

much more so than streets usually have in towns the size of Fergus. Tower Street crosses St. Andrew just west of the business centre. From this it will be seen that the church is in a most central position, convenient to the village and country adherents alike. The structure is built of brown stone, with white stone facings, and in appearance will compare favorably with the most modern in Canada.

The church faces St. Andrew Street. It has two entrances on this street, the principal one being the Tower Street or east corner of the church. This entrance is a beautiful, arched, double door, and on this corner is a tower running up to a good height (the Building Committee is considering the advisability of building it six feet higher) with four splendid-looking, painted and sanded, metal finials. The other entrance on St. Andrew Street is on the west corner and is not quite as large as its sister entrance to the east, the door being the same shape but with a different tower or, more properly speaking, roof above it. From both these entrances a stairway leads to the gallery in the auditorium.

On the west side there is about 15 feet vacant between the church and the Town Hall property. A walk will be placed here, running down to an entrance just back of the auditorium portion of the building. This entrance leads to the school rooms, class rooms, auditorium, gallery and basement. Just opposite to this door on Tower Street is a like entrance.

In the main entrance is the tablet erected in memory of the late Dr. Smellie, having been transferred from the old church.

While the exterior of the New Melville Church is certainly handsome, substantial and a credit to the Melvillites and to Fergus, the interior is one of the nicest one could have the privilege of seeing. While no one would say it has an elaborate or even very costly appearance, all agree that it is both handsome and comfortable-looking. The floor, the aisles of which are covered with Brussels carpet, slopes gradually down to the pulpit. The seating capacity is 650, with certainly a thousand by using chairs. The seats are placed in such position that all are facing the pulpit.

The pulpit, Communion table, chairs and a beautiful morroco Bible are the donation of Dr. Smellie, of Port Arthur, son of the late Rev. Dr. Smellie. The pulpit and chairs are made from