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#### BAPTISMS.

Thomas Ivan—Son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Washburn, June 29th, 1900.

Wm. Gordon—Son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Church, July 15th, 1900.

Arthur Matthew—Son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lindsay, July 22nd, 1900.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC.**—The annual Sunday School Picnic took place on Thursday, July 5th, when a large number of people both young and old spent a very pleasant day at the picturesque Rocks of Elora. There was some difficulty in the transportation as two rigs that had been counted on were put out of use the previous day, and so the calculations were upset; however all got

off at last and all voted that the picnic this year had been one of the best on record. Just before tea an enterprising gentleman of the photographic variety got us in an artistic group, and no doubt an excellent picture will be the result. Pictures can be obtained by applying to Mr. W. S. Buschlen for 33c.

Mrs. Dougherty, who has moved to Toronto, was back again to Arthur in July for a visit. All were very glad to see her in her old place in church again.

**FRIDAY SERVICES.**—There has been a slight change made for the summer months with regard to the Friday evening services. After a short service the Rector has been conducting a short Bible reading, taking the Acts of the Apostles as the subject. The attendance has been very good indeed. Bible reading is something that is sadly neglected in these times, and one is apt either to put it aside altogether or to hurry through it without seeing the real meaning and reaping the fruit. These short Bible readings on Friday evenings are intended to supply that which is lacking and assist those who desire to improve themselves in Biblical knowledge, and the Rector extends a hearty invitation to all to take advantage of the classes.

**S. S. ATTENDANCE.**—The attendance at the Sunday School is not so uniformly good as it might be or as it is when it is held in the afternoon. The parents might assist the teachers in this by seeing that their children are ready for the S. S. so that they may be at the church in time for the opening at 9:45.

A "Flower Service" is intended to be held under the auspices of the S. S. as soon as arrangements can be made.

**WOMEN'S GUILD.**—A very pleasant meeting of the Women's Guild was held at the home of Mrs. A. Weeks, on Thursday