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North Bedeque Church Dates Back Over Century

The North Bedeque United Church, which includes Travellers Rest and Freetown in its charge, has a beautiful rustic setting, surrounded by trees and overlooking the waters of Bedeque Bay.

In 1826 Bedeque was separated from Richmond Bay, and was made an independent charge. Previous to this, worship was conducted by Dr. John Keir until 1819 when Rev. Wm. McGregor, who was called to Richmond Bay, supplied.

The first resident minister was Rev. R. S. Patterson, a graduate of the Presbyterian College, Picton, N.S. He was ordained and inducted March 22, 1836 and the representative elder was David Murray.

The congregation was small at first; only thirty-two members and twenty-eight adherents signed the call, but through the faithful efforts of Dr. Patterson it grew and became self-sustaining.

The original church was erected a few feet to the northwest of the present splendid edifice, and was enlarged when more space was needed. Within were the closed box-like pews and the high pulpit, the long pulpit seat still adorns the Sunday School room. This old building was purchased and hauled away by James MacMurdo, and may still be seen near the highway in a field now owned by Norman MacMurdo.

The first trustees recorded in the Act of Incorporation dated April 17, 1862, were Rev. R. S. Patterson, Hugh Montgomery, Honorable Alex. Anderson, Robert Cairns, Thomas Townsend and John Clay.

Long Service Mark

Dr. Patterson, a Christian gentleman and scholar, taught school and worked on the farm, now owned by Mrs. Fraser. He labored for fifty-six years in this one field, the longest pastorate in one charge of any man in the Canadian church. His jubilee was commemorated in 1937. Rev. Isaac Murray presided at the ceremony and James Carruthers, Esq., read an address written by Dr. Neil MacKay. Dr. Patterson was installed in 1832 when he passed on and was buried in the nearby cemetery.

For many years the songs of praise were led by preceptors, Robert Walker and James Carruthers. A new church organ was installed in 1913, replacing the former one, which was transferred to the Sunday School room.

On display here is the first communion service purchased by the congregation. It contains two large cups, a decanter and a very large plate, all of pewter, and on each of which is engraved "Bedeque Congregation 1832." An individual set was obtained thirty-five years ago.

The present church was formally dedicated in 1891 during the ministry of Rev. W. Tufts. The Women's Missionary Society organized the same year. Within this building are the communion table and three pulpit chairs in oak, matching the other church furniture; the pulpit Bible (presented by Mrs. Russell Burns), and fretwork holders and vases for flowers, donated by Miss Irma Baker. Nearby, on a small table, is a miniature replica of the church. It is of wood, built and contributed by Preston Bowness.

In December, 1916, the Memorial Service Roll was unveiled and hangs upon the east wall. During the pastorate of Rev. D.K. Ross a Centennial service was held in 1925, and the Young People's Society presented a framed plaque entitled "North Bedeque Church History of a Century Presbyterian 1825 and United 1925."

This hangs on the west wall and contains the photo and service dates of each minister serving that period, as follows: Reverends R. S. Patterson, 1826-1862; W. Scott, 1863-1897; W. W. Tufts,

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BALTIC W.I.

The annual meeting of Baltic Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Benjamin Burns on the evening of November 6th.

Minutes of last annual and monthly meetings were read and adopted. Roll call was answered by nine members paying fees.

Mrs. Gordon Cousins was appointed to the chair for the election of officers which resulted as follows: president, Mrs. Earl Matthews; vice-president, Mrs. James Cousins; secretary, Mrs. David Cousins; treasurer, Mrs. Gordon Cousins; directors, Mrs. Louis Carroll, Mrs. Bruce Riley and Miss MacLellan; auditors, Mrs. Bruce Crosier, Mrs. Benjamin Burns; sick committee, Mrs. Bruce Riley and Mrs. James Cousins; school committee, Mrs. Louis Carroll.

The secretary reported that receipts for the year were \$169.19, expenditures \$139.13, leaving a balance of \$30.06.

A receipt for \$12.50 was received from the Salvation Army. A letter of thanks for donation was received from Protestant Orphanage.

Collection was taken which amounted to 45 cents, fees \$2.25. A donation of \$10.00 was received from Mrs. James Cousins, proceeds from dance held at her home, making a total of \$42.76.

Next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Bruce Crosier, roll call to be announced by an exchange of gifts. Meeting closed by singing Abide With Me, after which a delicious lunch was served by

the hostess assisted by Miss MacLellan.

EBENEZER SCHOOL

Report for November: Grade X-1. Marion MacDonald; 2. Robert MacDonald; 3. Helen MacRae.

Grade IX-1. Wally Shear. Grade VII-1. Letha Houston; 2. Ian MacRae; 3. Wendell Ford. Grade V-1. Dorothy Ford.

Grade IV-1. Betty Ford. Grade III-1. Laura Ford. Grade II Sr-1. Katherine Ford. Grade II Jr-1. Ella MacKenzie; 2. Olive Ford; 3. Glennis and Barbara Ford (equal).

Grade I Sr-1. Marilyn Ford; 2. Erwin Ford. Grade I Jr-1. Robert and Aldon Ford (equal). Perfect attendance: Letha Houston, Dorothy, Betty, Katherine, Erroll, Aldon and Robert Ford and Ella MacKenzie. Erna C. Coles, teacher.

SUFFOLK SCHOOL

Report of Suffolk School for November: Grade X-1. Scott McArthur; 2. Evelyn Reid.

Grade VIII-1. Mary Reid; 2. Myrtle Coles; 3. Vera Coles. Grade VII-1. Miriam Reid. Grade V (Senior)-1. Shirley Glennie.

Grade V (Junior)-1. Ian McArthur; 2. Gordon Coles. Grade IV-1. Marina Coles. Grade II (Junior)-1. Sterling Coles.

Grade II (Senior)-1. Velda Glennie. Highest average in senior grades—Scott McArthur, 73%; highest average in junior grades, Velda Glennie, 90%.

Perfect attendance: Vera Gordon and Sterling Coles. Teacher: Catherine Stevenson.

PLANNING FOR FUTURE

"For some reason, the Second World War against aggression did not distract the attention of the forces allied against ignorance. No one could take vital time off to plan for the future of his youth that it could sit down under bomb and shell and grieve and recast its whole educational system in bolt measure," said an overseas broadcaster recently.

Summerside Bowling

Summerside ladies bowling league, results of Friday night's play at Capitol Bowling Alleys, Summerside:

High single M. Bernard 247. High three M. Bernard 549.

Second Section

Crystals: L. Gallant 132 160 110. K. Maitland 137 123 143. M. Clark 158 11 184. E. Todd 130 169 144. Total—2132.

Royals: M. Hogan 63 81 132. K. McNeill 83 123 164. Z. Silliphant 176 76 99. N. Henderson 166 89 132. G. Clark 104 109 136. Total—1956.

All Stars

I. Peters 140 168 145. R. Kelly 71 120 81. L. Gaudet 81 118 182. P. Razivet 88 89 157. E. Wood 68 73 21. Total—1602.

Green Horns

V. Bishop 106 206 173. B. Daley 79 120 106. P. Williams 68 73 21. E. Rogers 113 141 118. E. Dadds 146 138 166. Total—1782.

Atomies

O. McNeill 89 297 181. M. Bernard 155 117 247. J. Bernard 88 163 176. G. McNeill 112 104 115. C. Perry 191 102 139.

Kilroys

E. Rogers 141 191 163. M. Rankin 122 62 148. P. Rankin 69 79. G. Carruthers 130 132 160. M. Rankin 97 107 132. Total—1813.

MARGATE W. I.

The December meeting of the Margate Women's Institute met at the home of the president, Mrs. Henry Mayhew, with eighteen members present. Meeting was opened by singing "Jingle Bells", then repeating Creed. Roll call was answered with "What I would like for Christmas." Minutes of last meeting were read and discussed.

Sick committee reported one call, with two boxes of fruit left. School committee reported some things needed, and they were authorized to get same. It was moved to give \$5.00 to the T. B. League, also \$5.00 to the teacher to help buy presents for the children.

An exchange of Christmas gifts was made, and it was decided to hold a bazaar in the spring. Programme consisted of duet by Ellen Howard and Helen Semple, paper on Institute work by Mrs. Lea Crane, contest by Louise Crane, and a recitation "Twas the Night Before Christmas" by the members, each one adding a line. Meeting adjourned, after which a nice lunch was served.

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AVONLEA W.I. The annual meeting of Avonlea W.I. met at the home of Mrs. Milton Green on Nov. 20 with the Cavendish vice-president in the chair. Meeting opened with Ode followed by Creed in unison. Minutes of last annual and last month's meetings were read. Roll call was answered by 15 members. The school and sick committees were all re-appointed. The school committee reported that it was decided the pump proposition be left over till the annual school meeting.

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