

ciated by those for whose use it was intended. The meeting was subsequently addressed by the various ministers present, who were listened to with marked attention. The evening's entertainment was greatly enhanced by the presence of the choir, who performed a varied selection of music, accompanied by the organ. During the interval services of fruit were handed round by the stewards. The usual votes of thanks having been passed, the meeting broke up at a late hour.—*Christian Times of Sept. 17.*

CALL ACCEPTED.—Mr. Alex. Stewart, student of the Evangelical Union Theological Academy, Glasgow, has received and accepted a call to the pastorate of the Second E. U. Church, Aberdeen.

NEW EVANGELICAL UNION CHURCH.—The foundation-stone of the new place of worship, building in Nelson Street for the Evangelical Union Congregation, at present worshipping in their old church Sir Michael Street, was laid yesterday in presence of a large assemblage of the members and friends, by the esteemed pastor of the congregation—the Rev. Mr. Davidson.

This new place of worship is built in the Gothic style, on the plans of Mr. McLellan, of the Master of Works Office, Greenock. It will be seated for 800 persons, having a gallery all round, and a large school-room beneath. Behind the pulpit there will be a recess for an organ, and altogether it will be a neat, handsome, and comfortable building, the contractors for which are Messrs. Purdie and M'Whirter, masons; Crawford & Fulton, joiners; Shanks, plumber; and Swan, slater, all of Greenock. It was commenced at the end of last month, and the walls are now up above the school-room to the window-sills of the church. It is expected that the mason work will be finished by December.

Shortly after four o'clock, the Rev. Mr. Davidson took his place on the platform. He was accompanied by the Rev. John Guthrie, London; Revs. Fergus Ferguson, Glasgow; Professor Taylor, Kindal, A. M. Wilson, Airdrie; R. Hood, Glasgow; R. Mitchell, Glasgow; R. Hunter, Forres; and A. Nairn, Thornhill; and by the office-bearers and some of the more important members of the church. After singing from the 13th to the 18th verses of the 132nd Psalm, and an impressive prayer having been offered up by the Rev. Mr. Guthrie,

The Rev. Mr. Davidson proceeded to the important work assigned to him. He first of all placed in the cavity a box containing the denominational documents and reviews, communion laws, &c., connected with the Evangelical Union, besides copies of the Greenock and Glasgow daily newspapers, likenesses of the Rev. Mr. Guthrie and himself, with the names of the elders, and office-bearers, and contractors. The stone having been laid in the usual manner, and Mr. Davidson having pronounced the work duly finished to his satisfaction, mounted the stone and addressed the assemblage. During the course of a long and excellent speech he stated that this meeting gave him extreme pleasure, not only at seeing so many friends around him, but at the object for which they met, the ceremony of laying the foundation stone of a new place of worship.—*Glasgow paper of Sept. 27.*