

## Jubilee Services

Jubilee services in connection with the organization of Burns Church, Milverton, were held on Sabbath, the 8th of September, 1907. The morning service was conducted by the Rev. Dr. McMullen, of Woodstock, who was in charge at Millbank at the time of organization fifty years ago. His discourse was a masterly exposition of the Old Jewish Jubilee and its relation to the spiritual freedom enjoyed through Christ. At this service six persons were present, who were also present at the induction of Rev. A. A. Drummond fifty years ago, viz: Mr. Jas. Whaley, Mr. William Sanderson, Mr. Andrew Sanderson, Mrs. John Chalmers, Mrs. John Atkin and Mrs. Thomas Connell.

The service in the evening was conducted by the Rev. W. A. MacLean, of St. Giles Church, Winnipeg, and was a most powerful arraignment of "Sin." The only way of freedom from its sway was pointed out and strongly urged.

Many came from long distances to attend these services and the church was filled to its utmost capacity at both diets of worship.

An additional feature of the Jubilee was the canvassing of the congregation by Mr. James Torrance and Mr. James Brydone for subscriptions to pay off the remaining debt on the new manse. This was successfully accomplished and now the congregation is entirely free from debt. The hearts of both pastor and congregation are filled with gratitude to Almighty God for His Goodness in the past and on the present occasion.

### Members of the Jubilee Committee

Messrs. Thomas Connell, Robert Struthers, James Whaley, Samuel Whaley, James Torrance, James Brydone, W. D. Weir, Albert Riddell, Thomas Sanderson, James Hamilton, M. MacBeth, John Munro and George Kerr.

The first board of management of Burns church consisted of the following members:—James Whaley, S. Whaley, Joseph Brydone, Thomas Connell, John Weir, John Torrance, George Taylor, Robert Struthers and George Mack.