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Dr. Lorimer, Boston, will occupy the Marylebone pulpit on the last three Sundays in July.

Rev. Mr. Murray, Kinross, has been appointed assistant in St. Paul's Free Church, Edinburgh.

It is believed that no child or woman was hurt during the whole bombardment of Ladysmith.

Rev. J. R. Colville, assistant to Dr. Watson at Sefton Park, has accepted the call addressed to him from North Shields.

The British and Foreign Bible Society has already sent out over 110,000 New Testaments, portions, and psalters to the troops.

According to the "Official Year-Book," the voluntary offerings of the Church of England for the year amounted to £7,464,434.

The Free Church Temperance Society embraces a membership of 75,000, including all the students and 821 ministers of the Church.

Bloemfontein means "The Fountain of Flowers"—a poetic description of what remains in the driest of dry seasons—a green oasis.

The Shah of Persia will arrive in London during the first week of July, and he is to be treated as a state guest, and will be lodged in Buckingham Palace.

Rev. Dr. Mathews has declined the request of the Council of the Pan-Presbyterian Synod to represent that body at the first meetings of the Federated Presbyterians of Australasia.

The senate of Glasgow University have decided to offer the degree of D.D. to Cavaliere Jean Pierre Pons, M.A., pastor at Torre Pellice, Italy, and Moderator of the Waldensian Church.

There are two churches within the bounds of Edinburgh Presbytery with a membership exceeding 3,000. These are North Leith (Rev. J. H. McCulloch, B.D.,) and St. Cuthbert's (Rev. James MacGregor, D.D.).

The Senate of St. Andrew's University has decided to confer the degree of D.D. upon Rev. James Aitken, M.A. of Ryehill Church, Dundee. Mr. Aitken recently declined a call from Maxwell Hill Church, London.

An unusual incident occurred recently in Uddingston Parish Church. The preacher was in the middle of a sermon on the war when a lady suddenly rose up, and declaring that it was "War, war every Sunday," marched out of the church, shutting the door with a slam.

Dr. John Watson (Jan Maclaren), who will be moderator of the Presbyterian Synod which meets two months hence in Manchester, has just completed twenty-five years of ministerial life. After labouring in Scotland he became minister of Sefton Park Church, Liverpool, in 1889.

Rev. J. B. Melharry, while on the voyage to Australia, wrote to his congregation at Crouch Hill, London. He had been warned against overwork when reaching the Antipodes, Sydney, it was said, had killed Drs. Hanna and Berry. He was surprised to find a great many Presbyterians on board the steamer, and regarded it as strange that while arrangements are made for the Episcopalian services amongst first-class passengers no similar privilege was allowed nonconformists. In the second-class, services were regularly conducted by Nonconformist ministers who happened to be amongst the passengers.