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## KNOX ANNIVERSARY SERVICES AND ANNUAL TEA MEETING

Knox church had two very well attended services on the occasion of their anniversary on Sunday, January 12th. The special preacher for the occasion was Rev. Prof. Richard Davidson, of Knox College, Toronto, who delivered two very fine sermons. In the morning Dr. Davidson took as his subject "The Church," and went on to point out that it was instituted by Christ as a means for the propagation of the Gospel. The speaker was at pains to make clear the point that the church consisted of the individuals who belonged to it. Like its Head and Master Jesus Christ, it had three great functions. Jesus was prophet, priest, and king, and so the church exercised the functions of prophet, priest and shepherd. The church exercised the functions of a prophet when it opened up and revealed the will of God to men. Jesus gave to the world the supreme revelation of God, and the church's duty was to bring to men that revelation. They by vicarious intercession for all men the church fulfilled the function of priest, while by its care and tenderness for weak, erring mankind it displayed the qualities of the shepherd.

At night, the subject was an old-fashioned one, and yet one which the speaker said was ever new, "Repentance." Dr. Davidson pointed out that repentance was the result of a new view of sin, and of the love of God as revealed in Jesus Christ. He contrasted the various views men had of sin. There was the standard of the law of the land which condemned certain things, such as murder and theft. Higher than that was the law of the community, which had certain definite standards, the breaking of which, while not recognized by the law as criminal, brought on the wrongdoer the punishment of ostracism. Then, highest of all there was the view of the righteousness of sin that men get when they came face to face with God as revealed in Jesus, when they experienced something of the love that sought them while they were afar off. Repentance was not a theoretical but a practical thing; to be genuine it always must issue in the doing of something. It meant a complete change of life, and a following after new desires.

Special music was rendered at both services by the choir, and was very favorably commented upon.

On Monday night a regular old-time tea meeting and concert was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid, and was an unqualified success. Promptly at 5:30 p.m. the first tables were served in the basement and from that time on till the hour of the concert those in charge of the supper never had an idle moment. At 8 p.m. "The Maple Leaf Quartette," from Galt, took over the entertainment and gave one of the best concerts that Jarvis has been privileged to hear for some time. Solo, quartette and duet work were blended together and along with the recitations of Mr. L. Fleming, made a splendidly balanced program. It would be hardly fair to (Continued on Page 4)

### LIBRARY MEETING

A meeting of the officers, directors and members of the Public Library will be held in the Library room at The Record office on Tuesday, January 20th, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and such other business that may come before the meeting.

THOS. H. LEWIS, Sec'y.

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### CORRESPONDENTS

#### HAGERSVILLE

Misses A. Risdill and I. Keifer spent one day last week in Hamilton. Miss E. Featherstone spent Saturday evening with Mrs. J. Cowan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Cathewood, Mud-street, entertained a number of people from town on Thursday evening. Mrs. W. Dougherty and Mrs. H. Duxbury are reported on the sick list. Laidlaw's garage was broken into one night last week. About five dollars in silver and coppers were missing.

The rink is being well patronized these nights; also Hagersville hockey fiends are doing well in the games they have played.

The sacred band concert was very successful here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hambleton left for California on Monday, where they intend spending the remainder of the winter.

J. Knox and daughter, Miss Beatrice, are ill with La Grippe. Mrs. S. Winger is improving from her recent illness.

#### NANTICOKE

Miss Carrie Jackson is spending a few days in Dunnville and Cayuga. Warren Banfield returned home on Friday last.

Mrs. Maunsell is on the sick list. Leo Harris is rapidly recovering from his recent illness.

Next Sunday a speaker from Toronto will take charge of the services in the Methodist church.

A number from here attended the rink in Dover on Saturday evening.

The Women's Institute held a meeting in the town hall on Thursday evening. A large crowd and a good time is reported. A social committee was appointed to make arrangements for the Old Boys' Reunion.

T. Butcher left on Wednesday for Brighton, Mich., for a two-weeks visit with his brothers there.

Some one has said gas will be 50c next month. Now is the time for the consumers to get together and determine whether this is natural or surface.

#### FOR

Don't be what you ain't  
Jes' be what you is;  
If you is not what you am  
Then you am not what you is.

If you're just a little tadpole  
Don't try to be a frog;  
If you're just a tail,  
Don't try to wag the dog.

You can always pass the plate,  
If you can't exhort and preach,  
If you're just a little pebble,  
Don't try to be the beach.

Don't be what you ain't,  
Jes' be what you is;  
For the man who plays it square,  
Is a going to get his.

#### RENTON

The annual meeting of the Norfolk County Agricultural Society was held in Simcoe on the 7th January. A banquet was held at the Melbourne (Continued on last page)

### CHURCH NOTES

#### ST. PAUL'S ANGLICAN

Vestry Meeting—The annual Vestry meeting will be held in St. Paul's schoolroom on Monday, January 19th, at 8 p.m. Every parishioner is asked to be present.

Other Meetings—Meetings this week include the annual meeting of the W. A. at the residence of Mrs. Burwash on Tuesday afternoon; and Choir practice with social hour to follow, on Thursday evening at the Rectory.

#### WESLEY METHODIST

At the "League" service on Thursday night of this week at 8 o'clock, the pastor will give an account of his visit to see the 50 Armenian boys on the Cedar Vale Farm near Georgetown; saved from the cruel Turk, and now protected by our government. Come and hear the story. Bring a silver collection for the League. Everybody welcome.

The Rev. John A. Neill, of Nanticoke, will preach in the Methodist Church here at 11 o'clock on Sunday morning next, January 18th. Come and hear him.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. Histed on Tuesday, January 20, at 2:30 p.m.

### PERSONAL NOTES

R. A. Walter was in Hamilton on Friday.

B. B. Gilbert, of Hamilton, was in town on Tuesday.

Arthur Porter, of Brantford, was in town on Monday.

D. F. Aiken, of Simcoe, was a visitor in town on Wednesday.

Wilfred Willis, of Hamilton, is in town spending his holidays.

Richard Nelles was in Hamilton last week to consult a specialist.

Mrs. Alvin Mitchell spent the week-end with her parents at Port Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jones and daughter, Stella, spent Monday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brennan, of Detroit, are visiting relatives in town and vicinity.

Mrs. Gunston, of Simcoe, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Church, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Reynolds, of Varence, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Curwene, of Simcoe, visited relatives and friends in town the beginning of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stewart, of Hagersville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bailey on Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Williamson was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, Hamilton, last Thursday to receive treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Carwene, of Simcoe, were in Jarvis the beginning of the week shaking hands with old friends.

Mrs. King and Mrs. McNeille, of Port Dover, were guests of Mrs. Allan Steel the beginning of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Christie, of Garnet, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Guiler and family on Sunday.

We are pleased to report that And. Miller, who has been on the sick list for the past week, is back on duty again.

John Walter, of Mitchell, and Wray Walter, of Fullarton, after spending a few weeks with relatives here, have returned to their respective homes.

Mrs. Wilbur Biggar and daughters, after spending a few weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Walter, returned to their home at Mt. Hope.

## CONCERT IN AID OF THE MARBURG S. S.

A concert in aid of the Marburg Sunday School will be held in Peacock's Hall, Jarvis, on Saturday, Jan. 24th. An interesting play in three acts entitled, "Deacon Dubbs," will also be given. The Marburg Orchestra and Quartette will furnish the music. Come and enjoy an excellent entertainment and help a good cause. See bills for particulars.

## FRIENDS & HOWER GARNET COUPLE

"Showers" have been frequent of late among the young people of Garnet, but on Wednesday, January 7th, a regular down-pour was experienced by Mr. and Mrs. Close, when the friends and neighbors gathered to offer their good wishes to the happy couple.

After being welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Parkinson, parents of the bride, and by Mr. and Mrs. Close, a very pleasant time was spent in games, conversation and community music. The event of the evening was the opening by the bride and groom of dozens of parcels containing many gifts of both useful and beautiful articles.

The groom replied in suitable words of thanks, after which lunch was served by Mrs. Parkinson, assisted by several of the ladies present.

Mr. Close, who is one of the best of good fellows, has had a splendid record of service overseas, while Mrs. Close has been an efficient helper in the church—more particularly in the Sunday School, where she has taught for some time as assistant in the various classes.

The young couple stay right with us and the whole neighborhood extends to them heartiest congratulations and good wishes for many years of usefulness and happiness.

The company dispersed after singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," a most enjoyable time having been

## XMAS TREE AND ENTERTAINMENT

### INTERESTING PROGRAM GIVEN BY CHILDREN OF ST. PAUL'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Last Friday evening the children of St. Paul's Sunday School spent a very pleasant time with their teachers, parents and friends. The schoolroom was well filled.

A number of songs, carols, recitations and dialogues were given by members of the school and their friends.

The collection taken up at a certain stage of the proceedings, resulted in a sum large enough to pay expenses and to leave a small balance in the hands of the treasurer.

Archdeacon Irving presided and short speeches were made by Mr. C. E. Bourne and Mr. Church Warden Lewis.

Thanks were tendered to all who had aided, by their presence, assistance and gifts, in making this a very satisfactory entertainment.

Prizes were awarded for regular attendance and lessons; after which Santa Claus made his appearance and assisted in the general distribution of the timely fruits of the gaily dressed Christmas tree.

The program, as printed below, was carried out in its entirety, there being not a single defaulter. For this result "Honor to whom honor is due."

#### PROGRAMME

- 1 Carol No. 514—"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear"
- 2 Instrumental—"Bessie Brown"
- 3 Recitation—"The Christmas Spirit," Alice Matthews
- 4 Recitation—"Stockings," Warren Fess
- 5 Motion Song—"Kitty and Dorothy Thorn"
- 6 Recitation—"Nature's Christmas Tree," Grace Fess
- 7 Recitation—"Pass It Along," Willie Fitzgerald
- 8 Recitation—"Two Stockings," Mary Hair
- 9 Song—"Daddy Long Legs," Bessie Brown
- 10 Dialogue—"Christmas Offering," Edith Fess, Ted Buckley, Ralph Fess, Ethel Deller, Grace Fess, Marguerite Peacock
- 11 Carol—"The Shepherd and the Angels," S. S. Children
- 12 Recitation—"That Calf," Lewis Life
- 13 Recitation—"A Day," Kitty Thorn
- 14 Recitation—"A Little Girl's Trouble," Marguerite Peacock
- 15 Dialogue—"Who's Turn," Laird Miller and Company
- 16 Carol No. 749—"When Christ Was Born," S. S. Children
- 17 Recitation—"Who's Old Clock," Vera Fitzgerald
- 18 Recitation—"My Lodger," Dorothy Thorn
- 19 Recitation—"Soap the Oppressor," Ted Buckley
- 20 Recitation—"Edith Fess"
- 21 Dialogue—"Uncle Hiram's Gold," Uncle Hiram, Aunt Martha, Elder Mason, Mr. Mason, Miss Putney, Miss Henson and Zeb
- 22 Presentation of Prizes—Rector Collection
- 23 Christmas Tree and Santa Claus God Save the King

### ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Jarvis Agricultural Society will be held on Saturday, January 17th, 1925, in the Temperance Hall, Jarvis, at the hour of 2 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Progress Report for 1924, and the Election of Officers for the year 1925.

JOHN MITCHELL, SR., Pres.  
G. L. MILLER, Sec.-Treasurer.

#### CORRECTION

In printing the municipal election results in our last week's issue, a mistake occurred in Poll No. 3 for Mr. Laidlaw for councillor. The correct figures should have been 70, which makes the total number of votes cast as 423.

#### 101 STUDENTS ENROLLED AT R. B. C.

The Robinson Business College, of Waterford, has the largest attendance in its history and, as usual, the school is getting results. At the recent B. B. A. Examinations the following stenographic students were successful: Mrs. Nellie Hartman, Norwich; Miss Pauline Brooks, Attlebridge; Miss Pauline Rank, Hagersville; Miss Vera Brown of Garnet and Mr. Wray Whiting of Wilsonville. Obtained considerably more marks than required for a total, but will have to write off one subject each on the January exams. Students may enter on any school day. Second Big R. B. C. Concert Thursday, Jan. 22, in Town Hall.

### WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

#### JARVIS

A social evening under the auspices of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. I. W. Holmes, on Thursday, January 29th, at 8 p.m. All members are cordially invited to come and bring a friend. Lunch provided by the Institute.

#### NANTICOKE

The regular meeting of the Nanticoke Women's Institute was held in the town hall on Thursday evening, Jan. 8th. As this was a social evening, the men were cordially invited.

The meeting was opened by singing the Opening Ode, followed by the Lord's Prayer, after which the minutes were read and adopted.

All joined in singing a community song, "The Maple Leaf Forever." This was followed by a paper, "Empire Day," by Miss Jean Oakes. Rev. Mr. Maunsell favored us with an instrumental solo, after which Mr. T. Butcher recited, "Mother's Day."

Mrs. Maunsell sang a solo in her usual pleasing manner, after which a debate, "Resolved, That Nature Is a Greater Teacher Than Books," was staged. Miss Pearl Jackson and Mr. Harry Pratten upheld the Affirmative; Miss Kathleen Snowden and Mr. Carroll Lindsay the Negative. Rev. Mr. Neill decided in favor of the Negative. This was followed by a solo, "Song of Love," by Miss Helen Lidd-

At the close of the program, letters concerning the Nanticoke Old Boys' and Old Girls' Reunion were read by the secretary. A joint meeting was then held to organize and appoint officers for the reunion in Nanticoke this summer.

Rev. Mr. Maunsell presided and W. J. Saunders was appointed secretary for the evening. It was unanimously decided to "carry on" and make the reunion a great success. The following officers were elected:

President.....S. A. Thompson  
1st Vice Pres.....William Harris  
2nd Vice Pres.....Thomas Snowden  
Treasurer.....W. J. Saunders  
Secretary.....Mrs. W. H. Evans  
These officers will meet on Tuesday evening and appoint committees and formulate plans to make this event one never to be forgotten. It is their earnest desire that one and all will co-operate with the different committees, thereby making this reunion the biggest thing in the history of Nanticoke.

#### VARENCY

The Varence W. I. held their annual social evening on Friday, January 9th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schaeffer. This event is eagerly looked forward to each year by old and young of the community, over 80 enjoying the different numbers of the program, as well as the bounteous lunch provided by the ladies of the W. I.

About 8 o'clock merry sleighloads began to arrive, each and all expressing their delight at the beautiful winter night—a night true to Canada alone. The hostess and committee had all prepared for immediate enjoyment and games and contests were the order of the evening until the call for lunch.

A short program followed, consisting of community singing, and address by the president, Mrs. H. K. Saunders, thanking the school board and community as well, for their help during the past year.

Mrs. D. Parkinson gave a summary of what the Institute stood for in the county. It occupies first place in the province in membership, number of branches, meetings held. Messages to the county organization from prominent men in the county were read, showing their appreciation of the work the ladies have accomplished in the line of agriculture, better schools and children's aid. Other county activities were, community halls, pianos in public buildings and beautifying of cemeteries. In fact, the loss to the county could not be estimated were the W. I. to cease its activities even for one year.

After singing the National Anthem, the five sma' hours were given over to the young people to enjoy in the usual way.

The committee consisting of Mesdames B. Lundy, W. R. Hodges, Chas. Buck and W. A. Doughty, are to be congratulated on the splendid entertainment. Much gratitude is also due the host and hostess for their untiring energy toward the enjoyment of the evening.

## A. C. BROWN KILLED BY FALL

Welland, Jan. 12.—The funeral of A. G. Brown, a well-known farmer of Stanforth Township, took place at Fonthill today. He was injured by falling 17 feet from a barn he was demolishing, and his death occurred afterward at the Welland Hospital. He was 69 years of age, had lived in this district 16 years, but was born at Cannington. He is survived by his widow and five children: Charles, of Thorold; Mrs. J. C. McLelland, of Wellandport; Mrs. S. B. Boland, of Cache Bay; Mrs. C. C. Loney, of Fonthill, and Miss May, at home.

Deceased was the father-in-law of Rev. J. C. McLelland, formerly the Methodist pastor at Cheapside and Nanticoke, and was well known in Jarvis and vicinity. The late Mr. Brown visited here in September of last year and his many friends regret his sudden demise.

## PRESENTATION TO A POPULAR BRIDE

A beautiful moonlight evening made an ideal setting for an event of real community interest which took place at Garnet on the evening of Friday, January 9th, 1925, when friends and neighbors numbering over 80 gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Christie to offer congratulations to their elder daughter, Laura Evelyn, on the occasion of her marriage to Mr. Howard Guiler, of Jarvis.

Two regular "old-fashioned" sleighloads, full to capacity, driven by the Wesley Harrop and Watson Roulston, deposited their burden of young and old at the entrance to this hospitable home, while smaller companies arrived in cutters or on foot, all to the jingle of the merry sleigh bells.

After a hearty welcome by Mr. and Mrs. Christie, games, conversation and music were entered into by all for an hour or two, after which the real purpose of the gathering was disclosed to the bride, when she was presented with a handsome gift of tea-table silver. A suitable address was read by Miss Hazel Huffman, while Miss Gladys Cherry, in the name of Garnet friends and community, asked Mrs. Guiler to accept a silver tea service, spoon tray, bon-bon dish and cake basket, as a mark of their love and esteem. The bride was also the recipient of many other beautiful gifts from friends in the community.

Mr. Guiler, on behalf of his wife, expressed deep thanks for the exquisite gifts.

A beautiful, though very touching incident occurred at this time. Mr. Geo. Betts, a neighbor whose baby was lying seriously ill in the General hospital, Hamilton, phoned to express regrets at his absence and also to ask the prayers of those present that the baby's life might be spared. So solemn indeed were the minutes that passed as the company bowed their heads and the bride in simple, earnest petitions, pleaded with our Heavenly Father to restore the "little one." Although a rather sad close to the evening's enjoyment, it was felt that the request was a tribute to the influence and character of the one whom they had come to honor.

Lunch was then served by Mrs. Christie, assisted by several of the ladies present. After the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," the company dispersed, a most enjoyable evening having been spent.

#### ADDRESS

Following is a copy of the address presented to Mrs. Howard Guiler: Dear Laura:— Your friends and well-wishers at Garnet are gathered here this evening under particularly happy circumstances. (Continued on Page 4)

#### NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Erie Telephone Company, Ltd., will be held at the Town Hall, Selkirk, on Friday, January 22nd, 1925, at 2:30 p.m. for the purpose of electing Directors and an Auditor to serve for the year 1925, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

S. W. WINGER, Pres.  
E. G. HOOVER, Sec.  
Selkirk, Jan. 12, 1925.