it. It was fitting, and a source of deep satisfaction to him, that his Presidency coincided with The Society's centenary in 1965. As well as carrying through the events of the centenary year itself, he was instrumental in establishing the Lectureship from which we still all benefit.

A keen admirer of Dr Robert Lee, his predecessor in Old Greyfriars a century before, Stuart sought throughout his ministry in Edinburgh to sustain a tradition of worship both Reformed and catholic. As his successor in Greyfriars, now broadened still further liturgically by its Gaelic worship since the union with Highland Tolbooth St John's, I found him an unfailing source of wisdom, kindness and encouragement. The attendance at his funeral, the day before our Resurrection celebration, was a measure of the high esteem in which he was held throughout the Church and of the extent to which his lengthy ministry was valued.

David Beckett

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## CONGRATULATIONS

As we went to press it was announced that Her Majesty the Queen had graciously been pleased to appoint two of our Honorary Presidents,  ${\sf T}$ 

The Revd A Stewart Todd, MA, BD, DD (Minister of St Machar's Cathedral, Aberdeen), and

The Revd Charles Robertson, MA JP (Minister of the Canongate Kirk, Edinburgh) as Chaplain's in Ordinary to Her Majesty's Household in Scotland - Ecclesiastical.

We were remiss in not congratulating two other members of The Society: The Very Revd W J Morris, DD, PhD, LLD, JP (Minister of Glasgow Cathedral) on his recent appointment as Dean of the Chapel Royal and: The Very Revd G I Macmillan, MA, BD (Minister of the High Kirk [St Giles' Cathedral], Edinburgh, on his appointment - some time ago! - as Dean of the Order of the Thistle.

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