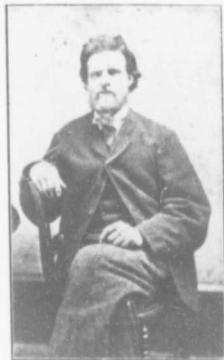


charge. The committee fixed the 20th and 21st of June for the days of the Jubilee Celebrations. The committee agreed to invite Rev. James Steven, a former pastor, to preach, and also Rev. J. A. Anderson of Goderich, son of the late Rev. John Anderson. It was also agreed to invite Rev. F. A. MacLennan to preach a sermon in the Gaelic language in the afternoon. The ladies under the guidance of Miss Matheson were to look after the supper and the Guild directed by Miss Turner was left in charge of the decorations. The ladies, and Guild and indeed all the people, worked with such heartiness as to make everything a perfect success and joy. We heard endless encomiums passed upon the decorations which were certainly most beautiful, and the dainty and bountiful supper was no small task to prepare for the crowds that gathered that evening. We have often been favoured with perfect weather in the matters connected with the church, but never more signally than during the Jubilee days. Sabbath and Monday were just the perfection of midsummer days. The church was closely filled in the morning when Rev. James Steven conducted the service. He took for his text I Cor. XIII, 13, and his theme was "Charity, the greatest thing in the World." Mr. Steven spoke for fifty minutes and yet the people did not seem to lose interest until the end came. Mr. Steven and Mr. Anderson addressed the Sabbath School in the afternoon. Owing to the unavoidable absence of Rev. F. A. MacLennan, Dr. MacLennan had to preach the Gaelic and did so from Ps. CXXXII 6, "Lo, we heard of it at Ephratah, we found it in the fields of the wood." Rev. Jas. A. Anderson of Goderich preached a very appropriate sermon from Phil. III, 13, "Forgetting those things that are behind, and reaching forth to those things that are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." The services of the day were apparently being enjoyed by all, and doubtless many will remember with pleasure for the rest of their days the Jubilee Sabbath on the 20th June, 1900. On Monday, the weather, as remarked, proved equally charming, and the



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