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Knox Church Celebrates 13th Anniversary

Interesting Service on Sunday Last
—Other Local and Personal Notes from Loggieville

Loggieville, May 21—It has been recently reported that Pte. Benj. Thompson of the 132nd battalion, is among those who have lately been wounded while in service at the front.

Anniversary of Knox Church

Sunday last was the 13th anniversary of the opening of Knox church. Splendid weather and large congregations greeted Rev. J. A. MacKellars of St. David's church, St. John, he being the special speaker of the day. The morning sermon on "His train filled the temple" stirred the hearts of men and women in a way rarely seen in these days. In the evening the preacher delivered a sermon on "Awake, awake put on Strength," a sermon heavily freighted with thought. The service of praise was in keeping with the occasion. The solo parts in the anthem were nicely sung by Mrs. Clark, Miss Harvey and Wilson Manderson. Mrs. Clark and Miss Harvey also sang a duet at the evening service in their usual acceptable manner. The work of those who decorated the church helped greatly to the enjoyment of the service. A Sunday School rally was held in the afternoon and was largely attended. A program bearing on "Mother's day" was well carried out by the members of the school. Recitations were given by Miss Hazel Johnstone, Miss Muriel Manderson and Clyde Johnstone. A choir composed of children led this praise service in an acceptable manner. The offerings for the day were good. At the service of the Young People's Guild held at 8 p. m. on the 19th inst., lantern slides illustrating the "Life of Joseph" were used with good effect. At this meeting Miss Laura England sang sweetly a solo.

Rev. W. B. Rosborough went to St. John on the 18th inst to preach in St. David's church there on the 19th.

Fever Epidemic Getting Serious

"Fever" is the topic of the day here. The situation is becoming serious. Several more persons have lately been stricken with the disease, and a number of the patients have been, and are still, critically ill. Posters are now out to the effect that Dr. McKenzie will hold a lecture on "typhoid fever," at this meeting, Miss Laura England sang sweetly a solo.

Friday being the day set apart by the Educational authorities as Arbor day, it was observed as such in the schools here. Because of lack of room in the school yard the planting of trees had to be abandoned.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McKay and sons Harold and Ronald, were in town on Sunday, returning on Monday to their home at Black River.

Mrs. William Hiehlthy of Tabucatac is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Dempsey.

Zephia, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart is seriously ill at her home here. It would seem as though her case was one beyond medical skill. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Stewart. Mrs. Stewart's condition of health, which has been alarming to her many friends, is slightly improved.

Mrs. Wm. Hornbrook has returned from a week's visit to her home in Tabucatac.

Pte. Sydney Archer of the Klitties battalion, spent a few days recently in town at the home of his parents. A little daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Ferguson last week.

Sympathy is extended to George McIntyre of this town in the death of his sister, Mr. McIntyre recently returned from Examinac where he attended the funeral.

Miss McLeod of Bay du Vin spent Sunday in town, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. I. Loggie.

Miss Dickson entertained friends on Saturday evening of last week. Mrs. Powrie entertained the Swastika Club on Thursday evening last. William Flaherty has recently been taken to the Hotel Dieu hospital, a sufferer from fever.

Mrs. Johnston of Newcastle visited her relatives here recently.

Miss Jennie Tait numbers among the fever patients at present. Oliver Veno makes

Supreme Sacrifice
The sad news was recently received here of the death of Pte. Oliver Veno, son of Mrs. Harry McDonald of this town. This is the second Loggieville boy to give up life on the battlefields of Europe in the present great struggle. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved mother in her loss.

Robert McDonald recently returned from a trip up north.

NO PRESS CENSORSHIP IN U. S. A.
By a non-partisan vote of 29 to 23 the U. S. Senate has struck down the Espionage bill and reference to censorship. Though the administration has thrown the full weight of its influence on the side of a restrictive censorship provision, 18 Democrats joined with 23 Republicans to eliminate the provision, while 27 Democrats and 11 Republicans voted to retain it.

CHICKEN BROOD
With one case of four left a brood of nine in two tablespoons of bird seed and two teaspoons of water, a young chick can be hatched in a little less than a month as it is possible they should not be any thicker than pea crust. But to crack the egg, the top with a blunt knife and take brood and chick.

DOAKTOWN

Doaktown, May 23—Mrs. Mabon Betts and children, who have spent several weeks with Mr. Betts' parents at Hazelton, returned to their home on Monday morning. They were accompanied as far as Blackville by Mr. Betts' sister, Mrs. Margaret Sargeant.

Miss Ida Sutherland spent Sunday with her parents at Blaisfield. She returned on Monday accompanied by her mother, Mrs. John T. Sutherland and grandmother, Mrs. Cornelius Weaver.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. George A. Watken is much improved after her recent serious illness. Her daughter, Mrs. Karl Hilderbrand, has spent the past week at her old home. Mr. Harry Russell has returned home, after visiting friends at Quarryville.

Miss Nan Mersereau, who returned home recently with her mother, left Tuesday morning for Fredericton, where she will spend another month.

Pte. Earle Weaver of the 235th Battalion, Fredericton, who has spent several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Weaver of Blaisfield, left Monday morning for Fredericton, accompanied by his sister, Miss Pearl.

Mr. Bertie Cowie of Weaver's Siding has accepted a position with L. B. Amos.

Mrs. Abel Clowater and sister, Miss Mae Mitchell of South Road, were in town on Monday.

Mr. Thomas Archibald of Upper Blackville, who has been working with L. B. Amos, returned to his home on Saturday evening.

Miss Grace Murray, (matron of the Victoria Hospital, Fredericton, spent the week-end with her brother, Mr. William Murray of this place.

Miss Jennie McNeill is quite ill at her home with neuralgia.

Mr. F. D. Swin paid a visit to Fredericton recently.

Mrs. Jessie Robinson and Mrs. Arthur Ballard of Blaisfield, were visiting friends in Fredericton on Friday last.

Rev. Sterling W. Stackhouse, who has been visiting his parents at St. John for the past two weeks, returned on Friday and filled his regular appointments on Sunday.

Mr. A. J. B. of Newcastle, was in town last week and registered at the Aberdeen Hotel.

Mrs. A. J. Patstone and family were week-end guests of friends in Ludlow.

Mrs. Lemuel Lyons of Blaisfield spent last week with friends in town. She will leave on Wednesday evening for Carrolls Crossing where she will spend several days with her aunt, Mrs. Oliver Lyons.

Pte. Vernon O'Donnell of the 12th Battery, Newcastle, accompanied by Mrs. O'Donnell and little daughter, arrived in town by whopper Friday evening and will spend a few days with Mrs. O'Donnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Storey at Storeytown.

Pte. William Johnston of the 12th Battery is visiting his home here.

Mrs. Douglas Price of McNamie, is at present visiting her daughter, Mrs. Archibald Porter.

Mrs. Lewis Dunphy of Upper Blackville, was a visitor to town on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Robert Bamford, Mrs. Arthur Ballard, Mrs. Burns of Blaisfield, spent Saturday with friends in town.

Mrs. Herbert Cowperthwaite who has spent the past two weeks with relatives in town, left by whopper Monday morning for St. John, where she will visit her sister.

We will be honored on Sunday, June 3rd, with a visit from His Lordship Bishop Richardson of Fredericton, who will hold a Confirmation service in St. Andrews church here at 11 o'clock in the morning.

Mrs. Evie Doak and boys Hartford and Harry, visited Mrs. Doak's father Mr. Hazen Lyons at Carrolls Crossing.

Services for Sunday May 27:
New Band—11 a m
Taxis—11 a m.
Acos—3 p. m.
Bloomfield—3 p. m.
Doaktown—7 p. m.
Holtville—7 p. m.
Tuesday May 22, McGivney Jet 7 p. m.

On Friday June 1st the Quarterly official board will meet in the Boiestown church at 2 p. m.

SUNNY CORNER

Sunny Corner, May 23—Misses Dollie Menzies and Mildred McColm were the guests of Miss Georgia Tozer Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Miss Annie Mullin was a visitor in Newcastle last week.

Mrs. George Matchett has returned from a pleasant visit with her mother, Mrs. Samuel Sherard, Nelson.

Miss Eva McAllister is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Claude Somers, Lyttleton.

The Misses Mary and Bernetta Murphy, Exmore, spent Wednesday with Miss Alice Burge.

Miss Lottie Stewart has gone to Chatham for a few weeks.

Mrs. Thomas Howe visited pig acquaintances here the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Perley Tozer spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Jane Dunnett.

We are sorry to learn Mrs. Dunnett isn't in the best of health.

We are sorry people are certainly enjoying some rainy breezes. Some of the no-to-date farmers are thinking of planting a few acres in a corn crop in the future. If the second winter does not soon make things

SAVE POTATO EARNINGS

Governor Brumbaugh of Pennsylvania, has sent out an appeal to consumers of potatoes to save the parings so that the eyes may be used for seed. "I recognise the fact," the Governor said, "that the mere paring of a potato will not produce results at all adequate to the productiveness of the soil where such parings are placed, but I wish hotel and restaurant people and others would have the eyes of the potato cut deep enough to give sufficient nourishment to the eye in its creative period and then through the members of the local public safety committee have these parings distributed to the people who need them and who have been unable to secure seed by reason of its scarcity and its high price.

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Purchaser to remove buildings within twenty days from acceptance of tender.

J. E. T. LINDON,
22-23 Town Clerk

NOTICE

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Newcastle:
Take notice that I have received the Assessment List of the said town for the year 1917.

All persons paying their taxes on or before June 30th are entitled to a discount of Five per cent.

And all persons paying their taxes after June 30th are entitled to a discount of One per cent.

It is further ordered that the said taxes be paid within thirty days from the date of this notice.

Dated this 23rd day of May, 1917.

J. E. T. LINDON,
22-23 Town Clerk

PERSONALS

Mrs. Edward Sinclair is spending some time in St. John, a guest at the La Tour Hotel.

Signaller Burgess of the Divisional Signal Corps is spending a few days with friends in town.

Lieut. F. J. Lawlor, of Newcastle, recently registered at the Agent General's Office, London, Eng.

Lieut. Wm. Ferguson and W. P. Thompson, of Campbellton, were visitors in town this week.

Ex-Ald. Hayward returned last week from Fredericton, where he underwent a successful operation in Victoria Hospital.

Miss Evelyn Williamson of Fredericton, accompanied by her friend, Miss Hilda McLennan, is spending a few days at her home here.

Master Arthur Henderson, of Jacquet River, who has been attending Mt. A. Academy, has been visiting his friend, Austin Clarke this week.

Mr. John S. Scott, manager and editor of the Union Advocate, is in the Miramichi Hospital, where on Monday he underwent an operation. He is doing as well as can be expected.

Misses Pearl Henderson and Helen McMillan of Jacquet River are visiting Miss Delphine Clarke on their way home from Mt. Allison University.

Armorer Sergeant John A. Follansbee, who recently returned home on a six weeks' furlough from overseas service, arrived in town last week to spend the remainder of his time before returning to France, with his wife here.

Mr. S. L. Moore who has for the past few years been milling in Newcastle, but recently bought a property at Grand Bay, Kings Co., spent the week-end with his family here.

Mrs. Moore and children will leave for their future home on the 1st of June.

Mr. Roy Henderson of Jacquet River, a student in Mt. Allison University, returned home on Wednesday. Mr. Henderson is another of our young men who has donned khaki, having joined the Division Signallers with about twenty others of his class and will report for duty in Ottawa on June 25th.

Earlier Marriages and More Babies

Sir Malcolm Morris, K. C. V. O., the famous surgeon, discusses in the following interview, specially given to the Sunday Herald, the necessity for earlier marriages and more babies.

He points out that the ravages of the war, and even to an equal extent, of social diseases, is making such a drain on the manhood of the country that all our old ideas on the subject must be radically changed.

Sir Malcolm is chairman of the National Council for Combating Venereal Diseases, of which Lord Sydenham is president.

More than ever at this particular moment it is necessary to inculcate the safeguards of early marriage. Because of the enormous number of young men lost in the war, it is necessary to fill up the gap by increasing the number of births. I would advocate that taxes should be diminished on a sliding scale according to the size of the family, and that encouragement should be given to the young in their early days if they marry and have healthy children.

In my opinion, the subject is enormously important. In the old days in the nineteenth century, only the opposite view was taken. The cry was "Don't marry until you can afford to keep a wife." But the whole outlook and position is now altered by the war. Every encouragement should be given to people to marry.

The whole tone of Society must change. You must not argue for the future from what has happened in the past. The war has altered the times in which we live—everything—and not even the question of thrift should be taken into account.

Healthy marriages and healthy babies—that should be the cry. The State ought to help in this fight for the next generation. The deaths at the front are enormous. You have only to read the casualty lists—nearly a thousand a day—and these lives must be replaced.

Many people have written me pathetic letters saying they adopted early marriage, that they have had so many children, but that they cannot keep them as they are taxed out of existence. (Obviously there is a case for State assistance in necessary, and the taxation on men with large families ought to be ever so much lighter than in the case of bachelors.)

But perhaps the real cause of our declining population goes very much deeper, and may be attributed to the prevalence in our midst of social scourges. On this subject there has hitherto been a conspiracy of silence, but in times like these it is more than ever important to speak out and to call a spade a spade.

First of all, as to the gravity of this evil. Syphilis cases alone represent one in ten in our towns and cities, and gonorrhoea means at least four times more. The remedy that has been suggested for this evil is the Local Government Board scheme for setting up clinics attached to the larger hospitals of the country for a system of free diagnosis and free treatment of all sufferers.

This sound, of course, includes free treatment for those who brought this evil upon themselves by their disregard of their obligations of sexual morality. This question is of such grave national importance that the only sensible way of inducing sufferers to seek for early treatment is by making it free, and the remedy that

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It is such an important national question because a very large number of people suffer from it who are totally innocent.

Veneral disease as a name is a misnomer, because multitudes of cases are not contracted sexually. For example, children are born infected with syphilis. They also may be born blind or idiots, or afflicted with some terrible condition of the spine which may lead to premature death. Children are also infected soon after birth with a disease known as ophthalmia neonatorum, and this accounts for one quarter of all the cases of blindness in blind asylums.

Then innocent wives could be infected by both diseases by people marrying thinking they are cured when they are not. I have known myself several instances where the wife and several children have been

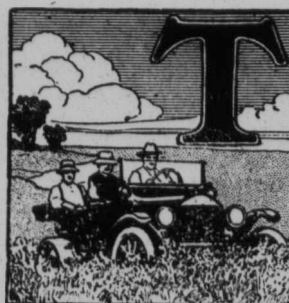
infected by the father, who thought himself cured.

Medical men, midwives, and nurses could be infected perfectly innocently, and then there are the infections by trades, such as the making of cigars, glass-blowers, and so on. There was an epidemic among glass-ware of perfectly innocent people, and that is the reason why we want free treatment for the sufferers to prevent others from being infected.

Another important point is that the treatment should be absolutely confidential. The object of its being confidential is that people may be induced to come for treatment, and not put themselves in the hands of quacks. The National Council is opposed to any system of compulsory notification for this reason, because if compulsory notification were carried out, it would be a disaster.

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