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A Christian Endeavor Society in Pretoria has 161 members.

A bazaar in connection with the First Bangor Church realised £1, 7s.

It is said that the Queen is the one monarch of whom Kaiser William stands in awe.

No person in Norway may spend more than 6 cents at one visit to a drinking place.

The late Mr. William Cambridge, of Holywood, has bequeathed £ 0 to the Orphan Society.

Blantyre, which gave us David Livingstone, is sending other fifty of her sons to "Darkest Africa."

A postman who has just retired at Aylth, in Scotland, after thirty-seven years' service, is said to have walked in that period 242, 000 miles.

Mr. James Glencairn Thomson, Crossmyloof, the only surviving grandson of the poet Robert Burns, was the other day presented with £175.

The young lion which Mr. Rhodes presented to President Kruger, and which was rejected, will arrive at the Zoological Gardens in London.

A law recently passed in Norway makes a girl ineligible for matrimony unless she can show certificates of skill in cooking, knitting, and spinning.

"Wash and pray" is a Mexican boy's version of a familiar text. He is an Endeavourer, and has to wash dishes in the school in which he is being trained.

Dr. Robert Laws, who has completed twenty-five years' work in connection with the Livingstonia Mission in Africa, is at present on furlough and is residing in Edinburgh.

It is announced that the Baird trustees are to give the sum of £1,500 towards the restoration of Brechin Cathedral, and if the proposed new aisle is built, they will give an additional £900.

On a recent Sunday evening Mr. Macgregor's pulpit at Notting Hill was occupied by Signor Giuseppe Silva, one of the ablest and most popular preachers of the Waldensian Church.

Dr. Leyds, the Transvaal Envoy to Europe, is a man of refined tastes. He is well versed in art and literature, but music is his special delight. As an amateur violinist he is above the average.

Dr. J. Mitchell, of South Church, Leith, has been granted six months' leave of absence, during which he intends to organise a winter chaplaincy in Cairo under the Colonial Committee, and also to visit the Holy Land.

A wedding in the tower of London is a rare event. The daughter of Sir Hugh Gough, V.C., Keeper of the Jewels in the Tower, was married in the Tower Chapel. There was an escort of Yeoman warders, and a tiny page was attired as a beef-eater.

Miss Wallace, Edinburgh, has given £500 to Hawick Young Women's Christian Association as a memorial of her cousin, the late Mrs. McGregor, wife of a former minister of Hawick Free Church and daughter of the Rev. Mr. Wallace, first minister of the same.

Miss Kathleen Miller, one of the new missionaries for India, is the second lady missionary who has gone from the Notting Hill congregation during Rev. G. H. C. Macgregor's ministry. The ladies of Regent-square Church have decided to support a lady missionary in China.

Mr. J. B. Balfour, Q.C., M.P., who has been appointed Lord Justice General in Scotland and Lord President of the Court of Session, is a Liberal in politics, and was Lord Advocate in Lord Rosebery's Cabinet. He is a son of Rev. Peter Balfour, minister of Clackmannan, and was born in 1837.

A tablet has been placed in the Martyrs' Church, Kuttenberg, Bohemia, to the memory of the late Dr. A. Moody Stuart, and in commemoration of the interest he manifested in the Protestant Church of Bohemia, and especially for the aid given by him in raising subscriptions in Scotland for the building of Kuttenberg Church.