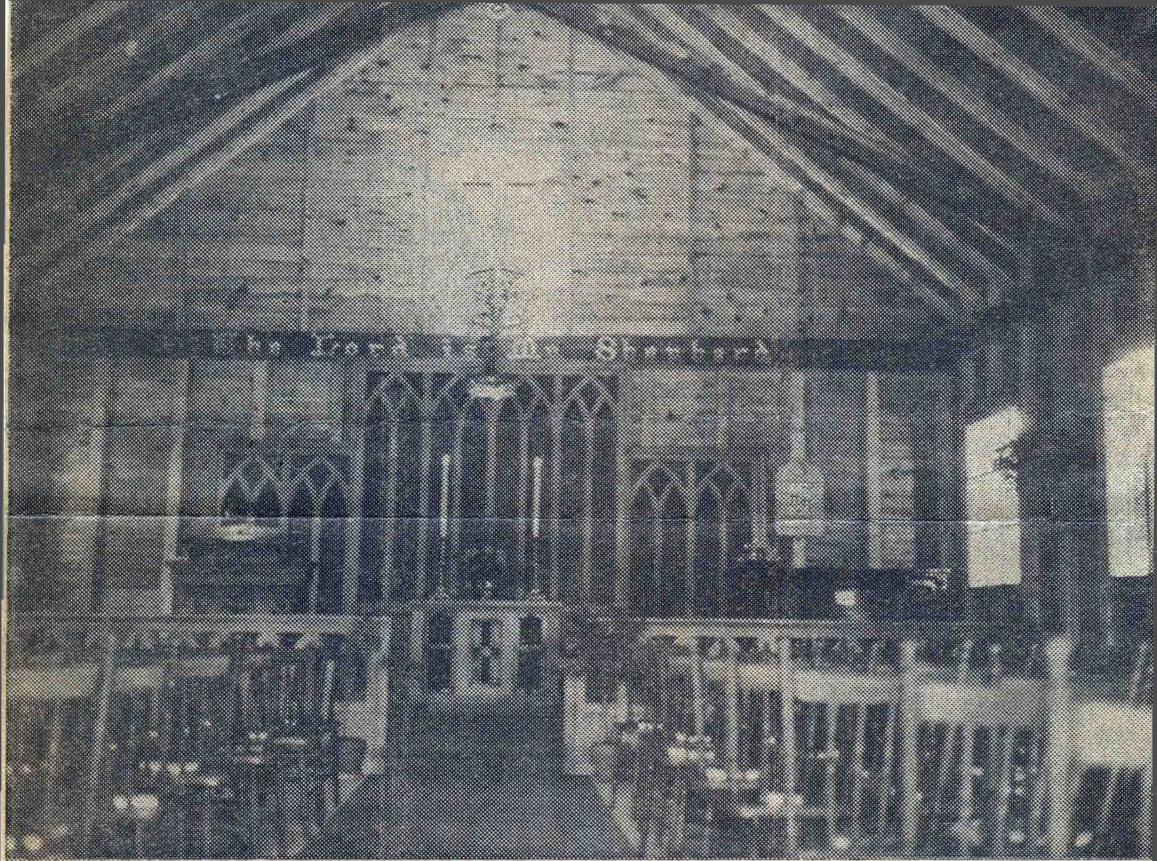


Pleasant Point Union Church 46th anniversary



This picture of the Pleasant Point Union Church was taken on Sunday, the 46th anniversary of its founding. — "Post" staff photo.



Interior of the Union Church at Pleasant Point.

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At 3 p.m., on a warm summer day seven ministers gathered in Pleasant Point. It was Aug. 27, 1922, and they were to take part in the opening service of the newly-built interdenominational church at the resort, a small white frame building, nestled in the shade of towering maples.

The church was interdenom-

inational, for the use of Protestant evangelical denominations, and since that day the church has been used for 46 consecutive summers, with different ministers for each service and with an average attendance during July and August — the only two months it is used — of 95 persons.

The deed was drawn up by former Ontario premier Leslie Frost, then a young Lindsay lawyer, who also drew up the constitution of the church. The constitution is still in effect, without alterations.

Pleasant Point Union Church was the name given by the constitution. The first board of the church was made up of J. E. Adams, Dr. H. Irvine, Holland Pettit, William J. Hay and M. H. Sisson. The late Dr. Irvine was appointed to canvass for funds for the building.

By August 25, 1922, the present building was erected by voluntary labor with the supervision and assistance of a carpenter. The sum of \$850 had been subscribed and when the special service was held, the collection brought the amount up to \$1,087.

The organ was donated by Reuben Morgan, the pulpit by St. Paul's Anglican Church, Lindsay, the Bible by Mrs. A. E. Hooper, in memory of her husband, and the collection plate by Mrs. J. E. Adams. The church doors were donated by the Benson Hotel, Lindsay.

The church last Sunday held its 46th anniversary celebration with Rev. M. Rumscheidt of Deer Park United Church, Toronto, as guest speaker.

Trustees of the church are: Chairman, William Nurse; George Carter, Angus Ahearn, Mrs. Jock Hutcheson, Mrs. Morgan Smith. Treasurer is Hilton Brown; music, Arthur

Burridge and flower committee, Mrs. Jock Hutcheson and Mrs. George Carter.