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Reunion  
Of Scotch  
Churches?

Edinburgh, June 30.—The recent general assemblies of the two great factions of the Presbyterian churches in Scotland—the established Church of Scotland and the independent United Free Church—will be followed during the year by negotiations which are said to be promising for a union of these rival bodies, mending an historical quarrel.

Various sects broke away from the communion of the state church as far back as the seventeenth century, the secession being in protest against the alleged low moral state of the clergy and the political system of the established church.

The established church sought to mend matters in 1834 by adopting the rule that no pastor should be thrust upon a congregation against the will of the people, but this was annulled in 1843.

Negotiations for a union were renewed in 1907, but progress was slow until this year, on account of the opposition of a powerful minority on each side. Even the former leaders of the obstructionists, however, are now urging union.

A constitution was drawn up by the recent assembly of the established church which concedes the spiritual independence of the Free Church, but at the same time aims to preserve the traditions of the State Church. It is this draft that will be the basis of further negotiations during the coming year, and the willingness with which leaders of both factions have taken up the subject leads the pacifists to hope for success.

DURING SCHOOL LIFE

The Most Important Period, Says Dr. Mott

Dr. J. R. Mott said that after twenty five years spent travelling over the entire world, he could state with assurance that five-sixths of the world's criminals were such because of misdirection during their school lives. On the other hand, 567 in every 1,000 people joining the Church did so during the age of twenty.

"This is the decisive period in the man's life," declared the speaker. "Its high school students are the greatest single asset of any nation, because they have the largest power to let. That is the period of vision-forming, when ideals laid take permanent hold. "To cultivate the preparatory school students is the highest strategy," the speaker continued. "I believe that nine-tenths of the world's ministers received their vision of service during school life. The time to get men for leaders is when they are schoolboys. When we consider that the majority of schoolboys never go to college, we begin to realize what we must do for them now."

THE LOST LAKE OF GOLD

Somewhere in north-western Arizona—the precise whereabouts is now a matter of conjecture—is a lake of gold formed by Nature. On December 13, 1858, a party of gold-seekers, twenty-two men in all, were prospecting in north-western Arizona when they came upon an and of nomad Apaches, who had with them considerable gold, in the shape of nuggets and dust. After many pressing questions as to where they had obtained it, a half-bred Mexican volunteered to guide the white men to the spot for a consideration.

He led them three hundred miles over a wild and desert country, to a spot near the head waters of the Gila river, where there were three mountain peaks in the form of a triangle. Here was a dried-up lake, the ancient bed a jumble of nuggets and gold-dust. The prospectors shovelled £40,000 worth into sacks, and twelve of them set out with it to Fort Yuma. They never reached Yuma, however, for they were ambushed and killed by Apaches in a defile since known as Dead Man's Gulch, and their skeletons were found a year later by a United States cavalry patrol.

Meanwhile this band of Apaches had raided the camp of the remaining miners, and killed them, with the exception of two, who escaped to Fort Blas, in New Mexico. One of these men died; but the other, named Adams, journeyed to San Francisco, and later organized several expeditions in search of the golden lake.

He never found it, however, for his memory had become confused, owing to the hardships he had undergone, and he died at length, without being able to remember the exact location of the lake.

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BEAR ATTENDS FANCY BALL

Dancers Think He is Guest, But Soon Learn Mistake

Paris, June 30.—Having escaped from his cage at Neuilly fair a bear took a stroll around the neighborhood. He was attracted to a private house by strains of music and made a sudden appearance in a crowded ball-room.

As it was a fancy dress dance the revellers at first thought he was a late guest, but they soon discovered their mistake and ran for the doors, while the orchestra stopped playing. Without taking the slightest notice of the excitement bruiser executed a pas seul, with ragtime movements, and seemed genuinely annoyed when his keeper arrived and led him back to captivity.

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EVOLUTION OF THE ALPHABET

The art of expressing ideas by signs was in ancient times an occult science known only to the priests, who had acquired it, directly or indirectly, from the Egyptians. Some 3,000 years before the Christian era the inhabitants of the Valley of the Nile distinguished twenty-two different articulations of speech, which they represented by a complicated series of signs and ideograms.

The Phoenicians simplified the Egyptian alphabet by eliminating all signs except those corresponding to simple articulations—i.e., the consonants, thus obtaining twenty-two distinct characters. M. Renan calls the Phoenician alphabet one of the greatest creations of human intelligence.

The Greeks made use of the same twenty-two characters, adapting them to the tones of their language by adding several signs to represent the vowel sounds. From Greece the alphabet spread to Italy and the rest of Europe, and was gradually followed by the introduction of books and libraries.

It should not, however, be forgotten that for many centuries literature existed without an alphabet. The oral method was sufficient; poems and stories were circulated by word of mouth. Writing is an admirable institution; but the ancients believed that it weakened the memory, and further, they maintained that men forgot many things after learning the use of the style or the quill.

NEW YORK MAYOR'S LAMPS

When he leaves office the Mayor of New York does not lose all the privileges attached to that position. It has long been the custom to erect two street lamps out of the city funds in front of the Mayor's private residence, and to keep them alight all night, not only during his term of office, but during the remainder of his lifetime, and even after his death, should his heirs wish it.

Before the new Mayor has taken the oath of office the City Lighting Superintendent calls to display various designs of lamps for his selection. Though the shapes may vary, each lamp has to be surmounted by a brass eagle.

This custom originated in the days when New York was little more than a village, and the Mayor was its only magistrate. The lamps served to guide anyone seeking his service after dark.

"I hope," said the fond parent, kindly, "that you fully realise the value of the prize you are getting in my daughter?"

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