

TITLE.:- CULLODEN COLOURS.

Picture. :- 185 years ago the Stewarts of Appin and Barrell's Regiment were opposed at Culloden in one of the fiercest episodes in

Scottish history. .... Today, the colours of the opposing forces are to be deposited side-by-side in the Scottish National War Memorial at Edinburgh Castle. .... The ceremony takes place in the Crown Square, where the Very Reverend Charles Warre, Dean of the Thistle, delivers an address which closes with the words -- as the Colours are marched

into the Shrine -- "In this hallowed memorial, before which we stand, these colours, once arrayed against each other on a field of bloody carnage, return to find here, at the very heart of Scotland, a common resting place" .... Truly beautiful words carrying a message of goodwill, not only to the Scottish nation, but to the whole world.

Most ceremonies of recent years in the Crown Square, have been in connection with the late War,

but Scotland's memory is longer than that and today's ceremony closes a long-open book !