

THE CHURCH ABROAD.

The Synod of the English Presbyterian Church has just decided, by a narrow majority of thirteen, to remove their college from London to Cambridge.

On Sunday May 14th for the first time since the Disruption, there was an exchange of pulpits between the Established and the Free Churches in Renfrew.

Rev. Jacob Primmer found Popery in Italy a hundred fold worse than he had seen it in this country. To call such a system Christianity in his opinion deliberate falsehood.

Lord Herschell observes that a certain class of people are always greatly concerned about the mode in which other people distributed their charitable gifts. "Their own did not much trouble them."

The students of the year at the United Presbyterian college of Rev J. A. Wylie have resolved to present a baptismal font as a memorial to the church to be erected at Liaowyang, and to make a small gift to Deacon Liu who tried to save his life.

The annual meeting of the Devotional Service association was held last week at the residence of Rev. Dr. Hutchison, Bonnington, Edinburgh. Authority was given to the committee to co-operate with the similar one in the Free Church, in the preparation of a children's book and other service forms.

Rev. Matthew Gardner of Peebles, in his sermon at the synod of Lothian and Tweeddale, said that much of our Christianity was summed up in the luxury of preaching and the luxury of hearing. The church ought to go down amongst the poor in the loving spirit of Christ, and not simply carry tracts and give religious advice gratis at the doorsteps of their homes.

Fears are expressed in some quarters that the Free High Church of Edinburgh, in which the Rev. Walter O. Smith ministered so long may have to be closed. All the ministers hitherto offered the charge have declined it. So many new churches have grown up in the suburbs that it seems to be considered a perilous task to attempt to maintain it. The Rev. James Duran of Queen Street Church, in the same city, was recently offered a call, but declined it.

The Presbytery of London North held its first meeting after the Synod at the College, Bloomsbury, recently. The Rev. Dr. Monro Gibson, the retiring Moderator presided at the outset, and conducted the devotional exercises. A large number of elders' commissions were submitted and sustained. Acting on a recently adopted regulation, the elders who took their seat in the Presbytery for the first time, rose and bowed to the Moderator when their names were called, thus enabling them to be identified by the other members.

An important discussion on Presbyterian Renovation has been arranged to take place at the Grindolwald Conference, on 4th September, when Rev. Professor Story, ex-moderator of the Church of Scotland; Rev. Alexander Oliver, ex-moderator of the United Presbyterian Church; Rev. Professor Lindsay, representing the Free Church of Scotland; Rev. Robert Leitch, M.A., moderator of the Presbyterian Church of England, and Rev. Dr. Barrows president of the World's Parliament of Religions, representing America, will take part in the discussions.

Rev. Prof Cowan of Aberdeen, in his fourth Baird lecture, spoke of the influence of the Scottish church on the Continent and in America. After citing the career of many notable Scotsmen who sojourned on the Continent, and pointing to the aid given by the Scottish church to the Evangelicals of various countries there, he stated that in Canada, Presbyterianism was relatively twice as strong in numbers as it was in Britain, and far more than twice in influence, while in the United States it had more to do with the upbuilding of American Christendom than either the Roman Catholics, the Methodists, or the Baptists.

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