



British and Foreign.

THE jubilee of Rev. James Martin, of Beith, is shortly to be celebrated.

By authority of the Pope nine canons have been installed at Aberdeen cathedral.

MR. ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON is spoken of as the next English consul in Samoa.

THE Rev. John Jamieson, of Firth, Orkney, has accepted the call to Canonbie, Dumfriesshire.

THE Rev. Alexander Matheson, M.A., of Jarrow-on-Tyne, has accepted the call to Blair Athole.

THE Rev. James Brown, M.A., of St. Peters, Glasgow, has declined the call to St. Davids, Kirk-intillock.

DUNDEE Free Presbytery has resolved to hold a public meeting in the city in the interests of dis establishment.

THE Pope is alleged to be preparing a manifesto to the Great Powers setting forth his position in the event of war.

EDINBURGH university curators meet in October to elect a successor in the Hebrew chair to the late Prof. Adams.

THE Rev. Mr. Fergusson has accepted the call to Martyrs Church, St. Andrews, and the Presbytery has sustained it.

THE late Miss Martha Quigg, of Macorquin, Derry, has bequeathed \$500 to various funds of the Irish General Assembly.

THE Manning memorial, for which \$27,200 has been subscribed, is to take the form of a refuge under Roman Catholic management.

THE Rev. Mr. Beattie, who has completed his twenty-fifth year as Clerk of the Ards Presbytery, has received from his brethren the present of a carriage.

By the will of Rev. Alexander Falconer, of Denny, \$500 has been left to the poor of the parish, the administration to be under the exclusive control of the Session.

THE Queen has given \$50 to the Bible Christian congregation of Newport, Isle of Wight. The members of that denomination in the United Kingdom number 40,000.

THE Rev. John Murray, of Calton, preached the funeral sermon of the late Rev. Gilbert Johnston in Shettleston Church. Many of the congregation were deeply affected.

A STAINED-GLASS window is about to be placed in Bellgrove Church, Glasgow, as a memorial of the late Rev. William Barras. The representation is "The Empty Tomb."

THE late Mr. James Greer, of Concywarren, Omagh, has bequeathed \$250 to the Orphan Society, and \$250 each to the congregations of First Omagh, Second Omagh and Crossroads.

THE Rev. David Benjamin, of Urmiah, Persia, formerly an assistant in the Archbishop of Canterbury's mission to the Nestorians, who has been in England for the past two years, has joined the Roman Catholic Church.

THE Rev. Peter Richardson, of Daily, near Girvan, died suddenly in Edinburgh on the 6th ult., at the age of sixty-seven. He had recently retired from active work, and Rev. W. Arnott has just been called to succeed him.

THE removal of St. Enoch's congregation, Glasgow, from their Church owing to underground railway operations is thinning their number. The summer arrangement for their worshipping in St. Georges ends with this month.

THE death took place at Belfast on the 4th ult., at the age of seventy-nine, of Rev. William Rossborough, senior minister of East Campbell Street Church, Glasgow. He was ordained in 1837, and was a man of earnest character and courteous manner.

THE Executive Committee of the Society for the Orphans of Ministers and Missionaries have received from Mr. R. W. Cory, J.P., a receipt for \$13 06: lodged at call, being the amount of the "Johnston Jubilee Fund." The Society had previously about \$60,000 capital invested.

A STAINED-GLASS window representing Moses raising the brazen serpent and Christ healing the sick, has been erected in South Leith Church to the memory of Dr. James Struthers, a greatly esteemed physician who practised in the town for over forty years. It was subscribed for by his friends and patients.

THE Liverpool magistrates have decided that all managers of public houses must reside on the premises and personally supervise the business. Of 2,078 licenses no fewer than 1,378 are held by 136 firms or individuals. One firm holds 232, another 135, and twenty-nine firms have among them 1,062.

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