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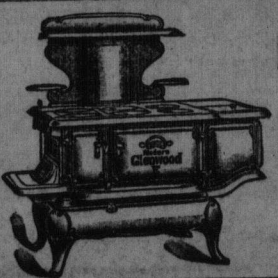
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CHRISTMAS SERVICE AT CENTENARY

Annual Missionary programme yesterday afternoon proved particularly interesting.

The annual Christmas missionary programme of Centenary church Sunday school proved particularly interesting yesterday afternoon. The schoolroom presented a very attractive appearance and a large number of scholars and friends were present.

The following was the programme: National Anthem, Lord's Prayer, hymn, primary chorus, selection by school orchestra, offering for foreign missions, Christmas tree celebration by classes, selection by orchestra, offering for home missions, hymn, address by Thomas Jenkins, address by pastor, address by J. Hunter White, hymn.

On each of the various class tables was placed a Christmas tree, daintily and brightly trimmed. These were afterwards removed and arranged in a pleasing way at the back of the platform. A large array of goods of many kinds was also piled up on the platform, these being the contributions of the scholars and of many others interested in the school plans for helping to make happy at Christmas the poor of the city. The missionary committee will meet at 2.30 on Tuesday afternoon for packing the goods and transacting business in connection with the distribution, the latter taking place either on Wednesday or on Thursday.

The contributions were as follows: Primary class, books and toys; Miss Tennant, candy; Reg. Barracough, canned goods; Miss Margaret Maxwell, candy; C. Weimore, tea; Mrs. E. A. Macdonald, Mrs. Arnold Young, canned goods; Miss Pauline Jenkins, coffee and rice; Mrs. E. S. Hennigar, canned goods; Miss E. Austin, cake and candy; Mrs. R. M. Smith, sugar; Mrs. Barker, tea and candy; D. McKendrick, bananas, dried fruit and nuts; Mrs. R. M. Smith, groceries; Mr. Sealy and Mr. Jenkins, fruit; Miss K. Turner, cake and filled stockings; Mrs. W. G. Smith, tea and sugar; J. L. Thorne, candy; Mrs. J. LeLachour, groceries; Loyall, Bille fruit and vegetables; M. E. H. class, mixed groceries; Librarian, apples; officers, oranges; Brotherhood, flour and oatmeal; home department, cake; books from school library.

At the morning service in the church Rev. Byron C. Borden, D.D., president of Mount Allison University, preached, and in the evening Rev. G. M. Campbell, D.D. The Brotherhood Bible class met in the church parlors in the afternoon.

The Soul of Flavor in BRAYLEY'S EXTRACTS.

TWO FIRES YESTERDAY

Early morning blaze in Charlotte Street building—Fire in West St. John coal pocket.

A few minutes after Saturday midnight, a citizen, while walking along Charlotte street, discovered a fire burning brightly in the tailoring establishment kept by Henry Goldberg, at No. 126, which is almost opposite Horsfield street. The citizen immediately sent in an alarm from box 25 and then assisted Police Officer Dandane, who happened to be close by, to awaken the people in the house adjoining the one on fire.

The fire had gained such headway that before the water could be turned on flames and smoke burst the large plate glass window with a loud report. The building on fire was only a one story structure and the flames poured out of the window over the roof, while it caught on the front of the house adjoining. Some person seeing the flames and thinking it a much larger fire, sent in a second alarm. The firemen worked well and soon had the fire under control.

The tailor shop with its contents proved a total loss, while only slight damage was done to the front of the adjoining house. One of the front rooms in No. 123 was damaged by fire and water. The entire damage to the building where the fire started, and contents will amount to about one thousand dollars.

The cause of the fire is not known, but it is thought to have started from a stove. About 12.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon fire was discovered in the shanty which encloses the boiler and machinery used for the timber at the Dominion Coal Co. pocket, near the West Side ferry dock. An alarm was sent from box 21 and shortly after the arrival of the department the fire was quenched, but before the shanty had been destroyed. The machinery was considerably damaged.

IMPERIAL THEATRE MEETING LAST EVENING HUGE SUCCESS

Lieutenant Belque, of 69th, Capt. L. P. D. Tilley and Rev. G. M. Campbell, chief speakers at most enthusiastic recruiting meeting—Empire's need told of in eloquent Addresses—Four men signed honor roll on Saturday.

Battalion. We should appreciate the men who came to this country before our Loyalist ancestors. We speak of French-Canadians and French Acadians as our people, which they are. "There are men today who deserve splendid credit for upholding the integrity of the British Empire. Don't forget those other people in the city of St. John and Province of New Brunswick, who in their own way are doing as good work as those who don khaki. They are the mothers and wives. They sit at home and wait and work, not knowing what moment they will receive a cablegram conveying bad news. They deserve credit as much as the men who fight."
"Young men of St. John, from 18 to 25 years register your names with Col. Wedderburn and let St. John keep up her noble record, which I am sure will be maintained until the end of the war."
Lieut. Belque.

A large and enthusiastic audience which filled the Imperial Theatre last night accorded the recruiting campaigners warmest receptions, especially Lieut. Belque of the 69th Battalion. The Lieutenant, who is a Montreal lawyer and a French-Canadian, was given an ovation at the end of his eloquent address. His address was given in clear and forceful English, and he seemed to be as much at home in that language as when speaking his mother tongue.

Capt. L. P. D. Tilley, M. L. A., organizing recruiting officer for New Brunswick, one of the speakers of the evening, said that the time was coming when men physically fit to go to the front who refused to go would be forced to enlist.

The popularity of Col. F. V. Wedderburn, of the 115th, who was on the platform was attested when Capt. Tilley referred to the excellent work the colonel is doing. The name of Colonel Wedderburn was heartily applauded by the big audience. The speakers were Capt. Tilley, Lieut. Belque and Rev. Dr. G. M. Campbell of Mount Allison University, and formerly of St. John.

Officers of the 69th, 115th and 140th battalions occupied seats on the platform. The host of the 69th gave a number of spirited selections to the delight of the audience. The chairman of the evening was W. S. Fisher. At the conclusion of Lieut. Belque's address the audience, at the request of Lieut. Belque, gave three cheers for the 69th battalion. Three additional lusty cheers for the same organization were given under the leadership of Capt. Tilley.

Capt. L. P. D. Tilley.
Capt. Tilley, the first speaker, said: "This is the best opportunity I have had since I was appointed organizing recruiting officer of addressing so large an audience. I believe the audience to be a sympathetic one. Many of you have friends and relatives at the front, I may tell you, we have men of the regiment. He has good officers with him today, and I expect the 115th will be one of the best battalions to go to the front."

"Recruiting is progressing all over New Brunswick. The recruiting officers are now standing behind Col. Wedderburn for men for the 115th and 140th battalions.

"The time is coming in Canada, as it has already come in Great Britain, when physically fit men who have not registered and failed to rally to the support of the flag, will be forced to do so. On Tuesday next the Soldiers' Wives League will give a Christmas tree to the children of men at the front. You will be surprised to know that 900 children of men from two to seven in St. John will be invited. Is there anyone who cannot realize that these 900 children have sent their fathers to fight for the Empire?"

What Must Be Done.
"Young unmarried men should think of this. Last week 235 recruits were enlisted in New Brunswick. That is not bad, but it might be better. The 140th has 300 men and the 115th about the number. Then there is the 104th, another to be formed in Westmorland and Kent counties, the 145th; the 132nd, North Shore battalion under Col. Meserveau, and an Acadian regiment. The Acadians are strongly behind the movement to form not merely a French Acadian company, but a French Acadian battalion. You may take my word for it that the Acadians will raise a regiment as quickly as the others are being raised. We have here the 69th

Proud to Work With England.
"We are proud to work hand and hand with the English race. When Germany declared war on France at the beginning of August, 1914; when the German armies invaded Belgium this brave and noble little country did not hesitate to answer through her grand king, Albert I, that she would not allow the invaders to set foot on her soil with a struggle. The bonds of the English and French-Canadian races were sealed on the Plains of Abraham by the glorious deaths of two heroes, Wolfe and Montcalm. To crush Germany we need men, enlist. I know it is hard for mothers and wives to make the sacrifices. The English mothers and the French mothers have made sacrifices, and I know Canadian mothers will do the same. Come and fight, not for Great Britain, France or Belgium, but join in the struggle against Hun barbarism. Remember the inspiring signal which Lord Nelson displayed at the beginning of the battle of Trafalgar—'England, expects every man to do his duty!'"

Lieut. Belque was vociferously cheered when he sat down. The applause was followed by more cheering this time for the 69th regiment, the entire audience standing.

Rev. Dr. G. M. Campbell.
Rev. Dr. Campbell regarded himself as one of St. John's citizens in the good work. The war is a just war, he declared, "and it is our first duty to firmly establish this fact in our thoughts. Great Britain did not precipitate this war. The empire resorted to every honorable means to prevent it. It is a comfort to us to realize this. No Christian nation could stand by and see Belgium crushed. We are not engaging in a war of aggression or one of conquest. It is for another purpose that the old land has gone to war. Germany has showed darker barbarity than that of the middle ages. The war can have only one result, the triumph of Great Britain and her allies, the triumph of humanity. The war has equalized social classes in England. The world has never seen such a spectacle as that of men rising in the overseas dominions to aid the Empire. The Imperial union question was settled on the battle fields of France. Some day we shall have one parliament. The deeds of the sons of the Empire have been splendid and marvellous. The colonies, especially Canada, have done well."

"Of all classes in Canada the poets had inspired done the most to inspire patriots."

"Young men, you were never needed so much as you are needed now. Woe to that man who is physically fit and refuses to respond to the call of his country. God calls for your services, and the call of God is the call of your country. The outcome of the war depends on the overseas dominions. Never to your fathers did an hour ever come so serious as that which has come to you. Go forth and put honor above itself."

During his discourse Rev. Dr. Campbell recited a number of patriotic poems, closing with the verse of a hymn beginning, "The Sea of God goes forth to war."

THE HACKINS ADVANCE SALE OPENS TOMORROW

Popular Company starts engagement at Opera House on Christmas Day.

The advance sale of seats for the engagement of the W. S. Hackins Players at the Opera House, which commences on Christmas Day, will open at the box office tomorrow morning at ten.

As already announced, the play for the holiday matinee will be "Our Wives," a brisk, lively comedy and a real New York success. In the evening the company offers, for the first time here, a recent English success, "A Spy in the House," a strong sensational drama, dealing with the present war, the scenes of which are laid "Somewhere in France." When originally produced in London this play created quite a sensation and had a long run.

Seats for both holiday performances will be reserved, the prices arranged as follows: Entire orchestra, 50c; dress circle, 25c; 1st 2 rows in balcony, 35c; balance of the balcony, 25c. If you have a favorite seat in the Opera House and desire to have it for the matinee or night performance, or both, it would be well to secure it early this week, as holiday performances are always crowded, and judging by the many inquiries of the past few days there is going to be a big demand for tickets for these particular performances.

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