

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Broadwood died August 5, at the residence of her brother, David Shiels, North Dumfries, near Galt, C. W., aged 83 years. She was born March 17, 1779 at Haugh, Parish of Ettrick, Selkirkshire, Scotland. She emigrated with her husband and family, May 1854, to Canada West. She lived in widowhood eight years. For a number of years previous to her death she enjoyed the peace of the gospel, so that when the grim messenger came she was prepared to meet him and through the Lord to conquer him. While on a visit to her brother she took her last illness on the 28th of July. Her daughter, Mrs. Farquharson, who lives in Galt, was sent for, and attended her with great affection until she died. She was not afraid to die, as death to her was falling asleep in Jesus. She delighted in hearing the Scriptures read, especially the fourteenth chapter of John's gospel. She was always comforted, even before her illness, with the last two verses of the forty-second Psalm. She died calmly and happily.

“Dear is the spot where Christians sleep,
And sweet the strains which angels pour,
O why should we in anguish weep?
They are not lost—but gone before.

How many painful days on earth
Their fainting spirits numbered o'er
Now they enjoy a heavenly birth,
They are not lost—but gone before.”

 INTELLIGENCE.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES AND SOIREE.—On Sabbath September 21, anniversary services were conducted in the E. U. Church, Tillicoultry, Scotland. It appears that this church is prospering greatly under the labours of Mr. Strachan, the pastor. During the year the congregation had tripled, while the membership had doubled. At the soiree on Sept. 22, Mr. Strachan stated that the church, a few days previously, had made him a present of £20 sterling. An addition of £30 is to be made to his salary. This is alike creditable to the Church and the minister. It gives us exceeding great joy to learn that this church, with which we commenced our pastoral labours, is prospering. May the good Lord bless them yet more and more.

EVANGELICAL UNION ANNUAL MEETINGS.—These meetings were held in Glasgow, on the 30th Sept., and 1st and 2nd of October. The Academy was examined by the Rev. Messrs. Maconahie and McWilliam on Sept. 3. The annual sermon was preached on the same evening by the Rev. A. Davidson, the retiring President. The Conference Meetings were held on October 1 and 2. A Public Soiree was held in the City