

inducted in January, 1865. During all these years, although many names had been added to the membership of the church, between deaths and removals the increase was not very great, the roll giving about 300 names in 1862. Early in Mr. Cooper's pastorate a large addition was made to the session. The following were appointed: Messrs. T. L. Hamilton, Robt. Moore, Henry Moore and George Mayberry. Mr. Cooper resigned in November, 1868. The communion roll then showed 398 names.

REV. J. S. HARDIE'S PASTORATE.—After a vacancy of a few months Rev. J. S. Hardie, of Avon, received and accepted a call and was inducted in June, 1870. Shortly after this a fresh addition was made to the session by the election of five new members: Robt. Curtis, R. J. Gray, A. Gunn, Geo. Strath and Robt. Stoddart. To these were added in June, 1904, Messrs. A. Munnell, J. Boyd, J. Griffith and T. Hardie. Also in May, 1905, Messrs. R. Ross and E. G. McDonald.

Early in Mr. Hardie's pastorate the system of individual communion cups was introduced and has proven satisfactory, and is generally approved.

The use of envelopes for missionary givings was introduced about this time also, and was found to be a great improvement on the old system. The duplex envelope was not introduced until some years afterwards.

Mr. Hardie remained in charge of Knox church for about ten years, resigning in February, 1909. Rev. N. D. McKinnon acted as moderator during the vacancy which lasted for three months.

MR. TRIGGART'S PASTORATE.—Rev. D. W. S. Triggart, B. A., of Kippam, received and accepted a call and was inducted in the following June. His pastorate lasted nearly four years, when it was closed by his accepting a call to Collingwood. Mr. Triggart's pastorate was a most successful one. Many names were added to the membership. Owing to deaths and removals, the session lost a number of its members, and the congregation was asked to fill the vacancies. This led to the selection of Messrs. James Gray and Jas. C. Hardie who were ordained July 10th, 1910. Again in December of 1913 four more were appointed, Messrs. A. J. Henderson, W. R. Logan, A. Yule and Geo. McIntosh.

During Mr. Triggart's ministry the important question of church union came before the people.



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