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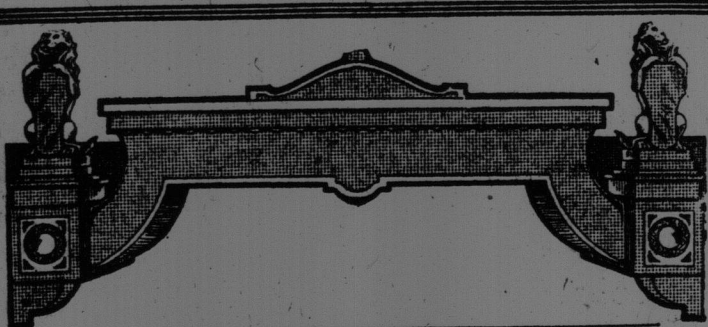
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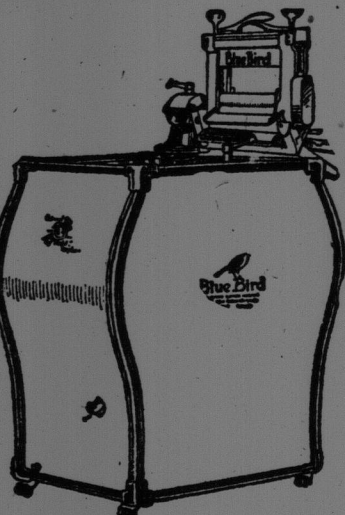


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ANNIVERSARY OF METHODISM IN FAIRVILLE

Church There Has Had Interesting History—Hard Hit by Fires—List of Pastors.

Tomorrow the Fairville Methodist Church will celebrate the sixty-first anniversary of the establishment of Methodism in Fairville, and the twenty-eighth anniversary of service in the present building.

The church has an interesting history. Service was originally held by Rev. Richard Smith. There was no church at that time, and the minister's house was used for the purpose, later a room over a barn owned by Robert Fair was remodelled as a meeting place, and on Sunday afternoons preachers from St. John were heard, among the gentlemen officiating at that time being John Fraser, Walter Wilson and James Sullivan. It was finally decided that a church was necessary, and the late Rev. Dr. Wilson started out with a subscription list, and in his memoirs he writes that on making a heading for his list he thought that Lancaster was too indefinite a location for a church, and so he says, without consulting anyone he called it the Fairville Church, in honor of Robert Fair, one of the oldest inhabitants of the place, and an active member of the denomination.

The first real building was begun in Main street in 1861 and completed in the following year. The first board of Trustees was composed of Robert Fair, John Clark, Hon. J. D. Lewin, G. W. Dill, Alexander Barnhill, John Moore, William Beattie and George Kingston.

On May 8, 1862, the church and parsonage as well as many homes in Fairville were destroyed by fire, but a new building was begun on Church Avenue in the following spring and completed on May 16, 1866. At that time the late Rev. Douglas Chapman, D. D., was pastor of the church. The corner stone of the new building was laid by Senator Lewin, who received a silver trowel as a memento of the occasion.

This building was well on toward completion but had never been occupied, when the edifice caught fire and was practically demolished. At that time there was no fire fighting apparatus in Fairville and the heroic and successful work of church members and other citizens who succeeded in saving the parsonage less than 100 feet away is still recounted by older members of the congregation.

After this second fire the congregation kept together, holding services in the Orange Hall until a new building was erected. Dedication was on January 18, 1869. The officiating ministers were Rev. Dr. Chapman in the morning, Rev. Mr. Corey, Baptist minister in the afternoon and Rev. Thomas Marshall in the evening.

Three years after the church had been in use the pipe organ was presented to the congregation by Hon. J. D. Lewin, who had all along taken an active part and given most generously toward the support of the church. In the earlier years of its history the Fairville circuit included Westfield, Grand Bay, South Bay, Lorneville, Musquash and Lepreux, and for a time St. George. This was very large, but as the cause prospered these outside sections secured churches of their own.

A list of ministers and dates of pastorate is as follows:—
1859-1862 Rev. Robert Wilson.
1862-1866 Rev. Robert H. Taylor.
1866-1868 Rev. John Shenton.
1868-1869 Rev. Joseph G. Anglin.
1869-1870 Rev. Douglas Chapman.
1870-1873 Rev. H. P. Cowperwait.
1873-1874 Rev. John Peck.
1874-1876 Rev. S. T. Teed.
1876-1879 Rev. John S. Phinney.
1879-1881 Rev. W. W. Lodge.
1881-1884 Rev. Douglas Chapman.
1884-1887 Rev. Thomas Marshall.
1887-1890 Rev. S. H. Rice.
1890-1892 Rev. W. W. Lodge.
1892-1894 Rev. Douglas Chapman.
1894-1896 Rev. John C. Berrie.
1896-1900 Rev. George W. Fisher.
1901-1902 Rev. Job Shenton.
1902-1904 Rev. Wm. J. Kirby.
1904-1905 Rev. George M. Young.
1905-1909 Rev. Thos. J. Delmstadt.
1909-1913 Rev. G. A. Rosa.
1913-1917 Rev. Gilbert Earle.
1917-1921 Rev. Thomas Marshall.
1921 Rev. J. M. Rice.

Of these, four ministers served two terms as will be noted. Rev. Job Shenton 1863-1866 and again from 1901-1902 when he died suddenly; Rev. W. W. Lodge 1879-1881 and again from 1890-1892; Rev. Dr. Douglas Chapman 1869-1870, and again from 1892-1894; Rev. Thomas Marshall 1884-1887 and again from 1917-1921.

The present pastor is a son of Rev. Stephen H. Rice a former minister of the circuit from 1887-1890 and spent three years of his boyhood in Fairville as a member of the family at the Methodist parsonage. The present building is entirely free of debt, the church is well organized and prospering in its various activities.

Gillis-Daymond.

A quiet wedding took place on Thursday morning at the Cathedral when Rev. Father McCarthy, with nuptial mass, united in marriage Miss Ruby May Daymond and Edward A. Gillis, both of this city. The bride was becomingly attired in a traveling suit of navy tricot with fur scarf of French tricot. Miss Vesta G. Gillis was bridesmaid and wore black Canton Crepe with Bulgarian trimmings. The groom was attended by his brother, Eugene Gillis. Among the many gifts received was a chest of silver from the staff of Emerson & Fisher, Ltd., on whose staff the groom was a valued member. They will reside in this city.

CHURCH TRUSTEES ORGANIZE.

The newly elected board of Knox Presbyterian Church, met last evening for organization. K. J. MacIsaac was elected chairman and W. S. Clawson secretary-treasurer. The following committees were appointed: Building, J. J. Sothart, D. L. MacLaren and A. McArthur; music, E. Palmer Kinman and R. Garfield Barton; finance, H. H. McEllan, J. C. Mitchell and W. H. Campbell; pew and usher, Gordon Crawford, D. W. Armstrong and K. J. MacIsaac; publicity, J. B. Hamm and E. P. Kinsman. In addition to the two trustees mentioned the music committee is composed of Mrs. R. A. Sewell (from the ladies' society) and W. S. Clawson from the session. The board presided over the daintily arranged tea tables.

Carnival Week But Fortnight Away; Plans Working Out Well

Women's Council to Take Charge of the Tag—Grand Stand Big Cozy Place From Which to See Races—Joe Tebo Fighting Storms—Railways Giving Special Rates.

Two weeks from today will see the opening of the St. John Winter Carnival, an aggregation of events which, according to the programme, will set a new mark in the sporting history of St. John. The task of arranging for this big period of enjoyment, placed in the hands of a Rotary-Y. M. C. I. committee, has not been an easy one, but sub-committees have had each branch of the programme in hand and reports indicate that all will be ready when the opening day arrives.

Ladies to Help.

At their meeting yesterday afternoon the St. John Council of Women got behind the International Skating meet and offered it the sort of support that goes to make success. The ladies undertook to have charge of the badges for the meet. Various members offered their personal assistance and undertook to bring the matter before the organizations which they represented. Mrs. Richard Hooper regretted that she would be away, but offered the hospitality of her home to the workers. The offer was accepted gratefully. A committee, consisting of Mrs. H. B. Peck, Mrs. G. Wilford Campbell, Mrs. E. A. Young and Mrs. A. C. Wilson, was named by the chair to meet with the men's committee for the meet and make further arrangements.

Special Railway Rates.

According to communications received yesterday by D. J. Corr, secretary of the committee, special rates will be given by both the C. P. R. and C. N. R. from all points in the Maritime Provinces to those who wish to attend the International Skating Meet. There is no doubt that this move on the part of the railways will add considerably to the attendance. Details will appear later.

Preparations at Lake.

The committee yesterday visited Lily Lake and inspected the accommodations being prepared for spectators. The grand stand is half finished and will, with favorable weather, be completed in about a week, according to the contractor, George Lawson. The structure is very substantial and comfortable. It is 410 feet long, with a three-foot walk the entire length along the front. Fourteen tiers of seats, fourteen inches high and sixteen inches deep, extend upwards from the front. The road, with the latter left clear for vehicles and pedestrians.

Four entrances are placed in the back of the stand and one on either end, and the seats are reached by five aisles, making the emptying of the structure quickly possible.

The platform, erected at the finish line, will be fitted with tables and connected by telephone to the city. The officials' stand will be about nine feet square, much smaller than last year. It will be constructed in two stories, on the ice level for the judges and upstairs for the referees and timers. Results of the races will be announced by means of a signal board, the letters on which will be eighteen inches long; first, second and third in each heat, with time, will be announced.

Although Superintendent Tebo has

had great difficulty in keeping a good sheet of ice on account of the storms, he expects, with good weather, to have an excellent surface in a few days. He is not easily discouraged and may be depended on to give a good show.

After returning to the city, the committee

visited the site of the proposed ice arch in King Square, and are now preparing plans for this item.

Although the committee feels satisfied with the progress of arrangements already made and need only the co-operation of the public to make the carnival events highly successful.

MARLOCH HAD PLEASANT VOYAGE

Lady Hylton a Passenger on Way to Visit at Rideau Hall.

The Canadian Pacific steamship Marloch reached port about 9:30 o'clock this morning after completing an exceptionally fast and pleasant voyage from Liverpool. She brought out fifty cabin and 120 third class passengers, in addition to a large general cargo, 2,284 bags of mail and approximately 400 pieces of baggage. During the voyage across the Atlantic fine weather was encountered with an exception of two days. Nothing eventful happened while en route to Canada. The large liner docked at Seaside Point at 10:30 o'clock and the passengers were sent forward to their destinations throughout Canada in a special train which left at 3:30 o'clock. Among the cabin passengers was Lady Hylton of Radstock, Somerset, who will visit the Governor General of Canada and Lady Byng, J. H. Lupton, of St. Anne-on-Sea, and a former mayor of the town of Accrington, Lancashire, England, was also a passenger.

SHOULD NOT HAPPEN AGAIN.

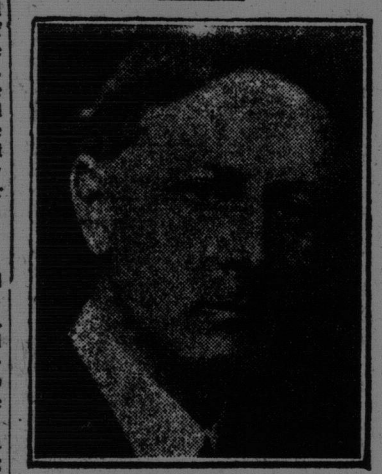
All outgoing C. N. R. suburban service was held up for twelve hours yesterday without any fair excuse. The road from Sussex to St. John was opened by the arrival of the Sussex express at ten o'clock yesterday morning, and there was nothing to prevent suburban trains running as usual after that time. All trains were, however, cancelled, and no train left St. John until about midnight. It is said that the superintendent at Moncton, the delay was due to having no snow plow available, but as the road was open to Sussex all day, no plow was needed to assist in the suburban service and the Sussex train could have left on time.

BRIDGE ENJOYED

A delightful bridge was held on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Geo. D. McCuskey, Douglas avenue. The Misses Florence Kiernan and Muriel Corkery, assisted by an efficient committee of young ladies had charge of the bridge tables. Buffet lunch was served at twelve o'clock. Mrs. Philip Granman and Mrs. W. T. McCuskey presided over the daintily arranged tea tables.

SIR H. NEWBOLT ARRIVED IN ST. JOHN TODAY

To Tour Canada in Interests of Education—Poet, Author and Educator Speaks of His Mission.



NOTED POET HERE TODAY.

Sir Henry Newbolt, M. A., D.Litt., arrived here this morning on the C. P. steamship Marloch, from Liverpool, to inaugurate a national lectureship on English literature, which will be given in the form of public addresses in twenty-four of the principal cities of the Dominion, as well as to the students of the principal universities throughout Canada. He said that his lectures on the English language and literature would be given as a basis of national education. He explained that in England, from a practical standpoint, English in the elementary and secondary schools was to be based on a combination of science with the English language and literature. Sir Henry said that English is one of the fundamental studies, because no one can learn anything until he has acquired at least a certain mastery of his own language.

Sir Henry pointed out that this lectureship scheme has as its object bringing before the public a constant source of information and inspiration concerning the wider aspects of education.

Reading of good literature, said Sir Henry, is one of the greatest means of mastering the English language, because it is the record of experience, and therefore is the most powerful element in education. The object of education, he said, is to keep close to life instead of getting far away from it. He explained that education always goes wrong from time to time because it becomes a rigid system, and is inclined to get away from real life. He expressed himself strongly on the fact that if it is based on your own language and your own literature it cannot do this.

Sir Henry Newbolt is a distinguished poet, author and educationist. He was chairman of a special committee created by the British Board of Education, which recently issued its report on "The Teaching of English" (on the position of English in the educational system of the country), a report of far-reaching importance, because it deals with the relationship of the English language to the whole educational process and its purpose.

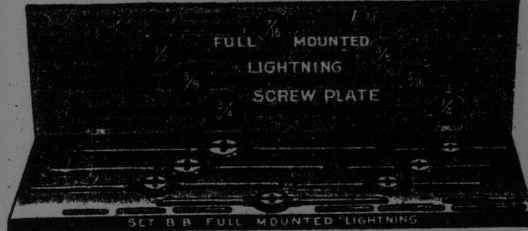
While in St. John, Sir Henry will be a guest of Chief Justice Sir Douglas Hazen; in Fredericton of the Earl of Ashburnham, and in Halifax of His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Grant. Following a lecture in this city on Monday evening he will leave to lecture at the following places: Fredericton, Moncton, Halifax, Wolfville, Windsor, Truro, Sackville, Quebec, Montreal, Kingston and Toronto. Before returning to England he plans to tour Canada from coast to coast.

In March, Sir Henry Newbolt will be joined by Sir Michael E. Sadler, K. C. S. I., L.D., vice-chancellor of the University of Leeds, and one of the greatest educationists of the English-speaking world; and by Lieut.-General Sir Robert Baden-Powell, K. C. B., K. C. V. O., L.D., F. R. G. S., and Lord Baden-Powell.

Sir Henry John Newbolt, M.A., D.Litt., the distinguished English poet and author who arrived in St. John today, was born at Bilton, England, on June 6, 1862. He was educated at Clifton School and Corpus Christi College, Oxford. At Oxford he read Classics and Philosophy. In 1887 he was called to the English Bar and practised until 1899. Since his retirement from active practice he has devoted himself almost exclusively to literature. Among his best known works are: "Admirals All," "The Year of 'Graceland,'" "The Old Country," "The Book of the Blue Sea," "The Book of the Thin Red Line," "Tales of the Great War," "The Book of the Happy Warriors," "A New Study of English Poetry," "The Education Act," which was recently introduced into England, was very largely based on the report of a committee of which Sir Henry Newbolt was chairman.

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