

extended over three Sabbaths, and the two weeks which intervened, and were conducted by the Rev. J. McConachie, Hamilton; Revs. R. Anderson and Hood of Glasgow; Rev. D. Drummond, Bellshill. On the third Sabbath of the meetings (May 24th) a church was formed, and about 30 brethren commemorated the dying love of the Saviour, by observing the ordinance of the Supper—Mr. Drummond presiding. On Monday the 25th a soiree was held in connection with the new church. It was an evening long to be remembered in Kilsyth. The hall, which is large, was comfortably filled by a respectable and intelligent audience, who gave marked attention to the great doctrines and duties to which the speakers called their attention. Mr. R. Dick, through whose instrumentality the station was first started, occupied the chair, and the Revs. A. M. Wilson, Airdrie, H. Riddell, Glasgow, and D. Drummond, Bellshill, addressed the meeting. The E. U. movement here presents a most cheering aspect at present. This is the second church which has been organized through the instrumentality of the E. U. Home Mission since the last Conference. The other church, to which we refer, is in Aberdeen. It is now self-sustaining, and, we understand, in a very flourishing condition. This new organization in Aberdeen, will not only strengthen the E. U. cause in the city, but also tend to give stability to the movement in the north generally.

DALBEATTIE.—The committee have once and again sent their evangelist, Mr. Salmon, into this locality, and now, as the results of previous efforts, a station has been regularly opened, and is at present supplied by a regular student. Moreover, the station is self-sustaining, and the whole district seems white to the harvest. The people are waking up to the importance of those great gospel doctrines, to defend and diffuse which the Evangelical Union was organized.

MURKIRK.—This place was visited some time ago by a deputation from the mission, and arrangements were made for a series of meetings, which were conducted by the Rev. R. Steel Dalry. Since the meetings, the station has been supplied by students. It is at present self-sustaining, and, so far as we can see, the cause presents an encouraging appearance in the mean time. The attendance is good—the friends are being drawn together, and the truth is beginning to tell on some hitherto careless and indifferent in respect to religion.

KILWINNING.—After completing the appointments of the committee in reference to evangelistic work in Cupar-Angus and Blairgowrie, in April, the Rev. T. G. Salmon opened a series of meetings in this place, on the first Sabbath of the current month. The meetings were to extend over three Sabbaths, but the interest so steadily increased both in the congregation and the public, that the brethren besought the committee to prolong Mr. Salmon's stay among them at least two Sabbaths longer. This request was agreed to, and the meetings still continue to go on prosperously in Kilwinning.

The Editor of the *Christian Times* is issuing along with his paper, carte de visite portraits of Evangelical Union clergymen. We have already received cartes de visite portraits of Professor Morison, Rev. Robert Morison of Bathgate, and are much pleased with them.