

ensuing, resulting in the induction of Rev. T. A. Bell, then a recent graduate of Knox College. Mr. Bell's gifts of personality and charm quickly won and held the hearts of his people. Together with Mrs. Bell, who soon came as a bride to live at Napier, Mr. Bell led young and old into church activities for the betterment of the community.

The outward item of advance that was contributed to St. Andrew's during Mr. Bell's pastorate was the present beautiful manse. Rev. H. Currie had resided at Napier, but had not a permanent manse belonging to the church. Mr. Bell being the only other pastor up to this time who lived in the village, found the congregation desirous that a permanent house be procured by the congregation for the use of their pastor. Owing to lack of space we are unable to print a likeness of the manse. It is a large roomy house and reflects much credit on the congregation and the building committee—A. Bowlby, Thos. Warren and M. McIntyre.

Rev. T. A. Bell was assisted in the session by Messrs. M. McIntyre, N. McBane, S. ^{Kay} Kay, J. Hutton, Donald ^{Kay} Kay, Thos. Warren and Henry Field.

Rev. T. A. Bell resigned in October, 1909, and after a year's vacancy Rev. J. U. Stewart became pastor. Mr. Stewart was enthusiastic about his work, ever keeping before the congregation the high aims of the gospel of Christ. The congregation had a missionary society which did very well for the foreign work. Under Mr. Stewart's leadership the church made a noble step forward in its missionary work and givings. Mr. Stewart will long be held in respect by the Napier people, who regret that his stay was so short.