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A century furnishes room for many and great changes. 1894 will be the centennial of the first Baptist church planted in Canada, west of the Maritime Provinces. It was located in the Townships east of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, in that part of the Dominion then as now dominated by Roman Catholicism. The difference in the religious condition of the country between that period and the present calls forth the exclamation, What hath God wrought!

Though not among the earliest pioneers of the denomination in Canada, the man whose likeness adorns this page, the Rev. W. K. Anderson, of Vankleek Hill, has been a prominent and important factor in the progress and successes of the Baptists in Ontario for the last forty-five years. He is one of the many who have endured hardships as good soldiers of Christ, not counting any privation and toil they could sustain too great, if they might gather souls to Jesus and secure the "well done" of the Master. The piety, consecration, devotion to the ministry with which they were entrusted, and the result of their labors, might not be unworthy the consideration of, might even be a profitable study for young men preparing to preach the Gospel.

While by adoption, training, and habits of life, Mr. Anderson is a Canadian, he is by birth a Scotchman, and neither the frost