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PRESBYTERIANS CELEBRATE THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY

Speakers Tell Many Interesting Facts of Historical Interest at Meeting of Importance.

The members of the Presbyterian church and friends turned out en masse Tuesday night to celebrate the 30th anniversary of the establishment of that organization in Minot. The gathering was also a reception to new members, and judged by the amount of handshaking and happy conversation on all sides, the occasion was a joyous one, filled with good fel-

lowship and cheer. A program of music and addresses was very much enjoyed. Mrs. Walsh was the first on the program, playing a piano selection. Mrs. Murray read in her delightful way laughable verses on the arduous task of the Ladies' Aid of any church. Mrs. Pence sang two very much appreciated vocal selections, Mrs. A. F. McLane playing her accompaniments. Mrs. Jean McNaughton Stevens of Towner had been asked to speak at the anniversary, but was unable to come, but instead she had sent her representative, a delightfully written letter. Mrs. C. B. Davis read the paper for Mrs. Stevens in

her gracious manner, which follows: "Ministers I Have Known in Minot Presbyterian Church.

"Some of you listened last week with a good deal of interest to Dr. W. C. Hunter when he told of searching the church records to get acquainted with his flock, and finding that one family of good Presbyterians lived off among the hills southwest of Minot, and that his friendship with the family, begun in the early days of the century, is still a living thing, blessing both of them. This was his tribute to a mother in Israel whose children rise up to call her blessed, and lo, her good works do follow her.

Well, my acquaintance with Dr. Hunter began in 1902, or may be it was 1901, when Minot was a half-way house on my trip from Towner to the south end of my own county, and I had to travel by two lines of railroad to get to a private school in the great bend of the Mouse, where the early settlers of this country had founded homes in the early '80's, and a man who was long chief commissioner of my county used to comb the countryside for a teacher to his mind, to deal with his own children, and those of his neighbors. In the early '90's he used to find Miss Webber, long the County Superintendent of Ward, while the County Superintendent's office paid only a small salary. When it grew with the country, the men wanted, and they shifted the date of election from June to November so they had something to trade with, when they sought the nomination in the convention. So Ward County has had several superintendents since then, and nearly all of them have found a church home with the Presbyterians.

"When I was going or coming, I traveled on Saturday, of course, and stayed over Sunday and attended church. Well I remember the greatly thoughtful sermons of Dr. Hunter which I heard on Sunday mornings, and much I enjoyed the music and songs from the Presbyterian hymnal, for these handsome volumes were beyond the reach of the little congregation in Towner, where I helped to build the church, and to dedicate it free of debt—I was one of its first trustees.

"Well I remember meeting Mrs. Hunter, and learning that we are both Foreign-born folk. But we are not hyphenated, though we like to sing a Scotch song and eat the Haggis.

"So I offer my tribute of respect to Dr. Hunter and I enjoyed sitting in his Bible class the last time I attended Sunday school in Minot.

"Then there was Rev. Mr. Chamberlain, whom I saw painting the old church in Minot with yellow ochre and buttermilk. He made it clean and serviceable, if it was not pretty. He came down to Towner at the request of the Minnewaukan Presbytery—(it covered our empire) and moderated in our Kirk session when we had trouble with Rev. Mr. Cresswell. But we let that flea stick to the wa'.

"He came, too, when a bonnie lassie whose name began with a Mac wanted to be married by a minister and I was to be a guest. I asked him to come. When he finished tying the knot he said it was a great pity to waste such a good opportunity, and he offered to help the four pairs of fine folk who stood up with Kate McDougall and Frank Leach, and the man with whom I have had a happy home for twenty-four years said to me, 'I am willing if you are,' but I was too bashful to say 'yes'—before the neighbors. Frank Leach became an elder in Towner church, but both he and his bride have gone to their reward.

"Maybe Minot will remember the wedding of Rev. Chamberlain when he persuaded his bride, an instructor in Greek from Grinnell College, Iowa, that it would save much, if she would accept the invitation of Mrs. William Hope and the Minot congregation, and come up here to be married. She came, and she proved to be Salt of the Earth. The ceremony was performed by the Synodical Missionary, Rev. Mr. Wood of Fargo. The church was handsomely decorated for the occasion, and the wedding supper was served by the ladies in the Manse. The Baptist minister was detailed to be my partner, and he beguiled the time by telling me

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of the bride he was trying to persuade to come the same way. But she would not come any further than St. Paul. She thought that was far enough for 'a poor lone girl from Ontario.'

"She was fine too, but alas! I have forgotten that Baptist minister's name.

"Before Mr. Chamberlain there was a fine old man of the name of Wylie in the pulpit. He lies in Rosehill. Have you folks erected a stone to his memory? The leading basso of the choir, a veteran of the Civil war, said to me of him, 'Now I have seen how a Christian can die.' But there was no manse in his day. No! it was rented, and he lived in a rented house on the hill at the west end of Second street of that day. And well do I remember seeing Jack Carter, who was choreboy in the Leland the winter I was Primary teacher in Minot, going up to help Rev. Wylie get his household goods in order.

"If my paper were not too long already, I would tell of Rev. Wylie's wit and humor in the pulpit and of the regular Sunday evening groups of the gay young men about town, who, like Goldsmith's group in the Deserted Village of Auburn, came to scoff, and remained to pray. Just ask Ex-sheriff Ed Kelley if he remembers how generously he contributed every Sunday night, just like a Christian gentleman, tho his creed is a little different. And so we come to the Student days I knew in 1890 when Rev. Mr. Mitchell, now or recently a leading light in the State of Washington, was a gay young bachelor and kissed the Sleeping Beauty in the hammock at John McJannett's.

"But the first minister I met in the Presbyterian church in Minot was Rev. Wallace. He and his wife had been students together and they returned to finish their course. While here they cleaned out some unsavory corners, and good christian folk, opened their own home to two young women, of whom one was a bold black-eyed terror who slipped away into suicide in Fargo the next year. But while she was in the manse I came in from the ranch to help with an entertainment, and tenderfoot that I was, had no idea of the kind of guests Mr. and Mrs. Wallace were trying to help. But when I went down to Mr. Aurland's store on an errand, he said to me, 'Please tell Mrs. Wallace she can have goods up to \$30 to help with her guests' needs. I don't believe she will succeed, but I want to see Mrs. Wallace encouraged.' And I have always

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not a spear grew after the hot winds of June.

"The Indian tapped Mr. Gibbs' arm to note his good blue serge suit made in England, and evidently did not believe our penniless condition, and went off muttering.

"So many and yet so few were the citizens of those days. We came close to each other. There was less of a gulf between the upper and lower crusts, and a man was a man, for a that.

"It taught me many a lesson and my pen just glides, as the memories come rushing. The Shadows of the Past show up the sunshine of the Present. God grant you use it well."

—Jean McNaughton Stevens, Member of Minot Presbyterian church 1889-1894. Treasurer of the Ladies' Aid for Five Years. Organist for the year I lived in Minot, 1891-1892. Teacher in Sunday School Same Time. And happy all the while!"

Mr. Wm. Gettleman gave a pleasing vocal number, surprising his hearers,