

Rev. Kenneth Jewett, who underwent a major operation at Saint John General Hospital recently, has returned to his home in Meductic and is progressing satisfactorily. He will not be able to take up his pastoral work for several weeks, however.

Rev. G. R. Symonds and our church at Marysville, N. B., are having an evangelistic campaign Jan. 6-27, with Rev. R. T. Sellick and the Mullen Brothers as special workers.

Pastors and people, we earnestly solicit your whole-hearted co-operation in support of our Highway campaign during January. We would like to have every subscriber renew subscription, and pay any arrears due, and every church to send in some new subscriptions. We need your support. The Highway deserves your support!



COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS

Kathleen Hay

"Oh," sighed small Nan, "I don't know what to do!"
"My!" exclaimed granny, from her seat in the corner where she sat contentedly knitting. "Don't know what to do with so many pretty things to play with all around the room! Why, Nan."

Nan's eyes fell upon the pretty things scattered here and there.

Then came the words very softly spoken—"I had forgotten all the nice things about me, Granny, and I was just thinking about the rain outside."

Grandmother smiled, and motioned the little girl to her side.

"You are not the only one that forgets to count good things when something we think is unpleasant comes; today it happens to be an overcast sky and rain. I used to feel that way once until I made up my mind one day to make the best of everything and count my blessings each day."

Nan's eyes began to shine with interest.

"Count your blessings every day,

See how quick they come—

You can't figure fast enough

To finish up the sum!"

"That's a pretty good motto for all Nan; what do you think?"

"I think it's the best sum of all," she replied, smiling happily again.—Olive Plants.

In a slave market in the United States a man saw a smart young colored boy up for sale. "I'll buy you if you'll be honest," said the man. "I will be honest whether you buy me or not," replied the boy. What a great answer!

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JANUARY IS HIGHWAY SUBSCRIPTION MONTH

WE NEED THE HELP OF ALL OUR PASTORS AND PEOPLE IN OUR DRIVE FOR RENEWALS AND NEW SUBSCRIPTIONS. LET ALL COOPERATE.

OBITUARY

Mr. Frederick Vandine, of Bloomfield, N. B., passed away Nov. 19th., on his way home from Ontario. Prayers were offered at the home of his daughter in Bloomfield, with many friends in attendance extending their sympathy to the sorrowing family. The funeral service was held at Plaster Rock, N. B. Surviving are the wife, two sons and two daughters. Conducting the funeral service was Rev. A. L. Stairs, assisted by Revs. Campbell, Blackmore and Stairs.

Miss Christina Crawford, of Fredericton, N. B., passed away at Victoria Public Hospital, Fredericton, Monday, Dec. 17th., following a two-months illness. She had undergone surgery at Saint John General Hospital Oct. 27th. Sister Crawford was a faithful and highly respected member of the Fredericton R. B. church for many years. She held many offices in the church during her lifetime, and was a member of the choir for many years. Surviving members of the family are the mother, Mrs. George Crawford, and four brothers, John, Willard, Reginald, and Walter.

People from many walks of life attended the funeral held in the R. B. church, Fredericton, Dec. 20th. The service was conducted by Rev. B. C. Cochrane, assisted by Rev. F. A. Dunlop. Rev. and Mrs. N. E. Trafton sang favourite hymns. Interment was in the Rural Cemetery, Fredericton.

Miss Paula Steeves, R.N., passed away suddenly at her home in Fredericton, N. B., Sunday evening, Dec. 23rd. Miss Steeves had attended the evening service at the Fredericton R. B. church and seemed in good health, but she suffered a heart seizure after reaching her home and lived but a few moments. Immediate relatives left to mourn are two sisters, Misses Estelle and Bessie, of Fredericton, and one brother, James, of Oliver, B. C.

The funeral service was held from the late home Dec. 26th. and was conducted by Rev. B. C. Cochrane, assisted by Revs. F. A. Dunlop and D. R. Chowen. Hanford MacDonald sang two selections. Interment was at Marysville, N. B.

To all who mourn the loss of loved ones and friends, we extend our deep sympathy.

WEDDINGS

Newman-Brooks—At Seal Cove, N. B., on December 12, 1956, Richard A. Brooks and Elmina M. Newman, both of White Head, N. B., were united in marriage by Rev. P. H. Green.

Jewett-Weade: At the Reformed Baptist Church, Royalton, N. B., Roberta Weade, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weade, of Royalton, was united in marriage to Robert Jewett, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Jewett, of Bloomfield, on Dec. 15.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. L. Stairs.

BIRTH

BORN—To Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence W. Corey, Londonderry, N. S., a daughter, Jacqueline Susan, Dec. 14, 1956.

"If you were busy being kind,
Before you knew it, you would find
You'd soon forget to think 'twas true
That someone was unkind to you.

If you were busy being glad,
And cheering people who are sad,
Although your heart might ache a bit,
You'd soon forget to notice it."

The King's Highway