

# Obituary

The late George Gilbert Graves, who died suddenly at his home in Stettler, on Saturday morning May 28th, was born at Fairbury, Nebraska, on January 3rd, 1883, so that he had reached the age of 66 years. He was educated in Fairbury schools and became a professor of schools in Fairbury and vicinity for a number of years.

He came to Alberta in 1910 and homesteaded in the neighborhood of what is now the village of Byemoor. He made many friends while a resident of that district and a number of them attended the funeral in Stettler.

In 1921 he moved to Stettler and was connected for some years with the International Harvester Co. When the Alberta Government Liquor Control Board was organized in 1924, he was selected as vendor for Stettler and he served in this capacity for twenty-four years until his retirement in 1948 at the age of sixty-five.

Mr. Graves was particularly interested in young people and he was part organizer of Stettler Band, and worked with the band leader Mr. Thomas Fishwick to win four first and four second prizes in Western Canada band contests at Calgary and Edmonton.

Another activity which he followed closely for years was baseball and he was a strong supporter of the local baseball club and was the friend and mentor of many young men who later developed into good baseball players. He was on hand to see the baseball game on the Thursday before his death.

Mr. Graves was a charter member of Stettler Elks Lodge, B.P.O.E. No. 59 at the time it was organized in June 1924. He worked through all the chairs and acted as Exalted Ruler for many years. He never lost interest in the welfare and activities of this organization and spent some hours working on the new club building a few days before he died.

He was also a member of Stettler Rotary and derived a great deal of pleasure from this association, particularly in the opportunity to maintain contacts after his retirement. The members of Rotary preserved two minutes silence in standing when his death was announced at their meeting.

The place he had won in the hearts of all who knew him was demonstrated by the number of friends and associates who paid respects to his memory at the church and cemetery when he was laid to rest on Tuesday afternoon, May 31st. Many of these friends came from distant points such as Byemoor and community, Calgary, Edmonton, Duffield and Vancouver.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Walter Little at Stettler United Church and a solo was rendered by Mrs. Pinder and a duet by Mrs. Bownes and Mrs. McIvor. The floral tributes were particularly numerous and beautiful and the pall bearers were James Wilson, Erman Albright, E. T. Reilly, Hilton Sergeant, Clarence Blaney and Franklin Finlay.

Mr. Graves is survived by Mrs. Graves who will continue to maintain the home in Stettler and by two sons; Gilbert of the Saskatchewan Power Corporation at Indian Head, Sask., and Herbert of Kansas City, Missouri.



## WEDDING

**JAMIESON — SPIERS**

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Jamieson. A three tiered wedding cake centered the bride's table. Rev.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson left on Friday morning's train for Edmonton where they will reside.



## In Army Wears 'Blue'

Sgt. Frank Harold Jameson (above) has arrived safely overseas with a Dental Corps Unit attached to the R.C.A.F., according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jameson of Byemore Alberta. Sgt. Jameson is 22 years of age and enlisted with the Army two years ago. He was at No. 2 Wireless School for six months and at Pennold for the same length of time. He later was training at Sarcee. Sgt. Jameson's unit was the first authorized to wear the blue uniform of the R.C.A.F.

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BIRKS---DIAMOND MERCHANTS			



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- Mrs. M<sup>c</sup>Bride - P.S. & D. E. ✓  
M. " - cake ✓  
Mrs. E. Fridolin - sandwiches & P.S. ✓  
" H. Morlock - cake & cream ✓  
" Crawford - cake & buns ✓  
" Hymarby S. - " & cookies ✓  
Mrs. L. Walker - P.S. & sandv ✓  
Mrs. B. M<sup>c</sup>Candle salad ✓  
Mary Jones - cream & S. ✓  
Mrs. C. Erby - salad & pickles ✓  
Mrs. Durand - buns ✓  
Mrs. Cooper - cake & chicken S. ✓  
Mrs. J. Knowles - cream & salad ✓  
Mrs. C. Nemety - cake & pickles ✓  
Mrs. Logmore - cake & pickles ✓  
Margaret - salad, cake ✓  
Mrs. M<sup>c</sup>Cornick - P.S. buns, cookies ✓  
~~Mrs. V. Jackson - cake.~~  
Mrs. P. Morash - cookies & d. to. ✓  
Mrs. Helm pickles & cream ✓

Mrs. Keith -  
Mrs. J. Jamieson -  
Marion " -  
Hazel " & Mrs. Johnston  
Mrs. Martin - tea & pickles  
Mrs. Kenny - salad  
Mrs. Fridolin Sr. - sandwiches  
Mrs. E. Kobi - coffee & pickles  
Mrs. E. Knowles - Buns. & eggs.  
Mrs. Gross - cream, chicken salad

Mrs. Hooden. Pickles & ✓  
cookies

Mrs. Mappin - Potatoes ✓  
Mrs. Hayes & Kathy - salad ✓  
pickles

Mrs. Camp - Buns & P.S.

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Mrs. Longshore - c. salad



Jane Anne  
Get Grandma's blouse  
from the suitcase upstairs  
get my Hair switches  
Ask Ruby Mrs Graham's  
Christian Name.

2 rolls Tar paper  
2 rolls Stucco Wire  
20 lbs coated 2 inch  
Nails  
100 lbs Lumber  
9 sacks cement  
Pay Art Wandahl  
3 dollars

Paid June 6<sup>th</sup>  
to Stucco the Church  
June 1950.

- 1 Gold cake Thinskin
  - 2 Angel cake ✓
  - 3 Pound " ✓
  - 4 Ice cream cake - marble
  - 5 Egg cake x Layer
  - 6 Nut cake ✓
  - 7 Wedding cake ✓
  - 8 Spice cake x Pepper.
  - 9 Short cake ✓
  - 10 Devil's cake ✓
  - 11 Prince of Wales cake x Lady Baltimore
  - 12 ~~cream~~ cake x Jelly Roll
  - 13 Sponge cake x Poor man's cake
- Mrs John Jameson





Following the reception the couple left for a honeymoon at Lacombe and upon their return will reside south of Stettler.

### Hart—Ball

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the United Church manse at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, April 8th, when Betty Charlotte Ball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ball of Botha, became the bride of Mr. James Walter Hart of Botha. The Rev. C.S. Pinder officiated.

The bride looked charming in an afternoon dress of rose crepe. She carried a beautiful bouquet of Sweetheart rosebuds.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Bruce Ball of Botha.

The groom was attended by Mr. Bruce Ball.

The happy couple left later for Calgary and Banff. The bride's going away dress was a lovely silk jersey with matching hat; her coat was of light biege.

Upon their return, the happy couple will reside on the groom's farm east of Botha.

### Christian—Lattery

On April 5th, in the Stettler United Church, Mr. Earl R. Christians of Red Willow and Miss Mary Hazel Lattery of Stettler were united in marriage.

Mr. Stanley Barnes acted as best man while Miss Hazel E. Hagen acted as bridesmaid.

The bride who entered the church to the strains of the wedding march was given in marriage by her brother.

The happy couple will make their home in Red Willow.

### Scheerschmidt—Grant

A quiet but pretty wedding took place in the United Church, Big Valley, on Sunday afternoon April 8th, when Eva Helen Grant, only daughter of Mrs. Louise Grant, Big Valley, became the bride of Allen Scheerschmidt, second son of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Scheerschmidt, of Stettler.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A.F. Cowan of Rumsey.

The bride was lovely in a blue crepe street length dress and carried a corsage of roses. She entered the church on the arm of her grandfather, Mr. J.A. Stevenson.

The bridesmaid, Miss Ramona Scheerschmidt, sister of the groom, wore a mauve crepe dress and carried a bouquet of red carnations.

Mr. Harvey Koss, cousin of the groom, was best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Star Cafe, the table being centred by a three-tiered wedding cake.

### HOW TO ORDER YOUR CORRECT HAT SIZE

Use a tape measure (or piece of string will do) and measure around the head at its greatest circumference. Send us this measurement in inches, or the corresponding size, as shown in the table below. Boys' and children's sizes, 6 to 6½. Men's and young men's sizes, 6½ to 7½.

When Head Measures (inches)	Order size	When Head Measures (inches)	Order size
19	6	21½	6½
19½	6½	22	7
19½	6½	22½	7½
20	6½	23	7½
20½	6½	23½	7½
21	6½	24	7½



### IMPORTANT

If you are not quite sure of your correct head size, before ordering, we wish to bring to your attention the table of sizes shown above, and we feel sure that if this is consulted no difficulty whatever will be experienced in your receiving your correct size when you order your hat from this catalogue.

### Hockley—Gates

On April 5th a wedding of considerable interest to the Big Valley community was solemnized at the United Church manse in Stettler when the Rev. C. S. Pinder united in marriage Mr. Garfield J. Hockley and Miss Ella May Gates, both of Big Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Innocent of Hackett witnessed the marriage.

### KNOW YOUR STITCHES

Dear Needleworkers.—

What are you going to do for entertainment at your next Red Cross meeting? Well here's a suggestion. Have a sewing contest and see who scores the highest mark. Here are the questions:

1. What stitch precedes a fall? — slip.
2. What stitch has a frog in its throat? — Hem.
3. What stitch is found in the back of a fish? — Herringbone.
4. What stitch has a disagreeable disposition? — Cross.
5. What stitch has links? — Chain.
6. What stitch cannot see? — Blind.
7. What stitch requires a key? — Lock.
8. What stitch weighs the least? — Feather.
9. What stitch ate the canary? — Cat.
10. What stitch is screwy? — Crazy.

Happily yours, "Brown Eyes,"  
H.C., Cando, Sask.

### Byemoor News

St. Paul's Anglican Church, Byemoor was well filled on Sunday, May 5th when Bishop Ragg of the Pro Cathedral, Calgary, assisted by Rev. J. W. Ellis of Hanna, held the Eatsar Communion service. Quite a number of Anglicans from Endiang were present as it was a joint service of the members and visitors from both points, including Leo as well. We are pleased to have these services in Byemoor once more.

### A LAST TRIBUTE TO GEORGE W. MAKEPEACE

Another of our veterans has been laid at rest and the number of Home Office and Field employees of the Company who were present at the last rites showed the greatest and most loving spirit that I, in my thirty years' service, have seen displayed both by the veterans and younger members.

Mr. Makepeace must have been a universal favorite among his fellow workers, and it was a great tribute shown him when some one hundred and fifty or two hundred of his confrères journeyed to Upper Montclair to be present at the last service that could be shown him. It was grand, magnificent! Men attended the services who had known the deceased but a very short time, and they must have seen in him a man of sterling qualities.

The Officers of the Company were well represented, and the most magnificent of all was the fact that the President of the Veterans journeyed all the way from Boston to attend—especially so, when one considers what difficulty it must have been for him to do this, due to his own present poor health.

—C. L. CROSSKILL.



## Announce Winners of Crow and Magpie Destruction Campaign by Fish and Game

Bill Bauer announced Monday the winners of Stettler and district Fish and Game Association's annual crow and magpie competition:

### Graded Schools of More Than One Room:

- 1st. Endiang — 795 pairs — \$20, teacher, Mrs. A. Groome
- 2nd. Byemoor — 794 pairs — \$15, teacher, Mr. J. Higgins.
- 3rd. Byemoor — 404 pairs — \$10, teacher, Miss J. Wall
- 4th. Donalds — 266 pairs — \$5, teacher, Mr. M. Heater
- 5th. Byemoor — 114 pairs — \$5, teacher, Mr. W. J. Wetter

### Ungraded Schools, One Room:

- 1st. Greenridge — 607 pairs — \$20, teacher, Mr. G. Bishop
- 2nd. Price — 580 pairs — \$15, teacher, Mrs. L. Sjoggen
- 3rd. Star Ridge — 376 pairs — \$10, teacher, Mrs. M. Jones
- 4th. Zenith — 332 pairs — \$5, teacher, Mrs. W. Schram
- 5th. Wolf Hill — 330 pairs — \$5, teacher, Miss W. Oruski.

### Individual Competition:

- 1st. Marvin Larson, Byemoor — 555 pairs — spinning reel and rod
- 2nd. Jack Dayman, Stettler — 222 pairs — baseball glove and ball
- 3rd. Joyce Reeves, Byemoor — 169 pairs — flash camera kit.

These prizes will be awarded at the Association's meeting on August 10 in Club Cafe Banquet Room.

A total of 8,653 pairs, about 2000 more than last year, have been turned in to date, and there is a good possibility that this district will place high in the provincial competition. Cutoff date is July 28—no legs will be accepted after that time.

## His Master's Pet

By "Cicada" (18)

If you listen I'll tell you a story  
Of a dog that was faithful and kind.

In the city, the town or the country  
No better pet could you find.

He came to our door in December,  
It was stormy and snowing without,

He was trembling with cold and with hunger  
And scarcely could crawl about.

We took him in and we fed him,  
Oh, how that poor doggie did eat!  
He barked to show he was grateful  
And stood on his cold hind feet.

Then we opened the door and he left us,  
Contentedly trotting away,  
But there he was on the morrow  
Wistfully pleading to stay.

We knew he was just a stray puppy  
And could call no place his own home,  
So we welcomed him in from the blizzard  
And gave him a juicy big bone.

He was full of life and of mischief  
From which he derived his name;  
"Pep" was sorry when we had to leave him  
And joyful again when we came.

He never would touch his dinner  
Till we stroked him and told him to eat,  
He was bathed till his coat was all snowy  
And always looked dainty and neat.

But all happy times have an ending  
Old age had slowly crept on,  
He still had his given name  
"Pep."

But all of his pep was gone.  
He died and we buried him sadly  
Beneath a spreading grape vine,  
Naught's left but a loving memory  
Of a dog that was ever so fine.

—Mackay, Alta.

## Flies From England

Mrs. A. M. Penrose of London, England, left the London airport on June 12th and arrived in Canada in 28 hours to visit her sister, Mrs. Jessie Helm of Leo. They had not met for 42 years and they had quite a reunion at the Canadian airport and a photo was taken of the event.

Mr. Si Davies, formerly of Leo but now of London is a brother and he writes a letter asking to be remembered to all old timers, including W. Dunlap, J. E. McElhone and others who still live here.

Mr. Davies came to Gadsby in 1905 with Ed. Parry, the Postmaster. He had enclosed an Elgin watch for repairs to the late Mr. Ball, thinking he was still living. He had helped to move the stock of our first jeweller, Mr. Young, who was later bought out by Mr. Ball. He states that he sees the Independent about once a year and wishes he were still living here as the Old Country is not what it used to be and the workers are few and far between. They want the money but not the work. He sent the watch here as repairs are done only on watches manufactured in England.

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## Autograph Vers

A rule to guide us in our life  
That's always good and true  
Is "Do to others as you would  
That they should do to you"

A friend is he who shares  
woes,  
And cuts them right in two  
And likewise, too, he shares  
joys,  
And doubles them for you.

A wish for a friend is often g  
My wish for you is a hom  
Heaven.

Just health enough to vanish  
Just wealth enough to give  
spare,  
Just friends enough, sincere  
true,  
May life always bring to you.

However many laughs yo  
laughed,  
Or sung songs by the score  
The world is such a great  
place,  
There's always room for mor

—Mary Collingwood, H.C.  
Leross, Sask.

The Byemoor Ladies Community Club is well organized now with Mrs. Ruth Walker President and Mrs. May Duance as Secretary, and the chicken supper on all our minds which is to be held October 1. Anyone who would like to donate and help please let the secretary know.

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## Her Sacrifice

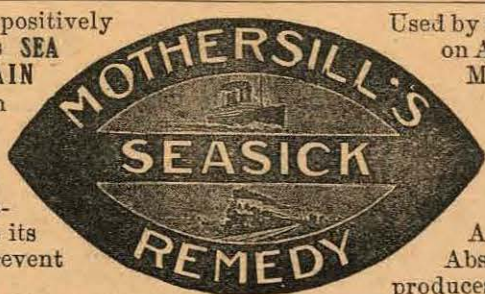
On a stone which once was a door-step old,  
Sat a dear old lady alone in the cold,  
All the old treasures she'd longed to keep,  
Lay there in a smoldering, muddled heap.  
She did not weep, though her face was grim,  
And she murmured these words, "Curse him! Curse him!"  
Up to the dear old soul there came a man,  
With kindly face and comforting hand,  
Said he, "Dear lady—your home is gone—  
Yet you take it bravely, like an amazon."  
With shaking voice she then replied,  
"Many are those who have fought and died,  
But I had nothing myself to give,  
So I gave my home that others might live."  
Had this cruel bomb not dropped right here,  
It might have dropped on children dear.  
When his bombs are gone, he can drop no more  
To mark his visits over England's shore."  
Said he, "New hope to your country you bring."  
When she looked up it was—the King.  
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