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The garden party that was to have been held at Mr. J. E. Scott's residence has been postponed owing to the fact that Mr. Fax who had been engaged was unable to come.

The Parsonage Building Committee has been having several meetings, and some headway is being made. It is hoped that the building operations will soon commence. The stone, which is being supplied by Mr. James Rolston, is already on the ground.

Now that September is with us the various church organizations must get to work. The Senior and Junior Auxiliaries will be reorganised, and the Wednesday evening services will be held regularly.

The Harvest Home services will be held on the 2nd Sunday in October, when the preacher will be Rev. H. C. Dixon of Torouto; and on the Monday evening following he will deliver one of his famous illustrated lectures. A special collection will be asked for and the proceeds of the lecture will go towards installing incendescent light.

One of the foremost citizens of Dunuville, who was also one of the staunchest supporters of the church, passed to his reward on the 31st of August in the person of Mr. Henry Penny. The funeral took place on 2nd September. Private service was held in the residence on Lock street, and the public service was held in Christ church, Port Maitland, in which the Rector was assisted by Rev. A. W. H. Francis. The large number who followed the remains to the old "God's aere" in the church yard showed the high esteem in which the late Mr. Penny was held. The choir of St. Paul's rendered the voleum music of the service in the Port Maitland church.

The following day the funeral of another of our congregation took place. Mrs. Rogers had been ill for some days, but it was not expected that her end would come so soon. She leaves a husband and a large family to mourn the loss of a faithful wife and mother. May God the Holy Ghost comfort them all in this hour of need.

Baptism—In St. Paul's church, June 30th, 1902, Vincent Percival, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Yocom of Alleghany, U. S. A.

Remember the Deanery Conference to be held here on Oct. 7th. Clergy and laity are both invited. Rev. W. E. White will speak on the Deanery Report, Rev. P. L. Spencer on the Deanery Cersus, Rev. T. H. Cotton on Sunday Schools, and Rev. L. W. B. Broughall on Church Attendance.

Look for a picture of the church and a history of the parish in the October number of the Magazine.

PORTMAITLAND AND SOUTH CAYUGA.

Infortunately on the occasion of Rev. Mr. Spencer's visit on Sunday, Aug 10th, the morning turned out wet. The full Coronation service of special Litany, Prayers, and Holy Communion (with the Coronation Hymns) was, however, held at Christ church, the congregation numbering 30; and at evensong at St. John's an appropriately adapted service was used. Interesting sermons suitable to the occasion were delivered by Mr. Spencer.

BURIALS

At Port Maitland Church and Churchyard Aug. 20th,

Hugh Bradford, aged 70 years.

Aug. 25th,

Emaline E. Sullivan, aged 54 years Aug. 26th,

Huldah Matlock, aged 72 years.

To the three families thus called upon, all in the same week, to mourn the loss of a dear one, we extend our earnest sympathy.

"He would say: "Be careful of the way in which you think of the dead. Think not of what might have been. Look steadfastly, and you shall see the living glory of your well beloved dead in the depths of heaven.' He believed that faith is healthful. He sought to counsel and to calm the despairing man by pointing out to him the man of resignation, and to transform the grief which looks down into the grave by showing it the grief which looks up to the stars."

Hugo's "Les Miserables."

The Y P. S. September meeting was held on Tuesday evening, 2nd, at Mr. Hornibrook's An interesting programme was rendered including songs by Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Hornibrook, Miss Spencer and Mr. Paddock, a recitation by Miss Hornibrook, and readings by Mr. Eccles and Mr. Francis. Mr. Eccles' rendering by Tennyson's "The Revenge" and his kindness in coming out to read were much appreciated by the officers and members of the Y. P. S. The next meeting will be held at Mr. Jas. Bradford's on the second Tuesday in Oct., not the first, as the first Tuesday is the day of the Bishop's Conference with the Clergy and Laity of the Deanery in Dunnville and will include a service in the evening.

The offering of the two Sunday Schools for St. Mary's Bible Home, Matsumoto, Japan, amounting to \$3.24 has been forwarded to Rev. Mr. Kennedy.

The Confirmation service will be held at St. John's on Monday, Oct. 6th. at 3 p m.

Holy Communion, St. John's, Sept. 28th. Christ church, Oct. 5th.