Mt Vernon, December 14, 1799.

Through seven slow years of unadvancing war,  
Equal when fields were lost or fields were won,  
With breath of popular applause or blame,  
Nor fanned nor damped, unquenchably the same,  
Too inward, to be reached by flaws of idle fame.  
Soldier and statesman, rarest unison;  
High-poised example of great duties done,  
Simply as breathing, a world's honors worn  
As life's indifferent gifts to all men born;  
Dumb for himself, unless it were to God,  
But for his barefoot soldiers eloquent,  
Tramping the snow to coral where they trod,  
Held by his awe in hollow-eyed content;  
Modest, yet firm as Nature's self; unblamed

Save by the men his nobler temper shamed;  
Not honored then or now because he wooed  
The popular voice, but that he still withstood;  
Broad-minded, higher-souled, there is but one  
Who was all this, and ours, and all men's -

WASHINGTON

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(Handwritten Note)

Rex McGivney died out in France with fever Nov 17, 1919.

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(Handwritten Note)

Marion children

Robert

Alton Nelson

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baby aker born Dec 17, 1931

Pearl Aker born Jan 1933

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(Newspaper Clippings with handwritten dates)

WINFIELD S. ELLIS

(1932)

Danforth, Nov 1, The death of Winfield S Ellis, a highly respected citizen of his town, occurred Sunday evening in a Houlton hospital.

Mr. Ellis was a life-long resident of Danforth, and will be kindly remembered by many friends. He was born in Weston 74 years ago and following his, father's death in a battle of the Civil War, his mother and four children moved to this town. Mr. Ellis took a great interest in National and community affairs.

He was a member of the Danforth Lodge, I.O.O.F., and the United Order of the Golden Cross. He was also affiliated with the sons of Veterans of the Civil War. He became a member of the Baptist church when a young man.

Mr. Ellis is survived by his wife Temperance Ellis, whom he married 51 years ago. He also leaves a son and daughter Harvey J. Ellis of Dixfield, and Mrs Fannie P Harding of Danforth, grandson Harold Harding; Mrs Lettie Nesbit of Danforth and sister and Mrs Harry Leavitt of Newton Mass a half-sister.

The funeral services were held at the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon.

#### ALEXANDER FERGUSON

(1930)

Tampa, Fla. Dec 22 - Funeral services for Alexander Ferguson were held at his residence, 3222 34<sup>th</sup> street and 25<sup>th</sup> Ave. Last Sunday. Mr. Ferguson was born in Scotland and had been in poor health for some time. He is survived by Mrs. Ferguson, a former resident of Bangor, and was highly respected as a fine Christian gentleman and a scholar. The service was by Rev. W. L. Smith of the Edgewood M.E. church, with finely rendered selections by a male quartet.

The bearers were Judge A. L. Jackson, O.G. Finley, J.L. Upton, Judge A.B. Weise and W.N. Van Sandingham. Interment was in Myrtle Hill Cemetery. Mrs. Ferguson extends thanks to friends for their help and beautiful flowers.

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(Newspaper clipping and handwritten notes)

(1932)

Inez Mae Golding of Brewer, of Liblt vs Dwight Moody Golding of Newport Minn. Desertion.

C. J. Hutchings, attorney for Liblt. Ruth E Day of Bangor, Liblt vs John B Day of Georgia. Cruel and abusive treatment.

Lottie Ekerson children born

Gertrude born 19 Oct 1930

baby boy 9 April 1932

Thomas R Ekerson 21 Feb 1934

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(Handwritten notes)

Susie Lutz children

Stephen Lutz

Ella Peck

Nettie Lutz

Howard Lutz

Alice Lutz

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(Handwritten Notes)

Georgie Wilsons children

Lizzie Carrol

Marion Aker

Alla Whitney

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(Newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

**JAMES A. MCGREGOR**

Danforth, March 9, The sudden death of James A McGregor, 54, which occurred Wednesday morning came as a great shock to his friends. Mr. McGregor came to Danforth from his birthplace, Vanceboro, when a young man and won many friends in this vicinity. He was a valued employee of the Maine Central Railroad for years. Resigning several months ago because of his ill health. He was greatly interested in music and was a former member of the Danforth Band.

By his passing are left his wife Mrs Eva McTague McGregor whom he married 1916, 2 sons James and Robert McGregor, his aged mother Mrs Emilaline McGregor and a brother Percy McGregor. There are several cousins.

The funeral services will be held at the home. Friday at 2 p.m.

#### MRS. (ANDERSON) ALFRED CHAMBERS

The many friends of Mrs Alfred Chambers were shocked and grieved to learn of her death which occurred after a serious illness at the Faith hospital in St Petersburg Florida.

Mrs. Chambers, the daughter of Charles and Julia Anderson, born in Weston July 6, 1857, married Alfred Chambers of Haynesville on Nov 14, 1878, and has been a resident of this town for over 50 years. As a staunch friend, a loving mother , and an example of noble Christian womanhood, she won the love and respect of all who have been privileged to know her. For many years she has been a member of the Baptist Church of Haynesville and a faithful worker in all of its activities. Her whole life has been one influential in the moral uplift of the community.

She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, and two daughters Mrs Frank Eastman of Bangor and Mrs Clinton MacLeod of Milo, Her only son William A Chambers died in August 1912, at the close of his freshman year at Ohio Wesleyan University, She also leaves two sisters Mrs T.N. Orser of Sanford and Mrs Isaiah Barton of Providence, R.I. also a brother Calvin Anderson of Sanford

For the past few years Mr and Mrs. Chambers have spent the winters in the south. During the last year Mrs. Chambers has been failing, but she has been a patient, cheerful sufferer, having full confidence in HIM and to whom she had committed her all.

Funeral services were conducted by P W. Lyons of Danforth at the Chambers home in Haynesville, at 2 p.m., on Saturday, April 4.

The bearers were A. G. Mitchell, H. F. Smith, H. G. Pelkey and H. A Malone.

Miss Hilma Bubar and Mrs. P. W. Lyons of Danforth, sang two appropriate selections. The wealth and beauty of the floral tributes fittingly expressed the high esteem and love of friends and relatives. Mrs. Chambers two favorite psalms, the 23<sup>rd</sup> and the 91<sup>st</sup> were quoted by her pastor Rev. H. E. Dow. Haynesville, April 4. .

#### MRS. ELEANOR (GOLDING) SCRIBNER

The funeral services of Mrs Eleanor Scribner, 98, took place Dec 22, at home of brother S.C. Golding in West Danforth. Rev. Cecil T. Grant officiated . Two selections were sung, Mrs. Scribner was the oldest person in this vicinity. Coming here from her birthplace , St John N.B., following her husband death 12 years ago, she has live at her brother's home. Where she received kindest attention and care, especially during her long illness. She was a member of the Danforth Baptist Church.

Five brothers and sisters survive - , Samuel Golding and Fred Golding of West Danforth, Mrs Charlotte Ellison of Montreal,. Daniel Golding of Macwahoc and Mrs Amanda Heffer of St John.

## SHEPARD CUMMINGS

Masonic Funeral for Mr. Cumming at Haynesville.

(1927)

Funeral services for Mr Shepard Cummings, who died on Thursday at the age of 73 years, were held from his late residence in Haynesville, on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Ashley A. Smith, D. D. of this city officiating.

Mr. Cummings, although not a Bangor man, was very well known and had many friends here due to his close and devoted association to the various bodies of the Masonic orders. Mason from any parts attended the services. There being in addition hundreds of other present to pay final respects. The Masonic lodge of Danforth attended in body and six members of the order served as bearers. The Comandery, of Houlton, was present in uniform.

Following the words of Dr. Smith the Masonic service was read.

During the course of the services the Delphian quartet, of Bangor, composed of Cyrus D. McCready, Charles Clark, Fred Clifford and Walter B. Mills, beautifully rendered several selections, in keeping with a request once made by Mr. Cummins.

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(Newspaper Clippings with handwritten dates)

## EMMA A PRICE

Emma A Price, a well know resident of this town passed away at her home at home, June 19, after a short illness, aged 61 years,. Mrs Price was born and always lived in Weston July 6, 1908, She was the daughter of Hezekiah and Roxana Harris and was one of the 7 children, only 3 of whom are now living. She leaves her husband, A B Price, and 1 daughter Mrs John Mitchell of Seattle Wash two sisters Mrs Charles Skofield of Hodgdon and Mrs William Kingston of Danforth one brother George Harris of Otono.

The funeral service were held at the Methodist church at 2 p.m. In the following Sunday, and Rev. Mr. Weed, pastor of the church officiating.

Weston, July 6, 1908

## HOWARD W. CLARK

Leap into Lake when tank Explodes

Portland, Aug 30 - Six person were forced to leap into Little Sebago Lake today when the gasoline tank of their out board motor boat exploded and se the craft afire. All were rescued, The part was headed by Howard W. Clark, of Portland.

#### MR. MAUD W. ANDERSON

(1928)William B. Chase Correspondent: A great bereavement came to Mr. A. M. Anderson, suddenly on the afternoon o f July 3, when his wife, Maud W Anderson passed to the better estate prepared for the Christian. They had both been members of the Danforth church for about eighteen years. Mr. Anderson serving for years as treasurer and Mrs. Anderson on being active in several departments of the church at the time of her death. An active Christian, she was a most faithful wife and mother, a kind hearted neighbor, always ready to relieve distress when possible among those in need.

Mr. A. M. Anderson, and his children of whom there are, 4 children, 2daughters, 2 sons, have the heartfelt sympathy of many sorrowing friends for the place among those who loved her can not be filled. Besides the immediate family left 2 brothers, 2 sisters.

The funeral services were held in the church on the afternoon of the 5<sup>th</sup> Rev. A. E. Kelley, a former pastor officiating, Sweet music was furnished by Mrs. J. C. Panich organist and Mrs. And Mrs. Hollis Scanlin singing several beautiful selections.

Deacons of the church were bearers. A profusion of flowers were arranged about the altar in the church. The auditorium was filled with mourning friends, among them the Rebekah Lodge and Order of Eastern Star, Mrs. Anderson, being associated with both.

"Soft as the memory of buried love; Pure as the prayer which children waft above".

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(Newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

#### WILLIAM J. KINGSTON

In the death of William J Kingston, which December 24 (1930), following a short illness Danforth loses one of its prominent and respected citizen. Mrs. Kingston had been a resident of this town for more than 60 years, and was well known here. He was born in Newcastle N.B., Aug 7, 1845, 57 Years ago he was untied in marriage to Miss Delana Harris of Weston- who died last June (20 Jun 1930). Mr and Mrs. Kingston was noted for its hospitality and my relatives and friends have pleasant memories of these association.

At the time of Alaska Gold rush in 1897 Mr Kingston spent 2 year in the Klondike returning home May 1899 He was with one exception, the last member of the Danforth party which went to the Yukon at the time.

His death removes the last charter member of Baskahegan Lodge, F. and A.M. No 175 of which he as a past master. He was also a member of Danforth Lodge, I.O.O.F. No. 118.

Mr Kingston was interested in town affairs and in years past was prominently identified with all projects for the betterment of the town. .

Surviving are son-Jason and daughter Mrs Ella Barnes, both of Danforth, a grandson Kingston Blenis of Camden, N.J., and several nephews and nieces.

The funeral services were held at the home Friday afternoon, Baskenhegan Lodge, F. and A. M., No. 175 read its burial service. Rev. P H. Lush officiated. Dr. S. D. Springer and Mrs. P. W. Lyons sang two selections. The bearers were H. H. Putnam, J. A. Haley, D. R. H, McCready, Norace, M. Pullen,, Edward Huff and W. J. Dowe.

The relatives from out of town who attended the funeral were Mrs. And Mrs. Frank Skofield, and Blin Skofield, Carney Bates, George Gorham, Rex Gilpatrick and Victor Gilpatrick of Houlton.

#### MRS. DELANIA M. KINGSTON

(1930)

The community heard with much sorrow of the death of Mrs. Delania sorrow of the death Friday June 22 of the Death of Mrs Delania M Kingston, she was born in Weston, March 17, 1843, The daughter of Hezekiah and Roxania Harris. She attended the schools of that town and in June 1873 was united in marriage with William J. Kingston, of New Castle N.B. They lived in Weston several years and then came to Danforth where they have always resided. Mrs. Kingston was one who evinced in many ways those sterling qualities that marked her as a type of the older standard of womanhood. She possessed unusual energy of mind and body which tended to make her company agreeable to both young and old. She had a cheerful optimistic nature and home was a hospitable one and for years it has been a gathering place for relatives and friends from far and near who cherish memories of these associations. Her absence will be keenly felt not only by her immediate family but by her friends.

She was a member of the Nonpareil Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, and Judith Rebekah lodes.

Surviving are her husband William J Kingston, a son and daughter Jason Kingston of Danforth, and Mrs Ella Barnes of Berwyn Ill, Mrs Kingston was the last member of a family of six. Relatives: Mr and Mrs Willard McLaughlin, Mrs Etta McLaughlin, Miss Martha Gilpatrick of Bangor, Mr and Mrs Frank Skofield, Leon Skofield and daughter, Mr and Mrs Frank Skofield, Leon Skofield and daughter Mr and Mrs Victor Gilpatrick, Houlton.

The funeral services were held at the home, Friday afternoon, Baskahegan Lodge, F. and A.M No. 175 read its burial service. Rev. P.W. Lyon sang two selections. The bearer were H.H.Putnam, JA. Haley, Dr. R H McCready, Horance M. Pullen , Edward Huff and W J. Dowe.



The relatives from out of town who attended the funeral were Mr and Mrs. Frank Skofield and Blin Skofield of Houlton, Cary Bates, Gorge Gorham, Rex Gilpatrick and Victor Gilpatrick of Houlton.

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(Newspaper clippings)

#### DEERING - RANDALL

Engaged Mr and Mrs Maurice Deering of Portland, formerly of Orient, announced the engagement of their daughter Helen Elizabeth (picture above article) to Pvt. William Edwin Randall son of Mr and Mrs Harvey H Randall of Portland. Miss Deering is employed in the office of the Portland Footwared company, while Mr, Randall who was formerly employed is not stationed with the Arm at Camp Breckinridge, KY, no date has bee set for the wedding.

#### MRS. MARGARET LOIS (HARPER) BOONE

At the home of TM Howe , Fredericton Junction, N.B. Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1950., Mrs Margaret Lois (Harper) Boone age 88 years old passes away.

.Funeral from the home of Mr. Howe on Sunday afternoon with prayers at one o'clock followed by service in the United Baptist Church, Geary, by Rev. Stuart Murray and Interment in Geary Cemetery. No flowers by request.

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(Newspaper picture)

Walsh Family, Curtis Corner Maine.

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(Newspaper clippings with hand written notes)

#### MRS. LOTTIE JANE (STILES) BOONE

(1926)

The death of Mrs Lottie J. Boone occurred at Aroostook Hospital (Charles Howe's Mother) on Sunday morning from heart troubles and complication. The deceased was born in New Brunswick 73 years ago, of the late Mr and Mrs Bamford Stiles. Widow of the late Charles Boone. Survives: 2 daughters Mrs Susie Tidd of Houlton, Mrs Edith Herbert Tompkins of Lakeville, N.B., 5 Sons, Harvey Boone of North Lake, Herbert and Henry Boone of Centerville N.B., John Boone of Boston, and Charles B. Boone of Portland. 3 Sisters Mrs William Trafford

of Fort Fairfield, Mrs Susie Caldwell of Fredericton, and Mrs John Fires of St. John N.B., 2 brothers, George Stiles of Bridgewater and Wesley Stiles of Stockton Springs.

#### JAMES CROSBY

(1926)

Vanceboro, July 28, James Crosby of Danforth was instantly killed when the roadster in which he and a small boy were riding was ditched and turned turtle two miles east of Easton on Calais-Houlton Road. The boy whose name is Land and show home is at Topsfield was uninjured.

Two automobiles arrived on the scene soon after the accident, and the drivers said that Crosbys car had plowed the ditch for a distance of about 50 feet before one of the front wheels collapsed and it overturned, Smoke was at the time rising from the roadster and a man ran to the machine with a fire extinguisher but it was not needed.

One motorist hurried to Easton and sent in a telephone call for a Danforth physician.

Apparently Crosby lost control of his car and the rate of speed at which he was traveling carried him to his death.

#### DR. W. B. HUNTER

(1929)

Vanceboro, Feb 6. Funeral services were held here Tuesday for Dr. William Bruce Hunter, of Danforth, whose death occurred here on Sunday. He was obliged to give up his patients six weeks or so ago on account of a general breakdown, and came to his former home here.

Dr. Hunter was the son of Charles Hunter and Eliza born in Jan 3, 1879, went to village schools and attended the University of Maine for three years in the class of 1901, for six years he was a agent of the C.P.R then entered and Graduated from McGill University in Montreal, (Medical School) in 1908. He began practice in Lagrange until 1913 when he moved to Danforth. Survived: Charles Hunter (father) Margaret Bishop Hunter (wife) whom he married in Lagrange in 1911, 2 brothers Byron, Roy, and 2 sisters, Margaret and Jean Hunter all of Vanceboro.

He was a member of the Houlton Lodge of ELKS.

Many attended the funeral services held at the residence of his father today. Rev. George P. Sparks of the M.E. Church officiating.

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(Newspaper clippings and hand written notes)

MRS. ADA F. (POWELL) SCOTT

### Untimely Death of One of Danforth's Most Beloved and Respected Citizen

Danforth, Aug 14 - A gloom was cast over this community by the death of Mrs Ada F. Scott, Aug 9, of Danforth, widow of Walter Scott, 57 Years old,

As a girl she was a brilliant scholar of fine personality which enabled her to adopt the vocation of school teacher at the early age of 16 years, and which she followed until her marriage.

She was never of robust health, and suffered much from serious illness. In spite of all this she made much out of life, reared a large family, was a loving and helpful wife, a tender and true mother- her whole life was an exemplification of patience, of thoughtfulness of others and self - sacrifice, her optimistic and kindly disposition drew to her a host of friends.

Service were held Sunday, Aug 11, at the Baptist church for many years her spiritual home. She was laid at her spiritual home. She was laid at a rest in a bed of flowers, the floral gifts being most elaborate and beautiful. The Rebeccas, of which she was a member attended in a body, and the church was packed with her neighbors and friends.

She leaves to mourn her loss five children, Lyndon Scott of Lincoln, Mrs C.H. Hathaway of Passadumkeag, Erald Scott, who is employed in the munition plant in Massachusetts, Eula a public school teacher in Danforth. And Mureal, her youngest daughter of Boston. Also her mother Mrs D.H. Powell of Danforth, three brothers and two sisters Judge W. H. Powell of Old Town, A.W. Powell of Saco, Dr L.L. Powell of Saco, Mrs E May Goodwin of Lincoln and Mrs Lenora C Cummings of Stowe Vermont.

### JAMES B. MOWREY

(1932)

Danforth, April 6, The death of James B. Mowrey, 70, occurred on Sunday evening after a few months' illness. He had been a resident of Danforth for 45 years coming from Fredericton, N.B., born in Fredericton N.B..He married Miss Annie Densmore of Calais in 1890.

He was member of the Methodist church and always was a faithful attendant. He leaves a large circle of friends. Besides his wife, daughter Mrs Harold Ingersoll of Columbia, also six brothers and sisters, John Mowrey, Smithport Pa, Isaiah Mowrey of Danforth, Charles Mowrey, Mrs Fred Robinson, Mrs George Blizzard, Mrs Joseph Crowley of Fredericton. Also several nephews and nieces. The funeral was held in the Methodist Church Tuesday Afternoon.

### RALPH GILPATRICK

17 March 1904

(Died March 17) Resolutions of respect. Whereas, it has pleased the Great Master of the universe to remove from our grange our beloved brother, Ralph Gilpatrick, therefore.

Resolved, That the member of Grand Lake Grange do sympathize with the afflicted family of our deceased brother and that a copy of these resolutions be presented to them, and also published in the Bangor Commercial; also that they be entered upon the records of the Grange.

John S. C. Dingee, John Kirkpatrick, Arthur Schillinger, Committee on resolutions.

Weston, April 11, 1904 .

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(Newspaper clipping with handwritten date)

MRS. HENRIETTA (MALONE) LASKEY

(1929)

With a feeling of sorrow friends learned of the death of Mrs Henrietta Laskey, June 4, at the Jack Panich where she was spending the winter. Mrs. Laskey was born in the officers barracks in Houlton, May 4, 1840, during the Aroostook War. Her parents were Sargeant James and Mary Malone. In 1861 she was united in marriage with Jacob Laskey and they resided in Haynesville. , Eight children were born to them. Mr Laskey died in 1901, Mrs. Laskey was a member of the Baptist church at Haynesville and took an active part in church affairs during the early years of her life. She had ill health for several years but bore her sickness with courage. She was tenderly cared for by her daughters. Mrs Delbert Mitchell with whom she lived, she is survived by 4 sisters, Mrs T. B. Irish of Danforth, Mrs John Laskey of Dillon, Col., Mrs Guy Brannen of Weyburn, Mass, and Mrs Delbert Mitchell of Haynesville, Also eleven grandchildren, fifteen great grand children and one great great grandchild. A son Isaac Laskey died at his home in San Diego Calif, Dec 1,

The funeral services were held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. B. Irish Sunday morning. Rev. A.J. Hamilton, and Rev. Cecil Grant officiated.

Dr. S. D. Springer and Mrs. P. W. Lyon sang two selections. The remains were taken to Haynesville cemetery.

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(Newspaper clippings)

MRS. ELIZA (HINCH) SPRINGER

Danforth, April 8, The death of Mrs Eliza Springer, which occurred Wednesday removes one the town's most beloved citizens of the older generation.

Mrs. Springer was born at south Bancroft May 1, 1846, the daughter of Robert and Eliza Marshall Hinch. Following her marriage to Albert Springer in 1866, she moved to Weston, where the family resided over 20 years. They came to this down 44 year ago. Where Mr. Springer became a prominent lumberman, being a member of the Springer Lumber Co. His death occurred in 19717.

Mr and Mrs. Springer observed their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary in 1916. Two children.-

Henry H Springer of Lincoln and Mrs Harriett F Merriman of Presque Isle, who died four years ago.

Mrs. Springer will be remembered as one who possessed qualities which endeared her to friends of a younger generation as well as those of her own yeas. Her great interest was in her home the hospitality of which was enjoyed by these friends for many years. During the earlier years of her life she was an active worker in community and church affairs. She attended the Methodist Church and was a charter member of the Ladies Aid Society. She leaves to mourn their loss , her son Henry H Springer a grandson Paul ??? Springer of Bangor and two great grandchildren Jacqueline and ???Springer. There are several nephews and nieces.

The funeral was held at the home, Friday at 2 p.m. and Interment was in the family lot here.

#### MRS. GRACE POMPHREY

Drowned at Grand Lake

A sad tragedy which has deeply stirred this community with sympathy and sorrow occurred at Grand Take near here Friday.

When Mrs. Grace Pomphrey of Bangor was accidentally drowned while in bathing.

Mrs. Pomphrey, who as the wife of John Pomphrey, assistant manager of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's office in Bangor, was alone in the water when the accident took place. She had come up to the lake from Danforth with a party of friends to enjoy an afternoon's outing. Others had been in bathing with here, but she remained in the water after they went ashore. Mrs. Pomphrey was learning to swim and it is believed that by the use of water wings she got out beyond her depth without realizing it. All at once and just after she had been talking about her success in learning to swim. She sank without a sound, in a moment. Appearing above the water in a mute appeal for help, and then sinking again beneath the surface. Her friends on shore, who by this time were fully dressed, shouted for help and Robert B. Love of Danforth, who was in a sailboat which had been moored some distance back from the shore, ran and plunged into the water fully dressed. By the time he reached Mrs. Pomphrey, only her hands were above the water and as she sank for the last time, on of these clutches his shoulder. Dragging him under water. Loaded down with the weight of his clothes and half strangled himself, Mr. Love could only free himself and make his way to the surface. By this time a small sailboat which had been moored some distance down the beach had been secured by the friends on shore and after removing his shoes and trousers. Mr. Love dove for the body, finally bringing it to the surface from the bottom

where it lay in about nine feet of water. Mr. Love is a medical student at Yale University and began artificial respiration at once, keeping up his efforts to restore life until the arrival of help from Danforth. Dr. Curtis and Dr. Hunter of Danforth, came down with a Pulmotor, but three hours of intensive effort failed to restore life.

In the opinion of the doctors, death was instantaneous and due to heart failure, not drowning, for no water was in the lungs of the dead woman. The body was under water not more than three minutes.

Mr. Pomphrey was in town on business connected with his profession and his wife accompanied him. A great many of the townspeople had come to know them since they came about a week ago. Mrs. Pomphrey was a woman of charming personality, bright, gay, full of sunshine and life and everyone with whom she came in contact felt that her life was a ray of light in this dark world. Mr. Pomphrey has the sincere and deep sympathy of this whole town in his bereavement, for though only a rare visitor, yet he is known to many who grieve with him now in the loss of beloved wife.

The funeral service were held at the Catholic church here Sunday morning and Interment was in Highland cemetery. Danforth, July 17.

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(Newspaper clipping)

#### MR. VARNEY PUTNAM

(July 28, 1930)

Several Houlton relatives of the late Varney Putnam, went to Weston to attend the funeral services, held Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. From the home of Mr. Brackett where he had made his home for several years. The service were under the auspices of the Masonic Order of Danforth and were largely attended. The floral pieces were many and beautiful.

Mr. Putnam was born in Houlton Oct 10, 1839, He married Miss Ophelia Brackett who died many years ago. After her death he went to live with a nephew and his family who give him excellent care and who mourn his passing.

By the death of Varney Putnam another old Houlton family becomes extinct as he was the only left in the large family of the Late Amos and Christina (Wormwood) Putnam. Houlton will be found the following from her home in Alfred, Maine with the Putnam's who came from New Salem, Mass., Amos Putnam was then quite a young man and Christina Wormwood was a maiden of nine summers.

There was plenty of hardships in reaching their destination the ship being made to Portland where they arrived on the day that the two ships captains who were killed in a sea fight in the war of 1812 were buried. The Bancroft by canoe. They carried their canoes across to Grand Lake

then to North Lake across to Eel River, up the St. John river to Woodstock then by following a blazed trail they either walked or came on horseback to Houlton joining other families who had reached Houlton in 1805. Christina Wormwood and Amos Putnam were married in Houlton by the Rev. Seth. The mother lived to be 90 years of age, the marriage taking place on Nov 1, 1818. Amos Putnam died Dec 29, 1849 leaving 15 children, another child being born a few months later, making 16 children. The mother lived to be 90 years of age.

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(Newspaper clippings with handwritten notes)

**HENRY H. PUTNAM**

(21 DEC 1921)

Danforth, Dec 23 - The funeral services of Henry H. Putnam, were held at his residence Wednesday afternoon, Dec 21, the Rev. R. C. Dalzell, pastor of the M E Church , being the officiating clergyman, reading appropriate scriptures selections and favorite hymns of the family. This was followed by the beautiful Masonic ritual, which was carried out in full by the Baskahegan lodge, of which Mr. Putnam was a charter member.

The neighbors and friends assembled in large respect to pay the last tribute of respect to one whom they loved. In the gathering were those who had been associated with him for many years. And others whose acquaintance had been of shorter duration but whose esteem for the departed was bountiful and genuine.

Among those from out of town present at the funeral were Mr and Mrs B. B. McIntyre and son Harris of Houlton, Miss Anne Barnes and Miss Alice Porter of Houlton, Mr and Mrs Varney Putnam of Weston, Mr and Mrs W.C. Pickard and daughter of Bangor, Mrs Frank White of Bangor, John McKay of Portland. Representing the Baskahegan Company, A. G. Chambers of Haynesville, and scores of friends from Brookton, Topsfield, Weston, Wytovitlock and the surrounding towns. Interment was made in the Putnam lot of Danforth cemetery.

**MRS. FRANCES A (MEGQUIER) PUTNAM**

(29 Apr 1932)

The death of Mrs Frances A Putnam, widow of the late Henry H Putnam who died in (1921) occurred Tuesday evening after a long illness and is received with regret by friends in Danforth and other towns, Where she was well known.

She was married in Houlton in 1869, Her husband became a well known lumberman of this section retiring a few years before his death in 1921.

The family has been intimately associated with the development and progress of Danforth and every enterprise for its betterment has been given their encouragement and support. Mrs. Putnam

was a devoted wife and mother whose first interest was in her home where her loss will be most keenly felt. Although outliving nearly all the friends of her generation she leaves many younger friends to whom her death is a personal loss.

Mrs. Putnam was born Jan 11, 1850, a daughter of Charles and Hannah Megquier of Weston. Survived by 5 sons and daughters, Henry H Putnam and Varney A Putnam of Danforth, Edgar B Putnam of Camden, Mrs Frances A Parker and Mrs Molly Osborne of Danforth. There are seven grandchildren. The funeral services will be held at the Putnam home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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(Newspaper clippings with handwritten notes)

**MRS. HERBERT A. WHITNEY**

(July 8 1831 - Nov 9 1931)

Danforth, Nov 9, Mrs Herbert A Whitney who celebrated her 100 birthday, on July 8<sup>th</sup> died. She was born July 8, 1831 in Robbinston, died at her daughters house Mrs James Nesbit, Mrs, raving reached the century mark four months ago. Mrs. Whitney was presented with the centennial gold medal of the Public Health Association. She received a congratulatory note from Governor Gardiner at this time, her name being proposed by the Gold Star Mothers.

Mrs. Whitney was recently announced as being the oldest person yet invited to take place in the 1932 soldier boy observance in Washington of the opening date of the celebration of the George Washington bi-centennial. Mrs. Whitney had been a widow of 4 husbands, the last dying in 1919. Survived by 1 son and 1 daughter Winfield E Ellis and Mrs James Nesbit, of Danforth, .

They are both residents of this town. Also 48 grandchildren and great grandchildren. Mrs. Whitney was born in Robbinston.

**MRS. MARGARET MUNDIE**

(1932)

Danforth , Oct 27 - Friends of Mrs Margaret Mundie, regret to learn of her death which occurred Wednesday following a short illness.

Mrs. Mundie has resided with her daughter since the death of her husband William Mundie, 25 years ago. She was born in Lynnfield N.B. 83 years ago, and was the last member of her family. Mrs. Mundie has been a member of the Methodist Church since girlhood, taking great interest in church affairs during her younger days. Her entire life was the exemplification of a Christian. She is survived by 6 sons and daughters, Albert Mundie Calais Edward Mundie, Brewer, Mrs Ethel Bears Deferit N.Y. Mrs Blanche Clendinning Vanceboro, Mrs Annie Christie and Mr Nellie Bennett Danforth. There are 15 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.



Prayers will be held at the home of her daughter Mrs. Nellie Bennett, Friday morning and the funeral service will be taken place at the Vanceboro, Methodist Church, Friday, afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment will be in the family lot in Vanceboro.

#### GRANT - HAMMOND

Wedding

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(Wedding announcement, Oct 6 Rev George A Hammond of Haynesville to Miss Glenna Marion Grant, youngest daughter of Mrs Minnie Grant.

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#### IDA KIRKPATRICK

26 Feb. 1912

(Newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

#### RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas , Our Heavenly Father in his infinite wisdom has again entered Grand Lake Grange and removed to a higher life another honored charter member, sister Ida Kirkpatrick, therefore be it.

Resolved, That while we bow in submission our order has lost a highly esteemed member and her father, a loving wife, and mother. We not only mourn the loss of this sister but deeply sympathize with the bereaved relative, and in the profound sorrows of those at home.

Resolved, that as mark of respect to our departed sister, our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days, a copy of these resolutions spread on our records, a copy sent to the bereaved family, also to the Bangor Weekly Commercial for publication.

Ella M. Gilpatrick,

Edna T. Gilpatrick

Angie C. Brackett,

Committee on Resolutions

Weston, Me., March 6, 1912

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### MARY E. (GILPATRICK) LINDSAY

Town of Weston loses one of its most highly respected residents.

The death of Mary E Lindsay, daughter of the late Thomas and Mary H Gilpatrick, one of Weston's aged and most highly respected residents, occurred at her home in that town Tuesday, Dec 1, at the age of 73 and 9 months,. Mrs. Lindsay retired at night apparently in the best of health but in the morning she was found dead in bed, death being due to apoplexy, the end coming peacefully.

The deceased was a woman of upright, Christian character and her life was devoted to sowing seeds of kindness, aiding the unfortunate and doing acts of charity whenever the opportunity was presented. From early womanhood she was a devout Methodist and steadfastly held to the principles of that faith. Being a gifted speaker she was able to spread the teachings of the church and was ever ready to assist when called upon. She was a woman of fine attainments and in the home she was a most companionable wife and mother.

The deceased's father originally came from Unity, and was the first to settle in the town of Weston. Where by hard work, thrift and good judgment he accumulated considerable property. Her husband Frederick S Lindsay, was veteran of the Civil War, being a member of the Sixth Battery, Me, Vols., Light Artillery.

Survived are: A son, Frederick W Lindsay of Albion, and three sisters and two brother Grant Gilpatrick of Weston, Charles Gilpatrick of Olympia, Wash., Julia A Peters of Weston, Louisa Campbell of Bangor and Hannah Tuck of Danforth. An aunt Christiana Tilton of Albion, is not very active and smart at the age of 94 years. She is also survived by a large number of more distant relatives the family being a large one, as well as a long lived one

The funeral was held Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> in Weston at the home of the deceased's sister. Mrs. Julia E. Peters., in the home where she was born over three score and ten years ago. And her funeral was the seventh off the brothers and sisters of the family to be held in the same house. Interment was in the family lot in Weston. Mrs. Lindsay will be greatly missed and sympathy is extended the family in their time of sorrow.

### ELIAS CARLOW

(Feb 26, 1912)

The death of Elias Carlow, a respected citizen of Eaton, occurred in Houlton, Thursday, at the age of 68 years. Rev. P H. Lush officiated at the funeral services held at the home Saturday afternoon. Mr and Mrs. Hollis Scanlin sang.

### MRS. ETHEL (KINNEY) CRONE

Friends of Mrs. Ethel Crone were saddened to learn of her death Friday morning, after an illness of several months. Mrs. Crone was born in Selden 44 years ago, and had lived in this town

several years. She is survived by her husband James Crone, one son Harold; her mother Mrs Ed. Kinney.

The funeral services were held at 4 p.m Rev. Cecil Grant officiating. Two selections were sung by Rev. Mr. Grant. Burial was in Selden.

### B.W. STINCHFIELD

was a prominent Danforth man

Death occurred Sunday at the Age of 62 years; Was long engaged in Hardware Business

Danforth June 3- This village and section lost one of its most prominent and best known men of affairs Sunday in the death of B. W. Stinchfield, which although not unexpected is nevertheless a severe blow to the community.

Mr. Stinchfield, who was 62 years of age, for many years was in the hardware business in Danforth and about a year ago retired because of failing health. HE was widely known in this section and held in high esteem by many friends.

He is survived by his wife and several brothers. He was a Royal Arch Mason and funeral services will be held Under Masonic auspices, at 2 p.m Tuesday.

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Born Mame Clarke family

Mary M Clarke born 23 March 1886

Howard G Clarke born 9 July 1906

Blair M Clarke born 16 Sept 1909

Gladis P Clarke born 29 Oct 1911

Vera Clarke born July 5, 1914

Mabel Clarke born 26 June 1915

Morris Clarke born Sept 1917, - died 3/-/1922

Gertrude Clarke born Aug 27 - died 4/4/44

Edward Clarke born

Della Clarke born

Isabel Clarke born

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(Newspaper clippings with handwritten notes)

#### EDWIN W. SMART

Deputy In Aroostook for Thirty Years, Dead

Houlton, April 12 - It was with regret that the many Aroostook friends of Edwin W. Smart learned of his death which occurred at his home in Weston Saturday after a short illness. Mr Smart was born in Bancroft, the son of the late John and Olive A. Smart. He attended the public schools of Bancroft which is part of the town of Weston. His age was 71 years. Besides his widow he leaves one son and four daughters, three sisters and two brothers. The funeral was held from his late home at 2 o'clock Monday morning and Interment was made in the family lot at Weston.

Mr. Smart was a deputy sheriff for Aroostook county for over 30 years and had made many friends during his service. He was an excellent neighbor and a firm friend to everyone. His death came as a surprise to all. Mr. Smart has one Brother Henry D Smart who reside in Houlton.

#### MRS GEORGIE SMART

The funeral of Mrs. Georgie Smart, widow of the late Walter Smart, was held from the Dunn Undertaking parlors Saturday afternoon and were largely attended. Rev. Albert E. Luce, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiated. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery.

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#### ANNIE A. FREESE DEWITT

Late of Millinocket deceased. Will and petition for probate thereof and that letters testamentary issue to Ruben DeWitt, also spelled Reuben H. DeWitt, without bond, presented by said Ruben DeWitt the Executor there in name.

(Annie DeWitt)

#### HAROLD ALBERT GILPATRICK

Crash Victim's Funeral Held At Danforth

Services For Harold Gilpatrick at Baptist Church;

## Late Danforth Brevities

Danforth, Sept 3 - New of the death of Harold Albert Gilpatrick which occurred in Costigan, Friday following an automobile accident was received with the deepest regret and a sense of personal bereavement by a large circle of friends here.

He was the son of Mr and Mrs Burnham Gilpatrick and was born in Danforth, March 5, 1910.

He attended the public schools graduating from Danforth High School in the class of 1929. Following graduation he went to Wrentham Mass. Where he was employed by Whiting and Davis at the time of his death. Because of a genial nature and free hearted way Mr. Gilpatrick was very popular with his associates who mourn his death. He was a member of Count Riverspray , I.O.O.F., this town, He is survived by his parents three sisters, Mrs Lyla Lodge of Wrentham and the Misses Geneva and Gladys Gilpatrick of Danforth, his grand father Albert Gilpatrick of Danforth and other relatives.

The funeral services were held at the Baptist church Monday afternoon. Rev. Cecil Grant officiated assisted by Rev. Lewis Pratt, pastor of the Wytovitlock Baptist church. Two selections were rendered by classmates, John Pinkerton, Charles Parker and William Heal, Jr, and Milton Christi, Alton Powell and Adrian Nason. The beautiful flowers were a testimony of the esteem in which Mr. Gilpatrick was held.

The out of town relatives Mr and Mrs Willis Meachen, Williams town Mass; Mr and Mrs William Gilpatrick, Portage; Mr and Mrs Arey Gilpatrick and Mr and Mrs Alfred Lodge of Wrentham, Mass.; Mr and Mrs Arthur Rogan and Mr and Mrs Joseph Bartlett of Millinocket;. Mrs Evelyn Jordan and Vinton Twombly of Sherman Mills; Miss Vina Cleaves of Providence and Miss Marie Cleaves of Bangor.

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(Newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

## MELVIN S. SPRINGER

Danforth, (1926) On Monday morning, Sept 20, the people of Danforth learned with sorrow , that their most esteemed townsman, Melvin S. Springer, had passed away.

Mr. Springer attended church on Sunday, assisted in the service, sand the hymns, and cordially met his many friends. The afternoon he spent with his family and friends. At Evening time he retired, but when morning came, it was found that God had taken this blessed saint unto Himself.

Mr. Springer was born 86 years ago in Weston, in a little home located on the Houlton road, about three miles from Danforth. When he was ten years old his parents George and Sarah Springer, moved to Danforth, where they spent the remainder of their days.

Mr. Springer's boyhood days were the eventful, active days that all pioneer children must know.

In his early manhood, Mr. Springer was united in marriage with Miss Keziah Stinchfield, whose parents, as well as those of her husband were from the region of the Kennebec.

Four children, were born in this happy home, 3 still living, LeRoy Springer of Bangor, Bessie Springer and Dr S.D. Springer of Danforth, A daughter Mrs John Bennett of Portland died several years ago. Several grandchildren survive their grandfather. Mr. Springer's Wife died eleven years ago.

Mrs. Springer's occupations had been many and varied. He was at one time the village blacksmith, when the railroad was put through this section. Later he became interested in farming and lumbering. For many years he was undertaker for a large district of outlying territory as well as for his own town.

Mr. Springer could be depended upon to assist in every worthy undertaking in the community, but it was the church of his choice, of which he had been a faithful consistent member for more than seventy-five years, It can truthfully be said that the churches of Danforth have lost their most loyal friend.

He was superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School for many years. He was always interested in the work of the Epworth League and those who had the privilege of attending the "class meetings" of the church in times past will never forget the inspiration he gave to those gatherings, as their leader.

The funeral of the much loved and respected man will be held Wednesday at the Methodist Church, where he had truly worshiped for so many years, and for which he had sacrificed so much in days gone by, The land upon which this church edifice stands was donated by Mr. Springer, who also gave many hard days labor in construction of the building.

Interment will be in the family lot in the Danforth cemetery, a beautiful spot, overlooking the little village where Mr. Springer had lived, labored and loved for so many years.

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(Newspaper clippings with handwritten notes)

#### WILLARD S AND KATE M. (OSGOOD) WHITE

(Burned to death Oct 1926, House got fire)The passing of two of Danforth's respected citizens, Williard S and Kate M White, has caused a deep feeling of sadness throughout the town. Mr White who was a lifelong resident of this town was born Nov 9, 1855, the son of Hosea B and Isabel C. White, pioneer residents of the early days. Although a young man when the present line of railroad was run through this section. Mr. White helped in its construction. Later, he became a carpenter and painter, following this work the remainder of his life.

In 1880 he was united in marriage with Miss Kate M Osgood, they enjoying over 46 years of marriage life together. Mrs White was the daughter of James and Deborah Osgood, being born in

Prentiss, July 14, 1859, When she was a girl the family moved where they always resided. Mrs. White was in poor health for years, but bore her suffering and misfortune with marked cheerfulness. She preceded her husband one week. Mr and Mrs. White were of a jovial nature, always ready with a cheerful word.

Their home was the very symbol of hospitality and deep loss had been felt by the countless person who for many years have enjoyed the hospitality of that home.

A daughter Mrs Albert W Crocker of Bangor and three sisters survived. The three sisters are Mrs Charles Holtz, and Mrs Nettie A Love of Danforth, and Mrs William F Tidd of Bangor, also a number of other relatives. Funeral services for Mrs. White were held Oct 23 and those of Mr. White were held Oct 30. The floral tributes from relatives and friends were very beautiful.

Danforth Oct 29 (1926) Death of Mrs Kate White and husband injured in fire.

#### MRS. KATE M. (OSGOOD) WHITE

Danforth, Oct 29 Mrs. Kate White was burned to death and her husband, William S. White was badly burned in trying to rescue her in the fire which destroyed their home.

Besides Mr and Mrs. White there were in the house Otis Davis, the young son of Alden Davis, who escaped without injury, also Delvan White and family who lived in the front rooms of the house having moved there about two weeks before from Topsfield. They also escaped but lost all their belongings.

The origin of the fire is unknown. Efforts were made to save Mrs. White, who was past 60 years of age and a cripple but were unsuccessful.

Mr. White was taken to the Madigan hospital in Houlton, where his condition although serious is hopeful. He is 71 years of age.

#### GUY POWELL

Funeral services for Guy Powell, only son of Almond Powell, were held Sunday. Mr. Powell died in Florida, and his remains were brought to Danforth for burial. Services were held from the home of J. H. Gould.

#### OSCAR DARLING

The community was shocked Saturday night by the death of Oscar Darling, a well known barber in this town. Mr. Darling worked in his shop until late Saturday night and dropped out suddenly of heart trouble.

Besides his wife he leaves a daughter, Mrs. Earl Bubar of Bangor, and two sons, Olin and Charles of Danforth, besides other relatives and a host of friends.

## MRS. T. S. ROSS

The funeral services for Mrs. T. S. Ross were held Tuesday.

## Mrs. J. H. Gould's COW

Mrs. J. H. Gould had the misfortune to lose a cow Saturday night, an automobile striking it and breaking its neck.

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(Newspaper clipping)

## CLIFFORD DICKERSON of DANFORTH

Alleged young bandits taken while escaping.

One of the captives gives name as

Clifford Dickerson, Danforth.

Collegian gagged and tied to bed.

Loot, Consisting of \$68 and articles of Jewelry Recovered.

New York, Jan 2 - (AP) - Three Allentown, Pa., students were robbed of money and jewelry in their hotel room today by three youthful robbers who bound and gagged the, but were themselves captured in attempting to escape for the hotel.

The three alleged robbers gave their names as Clifford Dickerson, 19, Danforth, Maine, Daniel O'Connell, 18, Schenectady, N.Y., and Jack Byeis, 18, Wakefield, Va.

Police said the loot, consisting of \$68 in cash, two wrist watches, a gold pencil and a pair of spats, was found in Dickerson's possession.

## CLIFFORD DICKERSON

Danforth, Jan 2, (AP) - Clifford Dickerson, 19, one of a trio of youths alleged to have robbed three Allentown, Pa., students in a New York hotel today, is the son of Mr and Mrs. Samuel Dickerson of this town.

He was born in Weston and moved here with the family in his childhood. Up to a few months ago Dickerson had been employed here as a laborer.

Three victims of the robbery were Karl J. Hinnerschitz, of 637 Washington Street, Edward Fluck of 1535 of Chew Street and Ralph Keming of 1105 Liberty street.



The students told police, they met Dickerson early today somewhere on Broadway. He seemed affable in the Hotel Woodstock, occupied by the three Allentown boys.

After a short time there Dickerson, left ostensibly to get a bottle of liquor, and the students went to sleep.

They were rudely awakened a few hours later to find Dickerson and the other two robbers pointing what they took to be automatic pistols at them. The pistols were found to be toy ones. They were gagged and bound to the bed by ropes which the robbers had brought with them, and their clothes stripped of the money and jewelry.

\*\*\*\*\* End of Sectione 1 \*\*\*\*\*

## **Agriculture of Maine**

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(Newspaper clippings)

GEORGE W. STEARNS

Houlton, April 3 - The town's people were horrified early Saturday afternoon to learn of the suicide of George W Stearns, at the Exchange Hotel where he had been staying for the past week. Mr. Stearns was well known in this locality having been clerk at the Snell House for several years. After the Snell House was sold he went to Bangor and a week ago stay at the hotel. He talked continually about the Snell House and always asked the question, "why did Mr. McAllister let me go." The Snell House was taken over by the Northland Hotel and for the past eight months has been closed.

Mr. Stearns used a belt and when found was on his knees by the bed. A razor was near by as though he had thought of using that first but decided on the belt.

It is thought the deed was committed around midnight but the body was not discovered until 1 p.m. Saturday by the chamber maid.

Mr. Stearns' age was about 58 years. He was married to Miss Dela Glue and there are three children, the youngest being one month old. Mrs. Stearns is housekeeper in the home of T. B. Friel on Military Road.

The remains were taken from the Exchange Hotel to the Dunn Undertaking room and this relatives notified.

## FRANK MOBBS

Frank Mobbs, 28 years old, ended his life Monday afternoon by shooting himself through the heart with a revolver. Mobbs, who lived with his widowed mother Mrs. Emily Mobbs, left the house Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock, saying that he was going berrying. About two hours later a note was found in the kitchen to the effect that he could not stand his troubles any longer and was going to take his life.

A searching party started out at once but it was not until 9:30 Tuesday morning, that his body was found on the edge of some woods, a short distance from the village.

Why the young man should end his life is a profound mystery. He was of excellent habits, had been employed in the mills here for some time and as far as known had no financial or other troubles and had never shown any signs of derangement or suicidal intent. His mother is nearly prostrated and cannot account for the act of her son. Other surviving relatives, are a brother and three sisters, Fred Mobbs, Mrs. Lulu Snow and Mrs. Daisy Weinger of this town and Mrs. Virgie Tingley of Houlton,

Funeral arrangements have not been announced.

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(Newspaper clippings and handwritten date)

## DEACON SIDNEY P. MAXELL

Death of Deacon Sidney P. Maxell of Orient, Nov 12, age 59 years and 5 months. The deceased was born in Orient June 7, 1848. In October 1875 he was married to Alice P. Brown of Haynesville. He was converted in 1878, was baptized by Rev. E. W. Harrington, and united with the Baptist church in Orient. Four years later he was chosen deacon of the church, which office, he held at the time of his death. He and his family had been closely identified with all the interest of the church being among its most faithful members.

Deacon, Maxell's death is an irreparable loss to the church; though God buries his workmen, yet His work goes on. Death came suddenly after only a week's illness with Pneumonia. His last message to those who stood beside him was to remember that they each had a work to do and urged the importance of doing that work and urged the importance of doing that work while there is time and opportunity. He leaves a widow and 6 children. Leo A. Maxell of Orient, Oscar S. of Portland, Perley J. of Eagle Lake, John B. of Houlton, Eben H. and Lilian E. of Orient.

He was one of the best and kindest of husbands and fathers and his home life was almost ideal. One of his sons remarked at his death that not many sons had such a father to lose. His family have a wealth of precious memories that are a comfort in this hour of sorrow.

Funeral services were held at the home, Nov 15, Rev. Thomas McDonald, a former pastor and one much loved by the deceased and family, conducted the services and spoke tender words of

comfort. Some of the hymns most loved by Mr. Maxell were sung by his nephews and nieces. The four youngest sons were the bearers. Floral tributes were brought by kind and sympathizing friends and he was laid at rest. Surrounded by relatives and friends whose hearts seemed near breaking at their great loss. Yet they did not sorrow as these without hope. "Precious in the sight of the Lord Is the death of HIS saints" A Friend.

#### ELIZABETH J (BARTLETT) MAXELL

1 Nov. 1931

YARMOUTH - Funeral services were held Monday morning for Elizabeth J Maxell, at the home of her daughter Mrs E W Grant on North Road. Mrs. Maxell died Saturday after a long illness at the age of 86 years. She was born at Waweig N.B. the daughter of Leonard and Harriet Bartlett. When a small child her family moved to Orient in Aroostook County . Her husband died 30 years ago. Six year ago she move to Yarmouth. Surviving are three daughters Mrs Grant, Mrs Herbert Hill of Houlton and Mrs Perley P Maxell of Woodfords and a son G C Maxell of Yarmouth and stepson Boardman W Maxell of North Weymouth Mass. 19 grand children and 4 great grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. A. E. Kingsley and Interment will be at Orient. (1 Nov 1931)

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(Newspaper clipping with handwritten date)

#### ISABELLE F. (PARADY) McCLOSKEY

1931

Danforth, June 3 - Townspeople were shocked Wednesday to learn of the sudden death of Mrs Isabelle F; McCloskey,, widow of Charles T. McCloskey, which occurred this morning at her home here in Danforth.

Mrs. McCloskey was one of best known and beloved women in the town and her passing brings sorrow into may homes.

The funeral will be held at St. Anne's Catholic church, Friday morning at 9 o'clock standard time.

Mrs. McCloskey was born in Sackville, NB, 75 years ago, the daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert Parady, She came to Danforth about 21 years age and married Charles McCloskey who became one of the best known residents of this section. Ten children were born, 9 survived Edmund J, Charles T, Frederick S, Miss Francis and Mrs Everett Moody all of Danforth. Mrs Ceylon Kingsburg of Bangor, Mrs Frank McAtee of Houlton and Martin McCloskey of Boston, son One son Arthur died at age of 10.

A brother Martin Faraday (? could be PARADY also) and a sister Mrs Margaret Garcelon of Bangor also survived.

Mrs. McCloskey was an active and faithful worker in the church and in community activities but it was in the home and to her children that she devoted her major interest.

She was a Christian woman in every sense of the word and to her large family of children. She was all that a mother could be. Her death is a grievous loss to them and to her wide circle of friends. (1931)

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Charles Howe born July 15, 1857

Thomas Howe born Feb 20, 1860

Fred Howe born June 4, 1863

Maggie Howe born Jan 30, 1866

Newton Howe born June 18, 1869

Charles Howe died Nov 22, 1905

Fred Howe died April 13, 1898

Maggie Howe died Jan 20, 1932

Ida B Howe born 11 Oct 1868

Pearl Howe born June 26, 1891

Charles H Howe born March 15, 1893

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(newspaper clippings with hand written dates)

**THOMAS GILPATRICK**

(8 Jan 1930)

The death of Thomas Gilpatrick occurred Monday at the home of his brother Herbert Gilpatrick in Weston, with whom he lived for many years. The funeral services was held Wednesday afternoon. He is survived by his mother Mrs Nellie Gilpatrick and seven brothers and sisters, They are Herbert Gilpatrick of Weston, Charles Gilpatrick of Lincoln; Mrs James McLaughlin of

Weston,; Mrs Henry Reed, of Madison,; Mrs Delbie Irish of Haynesville,; Mrs Abbie McMinn of Bangor and Mrs James Densmore of Danforth. His age was 53 years..

### WHITE TRIPLETS

Birthday Jan 5

Jan 5 was the birthday of the White Triplets who were born here in 1862, the daughters of Mrs and Mrs. Hosea B. White. The sisters grew to womanhood and were 58 year os age when the death of Mrs J W Emery occurred. For many years preceding Mrs. Emery's death the triplets met on each anniversary of their birth and were joined by many friends who helped them make the occasions pleasant ones. The remaining sisters are Mrs W F Field of Bangor and Mrs Charles Holtz of Danforth.

### ROY B. SWIM

1930

Friends of Mrs. Phoebe Swim of Bangor will sympathize with her in the death of her son, Roy B Swim, which occurred this week in Canterbury, N. B. of pneumonia.

Mr. Swim was born June 17, 1899, and engaged in lumbering during much of his active life. His kindness of disposition, industry and integrity made him very popular in his place of residence and expressions of regret at his decease have been widespread and sincere. He leaves in addition to his mother, Mrs. Phoebe Swim, a sister, Mrs Fred Plourde of Bangor, who returned Saturday from attending the funeral, and his wife, Rita Swim of Canterbury.

### MRS PRISCILLA DAGGETT AGE 84,

Surprise Birthday Party at Orient,

The home of Mrs. S. H. Deering in Orient was the scene recently of a very pleasant gathering, the occasion being a surprise party given in honor of Mrs. Priscilla Daggett, who is spending the winter with Mrs. S H Deering. Mrs Priscilla Daggett age 84 years ole and was very much surprise when her friends came to help her celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. Daggett is very smart for one of her years; she helps with the housework and knits, also cares for the sick.

A bountiful dinner was served, after which a beautiful birthday cake was presented. With candles all lighted. The guest of honor was presented with gifts of towels, soap, powder puff, handkerchiefs, collar and cuff set, doilies, chocolates, fudge, gloves, a birthday book and 69 cards and booklets from friends unable to be present.

The day was spent talking over old times. Those present were, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Dunning, Mrs. A. B. Maxwell, Mrs. Deering, Mrs. Moody, Mrs. Brackett, Mrs. Howe and Miss Pearl Howe, Mrs. Deering the guest of honor.

Late in the afternoon the guests left for their several homes. Wishing "Aunt" Sill many, many more Happy Birthdays

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(Picture of a man, most likely a percher. No caption)

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

## WILLIAM J. WHITE

### Danforth Mourns A Good Citizen

In the passing of William J White, Danforth loses one of its oldest and most highly respected citizens.

Mr. White was born at Long Reach N.B., 82 years ago. When he was a young man he settled in Danforth, where he owned a farm and operated the same until within a year of his death. All who were fortunate enough to become acquainted with the deceased had only the highest words of praise for his uprightness and integrity - a man of sterling character.

He was a member of the Baptist church, where he held the office of deacon. As a Christian gentleman. Mr White has had the rich experience which only comes to those who surrender themselves wholly and unrestrainedly to the service of Christ. His very life radiate the spirit of the Master to whom he always looked for guidance and who led him all the way through life.

After the loss of his wife several years ago, he was assisted in the home by his two daughters, Julia and Elizabeth. They were very faithful and ministered to him very tenderly in his declining years and save him every attention in his last illness.

Rev. A. E. Kelley of Mapleton former pastor, spoke words of comfort to the relatives. Mr and Mrs. H. A. Scanlin sang Lane's rendering of Jesus Savior, Pilot Me, also Sometimes We'll Understand very sympathetically.

As a conscientious church member and official, as a tender and loving father, Mr. White's passing is deeply regretted.

He leaves to mourn their loss, 2 daughters, 3 sons, 4 brothers, and several grandchildren.

Interment was at the family lot in Danforth

(Sept 1928)

### ALBERT SIDNEY ROBINSON

Forest City, May 4, 1909

The community was startled Monday morning by the news of the death of Albert Sidney Robinson, age 86 years old. He left his home at about 5 a.m. to take H. J. Hathaway of Houlton to Forest Station. Finding it necessary to repair the road, he had cut a few small trees and was carrying them when he dropped beside his wagon and one wheel passed over his wrist. In two minutes life was extinct. Death was due to heart failure.

The deceased was born in Baring, N. B. Feb 25, 1842. He was married 44 years ago to Miss Mary A. McKinney, Soon after their marriage they removed to Carroll, where he carried on lumbering.

He came to Forest City 26 years ago, where he continued lumbering and in a few years bought the Daniel Flynn farm that has so long been his home. He was active in town affairs, serving as selectman and was collector at the time of his death.

Always honest and upright in his dealings, exemplary in his habits, kind and obliging, he made a large circle of friends. In his home he was ever thoughtful for others, bearing his full share of the burden with a cheerful heart and smiling face. Besides his widow, he leaves a 5 sons, and 1 daughter, Charles Albert of Charleston, Mrs Ada May Bartlett of Forest City,; Herbert Emery of Island Falls, Howard G., of Kingman, Walter S., of Bangor and Frank E. of Forest City, also three brothers George Robinson of Waterville, Charles Elbridge of Philadelphia Pa, William Robinson of Vancouver B.C., and two sisters Mrs Adelaide Brown and Mrs Volona Williams of Vancouver B.C.. Forest City May 4, 1909.

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### HENRY W. DAGGETT

(1915)

Friday, Jan 16, on of Danforth's oldest citizens passed away. Henry W Daggett, was 81 years of age and spent nearly all of his days in Danforth. He was one of the old Jeffersonian Democrats and clung tenaciously to his political faith.

One of the relics which he prized most highly was the old musket which his father carried across the state to use in the Aroostook war.

Mr. Daggett was a pioneer in every sense of the word, having cleared a large farm from the forest of Washington County and also sending a large family out into the world. The old man was buried Sunday with all due respect to a pioneer citizen of our pioneer state.

MRS. GEORGIA E (BENNETT) WILLIAM GRAY

(9 March 1933)

Mattawamkeag, March 9, 1933

Mrs George William Gray passed peaceful away on March 9, at 1 a.m., age 56. She was born in Lambert lake Feb 23, 1876. Her maiden name was Georgia E Bennett and she was married to George William Gray in 1906.

She was a woman of amiable disposition, a loving wife, a kindly neighbor and one who made and held many friends.

The funeral services were conducted at her home, Rev. Frederick McNeill, by whom she had been baptized, preached the sermon Edgar Beals of Blaine, sang two beautiful selections and Evangelist Fred Foster made the closing prayer.

Besides a devoted husband, she leaves a mother Mrs Alice Bennett three sisters Mrs Guy Rowe, Mrs Irvin Robbins and Mrs Robert Kenney, 4 nephews Earl ,Frank ,George and Howard Burke were bearers. The remains were taken to Danforth for burial. (1933)

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ALBERT K. STETSON

(1930)

The funeral of Albert K Stetson, March 29?, editor and proprietor of Aroostook Pioneer, who died suddenly early Monday morning, at the Elks hall of heart attack. Will be held at his home Thursday forenoon. Representatives of many local organizations will attend the service.

Although Mr. Stetson had suffered from Heart trouble for some time he appeared in his usual health at the ball and was dancing the last waltz with Mrs. Stetson, when he fell to the floor dead. Apparently the dancing had proved too severe a strain on his heart.

Mr. Stetson was born in Clyde N.Y., Jan 6, 1884, and came to Colby College at Waterville, for his college training. He was a member of the class of 1907, and was manager of the varsity baseball team the year the John Coombs was the star pitcher. He had resided here much of his life, coming here almost immediately after his graduation from Colby, 1907.



He was an associated editor of the Aroostook Pioneer from 1909 to 1915, and in the latter years became treasurer of the Pioneer Publishing Co. Publishers of the weekly Pioneer and also engaged in an extensive printing business.

For many years Mr. Stetson had taken a great interest in the Maine Press Association, serving as vice president at the time of his death.

A Republican in politics, Mr. Stetson had been a leading factor in party affairs in this town and in Northern Maine. He was chairman of the Republican County committee, and had directed various campaigns with energy and foresight. He was also Republican State Committee man from Aroostook. He was a delegate to the Republican National Convention at Cleveland in 1924.

In Houlton Business man association Mr. Stetson had been active for a long period, had served as vice president and was serving as its president. He was recorder of the Houlton Municipal Court, a member of the board of Trustees of the Cary Library and treasurer of the Institution. He was leading Mason, including the Shrine.

Since Leaving Colby, Mr. Stetson had taken a great interest in his alma mater, and a few years ago was elected a trustee of the college. On the recent visit of President Franklin W. Johnson to Aroostook county, he was chairman of the committee of arrangements for reception and dinner of Aroostook alumni.

He was a communicant of the Episcopal Church. Besides his wife, Mr. Stetson leaves one daughter and his mother.

#### REV. A. V. HOUGHTON

The War lecture that was to be given by Rev A V Houghton, Canadian War Veteran, at the armory on Friday night, June 21, has been postponed. This was necessary due to the fact that Mr. Houghton has been called to Portland, in connection with a pension from the Canadian Government Mr Houghton saw 39 months in Canadian Army overseas, and his lectures should prove very interesting , as also pictures of the Front and exhibition of War relics. .

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Mr Thaxter C Littlefield Sep 27, 1918

Mrs Joe Butler died Feb 11, 1915

Alexander Till age 64

Mr Marvin Boone died 1909

Mr Littlefield died 14 Jan 1930

Albert Robinson, Forest City died May 4, 1900

Mrs Ker died Apr 15, 1910

Miss Levon McDougal died April 8, 1919

Herbert Sumsion drowned 27 Apr 1905

Charles Blackmore 3 children drowned Hot Lake... 1908

Rex McKinney died in ...1919

Earl Akerley Maud McMinn girl .... wife died 24 Sep 1924

Mrs Annie Ker died 25 apr 1910

Alphonso Frort died 25 Mar 1908

Mrs Sam VanTassel died May 12, 1909

Mrs Alfred VanTassel died 19 May 1909

Mr W H Foster died Oct 1907

Mrs Brame Price died June 19, 1908

Mr Ralph Gilpatrick died Mar 17, 1904

Mrs Jack Allen died Apr 17, 1920

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Stephen Howe died June 27, 1919, age 90

Mrs Stephen Howe died March 27 1931, age 88

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

## LEROY C. ALLEN

Friends of Mr and Mrs George Allen, sympathize with them in the sudden death of their little son, Leroy C. Allen, aged two years, at Danforth last week. The little fellow was playing when he found he had fallen into a cesspool and was drowned. Funeral services were held at the home of his grandparents Mr and Mrs Bert Allen. Rev. Lewis Pratt spoke words of comfort. His subject was "Suffer the Little Children to come Unto me. And forbid them not for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven. The singers sang, "Beckoning Hands". He was buried in Wytotitlock beside his little sister. Glenwood Aug 18, 1931.

## FRANK SCOTT SPRAGUE

1929

News of the death of Frank Scott Sprague, which occurred April 9, came as shock to his friends. He was born in Drew Aug 9, 1911, the son of Mr and Mrs N E Sprague, coming to this town with his parents when he was two years of age. He was a member of sophomore class of Danforth High School and was a very good student.

He was a young man of unusual promise in character and intellect and was very popular among his teachers and classmates. He possessed musical ability to a marked degree. He was a member of the Methodist Sunday School and was a delegate to the state, M.C. A. conference at Lewiston last December. He is especially remembered for the remarkable account of his trips that he gave upon his return.

Survived by his parents Mr and Mrs M E Sprague 4 brothers, George, Arthur, Robert and Donald and 2 sisters Mrs Leroy Wayne and Miss Ethel Sprague. His grandparents Mr and Mrs Alonzo B Scott of Kingman. Friends gathered at the home of the parents Friday afternoon where a brief service was conducted by Rev. Arthur J. Hamilton, pastor of the Methodist church.

The members of the Sophomore class attended in a body and four of his classmates were bearer

They were Robert McCready, Lawrence Lyons, Matthew Barrett and Harold Bubar. The beautiful floral offerings were a testimony of the esteem in which he was held. (1929)

## LEWIS OSGOOD

(Oct 1, 1931

The death of Lewis Osgood) which occurred Friday morning, is regretted by his friends, Mrs. Osgood who was 41, years of age was the son of the late Clarence and Susan Osgood, and have been a life long resident of his native town. He attended the public schools here and twelve years ago. married Mrs Blanch Davis who survives. Besides his wife he leaves Six children a brother and sister, George Osgood and Mrs Frank E Trafton both of this town also survive. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon.

## NELSON BARAW

The death of Nelson Baraw, who has been a resident of Danforth for the past year, occurred Friday morning at the , age 56 years. Mr. BARAW was born in Vermont. He is survived by two sons, whose residence is unknown, and other relatives in Massachusetts. Prayers were held Friday afternoon by Rev. P. H. Lush at the Baskahegan Company boarding house, where Mr. Baraw

resided.. Burial took place here.

## NORMAN ALLEN

Norman Allen, 4 years old, son of Mr and Mrs Guy Allen, passed away Thursday after a week's illness. Prayers were held Friday afternoon at the home, by Rev. P H. Lush, Survived were the parents and Two other children.

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(handwritten names with dates and events)

May Wetmore died Apr 6, 1901

Walter Butterfield died July 2, 1903

George Bubar died June 21, 1903

Izze Bubar died May 15, 1905

Mr Del Robbins died Jan 7, 1905

Waine Butterfield drowned Aug 13, 1914

Mr Enoch Buckingham died Nov 4, 1915

Roy McKinney drowned June 15, 1910

Mr Albert Veysey died March 27, 1914

Mrs Harding died April 1, 1915

Little Lizzie Kirkpatrick Jan 7, 1915

Willard Kenney died in Virginia May 18, 1917

Maud McMinn ... girl died Sept 24, 1924

Mrs Harrison Butterfield died April 12, 1927

Mr Henry Daggett died Jan 16, 1915

Mr Allen Markey drowned May 1906

Mrs William McAllister March 28, 1908

Leon Frost died March 25, 1908

Joseph Butterfield Dec 26, 1911 Mr Sange preached

Mrs Enoch Buckingham died 1907

Mr George Foster died 1907

Mrs Leonard Gould Sept 26, 1907

Hiram C Bracket died March 1912

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Melvin Ames died at camp D Sept 26, 1918

Thaxter Littlefield died at C Davis Sept 29, 1918

Paddy Byers died Oct 1, 1918

Lizzie Byron died Oct 9, 1918

Beulah DeWitt died May 20, 1922

Mr Brown died March 28 1922

Mr Dan Deering killed by his horse 1 June 1922

Mr Jim Carson died June 18, 1922

Bion... Crabtree shot himself 29 May 1930

Mr H H Putnam died Dec 25, 1921

Mr Whitney died Jan 7, 1922

Mr Lee ... died March 8, 1922

Mr Ian McLaughlin died April 15, 1922

Miss Hazel Lee... died 20 Apr 1922

A Lady from N Y drowned 4 July 1922

Austin Girl killed by train

Mr Bubar died Jan 3 1923

Mrs Mushra... died July 20, 1917

Mrs Fraser died Nov 14, 1917

Mrs Schillinger died Dec 4, 1917

Mr Curtis died Jan 30, 1918

Mr Marvis McLaughlin died Feb 6, 1918

Mr Den Welsh died Feb 3, 1918

Mr James Estabrooks died March 28, 1918

Mr Isiah Dow died April 7, 1918

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(newspaper clip with handwritten dates)

#### HARTLEY BUCKINGHAM

(1954)

Norridgewock July 29, Word had been received here of the death of Hartley Buckingham, 78, July 16, at his home in Walpole Mass.

Mr. Buckingham was a resident of Norridgewock for many years.

He leaves his wife the former Mabel Kinney of New Brunswick and a daughter, Mrs Philip Holden of Walpole, Mass.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten notes and dates)

MRS. WILLIAM McALLISTER

(28 March 1908 age 70)

The funeral of Mrs William McAllister, whose death occurred at he Exchange Hotel in Houlton, Friday, after an illness of only a few hours, was held in Milltown Monday forenoon. Her remains being brought by the Washington County noon train. The death of Mrs. McAllister was a severe shock to her family and friends.

Mrs. William McAllister's sudden death Thursday night was a great shock to every one. She had been boarding at the Exchange for several weeks and attended the play given by the University of Maine students Thursday evening, but was taken sick during the evening and left the Opera House before the play was finished. Her death occurred at the Hotel Exchange a few minutes after she came in and was due to heart trouble from which she had been a sufferer for some years.

MRS. NETTIE KEIRSTEAD

Inquest in Danforth Case,

Mrs Nettie Keirstead died from burns following Overturning of a Lamp.

Danforth, July 21. An Inquest on the body of Mrs. Nettie Keirstead was held in Danforth Wednesday afternoon, the 20<sup>th</sup>, by Coroner M. L. Porter and County Att'y Dudley Mrs. Keirstead died Wednesday morning from the effects of burns he received last Sunday night by a lamp upsetting and igniting the bedclothes. As there were grounds for the belief that the lamp was purposely overturned by the husband during a quarrel, an inquest was deemed necessary, but not sufficient evidence was found against Mr. Keirstead to hold him for the grand jury.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten date)

MISS ELLA HEFFREN

1 December 1931

Miss Ella Heffren passed away Tuesday evening, Dec 1, after only a week's illness following a paralytic shock.

She was born at Baileyville Oct 18, 1855, being the daughter of Mr and Mrs Henry Heffren. In early life she taught in the public schools, later her life was devoted to caring for her aged parents.

A greater part of the last nine years she has lived in this town with her niece. Mrs. Hosea Oldenburgh. Where she will be greatly missed.

Miss Heffren was a woman of sterling character and genial personality, which enabled her to make many friends.

She was a faithful Christian, being a regular attendant at church and Sunday School.

Surviving relatives are one sister Mrs Laura Child of Boston ,Mass, and a brother Winslow Heffren of Dover-Foxcroft. Several Nieces and Nephews.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Friday morning, Rev. J. A. Beyea spoke words of comfort to the bereaved relatives. Emily Shorey and Inez Lamb sand two selections, Will There Be Any Stars in my Crown, and the Christians's God night.

WW Gray had charge of arrangements. Interment was at Baileyville. Enfield, Dec 16, 1931

#### MAURICE MCKINNEY

(1931)

The funeral of Maurice McKinney of Island Falls, who died in a local hospital after an illness of several days, was held in the W. E. Craig undertaking rooms on Middle Street., Sunday forenoon at 9, Rev Charles Parkin of the Methodist Episcopal church officiated. The remains were taken by Mr. Craig to Island Falls for interment in the family lot, at Island Falls,

Among those here from away for the service, beside his niece, Miss McKinney , who cared for him during his stay at the hospital, were : B P McKinney a brother and his daughter of Corinna, Mr and Mrs E L Johnson W and HL Butterfield of Portland, Mr and Mrs True Springer, Miss Gould and Fred Butterfield from Danforth.

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#### MRS. ANN (MEAD) ALEXANDER BOONE

(24 Feb1927)

North Lake, N.B. March 29 - On Thursday Feb 24 Inst. The community was shocked to learn of the death of Mrs Alexander Boone at the home of her son Charles F. Boone, of this place.

Deceased had been in poor health for several months and the end came very unexpected to the members of the family. She was conscious to the last and knew and talked to them and passed away without a murmur or a pain.



Deceased was Born at Mahogany N.B. June 25, 1832, and a very remarkable thing is that her family of four boys and four girls followed her remains to her last resting place beside her husband in Fosterville cemetery, who preceded her to his rest some thirty-two months. Ago.

4 boys, 4 girls, interned by her husband in Fosterville who died 32 months before. She leaves 44 grandchildren and 117 great grandchildren and 7 great-great grandchildren.

The aggregated ages of the children, who followed their mother to her last resting place are 524 years, Which is very rare in these days.

Besides her sorrowing family she leaves 44 grandchildren, 117 great grandchildren and seven great-great grand children. Besides numerous relatives and friends both in the vicinity where she lived and in various places in New Brunswick.

Rev Mr. Allaby, the former pastor of this field, preached a very appropriate and touching sermon in the United Baptist church of this place, of which the deceased was a member,

Members of the Forest City choir and North Lake Choir rendered the hymns, Sweetly Resting, Sweet hour of Prayer, Rock of Ages and at the gave In the Sweet Bye and Bye.

The funeral was very large considering the storm of Saturday and Sunday, and showed the esteem in which the deceased was held in the community where she lived.

#### HENRY D. SMART

Houlton, June 16 -The death of Henry D Smart, long in the service of Aroostook, as deputy Sheriff , turnkey and probation officer, died at his home in Kelleran street, Friday following an illness since Saturday, of pleurisy.

Mr. Smart was born in Bancroft coming to Houlton when a young man. He had been deputy sheriff for over 30 years and served as turnkey at the county jail, under Sheriff's Thurlough and Bryson. He has been probation officer for the county for the past 16 years. And special agent for the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad for the past 17 years.

He was a member of Fidelity chapter, O.E.S. and of the Masonic lodge of Mattawamkeag,

His first wife was Mary Stetson died several years ago. He is survived by his wife Mrs Margaret Monaghan Smart, 2 sisters, Mrs Elizabeth Curtis of Danforth who is a twin-sister of Mr Smart and Mrs Mary Morris of Bangor. Also several nieces and nephews also survive.

Funeral services will be held from his late hoe at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon.

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(newspaper clip of Governor Calvin Coolidge)

Governor Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts, who brought greetings of the Commonwealth to the Annual Banquet of the League at rooms St. Paul's Cathedral, Boston Mass, On January 13, 1919

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#### WILLIAM A. HEAL

(Died Jan 28, 1932) Weston, Aroostook county; Heal, William A, Weston, age 53, born in Bangor; married; farmer; educated in Danforth; selectman for 12 years superintendent of schools and town clerk; member Danforth Lodge no 118, I.O.O.F and East Maine E campment , No 40, I.O.O.F.

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#### ALBERT K. STETSON

1930

Was Dancing Last Waltz at Elks' Ball when Stricken With Fatal Heart Attack

The town was shocked early Tuesday morning to hear of the tragic death of Albert K Stetson, editor of the Aroostook Pioneer, due to Heart failure. Mr and Mrs. Stetson attended the Elks Annual ball and shortly after midnight while on the floor for the last waltz he collapsed Physicians were present but death was instantaneous.

Mr. Stetson was well known throughout the state. He as a graduate of Colby College. He was married to Miss Hazel Hewes of Danforth and beside his widow he leaves one daughter, one sister, Mrs Walter Morse of this town and his mother Mrs C E F Stetson.

Mr. Stetson took an active part in politics and was a member of the State Republican Committee. He was secretary of Houlton Lodge of Elks, recorder of the Houlton municipal court and a valued member of the Monument Lodge, F and A M and Fidelity Chapter, O. E. S .His age was 44 yrs

#### MRS SARAH ELMER (LOGUE) GILPATRICK

Winterport, March 25, 1933 - The many friends of Sarah E. Gilpatrick, former Sarah E Logue the only daughter of the late Edward and Mary Logue of Winn, will be grieved to learn of her death from a severe heart attack on Saturday, March 25, at her home in Winterport. She was born in Winn, April 21, 1865.

Mrs. Gilpatrick was willing, helpful church worker, always ready to help others in time of sickness or trouble. She was a part worthy matron of Loyal Chapter, O.E.S. of Island Falls, also past noble grand of Star of Hope Rebecca Lodge, of Orono.

Mrs. Gilpatrick was graduated for Lee Normal Academy in the class of 1886, was united in marriage to Elmer E Gilpatrick on April 18, 1887, 8 children, being born to them. 3 of whom died in infancy. Those surviving are 4 sons, Leo E of Winterport, Ora E , Mars Hill, Verner E of Van Buren; Paul E of Westbrook, one daughter Mrs E K Stinchfield of Bangor, with whom she and Mr. Gilpatrick had been spending the Winter months, returning to their home only the previous Sunday. She also leaves ten grand children.

Mrs. Gilpatrick was very devoted to her home and will be greatly missed in the community.

Funeral services will be held at the home in Winterport, Tuesday at 1:30 .p.m. Interment will be at Mt Hope cemetery in Bangor. (1933)

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

#### MRS ISAAC (FOWLER) GOLDING

(1916)

The entire community was shocked and saddened by the sudden death of Mrs Isaac Golding.

She was called away to assist her daughter Mrs Ada Harris, who had lost two children with pneumonia and was herself very ill. The grief , exertion and excitement were very hard on her but she returned to her home and assisted in some church work, attended service on Sunday, Jan 9 and Jan 10 in the evening sat up till 9 o'clock working as usual. At about midnight she was taken violently ill and lived only about 75 hours, during nearly all of the time she was unconscious, dying early Friday morning, Jan 14.

She as born Feb. 14, 1847, and was 68 years 11 months 3 days old. The Daughter of David and Frances Fowler, born in Cambridge Queen's Co N.B. maiden name was Pheobe Victoria Fowler.

She leaves to mourn her loss, a husband, two sister, twenty-2 grandchildren and one great grandchild. All of her children but two attended her funeral David Golding in Washington state and Mrs Thomas Harris, still ill. The other children are Mrs H E Spinney, Silas B, Wilfred W, Emery F, Emerson D, Robert B, Newton P, Bradford G, and George H,.

Her pall bearers were four stalwart loving sons. She was baptized at the age 16 and had been an active member and a true Christian ever since. Her husband is also a Christian and a church member. They were married in Jan 9, 1870. And she has been a faithful and true wife, a kind loving mother and grandmother and good helpful neighbor.

The funeral services were held at the Baptist church and were very impressive. Rev. B. C. Bubar gave an address from Gen 23. Singing by the choir and a quartet was appropriate as she herself was a singer and great lover of music. The floral tributes were a beautiful wreath from her children with the work "mother" and other flowers presented by relatives and the two sewing circles. Though she worked in the village church aid she still had time to help in the Neighborhood Club of West Danforth and was a much loved member and held the office of Chaplain. She will be missed by all who knew her.

REV. WILLIAM H. DUNHAM

(Feb 1931)

news was received here Monday of the death of Rev William H Dunham which occurred Thursday at his home of Linekin. Mr. Dunham was the pastor of the Methodist church here from 1922 to 1925 and his death is deeply regretted by his friends here. Funeral services were held Sunday and the remains were taken to Calais for Interment.

ORA GILPATRICK

( FEB 1933)

The funeral for Ora Gilpatrick, was held at the First Church (Unitarian) at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon and was largely attended. The floral pieces were many and beautiful .

The funeral was under the director of the Monument lodge F. and A M, Rev. George MacKay, pastor of the Unitarian Church officiating and interment was made in the family lot in Evergreen cemetery.

MRS GEORGE GRAY

(9 March 1933)

The remains of Mrs George Gray of Mattawamkeag, whose funeral services were held at the home Saturday afternoon were brought here Saturday for burial in the family lot.

Mrs. Gray's passing is deeply deplored by Danforth friends, Relatives who were called to Mattawamkeag were: Mr and Mrs Guy P Rowe, Mr and Mrs Roy Bennett of this town and Mr and Mrs Albert Mundie of Calais.

MRS. ELIZA SPRINGER

(5 Apr 1933)

Many friends attended the funeral services of Mrs Eliza Springer, which were held at the home Friday afternoon. Rev. Philip H. Lush officiated, assisted by Rev. Cecil T. Grant, two selections were sung by Mrs. P. W Lyons, and Mrs. Hollis Scanlin. A profusion of flower were sent, testifying to the love and esteem of friends. Interment took place in the family lot here.

Relatives and friends who came from out-of-town to attend the funeral were: , Mr and Mrs Henry H Springer of Lincoln,; Mr and Mrs Paul C Springer and Miss Lennie Kelley of Bangor,; Stanley J Hinch of Boston,; Mr and Mrs Burleigh Hinch of Lincoln; S L Merriman of Presque Isle; Mr and Mrs Leroy Pomeroy of Houlton; Robert Hinch of Forest; Mrs Lloyd Lyons of Lagrange,; Mrs L E Hanson of Calais, Mrs Clara bishop of Presque Isle.

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(handwritten names with dates and events)

Mrs Brame Price died June 19, 1908

Mr George Carlestone died 1906

Mr Andrew Powell died 1909

Mr Thomas S Gilpatrick died 1903

Mrs David Kirkpatrick Feb 26 1912

Mrs Isaac Golding Jan 13, 1916

Titanic sunk with 1200 people April 14, 1912

Rex McKinney died over in France 1912

Otis Gilpatrick died Oct 23, 1911

Ralph Gilpatrick died April 11, 1904

Mot Peters died Jan 17, 1904

Mr Mrs Will Butterfield died 6 Feb 1911

Fred Powers Mrs Hewes son in law died 1923

Bryden Harding killed lightning 25 July 1914

Weston Mrs Varney Putnam died 29 May 1915

Hollis Howard died 4 June 1915

Mr Dr Love died June 10, 1915

Harry Lutz died June 4, 1915

Ambros Berber died July 4, 1915

Mr Hinch died July 22, 1915

Mrs Mell Springer Oct 9, 1915

Mr Andrew Powell died May 27, 1909

Del Robbins died Jan 7, 1905

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(newspaper clip with handwritten dates)

**MRS. MARY (LASKEY) IRISH**

(1931)

Mrs. Mary Irish, passed away May 20 after a lingering illness of several weeks. Mrs. Irish was born in Hartland N.B., 69 years ago. When she was a child her parents Mr and Mrs. Jacob A. Laskey moved to Houlton where they resided for a short period. Later they removed to Haynesville where they lived for many years.

Mrs Irish was the oldest of a family of 8, and is survived by 3 sisters, Mrs Guy Brannen of Haynesville; Mrs John Laskey of Dillon, Colorado. 52 years ago she was united in marriage with T B Irish of Haynesville whose people were pioneer settlers in this section of Maine. For nearly thirty years. Mr and Mrs. Irish lived in Haynesville.

Twenty-one years ago they moved to Island Falls remaining there only a short time. They returned to Weston residing until five year ago. When they became residents of Danforth. Two year ago, the family neighbor and friends assembled to extend congratulations on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of the wedding of this esteemed couple. Mrs. Irish had been a member of the Haynesville Baptist church since its organization and was a faithful attendant and supporter of the Danforth Methodist Church during her residence here.

she is survived by her husband 2 children Mrs Hudson White of Danforth and Alvah T Irish of Weston, also 6 grand children and one great grandchild. Bryce E. White. JR.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. Philip Lush, pastor of Methodist church and Rev. Cecil Grant of the Baptist church. Music was provided by Mrs. P. W. Lyons and Dr. S. D. Springer, The floral tributes were beautiful.

Mrs. Irish was a woman of unusually capabilities an exceptional homemaker, She was a kind neighbor, a thoughtful friend, a devoted mother and wife, who will be greatly missed, not only by her immediate relatives and family but also by a large number of acquaintances and friends to whom she had endeared herself.

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#### EDESON BAILEY

(1931)

The friends of Mr Edeson Bailey, regret to learn of his death which occurred Monday at the age 74 years. Mr Bailey was born at Baileyville and has been a resident of Danforth for many years. The funeral services were held at the home of P. W. Lyon, funeral director Tuesday afternoon. Rev. A. R. Dalbeck officiating. A selection was sung my Mrs. Lyon, Mr. Bailey is survived by his wife and three sisters.

#### REV. WILLIAM H. DUNHAM

Feb 1931

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#### OTIS H CHRISTIE

(1930)

Danforth lost a respected citizen in the death Sunday of Otis H Christie. Mr. Christie was born in Old Ridge N.B. March 30, 1861. His parents were James T and Martha S Christie, and he was a member of a family of 11 children. Seven of them grew to maturity and the first break in the family is made by Mr. Christies's passing. He was united in marriage with Miss Annie Mundie of Vanceboro in 1887 and they lived at Lambert for several years. They came to Danforth thirty-six years ago. Employed by lumber concerns here for years. Mr. Christie performed his duties in a

creditable manner and was held in esteem by his associates. A large circle of friends regret his passing. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church of this town.

He is survived by his wife and 4 sons, and daughters, Roy Christie of Wakefield, Mass, Roland Christie of Brookline Mass, Mrs Katherine Smith of Brooklyn NY, and Milton Christie of Danforth; 10 grandchildren; six brothers and sisters, Herbert Christie of Eureka Calif, Arthur Christie of Calais, Mrs Alice Bennett of Danforth, Mrs Nellie Mundie of Calais, Mrs Dora

Dwyer of Lambert, and Mrs Edna Follett of Millinocket, The funeral services were held at the home Wednesday afternoon. (Oct 16)

#### VAN RENSALLAER HARDING

(1931)

Danforth April 3 - News of the death of Van Rensallaer Harding, which occurred Thursday morning following a week's illness came as a great shock to the people of this community where Mr. Harding was life long resident. He was born in Amity July 10, 1862, the son of Warren and Minerva Quint Harding, who were among the earliest settlers of this town. He

was a member of a family of eleven children. Mr. Harding possessed lofty standards of character which were inherent in a personality that marked; him as a respected citizen and a genuine friend. Being well informed upon many subjects and possessing a remarkably retentive memory he was a natural conversationalist.

He is survived by 3 sisters Mrs Mary Carson of Albion, Mrs Everett Murchie of Boston, and Mrs William Dunn of Danforth, and several nephews and nieces.

The funeral services will be held at the home Sunday at 2 p.m.

#### MRS. ADDIE (HOUGHTON) HANFORD GOULD

Danforth, Feb 2, 1931

Friends in Danforth and elsewhere, will learn with regret the passing of Mrs Addie Hanford, wife of J. Hanford Gould, which occurred at her home Feb 2 after a long illness. She was born in Forest City 56 years ago, daughter of Henry and the late Mrs Houghton.

In her early life she taught school, loved by all who knew her. She was an ideal wife and mother, the welfare of her loved ones being her first and last thought.

She is survived by her husband, 3 children, Mrs Lester Wood of Danforth, Archie B Gould of Danforth, Miss Grace Gould at home, 2 brothers, C B Houghton of Newport, Fred Houghton of Topsfield and one sister Mrs Katie Grass of Aroostook Jct N.B..

The family have the deep sympathy of a large circle of friends, Services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. Cecil Grant, assisted by Rev. Walter Ramsey of Forest City, N.B. Two beautiful hymns were sung by Mrs. Percy Lyons and Dr. S. D. Springer "The City Four Square" And "Will the Circle Be Unbroken".

The floral tributes were numerous and lovely, showing the high esteem in which the deceased was held. (1931)

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(newspaper clip with picture of Woodstock Jail)

## BENNY SWIM

### Benny Swim Hanged for Double Murder,

Woodstock, N. B. Oct 6- Benny Swim , convicted murderer, who was temporarily paroled, was hanged today with two men trying three times to do the job. Swim was convicted of shooting his cousin, Mrs. Olive Swim Trenholme, and her husband, Harvey Trenholme in a "true love sect" shooting at Benton Ridge.

He was first ordered hanged on July 15. Pleasing insanity, however, he won a reprieve until Sept 15, but on that date no hangman could be found. Today two men who gave the same fictitious name of "M.A. Doyle", sprung the trap. The first man tried twice but it failed to work but the second finally worked it successfully.

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(handwritten names, dates and events)

(1916)

Mr John Butterfield died Oct 26, 1915

Mr Lank died Jan 22, 1916

Rev Mr Twitchel B Minister died March 19, 1916

Mrs Williams died Mar 23, 1916

Harold Powell died 9 April 1916, age 16 years

Harry L... burned to death 18 Apr 1916

Mrs Allen died April 1916

Mr Dud Lee died May 6, 1916

Mr George Maxim died 3 July 1916

John Kinney died 30 Jan 1915

Mrs James Estabrooks died Jan 22, 1915

Mrs Brennan died 13 Apr 1915

Mrs Ruth Carr died Aug 27, 1918

Solomon Buckingham born March 14, 1917

Mrs Scott died Aug 9, 1918

Mrs Silas White died 11 Jan 1918

Killed Mr Henry Carson 25 Nov 1917

Mrs Bennett Sister died Nov 13, 1919

Shooting of Meshreaw wife and cut his own throat Oct 14, 1919

Marvin Estabrooks Mother died June 11, 1919

Mrs Fred Bonna died March 13, 1919

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(newspaper clippings)

#### MRS. LOLA THOMPSON JENKINS

The death of Mrs Lola Thompson Jenkins occurred June 4, in Bangor hospital, at the age of 19 years 1 month. She had a wide circle of friends who keenly regret her passing.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon by Rev. A. J. Hamilton at the Methodist church. The choir sang two selections, Mrs. Jenkins' high school classmates attended the funeral.

There was a profusion of flowers. She is survived by her husband, Lawrence Jenkins, and a daughter Dorothy; her parents, John and Mrs Edna Thompson; a sister, Mrs Wilder Irish. Also other relatives. The out of town relatives attending the funeral were, Mr and Mrs Claude Jenkins of Dover-Foxcroft, Mr and Mrs Evan Jenkins of Bangor, Henry Jenkins of Masardis, Mrs John Crooker, Lynn, Mass.; Thaxter Lyons of Bucksport.

#### MR AND MRS BAKER ACCIDENT

Mr and Mrs Baker of New York hurt when Machine leaves road

Danforth Sep 19, - Failure to make a curve on the state highway near Eaton, two miles from this town resulted in a serious accident to occupants of New York car Friday Afternoon.

The car left the road and overturned, striking a tree. The owner a Mrs. Baker and wife of New York City, were seriously injured and rushed to a Houlton hospital. Both received fractured legs and other injuries.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

## WILLIAM GILES

(1930)

Danforth, Dec 31, 1930 - Residents of Danforth and vicinity will be interested and sorry to learn of the death in Thorpe, Minnesota of William Giles, a native of Lee and resident of Danforth for many years before the family moved to the west. His age was 77 years.

The following account appeared in the Minnesota paper:

William Giles highly respected and former resident of this city died Thursday at his home in Thorpe township.

Rev. P.A. St. John, pastor of the Methodist church of this city officiated at the funeral services which were held Saturday afternoon at the home of a daughter Mrs Jos. Thorpe, of Thorpe township. Three beautiful hymns were sung by W.D. Cary and son Elon of Nevis. The floral tributes were numerous and very beautiful.

Internment was made at Greenwood cemetery at Park Rapids.

William Giles was born Aug 16, 1852, in Lee Maine, where he passed his early boyhood. On July 4, 1877, he was united in marriage to Miss Ada McKinney at Jackson Brook Maine. To this union was born 11 children, nine of whom survived with the faithful wife.

The family lived at Danforth, Me, for many years, later coming to Park Rapids the year 1901. In 1914 Mr. Giles purchased a piece of wild land in Thorpe township, part of which borders on Mantrap lake and he and his sons developed from this an attractive farm.

On July 4, 1927 Mr and Mrs. Giles celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary.

During the past two yeas Mr. Giles' health has been gradually failing, but he would not give up to being an invalid until compelled by weakness to remain in bed.

He was highly respected by all who knew him, invariable, a good neighbor and had held many positions of trust during his residence at Thorpe. He was a devoted husband and father, the welfare of his loved ones being his first and last thought.

During the past few months he had at times been an intense sufferer but bore it all with a Christian fortitude and recently said to members of the family. "If it is my cross to suffer up to the last, I'll try to be brave and bear it" and before losing consciousness at last he said, "I'm going Home."

Those who with his wife survive are as follows: his daughters Mrs Chas Cleek of Olympia Wash, Mrs C W Megquier of Booners Ferry, Idaho; Mrs Jos Thorpe of Thorpe township, Mrs S D Harlow of Park Rapids; Mrs C R Abrams and Mrs H W Hallett of Chicago. Ill, and sons, A A Giles of St Maries Idaho, Charles D Giles and W Del Giles of Hoquiam Wash, A son Fred Giles preceded his father to the home beyond three years ago.

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(Newspaper clip with picture of Logger)

#### Cooper Brook

After a lapse of four years, the GREAT NORTHERN PAPER COMPANY has resumed operations in the Cooper Brook area, in Township A, Range 11.

Three camps have already been placed, and a total of 30,000 cords of rough wood will be cut.

In the month of August, 100 men were sent to the location, to prepared camps, swamp roads, and in general, to get ready for the operating crew. Supplies were bough and hauled to the camps. Equipment was assembled, Horses were purchased.

There are today 200 men at work on the operation, and actual cutting has commenced.

The quality of wood is excellent. The trees are large, and the pulpwood will be as sound and clear as any that has ever been cut in Maine.

When a crew of men for a woods operation is referred to, it means a Foreman, Assistant Foreman, Cook, Cookees, Toters, a Saw Filer, a Blacksmith and Teamsters, in addition to the large crew of Cutters.

It is necessary to have a rough wood operation well timed. Work of preparation must be carried through in the late summer, so that everything may be in readiness by the first of September. The time element requires that cutting must begin early enough to have this part of the work completed before the deep snow comes. The next move, after the snow is deep enough, is to plow the roads for hauling the pulpwood to the streams. Then, when the ice goes out in the spring, the wood is driven to the mills. The entire program is very much dependent upon weather conditions, and ample time must be allowed so that all contingencies are provided for.

A winter operation is an entirely different problem than the cutting and peeling of wood in the summer. It is much more difficult and vastly more interesting. - adv.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

MRS. HELEN McKECHNIE

(1932)

Danforth, June 25 - The death of Mrs Helen McKechnie, 83, occurred Wednesday after a long illness. She was born in Medway, Jan 6, 1849, Coming to Danforth 46 years ago she purchased the Lydia Howard home where she conducted a millinery business for years. She was an active member of the William Brannen Relief Corps, No 32.

She leaves besides her husband, her son and daughter, Blaine McKechnie of Houlton and Mrs LeRoy Dennio of Old Town, there are 10 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

#### Mr. WILLIAM J. WHITE

(Deacon)(21 Sep 1928)

Mr William J White, a long time member of the Danforth, United Baptist church, died at his home in Weston, Maine.

He was born in 1846 and was at the advanced age of 82. Mr. White was for many years deacon of the Danforth Church and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. As a citizen, neighbor and friend Mr. White made a large place for himself in the community and his daily life. Brought credit to the cause of Christ.

The funeral services were held at the church Sunday afternoon, September 23 Rev, A, E, Kelley of Mapleton, a former pastor, officiating.

#### CRISTINA R. SMART

(1930)

Friends of Mrs. Cristina R. Smart formerly of this town were shocked to learn of the death of Mrs Cristina R. Smart in Waterville, Thursday at the age of 73, years.

The funeral services were held in the Methodist church Saturday afternoon, Rev. P.H. Lush, officiating, Mrs. P. W. Lyons and Mrs. Hollies Scanlin sang two selections.

The members of the Judith Rebekah Lodge of which she was a member attended in a body.

The remains were brought here by a representative of Redington Company of Waterville who conducted the funeral assisted by P. W. Lyon, local funeral director. Three sons and daughters

survive, they are Dr Chester Smart of Laconia N H, Alton and Blenn Smart of Waterville and Mrs Don Bubar of Monticello. (1930)

#### CHARLES BLACKMORE

(1929)

Bertied Blackmore of Brooklyn, NY and Margretta Blackmore of Bangor, were called home by the death of their father, Charles Blackmore,

The funeral of Charles Blackmore was held Wednesday afternoon on Jan 16 at 2 o'clock, at his late home here. Rev. Grant and Rev. Hamilton officiated. The bearers were. W. G. Spinney, Jason Kingston, Earl Gilpatrick and Everett, Moody.

Two selections were rendered by Mrs. Nettie Love and Mrs. Hamilton.

The decease Mr. Charles Blackmore was, age 60 years of age.

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(newspaper clip)

#### JAMES D. MURPHY

James, Bangor district agent of the Northwestern life Insurance Co. dropped dead in Lincoln at the home of Fred. M. Laughlin, Wednesday morning. Cause of his passing was not definite known, although it is believed he was the victim of a heart attack. Seated at the table when stricken he passed away suddenly before the eyes of members of the Laughlin household.

Mrs. Murphy came to Lee, Maine, from Massachusetts some years ago, there to serve as an instructor in the Lee Academy for some time, later moving to Bangor, where he engaged in the insurance business. He as at first in business with Charles R. Dunton and upon the latter's death took over the Northwestern Mutual agency here, maintaining offices at 27 State street.

For the past 12 years he had made his home with Mr and Mrs. Geogia Dean at 52 Cottage street. He had no relatives in this state. A sister, it is believed, in Massachusetts survives him. He took keen interest in activities at Lee Academy even after moving to this city and served as chairman on the board of trustees of the school.

Possessed of a kind disposition he was well liked by all who knew him. Hundreds of business men with whom he had contact will deeply regret his untimely passing. He was a member of various Masonic bodies. - the Blue Lodge, Mt Moriah Royal Arch Chapter, St. John's Commandery, K. T., 32<sup>nd</sup> degree Scottish rite, and the shrine.

Mr. Murphy was a man of high integrity and excellent business ability. Very energetic and capable, he gave great assistance to any cause in which he interested himself. His death will be mourned through eastern Maine as he had very wide acquaintance in Aroostook and neighboring counties. He was a strong Republican in politics.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

## CLARENCE F. HARPER

(24 Jan 1927)

The funeral of Clarence F Harper, age 18, took place yesterday afternoon from his late home at Lauvina and was attended by many friends and relatives. Service was conducted in the United Baptist Church at Geary by Rev. F. S. Currie, pastor of that church, and Interment made in the Baptist cemetery. Deceased, who was only 18 years of age, had been ill only a few days with pneumonia and his death is regretted by his family and friends, he being a bright, promising young man. Besides his parents Mr and Mrs John Harper, he is survived by 2 brothers, Budd and George Harper, at home.

## SIMON CHAPLICK

(1931)

Danforth, June 8, Simon Chaplick age 38, a contractor for the Lincoln Pulpwood Co, was killed instantly Saturday afternoon, when he was thrown from a car which left the road at Topsfield. George Deveau, driver of the car was not injured. The body was taken to Calais to await word from relatives in Boston. Chaplick was a native of Poland.

Deveau turned out to pass a car and it is believed that in swerving back into the middle of the road the car skidded and when the brakes were applied, it turned over. Chaplick was crushed under the car.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

## MRS (WHITE) JOHN EMERY

Mrs John Emery passed away Sunday March 7, Although it was well known she was failing yet her recent health had been such as to cause her friends to feel she would be with them some time.

One of the three sister who have held for years the distinction of being the oldest triplets in New England with her sisters, Mrs Ada Tidd of Bangor and Mrs Charles Hetz of Danforth, also leaves a sister Mrs Love, and a brother William White.

A kind neighbor, an earnest Christian woman, she will be greatly missed.

The funeral was held from the Baptist Church her pastor, Rev. H A. Clark, officiating, assisted by Rev. L G. Pressey of M.E. Church. Danforth, March 16.

## MRS IDA BRAGDON

1930

Friends of Mrs Ida Bragdon of Eaton, were grieved to learn of her death which occurred June 15. Mrs. Bragdon was a woman of fine character, a devoted mother and a kind neighbor and will be missed.

Rev. A. J. Hamilton conducted the funeral services at the Easton Methodist Church, Sunday afternoon. The choir sang two selections. Danforth Lodge, I.O.O.F ., and Purditts Rebekah Lodge attended in a body. The Rebekah Lodge of which she was a member read their burial service. There was a very large attendance of relatives and friends and a profusion of flowers.

Mrs. Bragdon is survived by 5 brothers, 3 daughters, Cecil, Orris Wilburn, Leo and Delbert of Eaton, Mrs Gilbert Spinney of Danforth, Mrs Ernest Stoddard and Miss Lulu Bragdon of Eaton, Her mother Mrs Hattie Cochran and a brother and a sister George Brackett of Wareham Mass and Mrs Bert Allen of Wytotitlock. (1930)

### MRS. WINIFRED (KINNEY) GIBBONS

(1929)

The death of Mrs Winifred Gibbons, which occurred in a Bangor hospital, June 11, came as a great shock to her friends here by whom she was held in esteem. Mrs. Gibbons was the daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles Kinney of Mars Hill and was born in that town, June 11, 1892. She attended the grade schools there and later the Aroostook Central Institute. For several years following she was employed by the Aroostook Telephone & Telegraph company

In 1919, she was united in marriage to George Gibbons and they came to Danforth to reside.

Mrs. Gibbons was known as a person of kindly disposition and was always ready to lend a helping hand. She had a wide circle of friends who will miss her greatly.

The funeral services were conducted at the Methodist Church Friday by Rev. A. J. Hamilton. There was a great profusion of floral tributes which consisted of set pieces. Sprays, etc.

A large piece from the Baskahegan Company employs was beautiful. Dr. S. D. Springer and Mrs. P W. Lyon sang.

The pall bearers were Patrick Whalen, Stanley Hinch, M W Williams and Leith Violette.

The Round Table club of which she was a member and their husbands attended in a body. There

Survived by her husband 4 children, Dorothy, George Jr, Charlene and Charles, Her parents Mr and Mrs Charles Kinney, 2 brothers, and a sister, Wm Kinney of Houlton, Leo Kinney of Mars Hill, and Mrs Vernon Southard of West Haven, Conn.

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DONALD HOWARD



(Death of Donald Howard, Danforth, 32, dies in hunting accident killed by Joseph Porter Held.

Machias, Dec 7 - Mistaking a pair of white mittens for a deer, Joseph Porter 35, Danforth shot and killed Donald Howard, 32, a trapper in that town. While out in the woods Sunday, Howard was instantly killed, and Porter, a personal friend, blazed a torch through dense woods as he made his way out to notify Deputy Sheriff Guy E. Travers and Williams turning with the officers and path to take the body out. News of shooting reached here Tuesday night .

Porter was brought here late Monday and formally arraigned on charge of negligently shooting a human being. He pleaded not guilty before Judge H. El Saunders in the West Washington Municipal Court, and furnished bonds for his appearance at the February term of the Superior Court. .

### JOHN HENRY BARTLETT

(1930)

Friends of John Henry Bartlett, were grieved to learn of his death which occurred Sunday morning, following a long illness. Mr Bartlett was born in Benton N.B., Oct 3, 1878, the son of John and Martha Bartlett. At the age of ten years his parents moved to this town where he has always resided. He was united in marriage in 1900 to Miss May Byers.

For 30 years. Mr. Bartlett was in the employ of H.H. Putnam where he performed his duties in an efficient manner.

He was kindly remembered by his associates. Mrs. Bartlett was a member of Danforth Lodge, I.O.O.F., and Court Riverspray, Forester Lodge.

He is survived by his wife, and a son Kenneth of Portland, a brother Reginald Bartlett of Portage Lake, a step-mother and three step-brothers, and a step-sister.

The funeral services were held at the home Tuesday afternoon. Danforth Lodge, I.O.O.F., conducted its burial service. Scripture reading and prayer were given by Rev. Cecil Grant, pastor of the Baptist Church. There was a large gathering of friends and profusion of flowers. Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Lyon sang two selections.

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(Newspaper clip with handwritten dates)

### SIX MUNSEY CHILDREN LOSE LIVES

Danforth, Me., Sept (1929) - Trapped by fire in their West Danforth farm house, the six Children of Mrs and Mrs. Llewellyn Munsey ranging in age from 2 to 8 years, were burned to death today. They were: Wesley 8, Lester 7, Lawrence 6, Roland 5, Irene 4, and Vilma 2.

## PARENTS ABSENT

Both parents were absent. Mrs. Munsey had gone to a neighbor's a mile or more distant, and her husband left several days ago to work on a potato farm at Mars Hill, Aroostook County.

The fire, starting from an undetermined cause, swept with such rapidity through the unfinished two-story wooden home and adjoining barn that nearby neighbors, attracted by the smoke, were unable to attempt a rescue or to save a vestige of either structure. They said the dwelling was wholly aflame five minutes after the fire was discovered.

Five of the children were in their beds on the second floor and one was in the kitchen when Mrs. Munsey left the house. Neighbor believed they had been smothered soon after the fire started, as no outcries were heard. Their charred bodies were taken from the debris after her ashes had called. Munsey arrived by automobile from Mars hills three hours later.

Shortly before the fire, Munsey's mother Mrs. George Munsey, received a fractured arm in the overturning of her automobile a few miles from her son's home. The fire occurred while the younger Mrs. Munsey was attempting to secure the car of a neighbor to take her mother-in-law to a physician in the village four and one-half miles away. Summoned by telephone, she arrive to witness the tragedy. Repeated attempts of herself and neighbors to break though the barrier of flames were unavailing.

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## MRS. NELLIE PATCHELL GRANT

18 May1929

The death of Mrs. Nellie Patchell Grant of Portland which occurred May 18 is deeply regretted by friends here. Mrs. Grant graduated from Danforth High School in the class of 1920 and moved to Portland with her parents several years ago. Her ages was 28yrs. Besides her husband, Raymond Grant, she is survived by her parents, a sister and a brother.

## CHARLES BLACKMORE

The citizens of this town were shocked to learn of the sudden death of Charles Blackmore, Sunday. Mr. Blackmore was born in Brookton, Aug 29, 1868. In 1895 he was united in marriage with Miss Etta Lewis of Presque Isle. Ten children were born to them. Mr. Blackmore had lived here mor many years, where he was respected and will be missed by his friends.

He is survived by his wife, two sons, Bert Blackmore, of Brooklyn, NY, and Leon Blackmore of Danforth, two daughters, Miss Magretta Blackmore and Miss Joye Althea Blackmore of Danforth. A Brother, Perley Blackmore of Keene, NH, and a sister Mrs. Darius Hansen of Morrill. The funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon.

## JAMES K. BUTTERFIELD

10 Aug 1932

Danforth 1932 - Funeral services for James K. Butterfield, 29, who met his death in an auto accident Friday afternoon were held Sunday afternoon at the home of his mother, Mrs. Lula Butterfield in West Danforth. Rev. Phillip H. Lush, pastor of the Methodist Church officiated. Two selections were sung.

The bearers were Hollis Butterfield, Herbert Varney, Arden Varney and Charles Dunford.

Mr. Butterfield was born in Danforth, his parents being the late James K. Butterfield and Mrs. Lula Butterfield. He moved to Washburn when a young man, later going to New York, where he was employed for several years. For the past year he had been employed by a local lumber company.

By his untimely death are left his wife, Mrs. Helen Butterfield of Grand Falls, N.Y.; three sons, Woodrow, Joseph and James Butterfield, his mother Mrs. Lula Butterfield and a brother and sister, Elroy Butterfield and Mrs. George Gibbons, of Danforth. Relatives called here to attend the funeral were: Thomas McNulty and Mrs. Helen Butterfield, Grand Falls; Mrs. Maria Butterfield, Mr and Mrs. Bertan Randall, Henry Fields, Abie Randall and Charlotte Fields of Washburn.

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(Newspaper clipping)

## MRS. OLIVE (HOWE) DUNPHY

15 Feb

The death of Mrs. Olive Dunphy occurred at the Presque Isle Sanatoriums on Friday, Feb 15<sup>th</sup>. Mrs. Dunphy had been in the sanatorium for about two months but had been sick for sometime before. She was the daughter of Caleb and Theodosia Howe now deceased.

She cam to Houlton, with her parents quite a few yeas ago and attended school here. She was married in 1926 to Ralph Dunphy of Houlton.

She was a member of the Court St. Baptist Church where she was much esteemed by the members. Although of a quiet disposition she made many friends who greatly regret her early passing.

Besides her husband she is survived by one sister, Miss Thelma Howe of North Carolina.

The remains were brought to Houlton, Friday night, Funeral services were held at the Court St. Baptist Church last Sunday afternoon, the pastor, Rev. W. B. Chase officiating.

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MRS. BIRD (GRAHAM) FARRELL

19 APRIL 1934

Forest City, Maine, April 26 - The people of this place and vicinity were deeply grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. Bird Farrell which occurred on April 19th at the sanatorium at Fairfield, Me., where she had been taken for treatment just two days before.

Mrs. Farrell was before her marriage, Miss Bird Graham of Pemberton Ridge and was in her 39<sup>th</sup> year. She had been in failing health for some time, but no one dreamed the end was so near. And the news of her passing came as a great shock to relatives and friends. Her death occurred on the 18<sup>th</sup> anniversary of her wedding day. Her husband died ten years ago. She is survived by five children, Kenneth, Dorothy, Ernest, Richard and Mildred. Also her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor of Chaswood, NS; five brothers, Harry Graham of this place, Ellis and Merrill Graham of Pemberton Ridge; Perley and Aubrey Graham of Houlton, Maine; and one sister Marcia of Chaswood, NS, besides a large number of other relatives.

The funeral was held in the Baptist church here on Sunday afternoon and in spite of the pouring rain a large number gathered to pay their last tribute of esteem to the deceased. Rev. Cecil Grant of Danforth Me., was officiating clergyman. The pall bearers were Harry Brooks, Fay Walls, Clinton Gillespie and Basil Boone. The floral tributes were many and beautiful. Mrs. Farrell was laid to rest beside her husband in the Forest City Cemetery.

Relatives and friends from out of town who were here to attend the funeral were Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor of Chaswood, N.S., Mrs and Mrs. Perley Graham and little Helen and Aubrey Graham of Houlton, Me., Henry Farrell, Mr and Mrs. Emery Farrell and Clarence Graham of Eel River Lake; Mrs. Ida Farrell, Mr and Mrs Wesley Buckingham and Miss Vivian Buckingham of Fosterville, N.B. Hanford Gould of Danforth.

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Charles Mother, 1929

MRS. LOTTIE JANE (STILES) BOONE

1929

Houlton, Me., April 11 - Mrs. Lottie Jane (Stiles) Boone died Sunday morning, at the Aroostook Hospital after a few days illness from heart trouble, at the age of 73 years, having been in failing health for three years.

The deceased was born in Centreville, N. B., daughter of the late Mr and Mrs. Bamford Stiles. She was the widow of Charles Boone, who died 13 thirteen years ago.(?) And had resided here for the past nine years. Mrs. Boone was a kind hearted woman, loyal to her friends and a good neighbor. She was a devoted wife and mother and was much esteemed by all who knew her. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

The surviving relatives are., two daughters, Mrs. Susie Tidd, Houlton, with whom she made her home since coming to Houlton, and Mrs. Edith Herbert Thompkins, Lakeville, NB, five sons Harvey Boone, North Lake, Herbert and Harvey Boone, Centreville, NB, John of Boston, Mass and Charles of Portland, Maine.

#### MR. WILLIAM H. WHITE

died 21 sept 1928

Clinton Curtis and Charles Benno motored up from Danforth early Sunday morning to convey Rev. A. E. Kelley down to attend the funeral of Deacon William H. White of the Danforth Church., making the trip in 2 hours 20 minutes, returning in 2 hours 30 minutes. Mr. White was 83 years of age and a staunch friend of Rev. Mr Kelley, his former pastor. On Monday two cars from Danforth accompanied Mr Kelley home. In the party were Winfield Ellis, Hudson White, Miss Julia White, Miss Lizzie White, Mr and Mrs. Charles Benno, Clinton Curtis and Mrs. John Curtis.

#### MRS. PRISCILLA M. DAGGETT

11 AUG. 1928

Amity, A long and useful life came to an end in the death of Mrs. Priscilla M. Daggett, August 11<sup>th</sup>, at her home in Amity, She suffered a paralytic shock several weeks ago from which she did not rally,

Mrs. Daggett was born in Houlton and lived the greater part of her life in Amity, She was 86 years of age.

Aunt Cill, as she was called by her many friends will be greatly missed as she was a kind friend and neighbor and always ready to help in time of trouble. She leaves an aged sister, Mrs. Mandeville, Williams of Dexter and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at her home in Amity, Monday afternoon. Rev. Wm. B. Chase of Houlton officiating. The presence of many friends and the beautiful flowers, bore testimony of high esteem in which she was held.

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OSCAR J. DARLING

Oscar J. Darling, a well known resident of this town died very suddenly Sunday morning and his passing comes as a great shock to the townspeople.

MRS. ROSSIA A.(JUDKINS) ROWE

1929

The friends of Mrs. Rossia A. Rowe were grieved to learn of her death which occurred Saturday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Smith after a short illness. Mrs. Rowe was born in Prentiss, Dec 9, 1868. She and her husband Sam Rowe came to Danforth twenty seven years ago and since the death of Mr. Rowe, four years ago she has lived with her daughter, Mrs. Smith, by whom she was cared for in her illness. Mrs. Rowe will be remembered as a person whose fine character, kindness and patience won many friends. For several years she served as a practical nurse and was liked by everyone with whom she worked. She was an attendant at the Methodist Church. She is survived by her daughter Mrs. Smith, two grandchildren, Wilfred Smith, and Miss Iva Smith, a brother Benjamin Judkins of Springfield, and other relatives. The funeral services were held at the Methodist Church, Monday afternoon, Rev. A.J. Hamilton officiating. Dr. S. D. Springer and Mrs. Hollis Scanlin sang two selections. The bearers were: H.H. Putnam, Varney, A. Putnam, Edgar Rowe and Guy P. Rowe.

EDWIN LYDICK

Painter Killed In 20 Ft. Fall At Bucksport

Bucksport, July 6 - (AP)- Edwin Lydick, 40, was instantly killed today at the Maine Seaboard Co., Mill when a ladder from which he was painting slipped, throwing him 20 feet to a concrete floor. Lydick's skull was fractured by the fall. He is survived by a widow and six children.

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BYRON A. TUPPER

21 Nov. 1929

Bryon A. Tupper, a traveling commercial salesman, and well known throughout New England, died at the Chipman Memorial hospital, in St. Stephens, Nov. 21, after a brief illness.

He was born in Topsfield 66 years ago, of sturdy Scotch Parentage. The youngest son of the late Eliakim and Phoebe Tupper; and received his education in the public schools of his native town.

Mr. Tupper was at one time engaged in hotel business and became the successful proprietor of the "Topsfield House", He will be remembered by the surviving, traveling public of his day as a genial and hospitable landlord.

For more than quarter of a century, he had been employed by the U.S. Rubber Co. and was an active and alert salesman at the time of his death.

He was exceedingly fond of nature and preferred to spend his vacation periods at his picturesque lodge, located on the shore of Duck Lake in the wild-wood of Maine, where he took great delight in enhancing the beauty of the spot and entertaining in his jovial manner, His many guests.

He was united in marriage to Miss Carrie Tuck of East Winn, who died early in life, Later he married Miss Kit Stewart of Topsfield, who died at home in Mass, a few years ago.

Of the several children who were born of these two marriages, three survive, Guy, William and Gladys, also one brother, Horace of Topsfield. Who still resides on the attractive Tupper Homestead, and a sister, Mrs. Cora Hewes, of Danforth.

The funeral services were held in Calais, Friday, afternoon, at the home of his son William, and were largely attended by relatives, friends and business associates from different sections.

The near relatives who attended the funeral were his children. His brother Horace C. Tupper and wife, his sister, Mrs. Cora Hewes, his niece, Mrs. Frederick, A Powers, and Mrs. Belle Lindsey.

The flowers were rare, beautiful and in abundance.

Interment was in the family lot in Everett, Mass., Topsfield, Nov 29, 1929

#### NEWTON GOLDING

Relatives here receive news of the death of Newton Golding of Boston, which occurred by accident Monday. Mr. Golding was born in Danforth, Feb. 1, 1883. The son of Isaac and Phoebe Golding. He was a graduated from of Danforth High School, in the class of 1904. He went to Boston twenty years ago and was employed on the Boston Elevated Railway of the time of his death. His passing is regretted by friend here. Surviving are eight brothers, Wilfred Golding, and Silas Golding of Houlton; Bradford Golding and Emerson Golding of Danforth; David Golding of Fort Ludlow, Wash; Robert Golding of Boston; George Golding of Indiana, Ohio; Two sisters, Mrs. Ada Harris and Mrs, Rilla Spinney of Danforth, also several nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements are be made

#### DEANE LILLY

Funeral services for Deane Lilly, son of Mr and Mrs. Aaron Lilly of Selden were conducted at the home, Jan 15, by Rev. A. R. Dalbeck. In the news the name was given as Lawrence Lilly, but this was incorrect.

God has called on precious jewels

Still we cannot call it cruel

To that shining home above,

Happy in the Savior's love.

Little Deane how we will miss you,

Daily would we love to kiss you

As we did from day to day

Ere from us you went away,

You to us were but a loan,

God had only called his own

To that bright and shining shore,

There to dwell forever more.

Great is the sorrow that we feel,

Long it will take that around to heal,

Savior help us to bear our pain

Until with him we meet again.

Mr and Mrs. Lilly

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(Newspaper clip with handwritten dates)

JUSTIN TAYLOR

July 1929



## Tragic Death

Justin Taylor of Lisbon, N. H., a traveling salesman for the Hart Schaffner and Marx Clothing Co., of Chicago was instantly killed Thursday afternoon on the Calais Road, when a tire came off a front wheel.

There is a bad stretch of road just before this point and it is presumed this may have been the cause of the accident. Another salesman who had been keeping along near him from Lincoln missed him and went back to find the car wrecked and Mr. Taylor dead.

He telephoned B. S. Green here who knew Mr. Taylor well and he sent the ambulance down the body was brought to Dunn's Undertaking Rooms.

His wife and other relatives were notified.

It is particularly sad as his wife is known to be in frail health, having been removed from a hospital only a few weeks ago. Mr. Taylor was well and favorably known here. Where he has been a regular business caller for ten or fifteen years and his tragic death came as a great shock to his many friends.

## BUNKER - IRISH

1925

### Wedding Reunion

#### A Wedding at Southwest Harbor

SOUTHWEST HARBOR, Sept 5 - Miss Ethel Marion Bunker, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Leslie R. Bunker of Southwest Harbor was united in marriage at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday forenoon to Alvah Thaxter Irish, son of Mr and Mrs. T. B Irish of Danforth, Maine, The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Oscar Lawrence Olsen, Pastor of the Congregational Church and took place at Sutton's Island the summer home of the bride's brother, Prof. Phillip Bunker of Syracuse, NY.

The house was very prettily decorated for the occasion with evergreen trees and cut flowers. The bride was given in marriage from Lohengrin was played by Mrs. Jack Panich of Danforth, a cousin of groom. The bride was very prettily gowned in white silk with lace and a veil with coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of pink sweet peas and baby breath. Her maid of honor was Miss Sarah White of Danforth, a niece of the groom, who wore pink changeable taffeta with hat to match and carried on her arm of bouquet of pink and blue asters, The groom was attended by Harry Bunker a brother of the bride.

The bride graduated from Southwest Harbor School and attended Castine Normal School and has been a very successful teacher at Patten, Maine

The groom is a very able young business man at Danforth.

A reception followed the ceremony which took place on the verandahs which overlooked the beautiful ocean. After which the young couple left in a motor boat for Northeast Harbor where they took their car and will spend a wedding trip in Massachusetts and the White mountains. Mr and Mrs. Irish will reside in Danforth.

The Out of town guests were Mr and Mrs. T. B Irish, Mr and Mrs. Elmer Faulkner, and daughter Margaret, Mr and Mrs. Jack Panich, Mrs and Mrs, Hudson White and son Earl and daughter, Miss Sarah White, all of Danforth. Mrs Marion Weston, Mrs. Oscar L. Olsen, Miss Anna Robinson, Miss Emma Gilley, Miss Pansy Mayo, Mrs. Doris Mitchell, and Mrs. Evelyn Jence of Southwestern Harbor.

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#### GEORGE B. McKECHNIE

Danforth, aug 23, - George B. McKechnie , one of the few survivors of the First Maine Heavy Artillery, died at the Togus hospital Artillery, died at the Togus Hospital Thursday at the age of 88 yeas. He was the last Civil War veteran of Danforth and vicinity. Enlisting when the war broke out he saw service in more than twenty battles as a member of his famous Maine Regiment. His record in the service of his country was a notable one. Of the original 150 men in his Company only two now remain to represent Company I.

Throughout the years since the war Mr, McKechnie retained a keen interest in the Grand Army of the Republic, attending the regimental reunions nearly every year.

His experiences in the conflict were often related by him and enjoyed by his friends of a younger generation. Mr McKechnie observing his 88<sup>th</sup> birthday May 11 and on this occasion was tendered. A party by the McKinney Post of the American Legion, a kindness that was greatly appreciated by the gold gentleman. For many years he took part in the Memorial Day observance, acting as color bearer.

Coming to Danforth several years following his discharge from the army his discharge from the army he made many friends who regret his passing. He took a great interest in community affairs, especially those connected with the Grand Army and American Legion Posts.

He was twice married. His second wife, whom he married here 46 years, died two months ago. A son, G. Blaine McKechnie and five grandchildren of Houlton, survive, He also leaves a brother Edward McKechnie of Brewer.

The funeral services were held at Alton Saturday afternoon, with Interment in the family lot. He was a member of Samuel J. ?? Post of Old Town.

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Charles Putnam died 13 Mar, 1919

Jim Harding died 2 Mar 1919

Helen Davis died 13 Feb 1919

Mrs. Colbroth died 12 Feb 1919

Mr. Moulding died 12 Feb 1919

Mrs. Peck died 29 Dec 1918

Annie Ferrel died 22 Dec 1918

President Roosevelt died 6 Jan 1919

Clara Carr died 16 Jan 1918 (Ruth's girl)

Mr Kyle Mother died 6 Jan 1920

Mr. Littlefield died 8 Jan 1920

Mrs. Nell Irish died 15 Jan 1920 Haynesville

Mr. Barrett died 3 Feb 1920

Mr. Huff boy from pile truck age 18 !8 Feb 1920

Mrs. Robbins died 7 Mar 1921

Mr. Clarence Osgood died 14 April 1921

Mr. Frank Peters Died 21 April 1921

Mrs. Isach Golding died 21 May 1921

Mrs. Charles VanTassel died 21 May 1922

Mr. Tidd died 23 Jan 1921

Mr. Charles VanTassel June 1922

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Charles Ames Boy Maurice got run over and died by Mr. Bubar Car Oct 12, 1920

Two boys Charles Graham and Louis Kinney drowned at the North Lake

in a canoe company with another man, changing places over turned the canoe.

Jul 11. 1912

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#### OTIS D. STINCHFIELD

22 AUG. 1927

Otis D. Stinchfield, son of the late A.P. and Rosilla Foss Stinchfield, died at his home late Monday evening. Aug 22, 1927.

Stricken with disease late last fall he submitted to a surgical operation at Montreal in February, which failed to restore his health. Though surrounded by all that medical attention and loving care could give, he had been a constant sufferer for more than six months, bearing his troubles with Christian fortitude and with the hope that he might finally recover.

Mr. Stinchfield was born in Calais, Oct 15, 1885 , When a small boy, his parents moved to Danforth, where he has since resided. He was a pupil in the grades of this town, but fitted for college at Hebron, from which institution he graduated in 1905, after which he attended the University of Maine, where he was identified with many of the college activities.

In 1913 Mr. Stinchfield was united in marriage with Lois Littlefield, whose devotion to her husband's interests contributed in a large degree, to the marked success of all their undertakings.

In 1916, he became the successor of his father in the dry goods business which had been extended and developed until it is now non one of the largest -concerns of its kind in this section.

Mr. Stinchfield had also been identified with a variety of interest in Danforth, always deeply concerned in the development and advancement of his home town. During the World War he acted as Food Administrator , and for several years he served as Town treasurer and also on the School board.

Mr. Stinchfield was a member of the Houlton Lodge of Elks, also a member of Judith Rebeccah lodge, and of the Nonpareil Chapter of the Eastern Star; of the Danforth Lodge of I.O. O F. He was a 32<sup>nd</sup> Degree Mason

Funeral services were held at the home Thursday afternoon, where a large number of relatives and friends gathered to give expression to sympathy and sorrow. Impressive services were conducted by Rev. I H. Lidstone of Calais, and Rev. T. J Jones of Hampden, former pastors of the M.E. Church and friends of the Deceased. Music was rendered by Mrs. Beth Robinson of Augusta and Mrs .Hollis Scanlin of Weston, with Mrs. P. N. Lyon Accompanist,

The Masonic burial service was conducted by Baskahegan lodge of Danforth. The bearers were left long friends of the decease, Hollis E. Bubar , Robert H, McCready, Varney, A. Putnam, Ernest Gilpatrick, A E, Webber and Guy Rowe,

Interment was made in Danforth cemetery in a beautiful spot, over looking the town which he so much loved and of which his grandfather Seth Stinchfield, had been an early settler. Here beneath a covering of flowers, was laid to rest, a kindly friend, and a good citizen , the last representative in our town of that pioneer family. Danforth, Aug 30, 1927

#### A.P. STINCHFIELD

1926

Danforth, July 29, 1926, In the death of Amaziah P. Stinchfield, at his home in Danforth early on Sunday, the town loses a prominent citizen, and respected resident.

Mr. Stinchfield, was for many years. Postmaster of Danforth and had been in business there for some decades. He is survived by his wife and several children.

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#### MRS ELIZA HICKEY WALLS

Millinocket, Dec 30 - The death of Mrs. Eliza Hickey Walls, 81, occurred at her home in Forest City on Christmas. Mrs. Walls has been an invalid for four years, was loved and respected by al.

She was born in Newcastle, N. B. and married there 71 years ago to Frank Walls. Of their nine children, six passed on before the mother. About 46 years ago Mr and Mrs. Walls came to the states and have since lived in their adopted home.

The funeral services were held in the Methodist church. Forest City, Maine, and were conducted by the Rev. Walter Ramsay of the Baptist church of Forest City, N. B. A trio sang comforting hymns.

Mrs. Walls leaves her husband, Frank Walls, 92 years old, a daughter, Mrs. George Walls of Millinocket: two sons, Howard A. of Worcester, Mass, and James of North Lambert, Maine, 11 grandchildren, and about 20 great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

## WILLIAM PINKERTON

1929

In the death of William Pinkerton which occurred Tuesday, May 2, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Pinkerton, Danforth loses one of it's most highly esteemed citizens. Born in Lynnfield, N. B., Sept 9, 1839, Mr. Pinkerton was the son of Robert and Ellen Scott Pinkerton. He attended school at Lynnfield and in 1864 was united in marriage with Miss Margaret Lindsay of Chamcook, N. B.

They lived at Vanceboro several years ago where the family has always resided.

Twelve children were born to this union. Mrs. Pinkerton dies in 1912 and Mr. Pinkerton went to live with his daughter where he always received the kindest attention and care.

He was closely affiliated with the Methodist Episcopal Church, being received into membership in 1891 and served on board of trustees for years. Throughout his life he was a man of remarkable character and his memory will be cherished in an unusual degree by his associates. His life was that of a Christian and his reward the unquestionable faith of one who, tried to walk humbly with God.

He was a member of the Danforth Orange Lodge. He is survived by nine sons and daughters, Rev. J. Lindsay Pinkerton of Friendship; Mrs. Edith Farady of Bancroft; Mrs. Nellie Jenkins of Danforth ; Mrs. Annie Morse of San Francisco, Cal.; Robert Pinkerton of Millinocket; George C. Pinkerton of Bristol, Conn; Mrs. Alice Pinkerton, Danforth; Miss H. Viola Pinkerton of Boston,

Two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Mundie of Danforth, and Mrs. Nellie Sheldon of Clearwater, Minn. Nineteen grandchildren, twelve great grandchildren.

Rev. A. J. Hamilton, conducted the funeral services at the Methodist Church, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. B W. Hewes, Mrs. Guy Travis and Mrs. A J. Hamilton sang two selections. The large gathering of friends and the profusion of flowers were a testimony of the high regard in which Mr. Pinkerton was held.

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## BYRD BOONE

Funeral Of Byrd Boone, C.P. Engineer,

Held at St. Stephen

Calais, Aug 25 - the funeral of the late Byrd Boone took place from his home on Union street, St Stephen, Saturday afternoon. The services were conducted by the Masonic orders of St. Stephen and McAdam assisted the Rev. R. A. MacDonald of Cumberland Mills, Maine, and the Rev. Banks Robinson of the west. Mr. Boone was 42 years of age. On Tuesday evening he was taken suddenly ill at St. Andrews and was rushed to the Chipman Memorial hospital where he passed away at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday. The cause of his death was a shock.

The deceased was an efficient engineer of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., which position he had faithfully filled for many years. He was a man of high ideals and exemplary character and will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends; not only in the border towns but in the greater part of Charlotte County. He was ever obliging and ready to give a helping hand to those in need.

Mr. Boone was a member of several orders in which he took great interest. He as a member of the Royal Arch Chapter, F. and A. M. of St. Stephen, NB; Ashlar lodge, F. and A. M. of McAdam, NB; Watt lodge of I.O.O.F of McAdam; Division 341, RR lodge, of Woodstock. And Brotherhood Locomotive Fireman and Engineers D.

The pall bearers were two brother engineers, two brother Odd Fellows and two brother Masons.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, who was formerly Miss Georgie Davis of Brock way and one daughter, Miss Edna, and one son, Robert also his mother, Mrs. Albert Boone of McAdam, and three sisters, Mrs. George Guest of McAdam; Mrs. Lewis Vail of Brock way and seven brothers, Walter, of McAdam, William, of Fredericton, Charles of Fredericton, John of Bangor, Beverly of Calais, Dowe of Aroostook, Jct; George, of Quebec.

The flowers, which silently spoke of the love and esteem in which Mr. Boone was held, were many and wonderful, including 17 beautiful large set pieces.

Interment was made in the Rural cemetery at St. Stephen.

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MR and MRS THOMAS J. McMINN

50<sup>th</sup> WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

14 Dec 1929

A very pleasant event took place at the home of Mr and Mrs Thomas J. McMinn Saturday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock when friends joined them in celebrating the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of their marriage in Weston, Dec 14, 1879 by Varney Putnam, Justice of the Peace. Mr. Putnam was expected to be present but could not attend. The marriage ceremony with the single ring

service was impressively performed by Rev. Arthur J. Hamilton, pastor of the Methodist Church. The couple received congratulations and best wishes for many more wedding anniversaries. A social hour followed the ceremony and at 3 o'clock refreshments of ice cream and cake were enjoyed. The refreshments were served by Mrs. David Butterfield, Mrs. Abbie McMinn and Mrs. True Springer. Mar and Mrs. McMinn have 7 teen grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Mrs. McMinn is the fourth member of her family to observe their golden wedding anniversary.

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Took Dr. Love Medicine - Sept 1901

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Mr. Dock Harding died 26 Apr. 1918

Gertie Kneeland Farrier died 1918

Sammie Gilpatrick died 9 Sept. 1918

Willard Kinney boy died in Virginia 8 May 1917

Rex McKinney died in France 17 Nov 1917

Mrs. Isaac Golding died 13 Jan 1916

Mr. Isaac Golding died 21 May 1922

Mr. Geo. E Lane fell from Hay Mow got killed Sept. 1913

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CLARENCE F. HARPER



In MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Clarence Harper,  
Who departed this life January 22, 1927.

Dearest cousin, how we miss thee!

Miss thy presence more and more;

But thou art resting with the angels

On the bright and peaceful shore.

Gone but not forgotten

Cousins Walter and Edith Howe

In sad but loving memory of Clarence F. Harper, beloved son of Mr and Mrs. John Harper, who  
passed away January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1927.

Our lips cannot speak, how we loved you,

Our hearts cannot tell what to say;

God only knows how we miss your

In our home that is lonely to-day.

When the evening shades are falling

And we're sitting all alone,

In our hearts there come a longing-

If you only could come home!

Home is sad without you, Clarence,

Through the house and every spot

Oh! Our hearts are sad and weary

For the voice that we hear not.

We who love you, sadly miss you

As there dawns another year;  
In our lonely hours of thinking,  
Thoughts of you are always near.  
Friends may think we soon forget you  
And our wounded hearts are healed,  
But little do they know the sorrow  
That's within our hearts concealed.  
When the last great call is sounded  
And we gather over there,  
He will meet us over yonder  
Where's he's been in Jesus' care.  
Gone but not forgotten,  
Never shall your memory fade,  
And our thoughts will always linger  
Around the grave where you are laid.  
Sadly missed by his  
Father, Mother and Brothers.  
Lauvina, N.B.

MISS BEULAH DEWITT

May 20, 1922

Miss Beulah DeWitt, the 16 year old daughter of Mr and Mrs Asa DeWitt who has been in ill health the past few years passed away suddenly early Saturday morning. Her funeral was held Sunday afternoon. The sympathy of the community goes out the bereaved family.

ISAAC GOLDING

May 21, 1922

The funeral of Isaac Golding who died Sunday was held Tuesday afternoon at the Baptist church of which he was an earnest member. The Rev. B. C. Bubar of Blaine officiated. The floral offerings were beautiful.

#### JAMES H. NESBIT

May 9, 1929

The death of James H. Nesbit which occurred Thursday, May 9, was a shock to his friends here. Mr. Nesbit was born in Houlton, Aug. 18, 1858, and came to Danforth when a young man.

He was united in marriage with Miss Lettie Ellis in 1879 and six children were born to them. Mrs. Nesbit was a well informed man and his advice was often sought by friends who regret his passing. He served three terms as member of the board of selectmen of this town. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Black Diamond, Wash. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lettie Ellis Nesbit, six sons and daughters, Hartwell Nesbit, of Weymouth, Mass; Perley Nesbit, of Providence; Mrs. Katherine Frost of Melrose, Mass.; Mrs. Roy Christie of Wakefield, Mass., Mrs. Lelia Abbot of Melrose, Mass.; Mrs. Violet Curran of Wakefield, Mass. Two brothers, Oscar Nesbit of Millinocket and William Nesbit of Hodgdon.

Also thirteen grandchildren. Rev. A. J. Hamilton conducted the funeral services at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon. Mrs. B. W. Hewes, Mrs. Guy Travis and Mrs. A. J. Hamilton sang. There was a profusion of flowers and a large gathering of friends of the deceased. The bearers were H. H. Putnam, W. S. Ellis, Guy Rowe, S. C. Dickinson, Oscar Nesbit and William Nesbit.

#### NOTICE

I will not pay any bills contracted by my wife, Marion Nelson, Jr., after this date, July 18, 1925.

Orrin Nelson, Jr. Danforth, Maine.

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#### TOWN NEWS

Students from Danforth high school, Madeline Maxell, Eva Faulkner, Maurice Deering, Harold Bubar and Paul Bartlett, spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Mrs. Zular Bubar has gone to Danforth where she has employment.

MRS. HARRIET (NEALEY) MAXELL

February 10, 1929

The death of Mrs. Harriet Maxell on February 10, 1929 at her home in Orient marked the passing of one of the oldest and most highly esteemed citizens in the community. Until about six weeks before her death she enjoyed her usual good health, and was remarkably active for one of her age, discharging her many household duties, on the farm where she lived with her son Milo Maxell. Deepest sympathy is felt for the members of the bereaved family in the loss of a mother, and especially for the son whose life has been so devoted to her.

Funeral services, at the home on February 13 were in charge of Rev. Cecil Grant of Danforth. Two favorite hymns, "Just as I am" and "In the Sweet By and By" were pleasingly rendered by Mr and Mrs. Hollis Scanlin. The bearers were, Walter Colson, Ulysses Peters, Donald Peters and Robert Peters. The beauty and profusion of the floral tributes, fittingly expressed the high esteem and deep devotion of the many friends and relatives.

The deceased was born on August 10, 1846 in Bucksport, most of her early life was spent in Lee, Maine, where her family moved when she was a child. In 1865 she became the wife of Henry Maxell of Orient who death occurred February 8, 1891. Of the eight children born to his union three have passed to the higher life; Alexis in infancy, Judson, in 1899, and the eldest son Berlin in March 1927. Those who survive are Mrs. Charles Breun of Charleston, Mrs. Chas. Parent of Haynesville, Mrs. Fred McLaughlin of Lincoln, Mrs. Ernest Gilpatrick of Danforth and Milo Maxell of Orient; besides fourteen grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. There remain of her immediate family, one brother Charles Nealey of Lee, and two half brothers, Chesley Lancaster of Lincoln and Everett Lancaster of Portland. Mrs. Maxell was for many years a faithful member of the Baptist Church of Orient, always manifesting a deep interest in the welfare of others. She was the life and inspiration of the social activities, throughout the community, possessed of a spirit of indomitable courage and cheerfulness, regardless of circumstances with a natural unselfishness and devotion to her duty, she lives enshrined in the memory of all who were privileged to know her and love her. In the words of poet Browning we find reflected something of her...

Her brave spirit:-

Grow old along with me,

The best is yet to be,

The 1st of life, for which the first

was made:

Our time's are in His hand.

Who saith "A whole I planned;

Youth shows but half; trust God,

see all

Nor be afraid!"

Then welcome each rebuff

That turns earths' smoothness rough,

Each sting, that bids nor sit nor

stand, but go!

Be our joys three parts pain!

Strive, and hold cheap the strain;

Learn nor account the pang; dare,

never grudge the throe!

And I shall there upon,

Take rest, ere I be gone,

Once more on my adventure, brave

and new;

Fearless and unperplexed

Where I wage battle next,

What weapons to select what armor to indue

So take and use Thy work,

Amend what flaws my lurk.

What strain o' the stuff what war-

pins past the aim

My time be Thy hand!

Perfect the sup as planned!

Let age approve of youth, and death!

Complete the same!

Browning

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#### MR. WILLIAM ELLIS

##### DEER CAUSES ACCIDENT TO HOULTON MAN

Houlton, Sept 27, - William Ellis, assistant local manager of the M/H Fishman Co., is in the Aroostook hospital with a broken arm, a broken nose and badly cut and bruised, the result of an automobile accident which occurred Sunday near Grand Lake. Mr. Ellis was on his way from Calais to his home. With him was Mr and Mrs. Herf of the Calais Fishman store, who was driving the car.

They were, proceeding down a hill when two deer appeared on the road, one ran directly in front of the car. They swerved and the other one headed towards them. Mr. Herf was obliged to hit a rock pile having lost control. The car turned completely upside down; pinning the occupants under.

Other people came along and brought them to the hospital. Mr Herf was not seriously hurt but considerable effort was required to get him from under the car.

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#### DAVID LEE

##### RIVER DRIVER KILLED AS TRUCK

##### CONTAINING 19 OTHERS HIT POLE

David Lee of Wytopitlock, Succumbs to Punctured Lung;

Five Others Injured; Accident Occurs Near Passadumkeag,

While Workman Were on Way Back to Camp

Injuries received in a motor accident when a big truck owned by the Penobscot Development Company of Great Works left the road and crashed into a telephone pole a half mile south of

Passadumkeag village, Monday night around 7:15 o'clock, proved fatal to David Lee, Wytopitlock woodsman, who died at 11 o'clock in the Eastern Maine General Hospital where he was rushed following the tragic crack-up, in which five of his fellow workers were also hurt. Hospital authorities stated that Lee sustained several fractured ribs and that one of them had punctured his lung.

Lee was one of a crew of 20 river drivers, who were being conveyed back to the temporary camp near Passadumkeag after the day's work when the accident that cost him his life occurred. The truck which was carrying the men was operated by Ernest Veno of Stillwater and was towing a heavy trailer loaded down with four river-driving boats, a canoe and a motor boat.

About a half mile south of Passadumkeag village, the heavily laden machine struck a soft place in the highway, which hurled it to the extreme right hand side of the road, where the weight of the heavily loaded trailer forced the truck off the highway, where it crashed into and broke off a telephone pole and came to a halt a short distance beyond amid a scene of wildest confusion. Survivors related vividly the sight that greeted their horrified eyes with 20 mens, boats, equipment and truck strewn about the accident scene.

When those who had escaped the crash unscathed managed to pick themselves up and assist the injured it was found that Lee and five others, Robert Condon of Moro Plantation, Roland Asher, Kenneth Cunningham, Milton Wheaton and Scott Bates, all of Patten were the most seriously injured and three of them were rushed to the Eastern Maine General hospital.

Wheaton sustained a fracture of his right ankle, but his condition was considered favorable and he was reported resting comfortably at the hospital on Tuesday.

Moro was suffering from a deep scalp wound, but after being given medical attention was discharged late last night. Asher was treated at the hospital for a badly bruised right leg and later allowed to return to Passadumkeag. Cunningham and Bates were treated for lacerations and contusions by Dr. M.C. Madden of Old Town and returned to the Passadumkeag wood camp.

The other men who escaped with minor injuries were: Peter Lee, of Howland; Rex Asher, Patten; Allie Dunn, Patten; Kenneth Lee, Sough Bancroft; Orton Finch, Patten; Foreman Smith, Patten; John Nye, Island Falls; Leon Bates, Patten; George LeGrasse, Bancroft; Guy Livingston, Abbot Village; Leo Dunn, Patten; Peter Tuck, Oakfield, Freeman, Lee, Orient.

Officer George Dubay of the state highway police at Old Town, was notified of the accident and made a record run to the scene, where he conducted an investigation of the case and supervised the removal of the injured to the hospital. In his report Officer Dubay stated the accident appeared to be of an unavoidable nature and said that no action is contemplated against the driver.

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## MRS. HOPIA E. FOSTER INCH

Wytopitlock, Sept 16, 1933

Mrs. Hopia E. Foster Inch, 76, wife, of George Sterling Inch of this town, died in the Sisters' hospital, Waterville, Friday. She was born in Hodgdon, the daughter of William O and Isabelle Adams Foster. At the age of 12, her parents moved to Forest City, N.B., where she was educated in the public school. In her youth for many years she was organist and she joined the Baptist church. Later Sunday school teacher in the Methodist church of Forest City. In 1881 she was married in Forest City to George S. Inch. In 1904 the family moved to Wytopitlock, where Mr. Inch was to establish his business. During the past eight years she has lived most of the time with her daughter, Mrs. Herbert L. Newman, 2 West court, Waterville.

Her death came on the 52<sup>nd</sup> anniversary of her marriage. She was kind and hospitable in her home, where young and old found her a friend. Her sympathies were broad and her interest many. Especially near to her heart were the needs of people around her and to those she gave a genuine Christian ministry.

She leaves besides her husband, a son, Clarence Inch, of Wytopitlock; a daughter Alice I. Newman, of Waterville; a brother, Fred Foster, and a sister, Mrs. Carrie Lewis, of Forest City, besides four nephews, three nieces, five grandchildren, three grandnephews, one grandniece and one great-grandniece.

The funeral service is to be in the Methodist church, Forest City, Monday, Sept 18 at 11 o'clock (EST). The officiating clergyman will be Rev. Harold C. Metzner, pastor of the Pleasant Street Methodist church, Waterville.

## JAMES K. BUTTERFIELD

### DANFORTH MAN KILLED WHEN TRUCK UPSETS

Danforth, Aug. 6, 1932, James K. Butterfield, 31, of this town was instantly killed while driving a truck which overturned on the Forest-Brookton road Friday. Two other men with Butterfield were uninjured. The body was taken to Houlton undertaking rooms and funeral services will be held here Sunday.

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## PETER E. KINNEY

DANFORTH, May 13- The death of Peter E. Kinney occurred at his home Saturday after a brief illness. He was born in Danforth and spent his entire life here, highly regarded for his many fine traits of character and his passing will be deplored by his many friends.



He leaves one sister, Mrs. Nellie Mowrey of Danforth; two brothers Daniel Kinney of Bancroft and Martin Kinney of Bangor, nieces and nephews. Funeral services were in St. Anne's church Tuesday morning, Rev. Father Brunell, celebrant.

Among those from out of town were Martin Kinney, Mr and Mrs. Charles Lowe, Mr and Mrs. Gilbert Karnes, Mrs. Margaret Kingsbury and son, Ceylon, all of Bangor; Dan Kinney, James Kinney, Ford Kinney, Mrs. Alice Coro and Mrs. Lizzie LeGrasse of Bancroft.

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#### MRS. LEOLA DAGGETT LEE

29 July 1933

The sudden death of Mrs. Leola Daggett Lee, 40, which occurred in Albion Saturday, came as a shock to her Danforth friends.

Mrs. Lee was born at Portage, Ohio, her parents returning to this town when she was a year old. She was united in marriage with Amos Lee of Bancroft, who survives with eight children.

Mrs. Lee was a devoted mother, and won many friends in her community. The family moved to Pittsfield 12 years ago, later going to Albion. She was a member of the Church of Christ, being baptized by Rev. A.J. Hinds when 14 years of age.

Besides her husband and children, her parent Mr and Mrs. C. M. Daggett, are left to mourn. There are also nine brothers and sisters, Frank, Zeal, Willis and Everett Daggett of Danforth. Mrs. Opal Kelley and Miss Madeline Daggett of Danforth; Mrs. Averill Lee of Bancroft, and Mrs. Beryle Daggett of Bucksport, there are many other relatives.

The funeral services were held in Albion Monday afternoon and were largely attended. Rev. W. A. Burcher of Bridgeport, Conn, officiated. The remains were brought here Tuesday and services were held at Trout Brook Ridge, Tuesday afternoon with Rev. A. R. Dalbeck officiating. Interment was in the Ridge cemetery.

Relatives called to Albion Saturday by Mrs. Lee's death were C. M. Daggett, Miss Annie Spinney, Mrs and Mrs Frank Daggett, Mrs. Opal Kelley, Miss Madeline Daggett, Willis Daggett.

#### CAMPBELL - GILPATRICK

5 OCT 1929

A very pretty autumn wedding took place at the home of Mr and Mrs. Ernest F. Gilpatrick, Saturday evening when their daughter Miss Louise Maxwell Gilpatrick became the bride of Burns Hadley Campbell, son of Mr and Mrs. Bulton W. Campbell of Houlton. The home was

prettily decorated with autumn leaves and flower, a background of autumn colors, gladioli, and asters, making a lovely setting for the ceremony which was performed by Rev Arthur J. Hamilton who used the double ring service. The bride was attractive in a gown of pea green satin and carried bride's roses. She was attended by Mrs. Earl J. Gilpatrick who wore pale blue georgette. Herschel R. Bull of Houlton attended the groom. Following the ceremony a luncheon of chicken sandwiches, coffee, cake and ice cream was served. The young couple left immediately following luncheon and are spending their honeymoon at Cedar Lodge Cottage at Grand Lake. The bride is a popular young lady of Danforth, graduating from the local high school in 1923. She graduated from Washington State Normal School in 1927. Since her graduation she has been a successful teacher. The groom is a graduate of Houlton High School, class of 1923 and is employed by A.E. Holden, Manufacturing Optician of Houlton. They have the best wished of their many friends.

The out of town guests who attended the wedding were Mrs. Rose McFarlane, Mrs. Margaret Campbell, Mrs. Lillian Campbell, Louis Potter, Burns McIntyre, Herschel R. Bull, all of Houlton; Mrs. Lulu Maxwell, Milo; Miss Melissa Moody of Orient.

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## THE END OF WAR

11 Nov. 1919

On the eleventh of November the news was flashed across the sea that the "Imperial Government" of Germany had met the fate which must be that of every country seeking world domination. The armistice proposed by the Allies was signed; without the abatement of one jot or tittle of its righteous terms. After more than four years of the bitterest warfare ever know the forces which started a reign of terror for the world have reached the point of abject surrender. Right is triumphant once more, and we know that justice will be meted to all.

Yet it is hard to realize, at times, that it is over - so far as cessation of hostilities and acknowledged defeat on the part of the enemy are concerned. We had in great measure prepared ourselves to "hold fast" for years, it need be, saving and serving and sacrificing in every loyal way. And now, almost in the twinkling of an eye, peace is declared.

We cannot be too thankful! As a little girl exclaimed. During the excitement, the riotous demonstration of joy that followed the receipt of the message: "We'll have the thankfulness Thanksgiving, and the merriest Christmas, and the happiest New-year ever was!" But in the exuberance of our gladness let us remember how much remains to be done - how much there is for every one of us to do, before real peace - the peace which may not be broken, and which must not be separated from good-will to all humanity, shall brood over the earth. So long as we harbor a trace of enmity in our hearts, so long as we hold aught against our neighbor, so long as we cherish the desire to "get even" with a friend for some real or fancied injury. to long as we deny to another, even in thought , the good we earnestly wish for ourselves, so long as we pass by on

the other side the smallest opportunity to be helpful, excusing ourselves with the reflection that it isn't our affair - so long real peace is not ours. There may be - there is cessation of hostilities, guns have ceased to roar and shells to scream. We say the war has ended; yet it only the beginning of the end. Now it remains for us, for all the peoples of the earth to establish peace.(Author UNK)

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January 1932

Eggs 20, butter 25, pork 10, Oats cal 2 box 25 cornflakes, 3.25 - soap 5 a bar.

Cotton 8 pence 8 thread 12 spools 49 cts.

Lard 3.25 fresh M???? 11 lb, flour 65 - 75 bad

sugar 20 lb 100. Molasses 70 tea 40. 60

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**HIRAM BURR BELDEN**

Many friends of Hiram Burr Belden, will learn with deep regret of his sudden death which occurred at his home 166 Garland Street, early Monday morning. Mr Belden was born in Prentiss, Me, but has been a resident of this city for 20 years. He was formerly employed by the Snow & Neally Co., for two years.

And previous to his death with the Webber Motor Co., for two years. Genial courteous and always considerate he had a wide circle of friends throughout the state. He is survived by his wife Mary Givren Belden, and one daughter, Mary Elizabeth, two sisters, Miss Belle Butterfield of Prentiss, Me., and Miss Grace Butterfield, of Bangor; two brothers, Guy Butterfield, of Drew Plantation and Isaac Butterfield of Massachusetts. Funeral services will be announced.

1920 we paid for goods prices

Print 25. Lard 35, cotton 35, molasses 125

percale 35, butter 65 tea 70 soap 8

gingham 45, eggs 72

pikeay 50, sugar 72

(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

## MARGARET J. FOSTER

### Palmyra Resident Passes at the Age of 92 Years

Newport, June 22, Mrs. Margaret J. Foster, one of the oldest residents of this community, died Wednesday at the home of her son, Frank O. Pray in Palmyra, where she had spent the closing years of her long and active life of 92 years. Mrs. Foster had been ill for a week with pneumonia, but up to the time of her last illness was remarkably active in mind and body and an inspiration in many ways for those with whom she came in contact.

Mrs. Foster, is survived in addition to her son, Frank, by a grandson, Louis O. Pray who lived on the Pray place in Palmyra; by two other grandchildren, Alton C. Pray of Forest City and Mrs. Helen Hall of East Millinocket and by seven great grandchildren. One son died at an early age.

Mrs. Foster was the daughter of William and Mary Pomeroy and was born in St. James, Charlotte County, New Brunswick, in December 1840. She was married in 1862 to Henry A. Pray and lived for a time in Carroll and later in North Lake, N.B., for a few years, then moving to Forest City. Two years ago she came to Palmyra to live when her second son moved there from East Millinocket where she had resided following the death of her second husband, W. O. Foster, in 1917.

Early in life, Mrs. Foster affiliated herself in an active way in the Presbyterian church but when she went to Forest City to live, she joined the Methodist church and became an active member of the denomination, joining the King's Daughters and W. C. T. U. In both of which organizations she was much interested. In her earlier days she was a successful school teacher and always through her life displayed Christian principles that engendered a happy life and many warm friends. Her residence in Palmyra was particularly happy with four generations in the same family all members, of which were devoted to her interests.

A prayer service was held at the home Thursday morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. J. W. Carr of Newport and the body taken to Forest City for funeral Friday at 1:30 p.m., at the home of her grandson, Alton C. Pray, burial to be in the cemetery in that town.

## ARTHUR L. MOODY

16 Nov. 1929

Funeral services of Arthur L. Moody, a respected citizen of Weston were conducted at the late home Monday afternoon. Rev. A. J. Hamilton officiated. Baskahegan Lodge F. and A. M. No. 175 read their burial service. There was a large gathering of friends and a profusion of flowers. P.W. Lyon funeral director, conducted the funeral.

## THOMAS HARPER

2<sup>nd</sup> Dec. 1914

One of our oldest residents passed away suddenly on Dec in the person of Thomas Harper. He was one of the most esteemed and respected farmers of this place and will be much missed by all. He was deacon of the Centreville United Baptist church and was in his 80<sup>th</sup> year.

He is survived by two son, George of St. Stephen and Fred, at home and two daughters, Mrs. Margaret Lois Harper Boone and Mrs. Duncan Boone, both of this place. Also by one brother, Mr Adam Harper, of this place, and one sister, Mrs. Margaret Curtis, of Boston, Mass.

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## MRS. MARGARET PRAY FOSTER

8 Dec 1932

Mrs. Margaret Pray Foster, celebrated her 92<sup>nd</sup> birthday Sunday, at the home of her son and grandson on Libby Hill, where she make her home, in honor of the occasion Mr and Mrs. E. C. Houghton and Mr and Mrs. C. B. Houghton, old friends and neighbors in a former town, were invited for the day. A bounteous dinner was served at noon, and at the table were four generations. Mrs. Foster; her son and wife, Mr and Mrs. Frank O. Pray and her grandson and wife, the host and hostess, Mr and Mrs. Lewis J. Pray and their children. This is not an unusual event to the family, as the four generations make their home under one roof, eating at the same table each day, thus disproving the old adage, that no house can hold two families, a visit making it very apparent that all is in peace and harmony.

Mrs. Foster is unusually active for one of her years, keeping up her interest in the house and the outside affairs of the state and nation. She reads the daily paper, and enjoys good books, reading without the aid of glasses. She hooked a rug in the summer, and had done quite an amount of knitting this fall.

She was pleased to receive a number of gifts, and 40 cards.

Mrs. Foster came here from Forest City, several months ago, with her son and wife, Mr and Mrs. Frank Pray to make their home on the farm with their son and wife, Mr and Mrs. Lewis Pray.

## NIBBS - GIBBS

Wedding

Member of the Houlton B.P.W. club were guests Wednesday evening at one of the most colorful weddings of the season, when Miss Maggie Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Josiah Nibbs, became the bride of Mr. Jacob Gibbs, son of Mr and Mrs. Jacob Gibbs.

Promptly at eight o'clock, to the strains of the Wedding March from Lohengrin, the bridal part approached the altar. All eyes were on the lovely bride as she entered on the arms of her father.

#### WILLIAM G. HEAL

Former Selectman at Weston, Dead

28 Jan 1933

Weston, Jan 28 - The death of William A. Heal, 65, a life-long resident of Weston, occurred Friday following several months' illness. Mr. Heal was a prominent citizen of this town, taking a great interest in all its affairs. He served efficiently as chairman of the board of selectmen for about 15 years. He was a member of the State Legislature several years ago, when he served two terms.

Mr. Heal will be remembered as a kind neighbor and leaves a large circle of friends through the county. He was a member of Danforth lodge, I.O. O. F., and a charter member of Grand Lake grange. He was affiliated with the Baptist Church early in life, being one of its charter members.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Maude Bedell Heal, whom he married in 1889, and five sons and daughters; Mrs. David Brewer of Houlton, Mrs. Henry Lisheness of Bancroft, Edwin Heal of West Compton, N.H., Mrs. Frederick Hendricks of Burlington, VT., and William A. Heal, Jr., of Weston. There are 13 grandchildren. A sister, Miss Harriet Heal of Boston also survives.

The funeral services will be held at the home Sunday afternoon.

#### MOTT PETERS

17 Jan 1904

Weston- Mr. Mott Peters died at his home in Weston., Jan. 17, after a long illness of several months. He had an unusually bright cheerful disposition and was a general favorite of all who knew him. Both young and old. His age of 23, 5 months 15 days. He leaves a father, mother, two brothers, and one sister, who have the sympathy of all, beside a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn his death. The funeral took place from his home and was largely attended. Rev. D. B. Phelan of Danforth, officiated and the Danforth choir sang two appropriate selections.

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#### GOULD REUNION

Aug 15, 1936

Danforth, Aug. 19, - The Gould reunion, which was been held the last few years at the Fosterville Sand Beach, was held Saturday Aug. 15, at the Orange Hall Dining Room, Fosterville, NB

This was the ninth annual Gould reunion of the Mary and Leonard Gould family and their descendants, with a total attendance of 101.

After a sumptuous dinner, the company was called to order by the president, Charles Gould, Newport, Maine, and the following officers elected for the coming year; President J. Hanford Gould, Danforth, Maine; vice-president, Edwin P. Gould, Woodstock, N. B.; secretary Grace F. Gould, Danforth.

A program of readings and songs was enjoyed including an interesting talk by Colonel Elias Wagner, St Petersburg, Florida, and a reading on the life of Mary and Leonard Gould, by Mrs. Annie Gould, PEMBERTON Ridge, N.B., The day closed by singing in unison, There is Sunshine in my Soul ", and "God Be With You Till We Meet Again".

In spite of the steady downpour, all voted the day a pleasant one, and the largest attendance the reunion has yet had.

Those attending were: Mr and Mrs. George Gould, Forest City, N.B.; Colonel and Mrs. Elvin Wagner, St. Petersburg, Florida; Mrs and Mrs. Charles Gould and Daughter, Newport, Maine; Mr and Mrs. Jack Kimball, Oromocto, NB; Mr and Mrs. Grottie Gould and family, Fosterville, NB; Hanford Gould and Grace, Mr and Mrs Lester Wood and family, Mr and Mrs Archie Gould and family, all of Danforth; Mr and Mrs. Edwin Gould and family, Woodstock, NB; Mr and Mrs. James Canterbury station, NB; Mr and Mrs. Smith and son, Waterville, Maine; Mrs. Annie Gould and Mr and Mrs John Higgs and family of Pemberton Ridge, NB; Mr and Mrs Clarence Gould and family and Mrs. White and family of Island Falls, Me.; Elden Gould and family, Danforth; MR and Mrs. Leon Allen and family, Forest Lodge, Me.; Mr and Mrs. Crosby, Hampden Highlands, Maine; Mr and Mrs. Clarence Graham, North Lake, NB; Mr and Mrs. Alfred Howe, Fosterville, N.B.

#### MRS. AMY C. KENNEY

August 26, 1936

Mrs. Any Copley Kenney, 69, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Day, Friday after a brief illness. Mrs. Kenney came to Danforth from Pemberton Ridge, N. B., 14 years ago. Her husband Elias Kenney died eight years ago and since that time she had made her home with her daughter Mrs. Kenney attended the Baptist church and was highly regarded by all who knew her.

She leaves three daughters and sone son, all of Danforth: Mrs. Dudley Harvey, Mrs. Eugene MUNSEY, Mrs. William Day, Samuel ? Kenney; three sisters and one brother;

Mrs. Ada Ferro of Debec, N. B., Mrs. ?? of Fosterville, NB, Mrs. Clara Buckingham of Fosterville, N. B., and Church (?) Cropley of Alberta,

The funeral was at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Day, Rev. C.T. Grant of the Baptist church officiating. There were many floral offerings.

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#### ELIAS KINNEY

Danforth, March 04, 1929

The death of Elias Kinney occurred March 4, at the E.M. G. Hospital, Bangor. Death was due to ether (?) Pneumonia, following two operations. The remains were brought to his home her and funeral services were held March 7 at two o'clock. Rev. Mr. Grant and Rev. Mr. Hamilton officiated. Mrs. Parrich and Mrs. Hamilton sang two beautiful selections. He was buried under the auspices of the Modern Woodmen, the bearers being six men of that order. There were many beautiful floral offerings.

He leaves to mourn his loss besides his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Eugene MUNSEY, Mrs. Wm Day and Mrs. Dudley Harvey; one son Samuel, three bothers, Harrison, Lyman and Willard, and three sisters. His age was 66 years. Danforth, March 19, 1929

#### ALRICK G. DEWITT

1929

Alrick G. DeWitt died suddenly from heart failure, Monday at his home, 381 Main street, at the age of 42 years. Mr. DeWitt was a barber and had been a resident of Bangor fro the past two years, coming here from Milford. He made a number of friends during his residence in Bangor who will learn of his death with regret. He is survived by his wife, Florence A.; also by three young children, Mary, Annie and Arthur. Funeral services will be held at the residence Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and the body will be taken to Mattawamkeag for interment.

#### SILAS WHITE

Oct. 23, 1929

Funeral services of Silas White whose death occurred in Boston Wednesday, Oct. 23, 1929, were held at the late home Saturday afternoon. Baskahegan Lodge, F. and A.M. No. 175 conducted the burial service with J. Arthur Haley, acting, master and Rev. A.J. Hamilton, chaplain. There was a large gathering of friends who paid their last respect to a prominent citizen. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. Interment was in the family lot of Riverside cemetery.



The out of town relatives who were called here by the death of Silas White were Miss Sadie White of Stetson; Miss Phyllis White of Fairfield, Mr. John White of Guildford and Mrs. Frank White of Bangor.

Miss Isa B. Putnam of Colby College was called here to attend the funeral of her uncle, Silas White.

#### MRS. MARY HARDING CARSON

1932

Danforth, Feb. 11 - Prayers for Mrs. Mary Harding Carson, whose death occurred in Albion, were held there Monday afternoon, by Rev. Cecil Grant and were attended by many Danforth friends of the deceased. The bearers were Frank T. Carson, P. Woodbury Carson, Ernest Frye and Donald Harding. There was a profusion of flowers and by organizations of which she was a member. Interment was in the family lot here.

Mr and Mrs. Frank F. Carson of Portland, Mr and Mrs. Ernest Frye of Albion and Mr and Mrs. P. Woodbury Carson, of Bangor attended the funeral of Mrs. Carson in Albion Sunday and accompanied the remains here Monday where prayers were held.

#### MR. SCHENCK

The man who owned the mills of Millinocket Mr. Schenck. The activities of Mr. Schenck in the development of the manufacture of newsprint paper were far-flung and included the construction and operation of mills in the states of Washington, Wisconsin and Minnesota as well as in our own state. He was an inventor in the pulp and paper world as well as a builder and an operator. In Maine his business acumen and willingness to back his judgement with his money were responsible for the erection of mills at Rumfor, Orono, South Brewer and those great memorials to his constructive' genius, the splendid mills of the Great Northern Paper Co. at Millinocket and East Millinocket.

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#### REV. CECIL GRANT FAREWELL

Farewell Reception for Pastor is Held at Danforth Church.

Danforth, May 19 - The Rev. Cecil Grant was guest of honor at a surprise party arranged by Miss Anna Tracy and the Rev. George Hammond, in the club room of the Baptist church, following the regular prayer service.

Upon entering the club room. Mr. Grant found a large group of friends from the other churches of the larger parish as well as Danforth.

The Rev. George Hammond of Haynesville, Mr. Grant's able assistant in the larger parish, was master of ceremonies. Mr. Hammond introduced Mrs. Oscar Maxell of Orient, who presented Mr. Grant with a beautiful Viking ship laden with gifts from friends in that community.

Mrs. O. B. Patchell of Witopitlock presented Mr. Grant with a May basket of useful gifts attached to spring flowers. Miss Anna Tracy, who presented him with a May basket filled with flowers having gifts filled attached to each from Danforth friends. F. H. Rollins presented Mr. Grant a basket of gladiolas with gifts at the roots from Haynesville friends.

Mr. Hammond represented friends from Forest Station, Glenwood, Selden and Bancroft and presented pretty May Baskets from each community to Mr. Grant. Mr. Hammond enumerated the many activities that Mr. Grant has been engaged in during his nine and one-half years' residence in this parish. Mr. Grant responded with much feeling in behalf of himself and his mother, who has been his constant helper.

Mr. Hammond requested Mr. Grant, who is a gifted singer, to sing one song. He responded by playing his own accompaniment and singing. "Make Somebody Happy Today." Refreshments were served and games were enjoyed. Mr. Hammond led the singing with Mr. Grant at the piano.

Mr. Grant a former resident of Fredericton, N. B. came to Danforth from Haynesville in December, 1928. During his service here he has organized the boys' club, the personality group, and founded the young people's conference.

Each summer with the aid of his sister, Glenna, now Mrs. George Hammond, and a corps of workers, he had conducted a vacation Bible School in each community. He has been active in the Masonic Order and is worthy patron of the Nonpareil chapter, O.E. S.

He has united 100 couples in marriage and officiated at 184 funerals. There has been a substantial increase in church membership under his guidance. Mr. Grant was honored at a supper given by the personality group. Who presented him with a subscription to the Reader's Digest. The boys' club presented their leader with a sum of money, Members of the Eastern Star gave Mr. Grant and his mother, Mrs. Grant, a farewell party at their lodge room Friday evening.

Mr. Grant has moved to Phillips, and with his mother will assume his duties in his new pastorate at once, followed by the good wishes of everyone in this parish.

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PEMBERTON RIDGE, N.B.

Sept. 19, 1933

Pemberton Ridge, N. B. Sept 19 - Mr and Mrs Clyde Ellingwood and two sons, and Clifford Irish of Bancroft, Me., were guests of Mr and Mrs. Guy Luman on Sunday.

Mrs. William Gould spent a week recently with relatives at Danforth and Haynesville, Me.

Th school children enjoyed a holiday on Monday owing to the illness of their teacher, Ralph Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. King of New Bedford, Mass, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. J. Blanchard. Forest City.

A service was held in the school house here on Sunday afternoon by Clyde Ellingwood of Bancroft, Me.

Miss Villa Cropley has returned from a visit with relatives at Bancroft, Me. And is staying a few weeks with Mrs. William Gould.

Mr and Mrs. John Higgs, Mrs. William Gould, Mrs. L.D. Harvey and Laurel Higgs attended the funeral of Mrs. George S. Inch at the Methodist Church, Forest City, Me., on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Inch was a former resident of Forest City and was known and loved by a large circle of friends in this section. Mr. Inch was a storekeeper at Forest City for many years, then they removed to Wytotpitlock, Me, and later went to live with their daughter, Mrs. Herbert Newman at Waterville, Me. Mrs. Inch passed away in the hospital at Waterville after a few weeks illness and her remains were brought back to her old home for burial. The esteem in which Mrs. Inch was held was attested by the large congregation assembled on Monday to pay their last tribute of respect and by the great wealth of beautiful flowers.

#### LEE - WOOLEY

##### Marriage

A marriage of local interest will take place in New York Saturday when Miss Phyllis Lee of this town will become the bride of Albert Wooley of Long Branch, N. J. Following a trip to the west the couple will reside at Long Branch. Miss LEE is the daughter of Mrs. A. E. Lee and has been a popular teacher in Long Branch for several years.

#### Mrs. TEMPLE SCOTT ELLIS

1933

Danforth, Dec. 26 - The death of Mrs. Temple Scott Ellis, 72, which occurred Friday Evening following a long illness is deeply deplored by friends. Mrs. Ellis was the daughter of Henry and Nancy Lance Scott and resided in this town throughout her entire life.

She was united in marriage with Winfield Ellis in 1881. Mrs. Ellis death occurred a year ago.

In the passing of Mrs. Ellis the community loses a most respected citizen, on whose interest in the town was manifested by the lending of moral support to every enterprise for its betterment.

Although she leaves a few friends of her generation she will be missed by a host of younger friends.

Mrs. Ellis became a member of the Methodist church when a young woman and during her life her faith was exemplification of that of a true Christian. She was always a regular attendant at church and later retained a great interest in its work when it became impossible for her to attend services.

She was a member of the Order of the Golden Cross. She leaves a son and a daughter, Harvey j. Ellis of Dixfield and Mrs. Fannie P. Harding of Danforth. Also a sister, Mrs. Sarah Huff of Danforth, Harold Harding, a grandson and several nephews and nieces are left.

The funeral was held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon.

#### WHITNEY - MCKINNEY

##### Marriage

George H. Whitney of North Newport and Miss Rae McKinney of Corinna were married Saturday evening, Oct. 7, at the Methodist parsonage. Newport, by Rev. J. W. Barr, the pastor of the Newport Methodist church.

They were accompanied by Warren R. Whitney, brother of the groom and Miss Olive McKinney of Corinna, sister of the bride.

The double ring service was used. Mr. Whitney is the elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis G. Whitney of North Newport, a graduate of C.U.A. in '27, being a honor student and the winner in the junior prize speaking.

Mrs. Whitney is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt McKinney of Morse's Corner, Corinna.

They are both very popular among their friends. They will reside in Corinna village where Mr. Whitney has employment in the woolen mill.

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#### RUSSELL AKERLEY

Oct. 1937

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Akerley was filled with friends Wednesday afternoon, at the funeral services of their son, Russell Akerley, 18 years and a fine young man whose untimely death is deplored. Rev. Walter Pavy, pastor of the Methodist church officiated, assisted by Rev. Cecil T. Grant, Baptist pastor. One hymn was sung by Dr. S. D. Springer and Mrs. P. W. Lyon.

There was a great profusion of floral tributes among them being pieces from the High School class of 1937, Danforth Band, and the Methodist church school. The bearers were six schoolmates, Archie Travis, Byron Cowan, Donald Golding, Franklyn Ervin, Otis Spinney, Buddy Robertson.

Relatives who came to attend the funeral were Mr and Mrs. Bernard Walls and family, Forest City; Mrs. Alton Pray, East Millinocket; Mrs. Charles Grass and son, Lincoln; Mrs Bernice Colwell, Grace Nason, Brookton; Mrs. Herbert Thompson and family, Mapleton; William Akerley, Mars Hill; Mr and Mrs. William Glidden, and daughter, Princeton; Blain Pendleton, Hartford, Conn.; Otis Davis, Castine,

#### EASTMAN - PORTER

##### Marriage

Kennebuck, Feb 15 - At the Congregational parsonage at High noon today, Miss Alice V. Eastman, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Carl Eastman of Brighton, Mass. And Joseph W. H. Porter of Kennebuck, were married by the Rev J. Wesley Prince. Who used the single ring service. The bridesmaid was Miss Beatrice Eastman, a sister of the bride and Francis Putnam of Cambridge, Mass. Was the best man. Others present at the service were Mrs. Putnam and Benjamin Serintino of Cambridge.

Mr. Porter, a graduate of Caribou High School, who was awarded the degree of Ph C from Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, is the son of Mrs. Alice Porter and the late Dr. J. W. H. Porter, of Caribou.

He is employed at the local pharmacy. Mrs. Porter was graduated from Brighton High and did special work at the school. They will make their home on Brown Street.

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#### BETTY BROOKS

July 1933

Forest City, Me, July 19-(AP)\_ Betty Brooks, two-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs. Waldo Brooks of this town, drowned here Tuesday when she fell from a wharf while playing alone.

The body was recovered.

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Forest City is located on the northern tip of Washington County, 57 miles northwest of Calais.

## VANTASSEL-BOONE

Oct 19, 1933

Green mountain, N.B. Oct 24.-A marriage of interest was solemnized at Amity, Me., on Thursday evening. Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> when Justice of the Peace Mrs. Elmer Bubar united in marriage Miss Gladys VanTassel, daughter of Mr and Mrs Alan VanTassel of Green Mountain, NB, and John B. Boone, son of Mr and Mrs. Harvey Boone of Green Mountain, N.B.

The bride was becomingly gowned in a dress of navy blue flat crepe wit beige trimming's and matching accessories. The marriage was witnessed by Clarence Boone, brother of the groom and Mrs. Clarence Boone of Green Mountain, N.B.

Following the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents where a charivari was given the young couple. Their many friends wish them happiness in the future. They will reside at Green Mountain.

## LEE - WOOLY

Nov. 25, 1933

Danforth, Nov 28 - News has been received here of the marriage of Miss Phyllis Lee of 127 Dunbar avenue, Long Branch, N. J., formerly of Danforth, and Albert Wooly of Long Branch at the Little Church Around the Corner in New York City on Nov. 25 at 4 p.m. They were attended by Miss Marjorie Lee sister of the bride and Milton Schwartz, Rev. Randolph Ray, D.D., officiated. After a brief honeymoon in Chicago Mr and Mrs. Wooly will reside on Rockwell avenue, Long Branch.

## ORRIN J. RUSSELL

Many friends attended the funeral of Orrin J. Russell which was held at the home Friday afternoon, with Rev. Philip H. Lush officiating. Two selections were sung by Dr. S. D. Springer. The bearers were W. G. Spinney, Augustus Harding, Lindsay and Lyle Schillinger. There was a profusion of flowers. Relatives who were called here by Mr. Russell's death were; Mrs. Bernice M. Smith of Brookline, Mass., Mrs. Cora Decker Bridgham of Leimester, Mass., Mrs. Lucy Carr of Macwahoc, Mr and Mrs. W. R. Dresser and son Walter of Calais.

## MRS. CAROLINE NEAL

1933

Danforth, Dec 17 - The friends of Mrs. Caroline Neal regret to learn of her death which occurred Monday at the age of 46 years. Mrs. Neal was born in Lindsay, Ontario, a member of a family of several children. Upon her marriage to Samuel Neal of Eaton in 1901, Mrs. Neal came to Danforth to reside, where she leaves many friends.

She is survived by her husband and a son, Donald O. Neal. Two sisters, Mrs. Annie Lawrence of Ludlow, VT. The funeral services were held at the home Wednesday afternoon, Rev. P.H. Lush officiating.

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By Pearl Howe

Went to B.C. 5 Sept. 1925

25 Nov. 1924

Harry Williams shoot Ward Foster's two girls at Grand Parks in his camp and took they took him down to Fredericton 26 Nov, 1924 and later they hung him.

14 April 1912 the Titanic Sank with 1,200 on board.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

Mr. Eloch Boone died 1922 age 96

Mr. Earnest Russell died 20 June 1922

Will Welsh died J.L. Fosters 3 July 1922

Mr. Tom Brown died 8 Mar 1922

Mr. Osias Carr died 16 Nov. 1922

Mr. Jimmie Day died 21 Dec 1922

Mr. Dan McLaughlin died 15 Apr 1922

Mrs. Dolbeck died 22 Dec 1922

Mrs. George VanTassel died 18 Feb 1923

Grammy Powell died 13 Mar 1923

Mrs. Bill Ben Foster died 26 Apr 1923

Mrs. All Stoddard died 1 Dec 1924

Mrs. John Emery died 6 Mar 1928

Mrs. Charles Wilson died 20 June 1923

Mrs. Osgood died 10 Sept 1923

Raspberry died at Orient, 28 Mar 1923

Two men drowned 28 Aug 1923

Mrs. Will Stinchfield died 7 Nov 1923

Inez Golding died scarlet fever 11 Mar 1923

Elsie Gilpatrick died 29 Mar 1924

Mrs. Gilits boy thrown on Horseback 15 Jun 1924

Mr. Frank Smart died 14 Oct 1924

Mrs. Horace Deering Scanlin died 27 Nov 1924

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

#### DELBERT MITCHELL

30 Jan 1934

Delbert Mitchell, 57, of Danforth, died Tuesday in a Bangor hospital after a brief illness. Mr. Mitchell was born in Haynesville, the son of Charles and Abbie Moody Mitchell, and resided in that town until six years ago when he moved to Danforth. He had been in the potato business for the past 25 years in Aroostook County.

He leaves his wife, Effie Mitchell, two daughters, Edith Puck and Agnes Panich, both of Danforth; a brother, Archie Mitchell of Haynesville; three sisters, Josephine Decker of Wrentham, Mass., Abbie Mecham of Williams town, Mass., and Jennie Gilpatrick of Danforth, also two granddaughters and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Mitchell, who was a member of the Danforth Lions' club, made of host of friends in his business capacity in Aroostook county, was of pleasing personality, sympathetic nature and great generosity. He was always ready with a helping hand for the needy and unfortunate. He was a very successful business man and his keen judgement was often consulted.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.



## MRS. ANNIE HALEY

1934

Danforth, Jan 23, 1934 - Funeral services of Mrs. Annie Haley were held Monday afternoon at her home in Brookton. Rev Philip H. Lush officiated. The bearers were Fred Lyons, Edward Clough, H H. Putnam and B. E. Palmer.

Mrs. Haley had been a resident of Danforth since 1907, when she came here with her husband who was employed by H. H. Putnam and later by the Baskahegan Company. She was united in marriage with J. Arthur Haley forty years ago, and they resided at Brookton for some time. Mrs. Haley was born in Hodgdon and the earlier part of her life was spent in that town and Linneus.

She was a member of Nonpareil Chapter, Order of Easter Star. Mrs. Haley won many friends here and her passing is regretted by them.

Besides her husband, she leaves a daughter, Mrs. Jennie Welch of Newburyport, Mass. And several grandchildren. A number of nephews and nieces live at Linneus.

## DANIEL EDWIN HUFF

Danforth, March 14 - The many friends of Daniel Edwin Huff regret to learn of his death, which occurred Friday, four days following his 75<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Mr Huff was the son of Robert and Matilda (Lane) Huff and was born in Cooper, Me., March 5, 1859. His parents came to this town when he was four years of age and with the exception of several years spent in the South Mr. Huff lived in this vicinity during his entire life.

In 1887 he married Grace G. Thompson of Drew, who died in 1896. He married Clara A. Perry of Winterport, in 1899, and is survived by her.

Besides his wife, Mr. Huff leaves three children, Mrs. Charles Taber of Augusta; Basil L. and Alice Huff of Danforth, also a brother, Abner H. Huff of Danforth. A son, Gerald G. Huff, died in 1920. He leaves four grandchildren, Virginia Taber, Linwood, John and Grace Huff, and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Huff was known and honored by a large circle of friends. He disliked sham and hypocrisy, and was a man of integrity and square dealing. He was a member of Baskahegan lodge, F. and A. M. Masonic services were held Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church.

## LEON AUGUSTIN HARDING

25 Oct. 1930

The death of Leon Augustin Harding occurred on Saturday afternoon in a local hospital after a brief illness, at the age of 51. He was a well known traveling salesman, born in Danforth and a resident of that town until coming to Bangor two years ago.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Fannie E. Harding and a son, Harold H. Harding; also two brothers, Llewellyn Harding, of Bangor and Don Harding of Danforth. He was a member of Baskahegan lodge F. And A.M. of Danforth. Many friends in all this section will regret his death.

Funeral services were in the Methodist church in Danforth at two o'clock, Monday afternoon.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

LAUVINA, N.B.

Lauvina, Nov 27 - A quiet wedding took place at the Methodist parsonage in West Saint John by the Rev. F.H. Littlejohn when Marion Audrey daughter of Mr and Mrs. Edwin Tibbitts became the bride of Walter Morley Howe, eldest son of Mr and Mrs. Stanley C. Howe, of Lauvina, N. B.

The happy couple left for Montreal on their wedding tour and on their return will reside at Oromocto. Mrs. Howe, mother of the groom. Edith Howe, sister of the groom and Mrs. Fred Boone motored to Fredericton Junction to see the bride and groom en route to Montreal.

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Miss Helen Boone, who is attending Fredericton Junction High School, spent the week-end with her parents of this place.

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Miss Margaret Harper has returned home after spending the week in Fredericton, guest of Mrs. Dellas Brewer.

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Miss Harper with friends, motored to Saint John on Tuesday last and spent the day with friends there.

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The many friends of Manzer Carr will regret to learn he is confined to his home through illness.

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Roy Drummond suffered a severe cut in his hand while in the lumber woods of Chipman.

### ELLA HEFFREN

1 Dec 1931

Miss Ella Heffren passed away Dec 1, having suffered a stroke of paralysis only a week previous to her death. Miss Heffren has made her home with her niece. Mrs. Hosea Oldenburg a greater part of the time for a number of years, where she will be greatly missed. She was a woman of sterling character, her kindly ways, endearing her to many in this town. She was a faithful attendant to church and Sunday school. Friends extend sympathy to the relatives in their hour of sorrow.

### FRANK DAMM

Friends of Frank Damm are sorry to learn of his illness at the home of his son. Bernard Damm in Burlington.

### CHARLES CROPLEY

1934

Funeral services of Charles Cropley, 64, of West Danforth, were held Friday afternoon at the Lyon Funeral Home. Rev. Cecil J. Grant officiated. The bearers were four sons. George, Vinal, Wesley and Grover Cropley.

Mr. Cropley was born in Orient, coming to Danforth with his parents when quite young. For the past thirty-five years he and his family have resided at West Danforth, where Mr. Cropley was engaged in farming and lumbering. He will be missed as a kind neighbor and man of square dealing.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Frances Cropley, and nine sons and daughters. They are George, Alvin, Wesley, Grover, Clarence, Everett and Vinal Cropley, Mrs. Ruth Young and Viola Cropley. There are 28 grandchildren. Two sisters also survive, Mrs. Ida Farrell of North Lake, N.B. and Mrs. Amy Kinney of Danforth.

### WILLIAM MACDONALD

26 March 1932

Restaurant Man. William J. MacDonald died on Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Marion Jeffrey, 80 Larkin street. He was a resident of Danforth for many years and had been in Bangor for the past six months recovering from an operation of a year ago, the end coming suddenly. His age was 74 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Catherine MacDonald; his daughter, Mrs. Jeffray, and his sister, Mrs. Catherine Jenkins, besides nieces and nephews. The funeral will be in the Catholic church at Kingman at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

Old Mrs. Daggett died 1 Dec. 1924

Mr. H. Bennet died 8 Dec 1924

Grammy Tiyebedeau died 16 Dec 1924

Old Mrs. Earl died 27 Dec 1924

Mr. John Heal died heart trouble 26 Oct 1924

Maggie Collier died 14 Aug 1924

Maud McMinn's girl died 24 Sept 1924

Mrs. Rollins died 15 Jan 1925

Charles Dewyre died 15 Jan 1925

Mr. Grand Gilpatrick died 6 Feb 1925

Mr. Brame Price died 10 Aug 1925

Mrs. Asa DeWitt? died 4 Aug 1925

Mrs. John L. Foster died 23 Aug 1924

Mrs. Mede Davis died Nov 1928

John Harper ? died 1925

Hannah Kelley's boy died 1925

Mrs. Varney died Ell River 16 March 1926

Guy Powell died in Florida, brought him home 20 Oct 1926

Mr. O Darling died 24 Oct 1926

Mr and Mrs. Will White burned to death 29 Oct 1926

Mr. Will Springer died 1926

Mrs. Alexander Boone died 29 March 1927 - age 89

Mr. Joe Anderson died 10 June 1923 age 90

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

MAURICE L. McMINN

Nov 26, 1934

Danforth, Dec 3 - The death of Maurice L. McMinn, 41, which occurred Nov. 26, is regretted by friends. Mr. McMinn was the son of Thomas and Emily McMinn and was born at Brookton. He attended the public schools here and was graduated from Danforth High school in the class of 1911. He was employed by companies as a scaler and grader of lumber, and was held in esteem by his associated.

Besides his parents he leaves two sons and a daughter; Dean and Richard McMinn and Miss Barbara McMinn of Los Angeles, Cal. There are three brothers, Frank C. McMinn of Brewer; Ross D. McMinn of Akron, Ohio; Lewis S. McMinn of Masardis. Also several nephews and nieces.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of his parents. Rev. Philip H. Lush officiated and the bearers were, Frank C. McMinn, Lewis S. McMinn, Fred Butterfield and H. T. Springer. There were many floral tributes.

ALFRED A. STODDARD

Orono, Sept 27 - Alfred Albert Stoddard, well known resident of Orono, died at the home of his son, Adrian Stoddard, 34 Middle street. Thursday morning at the age of 76 years after a few weeks illness.

Mr. Stoddard was born in Barin, resided in Eaton for many years, and had been a resident of Orono for the last six years. He was a member of the Masonic lodge of Danforth and of the Methodist church here. He was a devoted husband and father and kine neighbor and leaves a host of friends who will deeply mourn his loss.

Surviving are four sons, LeRoy , Victor, Ernest all of Easton and Adrian of Orono; a sister Miss Alice Stoddard of Baring and a half brother, George Thompson , of Lubec. His widow, Nellie Davis Stoddard died several years ago.

The funeral will be held at the Eaton Methodist church Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Eaton.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

Mrs. ANNIE M. CLARK

1934

Danforth, March 3,- Friends on both sides of the Border regret the passing of Mrs. Annie M. Clark, 68, of Forest City, N. B., which occurred Saturday, Mrs. Clark was born in Meductic, N. B., coming to Forest City after her marriage to G. Herbert Clark, who survives.

Mrs. Clark's loving devotion to her family and interest in the community at large, won for her the esteem and admiration of her many friends. She was a member of the Forest City Baptist church, Besides her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Herbert Christie of Harvey Station, N.B. and a son, George Clark of Forest City, Three brothers and a sister are also left, William of Old Town: Burns of Sherman Mills; John, of North Lake, N.B.; and Mrs. Ida Foster, of North Lake.

Rev. Cecil T. Grant of Danforth officiated at the funeral services, which were held at the home Monday morning.

Mrs. MINNIE M. INGLIS

19 Oct 1933

Danforth, Oct, 19 - The death of Mrs. Minnie M. Inglis, 76, occurred Wednesday, following an injury received a few weeks ago and is deplored by many friends here. Mrs. Inglis was born at Frost Village, Quebec, coming to this town with her husband and family thirty years ago. Since the death of her husband eight years ago, Mrs. Inglis had resided with her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Faulkner.

When a young woman she became a member of the Episcopal church at Forest Village, and the faith of a Christian was exemplified throughout her life. She was a regular attendant of the Methodist church here, and was a member of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church.

A son and a daughter are left to mourn. They are Sydney Inglis of San Francisco, Cal., and Mrs. Elmer Faulkner of Weston. She leaves seven grandchildren. Two brothers and a sister, B. E. Parker of Danforth, Pliny Parker of San Diego, Cal., and Mrs. Harriet McIntosh of Brownsville, Jct., survive.

The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the home of her daughter Mrs. Faulkner.

Relatives who arrived Wednesday called by Mrs. Inglis' passing were Mrs. John M. Parker, Earl St John Parker of South Portland; Mr and Mrs. George Lydick of Waterville, and Mrs. Harriet McIntosh of Brownsville.

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Vinal Logan died 25 June 1923

Harry Collins died 21 Oct 1923

John Dewitt went crazy 2 Aug 1920

Mr. Sam Rowe died May 1926

Otis Stinchfield age 64, died 22 Aug 1927

A.P. Stinchfield age 64, died 29 July 1926

Mr. Robert Lutz died 21 May 192y

Mr. Joe Bubar died 20 Oct 1927

Mrs. William Kingston died 1930

Mrs. Hewes's brother died 1929

Mr. Byron Tupper died 1929

Mrs. Frank Smart died 1930

Mr. George A. Smart died 2 July 1927

Mr. John Curtis died 31 Jan 1918

Mrs. Silas White died 12 Jan 1918

Morris McLaughlin died 6 Feb 1918

Mrs. James Tidd died 7 Mar 1921

Mrs. Dell Robbins died 11 Mar 1920

Mrs. John Emery died 6 Mar 1920

Mr. Carson died 1917

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DELBERT MITCHELL

30 JAN 1934

The Baptist church was filled with friends Thursday afternoon when funeral services of Delbert Mitchell were held. Rev. Cecil T. Grant officiated and was assisted by Rev. Phillip Lush. Two selections were rendered by a quartet composed of Rev. Homer W. Grimes, Dr. S.D. Springer, Mrs. Hollis Scanlin and Miss Katherine Buxton. There was a great profusion of floral pieces, many of which were sent by friends with whom the deceased had been associated in business. The bearers were H. W. Hodnett, H.H. Putnam, Lewis Huff, Frank E. Trafton and Dr. R.H. McCreedy. Among the relatives and friends attending the funeral were: Mrs. Abbie Meacham, Williams town, Mass., Mrs. Christopher Decker, Wrentham, Mass.; Charles Mitchell, Melrose, Mass.; Agnes MacPherson, Waltham, Mass.; B. S. Green, Houlton; W. R. Dresser, Calais; Simeon Bell, Woodland; Wilbur Harding, Hodgdon; Mr and Mrs. Archie Mitchell, Mr and Mrs. Guy Brannen, Burleigh Irish, Clayton Malone, Llewellyn Bedell, Llewellyn

### HAROLD A. BUBAR

6 Oct. 1927

Friends of Harold A. Bubar were grieved to learn of his death which occurred Oct. 6. Following a long illness. "Joe," as he was better known was the son of Ambrose and Harriett Bubar, born at Orient, April 13, 1892, attending school in that town and also being a member of the Baptist church of Orient. Later he moved to Danforth where he was associated with the Standard Oil Co. and since the war with the Danforth Grocery Co., filling both places efficiently.

In 1922 he was united in marriage with Miss Merlie Morse who attended his constantly during his illness ministering faithfully to every need.

Besides his wife, Merlie E. Bubar he leaves behind a son, Harold, a child by former, marriage; his mother, Mrs. Harriett Bubar; two brothers. Payson Bubar of Wytopitlock and Hollis Bubar of Danforth and four sisters, Mrs. Sullah Brackett, Miss Miriam Bubar, Miss Myra Bubar and Mrs. George Drisko.

He was a member of the Danforth Lodge I.O.O.F and Judith Rebekah Lodge which attended and officiated at his funeral services together with Rev. B. C. Bubar of Blaine who gave a beautiful record of his life and read extracts from his diary concerning his baptism and connection with the Christian life. The flowers were most profuse and beautiful a symbol of his esteem and manhood.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

Easter Sunday comes on different months of the year the reason is first full moon after the sun crosses the line the Ocnocigale is Easter Sunday.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

### Mr. DAVID KIRKPATRICK

Happy Day for 86 Yea Old Weston Resident

Danforth, Dec 26, 1933 - A happy gathering took place at the home of David Kirkpatrick in Weston Friday evening, when 30 relatives and friends tendered Mr. Kirkpatrick a party in honor of his 86<sup>th</sup> birthday. Although the part was a surprise to the guest of honor the evening was greatly enjoyed by him as well as by those present. Refreshments which included three birthday cakes were served during the evening. Many gifts were received from relatives and friends. Several of whom were unable to be present to offer congratulations.

Although he is one of the oldest citizen in this vicinity, Mr. Kirkpatrick is very active, enjoying the best of health. During the summer he engages in work on his farm which he has occupied for over 50 years.

He was born in Sunbury County, N.B. coming here when a young man he was employed on the railroad which was then being put through from Bangor to St. John.

He has been married three times. His first wife whom he married in 1876 was Rebecca Moore and they had three children. They are Mrs. H. A. Powell of Lincoln, Frank and John Kirkpatrick of Portage. Some time following his wife's death he was united in marriage with Ida Laskey Faulkner whose death occurred in 1912. A Step-son Elmer Faulkner resides in Weston. In 1915 Mr. Kirkpatrick was married to Florence Salter. They had three daughters, Dorrina, Abbie and May. There is a step-son and daughter, Stuart Salter and Florence Gillis.

He is a member of the Methodist church here and has served as a member of the official board for many years. He is a member of Silver Bar Grange.

### DELBERT MITCHELL

30 Jan 1934

Delbert Mitchell, widely known potato and fertilizer dealer of Danforth, passed away at the Eastern Maine General hospital, Tuesday morning at the age of 58 years after a lingering illness. He was well known throughout this section of the state and his many friends will deeply deplore his passing.

He was born in Haynesville. Surviving are his widow Mrs. Effie (Laskey) Mitchell, two daughters, Mrs. Edith Tuck and Mrs. Agnes Patrick, both of Danforth; two brothers and three sisters and by several grandchildren, nephews and nieces. The time of the funeral will be announced.

### LEROY SPRINGER

1934

#### Well Known Employee of Bangor Hydro Co. Passed Away

Many friends of LeRoy Locke Springer, well known and highly respected resident of Bangor, will learn with deep regret of his death, which occurred Wednesday morning at the Eastern Maine General hospital after a short illness at the age of 67 years.

Mr. Springer was born in Danforth, moving to Bangor in early manhood and residing here until his death. He was for many years employed by the Maine Central Railroad, being conductor on the Bar Harbor line. More recently was affiliated with the Bangor Hydro-Electric Company, remaining actively in its employ until a few days ago, when he was taken ill.

Possessed of a kindly disposition, Mr. Springer was well liked. He was a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors, taking a keen and active interest in the affairs of both, and was a devoted attendant of Grace Methodist Episcopal church.

Surviving are his wife, Lucie (Glover) Springer; one daughter, Mrs. Florence Nickerson, and one son, Harold Springer, both of Bangor; one sister Miss Bessie M. Springer; one brother, Dr. S. D. Springer of Danforth; 11 grandchildren and one great-grand child and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be conducted at the residence, 76 Cedar street, at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, Rev. Royal N. Brown officiating.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

#### CHARLES W. WHITE

#### Well Known Farmer Dies In Bangor

#### Charles W. White Active in Church and Lodge, North Bancroft

Charles W. White, a highly respected citizen of North Bancroft, died Monday night in a local hospital, at the age of 69 years. Funeral services will be held in the Selden Baptist church in that town at 2 o'clock, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. White was a native of New Brunswick but had been a resident of North Bancroft for the past 50 years. Where he was engaged in farming. He was a member of the Baptist church and of the Odd Fellows lodge in that town, and was known and esteemed by a large circle of friends.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mary White of New Brunswick; three brothers, Amos of Jackson, Me., Nicholas of Danforth and Willis of Fredericton, N.B.; two sisters, Mrs. Effie Gallagher and Mrs. Mary Boynton, both residing in New Brunswick; and twelve children: Fritz, of North Bancroft; Maurice of New Haven, Conn; Glen A. of North Bancroft; Charles , Jr., of

Passadumkeag; Mrs. Geneva Campbell of North Bancroft, Mrs. Marion Estabrooks of Portland, Miss Marjorie White of North Bancroft, Mrs. Lena Whittier of Center Barnstead, N. H., Mrs. Doris Mace of Passadumkeag, Mrs. Pauline Ames of North Bancroft, Mrs. Virginia Stom of Portland and Mrs. Ruth Springer of Eaton.

The body is at the Clark-Mitchell funeral home in Brewer, there friends may call Wednesday.

### HERBERT MARSHALL

Danforth, May 7 - The death of Herbert Marshall, 67, occurred suddenly May 4. He was born in Lynnfield, N. B., and had been a respected citizen of this town for 21 years, a valued employee of the Main Central Railroad in the section crew, at the time of his death.

Mr. Marshall was twice married. His first wife was Miss Melissa Gross of Lambert Lake in 1900. Her death occurred in 1916. He married Mrs. Effie Jameson in 1928 and she survives. He also leave one son and two daughter, Mrs. Edith Gordon of Boston, Miss Annie Marshall of Winterport and Emery Marshall of Danforth; four bothers, Colon, Walter and Wallace Marshall of New Brunswick and David Marshall of Iowa. There are a number of nephews and nieces. The funeral services were at the home Saturday afternoon, Rev. Philip H. Lush officiating. Hymns were sung by Fred F. Jones and Rev. Cecil T. Grant, Mrs. P. W. Lyon was accompanist.

The bearers were, Donald Harding, Reuben Robinson, George Pinkerton, Edwin Densmore, Dan McDonald and Harry Rouse.

Relatives who were called here by Mr. Marshall's death were: Miss Annie Marshall, Winterport; Mr and Mrs. Arthur Leighton, Augusta; Mrs. Sarah Marshall, Moore's Mills, N. B.; Mrs. Elizabeth Moffitt of St. Stephen, N. B.; Bruce and Byron Marshall of Moore's Mills.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

### SAMUEL C. GOLDING

1934

Danforth, July 2 - The death of Samuel C. Golding, 78, occurred Wednesday following a short illness. Mr. Golding had been a respected citizen of this town for years, coming here from his birth place, St. John, N. B. when a young man. He was united in marriage with Miss Alice Harding 42 years ago. Mr Golding will be kindly remembered by many friends, especially those connected with the Baptist church where he served as a deacon and trustee for many years. He became a member of the Baptist church 35 years ago and took a great interest in its work. He was a member of Grand Lake Grange. Besides his wife he leaves a son and a daughter, George Golding of Danforth and Mrs. Roy Cummings of Westfield, Mass., an adopted daughter, Mrs. Don Robertson of Danforth. He leaves nine grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Surviving are two sisters and a brother, Mrs. Amanda Heffer of St. John, Miss Charlotte Ellison of Montreal and Fred Golding of Danforth.

The funeral services were held at the Baptist church Friday afternoon. Rev. Cecil Grant officiated. And was assisted by Rev. B. C. Bubar of Mars Hill, Two selections were sung by Miss Pearl Howe and Mrs. Nellie McDonald. Many floral tributes were sent by relatives and friends.

Mrs. ELMA M. DAGGETT

26 OCT. 1934

Mrs. Elma M. Daggett, wife of Charles Mott Daggett, died at her home in Danforth, Saturday. She suffered a shock on the pervious Tuesday evening and never fully regained consciousness. She had been in ill health for some time.

Mrs. Daggett was held in the highest respect by a wide circle of friends. Her devotion to her husband and children was of the highest order and she was a kind and thoughtful neighbor.

She leaves two mourn her loss her husband, four daughters, Opal D. Kelly of Bangor, Miss Gail Daggett of New York, Mrs. C. E. Cole of Bucksport and Mrs. Stanley G. Lee of Bancroft; one brother, Lawrence Grass of Lambert Lake and fours sons, Frank L., Zeal R., Willis and Everett Daggett.

There were many beautiful floral tributes in evidence at the funeral . Burial was in Danforth cemetery.

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1928 - 1929

Guy Powell died 16 Oct 1926 in Florida.

Mrs. Bion Russell died 21 Apr. 1928

Mr. Tompkins killed 4 May 1928

Ira Dow died 18 may 1925

Lin Harding died 22 May 1928

Mr. Furnice died 25 May 1928

Mrs. Furnice died 3 June 1928

Herbert Morry died 3 June 1928

Earnest Gillis died 3 July 1928

Mr. Herbert Springer died 2 Aug 1928

Mr. Elmer Patchell died 10 Aug 1928

Aunt Sill Daggett died 11 Aug 1928

Gene Bennet died 10 Aug 1928

Forrie Bennet died Aug 1928

Mr. Deacon White died Sept 1928

Sarah Dow died 12 Oct. 1928

Amos Coburn died 10 Nov 1928

Gertrude Maguire stuck with car died 1928

Mr. Joe Howe died 16 Dec 1929

Arthur Moody died 16 Nov 1929

Mrs. Sam Rowe died 14 Dec 1929

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Mrs. Elmer Earl died 18 Mar 1926

Mrs George Maxin died 1929

Daisy Peck died 27 Dec 1929

Mrs. Laskey died 3 Jan 1929

Mr. Joe Blanchard died 13 Jan 1929

Nute Golding got killed 21 Jan 1929

Mrs. Ed Cosman died 24 Dec 1929

Doctor Hunter died Feb 1929

Jack Veysey died 13 Feb 1929

Mrs. Maxwell died 1 Feb 1929

Elias Kinney died 14 Mar 1929

Mr. Charles Wilson died 18 Mar 1929

Mr. Pinkerton died 2 May 1929

Milliage Wood died July 1929

Abe Collier died 20 July 1929

Mr. Taylor got killed in Weston - July 1929

Munsey 6 children burned to death 27 Sept 1929

Mr. Silas White died 23 Oct 1929

Mrs. Gibbens died 11 June 1929

Mrs. Vales died 22 Oct 1929

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MCKINNEY

FAMILY REUNION

Members of McKinney Family Gather at Forest City for Reunion.

Forest City, May 23, 1935 - The reunion of the family of the late Aaron McKinney was held at Forest City. Those present were seven sisters, Mrs. Anna Blanchard and Mrs. George L. Gould of Forest City, who entertained the guests at their homes; Mrs. Ada Giles of Nevis, Minn; Mrs. D. H. Butterfield, Weston, Maine, Mrs. Thomas McMinn, Danforth, Maine, Mrs. Frank C. Moore of Moore's Mills, N.B., Mrs. George L. Johnson, Portland, Maine, and one brother, Pratt McKinney of Corinna, Maine.

The guests arrived on Thursday afternoon, May 23<sup>rd</sup>. In the evening all attended a service in the "old home" church, Friday they visited the cemetery where their parents, Mr and Mrs. Aaron McKinney had been laid to rest, also called on old friends, and received callers. The evening was spent in singing, reading and telling stories of childhood days.

Friday they celebrated Mrs. Anna Blanchard's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday, when dinner was served at her home, covers being laid for eleven. The table was centered with a beautifully decorated birthday cake, made by Mrs. Thomas McMINN. Mrs. Blanchard received many beautiful gifts, letters and cards.

Sunday morning all attended church. And after dinner, all left for their various homes, except Mrs. Ada Giles, and Mrs. Frank Moore, who are visiting for sometime at Forest City, Weston and Danforth.

### MRS. MARY (ALLEN). HARDING

1936

Danforth, Jan 11 - The death of Mrs. Mary A. Harding 65, widow of Calvin Harding, which occurred Friday after a long illness is regretted by many friends. She had live in this town since a young woman, coming from St. John, N.B., with her parents, Mr and Mrs. William Allen. Her marriage to Calvin Harding occurred in 1910, Mr. Harding's death occurred in 1928.

During her earlier years, Mrs. Harding was an active worker in lodge circles. She was a Past Matron of Nonpareil Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, and a Past Noble Grand of Judity Rebekah lodge.

She took a great interest in her home, and will be remembered kindly by very many friends. She leaves two step-sons, Llewellyn Harding of Portland, and Donald Harding of Danforth; also relatives in New Brunswick.

The funeral was held at the home Sunday afternoon. Rev. Cecil F. Grant officiated and Judith Rebekah lodge had its service.

### WILBUR JAMES LOVE

1936

Danforth, Jan 1 - The funeral services of Wilbur James Love were conducted at the home Thursday afternoon and were attended by many friends. Rev. Walter A. Smith, Pastor of the Methodist church and Rev. Cecil T. Grant, Baptist church pastor, officiated. The great profusion of floral tributes testified to the love and esteem of friends.

The bearers were Guy P. Rowe, J. C. Panich, Orland Jenkins and Dan Barrett. Relatives and friends who came to attend the funeral were Mrs. W. F. Tidd, Mrs. A. W. Crocker, Mrs. Eben K.

Stinchfield, Joshua Brennen of Bangor; Mrs. Willard Johnson, of St. Stephen, N.B.; Supt and Mrs. Frank A. Day, Maurice Day and Miss Charlotte Day of Princeton.

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Alvie Irish married 1 Sept 1925

Sold potatoes .....at 8 ½ dol 1925

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**DALTON JAMES EARLE**

1935

Weston, April 27 - The death of Dalton James Earle, the two year old son of Mr and Mrs. Donald Earle, in Aroostook hospital in Houlton after a brief illness of spinal meningitis.

Surviving besides his parents is a half-brother, his grandparents. And several aunts, uncles and cousins.

The bearers were Bliss Deering, Donald, Paul and Marshall Scanlin at the services at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Earle, Rev. P. H. Lush officiating. Interment was in the Weston cemetery.

**EVERETT CROPLEY**

Danforth, Oct 22 - The death of Everett Cropley, 22, of West Danforth which occurred in Houlton Saturday is regretted by friends. Mr. Cropley was the son of the late Charles Cropley and Mrs. Frances Cropley. Besides his mother he leaves six brothers and two sisters: Alvin, Wesley, Clarence, George, Grover and Milo Cropley, Mrs. Ruth Young and Miss Viola Cropley.

There are a number of nephews and nieces.

Friends attended the funeral services which were held at Mr. Cropley's mother's home Sunday afternoon. Rev Cecil Grant officiated. Two selections were sung by Rev. Grant and Fred. S. Jones. The bearers were four brothers, Alvin, Clarence, Milo and Grover Cropley.

**JAMES C. CORNEILSON**

Danforth, Jan 15 - The death of James C. Corneilson, 72, occurred Sunday following a short illness. Mr. Corneilson had been a resident of Danforth for some time and was well known and



respected here. Coming here in 1894 he was employed for several years, later going to Aroostook county. He later returned to this town.

Mr. Corneilson was born in Jacksonville, N. B. During his younger days he was an accomplished musicians, playing in bands at Woodstock, Fort Fairfield and Danforth.

He was well informed on many subjects, and was especially interested in the work of the colored race.

The only surviving relative is a sister in Rhode Island. The funeral services will be held Tuesday at the Lyon Funeral Home.

#### MAXELL - STEELBROOK

The engagement is being announced of Miss Harriet H. Maxell of Coyle Street to Clifford E. Steelbrook of Brentwood Street. Miss Maxell is the daughter of Mrs. Burleigh Maxell and attended Ricker Classical Institute, Houlton. She is employed by the E. L. Watkins Co.

Mr. Steelbrook is the son of Mr and Mrs. Fred Steelbrook of Hartland and was graduated from Hartland Academy and Bliss Business College, Lewiston. He is employed in the New England Exchange.

No date has been set for the wedding.

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#### JOHN A. GASKIN

1936

Millinocket, Feb 28 - The funeral services for John Allen Gaskin 71, were in the Baptist church Wednesday, Rev. Roy H. Short officiating. Selections were rendered by Mrs. T.R. Simpson and Mrs. R. H. Short, Miss Evelyn Short at the piano.

The bearers were Charles Tweedie, Roy Akerley, Lemuel Larlee and Granville McMillan. From out-of-town were, Miss Azella Gillespie of Houlton and Junior Elwell of Sherman Station. There were very many beautiful floral tributes.

Mr. Gaskin was born in North Lake, N. B. He married in 1887 Roxana G. Howe of Orient. Since October 1914 they have lived in Millinocket and Mr. Gaskin had been section foreman on the B. and A.

Mr. Gaskin was a 32d degree Mason and Noble of Anah Temple Mystic Shrine; of the O.E.S.; The Orange Lodge and the K.K.K.

He leaves besides his wife, the daughters, Mrs. Harley Eaton of Millinocket, Mrs. Albert Blakely of Sherman Station, Mrs. Clinton Boynton, Mrs. Milton Higgins and Mrs. Clarence Macklin, all of this town.

A brother, William H. Gaskin lives in North Lake; a sister, Mrs. Thomas Gillespie, in Canterbury, N. B.; a half-sister, Mrs. Arthur Wetmore; a half-brother, Albert VanTassel, in Connecticut. There are 23 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

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ANDERSON - EDGERLEY

1934

Ellsworth, Aug 10 - Miss Lila W. Anderson and James Edgerley, both of this city, were married Wednesday evening by Rev. Cedrick Brooks at his home on Pleasant street.

Mrs. Edgerley is the daughter of Mr. Austin Anderson and a member of the Baptist church of this city.

Mr. Edgerley is the son of Mr and Mrs. H. R. Edgerley of Bridgestone, Maine. He graduated from the E. H. S. in 1932 and has been making his home with his sister, Mrs. George Fortier, for the past four years. They will make their home on Birch Ave.

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Georgie and I (IDA B. HOWE) joined the Baptist church 8 Feb 1909

Charles Howe baptized 12 June 1910

Nute Howe baptized 3 July 1910

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Thomas and Emily McMINN wedding anniversary 14 Dec 1929

Married 50 years 14 Dec 1879

Thomas and Emily lived down with their son the fall and winter 1932

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1929 - 1930

Margaret Anderson died 6 Dec 1929

Tommy Gilpatrick died 8 Jan 1930

Isaiah Howe died 2 Jan 1930

Alice Cosman died 12 Feb 1930

Young Charles Cropley T. B. died 13 Feb 1930

A.K. Stetson died 3 Mar 1930

Mr. Herbert Springer died 2 Aug 1929

Gene Bennet died 10 Aug 1929

Dr. W. B. Hunter died 6 Feb 1929

Aldrich DeWitt died age 43 in 1929

Nellie Patchell died 18 May 1929

Lala Thomson Jenkins died 4 June 1929

Mrs. Lottie Boone died Apr 1929

Joe Bubar died 6 Oct. 1928

Orland Gilpatrick died 3 May 1930

Mary Joshua Howe died 25 Apr 1928

Molly Peters McKenzie died 28 Aug 1927

Mr. Shepherd Cuning in Florida died Aug 1927

Kenneth F. DeWit drown in the summertime in Aug. 1927

Mrs. Bragdon of Eaton died June 1929

Mrs. Henry Maxwell died 2 Feb 1929

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### Lincoln Crash Victim Off Danger List

STUART MOODY

24 Aug 1935

The name of Stuart Moody of Lincoln, one of the five young people seriously injured in the motor accident north of Lincoln early Sunday morning which their companion, Miss Mary Elizabeth Masterman of Wollaston, Mass., and Durward H. Sears of Lincoln lost their lives, was taken off the danger list at the Eastern Maine General hospital Tuesday afternoon. He sustained a fractured left arm and internal injuries.

The other four, also patients in the Bangor hospital were reported Tuesday as improving but were not yet considered, sufficiently out of danger to have their names removed from the danger list. They are Galen Stevens and Robert Johnson, both of Lincoln, Julian Nason of Madison and Miss Ruth Bartlett of Milton, Mass.

JOHN WYERS

Guide Dies In Woods From Bullet Wound

13 Nov. 1935

Houlton, Nov 16 - As the result of investigations by Sheriff Jaspre Lycette and County Attorney George P. Barnes, the fatal shooting of JOHN WYERS, 50, Haynesville guide by W. C. March, 21, of Winchester, Mass., whom he was guiding on his first hunting trip in the Maine woods, no action has been taken against March.

The version of the shooting as told the officers by March was: That they were hunting near Danforth Wednesday, and were some nine miles in the woods from the clearing.

March says that WYERS was about six feet behind when they started a deer; that WYERS fired and apparently missed and crouched low. March said he then fired just as the guide rose up and the charge tore into WYERS' arm.

March said he bound up the arm with a tourniquet and then started out for help as directed by the guide, but not being familiar with the woods was some time in reaching the clearing with another man they went back into the woods but could not locate the place. Returning they organized a searching party which was in the woods all Wednesday night.

About 9 o'clock Thursday morning they found the guide, who had died from loss of blood. The body was brought out to Houlton. WYERS is survived by his wife.

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#### Mrs. HARRIET BARTLETT BUBAR

1934

Danforth, Sept 7, - The death of Mrs. Harriet Bartlett Bubar which occurred in a Houlton hospital brings sorrow to many friends. Mrs. Bubar was born in Orient 68 years ago, and was the daughter of Colin and Mrs. Lois Bartlett. She was united in marriage with Ambrose Bubar of Orient in 1888 and the family resided in that town for twenty years. They came to Danforth in 1909. Mr. Bubar's death occurred in 1915.

Mrs. Bubar was a devoted mother and her first interest was in her family and her home. She will be kindly remembered as a neighbor. Mrs. Bubar was an attendant at the Baptist church.

She leaves six sons and daughters, Payson Bubar of Wytotitlock; Hollis Bubar of Danforth; Miriam Bubar of Worcester, Mass., Mrs. Verta Brackett of Weston; Myra Bubar of Danforth; Mrs. Hilma Drisko of Stamford, Conn. There are five grandchildren.

She also leaves four brothers and sisters: Leroy Bartlett of Newport; Andrew Bartlett of Orient; Mrs. Victoria Littlefield of Danforth, and Miss Laura Bartlett of Orient.

The funeral services were held at the Baptist church Friday afternoon. Rev. B. C. Bubar of Mars Hill officiated, assisted by Rev. Cecil T. Grant, pastor of the church.

#### Gardiner Man Fatally Shot On Hunting Trip

Nov. 1935

Danforth, Nov 13- The first accident of the hunting season in this county occurred at Hot Brook lake Monday morning when Adolphus Harding, 23 of Gardiner, was fatally injured by the accidental discharge of his gun.

Mr. Harding and a companion were preparing to cross the lake on a hunting trip when the accident occurred. The gun was discharged while being placed in the canoe.

Mrs. Harding is survived by his mother, Mrs. Jennie Jacobs of Livermore Falls and several brothers and sisters. He was a brother to Roosevelt Harding, Mrs. Madeline Howard and Mrs. Hazel Shaw of West Danforth.

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### MRS LILLIAN E. (HARDY) DUNN

1935

Danforth, March 21 - The death of Mrs. William E. Dunn, 64, occurred suddenly Wednesday morning and brings great sorrow to Danforth friends. Mrs. Dunn, who was Miss Lillian E. Hardy before her marriage was the daughter of Warren and Minerva Kent Harding.

Her parents were among the earliest settlers in the town and she was a member of a family of nine children.

Mrs. Everett Murchie of Boston is the surviving member of the immediate family. Mrs. Dunn attended the schools here and spent her life in this town. In 1892 she was united in marriage with William E. Dunn who survives.

Mrs. Dunn was a charter member of Judith Rebekah Lodge and was post noble grand of this order. She was secretary of the lodge, having served faithfully in this office for twenty years.

A daughter, Miss Marion Dunn of Portland is left, together with her husband and sister. There are a number of nephews and nieces.

The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon.

### WILLIAM MOODY

1935

Danforth, Oct 4 - Funeral services of William Moody, 63, of Weston were held Tuesday afternoon at the home of his brother, James Moody, Rev. Walter, A. Smith officiated, and there was a large gathering of friends. Selections were sung by Mr and Mrs. Fred S. Jones and Miss Grace Jones. There were beautiful floral tributes. The bearer were James, Frank and Lewis Moody, J. B. Smart, Archie Sargent and Robert Dickinson.

Mr. Moody was born in Weston, the son of Henry and Harriet Moody. His life was spent in that town where he was respected by all, Mr. Moody made his home with his brother, James and Mrs. Moody.

He leaves three brothers and two sisters: Lewis Moody of Danforth; James Moody of Weston; Frank Moody of Davidson; Mrs. Archie Sargent of Bangor; Mrs. Robert Dickinson of Island Falls. There are a number of nephews and nieces. Relatives and friends who came to attend the funeral were: Mr and Mrs. Robert Dickinson, Samuel Dickinson, Mrs. Frank Dickinson, Island Falls. Charles Merry, Sherman; Mrs B. Smart, Mr and Mrs. T. B. Smart, Edwin Whittier, Darrel Hovey, Houlton; Frank Moody and Daughter Davidson; Everett Moody, Milo Moody, H.H. Putnam, Danforth.

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### MRS ALMON POWELL

1934

Danforth, May 15 - Many friends attended the funeral services of Mrs. Almon Powell of South Portland, which were held Monday afternoon at the Baptist church. Rev. Cecil Grant pastor of the church officiated. Miss Lisa B Putnam sang a few selections. The bearers were J. H. Gould, J. H. Crowell, Newton Howe and Edgar Cropley. There was a profusion of flowers, sent by relatives and friends, and by organizations to which the deceased had belonged. Interment was in the family lot here.

Mrs. Powell was born in Topsfield 68 years ago. Following her marriage to Almon Powell of Danforth in 1894 the family resided in this town for nearly 40 years. Following five years residence in the south, they returned to their native state, living at South Portland at the time of Mrs. Powell's passing.

She has been a member of the Baptist church here about 40 years and was an active worker during the earlier years of her residence here. Mrs. Powell is kindly remembered by a large circle of Danforth friends and her passing is keenly regretted.

Besides her husband she leaves a daughter, Mrs. Milo Moody of South Portland. She is also survived by three brothers and a sister: Evin Powell of New York. Havillah Powell of Lincoln, Marshall Powell of Portland, and Mrs. Eva Pike of Berwick. A half-sister, Mrs. Robina Severance of Topsfield is also left. A son, Guy Powell died in 1927. Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mr and who came to attend the funeral 1927.

Among the out-of-town relatives Mrs. Lindon Scott of Lincoln, Mrs. L.C. Hathaway of Bangor, Mrs. Rovina Severance of Topsfield, Mrs. Hazel Stevens, Mrs. Ella Hall and Mrs. Abbie Law of Houlton.

### WILLIAM D. FOSS

1935

Danforth, Sept 11 - Friends attended the funeral services of William R. Foss, 81, which were held at the Methodist church, Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Walter A. Smith officiated and the Masonic service was also read by Baskahegan Lodge members. Two selections, "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer", and "Face to Face", were sung by Dr. S. D. Springer, Mrs. P. W. Lyon and Mrs. Bessie Scanlin. There were beautiful floral tributes. The bearers were H. H. Putnam, Guy p. Rowe, V.A. Putnam and J. A. Haley.

The death of Mr. Foss, who was a prominent citizen of this town, removed one of the few remaining members of an older generation. He was a life long resident of Danforth. His parents, Joel and Mary Foss were among the earliest citizens, and they conducted the Foss Hotel for many years. This business was later taken over by their son, who was proprietor for some time. He was well known throughout this section and leaves many friends. He was a member of Baskahegan Lodge, F. and A. M.

Mr. Foss was married twice. Mts. Sarah Vickers Foss died in 193. He was united in marriage with Mrs. Nellie Robb, 13 years ago, and she survives. He also leaves a sister, Mrs. Rosella Stinchfield of Boston, and a number of nephews and nieces.

Relatives who came to attend the funeral were Mrs. Leslie Curtis of Houlton; Mr and Mrs. Elgin Lowell of Lee; Mrs. Sadie Costin and Miss Mary Ward of Hartland.

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January 1936 - King George MOURNED THROUGHOUT BRITISH EMPIRE

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**WILLIAM J. FAULKNER**

Danforth, March 13 - Funeral services of William J. Faulkner, 62, of Weston were in the Selden Baptist church and were attended by many friends. Rev. Cecil T. Grant officiated.. Two selections were sung by Rev. Mr. Grant and Fred S. Jones. The bearers were Leon Faulkner, Henry Faulkner, Fritz White, Joseph Campbell, Charles Perkins, Everett Burns, Interment was at Selden.

Mr. Faulkner was born in Weston, the son of Joseph and Elizabeth Faulkner. He was a lifelong resident of that town, and was engaged in farming for the past 25 years. He married Rose Moody of Haynesville, who survives.

Mr. Faulkner will be kindly remembered by neighbors and friends. He was an attendant at the Baptist church. Besides his wife he leaves seven sons and daughters: Edward Faulkner of Weston, Mrs. William Cornish of Brewer, Miss Allie Faulkner of Vanceboro, Miss Lyla Faulkner of Bangor, Hilda, Lydia and Raymond Faulkner of Weston. There are two grandchildren. He is also survived by two brothers and a sister; Henry Faulkner, Weston; Leon Faulkner, Orient, and Mrs. Charles Beale, Danforth.

**JOHN HUFF**

1935



Danforth, Sept 20 - Funeral services of John Huff, 13, son of Mr and Mrs. Basil L. Huff, were held at the home Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Cecil T. Grant officiating.

John's death, which occurred after a short illness, is regretted by schoolmates and friends by whom he was well liked. Besides his parents he leaves a brother and sister, Linwood Huff and Grace Huff. His grandparents, Mr and Mrs. Isaiah Mowrey and Mrs. Clara Huff, also survive.

(Handwritten by Pearl Howe...Instant Paralysis was the cause of death.)

#### Miss NORMA OSGOOD

Danforth, Jan 24 - Norma Osgood, 13, who died in Houlton Tuesday, was the daughter of the late Lewis Osgood and Mrs. Blanche Osgood Crone and was born in this town.

She was a member of the Freshman class of Danforth Junior High School, where she received recognition for her scholastic ability. Norma conferred an honor upon her school when she was a winner in the essay contest conducted by the Bangor News last year, and was presented a loving cup. A cup was also given the Junior High School in honor of Norma's ability.

She was very popular with her schoolmates.

Besides her mother she leaves six brothers and sisters also three half-brothers and sisters. There are also several aunts and uncles

The funeral services were held in the Lyon Funeral Home Thursday afternoon. Rev. Cecil T. Grant officiating.

#### REUBEN PHILLIPS

17 JAN 1935

The funeral of the late Reuben Phillips, who died suddenly at Geary on Tuesday, will take place tomorrow afternoon from his late home at Geary. Service will be conducted at two o'clock by Rev. Mr. Estabrooks of Oromocto and Interment made in the Baptist Cemetery at Geary.

The late Mr. Phillips is survived by his wife, who is ill at home; a son, Purdy Phillips, of Niagara Fall, Ont., who arrived home this morning; a daughter, Mrs. Colby Stennick, French Lake; two brothers, Burden and Sherman Phillips, of Rusagonis, and six sisters, Mrs. Joseph Noble and Mrs. Robert Noble, Rusagonis; Mrs. Samuel Moore, Providence, R. I.; Mrs. Bert Moulton, Plymouth, N. H.; Mrs. Viva Decker, in Pennsylvania and Mrs. Addie Farnham, Presque Isle, Me. There are also five grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

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## MRS IZORA M. GILPATRICK

1936

Danforth, April 7 - News of the death of Mrs. Izora M. Gilpatrick which occurred in Spokane, Wash., Sunday, has been received by relatives here. Mrs. Gilpatrick was a well-known and beloved citizen of Danforth, and the story of her life forms a connecting link between the town's early days and those of the present time. Born in Unity she attended the public schools in preparation for work as a school teacher. Possessing an unusual intellect she became very successful in her vocation. In 1881 she was united in marriage with Thomas Gilpatrick of Weston. A son, Leon, was born to them. For many years the hospitality of Mr and Mrs. Gilpatrick's home was enjoyed by relatives and friends, and pleasant memories of these associations are held by members of the older generation. Mrs. Gilpatrick was one who in many ways evinced those sterling qualities which marked her as a type of the older standard of womanhood.

She had unusual energy of mind and body and was closely identified with various community activities during her younger days. She was a charter member of Judith Rebekah Lodge, and was a past noble grand. She was also active in Grand Lake Grange. She became a member of the Methodist church when a young woman.

Mr. Gilpatrick's death occurred in 1903, and for several years following, Mrs. Gilpatrick lived in Waterville and Cambridge, Mass., where her son attended Colby College and Harvard Medical School. For the past eighteen years she had resided with her son in Spokane, Wash, returning east several times for visits with Maine relatives and friends. The happiness which she felt in returning to her old home here was always shared by friends who welcomed her.

Mrs. Gilpatrick's life was one of devotion to her home and family. The loss of an esteemed and beloved friend is felt by all who knew her.

Besides her son, Dr. Leon Gilpatrick and Mrs. Gilpatrick, she leaves three grandsons, Thomas Gilpatrick and Charles and Herbert Trimble. There are a number of nephews and nieces.

The body will arrive Saturday accompanied by her son, and the funeral services will be held in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Walter A. Smith will officiate and Judith Rebekah lodge will attend in a body. Interment will be in the family lot here.

## Mrs. AMANDA (MOODY) FOSS

Weston, Jan 17 - this community is saddened by the death of Mrs. Amanda Moody Foss, wife of Rex Foss, which occurred in Houlton Wednesday morning, following a long illness. Mrs. Foss was born in Haynesville 38 years ago. And was the daughter of Mr and Mrs. Robert Moody. In 1920 she was united in marriage with Rex Foss of Danforth, who survives.

Mrs. Foss was a loving mother and will be remembered as a kind neighbor. Besides her husband she leaves eight children: She is also survived by five sisters: Mrs. Edna Scudder, of Sherman

Mills, Mrs. Rose Faulkner and Mrs. Sarah Foss of Weston, Mrs. Elsie Faulkner of Orient, Mrs. Lillian Emerson of Bangor. There are also several nephews and nieces.

The funeral services were held at the home Thursday afternoon, Rev. Walter A. Smith officiating.

A selection, "Listen to the Voice of the Savior", was sung by Mrs. Bessie Scanlin and Miss Grace Jones. There were many flower, which were testimonies to the esteem which Mrs. Foss was held. The bearers were: Phillip Foss, Allen Faulkner, Garfield Lee and John Nicholson. Interment was in the Weston Cemetery.

#### Mrs. OLIVE (BAILEY) KINNEY

1936

Danforth, Jan. 8 - The funeral services of Mrs. Olive B. Kinney, 72, wife of E.J. Kinney, were at there late home Monday afternoon, Rev. Cecil T. Grant officiating. Two selections were sung by a quartet, composed by Rev. Grant, Mr and Mrs. Fred S. Jones and Miss Grace Jones.

The bearers were: H.W. Hodnett, Clarence P. Lyons, Edgar B. Rowe and Emerson Bartlett.

Mrs. Kinney came here from Brookton 16 years ago, and had many friends. She was a member of the Baptist church and took an active part in its various organizations, especially the Ladies Circle. Her death followed a long illness.

She leaves besides her husband to whom she was married in 1904, a brother, Moses Bailey in New Hampshire, nephews and nieces.

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#### HENRY H. SPRINGER

1935

Prominent Lincoln Man Dies in Bangor

Henry H. Springer Was Widely Known Lumber Operator

Henry H. Springer of Lincoln who for 30 years was prominent identified with the lumbering industry in Washington and Penobscot counties operating for the Springer Lumber Co., and who had a wide acquaintance throughout the eastern and northern sections of the state, died Tuesday in a Bangor hospital at the age of 67 years. In recent years Mrs. Springer had been associated with his son, Paul S. Springer, in the automobile business in Lincoln.

Mrs. (MARKEY) LEWIS BROWN

1935

Danforth, June 19 - The death of Mrs. Lewis Brown, 39, occurred in Bangor Friday afternoon a few months' illness. She was the daughter of Mr and Mrs. Ernest Markey of Island Falls and was born in that town. She was united in marriage with Lewis Brown of Danforth in 1912 and the family resided at Island Falls and Davidson for several years. They came to this town ten years ago.

Besides her husband she leaves two children, Clifton Brown and Miss Mona Brown; also her parents, a sister, Mrs. George Green of Island Fall and nephews and nieces.

The funeral services were at the home Sunday afternoon with Rev. Cecil T. Grant officiating. The bearers were, William and Ralph Knowlton, Francis Dunphy and Kenneth Guptill.

Relatives who were called here by Mrs. Brown's passing were Mrs. And Mrs. Ernest Markey, Clifton Brown, Mrs. G. F. Brown of Skowhegan.

BRUCE JENKINS

Nov 24, 1935

Danforth, Dec 3 - The funeral of Bruce Jenkins, 75, whose death occurred in Waterville November 24<sup>th</sup> was held at the Methodist church Monday afternoon.

Rev. Philip H. Lush officiated and the bearers were four Masonic brothers, H. H. Putnam, Dr. R.U. McCready, Guy P. Rowe and B. E. Parker.

Dr. S.D. Springer and Mrs. Fred S. Jones sang two selections. There was a profusion of floral tributes. Interment took place in the family lot here.

Mr. Jenkins was a former resident of this town, coming here from Prince Edward Island, his birthplace when a young man. He was engaged as a blacksmith for years.

He moved to Mellon, Wisconsin, with his family in 1906, residing in the West 27 years. He returned to Waterville eight years ago where he lived at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Webber.

Mr. Jenkins was twice married, His first wife, Miss Phoebe Mix of Nova Scotia died in 1888 leaving two children, Blake Jenkins and Mrs. Grace Webber. Several years later he married Bessie Wood of Prince Edward Island. Her death occurred in Mellon and three daughters, Mrs. Phoebe Anderson of Ashland, Wis., Mrs. Eva Baker of Minneapolis, Minn., and Mrs. Marion Djork of Ashland, Wis., were left.

Mr. Jenkins leaves seven grandchildren. There are four brothers and sisters: Evan Jenkins of Danforth, Alexander Jenkins of Mellon, Wis., Mrs. Chelsey Marr of Wollaston, Mass., Mrs. Melinda Wood of Saskatoon, Sask. A brother, John Jenkins of New York died two weeks ago.

Mr. Jenkins was a member of Baskahegan Lodge, F. and A. M. He is kindly remembered by the older generation of Danforth citizens.

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### PITT L. SCHILLINGER

1935

Danforth, Dec 31 - The death of Pitt L. Schillinger, 59, a prominent citizen of this town occurred suddenly at his home Sunday evening.

Mr. Schillinger was well known throughout this section of eastern Maine, and his passing came as a shock to friends and business associates.

He was born in Danforth, the son of Edwin L. and Mrs. Perte Averill Schillinger. He attended the public schools of this town, and when a young man entered upon a business career with his father. Partnership in a lumber business was formed, this being conducted over a period of fifteen years. After the retirement of his father, Mrs. Schillinger continued the business and was conducting operations at the time of his death.

Part of this year's work was the securing of hardwood for shipment to England. The work of the present winter will be continued.

In 1929 Mrs. Schillinger purchased the Danforth Motor Company, Ford sales and service station and carried on this business.

A large circle of friends will remember him for his kindness and generosity.

Mr. Schillinger was a member of Baskahegan Lodge, F. and A.M. No 175, mount Honored Royal Arch Chapter No. 49, Hugh De Payens Commandery, No. 15, Knights Templar, Anah Temple Mystic Shrine.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Effie Morse Schillinger, whom he married in 1900, he leaves a daughter, Mrs. Florence Foss, A son Leroy, died in 1917. He leaves two grandchildren, Leroy Smith and Hilda Jane Foss. A sister, Mrs. Jasper Lee also survives. There is a number of nephews and nieces.

A Masonic funeral was conducted at the home Tuesday afternoon by Baskahegan Lodge.

Mrs. JANE (ORR ) RICHARDSON

1935

Danforth, Oct 24 - The death of Mrs. Jane Richardson, 80, which occurred at her home in Haynesville Saturday, is deeply regretted by many friends throughout this vicinity. Mrs. Richardson had been a resident of Haynesville since a young woman, coming here from her birthplace in New Brunswick. Her parents were Joseph and Mrs. Margaret Orr.

Mrs. Richardson will be remembered as a kind neighbor and friend, always willing to assist whenever possible. During her younger days she was an attendant of the Baptist church where she was a member. She was married twice. Her first husband, Thomas Karnes of Haynesville, whom she married 60 years ago died in 1898. Mrs. Richardson and nine sons and daughters were left. Several years later she married Elmer Richardson whose death occurred in 1908.

Mrs. Richardson leaves five sons and three daughters: Peter Karnes of Haynesville, Gilbert Karnes of Bangor; Samuel Karnes of Haynesville; Fred Karnes of Houlton; Allen Karnes of Skowhegan; Mrs. Nellie Bedell of Haynesville; Mrs. Margaret Schillinger and Mrs. Virginia Parker of Danforth. A daughter, Mrs. Susie Reed of Skowhegan died in 1931. There are 30 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren. She also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Adria Clement and Mrs. Ruth Moody of Haynesville.

The Baptist church at Haynesville was filled with friends Monday afternoon when the funeral services were held. Rev. Cecil Grant, pastor of the Danforth Baptist church, officiated. Two selections were sung, by Miss Grace Jones, Rev. Grant and Mr and Mrs. Fred S. Jones. A solon was also sung by Rev. Grant.

Many beautiful flowers were sent by relatives and friends. The bearers were six sons, Peter, Gilbert, Samuel, Allen, and Fred Karnes and Ralph Reed. Interment was in the family lot at the Haynesville cemetery.

Relatives who came to attend the funeral were: Mr and Mrs. Allen Karnes, Ralph Reed, Mrs. Leta ???

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

MRS LOUISA J. AMES

1934

Danforth. Sept 24 - The death of Mrs. Louisa J. Ames, 73, occurred Thursday following a long illness. Mrs. Ames had been a resident of South Bancroft for more than 50 years.; coming here from her birthplace in Prince Edward Island. She married George S. Ames , who survived together with several children.

Mrs. Ames will be remembered as a kind neighbor and friend. She was a member of the Baptist church.

Besides her husband she leaves six sons and daughters, Charles Ames of Danforth; Laurence Ames of South Bancroft; Silas Ames and Russell Ames of Milo; Mrs. Ellis Kinney of Ellsworth; Mrs. Gardiner La France of South Bancroft, and Mrs. Howard Waters of Bangor, A son Melvi Ames dies in the Army service in 1918.

There are twelve grandchildren, also a number of nephews and nieces. She also leaves eight brothers and sisters, Mrs. Minnie Lee, Mrs. George Lee and Mrs. Lavina MacPhee of South Bancroft, and two brother and three sisters in Prince Edward Island.

The funeral was held at the home Friday afternoon, with Rev. Cecil T. Grant officiating. Two selections were sung by Rev Grant and Mrs. Roland Tuck. The bearers were the sons and son-in-law, Charles, Silas and Russell Ames and Ellis Kinney.

There were many flowers. Interment was in the family lot in this town.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral were Mr and Mrs. Ellis Kinney of Ellsworth; Mrs and Mrs Silas Ames and Mr and Mrs. Russell Ames of Milo; Mr and Mrs. Howard Waters of Bangor.

#### Miss MAUDE FARRELL

1934

Vanceboro, Dec 17 - Funeral services for Miss Maude M. Farrell, whose death occurred Thursday before noon from endocarditis were held at the M. E. Church, Friday afternoon in charge of the pastor, Rev. Charles S. Mitchell assisted by Rev Alexander Gibson, pastor of the McAdam, NB. Baptist church. The remains were taken to Danforth on the evening train and on Saturday removed to Fosterville, N. B. for burial, where Rev. Mr. Gibson was the officiating.

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We want to express our thanks and appreciation to our friends for the kindness shown to us during the illness of our niece, Maude Farrell

Mr and Mrs. H. D. LOUNDERS, Vanceboro, Maine.

#### EDWIN M. BEDELL

East Corinth, Jan. 16 -Funeral services were held here Wednesday at his late home from Edwin M. Bedell, who passed away Sunday at the age of 77 years and 11 months. Although in failing health for several years he was always cheerful and interested in others and few realized his critical condition. May friends extend sympathy to his widow. Fannie Patchell Bedell, and two sons, Blake and Elwood. Other surviving relatives are a grand-daughter, Miss Vellis Bedell, on

brother, J. F. Bedell of West Compton, N. H. and three sisters, Mrs. Harriet Wiley of Glassville, N.B.; Mrs. Hannah Heal and Mrs. Maude Heal of Weston and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was large attended by friends and relatives and there were many floral tributes.

Rev. Robinson, pastor of the Baptist church officiated and Mrs. Bert Duran sang two solos.

The bearers were Ervin Ryder, O....Wiley, Carroll Duran and Albert Shaw.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

1928 - 1929 - 1930 - 1931

Mr. James H. Nesbit 9 May 1929

Maude Anderson died 3 July 1928

Mrs. Irish Mothers Mrs. Laskey died 4 Jan 1929

Mrs. Blackmore died 16 Jan 1929

Mr. Campbell (Husband) died 22 Dec 1930 in Florida

Harold Gilpatrick died 3 Sept 1929 Vernon boy

Harry Bunker (Ethel Irish's brother) died 27 Feb 1930

Leon A. Harding died 25 Oct 1930

Mr. Otis Christie died 16 Oct 1930

Mr. Peters died up in Orient Jan 1931

Mr. Leslie (Ethel Irish' father) Bunker died 8 Sept 1930

Mr. William Kingston, died 24 Dec 1930

Frank Sprague died 9 Apr 1930

Mr. Amos Coburn died 1929

William Giles died 31 Dec. 1930

Mrs. Campbell's husband died 22 Dec 1930



Mr. Arthur Moody died 16 Nov 1929

Mrs. Hunter died 1930 fall

Mr. Will Cowan died 5 Feb 1931

Mr. Hanford Gould died 2 Feb 1931 age 56

Rev. Mr. Dunham died Feb 1931

Mr. Varney Putnam died 20 July 1930

Rev. Mr. F. Jones died 7 May 1930

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

#### CHARLES VEYSEY

March 18, 1936

Fosterville, March 25 - The death of Charles Veysey occurred on March 18<sup>th</sup>, at his home at Fosterville, N. B. Mr. Veysey was in poor health for some time and is survived by his wife and three sons, Clyde, with whom he made his home; Alfred of Fosterville, and Henry of Vermont; and two daughters, Mrs. Fred Wood of North Lake, and Mrs. Lillian Kinney of Fosterville. The funeral service was held at this home with Rev. C.E. Grant of Danforth, Me., officiating, the remains were laid to rest in lower cemetery at Fosterville besides those of his son, Jack, who predeceased him several years ago. One sister survives him also, Mrs. George BOONE of Forest City, NB

#### THOMAS W. WETMORE

18 Dec. 1935

A veteran of the York County Council passed yesterday when death called Thomas W. Wetmore of North Lake while visiting relatives in Lancaster, N. B. The deceased in his 82 years, although experiencing the trouble which usually are associated with advancing age, was more active than many persons many years his junior. His passing is regretted by a wide circle of friends.

His period of service as councillor was many years ago, but the service of his son, Count, Arthur C. Wetmore and his own faithful attendance at sessions continued connection with the municipal governing body. As a citizen and as a public official the deceased conducted himself so as to win the respect of all.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

#### Mr. AND Mrs. CHARLES FOSTER BURIED TOGETHER

They both died within a few days of each other.

1936

Mr and Mrs. Charles Foster, well known residents of Eel River Lake and with friends in different parts of Maine and New Brunswick, died within a few days of each other and were buried at Fosterville in one grave.

Mr. Foster, who was 85 years of age died at the home of his son Fred Estey, in Monticello, Me., on March 18, 1936, Mrs. Foster, died at Eel River Lake, on March 23<sup>rd</sup>, at the age of 78 years after an illness of six months. They were survived by four sons and four daughters, Fred , of Monticello, Me.; Joseph, Waldo and Harry of Fosterville; Mrs. Evie Peters, Danforth, Me.; Mrs. Lester Dunning, Orient, Me; Mrs Bliss Bubar, Littleton Me,; Mrs. Jesse Doherty, Centreville, Mr. Foster is survived also by a brother, Newton Foster of Eel River Lake, while Mrs. Foster is survived also by three bothers: John of Eel River Lake; Burns of Sherman, Me; and William, Houlton, Me.

The body of Mr. Foster was brought from Monticello, Me., and the funeral service conducted by Rev. C. E. Grant of Danforth , and both bodies placed in one grave in the cemetery at Fosterville. Many friends were present to show respect for deceased and sympathy for the family bereaved twice within such a short time. There are a number of beautiful floral tributes. The pall bearers were four nephews: Miles Smith, Houlton, Me.; Erald Smith , Sherman, Me.; Clarence Graham and Erick Smith of Eel River Lake,

#### MRS LILLIAN CARLETON

1936

Danforth, April 2 - The death of Mrs. Lillian Carleton, 75, is deeply regretted by the people of this community. Mrs. Carleton had been a resident of this town for more than forty-five yeas, coming here from Winterport with her husband, George E. Carleton. Mr. Carleton was a prominent citizen of Danforth, and served as its first selectman fro several terms. He Conducted a jewelry and stationary business and also was the owner of a printing plant.

In the years since the death of her husband, in 1906 Mrs. Carleton has conducted a variety and stationary store.

She leaves a daughter, Miss Leola Carleton. Surviving are brother in North Dakota, and nephews and nieces in Winterport.

Prayer were held, Tuesday afternoon at the Jones's Undertaking Rooms. Rev. Cecil T. Grant officiated. Interment was in Winterport in the family lot.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

### HENRY A. HARDING

1936

Danforth Feb 4 - The death of Henry A. Harding, 24, of West Danforth, which occurred Saturday came as shock to his friends.

Mr. Harding, was the son of Charles and Mrs. Dora Waye, and was born in Prentiss. Since the age of six years he has had his home with Mr. and Mrs. Gustavus Harding. He attended Danforth High School, graduating in the class of 1932, and was popular among his school mates.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Leah Gould Harding, whom he married three years ago and a daughter. He is also survived by his father and three sisters, Mrs. Charlotte Folle and Mrs. Carrie Magmesson of South Windham, and Mrs. Lillian Waite of Portland.

The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Lyon Funeral Home, Rev. Cecil Grant officiating. Three selections were sung by Rev. Grant, with Mrs. P. W. Lyon accompanist. The bearers were Elden Gould, Albert Fahey, Ira Bragg and Harvey MUNSEY. There was a large gathering of friends.

### PITT L. SCHILLINGER

1935

Danforth, Dec 30 - Pitt L. Schillinger, life long resident of Danforth, died at this home Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, His death removing one of the community's most prominent residents.

The funeral will be held at the residence Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Masonic services.

Mr Schillinger was one of his section's most extensive and successful lumber operators and was also the local Ford dealer, a business he purchased a number of years ago from A. E. Webber, no the For dealer in Bangor. At the present time Mr. Schillinger had underway a large operation on the Springfield road and was planning to cut a million feet of hard wood.

He was a large employer of labor and in his passing the community loses one of its most progressive citizens.

Handwritten information:

Fire at Pittock burned 8 houses 12 Aud 1926

Mrs. Irish moved to Danforth 3 Nov. 1926

Elzie had measles 10 Jan 1927

Mr and Mrs. Bunker visited Alva Irish 27 Mar 1927

Mr. J. Morry went to the hospital Nov 1931

Mr Joe Lee wen to hospital 29 Nov. 1931

and came back 19 Dec 1931

Mr. W. Heal went to hospital on the summer of 1932 died Jan 1933

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

MRS (RODD) K. N. MacDONALD

restaurant lady

Danforth, April 9 - The death of Mrs. Katherine N. MacDonald, 75, which occurred Thursday following several weeks' illness, is deeply regretted by many friends. Mrs. MacDonald was born in Smyrna, the daughter of Hugh and Malida Rodd. She came to this town when a young woman and later was united in marriage with William J. MacDonald of Prince Edward Island. After Several year's residence here, Mr and Mrs. J. MacDonald went to Kingsman. Where they were proprietors of a Grant's hotel for thirty years. They returned to Danforth in 1923 where they purchased a restaurant and store. Mr. MacDonald's death occurred tow years ago, Since her husband death, Mrs. MacDonald had conducted the business, winning many friends through contracts in business.

She leaves many friends by whom she will be missed.

Mrs. MacDonald was a member of Judith Rebekah Lodge.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Frank Jeffrey of Bangor, and three grandchildren, Miss Arline Hall of Danforth, Mrs. William R. Ross, of Danforth, Mrs. Lester Curtis of Houlton, and Mrs. Rose McKusick of Iron City, Wisconsin.

The funeral services were held at St. Anne's Catholic Church Saturday morning when Requiem Mass, was celebrated by Rev. Alexander W. Doucette, the bearers where H. H. Putnam, Dr. R J. McCready, P. E. Whalen and Guy P. Rowe. There was a profusion of flowers in the home. Interment was in the family lot in Kingman.

The remains were accompanied to Kingman by Mr and Mrs. Frank Jeffrey, Elgin Lowell and Miss Arline Hall.

## SHERMAN L. WHITNEY

Danforth, April 29 - Many friends gathered at the Selden Baptist church Monday afternoon where the funeral services of Sherman L. Whitney, 76, a respective citizen were held. Rev. A. R. Dalbeck officiated at the services.

A selection was sung by Fred S. Jones and Miss Grace Jones. The bearers were Everett, Martin, George and Maurice Burns.

Mr Whitney was the son of James and Mrs. Louise Pratt Whitney, and was a life long resident of Selden. He was united in marriage with Miss Eldora Grant of Smyrna Mill in 1881. Mrs Whitney's death occurred 14 years ago.

He was a member of Frank Lake Grange. Mr. Whitney will be kindly remembered as a neighbor and friends . His interest in welfare of others was shown in his many acts of kindness.

Since his death of his wife, Mrs. Whitney and his son, Claude Whitney have resided in the family home. He also leaves a second son Edwin Whitney of Selden. There are nine grandchildren, and ten great grandchildren. Two brothers. Edwin Whitney and Albert Whitney of Weston also survive.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

Dates 1931

Mr. Balley died 23 March 1931

Mr. Rance Harding died 1 April 1931

Mr. Harrison Butterfield died 18 May 1931

Mr. Mark Peters died 14 May 1931

Mrs. Irish died 22 May 1931 age 69

Mr. Wall Cosman died 15 May 1931

Mr. Will Bonar died 25 May 1931

Mrs. McLaughlin died 7 July 1931 ( john Long wife's mother-in law)]

Mrs Sam Neal died 17 Dec 1931

Building Company Mills L Baptist Church.

Horris Hodnett Work began 2 June 1919 - completed 15 Nov 1919

Rev. Mr. Clarke

John Heal Treas.

Charles Patchell Treas.

Superintendent of Work

A Curtis M. D.

H. H. Putnam

H. Anderson,

Frank Kelly

Contractor.

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

1931

Mr. Alba Irish burned Oct 13, 1931

Mr Irish stayed with while building

Started their house Nov 12, 1931

They raised their barn 27 Oct 1931

Put cement in foundation 9 Nov 1931

moved into their new home 7 Dec 1931

Just 20 days from the time they started their house till they move in

Mrs. Bubar had services in Baptist church 1 Sept 1931

Twins Broke their arms 19 Sept 1931 and 4 Oct 1931

Bancroft

Fire burned Charles White house at 1932

The Iron ridge Wiers living in 14 March 1932

Haynesville

Fire burned Ed Anderson house 24 April 1932

Fire at Kingman burned Village May 1932

Neal's shop burned 25 June 1932

Fire burned Tomie Robinson barn July 1932

Fire burned Mr Lilley house Apr 1934

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(newspaper clippings with handwritten dates)

1931

Mrs. Becher Irish died 20 May 1931

Lewis Osgood died 1931

Mrs. McClusky died 3 June 1931

Mr. Thomas Scanlin died 7 Oct 1931

Mr. Montie Powell died 30 Nov 1931

Mrs. Maxwell remains brought to Orient 1st Dec 1931

Mr. Morris McKinney died 1 Dec 1931

Miss Ella Huff died 16 Dec 1931

Ms. Holtz died 17 Dec 1931

Mrs. Sam Neal died 12 Dec 1931

Mrs. Jimmie Crown died Aug 1931

Little LeRoy Allen drown in cesspool 18 Aug 1931

Mrs. Whitney died 9 Nov 1931 age 101 years old

Mrs. Wm Ellis Mothers death

Mrs. Carson died 11 Feb 1932 buried here.

Mr. McDonald restaurant man died 26 March 1932

Mrs. Jim Mowrey died 4 April 1932

Mrs. Henry Putnam died 27 Apr. 1932

Mrs. Albert Veysey died 13 June 1932

Mrs. McKackney died 25 June 1932

Mrs. Aunt Ann Peters died 13 Jul 1932 - age 73

James Butterfield neck broke 5 Aug 1932

Bayfield Gillis died 29 Sept 1932

## SectionE 4

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1939

BURHOE - MAILMAN

Engagement Announced

Mr and Mrs William Burhoe of Lincoln announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Annie L. Burhoe to Percy A. Mailman of Bangor, son of Mr and Mrs. William I. Mailman of Danforth, at a party, Saturday evening at their home.

Miss Burhoe attended Mattanawcook academy and Mr. Mailman, who was graduated from Danforth High school, is employed by the Webber Motor company in Bangor. The wedding will take place Easter Sunday April 9, 1939.

Attending the announcement party were Miss Guila Emery of Bangor, William Laliberte of Brewer, Mr and Mrs John Clark of West Enfield, Miss Jennie Stepinski, Miss Polly Grattan, Donald Wilson, Mr and Mrs Albert Snow, Mr and Mrs Wilfred Grattan and Melvin Grattan.

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(Hand written notes on page)

July 13, 1932 Elmer Lutz died 1932

Mrs B McKeehie Aug 23, 1932

Mrs Monday died Oct 26, 1932

Mr S A Walsh died Oct 25, 1932

Mr Winfield Ellis died Oct 31, 1932

Mr Joe Lee died Nov 1, 1932

Mr George VanTassel died Nov 18, 1932

Hinches adopted boy died 4 Dec, 1932

Don Howard got shot Dec 4, 1932 - Joe Porter Shot him.

Mr Ora Moss died Dec 5, 1932

Mrs Lynn Hews died Dec 6, 1932

Mrs Scribner died Dec 20, 1932

Dr M L Porter died Dec 27, 1932

John Brooks died Dec 20, 1932

Rev. A E Kelley died Dec 24, 1932

Lyons at Jackson shot himself Jan 1933

Mrs Perkins died Jan 8, 1933

Mrs Thomas Wetmore died Jan 14, 1933

Mr Will Heal died Jan 27, 1933 in bed a week.

Mr Ora Gilpatrick died Feb 16, 1933

Mrs George Bennet Grey died March 21, 1933

Mrs Balley died March 1933

George Stearns hung himself April 3, 1933 at Houlton

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(Hand written notes on page)

Big Snow Drifts so cold 1935

Mrs Carson died Feb 8, 1932

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1933

Mrs Elmer Gilpatrick died March 27 1933

Eddie Crowner died April 13, 1933

Mr Ed Schillinger died April 14, 1933

Mrs Light Springer died April 5, 1933

Grover Faulkner died May 4, 1933

Clint Foss wife father died May 21, 1933

Mrs John Lutz died May 28, 1933

Mr David Lee got hurt died June 12, 1933

Mr George Lutz died June 20, 1933 - heart trouble

Mrs Prey died 93 years old June 21, 1933

Henry Reeds boy died June 22, 1933

Mr Will Gould died July 1, 1933

Mrs Leola Daggett Lee died July 29, 1933

Mrs George Lynch died Sept 15, 1933

Mr Hollis Scanlin died Aug 1933

Mr Orin Russell died Sept 18, 1933

Mrs Inglis died Oct 16, 1933

Mrs Win Ellis died Dec 26, 1933

Mrs Haley died Jan, 1934

Mr Del Mitchell died Jan 30, 1934

Leroy Springer died Jan 1934

Mrs Herbert Clark died Feb 1934

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(Hand written notes on page)

Mr Edd Huff died March 9, 1934

Mr Charles Cropley (Cropley Hospital) died March 15, 1934

Mrs Ferrel at Forest City died April 1934

Mrs McDonald Restaurant Lady died April 1934

Mrs McGregor died April 1934

Mrs Almon Powell died May 11, 1934

Mrs Davis died May 18, 1934

Mr Sam Golding died June 27, 1934, brought here for burial

Mrs Dave Faulkner died Sept 4, 1934

Mrs Ambros Bubar died Sept 5, 1934

Mrs George Ames died Sept 19, 1934

Mr Alfred Stoddard died Sept 27, 1934

Frank Wood died Sept 30, 1934 , got struck...

Mr Belding died - Aug 1934

Mrs Edd Huff died Oct 24, 1934

Mrs Minton Daggett died Oct 26, 1934

Morris McMINN Dec 3, 1934

Miss Maud Farriel Dec 14, 1934

Mr Chas Holtz died Oct 6, 1934

Mr Bruce Jenkins died Dec 3, 1934

Mr Doc Porter died Dec 31 1934

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(Hand written notes on page)

Tom Howe had pneumonia April 1, 1937 taken with bronchitis shortness of breath bad cough. First then his temperature was 102 could not eat, only beef broth, oranges, grapefruit, after he was taken with pneumonia, he would jump clear if we went in the room and dream. After a week heated a bake potato and fresh fish and vegetables soup beef.

Nute Howe had pneumonia 1939.

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Newspaper clipping

Joined Gold Rush of 1897 to Alaska

Charles Holtz, Aged Danforth Citizen Dead: Had Interesting Career.

Danforth, Oct 6, 1934

Charles Holtz, a former businessman and citizen of Danforth for more than 50 years, died Thursday evening following a short illness.

Mr Holtz was born in Brooklyn, NY June 2, 1856, and when six years of age accompanied his parents to Neufchatel, Switzerland, where they were returning to their native land. When a young man he learned the watch maker and jeweler's trade there, and later returned to his country where he engaged in this work. He was considered an expert in watch making and for some time held a position with the Waltham Watch Co.

Coming to Danforth in 1879 he engaged in his trade, and the following year married Miss Abbie S. White of this town. Mrs. Holtz' death occurred in 1931. For several years following their

marriage Mr and Mrs Holtz resided in the southern and western states. They returned to Danforth 35 years ago and Mr Holtz purchased a confectionary business which he conducted together with his jeweler's trade.

He built the present Paramount Theater in 1921 and successfully conducted the business until his retirement in 1927.

Mr Holtz is the only survivor of the party of Danforth men who went to Alaska during the Gold Rush of '97. He spent three years there.

His great interest in mining and minerals was retained throughout the remainder of his life. He was an interesting conversationalist and his accounts of his experiences will be recalled by many friends. His associates during his years of business here, as well as friends of a younger generation kindly remember him. He leaves a son, Victor E. Holtz of Danforth and a sister Mrs. Claude Busch of Passaic, N.J.. The funeral was held at the home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Sarah B. HUFF

Danforth, Oct 24, 1934

The death of Mrs Sarah B Huff, 80, a respected citizen of this town, occurred Sunday following a few weeks' illness.

Mrs Huff was the daughter of Henry A. and Mrs. Nancy Land Scott and was born in Calais. She spend the most of her life in Danforth and leaves a large circle of friends here. She was married twice. Her first husband, Fevian Huff, who was a veteran of the Civil War, died 1878. In 1881 she was married to D??er Huff whose death occurred in 1928.

When a young woman, Mrs Huff became a member of the Methodist church and always had a great interest in this organization. Her life exemplified that of a true Christian.

She leave four sons and daughters. George Huff of Boston, Mrs Garfield Noilen of Pittsfield, H D Lee of Houlton. There are 11 grandchildren, also nephews and nieces.

The funeral services which were held at the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon were attended by many friends. Rev Philip H. Lush officiated and the bearers were H.H.Putnam, Dr. R.H McCready, Jasper Lee and Lionel Tuck. Two sections were sung by Miss Lisa Putnam and Miss Katherine Buxton. There were many floral tributes.

Out-of-town relatives and friends who came to attend the funeral were: George Huff of Boston; Mr and Mrs Garfield Noilen of Pittsfield; Mr and Mrs H.D. Lee and daughter Mavis of Houlton; Mr and Mrs L C Hathaway of Bangor; Harvey J Ellis of Dixfield; Mrs Leon Harding and son Harold of Old Town; Mrs Leon Scott of Lincoln; Mr and Mrs Robert Graham and daughter Bernice of Wytopitlock; Mr and Mrs Burns Antwerp and Mr and Mrs Frank McAtee of Houlton.

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## Newspaper clipping

### Kills Wife then Takes Own Life: DeWitt

Asa DeWitt, 55, Danforth Farm Hand, Enraged because Wife would not return home with him, Blows her brains out with Shotgun then commits suicide.

Danforth, Sept. 2, 1936

Enraged when his wife, Nora DeWitt, 50 refused to effect a reconciliation with him, Asa DeWitt, 55, shot and killed her instantly yesterday while she was doing the family washing in the kitchen at the H.H. Putnam farm, commonly referred to as the Snow place, ended his own life. The shooting was done with a 20-gauge shotgun, loaded with buckshot.

According to Deputy Sheriff Mansfield Williams, who was the first to reach the scene after the tragedy and conducted the investigation with Dr. Alton K. Curtis, county medical examiner. DeWitt, for the last six or seven years employed at the farm with his wife, left two months ago, following some disagreement and went to Mattawamkeag, where he had been working.

He returned Monday night and Carr were doing the washing, he sat about 8 o'clock the next morning, down and began cleaning the shotgun. While Mrs DeWitt and Mrs Roy Carr were doing the washing. When he had finished, he arose went into the front room of the house, where his 13-year-old daughter, Mabel, lay ill, handed his money (\$33) to the child, kissed her and bade her good bye.

Returning to the kitchen, according to the story told to Williams, DeWitt turned to his wife and said "Are you going to go back and live with me, again?"

"No," was the woman's reply. Without another word, DeWitt picked up the shotgun, aimed it at her and pulled the trigger, the charge tearing away most of her head. Then he dashed from the house to the barnyard, placed the muzzle of the gun in his mouth and fired the second shot.

Mrs. Roy Carr telephoned to the village for aid, the call being relayed to Deputy Williams, who arrived at the farm a few minutes later and he was closely followed by Dr. Lawrence Bilodeau and Dr. Curtis.

Following the investigation, with Dr. Curtis returning and finding of murder and suicide, the bodies were removed to local undertaking rooms and Sheriff James A. Cummings was notified of the tragedy.

Mr and Mrs DeWitt had been life-long residents of Danforth, leave a daughter, Mabel, in Danforth; two sons, Walter and Charles DeWitt, in Skowhegan, and another son in Houlton.

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(Newspaper Clippings of Obituaries)

1936

Rev. T.S. Ross, Veteran M.E. Minister, Dead

Danforth, Sept 26, 1936

Rev. Theodore S. Ross, 75, for 56 years in the Methodist ministry, serving numerous pastorates all over the state, died at his home here Friday after an illness of several months.

After his admission to the East Main Conference in 1890, he served or supplied at times the charges of Wesley, Crawford, Northfield, Orland, Penobscot, Bucksport, Woolwich, Camden, Lincolnville, Newport, Carmel, Detroit, Rockport, Ellsworth, Lincoln, Easton, Calais First church, Cutler, Danforth and other places.

He was born in Nashwaak, N. B. and the last member of a family of 11. He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Hollis Scanlin of Danforth, and he is an uncle to Linwood I. Ross of Houlton.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church in Danforth.

#### Child Run Over and Killed at Haynesville

1936

Haynesville, June 4, 1936-(AP)- Virginia Brannen, 4 fell from a truck driven by her father, Elliott, to death beneath the machines' wheels here yesterday. The cab door flew open, and the child, sitting beside her father, tumbled out. Her head was crushed.

#### Arthur Ragon

1936

Millinocket, Aug 12, 1936

The funeral services of Arthur Ragon, a former resident who died quite suddenly at the home of his daughter in Pittsfield, were held in Danforth, Rev C.T. Grant of the Baptist church officiating. There were beautiful flowers and a large group of relatives and friends attended. The bearers were: Joseph Bartlett, Thuman Pease, George Dickens and David McIver, his sons-in-law.

Mr Ragon was born in Oak Bay, N.B. and passed his early life there, but had lived for many years in Pittsfield and previously in Millinocket.

Mr and Mrs Ragon would shortly have been married 50 years and his death is the first break in a large family.

He leaves besides his wife, Mrs. Gladys Ragon of Pittsfield; three sons, Albert E. Ragon of Rochester, NY, Burham Ragon of Augusta, and LeRoy Ragon of Danvers, Mass; five daughters, Mrs Grace Bartlett of Millinocket, Mrs May Dickens of Pittsfield, Mrs Amy McIver of Vanceboro, Mrs Maud Cowan of Danforth and Mrs Doris Pease of Pittsfield. There are also 21 grandchildren.

Mrs. Anniah Till

Died at French Lake, 1936

The death occurred this morning at French Lake, Sunbury County, of Mrs. Anniah Till, widow of George N. Till, after a long illness at the age of 68 years. Decease was a daughter of the late Mr and Mrs John W. Boone and a life long resident of French Lake where she was held in high esteem by all who knew her. She made her home with her daughter: Mrs Amaziah Smith and is survived by three sons, George Till of Devon; Doris Till, Blissville and John Till, French Lake and two daughters Mrs. Thomas Carr, Lauvina, and Mrs. Smith, with whom she lived.. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon leaving the house at one o'clock for the United Church where service will be conducted at two o'clock by Rev. J. H. Sulston and interment made at French Lake.

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(Newspaper clippings)

1936

Mrs. Lovina E. Molan

Danforth, April 20, 1936

Funeral services for Mrs. Lovina E. Molan, 76, were Friday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Maddocks. Rev. Cecil Grant officiated. The bearers were H.H. Putnam, Walter Smith, Guy Rowe and J.A. Haley. A hymn was sung by Rev Mr Grant and Fred S. Jones.

There was a profusion of floral tributes.

Mrs. Molan was born in Crawford, the daughter of Luther and Mrs. Sarah Seavey. Following her marriage to Stewart Molan she resided at Waite, the family coming to this town 40 years ago. Mr. Molan's death occurred in 1918.

Besides her daughter, she leaves two grandchildren, Mrs. Myra Gillis and Lincoln Maddocks of Danforth, there are three great-grandchildren.

She is survived by seven brothers and sisters; Andrew Seavey of Davidson; Chester Seavey of East Corinth; Gilbert Seavey in California; Mrs Mattie Blackman of East Machias; Mrs. Kit Henry and Mrs Stephens Wilkinson of Boston, and Mrs. Pratt McKinney of Corinna.



Relatives here from out of town were Mrs. B. P. McKinney of Corinna, Andrew Seavey, Mr and Mrs Arthur Seavey, Mr and Mrs Emery Seavey of Stacyville.

Elmer E. Estabrooke Died

1936

Yarmouth, Aug 11, 1936

Elmer. E. Estabrooks, 75, a native of Amity, died here. He left a brother, Arthur, Amity; four sons and three daughters, including Mrs. Laurel Ross, Bangor, and Mrs. George Golding, Danforth.

Thomas F. AMES

June 18, 1936

The Selden Baptist Church was ?????? Monday afternoon when the funeral services of THOMAS F. AMES, 84, were held. Rev A. R. Dalbeck officiated. Two selections were sung by C.M. Daggett, Mrs. P.W. Lyon and Miss Margaret Faulkner. The bearers were Thomas Fitzpatrick, John Drake, Dolpheus Campbell, and Robert Burns, There were many floral tributes.

Mr. Ames had been a resident of North Bancroft for many years, coming from his birthplace in Oak Hill, N.B. , when a young man. He engaged in farming, and following the death of his wife, Mrs. Maria Ames in 1905 gave up his farm to reside with his children. His death occurred in Lubeck at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Georgie Eaton, and followed a few days' illness.

He is kindly remembered by neighbors and friends.

He leaves five sons and daughters; Harry Ames of North Bancroft; Benjamin Ames of Lewiston; Hazen Ames of Flagstaff; Mrs Georgie Eaton of Lubec and Mrs Sadie Reed of Portland. There are a number of grandchildren. He is also survived by a brother, George Ames of Danforth.

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Newspaper clipping

George T. OSGOOD

Danforth, May 14, 1936

This community has been saddened by the death of George T. OSGOOD, 50 which occurred Wednesday after a long illness.

Mr. OSGOOD was the son of the late Clarence and Susan Tracey OSGOOD and was born in this town. When a young man he entered the employ of a local lumber concern. For several years he

was also employed by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. Mr Osgood was well liked by his associates, and leaves a large circle of friends.

In 1913 he united in marriage with Miss Bessie Vincent, who survives. There are four sons and daughters, Mary, Una and Earl Osgood of Danforth, and Paul Osgood of Bridgton. A sister, Mrs Frank E. Trafton is also left. There are several nephews and nieces.

The funeral services will be held at the home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev Cecil Grant will officiate.

#### FARRELL - CHAPMAN

Married in Danforth

A quiet wedding took place at the United Baptist Parsonage, Danforth, Main, on Tuesday afternoon. When Rev Cecil Grant united in marriage Amos Harold Farrell, of Fosterville, NB, and Miss Jenette Rebecca Chapman of New Glasgow, N.S. They were attended by Mr. And Mrs. Edwin Farrell and will reside at Fosterville.

#### Bolt of Lightning Kills Horse at Howe Farm Near Danforth

Danforth, August 4, 1936

A valuable farm horse was killed by a bolt of lightening late Tuesday afternoon as it stood in the barn of its owner, Thomas Howe in Weston. The lightning, entering the building over electric wiring, missed one horse and, striking a second animal, killed it instantly. The barn was not damaged.

#### WEDDINGS

Farrell - Gould

Bath, Me., Nov 6, 1936 - Miss Grace F. Gould and McAlton Farrell were united in marriage on November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30pm in a simple ceremony by the Rev. Frederick Moffatt pastor of the Curliss Street Baptist Church.

The bride who is the daughter of J. Hanford Gould, Danforth, Maine, wore blue taffeta and carried pink roses, was attended by her niece, Miss Helen Wood, who wore rose pink and white chiffon, and Miss Ethel Saunders, who wore blue and white.

The groom is the son of Mr. And Mrs. W. Henry Farrell of North Lake, N.B., and at the present time employed in a trucking and lumbering business.

The couple have a wide circle of friends to wish them happiness. They left Bath November 4<sup>th</sup> for a few days in the White Mountains.

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Newspaper clipping

### F. Maurice White

Smyrna, Dec. 7, 1936

With the passing of F. Maurice White, Smyrna loses one of its most respected citizens. Mr. White was born in Danforth, Maine, in 1877, the son of the late William and Sarah White. He came to Smyrna about twenty years ago. During this time he was engaged in farming which he carried on in a thrifty and up to date manner. His friendliness and pleasing personality has won for him many friends. A kind neighbor, a devoted husband and father, he will be sadly missed.

During his illness he was tenderly cared by his devoted wife, Laila Smart White. He was patient and uncomplaining through it all. His beautiful faith and trust in Christ, his expression of joy at the reunion with his loved ones over there will do much to soften the grief of those left to mourn him.

Funeral services were held in the Methodist Church. The attendance was large. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

He leaves to mourn their loss. A wife, two children, Paul and Madely of Smyrna, two sisters, Julia and Elizabeth White of Bangor, two brothers, Hudson of Danforth and Judson of Minot, N. Dakota. Also nieces and nephews.

### FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. Charles E. Howe, of Lauvina, Had Members of Family at Reunion

Fredericton Junction, Dec. 27, 1938 -The home of Mrs. Charles E. Howe of Lauvina, Sunbury County, was the scene of a very happy event on Christmas Day, when her children, grandchildren, daughters-in-law and sons-in-law and number of others gathered for a family reunion in her honor. The children T. Manzer Howe, Fredericton Junction; Stanley C. Howe, of homestead; Annie (Mrs. John Harper), Lauvina; Mrs Frances Boone, Lauvina; and Elizabeth (Mrs. Wesley Maxwell), Saint John West, The grandchildren all but one of whom, (Walter Howe) were present, were Charles and Lila Howe, Fredericton Junction; Edith , Murray and Geneva Howe, Lauvina; Rupert, Helen, Elaine and Donald Boone; and Byron Maxwell. Mrs Rupert Boone, Mrs Elizabeth Harper of Lauvina; Mrs Margaret L. Boone and Mrs. Margaret Nice of Saint John; Preston Grasse and Samuel Shanks of Geary and Bennie Smith of Woodside, were also present.

U.S. Citizenship Granted 37 In Houlton Court

Houlton, Nov. 2, 1938 - Naturalization cases took up the second day of the Aroostook superior court today. Final papers were given to 37 applicants of which 17 were of Houlton. Joseph J. Murphy of Boston was the citizenship examiner.

The list: Newton Howe, Weston; Guy Long, Houlton; Hurley McLaughlin, Houlton; Perley Quigg, Island Falls; William George, Island Falls; Percy Tilley, Bridgewater; Leo Amos Hitchcock, Houlton; Hazel Hitchcock, Houlton; John Cogger, Phair; Margaret Bither, Linneus; Nels Gustavson, Houlton; Humphrey Flemington, Houlton; Ralph Ivy, Hersey; Ernest Taylor, Westfield; John Graham, Houlton; Ethel Callnan, Houlton; Robert Carpenter, Monticello; Addie Alward, Houlton, Iva May Lenentine, Monticello; Esther Pattingall, Island Falls; George Delong, Houlton; James Trecartin, Bridgewater; Howard Graham, Littleton; Emma Boone, Houlton; Arthur Porter, Houlton; Carey Kelly, Houlton; Arthur Edwards, Houlton, Howard Gibson, Houlton; Albert Lunn, Houlton, Lloyd Greenlaw, whose name was changed to Lloyd Ward, Houlton; Gertrude Crone, Hodgdon; Ray Yerxa, Bridgewater; Edna Cyr, Van Buren; Mary Page, Fort Fairfield; Joseph Daigle, Madawaska; Nellie Gough, Mapleton and Mina Hone, Presque Isle.

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(Handwritten notes on page)

Coldest and stormy months Jan - Feb 1934

11 ft of snow since Oct 1933

Worst storm Tuesday Feb 26, 1934

Snow storm April 27, 1934 Pearle woods almost out 1834

Grand Lake frozen over Dec 1934

2 weeks coldest weather Dec 4, 1934

cold cold winter 1935 Jan 22 below zero

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Newspaper clipping

Miss Jennie A. Kinney

Danforth, March 10, 1937

Miss Jennie A. Kinney, 66 well known and respected resident of this town, died Friday in a Houlton hospital after an illness of three weeks following a serious operation. She was the daughter of Martin and Alice McCluskey Kinney both deceased, and leaves three brothers,

martin V of Bangor, Daniel of Bancroft and Peter Kinney with whom she made her home, also one sister, Mrs Mary Mowrey of Danforth, and several nieces and nephews.

She was a faithful member of St. Anne's Catholic church from which funeral services were held Monday morning. Rev Lionel Brunell officiated.

Among the out of town relatives attending the services were: Martin V. Kinney, Mrs Charles Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Kearns, Mrs Ceylon Kingsbury and Frank McCluskey of Houlton and Daniel Kinney and a family of Bancroft.

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Newspaper clipping

### GOULD RE-UNION

Seventh Get-together Held at Forestville, N.B.

Fosterville, N.B., Aug 20, 1938 - The seventh annual Gould reunion was held Saturday, August 19<sup>th</sup> at the Fosterville Sand Beach, Fosterville, N.B. A picnic dinner was served to eighty-two friends and relatives, after with the company was called to order by the president, George L. Gould, and a program and business session was held as follows: Prayer, Edwin P. Gould; reading of minutes of last meeting; reading, The Face on the Bar-room Floor, Clarence Gould, Island Falls, Me; song, There's an Old Spinning Wheel, Milton Gould, song, I'll Take My Vacation In Heaven, Alta Gould; song, We'll Meet to Rest No More, six of the Tead Mills Sunday School, Woodstock, N. B.; song, He Loves Me Too, Charles Gould; reading, My First Poem, by Archie Gould; talk, Edwin Gould; song, When He Cometh, by Barbara Gould; song with harmonica accompaniment, I Wonder How the Old Folks Are at Home, Fred White, Alton Perkins; reading, Marjorie Gould; duet, Helen and Phyllis Wood; duet, Marjorie and Lois Wood; reading Tommy's Prayer, Irma Gould; song, Will You Love Me, When I'm Old, Mrs. George L. Gould; song, My Little Gal Sal., Wm. Cogill; reading, When Mamma was a Little Girl, Annie Higgs; a story by Mrs. Annie Gould; song, March Along, Helen Higgs; song to Hindoo by Geraldine Kimball; reading, A Sale on Bachelors, Harry Ricker, Saint John, N. B.; song, There's an Old Spinning Wheel, and Memories, Mabel Gould; song, The Old Rugged Cross.

The yearly nomination of officers was as follows: President, Charles Gould, Newport, Me.; vice-president, Hanford Gould, Danforth, Me.; secretary, Grace F. Gould, Danforth.

Memorial service and a duet, Will the Circle Be Unbroken, Mrs. George L. Gould and John Higgs

Bathing was enjoyed throughout the day. Supper was served and the company ended the day's program by singing, God Be with You Till We Meet Again.

### Lutz FAMILY REUNION

### Lutz Family Gathered at North Lake for Third Annual Reunion

North Lake, N.B., Sept 1 1938 - The annual re-union of the Lutz family was held at the home of Peter C. Lutz, North Lake, N.B., Sunday, Aug 28<sup>th</sup>. This was the third re-union of the late Martha and Peter Lutz family. A picnic dinner was served on the lawn to seventy-three relatives and guests.

In the afternoon they all gathered on the wide veranda where the president, Peter C. Lutz, gave an address of welcome, the remainder of the afternoon was spent in pleasant conversation.

At 5 p.m. ice cream and cake were served and goodbyes were said till the last Sunday in August of the coming year, 1939 when all were invited to meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs Bernard Lutz of Unity, Maine.

Those present were: Mr and Mrs. Peter C. Lutz and daughter Nettie, North Lake, N.B.; Mr and Mrs Fessenden Lutz, North Vassalboro, Me.; Mr and Mrs Lewis Burke, Mr and Mrs Edward Burke, and Phillip Lutz of Fairfield, Me.; Sheriff and Mrs. Rex Bridges and daughter Thelma and Verner of Auburn, Me.; Mr and Mrs. Frank Parsons and daughter, Frances, and Mr and Mrs Albert Lutz and little Jennie Grondin of Skowhegan, Me.; Mr and Mrs Bernard Lutz of Unity, Me.; Mr and Mrs Ralph Cosman and son Harold, Mr and Mrs Murray Cosman of Houlton, Me.; Mr and Mrs Roland Miller, Littleton, Me.; Mrs Robert Cosman and daughter Arlene of Gorham, Me.; Mrs Edwin Lipsett, Miss Mamie Lutz and daughter Nina, Mr and Mrs T. W. Clarke, Mrs Elsie Clark and daughter Bett Joye and Harold Harley of Woodstock, N.B.; Mr and Mrs Wilbur Blackie of Ripples, N.B.; Mr and Mrs. Orrin Dickinson of Hartland, N.B., Mr and Mrs Augustus Upton and daughters Beatrice, Laura, Doris, Shirley and Joyce and Donald Paler of Lakeville, N.B.; Mr and Mrs Millage Cosman and sons Floyd, Lewis and John Glanville, of Debec, N.B.; Mr and Mrs Thomas Goulding and daughters, Georgia, Dawn and son, Alden and Charles Clarke of Cork, N.B.; Mr and Mrs Ervin Lister, of Forest City, N.B.; George and Hiram Veysey; Mr and Mrs Earl Atkinson and children Gertrude, Buddie, Elaine and Gene of North Lake, N.B.

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Newspaper clipping

### GREEN MOUNTAIN, NEW BRUNSWICK

Green Mountain, N.B., Aug 31 , 1938 - Aaron Pratt and Roger Vincent, Boston, Mass were week-end visitors with Mr and Mrs Arlie Boone.

Miss Mary Boone is spending a few days with Mrs. John Wheaton, Forest City, Me.

Mr and Mrs Claude Peck have returned from visiting relatives at Woodstock.

Lois Boone spent a few days last week with friends at Danforth, Me.

Mr and Mrs Vernon French, Edwin French and Coral French, Danforth, Me, were Sunday Guests at Mr and Mrs Clarence Boone's.

Mr and Mrs Orin Dickinson, Upper Brighton, N.B. are visiting Mrs. Dickinson's parents , Mr and Mrs. Peter Lutz.

Bernice Wood, Fosterville, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Robert Farrell.

Arlie Boone and Elias Foster were visitors at Fredericton, Monday.

Mrs. Harvey Boone and Mrs. Nina Wood and daughter Ila and Mrs Emery Farrell, Eel River Lake, left Monday for Boston, Mass, being called there by the illness of their sister, Mrs Joseph Whitcomb, Mrs Whitcomb was formerly Miss Emma Foster and her illness is regretted by her many friends.

Paul Peck is visiting friends at Houlton, Me.

Russell Boone spent a few days last week with his aunt Mrs. Eric m. Smith, Eel River Lake.

William Boone, Mrs Alfred Veysey and Mrs Clyde Veysey, Fosterville, were guests of Mrs Harry D. Lunder Wednesday.

The Lutz reunion was held at the home of Mr and Mrs Peter C. Lutz Sunday, August 28<sup>th</sup>, with seventy-three present.

An open -air service and baptism was held at Fosterville Sand-Beach Sunday afternoon with Mrs McCrae speaking to a large crowd of attentive listeners.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Farnham and daughter Margaret, Milltown, N.B. were calling Sunday on Mrs. Farnham's brother, Earle A. Atkinson and Mrs. Atkinson.

### MARCH WEATHER LORE

Winds in March and rains in April

Promise great blessings in May.

March will search, April will try;

May will tell you whether you live or die.

As much dew as shown in March,

so much fog rises in August.

In beginning or in end

March its gifts will send.

As it rains in March, so it rains in June.

Is't on Joseph's day (19<sup>th</sup>) clear,

So follows a fertile year;

Is't on Mary's (25<sup>th</sup>) bright and clear,

Fertile is said to be the year.

A damp, rotten March gives pain to farmers.

A dry March, wet April and cool May

Fill barns, cellar and bring much hay.

Rain in March, Poor harvest.

Dust in March brings grass and foliage.

It is does not freeze on the 10<sup>th</sup>, a

fertile year my be expected.

Snow in March is bad for fruit and grapevine.

March wet and windy

Makes the barn full and nndy,

Much dust and March winds

bleaches like a summer's sun.

A peck of March dust and showers in May,

Makes corn green and fields gray.

When March is like April, April

will be like March.

If March comes with adder's head,



It goes out with peacock tail.

A dusty March, a snowy February,

a moist April and a dry May presage a good year.

March damp and warm,

Will do the farmer much harm.

A dry March never brings its bread,

March comes in like a lamb and

goes out like a lion.

So many frosts in March, so many in May,

March winds and May sun

Make clothes white and maidens dun.

March grass never did good.

March is January, January in March, I fear.

A windy March and a rainy April

Makes a beautiful MAY.

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Newspaper clipping a picture.

Rev. Ruth Walsh, National and State WCTU Leader,

Dies in New York City

Was Summer Pastor of Allagash Church and Daughter, Widow, Mother-In-Law and Sister of a Minister.

8 Feb. 1939

The Rev Ruth E. Walsh, National and State WCTU worker and summer pastor of a church in the Allagash, died Wednesday afternoon in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Philip C. Hughey, in New York City, according to word received here.

A minister herself, she was the daughter of a minister, the Rev. William R. Pettengill, of Leeds, the widow of a minister, the Rev. A.A. Walsh, evangelist, who held many Maine pastorates. The mother-in-law of a minister, the Rev. Mr. Hughey, the sister of a minister, the Rev. William T. Pettengill, and the sister-in-law of a minister, the Rev. George Kincaid of Truro, N.S.

The Rev. Mrs. Walsh was born at Leeds and was educated in Gardiner High School and Bates College.

She taught school for a time before having been married to the Rev. Mr. Walsh at Leeds in 1902.

Her brother, the Rev. Mr. Pettengill, was married at the same time; each bridegroom performed the ceremony for the other couple.

With her husband, she lived in various Maine town in which he held pastorates, including Gardiner, Waterboro, Westbrook, South Windham, White Rock, and Allagash Baptist churches.

She was ordained to the ministry at Waterboro in 1923, where she also acted as school music supervisor.

When her husband equipped a trailer for evangelism and traveled through New England, the southern and central states, she traveled with and assisted him.

Several years the Rev Mr and Mrs Walsh occupied the pastorate at Allagash Summers and traveled, evangelizing. Winters, when her husband died in 1932, she carried on the pastorate alone. Some Winters she passed in Boston doing Church work. She was visiting her daughter when she died.

She was a National WCTU lecturer, having been the only New England women accepted for a course on alcohol education conducted by the WCTU in Evanston, Ill. She frequently had lectured in Portland and other Maine localities.

A capable musician, she had been musical director for the Main WCTU and also its evangelical director.

Funeral services will be held in the church of which her son-in-law is pastor. Services also will be held in her Allagash church. Interment will be at Allagash, where her husband is buried.

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Newspaper clipping

1939

Mr and Mrs. Delie Irish and son Watson, and Mr and Mrs Delmar Irish of Haynesville were called here Friday to attend the funeral of James McLaughlin.

Virgil Hitchcock returned to the CCC camps located in Princeton, Monday night, after a week's visit at home.

E.B. Putnam and Edward Clough will start Thursday for Florida. They also expect to visit California before returning home.

John P. Sylvia, who is a member of the State Legislature in Augusta spent the week-end at his home here.

#### Home from Hospital

James Crone, who was seriously injured a few weeks ago, while working in the woods and has been in the Aroostook General Hospital since, was able to be moved home last week.

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Newspaper clipping with picture.

#### Sudden End of Honored and Useful Career

##### William H. Powell Long in Law Practice and Public Service

William H. Powell, 74, resident and in general law practice for 46 years in Old Town; former judge of probate of Penobscot county; and president of the Penobscot Bar association since 1931, died in the Eastern Main hospital Monday forenoon. His last illness was brief as he was in his office as usual last week and taken to the hospital Sunday.

The funeral will be at the residence, 235 Center street, in Old Town, Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock.

Born in Topsfield, the son of Andrew L. Powell and Dorcas Harriet Powell, he attended the public schools of Topsfield and Danforth; was one year in Houlton academy and graduated from Maine Central Institute in 1884. He taught school for seven winters, his last school being Danforth High School in 1887. He was superintendent of schools in Danforth, 1886 to 1888.

After reading law with B.W. Hewes of Danforth and Gen. Henry L. Mitchell of Bangor, he entered Boston University Law school in September 1888 and graduated in June, 1890, after being admitted to the Somerset County Bar in April.

Beginning practice in Dover in 1890 in the office with Ephriam Flint, he moved to Old Town and began practice in February 1891, continuing up to the time of his death. He served as chairman of Board of Registration from 1893 to 1911 in Old Town and becoming active in politics he was secretary of Republican county committee eight years, and was always high in the councils of the party in his city, county and district and state.

Elected Judge of Probate for Penobscot county in 1916 he served four years.

As city attorney of Old Town, elected in 1914, he served ten years; and for six years past being the present city attorney.

Interested in Masonry he was a member of Star of East lodge, Old Town Royal Arch chapter, St. John's commandery, and Anah Temple; also of Old Town lodge of Elks. Musically inclined he was for many years a member of the festival chorus of Bangor. He attended the Old Town Universalist church.

Judge Powell's career was one of continued activity to the end. His record for long service with continual re-elections to offices in his city, county, the Bar and political organizations, speaks eloquently of appreciation of his integrity and strict devotion to good citizenship, in serving to the best of his ability. Of a kindly and genial temperament his friends were countless and of long standing.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ella Simpson Powell, whom he married 47 years ago; two brothers, Dr. Lester L. Powell of Portland and Almond W. Powell of Danforth; two sisters, Mrs. Lenora Cummings of Boston and Mrs Ella M. Goodwin of Bangor; nieces and nephews.

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Newspaper clipping

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#### HORACE C. TUPPER

TOPSFIELD, Jan 29, 1940 - Funeral services for Horace C. Tupper were held in the local Congregational church Saturday afternoon, with a large attendance and a profusion of beautiful flowers. The impressive Masonic rites were performed. Miss Elise Ross was soloist.

Mr. Tupper died at his home Thursday after a brief illness, cerebral hemorrhage being cause of death. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mina .B. Tupper; three nieces, Mrs. Virginia Powers and Mrs. Adelaide Plummer of Houlton and Mrs Hazel Braun of Portland, and one nephew, Dr. Lynnell T. Hughes of Hackensack, N. J.

For more than a half-century, Mr Tupper had been affiliated with the Masonic order, and was a member of Baskahegan grange of Carroll, and of Lurvey's Island lodge, I.O.O.F, of Princeton. For 23 consecutive years he served as Topsfield town treasurer, and had been a game warden for 12 years.

Bearers were Ralph Thornton, Alton McGraw, Dexter White, Harold Noble and Edward Ripley.

Attending the services from out of town were Dr. Lynnell T. Hughes, Hackensack, N. J.; Mrs Virginia Powers, Houlton; Mr and Mrs Leo Bowker, Mr and Mrs Charles Bowker, Mrs Blaine Bowker and Mrs Earl Decker, all of Carroll; Mr and Mrs Bert Bowker of Augusta; Mrs Hattie

Smith and Horace Aldrich, South Springfield; Gilman Smith and Fred Decker of Springfield; Mrs and Mrs Franklyn Woodard of Corinna.

Mr and Mrs Hiram Stapels, Mr and Mrs John Ryan and Mrs Helen Leighton of Baileyville; Mr and Mrs Guy Scribner of Calais; Mr and Mrs Harry Oakes of Woodland; Mr and Mrs Byron Woodard, Mr and Mrs Orland Cole, Mr and Mrs Clifton Davis, Mr and Mrs Arthur Bowker, Mrs Ada Smith, Mrs Daisy Beatham and Mabel Beatham, Mrs Bertha Richards and Pit Smith all of Lincoln.

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Newspaper clipping

#### Cost of World War to United States about 50 Billions

Washington, Jan 16 - (AP)- The cost of the World War to the United States was officially set at about \$50,000,000,000 today. The estimate was disclosed in the detailed annual report of the treasury. In it, Secretary Morqenthau figured the cost of the war as follows:

Estimated cost to June 30, 1921, \$27, 729, 000,000.

Interest on war debt, \$9,557,000.000.

Veterans administration, \$6,391,000,000.

Settlement of war claims, \$88,000,000.

This does not include something like \$12,000,000,000 in war debts owed the United States for foreign nations.

#### Willard Kinney

1936

Danforth, June 20, 1936 - The death of Willard Kinney, 73, occurred Tuesday. He was born in Brookton and had lived in this town since a young man. He engaged in farming during his younger days, two miles out. He leaves several sons and daughters. A son, Alvah Kinney died in the World War. There are a number of grandchildren.

The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the Jones' Funeral Rooms, Rev. Walter A. Smith, officiating.

#### JAMES B. SMART

Jan 15, 1937 - James B. Smart, 85, resident of Danforth for the most of his life for the past ten years in Bangor, died Friday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cora Billotta. He leaves his

daughters, Mrs. Mabel Varney of Orono and Mrs. Flora Gibbons of Somerville, Mass; a brother, Fred Smart of Houlton, grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

The funeral and interment will be in Danforth.

#### MRS. GERTRUDE CLARK FOSS

Danforth, April 19 - Mrs. Gertrude Clark Foss, 73, widow of John Carr Foss, was born in Hartland, N. B., but had been a resident of Danforth for the past 35 years. She leaves one son, Rex W. Foss; five sisters, Mrs. Joseph McCosker of Bangor; Mrs. William Mills of Weston; Mrs. William Macy of Preque Isle; Mrs P.F. Clark, Albert, Canada and Mrs. B.C. McCrimmon of San Francisco; Three brothers, Charles H. Clark of Boston; Colen Clark of Alberta, and Roy Clark of Bangor, besides several grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary, Judith Rebekah Lodge and Nonpareil chapter Eastern Star.

She was a very devoted mother and grandmother having cared for her son's children since the death of their mother. A kindly neighbor, she will be missed by a host of friends.

Funeral services were held in the Baptist church Friday afternoon, Rev Cecil Grant officiated and the Eastern Star service was read. A duet was sung by Miss Margaret Faulkner and Miss Lorraine Sylvia. Interment was in the family lot in Weston.

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Newspaper clipping with picture.

Ex-Councillor T.W. Wetmore Died Suddenly While Visiting with Relatives in Saint John

One of Best Know residents of York County - born in England 81 years ago.

Dec 19, 1935 - News of the death at Lancaster Heights, Saint John, yesterday of Thomas W. Wetmore, aged 81, of North Lake, came as a shock to his legion of friends in Fredericton and other parts of New Brunswick, the State of Maine and other places in Canada and the United States.

Mr. Wetmore was born in Basingstoke, England, and when a comparatively young man came to New Brunswick, locating at Saint John. He also worked in Fredericton upon the construction of the original Provincial Normal School erected in 1877 and burned several years ago. For some years he was employed in Saint John as a mason and later moved to North Lake, York county, where he was employed by the Canadian Customs. Some time later, he was appointed immigration officer and in both positions he carried out his duties most faithfully, giving satisfaction to the Dominion Government and to the many people with whom he had dealings. In 1910 Mr. Wetmore was elected to represent the Parish of North Lake at the York Municipal Council and again in 1911. He filled his position most acceptably and such a hon..???...municipal affairs have for him that he never missed a session of the council, coming to Fredericton in January and July each year and attending the sessions. He always gave a short

address to the councillors and his semi-annual visits were always bright spots of the meeting. He did not confine his visits to Fredericton to twice a year but was a frequent visitor, making his home at the Waverly Hotel. "Uncle Tom" as he was known to his friends, always met his friends with a smile and greeting, giving kindly advice where needed and always ready with a joke or story. He was in Fredericton a few weeks ago and was then looking forward to again coming to the Council meeting in January.

#### Covered 41,000 Miles With Horse.

Mr. Wetmore a few years ago owned a black mare named "Gladys", and he claimed he and his mare had covered 41,000 miles in the discharge of his duties. He told many interesting stories of the time he did his work by the aid of "Gladys." and it was with sorrow he saw her die a few years ago. He was known to tourists from the United States and Canada who frequently visited Skiff Lake and North Lake, and he and his wife, "Aunt Maggie" who died a few years ago, were noted for their hospitality and kindness to the stranger within their gates. He was a follower of race-horses and always was at Fredericton, Woodstock and Houlton when the racing season was on. He was a kind, courteous gentleman, a member of the old school which is fast disappearing and one who will be missed not only in his own community but wherever he was known and in his death York County has lost one loved and admired for many fine qualities of heart and mind. He was a good and useful life, filled with many acts of kindness to his fellow men.

#### Met With Accident.

Mr. Wetmore met with an accident about a year ago when he was thrown from an automobile while coming to Fredericton with a party of friends. He did not fully recover from the injuries received, although he never complained. Mr. Wetmore went to Saint John last week to visit at the home of relatives, Mr and Mrs. T. W. Perry and it was at their home he suffered a heart attack yesterday which resulted in his death. He is survived by a son, Councillor Arthur C. Wetmore, with whom he lived since the death of Mrs. Wetmore, a few years ago.

The body was taken last night to his home at North Lake for interment the funeral taking place this afternoon.

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Newspaper clipping.

Mrs. Ella M. Trafton

1936

Danforth, Dec 24, 1936 - The death of Mrs. Ella M. Trafton, 66 , wife of William H. Trafton, occurred Tuesday following an illness of several months.

She was born in Lynnfield, N.B. the daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Trafton, and was married to William H. Trafton in 1887. The family resided at Lambert for several years following. They have been well known residents of this town for the past 37 years.

Mrs. Trafton's life was devoted to her family and home and of service to others. Many of life's finest traits were possessed by her, and she is most kindly remembered by a host of friends.

She was an active member in lodge circles, and was Past Matron of Nonpareil Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, a Past Noble Grand of Judith Rebekah lodge and a member of the Methodist Church. She leaves besides her husband, four sons and daughters: Frank E. Trafton, Elton Trafton and Mrs. Ray Merrifield of Danforth; Mrs Stuart Innis of Portland, a daughter, Mrs Maude Harding, died seven years ago. There are seven grandchildren. Also surviving are Trafton of Lambert: Clarence Trafton of St. John, N.B.; Percy Trafton of Brunswick; Allie Trafton of Eastport; Mrs. Frank Raye of Vanceboro; Mrs Oliver McLaughlin of Portland; Mrs. Alfred Raye of Lynnfield, N.B.

The funeral services were held Thursday at 2 p.m. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Merrifield. Judith Rebekah lodge conducted its service.

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Newspaper clipping

Mrs. Anna Blanchard

February 6, 1939

A number from this place attended the funeral of Mrs. Anna Blanchard , 84 years old, held at her home at Forest City on Sunday afternoon. A large number of relatives and friends were present to pay their last tribute of respect to one who had endeared herself to all. Rev A. Stott conducted the service and spoke from the words of the Psalmist When I awake I am still with thee. He also sang two hymns When I get to the End of the Way and Alone With God. The floral tributes were beautiful. Interment was made in the Forest City cemetery beside her husband. Joseph Blanchard, who died several years ago. Since his death Mrs. Blanchard has lived alone, doing all her own work and was very active though nearly 84 years of age. Since last January the Ladies Aid had held its meeting at her home every Thursday until last week. They met with her on Jan. 26 and on the Friday night following she was taken ill and died a week later. Mrs. Blanchard was for a great many years a leader in the church work at Forest City and will be greatly missed by a large circle of relatives and friends.

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Newspaper clipping

THOMAS O. HARRIS



JANUARY 23, 1937

Danforth, Jan 26, 1937 The death of Thomas O. Harris 65, which occurred in St. Stephen, N.B., Following an accident, is deeply deplored by friends throughout this section.

Mr Harris had been a valued employee of the Canadian Pacific and Main Central Railroads for the past 40 years. He was employed as section man at Vanceboro at the time of his passing. Mr Harris was known as a conscientious workman, fulfilling his duties with credit and was held in high esteem by his associates.

He was born in Tracy, N.B. the son of T. Obder and Elizabeth Boone Harris. His marriage to Miss Frances A. Golding of Danforth took place in 1893. The family resided at Tracy, coming to this town in 1916.

He was an active member of the fraternal orders, and was a grand officer of the Knights of Pythias lodge, of Vanceboro. He was a member of Danforth Lodge, I.O.O.F. and Judith Rebekah Lodge.

Besides his wife, he leaves a son and four daughters: Perley O. Harris of Los Angeles, Calif; Mrs. Myrtle Gould, Miss Alma Harris, Mrs. Verda Tuck and Mrs. Estella Farmham (? spelling) all of Danforth. There are 16 grandchildren. He is survived by two brothers and a sister: Albion Harris of Fredericton, N. B. ; Sherman Harris and Mrs. Annie DeWitt of Tracy, N.B.

The funeral services which were held at the Baptist church Monday afternoon were attended by many friends. Rev Cecil T. Grand, pastor officiated. Danforth lodge, I O.O.F conducted its impressive service. The selection, "No Night There," was sung by Fred S. Jones. The committal service was held by the Knights of Pythias. A profusion of floral tributes sent by friends and organizations testified to their esteem for the deceased. Among the tributes were those sent by the Maine Central Railroad Employees at Vanceboro, the Knights of Pythias lodge at Vanceboro and Danforth Lodge, I.O.O.F.. The bearers were Wilfred Emery and Bradfor Golding and Walter Harris.

Relatives who came to the attend the funeral were: Sherman Harris of Harvey, N.B.; Mrs jack Hoyt of North Devon, N.B.; Mr and Mrs Walter Harris of Harvey; Wilfred and Emery Golding of Houlton.

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Leora Edith Golding died at Houlton - Dec 5, 1934

Tom Carr died - Oct 1934

Junnes, Jimmier, Innis ??? Corneilson Died Jan 1935

Mrs. Edd Bedell Died - Jan 1935

Mrs. Frank McMINN died -Jan 1935

Mr Cox died Jan 29, 1935 (lived along side George)

Mrs. Davis at Danforth died Feb 24, 1935

Mrs. George Latin died Feb 27, 1935

Maurice McMINN Dec 3, 1934

Mrs Lillian Dun died March 20, 1935

Mrs. George Smart died March 22, 1935

insane by - nes - March 1935

Mrs. Cammel died March 1935

Mrs. Reuben Philips died Jan 17, 1935

Mr. Marchal (Marshal) died May 2, 1935

Mrs. Henry Springer died May 13, 1935

Huff boy died infant????? Sept 1935

Billie Moody died Sept 29, 1935

Mr Bill Foss died Sept 11, 1935

Mrs. Lewis Brown died June 19, 1935

Evert Cropley died Oct 1935

Mrs. Carns died Oct 18, 1935

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Mr Harding got shot accidental Nov 18, 1935

Mr Wiers got shot in elbow, laid out night Nov 18, 1935

Mr. Thomas Wetmore died Dec 18, 1935

Mr. Pit Schillinger died Dec 30, 1935

Mrs. Rex Foss died Jan 13, 1936

Mrs. Edd Kinney died Jan 8, 1936

Henry Harding, age 24 Feb 4, 1936

King George Died Jan 1936

John Gaskin died Feb 24, 1936

Mr. Charles Foster died March 12, 1936

Mrs. Charles Foster died March 23, 1936

Bragdon wife died March 31, 1936

Mrs. Carleton died March 29, 1936

Mrs. Zura Gilpatrick died April 7, 1936

Sherman Whitney died April 26, 1936

Mr Elliot Brannon girl got killed June 4, 1936

Mr. Thomas Ames died June 10, 1936

Mr. Willard Kinney died June 17, 1936

Mrs. Amy Kinney died Aug 22, 1936

Mrs. Ed Smart died Aug 27, 1936

Asa DeWitt shot wife and himself Sept 1, 1936

Jennie Gilpatrick died Sept 2, 1936

Lin Lewis died Sept 3, 1936

Mrs. Stewart Molan died April 20, 1936

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George Osgood died May 14, 1936

Arthur Ragon died Aug 12, 1936

Mr. Laten or Lafen???? - died Sept 7, 1936

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Fred Boone died of burns Sept 12, 1936

Rev Mr Ross died Sept 26, 1936

Nora Boone Died Oct 5, 1936

Mr Lafen or Laten???? died- Sept 7, 1936 ????

Mr. Aderine Shaw died Oct 1936

Mrs. Will Giles died Oct 27, 1936

Mr. Con Kinney died Nov 1936

Mr. Earl Bubar drowned Nov 21, 1936

Mr. Granville Foster? Died Dec 24, 1936

Mrs. Will Trafton died Dec 23, 1936

Mrs. Joseph Lee got burned died Dec 1936

Mrs. McDougal Orient died Jan 8, 1937

Mrs. Call Harding died Jan 8, 1937

Wilbur Love died Dec 30, 1936

Mr. Truss Smart died Jan 11, 1937

Mr. Allen Died Jan 14, 1937

Mr Junmie Smart died Jan 15, 1937

Will Dow of Lincoln - Jan 19, 1937

Mr. Harris of Danforth got hurt by train died Jan 23, 1937

Mr. Isaiah Mowrey died Jan 30, 1937

Harvey Munsey died March 3, 1937 or 31<sup>st</sup>?

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Lucie Winslow here from Boston Aug 22, 1922

Went to Houlton and Woodstock Aug 23, 1922

Lucie Winslow here from Boston 1930

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Newspaper clipping with picture.

Dr. W.W. Mattson, wealthy Tacoma, Washington, physician, who left the work of finding his kidnaped boy to the Department of Justice.

Most Recent Portrait of 10-year-old Charles Mattson, of Tacoma, Washington, for whom kidnapers sought \$28,000. Ransom. The boy was seized less than a week ago.

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Newspaper clipping

CHARLES F. BOONE

Died 1937

Died at Forest City. Word has been received here of the recent death of Charles F. Boone at Forest City, N.B. Deceased was born in Fredericton sixty-four years ago. The youngest son of the late Alexander Boone and Mrs. Boone of North Lake. Mr. Boone attended the Provincial Normal School in Fredericton and taught school in the Province for a number of years. Surviving are his wife: three daughters, Alice of Houlton, Me; Mrs. John Smith, Canterbury, N.B. and Mrs.

Frank Way, Forest City; three small grandsons; three sisters. Mrs. Annie Hall, Maxwell, N.B.; Mrs. Elizabeth Bustard, and Mrs. Alice Bustard, of Monument Settlement; Three brothers. George and Harvey, Forest City, and William of North Lake. Funeral services were held at the

late home, with Rev Cecil Grant, of Danforth, Me., officiating, and interment made at Forest City.

Mr. Isaiah Mowrey died Jan 30, 1937

Danforth, Feb 3, 1937 - the death of Isaiah Mowrey, 70, occurred at his home here after a long illness. He had been a highly respected citizen of Danforth for years, coming here as a young man from his birthplace in Nasonworth, N. B., a suburb of Fredericton.

He is survived by his wife who was Miss Mary Kinney of Danforth; two daughters, Mrs. Vera Schillinger and Mrs. Alice Huff, both of Danforth, and four grandchildren. He also leaves three sisters, Mrs. Fred Robinson, Mrs. Joseph Crowley and Mrs. George Blizzar of Fredericton, N.B., and two brothers, Charles of Fredericton, and John Mowrey in Pennsylvania. Funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon, Rev Cecil Grant officiating.

#### Two Bodies Found Near Danforth

1936

Danforth, Nov 21, - (AP)-Searchers today found the bodies of Earl Bubar, Brockton store Proprietor, and William Hudson of East Walpole, Mass., in Baskahegan Lake, 12 miles from here, where the men had gone hunting.

Dr. A.K. Curtis, Washington County Medical examiner, ascribed their death to accidental drowning.

Search was instituted yesterday after Bubar's flashlight and hat were found beside a hole in the ice, where evidently the pair had broken through.

Bubar leaves a widow and three children. Hudson came here for his second season of hunting.

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Newspaper clipping

#### Shock Is Fatal To Mrs. Galen McKinney, Bangor

Passing Of Gold Star Mother Deeply Mourned by Many Friends

A host of friends will learn with sincere regret of the death of Mrs. Edwina A. McKinney, wife of Galen McKinney, which occurred suddenly Wednesday afternoon at the McKinney cottage at Lamoine Beach as the result of a shock. She had gone to Lamoine Beach for the day with her husband and daughter, Mrs. Annie M. Cummings of this city. In impaired health for some time, she was 65 years of age.

Born in Carroll, the daughter of Mr and Mrs J.F. Richardson, she was one of the first American Gold Star Mothers, a son, Charles McKinney of the Yankee Division, being killed in action in American participation in the World War.

She was a past president of the James W. Williams Post Auxiliary, American Legion, a member of the Columbia Street Baptist church and a devoted wife, mother, neighbor, and friend, beloved for her fine character and generous nature.

Surviving besides her husband and her daughter, Mrs. Cummings, are two sons, Frank R. and George W. McKinney, both of Bangor; two other daughters, Mrs. Madge Bresnaham and Mrs. Alice Bridges, of Jamaica, N.Y.; eight grandchildren; a brother, Asa F. Richardson, of Bangor; four sisters: Mrs. George Mitton and Mrs. Lucy Bailey of Lincoln, Mrs. Fred Butterfield of Weston and Mrs. Leon K. Averill of South Brewer; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the residence. 62 Kenluskeag Avenue.

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Newspaper clipping

Came to Danforth 1938

#### Mrs Mary D. Springer

Danforth, Nov 30, 1937 - the death of Mrs. Mary Deering Springer, 93, widow of George H. Springer, occurred Sunday after a long decline.

Mrs Springer was born in Orient. When a young woman she was married to Mr. Springer. The family lived in Weston until a few years previous to Mr. Springer's death in 1911.

She joined the Methodist church when a young woman and for many years was an outstanding member; she was a charter member of the Ladies' Aid Society, which was organized in 1881 and served as its first vice-president.

She leaves her son, Will Springer of Danforth, and a granddaughter, Laura M. Springer of Houlton; a son, Nevada H. Springer dies 35 years ago. She also leaves a brother and two sisters, Stephen Deering of Orient, Mrs. Bessie Farrar of Danforth and Mrs. Emily Morang of Oakland, nephews and nieces.

The funeral services were in the Methodist church this afternoon by Rev. Walter Pavy.

#### Girl 5, Killed When Struck by Car in Brookton

Jean McKinnon, receives internal injuries; accident in front of Home

Brookton, April 14, 1937 - Five-year-old Jean McKinnon daughter of Mr and Mrs. John McKinnon of this town, was fatally injured at 3:15 o'clock this afternoon when struck in front of her home by a car operated by V.D. Craig of Brookton.

The girl died of internal injuries a short time after the accident at the office of a doctor in nearby Danforth.

According to State Trooper Frank Billings the girl had been brought home from Birch grammar school by Craig and she ran in front of his vehicle as he started up.

Placed in a passing car, the injured child was rushed to the office of Dr. Belideau in Danforth, but succumbed shortly after her arrival there.

#### MILLS - GOLDING

Oct. 23, 1937

Rev. Alexander Stewart was in Danforth Saturday evening, where he performed the marriage ceremony for Robert E. Mills and Miss Pearl E. Golding, daughter of George and Olive F. Golding, at the home of her parents, Mr Mills, who is the son of Mr and Mrs George E. Mills, of Vanceboro, is M.C. R.R. section foreman at Lambert Lake, Where they will reside. Mr and Mrs. Mills were also in attendance at the wedding of their son.

#### MISS CLARA LOCKE, RN

Mr and Mrs F J. Locke have received report of the arrival of their daughter Miss Clara Locke, RN, at her new address, 757 Brooklyn Ave, Brooklyn, NYC, where with a friend from McLean hospital who accompanied her, she has accepted a position in a large hospital.

#### MR AND MRS PAUL SCANLIN

Mr and Mrs Paul Scanlin of Weston have moved to the apartment in the Howland home on Water Street recently vacated by H.E. Dolloff. Mr Scanlin is teaching the State school at Lambert Lake, and was unable to find housekeeping quarters in that community.

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Newspaper clipping

#### MRS. ANNA BLANCHARD

Danforth, Feb. 15, 1938 - The funeral service of Mrs. Anna Blanchard was Sunday afternoon at her late residence in Forest City, by Rev. A.A Scott, who also rendered two solos, the bearers were Pratt McKinney, Frank Moore, Fred Butterfield and Ross McMINN.



Surviving are five sisters, Mrs. DH Butterfield, Weston; Mrs. Florence McMINN, Danforth; Mrs. George Gould, Forest City; Mrs. Frank Moore, Moores Mills, N.B.; Mrs. George Johnson, Portland; three brothers, Lee McKinney, Power, Mont; Pratt McKinney, Corinna, and Deane McKinney of Hoquiam, Wash.

## SOUTH AROOSTOOK

Rev. Cecil Grant

Danforth, May 17, 1938 - The Pastor, Rev. Cecil Grant, having resigned his pastorate here left on May 17 for Phillips where he has accepted a call to the work. Before leaving Danforth Mr. Grant and mother, Mrs Minnie Grant, were tendered a fine reception from the local church and also the churches of the Larger Parish work. He received gifts from each church and a purse of money. The best wishes of his many friends follow him to his new field of labor.

## THE GOULD FAMILY

August 1939

The twelfth annual reunion of the Leonard and Mary Gould family was Saturday at the Fosterville sand beach. Bathing was enjoyed and at noon a picnic dinner was served to a large number of relatives and friends.

The afternoon was in charge of the president, Clarence T. Gould of Island Falls, and opened by repeating in unison the twenty-third Psalm, followed by a prayer by George L. Gould of Forest City.

The following were elected: Willfred C. Gould, president; Eldon A. Gould, vice-president; Mrs Grace Gould Farrell, secretary. An interesting program followed, closing with "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," sung in chorus.

Those attending were: Mr and Mrs. George Gould, Mr and Mrs. Herbert Lydick, Mr and Mrs. Charles Gould, Mr and Mrs. Clarence Gould and family, including their son Milton, from New Jersey; Mr and Mrs Ernest Higgins, Mr and Mrs Fred White and family, Virginia Dwyer, Eldon A. Gould, Mrs and Mrs. Clarence Graham, Mr and Mrs. Alton Farrell, Mr and Mrs Lester Wood and family, Mr and Mrs. Eugene Malone and son, Edwin P. Gould and family, Mr and Mrs John Higgs and family, Mrs Annie Gould, Fred Gould and family, Mr and Mrs Alfred Howe and daughter, Mrs. Robert McKinney and daughter, Mr and Mrs Harold Graham and family, Mr and Mrs. Grottie Gould, Mrs. Annie Hillman, Mrs Everette Gould and family, Mr and Mrs Archie Gould and family. In all 87 relatives with ten guests were present.

Since the last reunion two members have died: Mrs Wilfred Gould in October, 1938, and J. Hanford Gould, March 3, 1939, both of Danforth. The next reunion will be the third Sunday in August, 1940.

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Newspaper clipping

Ellsworth Fire - May 2, 1933 came to visit

Ned Putnam and McCready here Mary 13, 1933

Auburn Fire - May 1933

Bank closed again 20 June 1933

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Newspaper clipping

#### BLACKIE - LUTZ

Woodstock, Sept. 11 - A marriage of interest to many friends in New Brunswick took place at the home of the bride, when Miss Mildred Evelyn, daughter of Mrs. Mamie Lutz and the late Elmer Lutz, Woodstock, was united in marriage to Wilbur Wallace Blackie, son of Mr and Mrs Oliver Blackie, Debec. Rev. Henry E. Allaby performed the ceremony in the reception room beneath an arch of gladioli and fern. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Wilbur Gray.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her uncle, H. Miller, wore a brown satin back crepe dress, trimmed with green, and brown accessories and carried a shower bouquet of sweetpeas and maidenhair fern. She was attended by her sister, Miss Marion Lutz.

The groomsman was Thomas Clark, Amherst, N. S.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held and a buffet luncheon was served to a number of relatives and friends. The diningroom was beautifully decorated with cut flowers.

The bride's table was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake, adorned with a miniature bride and groom.

The bride and groom were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts, which included a silver tea service and chest of silver. They will reside at Woodstock. Mrs. Blackie is a graduate of Saint John General Hospital.

#### FORMER SAINT JOHN MAN WED IN MASS

The following from a West Townsend, Mass., journal is of interest to friends in Saint John:

Rev Francis S. Bernauer and Mrs Bernauer of West Townsend announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth Bernauer of Allston to William Elton Porter of Brighton on Friday evening in the First Baptist Church of West Townsend. The bride's father officiated at the

8:30 ceremony and Mrs Bernauer gave her daughter in marriage. A reception followed in the church parlors.

The bride wore her mother's wedding gown of hand-embroidered China Silk, with a long empress train and carried her mother's wedding Bible, as well as a large bouquet of Easter lillies. She wore a halo hat and veil of tulle, caught with orange blossoms. Her matron-of-honor, Mrs Clarence Hayward, sister of the bridegrooms, was gowned in a light blue chiffon and she carried a bouquet of roses tied with a silver ribbon.

The bridesmaids wore pink organdie gowns, and they carried old fashioned bouquets tied with green ribbon. They were Miss Louise Leverone of Brighton, Miss Hope Newman of Allston, Miss Constance Ely of West Townsend and Miss Alice Porter of Westwood, a sister of the bridegroom.

Clarence Hayward served his brother-in-law as best man and the corps of ushers was headed by Francis S. Bernauer, Jr., brother of the bride. The ushers were Justin Brown of Malden, Alden A Sherwin, Jr. and Charles Hodgman, Jr., of West Townsend.

Mr and Mrs Porter will reside on Glenville Avenue, Allston, after the middle of September. The bridegroom was born in Saint John, a son of Mrs. Ada Porter and the late John Porter.

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Newspaper clipping

#### CONVERS KINNEY

Eaton, Nov. 18, 1936 - The death of Convers Kinney, 58 occurred at his farm home, Friday much regretted by many friends and after a short illness. He was formerly of Brookton, where he was born, the son of George and Maria Kinney. He had lived here for the past 15 years, farming and lumbering. He is survived by his wife Mrs. Amanda Neal Kinney and eleven sons and daughters,

Mrs. Ray Lincoln and Mrs. Blake McGraw of Mars Hill; Kenneth Kinney of Searsport; George Kinney and Mrs Wilbur Bragdon of Bangor; Mrs. Lewis Neal of Millinocket; Mrs. Richard Gray, Mrs Harold McLaughlin of Clinton and Frances Kinney of Easton; Neal Kinney of Brockton. There are a number of grandchildren. He is also survived by five brothers and sisters: Benjamin Kinney and Mrs. Hallowell Kinney of Brookton; Frederick Kinney and Mrs George Shay of Easton; Mrs A.S. Knox of Searsport.

Many relatives and friends attended the funeral service in the Eaton Methodist Church Sunday afternoon. Rev. Walter A. Smith officiated. Two selections were sung by Rev. Cecil Grant. The bearers were: Frederick Kinney, Benjamin Kinney, and four sons, George Kenneth, Neal and Clinton Kinney. There were many floral tributes.

MRS JENNIE MITCHELL GILPATRICK

Danforth, Sept 8, 1936 - The death of Mrs. Jennie M. Gilpatrick, 46 wife of Burham Gilpatrick, which occurred Sept 2, is deplored by many friends. She was born in Haynesville, the daughter of Charles and Mrs. Abbie Mitchell. In 1906 she was married to Mr. Gilpatrick and the family has resided in this town since that time.

She attended the Baptist church and was an active member of the Women's Farm Bureau.

Beside her husband she leaves six sons and daughters, Lawrence Gilpatrick and Mrs. Gladys Stanley of Milo, Vernon Gilpatrick of Danforth, Mrs. Lyla Lodge of Providence, and Miss Geneva Gilpatrick of Ellsworth. A son, Harold Gilpatrick, died in 1930. She also leaves two brothers and two sisters, Archie Mitchell of Haynesville, John Mitchell in Canadian Northwest, Mrs Christopher Decker of Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Willis Meecham of Williams town, Mass.

The funeral services were held in the Baptist church Friday afternoon and were largely attended.

Rev. Cecil T. Grant officiated. Miss Grace Jones and Miss Lorraine Sylvia sand two selections with Miss Pearl Howe, organist. There were beautiful floral tributes. The bearers were J.C. Panich, Linel Tuck, Basil Huff and Clair Russell.

#### WILBUR J. LOVE

Danforth, Dec 30, 1936 - The death of Wilbur J. Love, 31 which occurred early Tuesday morning, has brought keen sorrow to his many friends here and throughout the state.

He was born in Danforth Feb 11, 1905, the son of Dr. and Mrs. Robert J. Love, and graduated from Danforth High School in the class of 1924. Where he as an outstanding and popular student. He was admitted to Bowdoin College the following September, but failing health prevented his becoming a student.

He was very active in connection with the Danforth Centennial celebration last August, and compiled a scholarly and accurate History of the Town of Danforth, which remains as a monument to his historical interest and untiring research.

He leaves his mother, Mrs. Nettie A. Love; a sister, Miss Doris E. Love, and a brother, Dr. R. B. Love, of Gorham.

Funeral services will be held at the home on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, bringing to a close the career of one who was a scholar and a thinker, expected by all who knew him as an honorable and upright young man.

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Newspaper clipping

Ainsley P. Whitney, Treasurer of Weston sentenced to jail for a shortage of money in the town books. 1200.

In his accounts - Dec 1931

arrested in August 1931

Dedicated Baptist church Nov 23, 1919

Centennial week August 2-9, 1937

Dedicated New church organ

Easter Sunday April 5, 1942

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Newspaper clipping

Rev. Isaac H. Lidstone

Winthrop, March 24, 1937 - (AP)- Rev. Isaac H. Lidstone, 72, retired Methodist minister died at his home here yesterday after a short illness at pneumonia.

He was a native of Cape Wolfe, P.E.I., and served as a minister 43 years; he held pastorates in Ashland, Mapleton, Washburn, Hartland, Corinth, Guildford, Vinalhaven, Union, Danforth, Caribou Patten, Machias, Calais, and Winthrop.

Mrs. Nellie McDougall

Orient; Jan 11, 1937 - Mrs. Nellie McDougall, 65, widow of Frank McDougall, died at her home here Friday Following a long illness. She was the daughter of Joseph and Susan Smith and her entire life was spent in this town. Her husband's death occurred ten years ago.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Thomas Lackey of Orient. Two children died several years ago. Surviving is a sister, Mrs. James Dewar of St. Stephen, N.B.

The funeral services were held at the home Sunday morning. Rev Cecil T. Grant officiated.

Mrs. Abbie F. Tibbetts

Charleston, Jan. 26, 1937 - Mrs. Abbie Foss Tibbetts, 85, who died recently at her home in Thompsonville, Conn, was born in Charleston, N.B. The daughter of Samuel W. and Statirs Reed Foss. She was the widow of Clarence E. Tibbetts for many years with a Thompsonville carpet company and who died eight years ago. Besides a son and a daughter at home, she leaves a brother and two sisters; William Foss and Mrs. Elizabeth Bickmore of this town and Mrs. Edith J. Salley of Bangor; nieces and nephews. Funeral and burial took place in Thompsonville.

Magretta Blackmore

Orono, July 12, 1937 - the death of Miss Magretta Blackmore 35, occurred today at her home 24 Pierce Street, suddenly, a shock to her many friends. Miss Blackmore was born in Danforth, the daughter of Charles and Etta Lewis Blackmore. She graduated from Danforth High School, the Aroostook State Normal school and Gilman Commercial school in Bangor. For several years she had been a secretary in the Department of Agriculture Economics at the University of Maine.

She was a member of Star of Hope Rebekah lodge and of Good will circle of Past Noble Grands of the order; also a member of the Methodist church in which she had always been a most enthusiastic worker, the Lend-A-Hand club, and the Juniores.

She is survived by her mother two brothers and one sister: Bertie Blackmore of Leesburg, N.J.; Leon Blackmore of Lebanon, N. H. and Miss Joyce Blackmore of Orono; and uncle and two aunts, Perley Blackmore of Keen, N.H.; Mrs. Jennie Harding of Danforth and Mrs. Ida McLellan of Woodland.

The funeral will be at the residence, Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, Interment will be in Danforth.

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Newspaper clipping

Truston B. Smart

Houlton, Jan 13, 1937 - The death of Truston B. Smart, 69, occurred at his home on Columbia Street yesterday following a several days' illness with pneumonia.

He was born in Weston where he spent the greater part of his life. He retired from active business and moved to Houlton six year ago. He was a member of the Masons, Eastern Star, Odd Fellows, Rebekahs, Houlton grange and the Methodist church. Mr and Mrs. Smart would have celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in May. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ella Dickinson Smart, formerly of Canterbury, N.B.; survived by two brothers, Fred L. Smart of Houlton and James B. Smart. Of Danforth.

Funeral services will be held in the Methodist church at one o'clock on Thursday afternoon under Masonic direction. Rev. Mr Christy of Patten will officiate in the absence of the local pastors.

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Newspaper clipping

Newspaper articles "Ninety-three towns in Maine without Protestant Churches." Augusta, May 8, 1933

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Newspaper clipping

#### Newton Foster Dead

Resident of Green Mountain was 80 years old - Had been an Orangeman over 50 years. Green Mountain, Nov. 29, - Friends of this community and surrounding places were shocked to hear of the sudden death of one of its's oldest residents, Newton Foster. He had been in failing health for some time and passed suddenly with heart trouble. Mr. Foster was 80 years of age and a lifelong resident of Green Mountain and Fosterville. He was a valued member of L.O. Lodge, North Lake, No. 50, and received the medal of 50 years' membership a few years ago.

He died at the home of his niece, Mrs. Fred Boone, of this place. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. M. Mott of Lincoln, ME., and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were carried on from the Fosterville Baptist Church and burial made in the Lower Cemetery. The sermon was preached by Rev C. E Grant of Danforth, Me.

Hymns sung by two L.O.L. brothers, William Boone and Peter Lutz, were Rock of Ages, abide With Me, and Sweetly Resting; and Sweet Bye and Bye at the grave.

The service was ll under auspices of the L.O.L. and Four L.O.L. brothers, Every Farrell, Samuel Collier, Henry Farrell and William Boone were pall-bearers.

#### EARL BUBAR, 40

#### FUNERAL OF DROWNING VICTIM TO BE HELD TUESDAY

Danforth, Nov 23, - The funeral of Earl Bubar, 40, of Brookton, Who with William Hudson, 35, of West Walpole, Mass was drowned in Baskahegan lake will be held in Brookton Tuesday, Afternoon. A military funeral will be held under the direction of the American Legion, Mr Bubar being in World War veteran and a member of the Calais Post. He was a prominent resident of Brookton being the proprietor of a general store. He leaves his widow and three children, also his parents, Mr and Mrs. Elmer of Amity.

The body of Mr. Hudson was taken to his home in East Walpole Saturday evening. He leaves a widow.

The accident occurred when the two men attempted to cross the lake on the ice en route to a hunting camp. The bodies were recovered Saturday.

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Newspaper clipping

#### STETSON - BRAUN MARRIAGE

Houlton, March 4, 1938 - the marriage of Mrs. Hazel H. Stetson to Francis J. Braun of Portland will take place at noon Saturday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frederick A. Powers. Main Street.

The Rev. David Jones of the Congregational church will perform the ceremony. Mr and Mrs. Braun will reside at Falmouth.

#### Mrs. N. Clifford Martin's Funeral

The funeral of Mrs. N. Clifford Martin, held in the home of her son, Roscoe G. Martin on Center Street Friday Afternoon, was attended by many relatives and friends.

Rev Charles Parkin of the Methodist church was the officiating minister.

The bearers were: Prentiss B. Markle, Chester Wickett, E.H. Martin and Fred M. Martin.

The remains were taken to Riverside cemetery on the Bennock road.. For interment.

Among those who were present from out of the city were: Mrs. Alice Densmore of Danforth; Mrs. Abbie V. McMINN of Bangor.

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Handwritten Death dates and names

Mrs. Herm Cosman died March 7, 1937

Charles Boone died in St John April 1, 1937

Mrs. Annie Spinney died April 1, 1937

Mrs. Car Foss died April 14, 1937

Mrs. Sarah Liz Coburn died April 15, 1937

Mr. Hill Leeman, died May 1937

Miss Kennie Kinney Pet Kinney sister March 10, 1937

Mrs. Annie Hall died 1932 Canterbury, N.B.

Mrs. Dell Mitchell died Aug 20, 1937

Mrs. Hinch died Sept 17, 1937

Little Jenkins boy died with burns Sept 29, 1937



Mrs. Akery's boy died Oct 18, 1937

Grant boy died Oct 22, 1937

Mailman Boy died Nov 1937

Stoddard boy Eaton died Nov 1937

Sam Neal died Nov 1937

Mrs. Jane Bartlett died 1937 - Orient

Mrs. George Springer died Nov 27, 1937

Newton Foster died Nov 24, 1937

Mrs. Mert Rollins died Dec 5, 1937

Mrs. Patterson died Dec 1937 Forest City

Mrs. Gilpatrick Ettas Mothers died Dec 29, 1937

Swancy Nancy Kinney Mom died Dec 30, 1937

Mrs. Truston Smart died Dec 30, 1937

Mrs. Vincent Murphy died Jan 18, 1938

Mrs. Austin died Feb 9, 1938

Russell Akerly died Oct 18, 1938

George Warman, Jan 21, 1938

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Handwritten Death dates and names

Elsie had measles Jan 10, 1927

Alice Till moved to Millinocket Sept 11, 1918

Church reception for Mrs. Clarke 6 Mar 1917

Got 6 dollars barrel for potatoes 1917.

Drawed 25 cents on dollar June 29, 1934

Drawed 20 cents on a dollar April 1935

Drawed 50 on a dollar April 1935

drawed 50 dollar Dec 1937

drawed 10 on dollar Dec 1935

Irish and Tucks children had measles - Jan 1936

Irish children had whooping cough - march 1937

Ester had mumps Nov 1937

Alva Irish had mumps Dec 4, 1937

Charles Whites children had whooping coughed Feb - March 1937

Margaret Faulkner married 28 Aug, 1937

Pearl Goulding married 23 Oct 1937

Grace Gould married - Nov 1937

Glena Grant Married Oct 6, 1939

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Handwritten Death dates and names

Charles Scot died Monoxide poisoning at Pittock in a car, died 23 Dec 1937

Sauly Bracket died April 21, 1938

Bill Cowan died April 21, 1939

Little child kill by Auto Brookton 14 April 1938

Mr. Prat dies April 13, 1938

Mrs. Otis Gilpatrick died May 1938

Mr. Earnest Gilpatrick shot himself 25 July 1938

John Collier died - July 1938

William Gaskin died 15 Aug 1938

Samuel Dickerson died 14 Aug 1938

Frank Carson died - Aug 1938

Mrs Fred Gould died 5 Nov, 1938

Mrs. Will Foss died - 12 Nov, 1938

Mrs. John Patchell died Feb 1939

Mr. Will Spinney died 18 Nov 1938

Mr. Jim McLaughlin died Jan 25, 1939

Mr. Hanford Gould died March 12, 1939

Mrs. Joe Blanchard died Feb 008, 1939

Mrs. Ida Ferrel died Feb 1, 1939

Kenneth Smart died March 23, 1939

Mr. McDougal died 26 Mar 1939

Mrs. Arthur Moody died April 2, 1939

Mr. Ralph Moody died 17 April 1939

Mr. David Butterfield died April 20, 1939

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Handwritten Death dates and names

Mrs. Ruth Walsh died Feb 8, 1939

Mr. John Smart died 30 Sept 1938

Mrs. Mary Mailman died June 3, 1939

Mrs. Wesley Cropley died May 20, 1939

Mrs. Hewes died Friday 21, July, 1939

Lizzie White died 25 July 1939

Mrs. Whittier died - 2 July , 1939

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Handwritten Death dates and names

Mrs. Whitney birthday 8 July 1931 100 year old

Mr. Elis Mother

Bradley's birthday 27 Jan -

Letters higher postage 6 July, 1932

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Handwritten Death dates and names

Mrs. Mailman died 3 June 1939

Mr. George DeWit Died 29 July 1939

Mr. Henry Reed died 16 Sept 1939

Mrs. Blackman, died 10 Nov. 1939

Mrs. Bob Laten died 13 Nov 1939

Mrs. Steward Lee died 14 Jan 1940

Island Falls Ben Shur killed by train 29 Dec 1939- Danforth age 45

Mr Chambers died 14 March 1940

Mr. Tupper died 29 Jan 1940

Mrs. Hewes died 21 July 1939

Mr Andrew Richardson died 1940

Mrs. Charles Clark died 29 April 1940

Mr. Varney Died July 1940

Mr. Cleavis died 1940

Mrs. Grace Grant died 12 Sept 1940

Sharlottie Crowel died 12 Sept 1940

Mrs. Boober Bens Mother died 30 Sept 1940

Mrs. Thomas Robertson died 3 Jan 1941

Mrs. Thomas Robertson died 3 Jan 1942

Mr. Sprague die Jan 1942

Tupper was killed by Jim Crone Jan 1940

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Handwritten Death dates and names

King George died Jan 1936

Coldest winter Jan-Feb 1936

Driest summer 1937

another Cold Winter 1940

San Francisco Disaster April 18, 1906

building were laid waste loss 350,000.000.

Earthquake in Los Angeles Calif March 11, 1933

Falling Stars 1933

Ball of fire fell 2 Feb 1936

Moon Circles year 1934

Moon circles 3 Jan 1935

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Newspaper article

#### AN IMPORTANT LAW

1933. Chairman Rose of the Board of Selectmen, has received a communication from the State Board of Health relative to the injuries received each 4<sup>th</sup> of July, by blank cartridges.

The Maine Law on the sales of blank cartridge pistols or percussion caps or blank cartridges, is as follow:-

"Whoever sells, or offer for sale, crackers, squibs, rockets, or other fireworks, in any town, without the license of the municipal officers thereof, shall be fined not exceeding ten dollars, to the use of such town,"

"Whoever has in his possession a toy pistol for the explosion of percussion caps or blank cartridges, with the intent to sell it, or sells or offers to sell or give it away, shall be fined not less than five, nor more than one hundred dollars, and shall be liable for all damages resulting from such selling, or giving away to be recovered in an action on the case."

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Newspaper article

#### Pinkerton - Buxton

Danforth, Dec 26, 1936- A wedding of interest took place at the Methodist parsonage Saturday, evening when Miss Katerine Buxton of Corinna, became the bride of John Pinkerton. The couple

were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacKenzie. Rev Philip H. Lush used the single ring service. The bride has been a successful teacher in the Danforth Schools for the past four years. She is a graduate of Castine Normal School. The groom who is the son of Mr and Mrs. George W. Pinkerton graduated from Danforth High School in 1929. He has a position with a local concern. Mr and Mrs. Pinkerton have many friends in this community and best wishes are extended by them. They are spending a week at Corinna.

#### SMART - ADAMS

Danforth, Jan 16, 1935 George A. Smart of Weston and Miss Pearl L. Adams of Easton were united, in marriage Saturday evening at the bridegroom's home.

Rev Philip H. Lush, performed the ceremony in the presence of relatives. The couple was attended by Mr and Mrs.????

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Handwritten notes

Leonard Buckingham married July 9, 1919

Beatrice Davis July 1919

Maud Trafton 30 Sept 1919

Gladis Powell Dec 1919

Velmer Peters Oct 27, 1919

Beulah Golding Oct 27, 1919

Pearl Lions Jan 16, 1920

Beulah Maxwell girl 28, Mar 1921

Hazel Lee 6 April 1921

Elsie Foster 11 Feb 1927

Ned Putnam married 18 Jan 1928

Herbert Newman married 3 Sept 1919

Lena Lane married 1919

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Handwritten notes

1920 Marriages

Vreta Gilpatrick green 27 June 1923

Leota Gilpatrick 10 Sept 1923

Clara Conley 18 Jan 1922

Tison Veysey 5 April 1924

McLaughlin married 12 Feb 1938

Ella Wilson 19 Nov 1923

Marion Wilson 4 Nov 1924

Ella Lutz June 1922

Charles Howe 31 July 1920 in Akron Summit OHIO

Alvah married 1 Sept 1925

Harley Stillman 12 June 1929

Blair Clarke June 1929

Lottie Lutz 7 June 1930

Marion Wilson Jan 1930

Hugh Cropley 10 Sept 1930

Lillie Kinney boy's Laurence married Jan 1929

Florence Mowrey married Dec 1928

Stella Harris married Stan Forham, 15 Feb 1931

Knowlton girl married Feb 1931

Allie Lutz married 1933

Tillis Lee fall 1933

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Handwritten Marriages

Pearl Adams - George Smart married 16 Jan 1935

Silvies daughter married 18 April 1938

Olive Golding married 23 Oct 1937

Miss Margaret Faulkner married 26 Aug. 1937

Hazel Hewes married 5 March 1938

Glena Grant Married 6 Oct 1937

George Kinney Married 21 Jan 1939



McClain tackled Minnie Foss, 15 April 1939

Asa DeWitt - girl married 26 July 1939

Ralph Crowel married 23 June 1939

McKenzie girl married 16 March 1940

Anglie Moody twins born 18 Feb 1932 (girl and boy)

Brown wife in Orient a baby Jan 1932

Charles Howe married 31 July 1920

Earl Gilpatrick married 27 March 1929

Reda Harris (Tuck) married 31 July 1932

Morris Deering married 1 Dec 1931

Lizzie Carroll baby born 17 oct 1932

Lilli girls born 1932

Marion baby born 01 Jan 1933

Gertrude Cropley girl born 13 April 1933

Morris Deering baby born 28 May 1933

Gilpatrick baby born 12 May 1933

Mrs. Crown Veysey baby born 12 May 1933

Walter Howe Married 23 Nov 1933

Young Mattachs married Feb 1939

Henry and Alice married 40 yrs 21 Sept 1933

Lottie baby Eckerson born St Stephens 24 Feb 1934

Jimmie Crown married German woman Cropley 10 Nov 1933

Mrs. Lottie Coswan, married 10 Nov 1933

Mrs. Pearl Adams and George Smart married 16 Jan 1935

Maxwell girl married at church 5 Oct 1935

Lester Wood girl married 20 Oct 1935

McLaughlin married 15 Dec 1935

Marcied Feb 1936

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Handwritten

Mr Rev Thomas Jones Preached Danforth 1918

Mr Dalzell preached in Danforth 1921

Mr. Dunnan preached in Danforth - 1925

Mr. Hamilton preached in Danforth - 1929

Mr Lush preached in Danforth - 1931

Rev A V Houghton preached in Danforth 1927 went 1935

Mr Smith preached in Danforth 1935

Mr Rev Pavy preached in Danforth 1937

Mr Rev Roberts preached in Danforth 1937

Mr J. Kirkpatrick went away 10 Sept 1939

Mr Scott went away 13 Sept 1942

Alvah Irish married 1 Sept 1925

Crowel boy married June 1939

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### Lee-Nash Nuptials

Miss Annie Hash of Malden, Mass., and Jasper Lee of Harrington were married Sunday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs Alonzo Nash. The single ring service was read by Rev. Wheeler of Cherryfield.

After a wedding trip Mr and Mrs Lee will make their home in Harrington where Mr. Lee is Proprietor of the Harrington garage.

### MR & MRS THOMAS HOWE

#### Danforth Couple Celebrates 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

Danforth, Aug 27, 1937 - Mr and Mrs Thomas Howe celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary at their home in Weston Tuesday. Nearly 150 relatives and friends were entertained all day. A happy feature was a reception by the bride and bridegroom of fifty years ago with the same bridesmaid, Mrs John Wilson , sister of Mrs. Howe.

Mr and Mrs. Howe were presented with rings, the presentation being made by Rev. Benjamin C. Bubar.

The couple was united in marriage in Orient, Oct 24, 1887. They resided in North Lake, N.B. for some time, coming to Danforth 36 years ago.

Dinner was served on the spacious lawn overlooking the town of Danforth, and was followed by a program of music and reading. The singing of old songs was led by Fred S. Jones and reading were given by J.H. Crowell, Edgar Cropley, Grace Gould and Gladys Clark of Portland. Prayer was offered by Rev George Hammond and hymn sung by Mr. Jones.

Mr and Mrs. Howe were remembered by their friends with valuable gifts of money, silver, linen, etc. Refreshments were served at 4 o'clock.

Arrangements for the day were in charge of their daughter, Miss Pearl Howe, assisted by Mrs. Charles Howe and Rev and Mrs. Bubar. The wedding cake was made by Mrs. Edgar Cropley and Mrs. Eugene Tuck.

### REV. CECIL T. GRANT

Saco, May 17, 1937 - The Rev. Cecil Thane Grant, 55 of the Old Biddeford Road, Kennebunkport, died at his home Wednesday after a long illness.

Born in Canada, the son of Segee and Minnie (Dickinson) Grant, he served parished in Haynesville, Danforth First Maine Larger Parish, Phillips, Harrington, Bradley, Lisbon, and then returned to Harrington where he completed his ministry.

He was a member of the Kennebunkport Village Baptist church, the Main Baptist Convention, and Danforth Lodge, R. and A. M.

He is survived by his wife. Mrs. Phoebe Grant; two sons, Sumner M. and Daniel A; three daughters, Elizabeth Ann, Kathryn Dawn and Marjorie Joan; his mother, Mrs. Minnie Grant all of Kennebunkport; three sisters, Mrs. Glenna Hammond, Lansdale, Pa., Mrs. Vera Grant, Royal Oak, Mich., Mrs. Bessie McNabb, Fredericton, N. B.

Private funeral services were held Friday at 3 o'clock from the Bibber Memorial chapel, 67 Summer Street, Kennebunkport, with the Rev. Howard Welch, officiating. Interment will be Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at Phillips.

Ester had mumps 1937

and Whooping Cough.

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#### SURPRISE PARTY AT DANFORTH

1938

Danforth, Feb. 25, 1938 - A surprise party was given to Thomas Howe Monday Evening by his friends in honor of his 78<sup>th</sup> birthday. Refreshments were served to 48 and games and music were enjoyed until a late hour. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cropley, Joseph and Rachel Bubar, Rev and Mrs. George Hammond of Haynesville, Mr and Mrs. Charles Howe and Family, Mrs. Evelyn Watson, Mr and Mrs. Clarence Lyons, Mrs. Inez Golding and Mrs. Paul Thildeaw of Bangor. Rev Cecil Grant, Mrs. Minnie Grant, Mrs. Ernest Foster, Mr, J H. Gould, Mrs. Grace Farrell, Mrs. Leah Wood, Mr and Mrs. Jack Panich, Mr. Almon Powell, Merle Golding, Mr and Mr Edward Kinney, Junior Foss, Mrs. Ethel Irish, Elmer Faulkner, Mr and Mrs J. H Crowell and Charlotte, Mr and Mrs Dick Dobbins.

A number of lovely gifts including a birthday cake made by Mrs. Cropley and birthday greetings were received from friends. The quest left at a late hour wishing the guest of honor many more happy birthdays.

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#### DEATH OF AGED WOMAN

Mrs. Fenetta E. (Carr) Howe

### Mrs. Charles E. Howe, Well Known Sunbury County Woman Dies at Daughter's Home

The oldest member of the United Baptist Church at Lauvina, Sunbury County, Mrs. Fenetta E. Howe passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Harper, yesterday morning.

The 87-year-old Lauvina resident was the widow of Charles E. Howe and the daughter of the late Alexander and Charlotte (Till) Carr, and had resided in Lauvina all her life. She was one of the best known women of that community and her death will be sincerely regretted.

Surviving are three daughters: Mrs. John Harper (Annie Howe), with whom she made her home; Mrs. Fred G. Boone (Frances Howe) of Lauvina and Mrs. Wesley J. Maxwell (Elizabeth Howe), of West Saint John; two sons T. M. Howe of Fredericton Junction and Stanley C. Howe of Geary; one sister, Mrs. Emery Howe of Lauvina., 13 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren as well as a number of nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon with prayers at the home at 1:30 p.m. Followed by service at the United Baptist Church at Geary at 2 o'clock. Rev. Alwood Rogerson will conduct the funeral service and interment will be made in the Geary Cemetery.

### THOMAS IRISH, 97

#### DIES AT DANFORTH

Danforth, Nov 25, 1938 - Thomas Beecher Irish, 97, died today at the home of his son, Alvah Irish, at Weston.

He was born at Haynesville December 31, 1858. The son of Charles H. and Betsy (Dean) Irish.

He resided at Haynesville for 50 years before moving to Danforth.

Mr. Irish was for more than 60 years member of the Haynesville Baptist Church. Besides his son he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Maud C (Irish) White of Danforth; 11 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren and a great-great-granddaughter.

Friends may call Tuesday afternoon and evening at the Clark Funeral Home, Danforth. Where funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. Walter Hartley officiating. Burial will be in the family lot at the Danforth Cemetery.

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Newspaper clippings

#### HOWE REUNION

About 47 gathered on Short of North Branch of Oromocto

Fredericton Junction, Aug 28, 1944- on the 27<sup>th</sup> inst. A picnic was held on the shore of the North Branch of the Oromocto stream by a party of 47, ranging in age from four months to 84 years. This is an event held annually when Thomas Howe and his daughter Pearl Howe, and his brother Newton Howe, come to visit their old home a Lauvina, Sunbury County.

After dinner social chat was enjoyed and pictures taken of the group. The party then returned to the home of T.M. Howe, nephew of Thomas and Newton Howe, where farewells were said to those returning to the old homestead, where a sing-song was to be held the evening.

Thomas and Newton Howe are sons of the late William and Mary Ann (Harper) Howe and resided at Danforth, Me.; Mrs. Maggie Deering, Weston, Me.; Mrs. Charles Howe, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Stanley C. Howe, Edythe Howe, Mr and Mrs. Preston Grass, Valerie Grass, Mr and Mrs. John Harper, Budd Harper, Lee Harper, Fred A . Harper, Mrs. Fred Boone, Donald Boone, Mrs and Mrs. Sammie Shanks, Freddie Shanks, Mr and Mrs. Bowman Piercy, Beecher Piercy, Ewen Piercy, Ewart Piercy of Lauvina, Mr and Mrs. Rupert C. Boone, of North Devon; Mr and Mrs Arthur C. Parker and Shirley Parker, Westfield; Mr and Mrs. W.J. Maxwell, Margaret Howe, Mary Lou Howe, Paul Howe, Mrs. Charles Nice, Mr and Mrs W.C. Nice, Dorothy Nice, of West Saint John; Mrs. Charles Howe, Jr., Betty Ann Howe, Sussex , and Mr and Mrs. T. M. Howe, Fredericton Jct.

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#### DIED AT WATERVILLE, ME

MRS. (AKERLEY) THOMAS NEWMAN, 79, was born at Southampton-

Member of the Family in Saint John, N.B.

Waterville, Maine, June 5 - Mrs. Thomas W. Newman, of South Levant, died at the Sisters' Hospital here yesterday morning. She was born in Southampton, N. B., Dec 31, 1861. Most of the family of ten brothers and sisters settled in or near Saint John, N. B. After the death of her first husband CHARLES BARTON, Mrs. Newman came to Dover-Foxcroft, where on June 5, 1889, she married Thomas W. Newman. In 1912 the family moved to Weston, Maine.

Since 1920 Mrs. Newman has lived in South Levant, where she has been active in the church and community life.

Surviving her are a son, Dr. Herbert L. Newman, Waterville; a daughter, Mrs. Everett A. Rockwell, Oakland; and nine grandchildren. Also there are three sisters, Mrs. Kate McCutcheon, Montreal, Mrs. Allan Rankine and Miss Jennie M. Akerley, Saint John; and two brothers, Will and Thomas Akerley, Saint John, N.B.

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## RS. FENETTA CARR HOWE

March 25, 1948

The funeral of the late Mrs. Fenetta Carr Howe took place on Thursday afternoon from her late home in Lauvina and was tended by many friend and relatives. Following prayers the body was taken to the United Baptist Church at Geary where Rev. A Rogerson conducted the service and the church filled with friends. There were a number of floral tributes and interment made to Geary Cemetery, The mourners were Manzer Howe, Stanley Howe, Walter Howe, Murray Howe, Charles Howe, Budd Harper, Lee Harper, Rupert Boone, Donald Boone, Byron Maxwell, Wesley Maxwell, Fred Harper, Maurice Harper, Warren Harper, Lawrence Harper, Ralph Harper, Arthur Parker, Preston Grass, Sammy Shanks, Bennie Smith, Charles Carr, Merritt Carr, Obed Carr, Herbert Howe, Arthur Carr, Thomas Carr, Justus Carr, Talbert Carr, Sam Carr, Fred Carr, Ezra Brown, Elzie Howe, George Carr, Allen Till, Norman Till, Truman, Carr Howard Kerr, John Carr.

The bearers were, Samuel Carr, Merritt Carr, Arthur Carr, Justus Carr, Fred Harper and Fred Carr.

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## LATE G.A. HARPER

Lauvina, N.B., Aug 26, 1941 - Funeral of the late George A. Harper, aged 18 years, was held at his home Saturday with prayers at the house at 10 o'clock by Rev Mr. Young, Oromocto.

The deceased had been ill but three days with respiratory paralysis and his death came as a great shock to the community. He will be greatly missed as he was well liked by all who knew him.

The mourners were: Mr and Mrs. John T. Harper, Budd Harper, Lee Harper, Mrs Elizabeth Harper, Mrs. Fanetta Howe, Mr and Mrs. Stanley Howe, Mrs. Fred Boone, Mrs Wesley Maxwell, Mr and Mrs Warren Harper, Ralph Harper, Lawrence Harper, Elizabeth Harper, Mrs. Wm. Brown, Edith Howe, Mrs. Preston Grasse, Mrs. Tolbert Carr, Charles Harper, Fred Harper, George T. Harper, Stewart Brown, Mr and Mrs. Ezra Brown, Arlene Brown, Trueman Carr, Mr and Mrs Rainsford Shanks.

The pall-bearers were: Tolbert Carr, Adam Carr, Rued Carr, Maurice Harper. Interment was made in family lot at Geary. There were a number of floral tributes.

## MAGGIE E. HARPER

October 26<sup>th</sup>, 1940

In loving memory of our dear Mother, Maggie E. Harper, who passed away on Oct 26, 1940

This day our memory lingers

On a dear one gone to rest,

But amidst life's trials and sorrows

We know God's way are best.

You oftentimes said we'd miss you;

Those words are proved too true -

We lost our best, our dearest friend.

Dear Mother, when we lost you.

When the shades of evening are falling

And we're sitting all alone;

In our hearts there comes a longing-

if you only could come home!

Home is sad without you, Mother-

Through the house and every spot.

Oh! Our hearts are sad and weary

For the voice which we hear not.

We little thought when you took sick

that you would leave us, oh! So quick.

The blow was great, the shock severe.

But thoughts of you are always near.

Often we pause to think of you,

And think of how you died;

To think you could not say good-bye



Before you closed your eyes.

In Heaven, dear Mother, we'll find you

when God's great will is done,

We'll stand once more beside you

When He calls for us to come.

Sadly missed by Husband, Fred Harper, Sons, Charles, Milburn, Maurice Daughters: Ruby, Margaret, Laura.

#### ALICE LUTZ COSMAN

Houlton, Me; Feb 12, 1930 - The death of Mrs. Alice Lutz Cosman occurred at the Aroostook hospital last Wednesday, Feb 12, following a short illness. She was taken to the hospital on Friday of last week.

She was born in Moncton, N. B., and her was 63 years old. (b.1867). She was married forty years ago to Wallace Cosman of Forest City, N.B., who survives. Nine children were born to them, seven of whom survive, two dying in infancy. They have lived in Debec, N.B. , for a number of years, coming to Houlton last November to at the home of their son, Murray Cosman of Pearce Ave.

Mrs. Cosman was a member of the Baptist Church of Woodstock, N.B.,

She was a quiet home-loving woman greatly devoted to her family and home.

She was highly esteemed by many friends, both here and at Debec, her former home, all of whom were saddened to learn of her passing.

Besides her husband, Wallace Cosman, she is survived by five sons, Murray, Ralph and George of Houlton; Millage of Debec and Robert of Mapleton; two daughters, Mrs. Augustus Upton of Lakeville, N.B. and Mrs. Lisle McLaggan of Port Burwell, Ont; two brothers, Peter Lutz and George Lutz of North Lake, N.B., also a number of grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Friday morning at 9 o'clock, Rev William B. Chase of the Court Street Baptist Church officiating. Burial was made in the Mackenzie Corner, N.B., cemetery.

#### MRS. FENETTA E. (CARR) CHARLES E. HOWE

22 March 1948

Mrs. Charles E. Howe, well known Sunbury County Woman died at Daughter's Home.

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The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon with prayers at the home at 1:30pm followed by service at the United Baptist Church at Geary at 2 o'clock. Rev Alwood Rogerson will conduct the funeral service and interment will be made in the Geary Cemetery.

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Legal Document

#### FAMILY REGISTER

Parents' Names

Husband, THOMAS A HOWE

Born: Feb 20, 1860

Wife, IDA B HOWE

Born: Oct 11, 1868

Married, August 24, 1887

at Orient Maine

by

Mr. Daniel Maxwell

Receipt for registered article No. 823

15 fee paid 1 class postage paid 4.25.1936 from Philadelphia, PA

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## CHILDREN'S NAMES

Margaret Pearl Howe June 26, 1891

## DEATHS

Ida B. Howe, October 9, 1940

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## THOMAS WALDO NEWMAN

South Levant April 16,- Thomas Waldo Newman 81, died at his home here Monday, after having been an invalid for nearly a year.

Surviving is his wife Ida M. Newman; a son Dr. Herbert L Newman of Waterville; a daughter Mrs. E A. Rockwell of Oakland; a brother William Newman of Belfast and nine grandchildren.

Mr. Newman was born in Weston, Main, where he lived until he was 14 years old when he went to Dover Foxcroft where he remained until 1901. He then returned to Weston and lived there and in Danforth until 1920, when he came to South Levant.

He was a member of the Baptist church, with which he united in early youth, and has been a deacon of the South Levant church for many years.

Funeral services will be held in the South Levant Baptist church Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, with Rev J. Halliday officiating. Burial will be in the Foxcroft cemetery.

## MRS. MINERVA J. DICKENSON

Guildford, April 16- Mrs. Minerva J. Dickenson 89, died at 4:45 Saturday at the home of her daughter Mrs. D.G. Currie after a two weeks illness. Mrs. Dickenson was born in Canada and lived there the greater portion of her life. For the past 25 years she has lived with her daughter.

She was the widow of Isaac Dickenson and leaves the following daughters, Mrs. D. G. Currie of Guildford, Mrs. Minnie Grant of Phillips, Mrs. Robert Riley, of Houlton, Mrs. Nelson Craig of Woodstock, N.B.; three sons, Frank Dickenson of Edmundston, N.B., Elwood Dickenson of St. John, N.B. and Miles Dickenson of Ontario; grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was a member of the Baptist church. .

## MRS. ALICE P. MAXELL

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice P. Maxell, 84 widow of Sidney Maxell who died Wednesday, Nov 15, at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Irving Pierce at Old Town, were held Friday at the

Baptist church. Interment was at Orient, where Mrs. Maxell resided many years before coming here some 20 years ago.

Mrs. Maxell was born at Haynesville. She was a member of the Baptist church at Old Town. She had often visited relatives in Portland and vicinity.

She is survived by five sons, Leo Maxell of Yarmouth, Oscar Maxell of Orient, Perley Maxell of Portland, John Maxell of Houlton and Eben Maxell of South Portland; 14 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

#### HOWE CHRISTMAS FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. Charles E. Howe of Lauvina, had members of Family at Reunion.

Fredericton Junction, Dec 27, 1937-The home of Mrs. Charles E. Howe of Lauvina, Sunbury County was the scene of a very happy event on Christmas Day, when her children, grandchildren, daughter-in-law and sons-in-law and a number of others gathered for a family reunion in her honor. The children were T. Manzer Howe, Fredericton Junction; Stanley C. Howe, of the homestead; Annie (Mrs. John Harper), Lauvina, Mrs Frances Boone, Lauvina; and Elizabeth (Mrs. Wesley Maxwell), Saint John West, The grandchildren all but one of whom (Walter Howe), were present, Mr and Mrs Charles and Lula Howe, Fredericton Junction; Edith, Murray and Geneva Howe, Lauvina; Rupert, Helen, Elaine and Donald Boone; and Byron Maxwell, Mrs. Rupert Boone, Mrs. Elizabeth Harper of Lauvina; Mrs. Margaret L. Boone and Mrs. Margaret Nice of Saint John; Preston Grasse and Samuel Shanks of Geary, and Bennie Smith of Woodside, were also present.

#### HOWE FAMILY SUMMER REUNION

Descendants and Connections of the Late William Howe, Had Get together.

Fredericton Junction, Aug 25, 1939- Another family reunion of the descendants and connections of the late William Howe of Lauvina (Formerly Victoria), Sunbury County, was held on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> instant, on and near the old homestead, occupied by Mrs. Charles Howe, Daughter-in-law of the said William Howe and her son, Stanley E. Howe. At the out-door picnic dinner there were twenty-two persona present. The oldest of the part were the hostess and Thomas. A. Howe of Danforth, Me., Son the deceased. Each 82 years of age and the youngest were Freddie Shanks of Lauvina of Lauvina, aged two and Valerie Grass of Geary, ages three, great-grandchildren of the hostess.

Four generation of the descendants of William Howe were present. Others of the party besides those above mentioned were; Newton Howe, and Miss Pearl Howe and Mrs. I. Kinney of Danforth; Mrs. A Kinney of Monticello, Me., Mr and Mrs Preston Grass of Geary; Mr and Mrs T. Manzer Howe of Fredericton Junction; Mr and Mrs. Rupert Boone of North Devon; Mr and Mrs. Stanley Howe, Miss Edythe Howe, Mr and Mrs. Samuel Shanks Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Talbot Carr and son Glendon of Lauvina. A number serving the armed forces and several confined to their home by illness were unavoidably absent. The absence of those had recent died,

Fred Boone of Lauvina, who passed away between the gatherings of 1936 and 1939, and Mrs. Fred Harper and George Harper of Lauvina, since 1939, was noted with sorrow.

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Graduation Exercises of 1940 Danforth High School.

Tuesday Evening June 4, 1940 at eight o'clock

Class Roll

Eleanor Faith Bennett

Phyllis Mae Bragdon

Rachel Catherine Bubar

Russell Joseph Campbell

Harold James Crone

Charles Johannes Cropley

Marguerite Frances Cropley

Stanley Curtis Day

Irwin Halburton French

Fred Ray Gillis

Arnold George Golding

Alta Pearl Gould

Linwood Edgar Huff

Vernon Russell Jarvis

Ethelyn Lavina Kenney

Conrad Joseph Lausier

Warren Harding Mailman

Opal Iola Malone

Marion Lavina MUNSEY

Ardis Norene Noyes

Nadine Elizabeth Parker

Mary Louise Robinson

Orville Weeks Robertson

George Alfred Saulnier

Ira Waldron Scanlin, Jr.

Beulah Abbie Tucker

Margaret Arlene Veysey

Paul Fletcher White

Wilfred Earle Wright

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LATE G.T. HARPER

The funeral of the late George T. Harper took place yesterday afternoon following service at the Baptist Church, Geary, and it was one of the largest funerals ever seen in the district, notwithstanding the heavy storm prevailing at the time. Men from all walks of life were present, including Hon. W. G. Clark and members of J Clark & Son, to pay tribute to one who through his long life had been held in the highest esteem. Service was conducted by Rev. Dr. G. M. Young, and quartet from Brunswick St. Baptist Church sang two hymns, there were many floral tributes and burial in Wilmot Sections, Rural Cemetery. The Chief mourners were:

Fred A. Harper,

Mrs Margaret Lois Boone,

Mr. and Mrs. Trueman D. Carr,

Pauline Carr, Mr and Mrs E, L. Brown,

Mr and Mrs. Charles Harper,

Mr and Mrs. Milburn Harper,  
Mr and Mrs. Howard C. Kerr,  
Maurice Harper,  
Mr and Mrs. Marvin A. Boone  
Mr and Mrs. T. Manzer Howe,  
Mrs. Fred Boone,  
Mr and Mrs. Arnold Boone  
Mr and Mrs. Alfred Boone, Allan Boone  
Mr and Mrs. Charles Drummond,  
Mr and Mrs. A. Craig Parker,  
Mr and Mrs. Charles Howe, Arlene Brown,  
Mr and Mrs. Stewart Brown  
Barbara Harper, Roberta Kerr,  
Mr and Mrs. Rupert Boone  
Mr and Mrs. Samuel Shanks, Jr.  
Mr and Mrs. Bennie Smith, Donald Boone,  
J. Duncan Boone, P.T. Chapman,  
Mr and Mrs. W. Harper  
Mrs. J. Harper, Budd Harper, Lee Harper  
Lawrence Harper,  
Mr and Mrs. Ralph Harper,  
Mr and Mrs. Gordon Hill  
Mr and Mrs. Wm Brown,

Mr and Mrs. Stanley Howe

Mr and Mrs. Tolbert Carr

Mr and Mrs. Samuel Carr

Mr and Mrs. Bowman Pierce

Mr and Mrs. Elzor Till

Mr and Mrs. Wallace Smith

Mr and Mrs. Ashley Carr, Mrs Otis Carr

W.A. Till, Mr and Mrs. Hanford Kingston

Mrs. Wardie Boone

Mrs. Charles Howe,

Mr and Mrs. Fred Carr,

Thomas Howe, Newton Howe, Miss Pearl Howe, Mrs. Ernest Carroll

Mr and Mrs. Wesley Maxwell, Miss Bertha Perry, Mrs. Wm Guthrie,

The Bearers were:

Judge J. B. Dickson, A. McF. Limerick; Gordon Todd, Wm A. Gibson, Earle L Merrithew and Wallace Bridges.

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## J HANFORD GOULD

12 March 1939

Danforth, March 13 - Hanford Gould dies at this home here yesterday after an illness of two weeks. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lester Wood and Mrs. Alton Farrell, and one son Archie Gould, all of this town.

Mr Gould was operator of a large farm. He was deacon in the Danforth, United Baptist Church, and chairman of its board of trustees.



Funeral services will be held in the church Tuesday afternoon.

#### CPL. MARVIN LANE

Munich, Germany, Sept 25, Cpl Marvin Lane son of Mr and Mrs. John Lane, 89 Bates Street, Millinocket, Maine, recently graduated from the seventh Army's Non-Commissioned Officers Academy at Munich, Germany.

Corporal Lane entered the Army in January 1951, he is assigned as an instrument operator with Battery B of the 567<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Battalion.

#### MRS. FLORENCE (AMES) KINNEY DAUGHTER OF GEORGE AMES

Serves REAL CHOWDER. I thought of these things when I called on Mrs. Florence Kinney in her tea room at Gulfport, Fla. Mrs. Kinney conducts a restaurant in Ellsworth during the summer and a restaurant in Gulfport in the winter, and she has made them both pay. Her Gulfport tea room has become a sort of gastronomic Mecca for the St. Petersburg area because she had introduced genuine clam chowder into Florida. For years the only type of clam chowder known in Florida was a sort of vegetable soup with some bits of Florida, clams floating around the bottom. Mrs. Kinney has Maine clams shipped regularly from the Ellsworth area, and she makes her chowder in the good old down east way with milk and plenty of clams, all seasoned with salt pork. It did not take Maine folks long to learn that there was one place in the St. Petersburg area where they could get a real clam chowder, and they flocked to Mrs. Kinney's place. When I called there I saw a Belfast resident enthusiastically testing the fragrant smelling chowder in his dish.

"It's the real thing," he told his wife, "Make me feel as if I were back on the Maine coast."

Mrs. Kinney was born in Bancroft, the daughter of George Ames, a veteran lumberman and farmer who now lives in Danforth. Following her marriage to Ellis Kinney of New Brunswick, Mrs. Kinney lived in Woodland and Bangor, and finally opened a restaurant in Ellsworth, That was 12 years ago.

"I made my restaurant in Ellsworth pay.' she told me, "because I catered to tourists of the middle class. The day of the millionaire is passing, and I believe that most of Main's future business will be done with middle class people, who are better and more consistent spenders than the rich. Some sections of Maine are not doing the summer business today that they should because they refuse to cater to these tourists of the middle class. This business counts up big in the long run.

"I believe that the opportunities for a business woman in Maine are greater than any other state because there is so little competition. I have found no difficulty in making a living there, and other Maine women can do the same. The biggest opportunity for women lies in the summer business, which is increasing every year. There is a need for more and better restaurants, boarding houses, small hotels and overnight cabins. Usually women know how to cater to the public better than men."

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LUCILLE MAE STITHAM ENGAGED

Sept 27, 1948 Engaged to Wed - Mrs and Mrs. Harley J. Stitham of Bucksport are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Lucille Mae to Clyde Anson Hayward, son of Mr and Mrs. Clyde A. Hayward of Orono.

Miss Stitham was graduated from Bucksport high school in the class of 48. Mr. Hayward was graduated from Orono high school in the class of 1944 and served in the Navy 25 months. He is now attending the University of Maine. He is a member of the Alph Tau Omega fraternity. No date has been set for the wedding.

LUCILLE MAE STITHAM IS WED IN CHARMING BUCKSPORT CEREMONY

BUCKSPORT, Dec. 27, 1948 - The home of Mr and Mrs. Harley Stitham on Nicholson ave, Bucksport was the scene of a very pretty wedding at 7:30 Saturday evening. Dec 25 when their daughter, Lucille May Stitham, became the bride of Clyde Anson Hayward, son of Mr and Mrs. Clyde Hayward of Orono.

The Rev Roy W. Moody officiated at the double-ring service.

The ceremony took place before a background of evergreens and a lighted Christmas tree. The bridal couple was attended by Mrs. Lyman Hutchins of Bucksport as matron of honor, and the bridegroom's brother, Charles Hayward of Orono, as best man.

The bride wore a dark green street length dress with brown accessories and a corsage of white roses.

Following the ceremony a reception was held. The bride's table was decorated with white poms.

Refreshments were served by Mary and Ethel Began, Mrs. Michael Began, Mrs. Newcome and Mrs. Simpson.

The guest book was in the charge of Shirley Stitham, sister of bride, while the gifts were arranged by Mrs. Edwin Lydick. There were about 50 guests at the ceremony and reception.

The bride was employed for a short time at the Central Maine Power Co., office in Bucksport.

The bridegroom is now a junior at the University of Maine.

Mr and Mrs. Hayward will reside at 16 Pond Street, Orono.

Out-of-town guests were Mr and Mrs. Clyde Hayward and Charles Hayward, Robert Thomas , Mrs. C Ellesmore, Orono,; Joseph Eaton, Mrs. Barrett Newcomb and daughter Brenda and Jane of Bangor; Mr and Mrs. Edwin Lydick, Mrs. May Lydick, Mrs. Maude Kelso, Portland; Mr and Mrs Ted Herrick, and Mr and Mrs. Richard Briggs.

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#### HOWE - CLAYTON

Miss Dorothy I. Clayton and Murray F. Howe in Home Wedding.

The home of Mr and Mrs. George Clayton, South Devaon was on June 24<sup>th</sup> the scene of a wedding of interest when Rev. A.B. Gibson united in marriage their daughter, Miss Dorothy Irene to Murray Francis Howe, son of Mr and Mrs. Stanley Howe, Geary N. B.

The bride wore a street length dress with navy blue sheer with pink accessories and carried a bouquet of American beauty roses. She was attended by Miss Thelma Saunders of St. Stephen, who wore a street length dress of light blue and white accessories and carried an old fashioned nosegay.

Walter M. Howe was groomsman. As the bride entered the living room the Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin was played by Guy Pond, of Marysville, and during the signing of the register Mrs. Otis Rushton sand at Dawning.

The house was decorated throughout with plants, peonies and other flowers. And the bride's table centered with a three tier cake surmounted with a miniature bride and bridegroom. The color scheme throughout the house was pink and white and friends of the bride served.

Many gifts were received by the bride, that of the groom being a locket. The bride's gift to her bridesmaid was a locket; the organist a military brush set, the best man a fountain pen, Mr and Mrs. Howe will reside at South Devon.

Out-of-town guests were Mr and Mrs. Stanley C. Howe, Mrs. Charles Howe, Miss Edythe Howe, Mr and Mrs Preston Grasse and Valerie, Mrs Fred Boone, Donald Boone, Fred Harper, Maurice Harper, Mr and Mrs. Tolbert Carr of Geary; Mr and Mrs. John Carr, Mrs. Charles Nice , Mr and Mrs. Wesley Maxwell, Mr and Mrs. Walter Howe, of Saint John; Charles Clayton, Sr., Mr and Mrs. Herbert Cleghorn and family of Durham Bridge; Mr and Mrs. Roy Allen and family of Penniac.

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#### GIRL'S STATE

Delegate - Miss Lucille Crone, daughter of Mrs. Ruby Cleaves of Weston, has been chosen to attend Girl's State by Rex L McKinney Unit No. 45, American Legion Auxiliary, of Danforth. Miss Crone is a junior at Danforth high school and has engaged in many activities of the school. She has played two years on the basketball team, was a member of the Student council one year and now plays on the softball team. Girl's State is to be held at Colby college.

#### WEDDING of DEERING - PRESSLEY

Marian Deering who married Warren Hubert Pressley

"I Love you Truly" Mrs. Neals also played the wedding marches. The bride wore an aqua crepe two-piece street length dress with black accessories, Her corsage was of yellow rosebuds.

Miss Crawford wore a two-piece dress in the new fall shade of green with a corsage of rosebuds.

Miss Deering is a graduate of Danforth high school and attended Aroostook State Normal school at Presque Isle. She taught at Houlton last year.

Cadet Pressley is a graduate of Ricker Classical Institute and attended Ricker Junior college at Houlton. He has been in the Arm Training Detachment, Air Crew, at Davis and Elkins College for the past three months. He and his bride will remain there for the present.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held, Mrs. Pressley, mother of the bridegroom presided at the dining room table and was assisted by Mrs. Ace Federovitch.

The Crawford home was beautifully decorated with autumn flowers and leaves and lighted by cathedral candles.

#### ORDINATION

Rev. John F. Scott was ordained to the gospel ministry at Danforth, Maine, July 10, 1941. The council had been held some time previously and favorable action had been taken. Rev. Martin T. Storms served as Moderator. The invocation was given by Mr. Albert Bolster and the report of the ordination committee by M. Stetson Lincoln. Rev. Henry Osgood preached the ordination sermon. Rev. B.C. Bubar, Sr. gave the charge to the church and Secretary Pendleton the charge to the candidate. The ordination prayer was by Rev. Martin Storms. Secretary Pendleton also gave the welcome to the Christian ministry. Rev. N. F. Atwood of the local Methodist church gave the greetings of the his people. After the benediction by Mr. Scott the company adjourned to the vestry where refreshments were served and a social hour spent. It was a very happy occasion.

Mr. Scott preached his farewell 13 Sept 1942. Mr. Scott went to the Army 30 Sept 42.

J. HANFORD GOULD

Danforth, March 17, 1939 - J. Hanford Gould 70, who died at his residence here Sunday night after a two weeks illness, was born in North Lake, N. B., the fourth son of Leonard and Mary Gould. In 1893 he married Addie B. Houghton of Forest City, N. B., who died here in 1931.

Their early life was spent in the vicinity of North Lake and Forest City, where Mr. Gould was in lumbering and farming. In April, 1921, he purchased the A. W. Powell farm in Danforth, where he took up his residence and carried on a successful business.

He was a deacon of the U.B. church and chairman of the board of directors. His life was his testimony, founded on the highest ideals of honesty and good citizenship, always ready to extend a helping hand to those in need. "He went about doing good" and will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

The services were in the Danforth church Tuesday afternoon, by the pastor, the Rev. J. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Ida Lyons. The floral tributes were beautiful.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lester Wood and Mrs. Alton Farrell, and a son, Archie Gould, all of Danforth; 17 grandchildren and a great-grandchild; six brothers:

George L. Gould, of Forest City, N.B., Charles W. Gould, of Newport, Clarence F. Gould, of Island Falls, Edwin P. Gould, of Woodstock, N.B., Wilfred C. Gould, of Danforth and Elden A. Gould of Brownsville; a sister Mrs. Clarence Graham (Gould) of North Lake, N.B., Interment was in the Danforth cemetery.

#### AGED DANFORTH WOMAN BEATEN WITH IRON BAR

Widow Finds Suspected Robber in Store and Is Struck Down.

Town is Mobilized to Hunt Assailant.

Brutal Attack Arouses Countryside; Stock of Shop Is Saved.

Danforth, April 22 - the countryside throughout this section of northern Washington County is being searched today for a man who brutally attacked Mrs. Mary Carleton, aged store proprietor, and beat her into unconsciousness with an iron bar.

The entire town is aroused at the brutal nature of the assault and citizens have joined authorities in seeking Mrs. Carleton's assailant.

The elderly victim had been upstairs to wash her hands and was on her way back to the store below when some unknown assailant struck her with an iron bar, inflicting a deep cut over her left eye, and again raising the heavy weapon, struck his victim on the back of the head.

It is thought that the motive of the attack and that some one had planned to rob her during the night, but her unexpected trip to the back room so surprised the assailant that he struck her and ran away. No goods were missed.

Mrs. Carleton lives alone over the store which she has maintained ever since the death of her husband several years ago. She has a daughter, Leola, who is out of town, studying music.

It its thought that the assailant is a young man and one who has been studying the surroundings of the Carleton store for some time. He was not seen as he left the store by the back door, and it was over a half hour before, the alarm was given.

Search is being made in Danforth and vicinity and there are several clues which lead the authorities to believe that they will eventually land their man.

Mrs. Carleton is rapidly recovering, despite her age and it is expected that she will be able to give full attention to her store duties before long.

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Handwritten notes

Hazen Deering wen to the Army July 7, 1941

came on furlough Jan 12, 1942.

Hazen Murray went to the Army Jan 24, 1942

Liola's cousins baby born Sept 1941

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#### PECK - EMERY

Bay State Miss Weds Maine Man Danforth, Sept 26 - The Baptist church was decorated with cut flower for the recent wedding of Miss Evelyn E. Peck of Attleboro, Mass., and Ralph E. Emery, son of Mr and Mrs. David Emery of Wytovitlock.

The Rev. Donald Thompson officiated at the double ring ceremony. The bride was attired in a gown of embroidered marquisette, fashioned with ruffles trimmed fitted bodice and sleeves. Sprays of orang blossoms held the fingertips veil of bridal illusion, and she carried a bouquet of bridal roses.

Mrs. Donald Waite, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and wore a peach color gown, and carried a bouquet of mixed flowers.

Morris Emery, brother of the bridegroom was the best man. A reception was held at the church vestry.

The bride is a graduate of North high school, in Worcester, Mass., and from Providence bible institute in 1946. Mr. Emery attended Wytotitlock schools and served in the Navy for three years during the war. The couple will reside in Wytotitlock.

#### BRADFORD P. MCKINNEY

Oct, 7, 1955

CORINNA, Oct 7, 1955 - Bradford P. McKinney, 90, died at this home at Morse's Corner Thursday night. He was born in Danforth, son of Aaron and Olive (Barnard) McKinney, March 5, 1865.

He attended Danforth schools and farmed and lumbered in Danforth, Carroll and here. He came to this town in 1917. He was married to the late Sadie Seavey, McKinney in 1911. He was a member of the grange.

Mr. McKinney is survived by six daughters, Mrs. Edna Lindsay of Southgate, Calif., Mrs. Beulah Thurston of Southgate, Miss Agnes McKinney of Corinna, Mrs. Ray Whitney of Newport, Mrs. Olive Tharasher of Cape Elizabeth, Mrs. Ruby Badger of Auburn; a son Richard McKinney of Town; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; four sisters

Mrs Emily McKinney McMINN of Danforth, Mrs. Josie McKinney Gould of St. John, N.B. Mrs. Amy McKinney Moore of St. Stephen, N.B. and Mrs. Prudy Johnson of Portland; several cousins and nieces, nephews and grand-nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Morse's Corner Church by the Rev. Allan Brough of Dexter.

Burial will be in the family lot in the Morse's Corner Cemetery. Friends may call at the Farnham Funeral Home in Newport until Sunday morning.

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#### ROBERT V. SPRAGUE

a graduate of Sanford High School and Eastern State Normal school, has been engaged as assistant at the Patten grammar school. Mr. Sprague taught last year in Stacyville.

#### DECEMBER, JULY ROMANCE

Housekeeper, 82, Becomes Bride of Man, 38

Who Has Been Her Employer

for the Last Seven Years

For the last seven years Mrs. Barbara Bundschuh, 82, has been housekeeper for Frank Stonegraeber, 38, of Rochester, N.Y. Now she is his bride.

Mrs. Bundschuh's last duty as housekeeper was to mix and bake the wedding cake.

#### MRS. CARRIE A. McCLAIN

Funeral services for Mrs. Carrie A. McClain, 69, widow of Rufus A. McClain, whose death occurred Nov. 26 were held Wednesday afternoon from her home at 16 Catherine Street..

Mrs. McClain was born in West Enfield, Aug. 31, 1875. She resided in Bangor many years before she and her husband came to Portland and established a doughnut making business. She had been in failing health for several months.

She was active in business until 1935, when she retired, because of ill health. The business since that time has been carried on by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs. Llewellyn Harding.

Surviving her, besides her daughter and son-in-law is a granddaughter, Miss Patricia Mason, and several nieces and nephews. Interment was at Evergreen Cemetery.

#### SERVICES PLANNED FOR WESTON VETERAN

Danforth, April 13 - Committal prayers and interment for Sgt. Clarence W. Kitchen, U.S. Army,

son of Mr and Mrs. Leo Kitchen of 35 St. Lawrence street, Portland, with full military honors will be held at the Selden cemetery, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Sgt Kitchen was killed in action in the Battle of the Bulge in Germany Dec. 17, 1944.

Born in Weston, March 13, 1923 before entering the service, he was employed by the New England Shipbuilding Corp., South Portland.

He entered the service Dec 4, 1943, and received his basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala. He sailed for England June 12, 1944, and served with the 38<sup>th</sup> Infantry in the Normandy invasion and in Belgium and Germany. He was promoted to Sergeant Sept. 12 and received the Purple Heart for wounds received in action Sept. 28. He also received the Infantry Combat Medal.

Surviving besides his parents is a brother, Earle Kitchen of Portland; and his grandmother, Mrs. Annie Kitchen of Bangor; and several aunts and uncles.

Remains will be at the Clark funeral home here Thursday morning.

#### Mrs. MAY CLARK

Dies in Portland



Mr. Sterling Parent, 515 Needham street, has received word of the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. May Clark, wife of Harry Clark in Portland, Maine. Sunday Mrs. Clark, 67, had been in failing health for the last six months. Mr and Mrs. Clark moved to Portland about 30 years ago. Mrs. Clark visited relatives and friends her about three months ago. Funeral services were being conducted in Portland today.

Dr. HERBERT L. NEWMAN

WATERVILLE, Jan 18, 1950 (AP)- Dr. Herbert L. Newman, 59, professor of religion at Colby college, died at a local hospital today after a long illness.

Dr. Newman had been a member of the Colby faculty since 1922 and authored many writings on religion and philosophy and held membership in several honor societies. He had been in ill health for three years.

WILLIAM T. FIFIELD

DANFORTH, June 9, William T. Fifield, 64, principal owner of the Danforth Hardware company, died yesterday. He was born in Danforth, July 16, 1884, son of George E. and Lucy Fifield.

For many years he was engaged in the plumbing and sheet metal trades and while working at Bucksport he married to Margaret Grant, of that town, returning to Danforth to engage in his trade. He was past master of Baskahegan Lodge of Mason, of Danforth.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a sister, Sara Grows, of Arlington, N. J.; a daughter Ellen F. Fenlason, of Boston; and a son Edward C. Fifield, of Danforth.

Private funeral services will be conducted at two p.m. Friday at the home with burial in the family lot in Danforth cemetery.

Mrs. ADELIA (ANDERSON) KNOWLTON

DANFORTH, July 19, 1949 - Mrs. Adelia Knowlton, 67, died today in a Houlton hospital following several months of failing health. She was born in North Lake, N.B., May 27, 1880, and came to Danforth when a young child.

She was educated in the Danforth schools and was a member of the Baptist church and the Foresters lodge.

Surviving are five sons: Preston Knowlton of Corinna, Milo Knowlton of Norwich, Conn., Ralph Knowlton of Vanceboro and William Knowlton and Don Knowlton of Danforth; two daughters, Mrs. Pauline Dunphy of Danforth and Mrs. Stella Guphill of Addison; on brother Austin Anderson of Ellsworth; two sisters, Mrs. Maud Markey of Island Falls and Mrs. Stella Jenkins of California; 17 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Baptist church Sunday at two-thirty p.m., and burial will be in the family lot in Danforth cemetery.

Friends may call at the home of Francis Dunphy.

#### ROGER (RAY) NELSON

DANFORTH, Oct 13- Einai Roger (Ray) Nelson, 45, died in Brockton, Mass., Monday morning.

A veteran of World War Two he attended Massachusetts schools and was a radio technician by trade. He was a member of Lutheran Church and Baskahegan Lodge of Danforth.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Sarah White Nelson, formerly of Danforth; his mother, a brother, John Nelson, and sister Mrs. Charles Dunnington all of Brockton.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Clark funeral home Thursday at 11 o'clock in the morning by the Rev. Norman Young, pastor of the Methodist Church.

Burial will be in the family lot in the local cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday evening form 7 to 9 o'clock.

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#### PERCY W. LYON

##### Danforth Jeweler Dies in Houlton

DANFORTH, Nov 25, 1945 - Percy W. Lyon, 66, prominent Danforth undertaker, dies in a Houlton hospital Friday evening after a short illness.

Mr. Lyon was born in Springfield, Jan 14, 1879, son the late Alpheus and Nancy McLaughlin Lyon. As a boy he moved to Bangor and several years later, when 17 years old, started work with the Maine Central Railroad company as a railroad operator and dispatcher. In 1917 he became employed by the New Haven Railroad in the same capacity and remained with them until 1920 making his home in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

He then returned to Danforth and opened a jewelry business which he had conducted ever since.

Several years later he took up his life's work as an undertaker and became licensed in this state, although he still continued in the jewelry business.

Mr. Lyon became well known all over the state and was successful in his chosen work, that of funeral directing, which he continued until June of last year. He retired then from active business on account of ill health although he continued to conduct his jewelry business.

His wife, the former Ida McLain died in October, 1944.

For many years he was a member of the National and Maine Funeral Directors association and held the position of president of the association at one time. He went to the national convention one term representing the Maine Funeral Directors association.

Mr. Lyon will be remembered for his many acts of kindness and thoughtfulness for the many he had served during their time of bereavement.

He was a member of Baskahegan lodge, 175, F. and A.M. of Danforth, having served as worthy master during 1934 and 1935. He was a member of Grand Lake grange of Weston and a former member of the Danforth Independent Order of Odd Fellows lodge. He was always active in church work and took part in many activities

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Julia Martin of Philadelphia, Pa; one son Martin Lyon of Providence, R. I.; one grandson, Lawrence Lyon, Jr., of Providence; two sisters, Mrs. Abbie Gates of Millinocket, Mrs. Zena Barker of Millinocket and several cousins.

The remains are at this lat home in Danforth until the day of the funeral which will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Baptist church in Danforth.

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A letter to Miss Pearl Howe August 23, 1946

Pfc. Ernest L. Howe 11076347

747 AAF BU, 117 Sqdn.

Det. 724, APO-794

% Postmaster New York, N.Y.

Miss Pearl Howe

Danforth, Maine

"USA"

AMERICAN RED CROSS

Aug 22, 1946

Rome Italy

Dear Aunt Pearl,

After running all over this country, I do have a chance to write to you folks. How are all of you? Fine I hope. As for me, I am just the same - swell.

As I said, I have seen a lot of this country. We flew over to Paris in a C-54. From Paris to Munich then to Furslen Field luerck, Germany by a C-47.

We stayed up there for about a week. Back to Paris - to Nice. To Rome, Naples and here I am back at Rome. I will be here until Monday, then we are going to Faggia, that is about an hours ride by B-17.

I sure will be glad when we get to any place and stay for a while. I like to travel but not all the time. Now I am staying at a rest center. It sure is a beautiful place here.

They have everything a person could ask for, a big swimming pool, a big gym and every king of games you can think of. So I don't mind laying around here for a little while.

Well how are things going up that way? How is the farming coming along now?

How is Gramp and Uncle Nute feeling? Fine I hope. How is the weather up that way? Man, but is sure is hot over here. I have a good tan already.

Well Aunt Pearl, I guess there isn't much more to say for now. Hope this letter finds everyone well and happy. Here is my address that I will be using for a long time now.

Pfc. Ernest L. Howe 11076347

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Sending all my LOVE.

LOVE TO ALL

Ernie

Hope to hear from you soon. E.H.