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Leeds is one of the chief cities in England for temperance societies.

An organ blown by electricity is to be introduced into Cathcart Street U.P. Church, Ayr

The semi-jubilee of Rev. J. W. Thomson in the pastorate of Kinghorn U.P. Church, has been celebrated

Mr. Rudyard Kipling is about to revisit Australia, and will break the journey in South Africa.

There is a proposal to construct a railway through the Euphrates Valley, regarded by some as the site of the Garden of Eden.

The Queen's health is remarkably good just now, and she is entertaining an unusually large number of guests at Baimoral.

Dr. Parker has resumed his Thursday ervices at the City Temple, which have now entered on their thirty-first year.

A man-of-war in New Caledonia rescued seven missionaries who had been carried off by a native tribe for cannibalistic purposes.

A Lutheran pastor, in a town in the Russian Baltic Province, has been sent to gaol for four months for speaking against the Russian Orthodox Church.

Of the fourteen established city churches in Edinburgh seven are situated in the region of High Street and Canongate, where there are now but few regular church-goers.

The Romish Church will commemorate the yea: 1900 by the erection of nineteen colossal east-iron statues of Christ in different parts of Italy.

The Endeavorers of Wellington, New Zealand, held their convention in July. It was very successful and enthusiastic in spite of bitterly cold weather.

The venerable Dr. Paton, after attending the Pan-Presbyterian Alliance, purposes sailing for England to try to raise £2,200 for extending his work amongst the South Sea Islanders

Cowper's house, which Mr. W. H. Collingridge will present to the town of Olney, may probably be used as a public library and Cowper and Newton museum.

Sir Thomas Lipton's offer of £59,000 for the Lakes of Killarney has not been accepted. The estate will be put up for public auction.

The induction of Rev. Dr. Hall, late of Maghera, Ireland, has taken place at Isling-ton Church, Colebrokerow. Dr. Hall is a comparatively young man, having been about eight years in his first pastorate.

At a meeting held at Bothwell it was resolved to raise subscriptions for a memorial to the men of the Covenant, who fell in the Battle of Bothwell Brig in 1649. The Duke of Hamilton has consented to head the movement

The first Chinese society was formed at Ningpo in 1893 as a result of Dr. Clark's visit to Shanghai. The latest reports show that China has now over 500 sodeties with a membership of 10,000. Over 1,000 native Endeavorers attended the last Chinese convention.

By the will of the late Professor Johnston, of Aberdeen, the whole of the personal estate is left to his housekeeper. The great-er part of his extensive library is to be placed in charge of the Presbyteries of Burravoe in Shetland and Cairston in Orkney.

A woman who, from keeping her carriage and pair, was reduced through drink to stealing a penny-worth of milk from a doorstep, was discharged by the Harleston magistrate on her signing an agreement to go into an inebriate home for twelve months. A NOVA SCOTIAN FARMER TELLS HOW HE REGAINED HEALTH.

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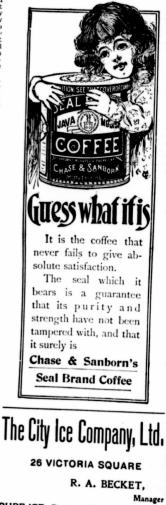
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