THE BLACKSMITH SHOP

GLASGOW STATION

After the Railway was built through Glasgow in 1894, George
McLean from Stewartville had a blacksmith shop and a residence
built at the entrance to the Centennial Farm of W.H. Hamilton on
the 8th line. He got plenty of work to do, shoeing horses and doing
other jobs for the community. This building was also used for other
purposes. The upstairs was fitted to hold Sunday Church services
and meetings and entertainments. After some years, during which
other blacksmiths occupied this shop, it was finally sold to the
late Alex Stewart, then torn down in , and nothing remains to
mark what was once one of the busiest spots in the community.