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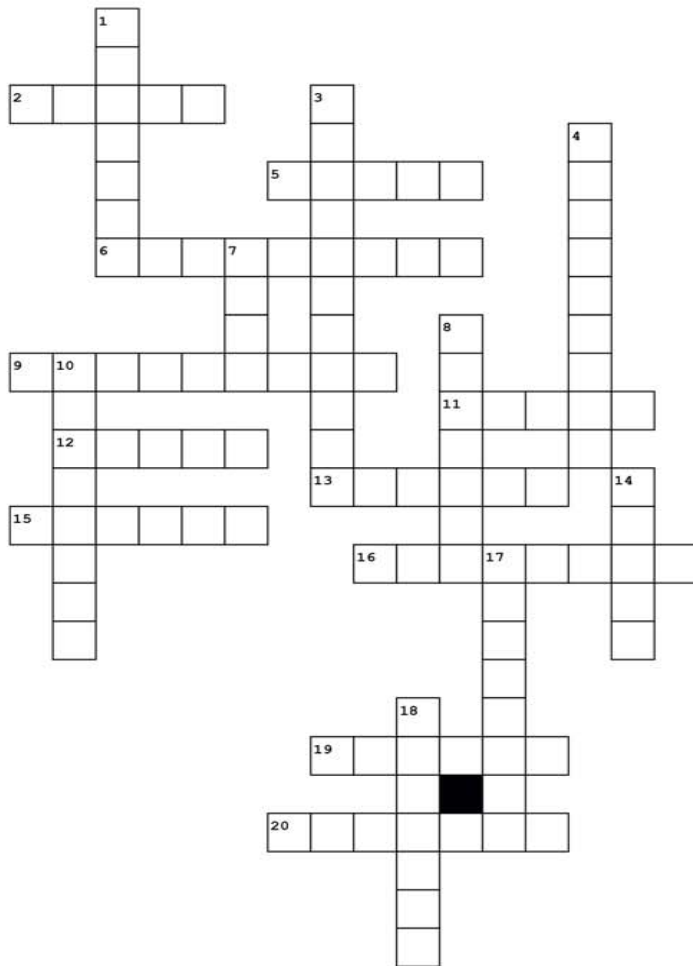
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## Across

2. The Trinity lady who served as a nurse in WW I.
5. A trap berth north of Black Duck Cove was named after Jimmy \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The brewis in "fish and brewis" is made from \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Ice cream and \_\_\_\_\_ are made at the Trinity courthouse.
11. The trailing edge of a sail.
12. He bought John Jeffery's business in Trinity?
13. In the song "Trinity Cake" you would crack at the knees if you \_\_\_\_\_.
15. A small temporary job.
16. An 88 gallon wooden barrel.
19. The owner of the vehicle repair business in Trinity.
20. A small rounded hill of ground or ice.

## Down

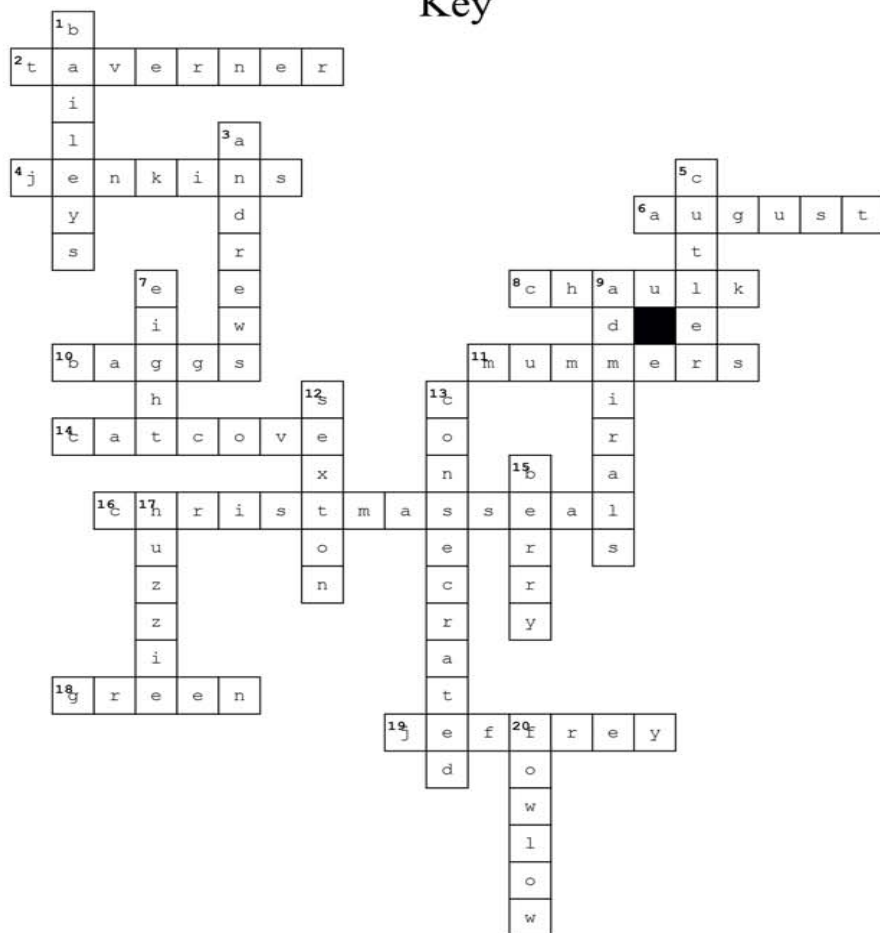
1. Old Christmas Day is also called \_\_\_\_\_ Night.
3. Another name for hagdowns.
4. The largest species of gull seen in NL.
7. The lowest point in a motorboat where water gsters.
8. In the "Ode To Newfoundland" what type of voices tuned thy rills?
10. Hannah \_\_\_\_\_ Hill is the old road that runs from Penguin Cove towards Goose Cove.
14. The Old Bonaventure WW I soldier who died at Monchy Le Preux.
17. The \_\_\_\_\_ church is located on Ash's Lane.
18. The Trinity businessman who went bankrupt in 1900.

January 5 <sup>th</sup> The Epiphany Of The Lord (White)	11:00 A.M. Christ Church (Port Rexton) 7:00 P.M. Church Of The Good Shepherd (Dunfield)	Holy Eucharist  Evening Prayer
January 12 <sup>th</sup> The Baptism Of The Lord (White)	11:00 A.M. St. John The Evangelist (New Bonaventure) 7:00 P.M. St. Clement's (Champney's West)	Holy Eucharist  Holy Communion BAS Version
January 19 <sup>th</sup> Second Sunday After Epiphany (Proper 2) (Green)	11:00 A.M. St. Andrew's (Trinity East) 7:00 P.M. St. Paul's (Trinity)	Holy Eucharist  Evening Prayer
January 26 <sup>th</sup> Third Sunday After Epiphany (Proper 3) (Green)	11:00 A.M. St. Matthew's (Trouty) 7:00 P.M. Christ Church (Port Rexton)	Holy Eucharist  Evening Prayer



December 2024

Key



Across

2. Squibb was appointed a Trinity JP in 1728. The second JP was \_\_\_\_\_.
4. He operated a shop in the 50s where Aunt Sarah's Chocolate is located today.
6. The surname given to the Beothuk boy captured near Trinity.
8. The organist at St. Paul's in the 60s and 70s.
10. The last policeman stationed in Trinity.
11. Those "dressed up" over Christmas.
14. The old community on the coast between Old & New Bonaventure.
16. The X-ray vessel that visited harbours in the 50s & 60s.
18. The Trinitarian turned down for WW I service because 3 siblings were serving.
19. Thomas Street's business partner in Trinity.

Down

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Head is located south of Ship Cove in Port Rexton.
3. The first owner of the Dock Marina.
5. The coastal schooner that brought goods to Trinity in the 50s.
7. Trinity Cabins opened in nineteen forty \_\_\_\_\_.
9. An earlier name for Fort Point.
12. The tall Trinitarian who lived with George & Mary Locke on Hogs Nose.
13. St. Paul's was \_\_\_\_\_ in 1894.
15. Trinity was included in the 1675 census done by \_\_\_\_\_.
17. \_\_\_\_\_ Head is located between English Harbour & Champney's East.
20. Born in Trinity East and ran for the US Olympic team in 1906.



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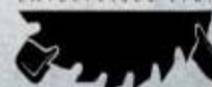
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# Trinity Historical Society

*Happy New Year!!*

Thank you to everyone for your support during 2024 for our events, fundraisers and programs. Thank you for attending our summer seminar series, auction, golf tournament, buying the calendar draw tickets and your overall support. It is very, very much appreciated and does not go unrecognized.

As we conclude a year of celebrating our 60th anniversary on December 9 we were recognized with the Premier's Medal for Arts, Heritage, Sports and Recreation.

2024 was the inaugural year for these awards and we were very pleased to be one of the initial twenty recipients. It was an honour to receive acknowledgement of the work of our organization, not only to the preservation and presentation of our culture and heritage, but the important part we play in our province's economy and employment contribution.

Stay tuned to next month's Trinity Bight Enterprise, Facebook and our website ([www.trinityhistoricalsociety.com](http://www.trinityhistoricalsociety.com)) for a listing of our activities, events, exhibits and fundraisers. In the meantime please book your calendars with these dates:

Friday, August 15 - Annual Auction and Garden Party

Saturday, September 20 - Annual Golf Tournament, Terra Nova Golf Resort



# Trinity Historical Society

As we welcome 2025, we invite you to share your photograph collection with us. If you have old photos of family, community, businesses, building and structures, celebrations etc.. then we would love to hear from you! We would love to expand our Archival Photo Collection to be enjoyed by generations to come! Please contact us at [ths@trinityhistoricalsociety.com](mailto:ths@trinityhistoricalsociety.com) or call 709-464-3599 and let us know! Jim, Daphne and Dean would love to see your photo collection and hear your stories over a cup of tea! We will scan your photos and document the information and return to you same day!

The board and staff would like to congratulate Robert Stanley of Trouty on his recent Rupert Morris Scholarship Award presented at the awards ceremony at Bishop White School on December 16th.

The scholarship recipient, as determined by the school, will be a Level 2 or 3 (Grade 11 or 12) Social Studies (or similar program that is being offered in a current year) student who has demonstrated an appreciation for history.

The recipient will receive a \$200.00 award and a plaque engraved with their name, date and the THS crest.

If you would like to place an ad in our February issue please contact [programming@trinityhistoricalsociety.com](mailto:programming@trinityhistoricalsociety.com) or call 464-3599. Deadline for the February issue is January 24th with a mailout scheduled for Friday, January 31st.





# Trinity Historical Society Newsletter, Issue 47

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Trinity Historical Society (THS) is pleased to announce that we will host 9 seminars in our Summer Seminar Series in July and August 2025. The Seminars will be held at Rocky's Place on Thursdays at 7:30 pm. Please see our website for more details. We would like to thank Corey Jones for allowing us to use Rocky's for these seminars.

In this edition of our Newsletter, we present the story of the ninth of the men who are remembered on the War Monument in Port Rexton.

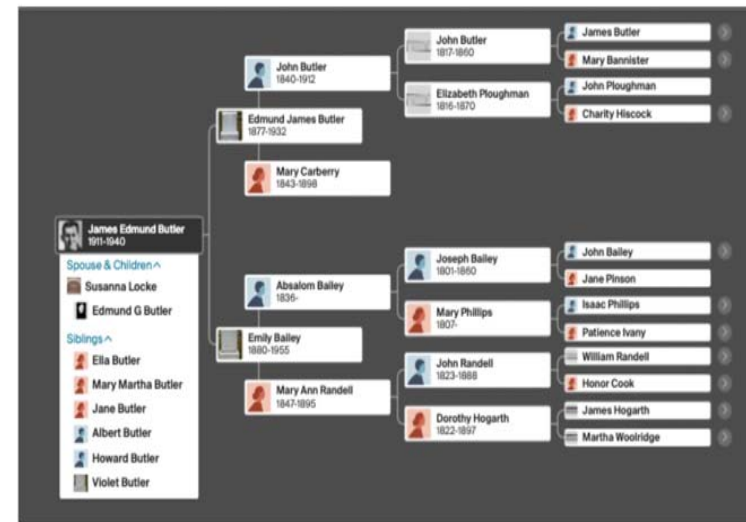
As always, the THS welcomes application for membership from anyone interested in the objectives and activities of the Society.



## James Edmund Butler



**James, the son of Edmund James Butler and Emily Bailey, was born at Port Rexton on May 20<sup>th</sup>, 1911. He died on July 17<sup>th</sup>, 1940. He was 29.**



Family Tree

**James joined the Newfoundland Overseas Forestry Unit (NOFU) at the beginning of World War II and traveled to Scotland on-board SS Chrobry in December 1939. He had married Susanna Locke in 1935 and they had one son Edmund George Butler who was born in 1938. James served as a lumberjack in the Overseas Forestry Unit. The work of the NOFU was vital to the war effort. He died at the Royal Infirmary in Aberdeen and is buried in Tullich Old Churchyard, Ballater, Aberdeenshire, Scotland.**



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Gravestone