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## British and Foreign.

THE Rev. John K. Campbell, D.D., of Stirling, has a book of travels in the press.

MR. JOHN MORLEY, M.P., is to preside at the annual meeting of the United Kingdom Alliance in Manchester on October 27.

THE Rev. Dr. Donald Fraser has been on a visit to Inverness, where he was once a minister, and preached for the Rev. Dr. Black.

THE English Presbyterian Church has more medical missionaries in proportion to its total missionary staff than any other body.

ROSLIN chapel, which is merely the choir of an intended church, is calculated to have cost in the money value of to-day \$2,000,000.

THE Rev. Dr. Murphy, of Elmwood, has gone to attend the Synod of the Waldensian Church, as a deputy from the General Assembly.

THE Rev. Mr. Adams, of Bethesda, North Wales, has won the Eisteddfod prize of \$25 and a silver crown for a poem on Oliver Cromwell.

THE death is announced of Nakamura Masanao, the Japanese Christian philosopher, who aided the translators of the Bible into Japanese.

THE Rev. A. D. Sloan, M.A., B.D., of Hope Park Church, St. Andrews, will take charge of the Church at San Remo during November, December and January.

THE Rev. Joseph Lamont, of Snizort, opened the Highland League Conference at Dingwall with prayer, as has been the custom since these Conferences began.

THE Rev. A. M. Smith, M.A., minister of Saffronhall United Presbyterian Church, Hamilton, received a unanimous call to Trinity Presbyterian Church, Sunderland.

THE Pope, by a concordat with Portugal, 1886, assigns to Portuguese prelates in India the appointment of Roman Catholic chaplains to British troops in the south of India.

AT the Welsh Eisteddfod at Swansea the Rev. T. M. Jones, Penmachno, was awarded a prize of \$50 for the best essay on "The Welsh newspapers and periodicals; their history and their influence on the life of the nation."

OVER \$4,600 has been subscribed for the monument intended to be erected in St. Giles to the Covenanted martyr, the Marquis of Argyll, as a set-off to the gorgeous memorial therein of the Marquis of Montrose.

A NEW peal of bells has been erected in St. Giles, Edinburgh, the last having proved too light. This consists of thirteen bells attuned in A flat, the largest weighing about three hundred weight.

LORD PRESIDENT INGLIS, who died recently in his eighty-first year, was the son of Rev. Dr. Inglis, of Old Greyfriars, Edinburgh, an elder in St. Giles, and attended to the duties till his strength failed.

AT a special meeting of the Darlington Presbytery held in Hull, the Rev. George Moody, having accepted the call addressed to him by the congregation of Buncrana, in the Presbytery of Derry, was loosed from his charge at Harrogate.

THE Lord Mayor of London and party, who visited Glasgow lately to enquire into the water supply in view of improving that of the metropolis, inspected the cathedral, where they were received by Dr. Burns in his academic robes.

THE Rev. Dr. William M. Taylor, of New York, preached recently in Mr. Kirkwood's pulpit at Troon. The collection exceeded \$650. The following Sabbath Dr. Taylor preached in Free St. Matthews Church, Glasgow, to Dr. Stalker's congregation.

SPECIAL services were held in the Bilton United Presbyterian Church recently in honour of its centenary as a congregation. The preachers were Rev. Fergus Ferguson, D.D., Queen's Park U. P. Church, Glasgow, and Rev. James A. Adam, the pastor of the Church.

THE Rev. Malcolm Smith, of the United Presbyterian Church, Hawick, was drowned in the presence of his wife while bathing at Spittal Beach. The body was afterwards recovered. Mr. and Mrs. Smith, who had only recently been married, were on their holidays.

A RUSSIAN naval lieutenant relates in the *Cronstadt Vestnik* that the whole of the Japanese aristocracy are strongly inclined towards the Protestant form of religion, and that they only wait for the Mikado to change his religion in order to follow his example.

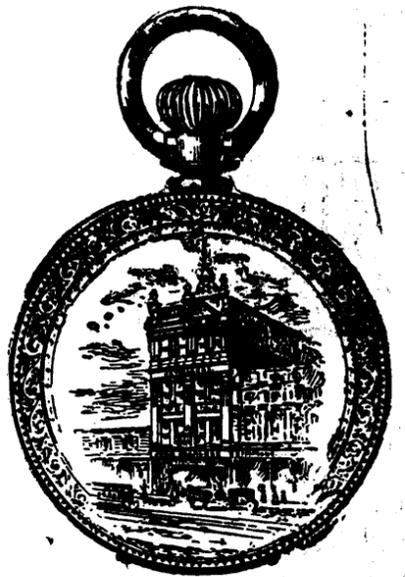
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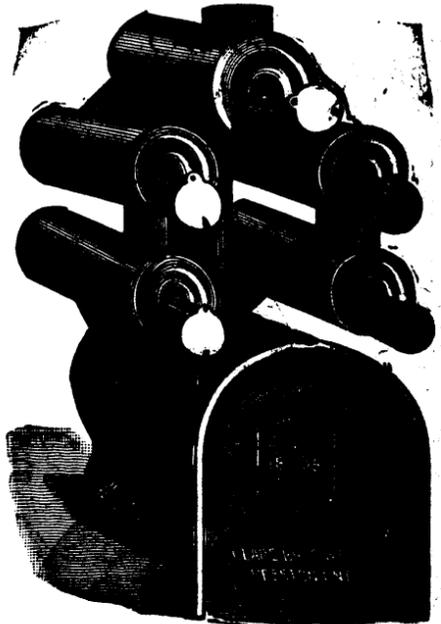
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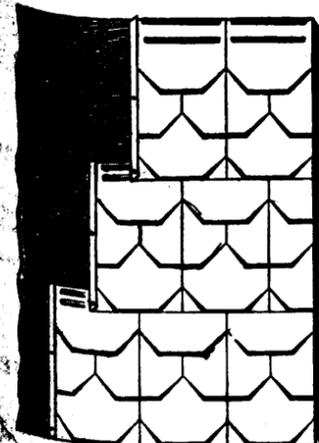
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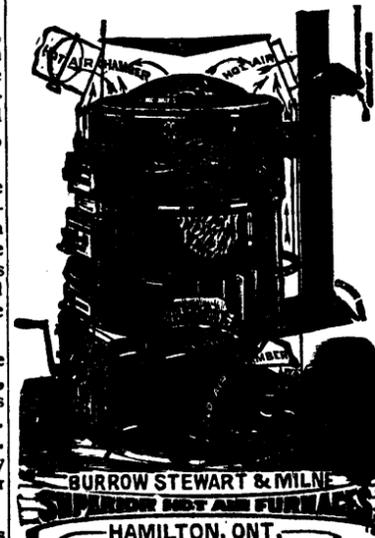
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