

THE CHURCH MONTHLY

Jarvis and Hagersville.

ON Sunday, Sept. 9th, Rev. A. W. H. Francis, M. A., conducted services in both St. Paul's church and All Saints', Rev. P. L. Spencer taking duty at Port Maitland and South Cayuga. An occasional exchange of this sort is believed by the clergy to be good for all concerned.

On Wednesday, Sept. 12th, and on the following day, the annual parish thanksgiving services were held. The preacher was Rev. R. Herbert, of Port Dover, who in St. Paul's church gave an extremely instructive exposition of the verse, "Thou shalt keep the feast of tabernacles," and in All Saints' spoke in a very instructive manner on the text, "God giveth the increase." In the former church the offerings, including a contribution given on the following Sunday, amounted to \$19.50; and in the latter there was received the sum of \$18.45. Both buildings were decorated with a profusion of flowers, besides grain, fruit, etc. Some of the cut flowers came from "The Elms," South Cayuga, and were especially selected for the occasions by Miss Fanny Docker. The singing at each service was particularly good.

The incumbent purposes holding during the remainder of the autumn and throughout the winter a fortnightly work-day service in each church and a fortnightly lantern meeting or class in some place in each village of the parish. He hopes that the parishioners will duly value these frequent opportunities for spiritual and mental improvement. The services will be followed by choir practices. The lantern

lessons will deal with events and travels of the greatest possible interest. Mr. Spencer has fully a thousand slides, and hence is able to illustrate many important subjects.

The Bishop of the diocese has expressed his intention of visiting the parish on Oct. 10th, for the purpose of administering Confirmation. The service at Hagersville will be on the afternoon of that day; that at Jarvis, in the evening.

BAPTISMS.

On August 29th, Albert Earle, infant son of Robt. J. and Charlotte Catherwood; sponsors, the parents and Isabella Reed.

On Aug. 29th, Marjory Agnes, infant daughter of James and Alberta Maud Chambers, of New York city; sponsors, the mother and William and Agnes Chambers, grandparents.

On Sept. 1st, Florence Martha Mary, infant daughter of Thomas and Anna Mary Westerby of the parish of Nanticoke and Cheapside; sponsors, the parents.

On Sept. 2nd, Robert Harold, infant son of Robt. J. and Annie Jackson, of the parish of Nanticoke and Cheapside; sponsors, the parents and Jane Ionsen.

BURIAL.

On Sept. 21st, Florence Martha Mary, infant daughter of Thomas and Anna Mary Westerby, in the churchyard of St. John's church, Cheapside.

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BAPTISMS.

Aug. 3rd, at St. John's church, South Cayuga.—Adult baptism.

Alice Victoria, daughter of Henry and Elizabeth Overholt.

James Albert, son of Edward and Emmie Anger.

Annie Marie, daughter of Edward and Emmie Anger.

Aug. 14th, Mary Isabella, infant daughter of Fred. C. and Harriet Cook.

BURIALS.

On Aug. 9th, at the Dunnville cemetery, Jemima Johnson, wife of Wm. Johnson, aged 68 years.

On Aug. 12th, in St. John's graveyard, Isabella Crawford, wife of James N. Crawford, aged 73.

On Aug. 20th, at Port Maitland, Arthur, son of Abraham and Vesta Diette, aged 15 months.

On Aug. 21st, in St. John's graveyard, Annie Lyons, daughter of James and Mary Ann Lyons, aged 21 years.