

British and Foreign

Carol Kruger, a nephew of "Oom Paul," was one of the graduates "capped" at Edinburgh University on Saturday.

Plymouth workmen constructing a sewer discovered human remains, supposed to be those of Royalists and Roundheads.

A Leith gentleman accomplished the ascent and descent of Ben Nevis in two hours and eighteen minutes, beating the previous record by two minutes.

Lord Kelvin has resigned the professorship of natural philosophy in the University of Glasgow, which he had held for fifty-three years. He is now 75 years of age.

Dr. Walter C. Smith, who has been seriously ill, is now recovering, and it is hoped that he will soon be strong enough to leave his residence at Dunblane for a change of air.

The Rev. Andrew Mutch, M.A., who, for the last two years, has been assistant at the West Church, Aberdeen, has been ordained to the pastorate of the West Parish Church, Galashiels.

Queen Wilhelmina has given orders for a new collarage which will bear a representation of her as she is at the present day. Her likeness as a child is on the Dutch money now in circulation.

Rev. W. L. Mackenzie, M.A., English Presbyterian Church Mission, Swatow, China, has received the honorary degree of D.D. from Aberdeen University. Dr. Mackenzie is a native of Inverness.

Rev. Hugh Black maintains his popularity in Edinburgh. On Sunday there was a crowd waiting at Free St. George's fully an hour before the service began, and this swelled to a thousand ten minutes before the hour.

The Scotch confirmation of the testamentary disposition of Rev. Dr. A. K. H. Boyd, LL.D., has been sealed at Somerset House. The personality is sworn at £13,253 16s. 10d., including £90, the value of the deceased's interest in the copyright of his books.

At the forthcoming Church Congress to be held in Glasgow on Oct. 26 and 27, the Moderator, Dr. Pagan, will preside. Public meetings are also to be held on the evenings of both days, the Lord Provost of Glasgow taking the chair on the 26th and Mr. A. J. Baird on the following evening.

The death has taken place, in his 86th year, of Rev. John Robb, who for over a quarter of a century had been minister of Longside, Aberdeenshire. Mr. Robb belonged to the old school of ministers, and regularly visited his parishioners to examine them in the Shorter Catechism. He retired in 1877.

Presbyterianism is rapidly strengthening itself in South Africa. Last year there were four presbyteries (of the Free Church of Scotland), now there are seven, the Presbyteries of Cape Town, Adelaide, King Williamstown, Kafraria, Natal, Orange Free State, and the Transvaal, with thirty-five European congregations, seven "extensive" charges, seven preaching stations, and nineteen native congregations, in all sixty-eight congregations, with fifty-four ministers, as compared with thirty-four congregations and thirty-three ministers in 1897. The total amount contributed to the Church Extension Fund since 1897 is more than £3,300. A number of new churches are being built. A Presbyterian church has just been founded at Bulawayo, in answer to a loud call. This is the only Presbyterian church in Rhodesia, where the Wesleyans, Church of England, and Roman Catholics are in full operation; yet it appears that the majority of recent colonists are Presbyterians, and the outlook for the Church there is a good one.

A WOMAN'S SUFFERING.

Was Troubled with Palpitation of the Heart Extreme Weakness and Nervous Headaches.

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He that would have the fruit must climb the tree.

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