

DEATH OF MRS. CUPPS

PASSED AWAY AT THE HOSPITAL
AT EDMONTON, ALBERTA, AF-
TER BEING ILL FOR THREE OR
FOUR MONTHS.

The earthly remains of Mrs. George Cupps arrived in Courtenay on Friday morning from Edmonton, Alberta, where she died in a hospital on April 18, 1909. About a year ago she and Mr. Cupps went to the Peace River country to carve out their fortune but shortly after arriving there Mrs. Cupps was taken sick and it was necessary to remove her to the hospital at Edmonton where she could have better care than was possible to give her at her home where they were several hundreds miles from medical assistance. Accordingly she was taken to the City hospital at Edmonton and Mr. Cupps returned to their home in the Peace River to attend to their farming and business, little thinking that he would never again meet his wife in this world. Owing to lack of communication it was impossible to notify him of her weakening condition and he is probably not yet aware of her death.

Lydia Hagerman was born in the state of Michigan on April 10, 1854. At the age of ten years she removed with her parents to Seneca, Crawford county, Wis., and was married to George Cupps in 1874 and died in the City hospital at Edmonton, Alberta, on April 18, 1909. There were seven children born to them and her husband and three of the children survive her. The children are Mrs. Steve Hamilton of Courtenay, Mrs. Nellie Sloan and Miss Glennie Cupps, both of Lesser Slave Lake, Canada. The funeral was held from the Presbyterian church of Courtenay on

Friday, Rev. J. W. Kingston conducting the service and interment was made in the Courtenay cemetery.

Words of Appreciation

The following from the Bowbells Tribune will express to the people of Courtenay the feeling the people of Bowbells have for Rev. and Mrs. Kingston, who arrived in Courtenay last week to begin their labors among the people here:

"A note to The Tribune from Rev. J. W. Kingston, read as follows: "Will you express for me through the columns of The Tribune my best thanks and deepest appreciation for the kindness of the Bowbells people and neighborhood in their noble and generous support of myself and family during our stay among them. I feel kindly to them all, and my heart and hope will still be for the success of Bowbells and for her higher good. With kindest regards and thanks to yourself for your many favors, I am very truly yours, J. W. KINGSTON."

The above expresses the gratitude of a true man, coming from the heart of a man whom our people, one and all, of whatever creed, had learned to honor and respect, and while all hope that Rev. Kingston and family may find their lines cast in pleasant places in the popular minister's new charge at Courtenay, this state, for which place they departed on Wednesday, their going was matter of general regret, and had circumstances been different our people would never have consented to his leaving the Bowbells charge. All wish them Godspeed in the new home, however, and join in commending them to the people of Courtenay in every sense that human commendation should apply, to their lasting credit.

"The Bread that mother makes" always fresh at the Waldorf Confectionery.