

## TWO CLERGYMEN OBSERVE 60TH ANNIVERSARY

Rev. W. B. Armstrong and  
Rev. Dr. J. R. Campbell

SERVICE IS HELD  
IN STONE CHURCH

Dr. Campbell Unable to  
Come From Fredericton  
to Attend.

That obedience to God's will is the high road to blessing, was the testimony of Rev. W. B. Armstrong, in an address before the congregation assembled in St. John's (Stone) church this morning to celebrate with him the 60th anniversary of his ordination.

Rev. A. L. Fleming, rector, conducted the service, and, assisted by Very Reverend Archdeacon A. H. Crowfoot, celebrated Holy Communion. Rev. A. H. Moore, D. C. L., head of Kings College, Halifax, N. S., Rev. E. P. Wright, of Trinity church, St. Stephen, Rev. R. Taylor McKim, of St. Mary's, Saint John and Rev. John Lawton, curate of St. John's, were among the clergy participating.

The members of the family who followed the clergy in the communion service were the two daughters of Rev. Mr. Armstrong, Mrs. William and Mrs. George Harding, with their children, Reginald, Marjorie and Ruth Harding, his nephew, Lieut. Colonel B. S. Armstrong, B. C. L., and niece, Miss Armstrong, Mrs. F. W. Mansel, Mrs. F. R. L. Fairweather and Mrs. J. H. A. Holmes. Members of the church and from other churches were present to honor Rev. Mr. Armstrong. The attendance was representative.

Rev. Mr. Armstrong took for the basis of his remarks the words of Moses to the Children of Israel, after they had concluded their 40 years' experience in the wilderness. The words signified exactly the thought of his own personal experience which Rev. Mr. Armstrong conveyed to his hearers. "Thou shalt remember all the way in which the God Thy Lord hath led thee to know what was in thine heart, whether thou wouldst keep His commandments or no." The speaker said that it was well to remember God in youth, when one was inclined to slip and better still to remember and obey Him in mature years, when one's will had become perverted.

He said that the fight against one's own inclinations continued through life, even unto death. With glowing face he affirmed that the pathway of obedience to God was the highway to blessing. The blessings were enumerated and formed a striking close to a fine address.

Many remained to speak with Rev. Mr. Armstrong and to congratulate him on having attained so many years in the ministry with vigor still retained for service in the church.

Rev. Dr. J. Roy Campbell, whose 60th anniversary also was observed, was unable to come to the city from Fredericton for the service.

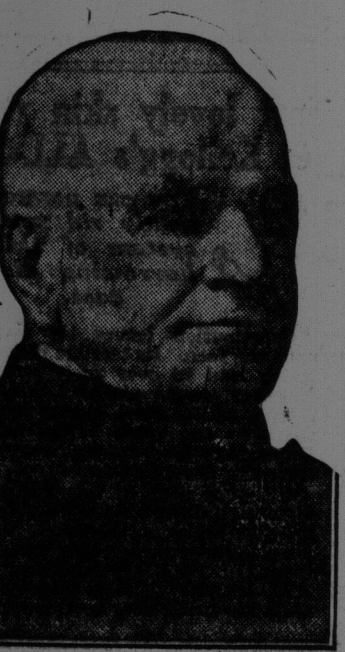
**FAMILY HISTORY.**  
After 60 years of active work as an Anglican clergyman in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, Rev. W. B. Armstrong today looks back over those years of service to humanity and to God and many memories come sweeping back to recall the mixed joys and sorrows of a clergyman in earlier and later days. Mr. Armstrong is both the son and the grandson of a clergyman. His grandfather, Rev. John Armstrong, a native of England, was for 15 years stationed at Buenos Aires, South America, and came from Buenos Aires to Saint John in 1851. He was the first rector of St. James' church here. He afterwards became the first rector of St. Jude's church in West Saint John, which was built for him. Rev. John Armstrong was succeeded as rector at St. James' church by his son, Rev. William Armstrong, who had been his curate and who was the father of Rev. W. B. Armstrong, now celebrating the jubilee of his ordination.

Rev. William Armstrong came to Saint John from Valparaiso, Chile, where he had been chaplain in the British colony and he succeeded his father, Rev. John Armstrong, as rector of St. James' church, remaining in that office until his retirement from the active ministry.

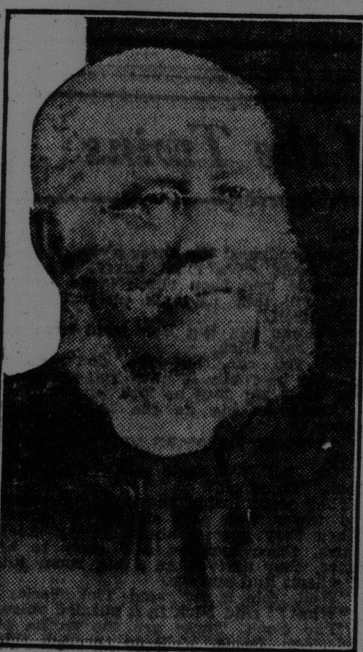
**BORN IN VALPARAISO.**  
Rev. W. B. Armstrong was born in Valparaiso and was 10 years old when he came to Saint John. He was educated at Lake Windermere school in the north of England and at King's College, Windsor, N. S. He can readily recall his boyhood days and his college days. Rev. Dr. W. H. Bullock, of Halifax, and Mr. Armstrong are the oldest living graduates of King's College and they were classmates at the university. Other classmates he recalls were Rev. H. S. Walcott, who died last year and had been for 37 years rector at Kingston, N. B.; the late Judge Townsend, Chief Justice of Nova Scotia; the late Dr. C. Holden and the late J. Allan Jack, noted historian of New Brunswick and formerly rector of Saint John. Mr. Armstrong is himself keenly interested in the records of the New Brunswick Historical Society. He has written several papers on historical subjects and his papers prepared for deacons' meetings have been most highly commended.

**HIS ORDINATION.**  
Bishop Hibbert Binney, of Nova Scotia officiated at the ordination of the two young deacons when Mr. Armstrong and Dr. Campbell were received into the ministry of the Anglican church at the ordination service held in Christ church, Windsor, on Sept. 24, 1865. Mr. Armstrong was first curate at St. Paul's church, Halifax, serving under the Rev. Dr. George W. Hill and he was stationed there for four years, being ordained priest in the third year of his stay in Halifax. He came to Saint John in 1871 to be curate of St. Luke's church, succeeding Rev. Canon Tully and working with Rev. Canon

## HAVE NOTABLE ANNIVERSARY



REV. W. B. ARMSTRONG.



REV. DR. J. ROY CAMPBELL.

Harrison, the then rector of St. Luke's. It was while he was curate at St. Luke's that Mr. Armstrong was married to Miss Shukely G. Wright, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., in 1876.

It was a curious circumstance of his ministry that he was stationed at Shediac for three different periods, going there first as a young man in the earliest years of his service in the province, returning later with his wife and being appointed once again in later years after his wife's death.

**SERVED AT REXTON.**  
After leaving St. Luke's he was appointed to Richibucto and Kingston, now called Rexton.

Mr. Armstrong was assisting Rev. Nathaniel A. Coster at Richibucto and at the same time had charge of Kingston, now called Rexton, and Wedford, where he built a church. Mr. Armstrong spent two years at Shediac and then became rector of Grand Falls and Edmundston, where he spent seven years. During that period the new church at Edmundston was completed and the rector had much to do with the carrying through of that undertaking.

Wedford was the next place to which he was called and he spent ten years of fruitful service in that community. His last parish was that of Salisbury, Hawke and Petticoat, where he remained for seven years until his retirement in 1908, when he returned to Saint John. Since that time he has been assisting at the service in St. John's (Stone) church and doing occasional work throughout the province as his services are needed.

**63 YEARS OF AGE.**  
At 63 years of age he has the better of the great majority of much younger people in that his eyesight is as keen as ever and he has no need to seek the aid of glasses. In view of the fact that his literary tastes no less than his clerical calling have involved a great amount of reading which might be supposed to induce something of eye strain. He has an intimate knowledge of the events of today and the people of today as he has of the earlier years.

Speaking from a clergyman's viewpoint he considers the diocese of Fredericton to be "a young man's diocese," in so many of the parishes there are several preaching places and the rector must travel magnificent distances to take his services each Sunday. He has worked for a greater or less period in all of the seven dioceses of the diocese of Fredericton. While his stipend when he was first advanced to the dignity of rector was the magnificent sum of \$700, Mr. Armstrong believes that the rectors of today with salaries of larger sums are no better provided with this worldly good since the value of money is so much less.

To give some idea of the change in the value of money he said that he had been accustomed to pay \$8 a bushel for his horse and 25 cents a bushel for oats.

**EVERY DAY RELIGION.**  
He has remarked the great contrast between present day habits of church-going and the faithful attendance of the congregations of his earlier days. While he believes that it is a pity that people are not so regular in church attendance he finds that today religion has been brought more into the realm of everyday affairs. People will talk about religious matters as they never did in the old days and he especially remarks the fact that newspapers of today will publish articles dealing with religious topics, something which they would not have done in former days, Mr. Armstrong believes. He remarks the spirit of inquiry with regard to religion which he considers typical of the present age.

**HAPPY PASTORATE.**  
As to which pastorate had been the happiest Mr. Armstrong thought that perhaps he had enjoyed the most the years that had been spent at Salisbury and he added that perhaps by that time he had grown to have a better understanding of human nature. It has been his special gift to win the affection and esteem of his people and he is greatly revered by his former parishioners scattered throughout the province and in the wider world beyond.

Mr. Armstrong is a nephew of the late Rev. George Armstrong, first rector of St. John's (Stone) church, and a brother of Hon. J. Russell Armstrong, former Judge of the County Court of Saint John, and a brother also of George Armstrong, of Fredericton. Mrs. G. Ludlow Robinson, of Windsor, on Sept. 24, 1865, by Bishop Herbert Binney, of Nova Scotia. He was first appointed to the parish of Yarmouth, N. S., where he remained as curate for 11 years. In that time he was chairman of the building committee of the congregation which had charge of the erection of the fine new church, held to be one of the finest in the Maritime Provinces. From Yarmouth he went to St. Martins to be-

come the first rector of that parish and during the five years he remained at St. Martins the new rectory was planned and erected.

His next appointment was Dorchester where he was rector about 20 years. While at Dorchester he was for many years rural dean of Shediac and chaplain of the penitentiary.

In his pastoral work as penitentiary chaplain and as an active worker in the synod of the diocese Dr. Campbell displayed a marked ability and because of his sterling qualities won a place of high esteem throughout the province.

His eyesight began to fail him and in 1908 he was stricken with blindness, an infirmity which relaxed his grip slightly at one time only to become a permanent affliction. In later years his hearing has also become impaired and his general health has given his friends much uneasiness.

Dr. Campbell's first wife was Miss Broughton, of Chester, England, who died many years ago. On Feb. 26, 1906, he was married to Miss Madeline Hamilton, of Saint John, at Holy Trinity church, Digby. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Dehlo, of Annapolis, assisted by Rev. Mr. Harley, of Digby.

He has two sons, children of his first wife, Dr. J. Roy Campbell, barrister, of Saint John, and William F. Campbell, civil engineer in the Argentine.

**Weddings**  
Stack-Walton.  
Chapel Grove church was the scene of a pretty wedding on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, when Rev. James Woods, C. S. R., of St. Peter's parish, solemnized the marriage of Miss Isabelle Walton, daughter of Mrs. Mary Walton and the late Michael Walton, of Miss Glen, to William Stack. The church was prettily decorated with autumn flowers and ferns. The bride, who was given in a brown costume with hat to match, wore a fox fur, the gift of the groom. She was attended by Miss Madeline Harrison, her cousin, who wore a rosewood ensemble suit with hat to match. The bride carried a bouquet of roses. The wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother, where the rooms were tastefully decorated with flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Stack left for a short trip through the province, after which they will reside at 268 Egin street. Many lovely gifts were received by the bride and groom, who are very popular in their circle of friends.

**Chipman-LeBlanc.**  
The marriage of Miss Anita LeBlanc, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. LeBlanc, of Yarmouth, N. S., and William Chipman, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Chipman, of 195 Hawthorne avenue, was solemnized on Wednesday evening at the Zion United Church parsonage by Rev. William Lawson. The bride, who looked charming in a rust colored suit, was attended by Mrs. C. P. Stirling, who wore a smart navy blue costume. Mr. Stirling attended the groom. The bride carried a bouquet of roses. After the ceremony a delectable supper was served at the home of the groom's parents with 60 guests present. The bride received a number of gifts, including a set of dishes from the staff of the Royal Hotel, where the groom is employed. Mr. and Mrs. Hawthorne will reside at 195 Hawthorne avenue.

**Parks-Brown.**  
St. Andrew's church was the scene of a pretty wedding at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, when Rev. J. S. Bonnell solemnized the marriage of Miss Estelle Brown, formerly of St. George, and Frank Kenny Parks, of 302 Duke street, West Saint John. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, John H. Brown, of St. George, was becomingly attired in a navy blue suit of charmed twill with which she wore a tangerine hat and a cocoa brown fox fur, which was the gift of the groom. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Terence A. O'Donnell, 68 Mecklenburg street. Mr. and Mrs. Parks left for a honeymoon trip to Montreal, and on their return they will reside in West Saint John. They received many beautiful gifts.

**Beckwith-Dunham.**  
At the Ludlow street Baptist parsonage, 244 Prince street, West Saint John, last evening Rev. W. A. Robbins united in marriage Miss Frederica Dunham and Clarence F. Beckwith. Mrs. Frederica Dunham, mother of the bride, and a number of friends and relatives were present and the bride and groom were supported by Miss Alice M. Lester and Harold R. Ellis. Mr. and Mrs. Beckwith will make their home in West Saint John and have the good wishes of many friends.

**Brennan-Thompson.**  
CAMPBELLTON, Sept. 22—A wedding of more than local interest took place here this morning at 9 o'clock in the Church of Our Lady of the Snows, when Marie Victoria, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson, of Campbellton, was united in marriage with Frank J. Brennan, of Ottawa, Rev. J. Edgar Brennan, brother of the groom,

performed the ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father and looked charming in a white Canton crepe dress with silver bead trimmings. She carried a bouquet of butterfly roses. Miss Gertrude Thompson, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and wore a powder blue dress of Canton crepe with rose trimmings and hat to match. She carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses and maiden hair fern. The groom was attended by Edward Maloney, of Ottawa. During the ceremony the choir sang pleasing hymns. Mrs. C. J. McCluskey, Mrs. J. W. Howard and Mrs. R. G. Thompson sang solos. After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the summer home of the bride's parents at Point La Poudre, where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served, after which the happy couple left on their wedding tour by motor to Prince Edward Island. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Thompson and Miss Mary McPhail, of Woodstock, N. B. Mr. Brennan is associated with Eastern Securities, Ltd., Saint John.

**Craig-Fountain.**  
ST. ANDREWS, Sept. 23—A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at All Saints' church at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning, September 23, when Geneva Victoria, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steven L. Fountain, of Chocolate Cove, Deer Island, was united in marriage with William John Craig, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Craig, of Chamcook.

The bride who was unattended, was prettily gowned in a brown velvet ensemble costume with hat to match. The ceremony was performed by Canon R. B. Hooper. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the groom's home, and a reception held there in the evening. Many gifts of silver, cut glass and linen were received. The bride is a graduate of the Provincial Normal School. Mr. and Mrs. Craig will reside at Chamcook.

**Mule He Swapped**  
**Makes Beach Rich**

Eleven years ago Joseph Beach of Caldwell, N. J., drove his bawky mule, Maud, down the streets of the village and met John Gosman. They stopped to talk. Then Gosman noticed the fidgeting Maud.

"How'll you swap, Joe?" asked Gosman. "Can't say, John," replied Beach. "Got a piece of land down Florida way; Palm Beach or West Palm Beach, some such place?" Gosman answered. "Worth \$75, you reckon?" Beach asked.

"Guess so, let's swap," Gosman replied. And they signed the papers. Beach has left for West Palm Beach to look at the property, for which he has been offered a small fortune. Maud is dead.

**Deaths**  
Walter E. Coram.  
Mrs. J. F. Smith, of the West Side, received word yesterday of the death of her brother, Walter E. Coram, which occurred at Waterloo, Iowa, on Friday, 18th inst. Mr. Coram formerly was a well known resident of the West Side, where he carried on a boot and shoe repairing business. About 30 years ago he moved to the west and established and carried on a very successful boot and shoe business in Waterloo. He leaves, beside his wife, who was Miss Ellen Walters, three daughters and one son, also one brother and three sisters.

**Mrs. Mary Murphy.**  
The death of Mrs. Mary Murphy, widow of John Murphy, occurred at the Mater Misericordiae Home, on Sept. 23. She is survived by one son, Daniel O'Neil and two brothers, John and Joseph O'Brien, all of Saint John. The funeral will take place on Friday morning from the Home to the Cathedral.

**Mrs. Wm. A. Rouse.**  
KNIGHTVILLE, N. B., Sept. 23—Mrs. William A. Rouse, of this place, who suffered a paralytic stroke on Wednesday, last, died the following day. Always ready to help any one

in sickness or need, she will be greatly missed. She is survived by her husband, three sons, Arthur J. and William, of this place, and Chester, of Newtown; four daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Fowler, of Salem, N.B.; Mrs. Herbert Patterson, of Glenvale; Miss Jane, at home, and Miss Mary L., teacher at Kinnear Settlement. Several grandchildren, two brothers, George and John Elliott, of Annapolis Ridge, and one sister, Mrs. John McQuinn, of this place, also survive. The funeral service was held Friday at the home, conducted by Rev. W. J. Donville, of Petrolia. The funeral procession was one of the largest ever seen in this community. Interment took place in the Methodist cemetery at Corn Hill. The pall-bearers were two sons, Arthur J. and William and Charles Hunt and Gordon, John and Fred Elliott, nephews.

**Clement Murphy.**  
Much sympathy will be extended to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murphy of 28 Peter street, in the death of their infant son, Clement, which occurred on Tuesday at the Saint John Infirmary at the age of 16 days.

**Robert L. Graham.**  
WOLFVILLE, N. S., Sept. 23—Robert L. Graham, manager of the Consumers Cordage Company, of Halifax, from 1912 to 1923, when he retired owing to ill health, died here this evening. He was 48 years old.

**STEARER AND CREW OF 19 ARE GIVEN UP**  
Antwerp to Vancouver Bound, Last Heard of at San Francisco in April.

Canadian Press.  
ANTWERP, Sept. 24—The Belgian steamer Gertrude, which, with a crew of 19 men, sailed from Antwerp February 22, for Vancouver, has been given up as lost. She had on board a general cargo, most of which is said to have been liquor, principally whiskey.

The Gertrude passed through the Panama Canal, and called at San Francisco between April 10 and 18. Since that time nothing has been heard of her. She had on board coal sufficient to last only until July and the belief prevailed that she went down in a storm on the Pacific.

**RETURNS HOME.**  
Mrs. Harold Parker, formerly Miss Edna Lingley, graduate nurse of the General Public Hospital, who has been spending two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lingley, at Nerepis, has returned to her home in Detroit.

Stores Open 8.30; Close 5.55 p.m. Saturday 10 p.m.

### Latest Styles In Men's Furnishings

When wearing a new Fall suit one cannot afford to be imperfectly attired as to Gloves, Hosiery, Neckwear and so on. Why not make your selections now when the stocks are replete with all the season's novelties.

**GLOVES**  
This is a department which takes pride in its ability to serve you, no matter what your requirements may be. A good selection of all the commonly worn leathers for street and dress are always to be found here. These include: Chamolux, suede, suède, doe skin, mocha, buck, knitted wool and others. Leading colors are: Putty, grey and beaver.

**HOSIERY**  
Special attention is called to the season's novelties in cashmere, worsted and silk and wool in plain colors and heather mixtures. Jaeger woollen and other makes in Golf Hose.

**NECKWEAR**  
In a great variety of color effects and patterns. Including silk and wool crepe, Irish poplin, Swiss hand-loomed silk, British liberties or knitted silk and Italian mogador.

**SHIRTS**  
The Autumn novelties include pleated and corded fronts. Detachable, reversible cuffs, shirts with separate starched or soft collars to match. Fabrics and colors offer a pleasing variety.

### New Fall Needlework

Shown in a variety of dainty and useful ways. Something that will appeal to the individual taste. Among these are practical little dresses, slips, rompers and play aprons for children in white and colors. Stamped for embroidery.

Children's Crib Covers and Pillow Slips, stamped in suitable designs.  
Ladies' Cotton Aprons made up and stamped. These come in blue, pink, flame, lavender and grey.  
Chesterfield and Chair Sets of Ivory Linen. Stamped for cut work.  
Luncheon Cloths, with Serviettes.  
Luncheon Sets consisting of five and seven pieces.  
Buffet Sets, 3-piece, in oyster and natural linen and cotton.  
Bureau Sets, including Scarfs 45x36 in; also 3-piece variety sets.  
Card Table Covers with or without serviettes.  
Natural Linen Centres. Sizes 18, 22, 27 and 36 inches.

(Needlework Dept., 1st floor.)

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If you have not already inspected our stock of linoleums. This week offers a splendid opportunity for doing so. All widths and grades are represented, both inlaid and plain colors, stripes, blocks, tiled and floral design suitable for any room in the home, halls, offices and vestibules.

(Carpet Dept., Germain street entrance.)

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Marquiesette Panels, with wide insertion, lace and fringed ends. Special priced. \$1.75 ea  
Lace Curtains in white and cream. 50 in. wide, 3 yds long. Price \$4.25 to \$7.75 per pair.  
Fillet Nets in small patterns. 50 in. wide. In ivory shade only.  
An Ideal Over-drape for these would be Silk Madras, shown in all the popular shades. Width from 36 in. to 50 in. Price \$1 to \$2.

Beatrice Art Silk and Martha Washington Plisse are among the season's favorite over curtains. These beautiful materials are in 40 inches wide. Colors are: Rose, blue, gold and orchid. \$1.70 yard. Made up Spreads to match, are in blue, orchid. 81 in. by 108 in. \$10.00 each.

(Curtain Dept., Germain street entrance.)

### Coats Flared

And Lavishly Trimmed With Fur Are In High Favor

**This Season**  
Furs most used as trimmings are Skunk, Squirrel, Fox, Fitch, Muskrat and Mink.

Among the new models shown is a Coat of Grey Velour and Monkey Fur. The upper part of coat is of velour and the lower portion from hips down being entirely of Monkey fur—as are the cuffs and collar; the latter extending down the front until it joins the deep trimming. Lining of this coat is a satin striped grey silk.

Another modish coat is of Suede Cloth in light copper color. Collar, cuffs and a deep band at sides of Squirrel tails. A lining of copper crepe completes this attractive garment.

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Fancy checks and stripes found by a grouping of several narrow stripes in a combination of colors, as Copen, Grey, Peach, Green and Tomato. 36 in. wide. 70c per yard.

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