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A monument in honor of Gen. W. S. Hancock will be unveiled in New York on December 30.

The London *Lancet* records 109 cases in which participants in football games played in 1892 in Great Britain received injuries so serious as to require hospital treatment.

The California Midwinter Exposition gates are to be thrown open on New Year's Day. It covers 150 acres of ground, and has seventy-five buildings, excluding such structures as kiosks and small restaurants.

Hawaii has about fifty miles of railway and two hundred and fifty miles of telegraph lines, and almost every dwelling and business house in Honolulu has its telephone. The city has also street railways, and is lighted by electricity.

There are 34 applicants for the pastorate of the Martyrs Church, Dundee. A committee has been appointed, on which it was proposed by a member that women should serve, but Rev. C. Shaw, the Moderator, said that while not illegal the practice was unknown in the church.

The recently opened Manchester ship canal cost about \$75,000,000, and gives direct communication from Manchester to the sea, making that city the shipping point of a vast trade which has hitherto gone to Liverpool. The canal practically makes Manchester a sea-board city.

A good story was told at Middlesboro' by the Rev. Bryan Dale. He said that at the meeting on the previous day an old Yorkshire woman had defined the differences between the sects thus:—"Wesleyans drag 'em out of the gutter; Baptists wash 'em; and Independents starch 'em!"

Jubilee services were held on a recent Sabbath in Buccleuch Street U. P. Church, Dalkeith, Rev. Dr. Joseph Brown preaching in the forenoon, Rev. N. D. MacLachlan in the afternoon, and Rev. Dr. Fergus Ferguson in the evening. A public meeting followed next evening, Principal Hutton being one of the speakers.

Principal Rainy, while holding that it is not the business of the church to take up everything that is desirable, says temperance is a subject so concerned with the well-being of men that it has a right to specific attention. The cause might be aided by those who did not abstain, but if much influence were to be exerted on the question it must be from the abstinence platform.

An American firm has contracted to build a railway from Acre to Damascus, a distance of 148 miles. The road will pass by the Sea of Galilee on the south. It is to be fully equipped as an American road, to be completed in eighteen months, and will cost \$5,750,000. Damascus now has 150,000 inhabitants, and is fifty miles from the important seaport of Beyrout.

The Presbyterian Church of England earnestly recommends all its members who may go to reside in Wales, or any district where there is no congregation of its own, to join an English congregation of the Welsh Presbyterian Church, should there be one there, inasmuch as it regards the said Church as bearing the closest relation to itself.

Mr. Councillor Renton, the new Presbyterian Mayor of Jarrow-on-Tyne, has been for more than thirty years a member of Ellison street church. This church is one of very considerable size, and accommodates about 1,200 people. The new Mayor of Newcastle is a Roman Catholic, while the sheriff, Mr. William Sutton, is a Presbyterian.

The Rev. Alex. McKenzie, of Gairloch, a seceder from the Free Church, has been inducted as minister of the congregation formed by the Secessionists in Inverness. Two other ministers took part in the "laying on of hands," by which it would appear that the Secessionists are going the length of reordaining. The call was signed by two elders, forty-three members, and 213 adherents.

Open-air preaching is no easy matter in the south of Ireland. Within the last few weeks an attempt has been made to preach the Gospel in the leading thoroughfares of the city of Cork. Some members of the Y. M. C. A., accompanied by two or three ministers, marched last Sunday in procession and singing hymns to the grand parade. Here a very noisy crowd of Roman Catholics tried to stop the meeting by interruptions, singing of music-hall ditties, etc. Eventually the police interfered, and the crowd was dispersed.

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Rev. Dr. Donald MacLeod, speaking at the opening of the Lawn street mission hall of Paisley abbey, said he did not like this separation between the churches and the mission halls, as he wished the poorest man to feel the same interest in the church as the rich man.

The chief characteristic of nineteenth century life is rapidity. If you are wise avoid hurry in eating—hurry in anything. If you have been unwise and have dyspepsia, use K. D. C., the King of cures.

In Chicago there are 15,000 places where the railway lines cross the streets, interrupting the traffic and endangering the lives of the citizens. There are also miles of street which are occupied with the iron way. According to the local papers there have been over one hundred deaths at level crossings during the first seven months of this year.

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