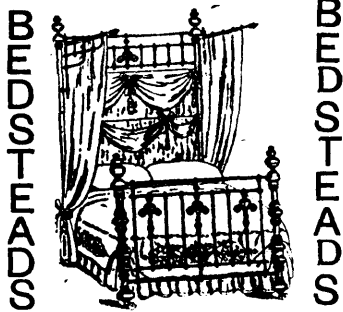


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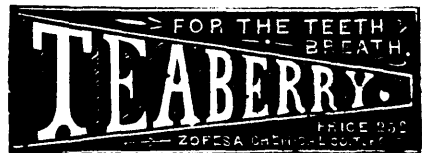
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## Ministers and Churches.

The Presbyterians of Thamesford have called the Rev. Thomas Wilson, of Dutton.

The Rev. A. Leslie, M.A., has been inducted as pastor of the Church at East Oxford.

The restoration of the St. Peter's Church, Madoc, has been decided on at a cost of \$4,000. Rebuilding is to go on at once.

The Rev. A. E. Vert, of Delaware, has resigned his charge; and, at his own request, was certified to the Presbytery of Montreal.

Rev. J. C. McKee, A.M., Ph.D., of Brigidon, preached by invitation in the Central Presbyterian Church of Detroit, on a recent Sabbath.

Preparations are being made for the building of a new Presbyterian Church at Kirkfield. This congregation has made substantial progress under Mr. Maclean.

The Erskine Presbyterian Church, Dundalk, has made a new departure, having decided to rely wholly on voluntary offerings for the Church funds for 1895.

The Rev. W. H. Anderson, M.A., B.D., has been inducted into the pastoral charge of Aylmer and Springfield; and enters on his work with good promise of success.

Rev. R. Douglas Fraser, M.A., Bowmanville, is interim Moderator of the congregations of New castle and Newtonville, Presbytery of Whitby, recently united and now vacant.

Mr. Thos. J. Scott, lately leader of the Wingham Presbyterian church choir, has been appointed to the leadership of the choir in new St. Andrew's Church, Winnipeg, at a salary of \$700.

The Presbyterian Church, Shediak, rebuilt to replace the one destroyed by fire in August last was formally opened and dedicated on the 17th ult. The new Church is a neat and handsome edifice.

After thirteen years faithful service, Mr. G. A. Chase has resigned the position of treasurer of the Presbyterian Church, Orillia. Mr. Melville Millar was appointed, and will be assisted by Mr. Chase.

The Rev. J. W. Cameron has just completed seven happy and successful years as pastor over the large congregation of North Mornington. At the annual meeting every department of church work indicated progress.

Rev. Dr. James, who was for eight years pastor of Knox Church at Walkerton, and who continued to live there since his resignation last March, has removed to Midland, where he will in future make his home.

The Presbytery of Brockville has nominated the Rev. James Fleck, B.A., for the Moderatorship of the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa; and Rev. Prof. Gordon, of Halifax, for that of the forthcoming General Assembly.

Rev. Dr. Thompson, of Sarnia, lectured in Petrolia Monday of last week on "The Worlds." The Topic says:—Seldom is it that Petroleans have an opportunity for gathering such valuable information in so interesting and pleasing a form.

The pulpit of St. Andrew's Church, Orangeville, was occupied at both services on Sunday of last week, by Rev. John Young, of St. Enoch's Church, Toronto, "whose eloquent discourses," says the local paper, "left a most favorable impression."

Calvin Church congregation, Pembroke, being unanimous and urgent in their desire to retain the services of Rev. Dr. Byne as their pastor, the Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew has declined to grant his translation to St. John's Church, Hamilton.

On Tuesday of last week the Rev. J. A. Mustard was inducted into the charge of Botany, Kentbridge and McKay's Corners. The Revs. Hunter, Battisby (D.D.), and McLaren took part in the interesting services. An enjoyable social was held in the evening.

The death is announced at Sarnia of Mr. David Hossie, in his 72nd year. He was well known and greatly respected in Lambton, having been a resident of the county for over sixty years. Deceased was a brother of Mr. Sheriff Hossie, of Stratford, and Mr. W. H. Hossie, of Brantford.

Knox Church, Leamington, will hold their annual anniversary services on March 10th, Rev. J. Hodges, B.A., of Tilbury, will preach morning and evening. Mr. Hodges is one of the best preachers west of Toronto, and the Presbyterians are to be congratulated on securing his services.

Rev. Dr. Campbell, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Victoria, B.C., is holding special services in his congregation. The meetings are well attended, and the interest manifested is very encouraging. He is assisted by the Christians in the Church, who are anxious that spiritual life may be revived, and sinners may be saved.

The Queen's College Journal says: Rev. A. Gandier, M.A., B.D., is given first place by an eastern paper in its estimation of the popular preachers of Halifax. "Rev. Mr. Gandier came from Brampton, Ontario, and at once captured the hearts of his hearers. . . . His preaching is frank and straightforward. . . . He makes his points clear and forcible, and is impassioned and eloquent." His many friends will be pleased to know of his maintaining such a high standard of efficiency in so important a university city as Halifax.

The Rev. D. J. MacDonnell, B.D., of Toronto, has been conducting anniversary services in St. Paul's Church, Amherst Island, and the Kingston News says:—"Should Mr. Macdonnell again favor Amherst Island with a visit he will be greeted by a large congregation, for his services were much appreciated by all who had the pleasure of listening to him."

On Sunday week the Rev. A. Gilray, of Toronto, conducted the anniversary services in the Presbyterian Church, Meaford, preaching morning and evening to large congregations. On Monday evening he lectured on William Tell's land and the Home of the Waldenses, delighting all his hearers. At the close a cordial vote of thanks was tendered the lecturer.

The members of St. John's Church, Almonte, recently presented their pastor, Rev. A. E. Mitchell, B.A., with a handsome fur overcoat. The presentation was made by Mr. Thomas Carruthers and an appreciative address was read by Mr. P. C. McGregor. In one of the pockets of the overcoat was afterwards found an envelope containing a sum of money for Mrs. Mitchell.

Paris Presbyterian Church held its annual meeting recently. The attendance was large and reports from the various committees and societies were satisfactory and encouraging. The Session reported 225 families, and 560 communicants on the roll. The contributions to the schemes of the Church were \$1,026, which, in view of the stringency of the times, and the extra demands in the erection of the new Church, were considered very satisfactory. The total amount raised for all purposes was \$10,008. The report of the building committee was presented by Mr. D. Brown, chairman, and gave a full statement of the work. It was adopted, and by a standing vote the hearty thanks of the congregation were tendered to the committee for their able and zealous efforts in bringing the beautiful new church to such a successful completion.

Under the auspices of the Cheltenham Auxiliary of the W. F. M. S., on the evening of February 14th, Miss Martha Smith, B.E., of Toronto, gave one of her Sacred Racitals. On account of the bad roads the audience was not large, but all thoroughly enjoyed the programme of the evening. Miss Smith rendered in effective style the following selections:—1. "We've always been provided for;" 2. "In the twilight;" 3. "A week's practice in Mr. Parke's Church;" 4. "The grand test on Carmel;" 5. "The tapestry weavers;" 6. "The Lone Star Mission;" 7. "King Oswald and the Artist;" 8. "Nearer my God to Thee." Miss Smith has a high purpose set before her and allows nothing that is simply humorous and non-instructive to find a place among her selections. The choir and Mission Band of the Church furnished appropriate music and thus a profitable and pleasant evening's entertainment was provided.

On Sabbath, Feb. 24th, the Presbyterians of Palmerston opened the handsome and commodious edifice erected to accommodate their rapidly increasing congregation. The spacious building was crowded to overflowing both morning and evening to hear the Rev. Dr. Cochran, of Brantford, who preached on the occasion. In the morning he preached on the opening of the gates to receive the King of Glory, and in the evening on the grand destiny in prospect for the sons of God. It is doubtful if ever such a packed audience was seen in Palmerston before. In the afternoon the Rev. Mr. Nugent of the Methodist Church preached to a good audience. On Monday night a social and tea meeting was held, presided over by the pastor, when brief addresses were delivered by the resident ministers and others in the neighborhood. Dr. Cochran also delivered his well-known lecture on the "Queen's Highway to British Columbia," and for two hours held the large audience deeply interested by his graphic description of the prairies and rocky fastnesses of the Northwest Territories. Mr. Aull has been settled in Palmerston for sixteen years. Then the Church was in an exceedingly weak and disorganized condition, but now under his zeal, and prudence, and pulpit ministrations it holds a first place in the Presbytery. The collections in connection with the opening will be in the neighborhood of \$400.

## OBITUARY.

JAMES THOMPSON.

James Thompson! Yes; that was his name. Everybody in Cardinal knew it and dearly loved the man who bore it. It falls to the lot of few to be so universally loved. The Presbyterians in Cardinal had good cause to love him. They chose him their elder in 1876. They looked upon him with pride. They knew that even the enemies of the gospel were forced to recognize him as a consistent Christian. It was with alarm they noticed his failing health. Speedily and calmly the end came—came as he entered the communion, Sabbath, Feb. 10th. The session and congregation missed him for the first time from the Lord's Table in twenty years. It was a charming morning. The sun shone in matchless beauty across the St. Lawrence and over the snow-clad fields. But nothing could cheer the hearts that sat at the communion that day. The Sabbath school which he superintended for thirty years was thrown into distress by the news of his death. The funeral, which was conducted by the Rev. George MacArthur, pastor of the deceased, was largely attended. Rev. W. McKibbin, of Millbank, Rev. Mr. Stuart, of Prescott, and Rev. Mr. MacAlister, of Iroquois, were present and took part in the service. The pastor preached a touching sermon from Heb.

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