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The Wickedest Street in New York, and the Baxter-street Chapel--Our Foremost Woman -- Whitaker, the the Yorkshire Temperance Preacher .- The Church Temperance Organization -- New Art Journal.

[Special Letter to the ADVOCATE.] NEW YORK, Jan. 1, 1875.

I have at least fifty thousand New Year's calls to make before I sleepand "find" myself. The refreshments at our office are plain, but stimulating. By which I don't mean, as you might suppose, that the liquor is taken "straight." On the contrary, it isn't taken at all. "For we [correspondents] without it can be merry; cold water makes us happy, very"—when we see it "marching on." After wishing you all a compliment of fifty thousand shire Gough I mentioned the other and then an idea of

THE BAXTER STREET BIBLE WO-MAN.

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On the whole, I believe I will Baxter street one evening, lately. It is the worst street in New York, and always was. Its buildings are old, dilapidated, patched, and devoted to purposes nefarious and disgusting. They are piled on every inch of ground, several or more deep laterally and vertically, behind each other, on top of each other, between each other, and under the whole. The street grade has been raised, so that the whole has sunk among mortals, and borrows leave a story or two further into the ground | to be from no human organization than it was originally built. The or authority. She is wonderfully low, narrow, twisting, up and down | alone in her work. Its seemingly passages that permeate the pile remind me of the labyrinthine holes in a thoroughly worm-eaten log or licited except in prayer. She is cheese. And to carry out the figure, which suits very well, the little boxlike rooms, or cells, with which the whole is honey-combed, are black with swarms of degraded human ness unless responsible persons come creatures, like nothing so much as the crevices of a neglected bedstead. of a temperance boarding-house Like the buildings, the inhabitants and chapel. may be said to be piled in. If some panic were to empty all those holes at once, I believe the street could not hold the crowd, but that many would stick inside, choking the passages. They are a perfect promiscuous herd, as to sex, color, nationality, everything, except morals. In the latter respect, they are perfectly homogeneous. A majority of the men are colored sailors. Every number on the street contains one or more boarding houses, rum and gambling holes for them, trebly polluted with omnipresent female furniture, and-as if all this were not yet sickening enough -the latter mostly white. But enough of Baxter street. I went to see the

BAR-ROOM CHAPEL

who there lives, prays, preaches, sings and toils alone, in Belial's lowest hell on earth. Finding No. 42 Baxter street, I next found my

here and there a cheap print. A few negroes were lounging about, and one of them civilly consented to look for Mrs. Doolittle. An unmistakable lady, though not in fashionable attire, soon appeared. In her face were blended lines of weariness with a light of enthusiasm, and her large, melodious voice mingled pathos and intensity in every tone. She claimed, or rather took at once and without ceremony, my assistance. "You will conduct our meeting; you love Jesus, I know." (she had never seen or heard of me before, and I might have been an infidel) and away she went for her hat, without | up the refrain along the street. awaiting a word, to go out and gather in her congregation. Having first set the idle negroes to singing (so to speak) she led the way to the street, and through the most singular exploring tour in which it was ever my fortune to participate. We plunged into the labyrinths, threading dark, tortuous passages, up and down, underground and overhead, in and out of bar-rooms and boarding-houses, crammed with boys and girls, thick with fumes of vile drink and tobacco. every step, and almost every person, perfectly familiar to my guide, who greeted most of them by name with kind, cheery, often humorous or funny words, in her rich, warm voice. Bearing herself with absolute courage and consummate tact, greeting everybody as a friend, letting her sunny light fall unconsciously on the evil as on the goodbut pleading importunately with every one to go to her meetingshe was treated with marked gentleness invariably by the roughest of the outcasts, who rarely declined her invitation, but sought to put her off with fair promises to come in a few minutes. But she would not be put off. She held on by the arm, and wrestled in persuasion as one determined to prevail, and who could not be denied. In fine, she had morally forced some two score New Years—or one a piece—I wish negroes and a few of the white feto give you an idea of that York- males into her chapel. Besides, there were a few "seals of her min day, and whom I have since heard; | istry" present, of both sexes, who assisted effectively in singing, and gave their experiences both of sin and salvation in terms of touching simplicity, such as cast no doubt on take her first. I went down to the Divine reality of the miracle. Most of the saved, however, as well as of the lost, are quickly dispersed on the ocean. Two of those who spoke mentioned their ships and were to be off about to-morrow, and desiring to exchange a pledge of mutual prayers with those left be-

> hind. I called it her chapel and her meeting, and, humanly speaking, that is but just. It is nobody else's precarious support comes in sporadic and irregular donations, unsonow very anxious to secure the lease of her "chapel," which falls in next May, and will again be converted into a hold of rum and lewdforward to secure it for her purpose

OUR FRIEND FROM YORKSHIRE, Thomas Whitaker, is an original and a humorist. He makes no effort, unless when he restrains the drollery, which seems to exude or exhale from him involuntarily. His materials are simple and toils enough for a much less intellectual audience than is easily gathered in our United States. But they are merely a very meagre skeleton for supporting a redundant bulk of wit, humor, episode, and comedy "business," besides an unfailing and irrepressible vein of gospel. He is the first funny preacher I have heard who did not make the impression of a trifler in sacred things, or of one who failed to appreciate their momentous solemnity. And-pace the funny preachers and their popand the matchless lady crusader ularity-I have an impression the difference is simply that he is not a trifler.

To show how lightly he leads his audience, I will give you the text way up stairs into a large front and "heads" of his discourse in room, in which the bottle shelves Brooklyn. He said that the first were still on the wall, though the temperance meeting he attended in bar had been cleared away, and St. Giles' (the Five Points of Lonwooden settees half covered the don-though he said our Five were hanging rolls of hymns, and quired the way to the place of a preachers elected elders, James H. the decision of the validity of the that building.

little girl, who thus directed him: Johnson, Winfred Spence, Milton plan of separation by the Supreme "It's a little higher up—on the right side—through an iron gate next door to a sweet-shop." Under these heads he proceeded, much at his leisure and case-between the peals of laughter that burst at every flash, like the explosions of a lively thunder-storm-to define "teetotalism." Each item of the little girl's direction, in turn, was made a catchword or chorus to a series of witty illustrations, chiming in at every close in the greatest variety of comic or pathetic modulations, until the very children as they went out, were heard keeping THE TEMPERANCE BROTHERHOOD

OF CHURCHES, now fully organized in Brooklyn, adds another to the long catalogue of organizations, or "denominations," in temperance, under which its many friends "of many minds" contend. The present idea is, that it is time for temperance to be a more distinctively religious or church work, relying on supernatural power and spiritual regeneration of the individual. The outside efforts of mere moralists, it is held, will not be weakened by this separation, but will be immeasurably more enforced, as the mighty effect of the Prayer Crusade has proved. After many abortive enterprises,

we have at last an

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The Outlook.

TEXAS METRODISM. THE tone of the letters we have received from the preachers in Texas is cheering. They look hopefully on the prospects of success in their several fields the coming year. Just entering on their work and embarrassed by the inclement weather, yet they anticipate a year of revival influence. Several have furnished data, which we give our readers. Some of the reports of conferences have been delayed, undoubtedly by stress of weather, and others have been delayed by changes in office. We wish the ADVOCATE to represent every portion of the great field Texas is

WE are indebted to Bro. E. T. Boone, secretary of the East Texas Conference, for a brief summary of its proceedings. We had received the appointments from Bishop

Keener: "The thirtieth session of the East Texas Conference was held in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, in the town of Marshall, beginning Dec. 9, and closing Dec. 14, 1874, Bishop J. C. Keener, D.D., presiding. Admitted on trial, Napoleon T. Burks, Milton H. Jones ; remaining on trial, Stephen admitted into full connection, Wm. M. Bond, B. A. Thomasson, James N. Bridges, R. C. Armstrong, Joseph M. Blanton; re-admitted, R. M. Kirby; received by transfer, R. W. Thompson, Samuel Morris, Joshua Miller, J. W. Johnson, R. S. Harris, Junius P. Walker, Lacy Boone; deacons of one year, Wm. H. Willey, Wm. N. Bonner; traveling preachers elected and ordained deacons, Stephen W. Turner, B. A. local preachers elected deacons, Joseph H. Price, Francis A. Crager, Benjamin J. Ball, Joseph W. Beathard; Green Y. Chambliss

Johnson, Milton H. Jones, Daniel experience?" C. Neal; located at their own request, A. D. Parks, John W. Broxson; supernumerary, I. W. Overall, E. L. Armstrong, J. R. Middleton, S. K. Stovall, Wm. N. Bonner; superannuated, J. B. Tullis, Neill Brown; died, J. W. Mills; local preachers, 106; white members, 10,970; colored, 101; Sunday-schools. 59; officers and teachers, 349; scholars, 2,574; volumes in library, 5,842; raised for claimants, \$830 23; for bishops' fund, \$278 41. The charges reported for missions, \$962 and some cents. The money did not count as reported. Loss about \$200. Anniversary, \$350. Next session at Carthage.'

REV. O. A. FISHER, secretary of the West Texas Conference, sends us the following items of interest secured at its late session :

"The West Texas Conference held its sixteenth session at Gonfrom Weatherford, Bishop Keener took his place and preached and Vidaurri, Doroteo Garcia and Felipe N. Cordova. The three latter, native Mexicans. Two were received by transfer-Henry W. Sourth, from North Texas, and E. H. Holbrook, from Texas Conference. White members, 4,520; last year, 3,854; colored, 12; last year, 37; local preachers, 62; last year, 45; baptized, adults, 439; last year, 197; infants, 344; last year, 216; Sunday-schools, 48; last year, 47 teachers, 297; last year, 304; scholars, 1,768; last year, 1,621; necessary for claimants, \$800 00; January number, is already out-a cellected, \$516 30; collected last year, \$497 45; collected for mis-

Antonio.

WE hear that the Swedish Methodist missions in New York and Brooklyn were hardly ever more though so many have removed from the congregations in consequence of the bard times. The children of the Swedes are taught in English in their Brooklyn, New York, Sundayschool, and pastor Errickson is a capital help in teaching them to sing. The Swedes, like the Germans, all sing.

Ir the spirit of the following. which we find in the New York Methodist, controlled the Northern Methodist press, a genuine fraternity would not be far off: It says :-"Our litigation with the Southern Methodists in Tennessee has ended in a denial of our claim to the property in Greenville and Johnson pendent, George S. Merriam, says : The Supreme Court of the State has decided that the title of the Southern trustees, under the We have forewarned our brethren in East Tennessee that this would the establishment of peace we should have made satisfactory terms with the owners, and especially with the bond is as weak as pack-thread. The also gone to Australia. court, in explicit terms, affirmed the Thomasson, Joseph M. Blanton; binding force of article 9, of the plan

H. Jones, George M. Hopper, W. | Court of the United States, why go R. W. Kyle, J. P. Huddleston, J. to law and try to upset it? Are we F. Pipkin; ordained, James H. never to learn wisdom from our past of the American Bible Union.

PRESTYPRRIAN.

REV. J. N. COOMBS, formerly member of the Baltimore Methodist Episcopal Conference, committed suicide recently.

THE receipts for foreign missions during seven months to Dec. 1, are \$40,180 less than for the same time last year, and \$25,000 less than Dec. 1, 1872, when the financial year was closed with a debt of \$128,000. Help is needed.

THE Presbytery of New York, at its recent session, voted unanimously to adopt the overture sent down by the last General Assembly, concerning what is known as "rotation" in the session-that is in favor of a rotary eldership.

THE New York Presbytery voted unanimously in favor of the principle of "rotary eldership."

It is said that of the 111 Presbyterian Churches erected on Manzales, Dec. 2-7, 1874. Bishop Mc- hattan Island since its first settle-Tyeire having been called home ment, only 46 are now used as places of public worship. In many instances the congregations have presided to the delight of all. Five disbanded. There are now on the were admitted on trial-Charles island 15,494 Presbyterian commu-Thomas, A. G. Nolen, Fermin bicants, showing a Presbyterian population of from 50,000 to 60,000.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.

In the short space of twelve thousand communicants.

SOUTHERN PRESENTERIAN.

THE Rev. M. Howard, formerly sions, \$1,184 15; last year, in charge of the Seventh Church, IT is estimated that 120 new \$979 47. The vote on the new of Indianapolis, Indiana, has been Lutherun churches have been built rule stood yeas, 18; nays, 19. Next laboring the past year in Lexington | the past year-adding at least half than 1,000 conversions are reported the denomination. as the result of his labor.

Presbyterian Churches, North and dinavians in America: four Nor-South, to consult concerning the es- | wegian, three Swedish and one Danfully attended than at this time, tablishment of fraternal relations, ish. These have 317 ministers, 967 met for this purpose in Baltimore, congregations and 109,443 mem-January 7.

> THE Presbyterian pastors of Philadelphia have shown their wisdom in resolving to try to get some one religious newspaper established as a their care.

CONGREGATIONAL.

tional Churches in Portland, Mich., have obtained from the Presbytery and the Grand River Conference a committee to sid them in effecting a union of the two churches. A CORRESPONDENT of the Inde-

"When the Oberlin Council, in 1871, wrote Evangelical in place of Calvinistic, as the designating term plan of separation, is valid, and that for the common belief of the our possession is contrary to law. churches, it recognized the fact that Calvinism is no longer a necessary part of Congregationalism. There be the inevitable result. Their is no longer anything to hinder temporary possession during the war our Methodist brethren, with on the invitation of loyal congrega- | their free-will theology, from entertions, was reasonable enough. On ing into the closest church relations with Congregationalism."

FRIENDS.

A NUMBER of the members of the Southern General Conference as different societies of Friends in W. Turner and E. T. Brashear; the patron, or surrendered posses- America are traveling through Engsion. We have done neither, and land, holding religious services. A. Moore, James R. Wages, James | now must endure the mortification | Hannah Hall, of Ohio, and Hannah of being ousted by legal process. A Cope, of Philadelphia, Primitive decision in our favor would have Friends, have, since last July, visbeen a great misfortune to us; for ited England, Scotland, Isle of Man the validity of our peculiar trust and the Orkneys, and are now on bishops make the following appeal the uses of the patron against all faith, have been well attended. A

REFORMED DUTCH.

Windsor; traveling preachers elect- up by the Methodist Episcopal ters in Hertzog Hall, which will be wants to. ed and ordained elders, Marion Church, as far as this resolution can occupied as an oratory for the THE Catholic clergy in Ireland bare and broken floor. On the walls Points were nothing to it) he in- Donegan, John W. Johnson; local be of force in the premises.' After domestic worship of the inmates of are trying to get the liquor shops

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BAPTIST.

THE Rev. Dr. Backus has accepted the position of financial secretary

THE Rev. Mr. Gordon, of Boston, has introduced responsive worship. The order of service is printed and a worshiper of fair intelligence and a liberal education would be able to follow it. Responsive worship, alternate reading, sitting, standing and "bowing," whatever that may mean, are among the rules.

THE net gain of the thirty-four Baptist Churches of Boston, the past year was 317, making the present total Baptist membership of the city 10,022.

THE Western Baptist Educational Union has purchased a large hotel at St. Joseph, Mo., with the purpose of establishing a university of the highest grade under the control of the Baptist denomination. The articles of incorporation place

the endowment fund at \$300,000

with power to increase to \$1,000,-

FREE BAPTIST.

THE Rev. J. Hyatt Smith, of Brooklyn, N. Y., recently sent the young men of his congregation into the saloons inviting the loungers to his church the following Sunday. A Brooklyn paper describing the meeting, says: "The sidewalk in front of the church was found covered with stumps of the cigars the young men had smoked as far as months, some thirty clergymen and the doors. And such a sermon! twenty-five parishes have joined Mr. Smith was preaching before no Bishop Cummins' movement. Of gospel-hardened audience, but to a the parishes, five are in Illinois, crowd of thoughtless young people four in New York, four in Pennsyl- at the very forks of the road to vania, one in Virginia, one in Ken- heaven and hell. He preached for tucky, one in Washington, two in life, for salvation-and the Spirit Missouri, one in Maryland, and one was with him. Many conversions in New Jersey, and others in Cana- resulted then and there, and all da, all representing about three went away subdued and thoughtful." Dr. H. M. Scudder has undertaken a similar work in his own church.

Presbytery, Virginia, and more a million dollars to the property of

THERE are at present eight dif-THE committees appointed by the ferent Synods among the Scan-

MISCELLANEOUS.

In exchange for Messrs. Moody and Sankey, Great Britain sends one of her most noted revival regular visitor in every family under workers across the ocean to us-Henry Varley, now laboring in Canada. For several weeks, Tor-THE Presbyterian and Congrega- onto has been moved under his preaching as never before. Nearly all the ministers of all denominations have rallied around him with cordial support. Immense audiences, numbering about 4,000, have packed the largest church in the city, and sometimes two churches have been filled at once. At one time 4,000 young men filled the Metropolitan Church, of whom 300 professed conversion. Mr. Varley is able to instruct and move an audience in a wonderful degree. He seldom appeals to mere emotion; his preaching is chiefly directed to the understanding, and he is literally "mighty in the Scriptures." His favorite themes are the substitution of Christ, the death and resurrection of the soul in Him, and the privilege and duty of assurance. He preaches the second coming of Christ with great enthusiasm. He is now laboring in Hamilton, and may yet be induced to come to the United States.

CATHOLIC.

In their late pastoral, the Irish deed is of more importance than a their way to France. Their meet- in behalf of the Pope to the symfew churches, more or less. If our ings, which were chiefly for the ben- pathies of the generous Irish. They deed does not secure each church to efit of persons not of their own pay a poor compliment to their intelligence: "Our most Holy contestants, then our connectional delegation of American Friends has Father, Pope Pius IX., now for more than four years suffers a painful imprisonment within the walls THE Gardiner A. Sage Library, of the Vatican, and looking out of separation adopted in 1844. That of the Theological Seminary at thence over the world, like Noah article reads: 'All the property of New Brunswick, N. J., is finished. over the troubled waters of the Dethe Methodist Episcopal Church, in The building is of fine brick with luge, he can discern no signs of meeting houses, parsonages, colleges, light-colored stone trimmings, in abatement in the angry tempest from M. P. Church recognized as schools, conference funds, cemete- the Italian style of architecture, that has been unchained against a deacon; ordained, Benjamin J. ries, and of every kind within the and capable of containing 100,000 the church." That imprisonment Ball, Joseph W. Beathard, James limit of Southern organization, shall volumes. The present library will is merely a little fiction. The Pope C. Walker, John E. Surratt, Martin be forever free from any claim set soon be removed from its old quar- stays in the Vatican because he

closed on Sundays.

Christian Advocate greens in the garden."

ISAAC G. JOHN, EDITOR.

GALVESTON, TEXAS, JAN. 16, '75

The Samily Circle.

IN THE SWING.

Baby and I Are going to swing; Boys, come and push as! That's just the thing! Now we go up! Now we go down!

Up in the apple tree— Down to the ground, Dear little head Lies on my breast, Trusting and safe
As a bird in its nest.

No matter how swiftly, How low or how high, We're pleasantly swinging-Baby and I!

PRAYER.

BY S. L. G.

Oh! Lord, when we pray, Teach us what to say : Teach us how we may Ask and receive, oh! God.

Lord, Thy Spirit send ; Oh! be Thon our friend; In our nature blend And be our life, oh! God.

May we feel Thee near, Our Savior, ever dear ; Hope, trust, faith; no fear, But confidence, oh! God.

Oh! Lord, send the day, When Thy servants may With gratitude say: "Be done Thy will, oh! God."

Manthy's Sewing Machine.

"Don't tell me there's any good in 'em ; I hate 'em ;" said widow Lane, viciously. "They wouldn't, nary a one o' them turn over a finger to help us poor uns; I've seen it in so many cases. And there's Miss Wells owes my Manthy nigh on fifty dollars, and has owed her all summer, the wicked, selfish thing. Did that make any difference with her trip to the wateringplace, I wonder? No, but my poor Manthy couldn't just get a week off to go over to Lynn where her cousin lives for want of that money."

"But my dear Mrs. Lane, all the rich are not heartless."

"I tell you they are, every mother's child of 'em. It stands to reason: They never have to ask, why can't I have this, or that? Suppose they see things in the shop windows; they don't have to stand and stare, and long for them; no, resting. there's the money right to hand. 1 "O, but they're tiresome things," tell you, I don't wonder they are said Floss. selfish; I should like to see one, just one real rich person who could do a kind and generous deed; that I would."

Mrs. Sampson unrolled some plain sewing; knowing how bitter the widow was on that subject, she forebore to argue with her, but instead, instructed her how various little articles of snowy flannel were to be made, and promised her a liberal price for her work.

"That's jest like you, Mrs. Sampson. Now I know you ain't rich, but you never jew poor folks down. There's Mrs. Sturgis on the hill; it makes me ache to see her count out money, and she's got her thousands in bank. O well, this is the world, and t'other's the country; I suppose we shall git through somehow, and then we'll see if there's anything better for us."

Mrs. Sampson smiled, said she hoped there was, and the two women parted. Widow Lane tidied up her little parlor, and then went out into the still smaller kitchen to see about the frugal dinner.

On the other side of the narrow entry, was the room given up to Samantha Lane. Samantha was the only dressmaker in the village. Her little sign shown grandly in its gilt lettering under the porch of the cottage door, with the vines clustering about it. Samantha was a pretty girl, but pale and overworked. Ever since the death of her father she had toiled late and early, and had just succeeded in paying the mortgage that was left upon the very humble cottage. Her efforts were now directed towards the accomplishment of another darling wish. She had seen in town just the sewing machine she coveted. With this wonderful little helper in the house, she had no doubt but that she should in time grow rich. Meantime, she was stitching the roses from her cheeks, and almost the life from her heart. There she sat in the pleasant room. the blinds half open, the sweet roses budding in clusters, and the wisteria blossoming into the very window, with heaps of cloth and calico on every side, intent upon turning them all into that wonderful sewing machine.

Presently the widow called her

to dinner. "I thought I wouldn't get any

beef steak more than she did a sew- she was rich." - Exchange. ing machine.

It was a nice little dinner, and the widow and her daughter grew quite chatty over it.

"When I get the machine," said Samantha, "I shall have a little time to attend to the garden. I've got just twenty dollars more to make up."

"Twenty dollars! dear me; and the heft of the work coming with the heat of summer!" exclaimed her mother.

"Never mind; I shall have a large order, maybe, from Colonel Stone's daughter, if this work suits her."

"Yes, maybe; but don't trust no rich ones, Manthy; there's that debt owing you which you may have to sing for; and she is rich." "Well, that money's all spoken for, any way," laughed Manthy; "I

couldn't buy a machine with it if I

had it." Pretty, bright, dainty Floss Stone came over to the widow's on the following day. How very, very beautiful she was, standing there in the lowly doorway! Manthy could hardly keep her eyes from that gen-

wonderous bloom. "I was going by, Miss Lane, and I thought I'd give you a call. How does the dress get on?"

"Bravely," said Samantha, with her honest smile, "I do hope it will suit you."

"Why, its as pretty as a picture; what fine taste you have, Miss Lane; but you look tired and heat-

"Sewing on this trimming is rather nervous work," said Samantha, trying to laugh, but breaking out into a sigh instead, "and I believe I am tired."

Another moment, and Floss had dexterously transferred the work from Mantha's weary fingers to her own, and insisted that the little dressmaker should sit back in her chair and rest. The widow, going by the window, declared to herself that she was "stuck all of a heap" to see that pretty, rich little aristocrat, working away for dear life and her Manthy resting!

" I should think you would have sewing machine," said Floss, brightly.

"I mean to; that's what I'm working for," replied the little dressmaker, as much astonished as her mother had been to find herself

"I don't think one would be tiresome to me," said Manthy. "Well! now I think of it!" cried Fioss, letting her work fall. "How stupid of me, to be sure !"

"What is stupid?" "That I forgot all about mine. Why, you must know that I drew a machine at one of the Boston fairs last winter. It's a beautiful thing, and easy enough, I suppose, for one who has patience; but that's

not me. You shall have it." Manthy made a sudden exclamation, and sat straight up in her chair.

" You know I could buy it, perhaps, if you would sell it.'

"Sell it!" cried Floss, with a musical little laugh; "why I never sold anything in my life. I wouldn't be so mean as to sell it, either, when it cost me almost nothing. No, you shall have it; what do I want of a sewing machine? mamma has one. The worst of it is, it's in town, and will take almost a week you know, when we came out here

for the summer." It struck Manthy, suddenly, that she could smell the opening rosewas blue, every bit of it. Never before had the trill of the birds sounded so sweetly.

"And so you shall have it." laughed Floss, "just for thank you." "But I shall make all your

dresses for nothing." "No you shan't; you shall charge your usual price, and I won't allow anything for favor."

Floss was gone, but her dainty little figure floated yet before Manthy's eyes. The widow came in, surprised to see her diligent daughter seated at the window, toying with the vines that crept in.

"How beautiful everything is, mother!" said Manthy, her eyes full of grateful tears. "You shall have a silk dress next winter, dear, and a new bonnet; for Floss Stone, the Colonel's daughter, has made me a present of a splendid sewing Sabbath day. Though sinner entices Honor," said a young Providence machine."

"What! given it to you, Man-

"Yes, dear, given it to me; you won't say anything more against are plenty of them doing good all the time.'

some potatoes, and found some rich or poor, a certain little whirring sound across the ball checked the "That's right, mother; it's a unpleasant comment, and she told duty to God is to obey His comnice little dinner," responded instead the story of Floss Stone, Manthy, who needed a good cut of "the sweetest girl in the world, if

Belle's Helper.

"Do? Why I shall find out what "What can you do, Belle? Two cents won't amount to anything, and

mamma is not rich enough to give." "Two cents will do to begin with, and may be mamma will put two more; and at any rate, if I try, and try, I guess I shall be helped."

"You mean God will help?" "Well, yes; because Cress Morman, you know, was good, and now that he is dead, and his wife is sick, think somehow or another the

little children will be helped." "Some big person might do it,

but not you. "Not me? not me?" Belle almost forgot little Gay at her side as she stood looking out at the drifting snow and remembered that Meg Dobbins had said that morning, "Cress Morman is dead, and his wife is sick, and the babies are crying with cold and for food."

"If every girl in the school would give me one cent -but no, they will not, though, perhaps, some with good hearts may keep from buying tle face with its dove's eyes and candy and give me more than one; but even that will not amount to much. Now I know," she thought aloud, "I will try a fair! a real fair; maybe the girls will help make some things, and everybody can come and buy; oh, I shall try a fair."

Mamma shook her head when she heard of it and was not quite sure that it would do; it would take a long while too. But Belle concluded to try. "We will have it in three single weeks from to-day," terest pain, if our will remains firm she said. "Somebody must keep and submissive. Peace in this life them now; I will keep them after- springs from acquiescence even in wards."

Belle went to the girls in school, great and small; to every one she knew in every street of the town; some promised one thing and some promised another.

To friends who lived far away she wrote little notes, and mamma saw them directed and sent on their journey. Some people did not care of mankind .- Fenelon. how much Cress Morman's children wanted food; they were too busy or too poor to help. Some people promised and forgot about it afterward; but for all that, at the end of the three weeks, lots of knicknacks

along; everybody paid a trifle to go in and everybody bought a trifle to take away with them. Belle's fair was the talk of the town, and of course everybody was obliged to, at

least, take a peep at it. Who will wonder that when the fair was over and the proceeds counted it was discovered that the children need cry no more that winter for fuel or for food, because Belle's to pass through this world but once. fair had proved that there was a Helper for the helpless children of I can show, or any good thing I can Cress Morman-a Helper to bring do to my fellow human beings, let great things out of the work of me do it now. Let me not defer God himself was their Helper.

A Mother's Words.

A youth of some eighteen or nineteen years of age sat at an open window, a look of painful perplexity on his face, caused apparently by a letter he held in his hand. After sitting thus for some minutes, he muttered to himself, "Yes, I must go. If I don't, Brown and to get here; I wouldn't bring it on, Smith will be laughing at me, and calling me righteous overmuch; and, after all, there's no great harm in it, for I'll go to church in the mornbuds very plainly, and that the sky the river, and spend the day in the ing, and it's only to be a sail down country." Still he pressed his hand on his forehead for an instant; then, rising hastily, he said, "There is no

use bothering about it; I must go." As he rose, his eye lighted on the setting sun, and as it did so, his whole expression changed, a sweet vet half sad look played on his face; his thoughts were elsewhere; another scene was before his eyes. The dark street had disappeared, and in its stead a neat country cottage had risen. In thought he was there; once more he saw the hills that rose near that cottage home; once more the blue waters of the distant lake glistened before him; once more he sat in the cottage garden with his widowed mother and watched the setting sun; once more that mother's words sounded in his ears: "John, killed by an explosion of kerosene. don't forget God. Remember His thee to break it, consent thou not. lawyer, "I don't believe these facts May the God of the fatherless guide | are true." you; may the Lord Jesus be your Savior!"

the rich people, will you? There he heard these and other words, and open. yet they seemed to sound in his

"Thanks, Brown, for your invitation; but I cannot accept it. My mands; and He has said, 'Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.' Spending the day in idle pleasure is not doing this; and I wish you would think over the subject, and not go yourself."

How great is the influence of a godly mother's words! How wonderful the answers to her earnest prayers!

Omnibus.

COLD-HEARTED Christians have a capital knack at making skeptics. Long, dull prayers, says Talmage, should be cut off at both ends and set on fire in the middle.

It is one of the beautiful compensations of this life that no one can sincerely try to help another without helping himself.

MORALITY without religion is only a kind of dead reckoning-an endeavor to find our place on a cloudy sea by measuring the distance we have run, but without any observation of the heavenly bodies.

HE who can look up to his God with the most believing confidence is sure to look most gently on his fellow-men; while he who shudders to lift his eye to heaven often casts the haughtiest glances on the things of earth.

Convey thy love to thy friend as an arrow to the mark, to stick there, not as a ball against the wall, to rebound back to you. That friendship will not continue to the end, that is begun for an end .- Enchiri-

Peace does not dwell in onward things, but within the soul; we may preserve it in the midst of the bitdisagreeable things, not an exemption from suffering .- Fenelon.

WHEN I think of the vast capacities of the human mind, of God's nearness to it and unbounded love toward it, I am disposed to wonder, not that revelations have been made, but that they have not been more variously vouchsafed to the wants

WHEN we turn away from some duty or some fellow-creature, saying that our hearts are too sick and sore with some great yearning of our own, we may often sever the lines on which a divine message was coming

same time gratifying their passion for glory, so do worthy minds in the domestic way of life, deny themselves many advantages to satisfy a Stationers, Lithographers, Frinters generous benevolence which they bear to their friends oppressed with distresses and calamities:

THAT was a wise man as well as a worthy man who wrote, "I expect If, therefore, there be any kindness hands small as little Belle's-for nor neglect it, for I will not pass this way again."

Waste Basket.

-Shades of night: window curtains.

-A bad policy: one that has run out. -Good bread is often much

kneaded. -A friend indeed is one not in

need. -Many "play the knave" without ever coming to the card table.

-When it comes to point lace all, women can see the point. -Instead of waiting for a change

make one. -Better run in old clothes than run in debt.

-The tomb of Augustus at Rome is to be used for a theatre. The ex-Emperor retains his private box.

-An Iowa justice accepted two bushels of the pungent onion as a marriage fee. -A French milliner conceived

the novel idea of having the ladies wear their hats on their heads. -"You look as if you were be-

side yourself," a said wag to a fellow who stood by a donkey. -- A poet who had expressed a wish to die "amid the grand solitude of the etornal mountain tops," was

-"Now, may it please your

-The troublesome visitor who has been shutting the doors after him Yes, six months had passed since all summer now begins to leave them Hans

-It is singular that mineral ears. Tears filled his eyes; and, waters are only beneficial to the fresh meat, Manthy," said the pru- Mrs. Lane was silent; and, some- rising, he folded his hands and knelt wealthy. We never knew a physident widow; "so I just warmed how, after that, if she was tempted in prayer; then, taking up his pen cian to advise a poor man to go to over that bit of corn beef with to rail at the faults of her neighbors, he wrote thus:—

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Our Old Clergymen.

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One of the saddest sights that we, as Christians, are called to look upon in this sad world is the aged, the infirm, the worn out, the destitute herald of the cross. A man who has devoted the strength of his life to the work of the church, laboring for the good of the world, when he can toil no longer, left to suffer in poverty and want, until from a broken heart, or the wasting decay of time he dies alone, forsaken and apparently friendless. Happy for him that he has that holy "Comforter" to whisper to him of the "house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens." Is there not a crime in this, lying at the door of the church, of every living member, and should warmed the spirit as the first state of the first state of the spirit as the spirit as the first state of the spirit as the not our active minister in the field see to it that these retired warriors, are cared for, provided for? What a sad, gloomy commentary have we here upon the gratitude, the generosity, not to say the justice and honesty of our Methodist family! But perhaps the fault is as much that of lodging."
the ministers as the people. Our loging."
"He's people are not distinctly informed by their pastors of the real condition of our veterans in the army of Christ. If they were, I believe that the justice, and noble generosity of the church would lead to the speedy reliefof the suffering and heart-rending destitution of the cases of "age of bread many a time together." and want."

May we not look to the reports at our next Conference with implicit confidence that the necessity of every such case will be met?

But we cannot wait until next conference in some cases. If we do, it will be too late. Cannot every charge in the bounds of the conference send up at once, in this month of January, from ten to one hundreddollars, to Rev. I. G. John, to be distributed by him at his discretion, among these old champions for the truth-or their widows and orphans? Brethern of the ministry, select your men, or noble women, and lay this appeal hefore them. God will bless hospitality. A pastor's wife was wear; I know the mother will like ers of the poor." Oh! it is better "famishing and ready to die" will

I had written the above, when my noble wife handed me a copy of "Peterson's Magazine," calling my attention to an article entitled "The old clergyman." I send it to you, in the hope that you will publish it, together with what I have written, as it will touch the tendrest cords in every true heart, and be suggestive of duty:

"Who is that old gentleman who is driving up, mother?" asked Lillian, one chilly November day. "I think I have never seen him before."

"I do not know," said the mother. "He looks tired and chiliy. Draw up the easy-chair, and open the draught of the stove a few minutes."

She went to the door, and welcomed the gray-haired man in to her warm fireside, with such a look of real sympathy that his poor heart was cheered and gladdened. After his trembling hands were a little warmed, he made known his errand. He was an old minister, now acting dyspepsia. His food, that day, be- How I wish we could afford a cord clouds about them, which before as an agent for an excellent cause, fore he reached this "blessed pilwould make some contribution to it.

Marion, "when he comes home to his tea. So, please lay off your over

up." Almost bewildered at such unexpected kindness, he hesitated, at first, to accept her hospitality, fearing he had misunderstood it. He was one of the sad class who "had outlived his usefulness" in the opinions of the church he had so long and faithfully served, and now was turned out, like an old horse, to live or die just as it happened. That such a state of things exists is a disgrace and a lasting reproach.

That this old man was one of the Lord's servants was enough for Marion, even if his gray hairs had not plead his cause successfully be-

fore. "We shall be very glad to have you stay with us to-night," she said, his home. "I will give you," he seeing his perplexity, "unless there is some other place where you have

engaged to go.' "Your neighbor, just down the street, directed me to the tavern, as the stopping-place for strangers," said the old man, sadly. "I had expected to spend the night there."

"Then I am glad you called here first. I can make you much more comfortable than you would be there."

Her voice was so low and sweet, as she said this, that tears welled up into the dim eyes of her guest, so little accustomed had he been to that of the warmest guest-room, and an She took a hasty survey of the lar-

Right gladly he drew off his thread-bare coat, his well-worn comforter, and his wife's gray shawl, which had been carefully pinned along the edge.

whispered to herself.

minister met with such a welcome of food. in such a house. As his chilled frame grew less benumbed, he regained more of his self-poise, and could converse more at his case, and on equal terms, as a man of learning an old clergyman to be turned off said the good man, wrapping a big, and culture. Long privations, and much coldness from the world, had made his heart stoop as well as his disgrace is ours, if we do not do all warmed the spirit, as the fire did his body.

Henry now ran out to see the old and an extra warm bedding, saying wife. that "the crathur looked badly enough in need of both food and

as he bounded in, with rosy cheeks his daughter with but one calico weary weeks.

minister, watching his motions with stores. an admiring eye. "I could not be

side, and, by his many curious ques- a mother, and happy the mother "Ah! it was indeed good and tions, drew him in to many an ac- who has such a daughter. count of his travels and experiences, not wait until tea-time before she wardrobe. set some refreshment before her guest. A little tray, well laden, was Poor Alice shall have that. This down in sobs and tears. Then, with brought out, and placed on a stand gray dress and sacque, you know, one heart, they knelt down, and near him, so he need not leave the we thought of giving to Bridget's thanked the great Giver, and imwarm fire; and Lilly poured the mother. I am glad now we never plored his blessing on their benefragrant tea for him.

plied: "I do not view it so. Though our blessing there." household cares have been greatly have received by the table-talk. No her heart in the work of doing good. as viewed by a party of tourists

ture." beef, which had been quickly broiled over the coals, giving it a most The bread was snowy and homemade, the butter excellent. He did not look with the alarm that some do on the substantial slice of mincepie for desert. His laborious life and frugal fare had, at least, driven away one of the ills of life, named and had called to see if Mr. Lee grim's house," had been a cake of

Marion excused herself for a few minutes, and the children followed coat, and I will have your horse put her. She wisely judged that it would be pleasanter for him to take his meal alone, particularly if he was as famished as she was led to suspect. It would have gone to her heart, to have seen him, when left alone, lift his tearful eyes and wrinkled hands toward heaven, thanking his Father above for having raised up for him such a friend in his hour of need. "Surely," he murmured, "he will never leave me

nor forsake me." When Edward returned from town, his manner was only an echo of his wife's cordiality. They were truly one in heart, as well as in life. he requested him to make his house said, "a list of the best places to call, and the children will gladly show you the way."

prayer ascended from those aged lips for a blessing on that household that it eeemed almost as if Heaven bent down to them. The mother's voice was tremulous, and her eyes misty,

"A blessing forever and ever, Will follow them as they go

Christian Advocate blessed, Christian charity and sympathy which the master taught, and here the good man sat long, and the quickest for the cold and tired since his days of active service were mused, and sang praises in his heart traveler. The cup of tea was made, before he could think of sleep.

"Oh, Mary, if you and poor Alice as to be in readiness. could share these comforts with me,

about his shoulders, and handed to in Mr. Lee's hospitable parlor, the ance, though there was no mistak-Lilly, who stepped forward quickly old minister was drawn out into ing the turn-out. "Somebody has to receive them. Marion could have many recitals of his past history; given father a new fur cap, mother. cried when she saw his old black and what interested Marion still Did you ever? And what has he coat so thin and worn, with darned more, his present circumstances. He about him? It looks like a handplaces all down the sleeves, and was living in a small house, with a some cloak, with a cape to it; and widowed, invalid daughter, and his there is a fur lining to the collar." "He shall be better provided for poor, feeble wife. He tried to make than that before he leaves," she a living by his agency, and his excitedly. "Didn't I tell you, daughter sewed when she was able; Alice?" The fire was brightened. Harry but, with all their economy, poverty ran up stairs for a pair of warm slip- pinched hard. The prospect for the lighted expectancy, and then the old pers, and, in his boyish earnestness, winter looked dark, particularly for gentlemen stood before them, laden said, "Let me draw off your boots, clothing and fuel. He had culiiva- down, and laughing like a Santa-Rarely in his life had the old a great help to them in the matter children together, and it would be

> "What a shame it is, Edward," own apartment, her eys filling with picture it for themselves. indignant, sympathizing tears, "for in this way. It is a disgrace."

will give him a check for a hundred of our good fortune." dollars.

The check was filled out at once, horse carefully attended to. Thomas and enclosed in an envelope, to be gave him a good measure of oats, sent as a present to the old man's such as did not often find their way

"Now, Lillian," said the mother, next day, "to-morrow our old friend leaves us. We must do something "He's all snug, sir," said Henry, for his poor family. Just think of dress this freezing weather. Let us "Thank you, my boy," said the run up stairs, and look over our mother, joyfully.

half comfortable if old Charley was or her heart respond more gladly, pocket of his coat, "is a letter they out in the cold. We've shared a slice than when some errand of mercy sent you, mother. I almost forgot Harry, who loved stories above "right hand" in all such enterpris hearted letter, though I have not everything, stole up to the old man's ses. Happy the child who has such opened it "

which were listened to with deep this heavy plaid wrapper," she said, it off, then all were quiet for a interest by all present. Mother did looking over the contents of the minute. But the sudden relief from

spoke of it, for I feel these people factors. It was a part of Mrs. Lee's educa- need it more." A warm, knitted A good man used to say that, I choose, and they will be such a every day.

had in the society of so many intel- It was a blessed life-lesson for that our heavenly mansions. ligent guests, especially in the un- daughter-one that did more than a conscious education our children hundred charity sermons to enlist

possible education of ours, either Meantime, twenty miles away, in above the clouds on one of the through books or our family conver- a little dwelling, in the outskirts of mountain peaks of Nevada, had sation alone, could ever have given a small village, two women waited some peculiar features about it them this valuable and varied cul- and watched for the old minister's which were not vouchsafed to less The good minister made a hearty and the prospect without looked party left Virginia City early in meal of the generous slices of roast dreary indeed to these with such the evening, and pressing upward

scanty resources. delicious flavor to a hungry man. day," said Alice. "I don't know most peak and stood above the what we shall do for wood it he clouds and storm. Above, the

gone, isn't it, mother?" so little heat in this sort of fuel; and pearl, now took on the hue of "I have no doubt he will," said sheeps us busy all the time putting amber, but still floated on and it into the stove."

> than flour. We can live on our hue from amber to brown, and this eat them uncooked."

a fire."

God had forsaken us.,'

Learning that he desired to spend the skies for us. And always we they could not have seen their several days in canvassing the place, found that when it seemed the dark- hands held before their faces. But We will pray and trust still."

good news for us."

expected one, both set to work to sights ever witnessed by mortals .as she kissed the children good-night, him. Mother filled up the stove make all snug and comfortable for Exchange. with a double amount of the crack-A bright fire blazed on the hearth damper so as to save all the heat.

blessed, Christian charity and sym- easy-chair was drawn up before it; der to see what could be prepared and a cloth spread on the table, so

"Is that father?" queried Alice, my cup would run over," he thought. as he drew nearer. There was During the long evenings spent something unfamiliar in the appear-

"He comes loaded," said mother

There was a minute or two of deted a little garden, which would be Claus, For a time they were all difficult to describe the scene in words. I think every warm heart, said his wife, in the privacy of their that delights in doing good, can

"Isn't that something like, Mary?" double shawl about her shoulders "That is true, and part of the "Now I must leave you and Alice to explore, while I attend to old

When he came in again, he brought a small hamper, which contained a great number of delicacies, to that humble home.

"Our 'Thanksgiving' has come a week before the time," said Alice, her pale face aglow with such delight as had not shone in it for many

"But none too soon," said the

"Here," said the minister, taking Never did Lilly's feet trip lighter, out a pocket-book from the breastwas proposed. She was mother's that. I know it is a good, warm-

warm-bearted. When the hundred "Mother, you hardly ever wear dollar check fell out, and Alice read their hard struggle with poverty "That is true, Lilly; lay it out. quite overcame them. They broke

tional system to early give her chil- jacket was also laid aside. "And among the things he "never wished dren an active part in the exercise of here is this breakfast shawl I used to to have against him, were the prayonce commiserated by a friend on that. I am just going to give away than the interest on bank-stock, even the amount of company she was these slippers, with fur around the for this world, to have their prayers pour their blessings upon your head obliged to entertain, when she re- top, Lily. I can get a new pair, if in our favor going up to and for us

> What a blessing it is to be able So the good work went on; and it thus to lay up treasure in Heavenincreased by it, we have been more was hard to say which was the most to send on a precious freight before than repaid by the pleasure we have delighted with it, mother or child. ns, so that we may enter rich into brands of FAMILY FLOUR. oct14-3m

> THE recent eclipse of the moon, return. The first snows were falling, fortunately placed spectators. The through falling snow and a dense "I wonder if father will come to- cloud mass, they reached the topdoesn't. That pile of brush is almost moon shown in full splendor, and the stars twinkled brightly. As "Yes, I brought the last into the the moon began to enter the peshed this morning, and cut it up with numbra there were wonderful and the hatchet. It will be so cold for sudden changes in all that surof good sound oak again. There is had shown only the tints of the swayed up and down, as had the "Mother, I think I shall take sea of pearl. As the obscuration that knitting money and buy a quar- progressed, the more distant porter of a cord. We need fuel more tions of the cloud sea changed in vegetables and pork, but we can't to black, gradually closing in upon the party from all sides. In their "No; and we cannot keep about immediate vicinity all had changed in such clothing as we have without from amber to a deep burnt sienua tinge. So deep was this tint that "Mother," said Alice, bursting at one time it seemed to pervade into tears, "it almost seems as if the atmosphere. During this stage a heavy breeze sprang up, and the "No, no, dear child!" said the swells in the sea rose in higher mother, quickly. "He has not for- waves than before. At times these gotten. He never forgets nor for rose many feet above the heads of PRINTERS&PUBLISHERS sakes his children. Just think how the party, and when the eclipse many times help has come to us in was nearly total they were someour extremity, quite as remarkably times for minutes left in midnight as if he had rained down manna from darkness, and but for their lanterns est, it was just before daybreak. these waves of darkness seldom lasted more than two or three "I will try, mother; but my faith minutes, and the party had, from is not so strong as yours. I do be- first to last, a most magnificent lieve, mother," she added suddenly, view of the eclipse. It is probable New Type. As the family gathered that night "that is our old gray coming over that a total eclipse of the moon has around the family altar, such a the mill road. I hope father has never before been observed under precisely such circumstances as was Both looked down the road, and, this by the party of tourists, who when fully assured that it was the described it as one of the grandest

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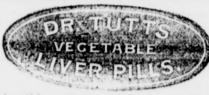
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facts must be considered. It is more difficult to induce children The spirit of the age does not to attend church than in the harmonize with the pretensions olden times. Some think this is of Papacy. The right of indibecause preaching is less intervidual thought and conscience is esting than formerly. Not so. so inherent to humanity that its The style of to-day may not be evasion cannot be long continued more solid nor sound, but the efwithout resistance. The claim fort to interest is more apparent, of the church to absolute suand the style is more attractive. premacy is one of the fatal blun-People, both old and young, have ders of Catholicism. So long as more to interest them than in forit confined itself to things purely mer days. Then preaching was spiritual, the world did not interest itself very profoundly over an event in each community. Without railroads, telegraphs, the discussion. It rather predaily papers, books and periodiferred to be relieved of the trouble cals crammed with sensationaland responsibility in this di ism, they turned eagerly from rection. If the priests could secure pardon for sins, and a passport to heaven, people were willing to pay them for it. Not satpraise and words of truth. Now isfied with this concession, the church has assumed control over secular affairs and demanded that civil governments should be subordinate to spiritual authority. For generations the terrors of excommunication made the thrones of Europe tremble. The world is either growing wiser or more wicked. The thunders of the Vatican are not near so alarming to crowned heads or republican statesmen as a financial panic or a riot among the people. The Pope has gone to the wall in all his conflicts with the great powers of Europe. Distant nations, where the influence of Protestant institutions were more remote, are following in the same line. The Central and South American States received Catholicism as an inheritance from their Spanish and Portugese ancestry, and yet alization of material thingsthings that strike the senses and they are throwing off the yoke of Rome. The arrogant demands of a spiritual hierarchy has led to this result rather than the motion of outside or Protestant influences. In Mexico the church the attention of young people. had gained possession of a large proportion of the wealth of the country, and as the use made of it did not tend to the purity of words, and vivid, pointed illusthe church or the elevation of the people, a change of programme followed as soon as the leading cord. Compulsory worship is of minds of the country lost faith doubtful utility. in the fidelity of the priesthood We are perfecting arrangements to and the authority of the church club the ADVOCATE with the principal at Rome. The Chili legislature publications of the day. The list will is now in the throes of a conflict with the claims of Rome. During its late session several of papers with which we club, and all changes were made in the constiother irregularities, must be made di- tution, and among them was one which limited the power of the church to the administration of discipline. This was so offensive to the church authorities that the President, with his ministers, several members of the council and quite a number of senators and deputies were excommunicated. This act has irritated instead of healing the wound in 5 75 the church. A late number of the government organ utters the vens, late of Baltimore, left \$49, following language, which clearly 500 to different charitable instireveals the spirit which the de-

mands of Papacy have aroused.

It is useless to retaliate with unwor-

thy provocations or sterile acts of re-

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WHERE ARE THE CHILDREN?

As we look over a congregation

we often feel disposed to ask,

"Where are the children?" The

pastor possibly could not answer.

and the parents-so the children

keep out of mischief, out of the

way, and keep their clothes clean

-perhaps care but little. Some

who remember the former days

tell us that when they were chil-

dren parents saw to it that their

offspring attended church; and

they think if the parents of the

present day would be as watch-

ful, the children would find their

place in the house of God. There

is something in that. But some-

books on logic tell us. Other sionaries.

There is now no question as to

tribunals.

5 00 tion of church and state as quickly and

PERSONAL. ton City in his 98th year, having largely increase our annual mis- kings houses Congress wants been 87 years a member of the sionary collection. Methodist Church Rev. J. P. THE Committee of the Young Canada to the United States think that, like Adam, it would feature of modern civilization. be better for the world if Dr. one of the founders and leaders of ists, Independents, and Baptists, inches in diameter The value the Abolition party, died in New have signed a testimonial of the of petroleum exported by the York on the 28th of DecemberDr. Munsey is lecturing to good work accomplished by crowded houses in the leading Moody and Sankey in the vari- now more than the exports of tutions Rev. Dr. A. C. Garrett, of Trinity Cathedral, Omaha, name of Henry Morehouse, known has been consecrated bishop of as the "Bible Apostle," is awakenthe diocese of Northern Texas ing much interest in Philadel-

resides at Washington. Seventyter breakfast he works till one, when he closes his labors and ings are spent with his friends ... | tion. King Kalukana, while in Boston, one Sunday attended religious kings, especially his estening to the sermon Dr. Tischendorf, convent of St. Catharine, in Mt. Sinai. He secured it through the influence of the Russian Govern-

ment, at the cost of which it was ing, at last accounts, 7000 per apocryphal gospels...Mrs.Chamberlain, who was one of the first in the question. missionaries to the Sandwich Islands, having been sent there in that capacity fifty-five years ago, brewery in Munich because he is now residing in Westborough. Massachusetts. She has invited King Kalagana to visit her. He of beer of its manufacture. It is The respect paid to this king of a in charge of American breweries, recently barbarous tribe by civil-

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE inhabitants of the Friendly Islands, last year, contributed \$15,000 for foreign missions and \$25,000 for home missions. A generation ago they were heathens. That is about as much as Texas Methodism accomplishes.

THE threats of assassination against Rev. Mr. Talmage, of the Brooklyn Tabernacle, because of his pointed denunciations of the immorality of the modern theatre, only called forth more faithful representations of the evils of the

THERE are fourteen divisions of the Presbyterian Church in of every day life to the rest of the United States. There were the Sabbath, with its songs of twelve tribes, but one Israel.

REV. H. C. POTTER, of New everyday has its excitements. York, has declined the bishopric prisoned for life. His wife clung Our papers keep up, by telegraph- of Wisconsin, to which he was ic dispatches, the history of the elected. That position does not whole world without getting a seem to be in very active demand, State Two burglars were reweek behind. The rush and roar as several bishops elect have deof the steam car is but a symbol clined ordination. Wonder if they of the spirit of the times. A disagree with the apostle, who man now hears more and takes thought the office of a bishop a in a wider range of observation good work?

in his week's reading than was TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY learned in six months in a city FIVE members were recently of fifty years ago. The boys and added to the Union M. E. girls have caught this spirit of Church, Allegheny City. What the times. A man must be alive a record that church will have if and wide awake to interest them. faithful in the last day!

WE see it stated that Bishop Ames decided in the Minnesota Conference that a woman can not say so, and prove it by staying legally hold the office of steward ered \$25,291 31, the value of two away from church. It is not so in the Methodist Church. There notes given her by the notorious is evidently a reaction in the women's rights movement in the lin editor has ben seent to prison Church, North.

FATHER CHINIQUY, the French convert from Catholicism, has listless over lessons of wisdom been preaching in Putnam, Con- captain and several of the crew written to their priest informing reached Hong Kong. One cabin present age must take this into account when he seeks to attract him they have found Christ, and that they need his services no crew and 400 Chinese are still Talk in a manner that they will longer. They tound that they missing...... The United States understand; use plain, strong could find the Savior without the grace being communicated through priestly channels.

the cause of home missions all in the death of 200 persons the eggs her hens lay on Sunday. Were the Christian ladies of Jacob Hines died in Washing- Texas to do likewise, it would is a skeleton in the closets of

Newman, D.D., has visited the Men's Christian Association re- through the mails...... The cheese Garden of Eden. He has no ports 940 associations in the Uniondoubt about the spot. From the This system of utilizing the lay impression he made when he fig- element, and especially the young ured in this region, many people men of the church, is a cheering 500 soldiers, 36,412 of whom have

NEARLY eighty ministers in Newman would have stayed in the Dublin, representing the Irish Garden of Eden Gerritt Smith, Church, Presbyterians, Method- fifty feet long and six feet eight cities of Alabama S. S. Stelous churches during their labors in that city.

AN English revivalist by the ...Mr. Bancroft, the historian, phia. He is a plain, uncultivated four years rest lightly upon him, man, with no respect for his as-He rises at six, lights his own pirates, but makes his Biblefire, and works until eight. Af reading very interesting and instructive. The church is awakenrides on horseback, and walks ing to the value of the lay eletwo or three miles. The even-ment in the world's evangeliza-

MR. GLADSTONE is censured service at Park Street Church, by the Spectator for having issued to eight hundred thousand doland listened to the sermon. We a cheap edition of his pamphlet lars The new Japanese miniscommend his example to other as savoring of demagogism. ter at Washington, named Yos-Other people think Mr. Gladstone the well-known biblical student, acted wisely in trying to reach is dead. He was the discoverer the people whom he desired to gentleman A bill has been of the Codix Sinaiticus in the arouse respecting an important approved by the Senate authorprinciple and a threatened danger. The fact that he was sellpublished. It contained several day, is a full justification of his ers The Indian commissioners books of the Old Testament, all sagacity, and a proof of the deep recommend that a governor be

THE King of Bavaria is redid not like the flavor of a glass ized nations is to be traced di- and it is thought that many of be abated.

PASSING EVENTS.

In London, there is a birth every five minutes and a death every eight..... A California farmer raised sixty tons cabbages on three acres of land, and sold the crop for \$4000 The annual crop of potatoes in the United States is 150,000,000 bushels, and valued at \$100,000,000 A year ago, seven live lobsters were planted in the Bay of San Francisco. Millions of young lobsters are the present result England and Scotland have more sheep than North America The Cuban sugar the past season was es timated at 800,000 tons.......A California man raised four tons of soft shell almonds this year At Des Moines, Iowa, 150 disguised men recently entered the jority in the Indiana Legislature jail, bound the jailor, overpowered the guard, and took from his cell one Charles Howard. who the day before had been imto him with loud shrieks, but he was dragged to a lamp post and hung. Iowa is not a Southern cently shot at Bay Bridge. One survived a short time, and confessed that he and his dead comthe boy's whereabouts......The notion that another attempt will

the man who rules Germany, though another wears the crownBoss Tweed, by his wealth, commanded so many favors from two of the prison officials that they were removed. Tweed is now subject to prison disciplineJosie Mansfield has recov-Jem Fisk. A pity his family have to pay for his villainy A Berfor asserting that Kullman's attempt on Bismarck's life was a sham plot. Editorial life in Germany has its drawbacks The necticut, and twenty families have of the lost steamer Japan have passenger, one steerage passenger, the surgeon, several of the Treasurer estimates that he will have a surplus of \$9,000,000 at the close of the current year An explosion of a powder maga-A LADY in California gives to | zine at Scutari, Turkey, resulted The Grand Duke Nicholas has pronounced insane and been the Postmaster-General to tell all he knows about smaggling, from factories of Maine made 500,000 pounds of that indigestible article of food last year Since

>A telescope is being constructed for the Paris Observatory the tube of which will be United States annually is put down at \$37,000,000, which is any other manufactured articleAll the postage stamps in the United States are made in New York..... A bill for compulsory education has been intro-

.....The Hoosac Tunnel has been turned over to the Massachusetts authorities. It cost \$4,500,000The dollar contribution in New York for the Kansas and Nebraska sufferers is coming in at the rate of \$400 per day The Supreme Court of Ohio has decided that to dun a creditor on a postal card is unlawful, as it is calculated to injure the credit of the debtor The endowment of the Syracuse University amounts hida Figonari, has spent many years in the capital of Europe, and is said to be an educated izing the President to issue food and disused army clothing to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars to the grasshopper suffertutional basis The St. Gothis advancing steadily. One and

and "cold charity."

NEWS ITEMS.

The citizens of Pittsburgh want Congress to make the Ohio river navigable at all stages....Public opinion in Massachusetts reigns against prohibition....The colored citizens of Orleans protest against discriminations in the civil rights bill Col. S. N. Moody, a prominent merchant of New Orleans, committed suicide December 31st, by shooting himself through the head; a nervous attack produced insanity Lee, who is charged with the Mountain Meadow massacre, says the Indians did the work The number of immigrants from other lands to this one was smaller last year than any year since 1862The Democrats claim a ma-

on joint ballot Ohio produces

5,000,000 tons of coal per annumA famine is prevailing in Asia Minor; 50,000 persons have migrated to the city of Adana, half of whom have died A committee of the New Orleans Chamber of Commerce are visiting Mexico So many fires have occurred at Havana that insurance premiums have advanced fifty per cent Count Von Arpanion were the abductors of nim has appealed from the sen-Charlie Ross, but left no clue of tence of the court Governor Tilden, of New York, has sent a special message to the Legislabe made to assassinate Bismarck ture, calling attention to the Louisiana trouble. By a party has not increased the comfort of vote, resolutions commenting on the military usurpation in Louisiana were passed.....A call for a Louisiana indignation meeting, to be held in Faneuil Hall, Boston, is headed by the name of Charles Francis Adams Twenty thousand miners are ousted from work along the Lehigh Valley and Central road At the burning of the Western Hotel, Sacramento, three men, and possibly others, were burned to deathThe Tilton-Beecher trial 18 progressing.....The carriage of Bisbop Sweeny, St. Johns, N. B.,

was sold for non-payment of taxes a few days ago. The Bishop claims conscientious scruhis religion.

ples respecting the payment of taxes for the support of schools which, he claims, are inimical to NEW ORLEANS. The troubles of our sister State have not yet found a solution.

Leading citizens and organizations have published statements pronouncing Sheridan's charge against the State as unfounded and false. Leading journals in the United States denounce the placed under guardianship. There by Federal troops as an outrage invasion of a State Legislature unknown hitherto in the history of our country. An indignation meeting in New York city, presided over by William Cullen Bryant, denounced the act as a dangerous usurpation. The discussion in the Senate of the United States shows intense bitterness toward the South, and 1869 Spain has sent to Cuba 82indicates that if the question becomes a party issue, the two domifallen on the field or by sickness nant parties will take ground---one in support, the other in opposition to the administration. Vice-President Wilson is said to have declared the act a death-blow to the Republican party. Some infer from this that the Republicans, except some extremists, will not sustain the policy. Up to this time, Grant has not clearly defined his course.

FOREIGN.

FRANCE.-There is a threatened crisis in French affairs. Cabinet measures have been reported duced into the Ohio Legislature by the Assembly amidst intense excitement. The entire Cabinet have resigned. The Duke De-Broglie has informed President MacMahon that he could not or ganize a council of ministers until the Assembly comes to a decision respecting the Constitutional bills At the President's request, the Council, except Chaband la Tour, will remain in office till the Assembly come to a vote.

SPAIN.—Alfonso has assumed his royal duties An engagement between the Carlists and national troops, in which the former were defeated, indicates that the contest is not yet over ...On the 11th, Alfonso left

Barcelona on his way to Madrid. GERMANY. - A sharp correspondence between the German and Spanish Governments has been going on respecting the outrage by the Carlists on the German vessel Gustav.

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TEXAS LEGISLATURE.

The Senate and House of the Texas Legislature convened in the capitol on the 12th, Hon. R. B. Hubbard presiding over the Senate and Col. Guy M. Bryan over the House. After the customary formalities, the Governor's Message was presented and read. Its great length will not permit its publication entire, hence we furnish our readers with a sum-

The Governor congratulates the Legislature in view of the favorable auspices under which it assembled. He contrasted their position with those surrounding the executive and legislative departments twelve months ago when a conspiracy had planned the overthrow of the free government of Texas. He considered the outlook beyond our own State government cheering, as recent events show that the machinery of the Federal Government is no longer to be used to stir up strife and conflicts in the States and create a demand for Federal intervention; giving assurance that the Constitution should be regarded as the supreme law for all the States, which should share alike, irrespective of section, its benefits. He urges the obligation tion and its amendments which advantages before the people of popular mills, thus enabling him to secures to all, both States and individuals, its protection.

He advises the call of a Constitutional Convention, in view of largely, and special attention adthe defects in the Constitutiona necessity to the people; but as vised. we no longer fear Federal interference, the time has come when the public mind can act free from liberal provision in way of money, shawls, umbrellas, shirts, hose, hosiery, such changes as the welfare of

State, at no time in our history thinks Texas attempted too much, ly enforced. Our frontier of fifteen hundred miles, with the necessity of the people being armed cessity of the people being armed and that the system will expand. received universal commendation. Such for self-defence, and the tide of life calls attention to a grant of firms are incapable of "bluster," and Every small instrument this firm sells, immigration which brings bad as fifty leagues for a university fund. acquire reputation from real merit alone. including brass instruments, and strings acquire reputation from real merit alone. well as good into our population, He advises that the land endow- Among the number referred to may in He called attention to the fact of schoolhouses and furniture; reliable wholesale grocery house of Wal-He called attention to the fact also, that the county school lands that the executive functions are be placed in market for same purfirm are earnest and hard working limited, and that means and authority should be supplied to render the administration of the laws more efficient.

He gives a statement of the disturbances in DeWitt county, and of the means employed in He also deals at length with the their suppression, in which he paid a tribute to the officers to "State finances," "veteran pen-sions," "county finances," "claims attention of our readers everywhere. whom the duty had been commit-

A detailed statement of the condition of the penitentiary is "State Department," with an apconvicts so far in excess of the spondence of the Covers of the Covers of the convicts are found next door to Shaw's have all acquired an excess of the number of cells that their emAttorney-General Williams rehat and cap house is daily receiving all others by good judges of pianos.
We would remark that the Emerson ployment outside has been a necessity. The present buildings The extreme length of the docuand those in process of erection ment is justified by its importance, Weber have spared neither time, labor durability. Over 300 have been sold by will cover all the ground owned by the State, and when complete tion the Governor gives to every lishment with furniture, fixtures, etc., satisfaction. It may be proper to monwill not meet the demand. He department and duty of his office. as magnificent as can be found in any with fictitious names have been and are reports the management of the penitentiary to be excellent. He refers to the contract with the lessees, and advises additional legislation to enable them to comply with their contract, which requires the confinement of con- lock, New York, one of the Sprague victs in the penitentiary. To can-openers. By the dozen, the manprovide for the number-which ufacturers' prices range from \$4 to \$9, will doubtless swell to two thou- according to quality and fluish. They sand-in the penitentiary will in. are simple and very useful. Send to volve enormous expense, while Sprague Can-Opening Co., Rochester, experience proves that the least burdensome mode to the State in | THE old and reliable cotton and comdealing with its criminal prison- mission house of D. C. Stone & Co., now LEGE. - We take pleasure in calling the ers is to lease out their labor un- stands in the same enviable position as attention of our readers to the adver eler such guarantees as will see for many years past. This well known tisement of the above named institucure their health and safe-keeping house has weathered the storm of many tion. If our people desire the establishfor a fair equivalent. He recom- financial crises, which carried many ment of permanent institutions of a high mended a House of Correction firms overboard. This house endeavors grade within our State, they must give for youthful criminals, and the to give satisfaction to patrons on all them liberal support. Their children supply of the older ones with a occasions. All orders attended to with can no more be educated without schools

good library. He invites special attention to his suggestion of last year respecting the importance of mak-

He urges several recommendations of the Commissioner of the Land Office respecting the appointment of a practical surveyor erection in the place of certain tegrity. wooden buildings in use in one part of the office, others more se-

til it is able to take care of itself. and gardeners. He remonstrates against that policy which arms the Indian and permits him to leave his reservaguage the wrongs of the frontier pitality with economy, giving as it through the frauds of corrupt agents who share the marauders' traveler for a mere nominal sum. We bility which arrests the punishment of the savages.

The Mexican border troubles received special attention, show. from the depot. The street ears pass it. ing the outrages committed, the effort to check them; insists that a sufficient force should patrol the Rio Grande border, and calls on the General Government to interpose with a sufficient force to end the murders and robberies on our western borders.

wise and liberal legislation to entries by furnishing information any house in New York or New Orleans. and employing suitable agents.

Public printing is dealt with

Public education, both as to its importance and policy, is dishouses, etc., the system must be commends a like policy. He and advises the reduction of the from eight to fifteen. He thinks ness houses whose integrity is never the people would pay the tax, questioned, and whose enterprise has ment be drawn on for the erection all justice be placed the staunch and pose. He estimates the cost of Texans, whose experience is ripe with in the State, and have been for nine these improvements at one and a years, and who by bestowing their strict- half millions of dollars. The inhalf millions of dollars. The in- est personal attention to orders received crease of value of unsold lands afford the advantages guaranteed by will become the basis for future matured observation and intimate ac-

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

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ation for the asylum for the and general commission merchants, No. 112 Strand, Galveston. Prompt attention given to business from the interior.

THE well known firm of Messrs. J. C. Smith & Co. is carrying on an exas an attache of the office; that tensive cotton and wool factorage busiprovision be made for a complete ness corner of the Strand and Centre abstract of titled and public lands; street. This firm have been so long an increase of clerical force; the engaged in this business that their exselection of some one to ferret out | perience renders them capable of giving the frauds through this office by satisfaction to patrons on all occasions. forgery of transfers of certificates, They have established throughout the powers of attorney, and other in interior a reputation for unsurpassed struments of title; and also the business qualifications and personal in-

MR. J. J. H. GREGORY, of Marblehead, Mass., has his annual advertisement in He gives a detailed history of our columns. He was the original inthe frontier defence, and shows troducer of some of the best vegetables that so long as the "peace policy" now found on every table. He comes is adopted, no force the State can this season with a number of tempting provide will make the frontier se. specialties, some of which are finely cure. The chief value of the State illustrated from engravings taken from troops consists in giving confi. photographs. The fact that so many dence to the people and ensuring of his varieties of seed are of his own the settlement of the frontier un- growing is a golden fact for farmers

THE Planters' Hotel is one of the best houses of public entertainment in this city. It combines comfert and hosdoes every accommodation to the weary plunder, and the morbid sensi- advise our readers who may at any time visit Galveston to give this pleasant little tavern a trial. This hotel is on Market street, a few squares

THE extensive wholesale grocery house of F. Glass, Esq., is situated on the Strand, near the corner of Mechanic street. This establishment possesses an enviable reputation for substantial condition and the extensiveness of its stock of groceries. Mr. Glass, the en-He shows the importance of terprising proprietor of this popular house, is a wholesale dealer in and imcourage immigration into our porter of groceries of every description. State. He shows what other He purchases his sugars from the most States are doing, and like efforts celebrated refineries and, all the difshould be made to bring our rare ferent brands of flour from the most other States and European coun- sell groceries in this line as cheap as

> MESSES. E. E. MEAKIN & Co., of Fenchurch street, London, East Indian and commission merchants, have pleasure in announcing to wholesale and retail dealers that they have opened an office at No. 120 Tremont hardware and crockery may be seen, from the manufacturers, and orders for small musical instru will be filled in the least possible time.

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> THE extensive establishment of ladies', misses' and childrens' hats, deserves the approbation and patronage of the public. We assure our readers. style or fashion, they can procure same at this popular establishment, at remarkably low figures.

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As the establishment of Messrs. Strickland & Clarke is subdivided into departments, we shall speak of each one separately. On the first floor will be

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On the third floor will be found the LITHOGRAPHING DEPARTMENT, the only one in the State. The proprie tors have lately introduced this important feature into their business, and have met with encouraging success. We have examined their specimens in lithographing, and being judges, we pronounce

their workmanship unsurpassed.

The beautiful designs gotten up for the invitation tickets and the cards of the K. O. M's at Galveston last year, also the artistic and monographic designs for "Queen Mab's Merry Men" at Austin this year, are fair specimens of their work.

They have received premiums at every fair where specimens of their workman ship have been exhibited.

This establishment is located on Tremont, between Market and Mechanic streets Nos. 106 and 109.

The building is a spacious brick building, three stories high, and entirely occupied by the immense stock of the above named firm. On the first floor is found sheet music, music books, brass the people demands.

He called attention to the enforcement of the laws, and showed that though much had been said

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This is one of the most reliable music houses in the South, and as it imports direct from Europe in large quantities, it is able to duplicate New York invoices. Country dealers should make a note of this fact, for they will save time and for musical instruments, is imported from Europe, and everything is guaranteed to be as represented. As many of our readers already know.

Messrs. Thos. Goggan & Bro. are the most extensive

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piano is rapidly gaining g ound by rea-son of its cheapness of price, tone and and indicates the thorough atten- nor expense in fitting up their estab- this firm, and all have given universal city or town in the Western or Southern still being sold in this State, and in States. The good taste displayed by some instances at high prices. Mr. Thos. these gentlemen in the selection of Goggan informed us that many pianos their large and varied stock of furs, could, if he would, sell for \$275, and tegether with a large assortment of make money on them, "but," says be, ladies', misses' and childrens' hats, dehas no such ambition, but it does propose to sell a good article at less figures than any other house in the State, and that if they desire hats of the latest our word for it, this can and will be

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Much more might be said in favor of the pianes sold by this house and of their liberality in their dealings, but we

have found this instrument to answer every purpose; hence they give it a preference over all others, and so do their customers

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In conclusion, we would say, if you want a piano, or organ, or melodeon, or a brass instrument, or a small musical instrument of any kind, that you can rely upon being as represented, make your purchase of a house that has a reputation at stake, and one that it is bound to maintain. Then you know who you are dealing with. It is not to be supposed for a moment that a house that stands on its reputation, like the one under consideration, is going to de-ceive you in the slightest degree.—Edi-torial Correspondence Bremond Sentinel.

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Weatherford District.

EDS. ADVOCATE-A new conference year is upon us. I believe ple for the neglect of a duty which that M. has ever read a book on the all of the preachers are at their he fails to impress upon their design of baptism. Summers and new year's labor

improvement of the future.

When shall this world become the kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ? shall be blessed. T. W. HINES. What can we do to bring it speedily to pass? are questions that interest every true minister of the gospel. God calls men to the work your paper of December 5 an arof the ministry, and they are His ticle headed as above, signed by embassadors, as well as captains, of "Few Methodists," to which we the Lord's host. That they may deem it necessary to make some more than to ask him to come out effectually carry out the object of reply. And we would premise our from his den. Why squib at Price their high vocation and work, which remarks by saying we do not supis more honorable than that of any pose that "Few Methodist" meant other class of men in the world, any disparagement to the people of they should be filled with the Holy | San Augustine; nevertheless, the Ghost. They are to be holy in following statements made by "Few heart and in practice. "Ye are Methodists" are untrue, viz.: the light of the world." "Let 1. "We are not able to pay for your light so shine before men, that it," (the new Methodist Church at they may see your good works, and San Augustine). glorify your father which is in 2. "If our appeal is not effectual heaven." They are to preach doc- in bringing succor, the people of trine. "If any man will do His San Augustine will be forever withwill, he shall know of the doctrine." out a Methodist Church." No doctrine, no gospel, no Bible, 3. "They have not the means, and hence to thousands no salva- nor can they procure them, unless tion. The Bible, from the first of a generous public will come to their Genesis to the last of Revelations, aid." is full of doctrine. A sermon with- 4. "There are some who, though out doctrine is as a human body poor, have paid two hundred dollars without blood. To attempt to toward this house." preach, and not to preach doctrine, Now, as to the first and third of is to mock God and insult Him in these statements we have this an-His own house. It is to palm off a swer: The property owned by the fant daughter of W. W. Hines and ary 16th. W. C. YOUNG, P. E. fraud upon the people. In many many Methodists at San Augus- M. A. Hines, living near Willow places God is out of doors. When tine, at low figures, is valued at creek, Harris county, Texas. She we have houses it is too often the about \$650,000. And would not was six months and sixteen days Clarksville cir. 31 Sun. in January, at Wil case that they are union houses .__ Methodists with over a half million old. houses for all denominations to feel aggrieved that any should ever | Our little darling is at rest now. preach in. If we get one Sabbath think that they are 'not able to though intense was her suffering for in the month it is often as much as pay for" one church edifice that a week with that fatal disease, flux. we can do; that, of course, is filled costs only \$1,500? "Few Meth- Oh! may we meet our darling baby by the pastor. Our local preachers odists" may not be able to pay for again. have no place to preach. We can- it, but many Methodists are able. nct have Sunday-schools; if we do As to the second statement, we we must use union books, which ex- have only to say that the people of clude many of the important doc- San Augustine could not be longer Texas, Sept. 9, 1871, in the tritrines of our church. We cannot without a Methodist Church than umphs of a Christian faith, Mrs. have class-meetings, which has ever been a power in our church whereever practiced. These houses have ever practiced. These houses have prevented love-feast meetings in prevented love-feast meetings in that word forever puts it! But respectively the mission, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sablath in that word forever puts it! But respectively the mission, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sablath in that word forever puts it! But respectively the mission, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sablath in that word forever puts it! But respectively the mission, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sablath in that word forever puts it! But respectively the mission, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sablath in that word forever puts it! But respectively the mission, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sablath in that word forever puts it! But respectively the mission, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sablath in that word forever puts it! But respectively the mission, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sablath in that word forever puts it! But respectively the mission, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sablath in that word forever puts it! But respectively the mission, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sablath in that word forever puts it! 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From thence she immi-Lord a house, but before we get it made without the knowledge of the grated to Texas, where she remained built we make a compromise and pastor of the church, and, as the a consistent member of the church unite with the Masons, Grangers, signature implies, with the consent until death. May the Lord bless Temperance society, or something and concurrence of a very "Few and bring to heaven at last all of that kind; perhaps build a Methodists." The many Methoschool-house and church together, dists feel able to pay for their and in all cases the church has to church without the aid of a "gengive preference to everything else; erous public." But as the house is she is the last to have her rights not in peril, they are not willing to and frequently deprived of all. make any great sacrifice of property These houses of compromise are at present to gratify the impatience frequently made use of for theatres, of "Few Methodists." So, if any political meetings; and I have response should be made before this known them used for ball rooms. reply is read, we hope the funds se By any of these means the sanctity | received will be returned with the of the house of God is destroyed. compliments of No man fails who builds a church or a parsonage on his work. One preacher said to me last year, "you will afflict me to send me where there is no church to build." He has built a church for every pastoral Price's articles on "Design of for human hopes! After ten days' year of his life—a good record. We Christian Baptism. "If M. had intense suffering of typhoid pneuare to instruct our people on the stopped with the word unprofitable, support of the ministry. Teach I might have remaind silent; but he has said, "Of such is the Kingdom them the Bible rule. How much uses other invectives altogether unis to be paid into the Lord's justifiable. treasury and when it is to be paid | He speaks of Price's "insatiable in. It may be that the ministry is vanity;" accusing him of arrogating be the name of the Lord." not supported because some of us to himself the position of "an imare silent on this subject. Who perial prince at the head of the authorized this silence? One thing Methodist Church in Texas;" and, we know, that in many instances in what he says about Price's selfthe deficiency in the support of the veneration, insinuates that Price is 1874, Levi Swallow, aged seventyministry is alarming. Many good an offensive coxcomb. In reply six years, ten months and ten days. men are driven from the itinerancy, to these things, I simply say that His sufferings were long and painthe people fail to pay the preacher what is his just dues, and God in wrath visits the people and the preacher. I know of no pastoral charge in our bounds where the people are not able to support their pastor, and but few churches that are too poor to build the Lord a service of these things, I simply say that they know that those who know Price know that those who know are too poor to build the Lord a describing M's. presumption. He to Texas in 1856; bought land in land. Let every work be represented.

A. DAVIS, Presiding Elder house. The adage is: "Where has not read Price's articles, and Parker co., where he lived until his there is a will there is a way." No has not seen any one who has, and death. Bro. S. joined the M. E. man, community or church should yet, in his estimation, he knows ex- Church, South, soon after his arsay we cannot until they have tried. actly what they contain. He has pre- rival in Texas, and lived a consistent A good thorough effort will usually sumption enough to suppose that he complete the job. We preach the can read the caption of a series of his son's, Abram Swallow. His oakland cir., at Black Jack Grove, 5th Sundoctrine of faith; let us practice it. articles, and from this be thoroughly sufferings were great, but were The pastor who fails to educate the conversant with their contents, or borne with christian fortitude. He people on finances, may expect to enough so at least to enter his told the writer that he had no deherd a poor flock (if any) with a solemn protest against their publi- sire to get well and no fear of death, short fleece amid a crowd of hun- cation. M. has discharged two guns: that the crossing seemed very near. gry wolves-while God is dis- the first was a pop-gun, and the He died in the full triumphs of pleased, His cause dishonored and second a blow-gun; he aimed at a christian faith. He leaves an aged His ministry brought into disrepute; mark in the hazy distance; no won- wife, three children and many first, by their inferior sermons; for der he missed it. I have followed friends to mourn his loss; but not where a minister is not supported Price very closely, and I have seen as those who have no hope. Our

you want to find a people who mutter and complain of their preacher, his mark! go to those who don't pay, and you quarterly, then we will have good

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EDS. ADVOCATE -- Thus your correspondent, M. styles Brother

from this to what extent M. misses

Bro. Price's object is a noble one: will seldom fail to find them. Let to bring to light clearly the design us teach our people to begin with of baptism. How he acquits himthe conference year and pay up self, every one must judge for himself after reading his articles. That sermons and good pastors: minis- enough has been said about the ters who will not reflect upon the mode and subjects of baptism, may church and the cause of Christ. be true; but where is the author who I never thought it in good taste for treats of the design of baptism to Madisonville cir., at Midway, February 27th a preacher to complain of his peo- any considerable extent? I doubt post and have commenced their minds. Nor is it in good taste for Fisher seem to be his favorite a people to complain of their authors (I suppose that he has read Whether our past labors were preacher until they have fully met these). They mention the design of well or imperfectly done, let us their obligation to him. May God baptism barely incidentally. This is gather from them material for the help us-preachers and people-to the case with nearly all the books do our duty. I never entered upon on baptism now extant. If Bro. a year's work with more faith; we Price can bring out clearly any Scriptural idea of the design of baptism which will be calculated to unify the church upon the subject, he will have accomplished a work worthy of his pen. As he is attempting this, I say-let no man forbid.

I shall not pursue M. any further, from your hiding place? If you regard Price as the Goliah, and yourself the shepherd boy, why not, David like, come out with your sling in hand, upon the plain where you can be seen? WM. A. SAMPEY.

Obituaries.

CARNES .-- Clara Eugene, infant daughter of Simeon Carnes, was born July 7, 1872, and died Oct. 19, 1874.

Weep not, bereaved parents: your little one has only gone before to swell the chorus of praise to him who said, "Suffer little children to come unto me."

HINES .- Died, on the 30th October, 1874, Lara Edng Hines, in-

W. W. HINES.

FOSTER .- Died, at the residence of Bro. David Tooke, Brownwood,

W. T. MELUGIN.

GOODLOE .- Eugene, son of P. H. and E. J. Goodloe, of Caddo Groye, Texas, aged three years and three months, departed this life December 29, 1874.

dear himself to all who knew him. He was beautiful, tender-hearted, and gave evidence of an extraordinary mind. Perhaps no lovelier child ever gladdened the hearts of parents, who of his future prospects had the highest hopes. But alas of Heaven." May the parents be enabled to say, "The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away; blessed

J. J. SHIRLEY.

SWALLOW .- Died at Veal's Station, Parker co., Texas, Nov. 4. his time is taken up in providing for his family, and he has no time to prepare his sermons. Besides all this, he may fail to pay his debts and thereby loose his influence as a Christian minister. If not seen one abusive term. See

Quarterly Meeting Appointments. Huntsville District.

FIRST ROUND. Huntsville sta., at Huntsville, March 27th and 29th.

Courtney, January 16th and 17th.
Prairie Plains cir., January 23d and 24th.
Anderson, January 30th and 31st.
Bryan cir., at Rector Chapel, February 6th
and 7th.

Zion cir., at Lake Grove, February 13th and
14th.

and 28th.

and 28th. Bryan station, March 6th and 7th. Willis cir., at Willis, March 13th and 14th. Cold Springs cir., at Cold Springs, March 20th and 21st.
The District Stewards will meet at Anderson January 3oth at 2 P. M.
J. M. WESSON, Presiding Elder.

Beaumont District. FIRST ROUND.

Woodville cir., at Chorokee, January 16th and 17th.

Wolf Creek cir., at Spurgerville, January 23 and 24th.

Jasper cir., at Walnut Run, February 6th and 7th. nad 7th.

Newton cir., at Wilson's Chapel, February
13th and 14th.

Liberty cir., at Liberty, February 20th and Beaumont and Orange cir., at Orange, Feb-

ruary 27th and 28th. T. M. STOVALL [Presiding Elder. Stephensville District.

FIRST ROUND. Jonesboro Mis., at Jenesboro, 3d Sabbath in January.

North Bosque, at Skipper's Chapel, 4th
Sabbath in January.

Poluxy, at Mason Chapel, 5th Sabbath in Poluxy, at Mason Chapel, 5th Sabbath in January.

Stephensville, at Stephensville, 1st Sabbath in February.

Eastland Mis., at Davidson's Ranch, 2d Sabbath in February.

Ft. Griffin Mis., at Picketville, 3d Sabbath in February.

Palo Pinto, at Palo Pinto, 4th Sabbath in February. February. Black Springs, at Black Springs. 1st Sab-bath in March. Jacksboro, at Jacksboro, 2d Sabbath in March. The District Stewards are to meet at Stephensville on Saturday before the 1st Sabbath in February.

JOHN F. NEAL, Presiding Elder.

Corsienna District.

FIRST ROUND. Mexia cir., at Mexia, January 16 and 17. Corsicana station, at Corsicana, January 23 and 24. Fairneld cir., at Fairneld, January 20 and 31 Butler cir., at Mt. Zion, Felruary 6 and 7. Redland cir., at Rediand, February 13 and 14 Centerville cir., at Liberty, February 20 and 21. Navasota mission, at Bowland's, February 27 and 28

Paris District. FIRST ROUND.

liams Chapel.
Robinsvide cir., 4th Sun. in January, at Bethel. Cooper mis .. 1st Sun. in February, at Foster's Ladonia cir., 2d Sun. in Pebruary, at Mount Carmet. Sylvan cir., 3d Sun. in February, at Shady L B, ELL S, P. E.

Jefferson District.

FIRST ROUND. Mt. Pleasant, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sabbath in January. Wheatville mission, at Mt. Pleasant, 3d Sab-

in February. JNO. H. MCLEAN, P. E.

Marshall District. FIRST ROUND.

Knoxville cir., at Troupe, 3d Sabbath in Jan Starrville cir., at Antioch, 4th Sabbath in January. Marshall sta., 5th Sabbath in January. Harrison cir., at Rock Springs, 2d Satbath in February. Elysian Fields et., at Bethel, 31 Satbath in February. Haliville cir., at Milwood, 4th Sabbath in

Hallville etc., at Milwood, 4th Sabbath in February.

Henderson and Beliview, at Henderson, 2d Sabbath in March.

The District Stewards will please meet me at Longview Junction on Monday morning. 18th proximo, to uttend to the duties assigned them. (See Discipline, chap. 9, sec. 2)

DANIEL MORSE, Presiding Elder.

Belton District.

FIRST ROUND. Eugene had not lived long enough to feel the responsibility of life; but he had lived long enough to enbut he had lived long enough to e

February. Sugar Losf cir., at Pale Alto, 2d Saebath in February.
Gatesville cir., at Station Creek, 3d Sabbath in February.
The District Stewards meeting will be held on Saturday before the 4th Sabbath in Febru-W. R. D. STOCKTON, Presiding Elder.

Weatherford District. FIRST BOUND.

Acton et., at Acton, 34 Sabbath in Janmonia, he fell asleep in Jesus, who Alvarado et. at Centerpoint, 4th Sabbath in January. Cartersville ct., at Veal sta., 5th Sabbath in January.
Weatherford sta., 1st Sabbath in February.
Mansfield et., at Sudder's s. h., 2d Sabbath
in February.
Weatherford et., at Dixon's s. h., 3d Sab-

bath in February. Cleburne and Marysville sta., 4th Sabbath in February. Cleburne cir., at New Hope, 1st Sabbath in March.
Springtown Mission. at Walnut Creek, 2d
Sabbath in March.
T. W. HINES, Presiding Elder.

Waxaher'i'e District. FIRST ROUND.

Sa'phur Springs District. PIEST ROUND.

Pittsburg cir., at Pittsburg, 3d Sun day in in January. Glaswater mis., 1st Sunday in February. Emory mis., at Emory, 2d Sunday in Feb-

The District Stewards will meet at Ferest Academy, on the Sulphur Springs cir-cuit, Saturday before the third Sunday in Lecember. M. H. NEELY, P. E.

Comanche District. FIRST ROUND.

Lampasas miss., January 16th and 17th. Rockvale cir., at Comanche Springs, January 23d and 24th. Fort Mason and Llano miss., at Llano, Jan-

Corpus Christi District

FIRST ROUND. Helena circuit, at Helena, January 30th. Helena circuit, at Helena, January 30th. tholiad, February 6th.
Beeville cir., at Beeville, February 13th.
St. Mary's cir., at Pleasant Grove, Feb. 20th.
Rockport cir., at Rockport, February 27th.
Corpus Christi, March 6th.
Nueces River, at Nueces Town, March 13th.
Oakville cir., at Oakville, March 20th.
District Stewards will please meet me at
Beeville February 13th, 1575.
A. A. KILLOUGH, Presiding Elder.

Chappell Hill District.

FIRST ROUND. Burton cir , at Union Hill, January 9th and 10th. Hempstead cir., at Hempstead, January 16th and 17th. Beliville cir., at Sempronius, January 23d and 24th.

Lexington cir., at Early Chapel, January 33th and 31st.

Caldwell cir., at Caldwell, February 6th and 7th.

and 7th.
Independence cir., 2t Independence, February 13th and 14th.
Brenham sta, February 25th and 21st.
Chappell Hill sta, February 27th and 28th.
Richmond, and Eagle Lake, at Kichmond,
March 6th and 7th.

San Felipe cir., at Post Oak Grove, March 13th and 14th. Birch Creek mis., at Birch Creek, March 20th and 21st.
The District Stewards will please meet me Brenham on the 20th of February, 1875. T. B BUCKINGHAM, Presiding Elder.

San Marcos District. FIRST ROUND.

Seguin circuit, at Seguin, 3d Sabbath in January. San Marcos cir., at Pleasant Ridge, 4th Sabbeth in January. Lockhart cir, at Prairie Lea, 1st Sabbath in February. San Marcos sta., 2d Sabbath in February.

San Marcos sta., 2d Sabbath in February.
Blanco cir., at Blanco, 3d Sabbath in Feb-uary.
Thompsonville cir., at Thompsonville, 4th Sabbath in February.
Mountain City cir., at Elm Grove, 1st Sab-bath in March.
Gonzales cir., at Gonzales, 2d Sabbath in

March.

The District Stewards' meeting will be held at Prairie Lea on Saturday before the lest Sabbath in February. The only appeal from their decision will be to the Board of Finance.

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Scientific and Sanitary.

Dr. A. WINTER BLYTH, medical officer of health to the county of Devon, England, has made a series of experiments which show that water containing organic substances is purified by running through iron pipes.

THE Scientific American says: "In future times, 'spiritualism' will probably be considered the blot Be devoutly earnest. and the shame of the nineteenth century."

15 grains.

According to Kepesy, the surgeon to the Austrian Polar Expedition, chocolate, as a beverage, proved most valuable of all; the preserved meat and vegetables in tins being also of the greatest serspirits.

Dr. HILGENDORF, a German, now in Japan, has found in his studies of Japanese crania that the cheek bone, instead of being a single structure, is frequently divided by a suture into two distinct elements. Dr. Hilgendorf considers this so characteristic, that he has called the additional bone the osjaponicum.

If the heat which a human being gives off in twenty-four hours could, consistently with life, be retained within the body, its temperature would, at the end of that time, have reached 185° Fah., a temperature above the point of coagulation of albumen, and high enough to cook the tissues.

THE largest trip-hammer in the United States has recently been expense of \$75,000. The weight of iron used in it is about two hundred tons. The ram weighs twelve tons, and four large boilers are brought into use to furnish steam to run the six hundred horse power ject. engine required to successfully operate it.

A QUARTER-INCH rod of the best steel will sustain 9,000 pounds betore breaking; soft steel, 7,000 pounds; iron wire, 6,000; iron, 4,000; inferior bar iron, 2,000; cast iron, 1,000 to 3,000; copper clear. wire, 3,000; silver, 2,000; gold, hemp cord.

It may be worth knowing, says Franklin Institute.

pimples and flesh-worms, you must interest in the Sunday-school." purify your blood. It is done "You can drive boys," says a by living on plain nutritious writer in the S. S. Times, "just as food, breathing a pure air day easily as you can horses, but you and night, sleeping enough, exer- can't drive them a whit easier. cising freely and keeping your skin When you go to drive a horse, you thoroughly open by frequent baths | must find out what kind of a horse in soap and water. There is no it is—whether shyey, or skittish, or other way to purify your system frolicsome, or balky, or stupid, or the best of Threads and Silks. Address but this. These will cure you, and knowing, and drive him accordingyou will stay cured as long as ly. You just adapt yourself to the you employ them.

plied with it.

M. HENRI ROBERT claims to be the original inventor of a curious clock, which consists simply of a transparent glass dial suspended by two cords from points in its border. It has the two usual hands, but these are apparently free from any machinery to carry them. If either be moved and then let go, it re-

The Sunday-School.

In the eager pursuit of novelties and sensational expedients, in order to make the school attractive, remember there is, after all, nothing more sensational, in the best sense of the term, than the truth, nor anything fresher than genuine love.

MR. PELTZ tells the readers of the Baptist Teacher five ways of securing class control: (1) Get the scholars' love and respect; (2) Prepare for each session; (3) Be in ample time; (4) Be a willing and prompt participant in all that the school is expected to do, and (5)

"My very d-e-a-r chil-dren," said a traveling Sunday-school gim-According to the statement of let, "I love you so much I could C. V. Riley, St. Louis, the length talk all day to you, but time forof the thread in the cocoon of a bids. But I h-o-p-e to meet you in mulbery silk worm is generally heaven, and then ____ " "I hope 1,000 yards, and a mile of it weighs he won't," said a restless, red-headed boy: "He'll talk us to death; won't he, Jim?"

In addition to the thorough and affectionate study of the lesson, study well the particularities of temperament in the several members of your class. You do not alvice in sustaining the strength and low a cobbler to meddle with your watch, because excellent as he may be in his own trade, he doesn't understand watches; he might spoil sooner than mend.

It is said of the Rev. Frederick Sill, pastor of St. Ambrose (Episcopal) Church, in New York, who died a few days ago, that he kept up his Sunday-school and Bible class and conducted his services with rarely an intermission, summer and winter. He seemed to think, too, that all the poor, among whom he labored principally, were a part of his charge, visiting them when sick, sharing with them the food of his table, dividing with them his limited income, and reading the last words over them when dead. Among those who will miss him most, we doubt not, are scores of poor children.

THE following points are taken completed at Nashua, N. H., at an from an excellent article on " How to question," by Dr. Thompson, in Our Bible Teacher:

1. Questions must be prepared beforehand.

2. They must relate to the sub-3. They should be well-defined.

4. They should regard the ability of the pupil. 5. They should be asked in logi-

cal order. 6. They should be exhaustive. 7. They should be concise and 172 TREMONT STREET 174

It teachers would prepare their PHOTOGRAPHERS. 2,500; tin, 3,000; cast zinc, 160; questions according to these points cast lead, 70; milled lead, 200. A the instruction imparted would be rod of iron is ten times as strong as more thorough and effective than it Visite to Life Size. too often is.

IF the boys fall out of the Sunthe Athenaum, that by plunging a day-school, do not be in too great ture sheet of paper into an ammoniacal haste to attribute it wholly to the solution of copper for an instant, "Old Adam" in them. In answer then passing it between cylinders to the question, "how shall we and driving it, it is rendered entire- keep the boys?" the National Sunly impermeable to water, and may day-School Teacher says among be even boiled in water without other wise things, "Give the boys disintegrating. Sheets so prepared, real intellectual work to do. if rolled together, become perma | Furnish them with good literature. nently adherent, and acquire the Give them a large share in concert strength of wood. We give this on exercises. Provide them teachers the authority of the Journal of the who understand boy-nature. Es pecially let the mature men of the PURIFY THE BLOOD .- To cure church attend and take an active AN

horse. You judge some by the Perspiration .- The unpleasant build, some by the ears, some by odor produced by perspiration on the nostrils, and a good deal by the any portion of the body is prevent eye. And you've got to do just ed by using the compound spirits of the same with boys. There's a ammonia. Put about two table- great deal in a boy's eye, and the spoonsful in a basin of water. cut of his nostrils, and the turn of Bathe the parts freely, and it leaves his lip. 'Twon't do to consider the skin as clean, sweet and fresh every boy as only so much boy cut as one could wish. The wash is out of the general supply. We perfectly harmless and very cheap. must study each one and lay out to Every lady's toilet should be sup- handle him according to what there is in him."-Advance.

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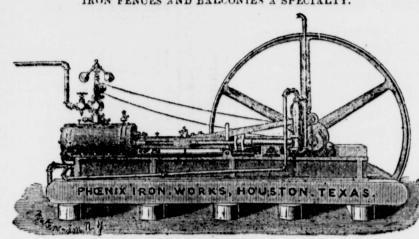


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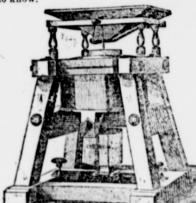
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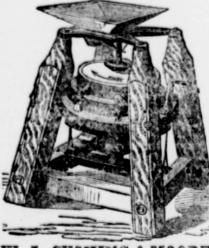
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ADVOCATE OFFICE, Friday Evening, Jan. 15, 1875.

There has been no brisk revival of trade during the past week, and the banks is not large, while the demand aggregate of transactions shows but little improvement as compared with the total for the previous week. The weather, locally, has been somewhat readily at the standing rate of one per more propitious, but the effects of the late continuously heavy rains have not as yet disappeared. The roads still in a fearful condition, precluding England, the minimum rate of disthe possibility of moving merchandise from the railroad stations, where, we are told, it has accumulated of late. This of course has tended to bring business in the interior to an almost complete standstill, and is keeping back a large number of orders which would be forthcoming under other circumstances. Until the traces of this late weather unpleasantness have disappeared it is circles at this point will be blessed with any important degree of life. However, we can resonably hope to make up for lost time so soon as the present blockade is raised.

Congress has, up to the present, ac-

complished nothing in the way of ameliorating the financial condition of the country. The cry is still for " hard money," but the indications are that the realization of this issue is as far removed as ever. It does appear somewhat strange, that after more than ten years of prosperous peace, we are still suffering from the weaknesses, in a financial point of view, which extreme circumstances rendered temporarily ex. cusable. Specie payments must be resumed, and the sooner our Congressmen approach the subject with the seriousness and earnestness which it richly merits, the sooner will they relieve themselves of the odium which their neglect of such important measures is sure to bring upon them. If inflationists, and other of the opposing factions, are allowed to lobby compromise bills through the House and Senate, we need never expect to see our finances again placed on a solid footing. The ability of the government to resume specie payments is simply to be measured by its ability to redeem such portions of our circulating credits as the people, not wishing to employ, may seek to convert into silver and and rates are about steady as quoted. gold. The government has certainly at its command as many of the mediums of revenue as are requisite for the provision of an adequate surplus light, and the falling off is nothing short for this purpose. It has the taxing of startling. Markets generally are power and the borrowing power- higherland close generally about steady. good credit at home and abroad. The substitution of permanent loans for the | memorandum of fluctuations during the circulating credits now in general use week, and general statistics. would, of course, entail an additional expenditure in the matter of interest, but it is hardly a question but that the benefits that would arise from the change would fully and adequately repay this outlay. The amount of coin necessary for resumption is an adequate reserve to meet the demand for exportation, and a sufficient surplus to assure the public that the treasury supply would not be exhausted. By paying the treasury notes and substituting for them interest-bearing securities they would cease to be currency and would enter into the same category as bank stocks or railroad shares. We are all interested in this matter of resumption, and it is for this reason that we venture to revert to it so often and so lengthily. It was asserted after the panic of 1837 that the barometer of the money market of America hung up in the parlor of the Bank of England. This was true perhaps twelve years ago, but it can hardly be said to be applicable to our present situation. But what is true, however, is that the barometer of the money market of every city in the United States hangs over the desk of the Treasurer at Washington, and over it hangs also the creative power which ushers into existence the clouds which announce the coming storm. Toward this beacon the eyes of the producer, consumer and middle man are constantly turned, and by the

built for the immediate future. The cotton receipts at our port have continued extremely light, which is, of course, owing to the poor condition of the country roads. There is still considerable falling off in the port receipts as compared with last year, and in consequence the domestic market is very much stronger and generally somewhat higher. The Liverpool and Manchester advices are very favorable, and altogether the position of affairs is very much improved. Everything at present seems to indicate that we shall have a higher range of prices during the early spring, and we are ourselves inclined to share in this opinion.

signs visible in that direction plans are

In the produce market, the scarcity of potatoes and the large supply of apples are perhaps the most noticeable apples are perhaps the most noticeable day. Bay. day. Friday. last y'r. Amount afloat 360,000 features. We have also to note the Stock...85,039 84,429 87,611 108,540 American 231,000

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of a large line of shipments. Intelligence just received that the finance bill, authorizing free banking and providing for the resumption of specie payments in 1879, has, as we anticipated, passed both Houses, and now only needs the signature of the President to become the law of the land.

MONETARY.

Local financial affairs remain in statu quo. The surplus held by the for accommodation is of fair proportion, the regular and favored customers of the banks alone obtaining discounts cent. per month.

The foreign advices are highly favorable. At each of the last two meetthroughout much of the interior are ings of the directors of the Bank of count has been lowered one per cent., and the rate now stands at four per cent, as against the per cent, two weeks ago. The street rate is one-quarter per cent. lower. The weekly exhibit shows an increase of £148,000 in the bullion in the bank vaults and a proportion of reserve to liabilities of fortyfive per cent. against forty per cent. last week. Everything seems to point hardly to be hoped that commercial to cheap money in England, and this cannot but bring forth beneficial re-

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CONSO LIDATED REPORT-7 DAYS. Receipts, 95,185; Exports-Great Britain 33,580; France, 7034; Continent, 2,862; Channel, 4,065. Stock, 872,584 - against 778,648 last year.

GAL	VESTON	****
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		138,564
		69,629
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Memoranda of Exports Since Jan. 9. 14-Schr W S Schull, Phila....1221 14-S S Hutchinson N O......34 15-Bk "Emly" Liverpool....1000

MOVEMENT AT INTERIOR TOWNS. Receipts. Exp'ts. Stock.

Augusta2978	3009	23821
Columbus 567	237	13544
Macon 847	1468	13243
Montgomery 470	1044	7248
Selma1430	1461	8294
Memphis6633	11614	63238
Nashvilie 1535	697	16974
Total14560	19530	146372
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Jan 11	122	138	134	123	14	15.
Sales	3,400	1,500	1.954	1000	195	. 13.
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	Ports.	This	This		his w'k
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	Galveston	7035	233127	_	213831
١.	New Orleans.	44197	629710		661131
	Mobile	8418	227037	_	188297
	Savannah	10708	442954		466999
	Charleston	6813	302820	_	2832*4
	Wilmington	1590	50193	-	23532
	Nerfolk	6926	251309	_	257392
	Baltimore	419	9343	-	8198
١.	New York	5226	77598		78763
	Boston	1057	17040	-	12933
	Philadelphia	1035	20403	_	16070
	Providence	69	3496	-	2211
	City Point	756			20281
	Port Royal	8.3	21615	_	
	Indianola	131	7978		
	Total	95183	2307582		2230912

Total	95183	2307	582 —	22 30912
LIVERPOOL	WEE	KLY	STATES	MENT.
		Thi	s Year.	Last Y'r
Sales-Total		11	1,000	81,000
To exporters		1	1,000	90,000
To speculato	rs	1	5,000	5,000
Total stock				579,000
Of American		38	4.000	156,000

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scale with prices about steady. Stocks are ample. Treble extra \$6@6 50; choice extra 6 00@6 50; choice family \$6 75 8,000 @7 25; fancy brands \$8@8 50. 89,000 Fruit—Dried—Raisins: layers per box 474,000 334,000 | shell, 26@28c; hard shell 23@25c filberts | oct14 6m

18@20c; pecans 10@11c; Brazil nuts

This Last Fruit. — Fresh — Lemons in fair supply. Sicily 7 50@8 00; Malaga \$6 @ 6 50 per box. Apples, supply large, no demand worth speaking of. Western, \$3@\$3 50. Northern, \$4@4 50 per box 100 per 10 year. year. 864,190 747,046 per barrel. Oranges, Louisiana and Mexican, \$5 00@7 00 per barrel. Co-coanuts, per 100 \$9 00. Bananas \$1 50 @2 50 per bunch. Pineapples \$4 00@5 00 per doz. California Pears \$6 00@ 47,531 1,173,984 1,111,709 The visible supply according to New York Financial and Commercial Chronicle to 8th 7 per box.

Glass Goods-Per dozen, in cases-Pickles per gallon, \$5 25@5 50; half-gallon \$3 65@3 75; quarts \$2 65@2 75; pints \$1,40@1 50. Hams-Dull. Choice sugar-cured, 15@

151c.; 2d quality, 14@141c. Hay—Is in ample supply and easy.

Western, \$34 00@36 00 per ton, for choice Timothy. Northern \$20@24. Supply ample. Corn Fodder, Texas scarce at \$2 25@2 50 per 100 fts.

Hides—Prices steady; market quiet.

they run, 18@181c.; wet salted, selected, 9@9‡ butcher's green, 7½@8c: dry salted are sold as dry flint, with allowance for salt; glue stock 5c.

Hardware—Axes per dozen: Collins Kentucky Hight \$13; medium \$13 50; heavy \$15 50.

We quote, dry flint, selected 184c. as

IRON-Per pound, common bar, 4% @6c.; band, 6@6½c.; hoop, 7@8½c.; sheet, common, 7c.; R. G., 8c.; galv., 17c.; Russia, 30c.; imitation Russia, 22c.; plow slabs 6½c.; nail rods, 10c.; axles, 8½@9½c.; horse-shoes, Burden's, \$7 25@7 50; mule-shoes, \$8 25@8 50.

Castings-Hollow ware, etc., 6c; sad irons, 6c.

Leather—Best Louisville and Cincin.

nati Oak Sole Leather, 42c P. It; do-second quality 40c; do. fair saddle skirting 44c; do. oak harness leather 41c; do. second grade do. 38c; do. black bridle do. 50c; do. fair bridle do. 55c. at Liverpool are Jan. Feb., uplands basis Middling, nothing below Good Ordinary, 7%d. Dec. shipments, same basis, not below Low Middling, 7%d. Lard - Market amply supplied and

quiet; tierces, 151c.; kegs, 161c. Lumber .-- The demand continues good and stocks ample. Rough yellow pine, below Low Middling, 7½d. March-April delivery, uplands, not below Low Middling, 7 13-16d. Jan-Feb. shipments, Orleans, not below Low Middling, 7 15-16d. Feb.-March, delivery 7½d.

Weatherboards, \$25@28, surfaced boards \$25@28; ceiling, \$20@25; flooring, \$25@30; ash, \$40; shingles, \$4@5 by small lots; \$3@3 50 by cargo lots.

Lime, Cement, Elc.—In limited domaid. \$22; second quality, \$20; dressed weatherboards, \$25@28, surfaced boards

Lime, Cement, Etc.—In limited demand. Austin lime, \$2 25 per barrel; Alabama \$2 50; cement, \$2 25@2 75; plaster, Paris, \$4 00@\$5; laths, \$4@4 50 Jan. 15, 4:30 P. M .- Yarns and fabrics

Molasses. — Supply fair; demand good, prices higher; selling 60c, prime, and 65 for choice per gallon, The closing report is-Demand modebarrels, half barrels 5c. advance, kegs 10c advance.

rate; prices firm. Tres Ordinary 96 fcs. Oils. — Linseed, raw, 95; boiled, §1 00. Lard, No. 1, §1 00. W. S. §1 15 Proctor & Gamble's, §1 12‡. Tarpentine, 45c. Kerosine, 24@27c.

> Oats-Quit but firm. Western selling from store at 86@88c per bushel. Texas, nominal. Job lots, 82a83c. for prime. Onions—In large supply and very dull Red Western \$4 00@4 50; Red North-ern \$5 00@5 50 P barrel.

Bacon— Supply large; demand continues merely nominal; prices weak and drooping as quoted: Clearsides, 12½c.; Potatocs-Stock nominal, prices stiff. Western \$3 25@3 50; Northern \$4 00 @4 50 ? barrel. clear rib, 11 c.; shoulders 10 c.; break-

Bagging — Dull and drooping.—
Domestic—heavy, 12½c. 3 yard; light, from store, 13½@14c.; India, 11c. in bales. Peltries-Deer skins 25@27: goat skins com store, 13½@14c.; India, 11c. in bales. 20c. per 1b.; sheep skins, full wool, 50c., Bran—Reported quiet at \$1 55@\$1 60 half-wool 25c., shearlings 15@20c. each; wolf skins 25@75c, each; dressed deer bundred weight. Beeswax—Prices are steady at 25@ skins, Indian-tanned, \$1 50@1 75 per 26c. for prime yellow, with light repound.

Poultry-Receipts moderate and prices higher. Chickens \$3 00@3 50 7 dozen. Turkeys quiet ; small \$7@8 00; grown, \$9 00@\$11 00. Ducks \$4 50@5 00 @ dozen. Geese 7 00@8 00.

ed. Coarse from first hands by car load choice 26 22c. Ordinary 24 25c. Tex- \$1 20@1 30, gold; fine \$1 75, gold. Starck-Dealers supply the demand at 61 @ 61c.
Sugar—Market steady for Louisiana

25c.; receipts light; prices easy; and deand Texas, for which there is a fair demand. Fully fair 7\(\frac{1}{4}e.\); prime 8\(\alpha\)9c.; choice 9\(\frac{1}{4}a\) 10c; coffee C 11\(\frac{1}{2}e.\); coffee B 11fe; coffee A 12e; crushed and powdered 121/2013c: Demerara 111c. 16@17c; fancy 20@25c; rock 23@25c;

large lots. Ordinary orders filled at 7fc. and Ties turnished our Patrons. Orders for Coffee - Stocks in importer's' hands only nominal, and with 7700 sacks now firm, with upward tendency. afloatfor this port . Prices firm as fol- quote : 12 inch, extra fine for lbs, 70c.@ lows for round lots; fair 181@181c; \$1; 11 inch extra fine, 65@70c.; 11 inch, good 19@194c.; prime 194@20c. Deal-ers are selling from store at about 1c. 60c.; 11 inch, good medium, 50@55c.; 11 inch, good common, 46@50c.; 11 inch. common sound, 44@46c; twist, all es, 2 lb, \$2 65@2 75; strawberries, 2 lb grades, 50@75c.; smoking tobacco, 35@ \$2 40@2 50; pine apples, 2 1b, \$2 40@ 2 50; damsons \$2 25; oysters, 2 15 full weight, \$2 10@2 15; 1 15 full weight, \$2 10@2 15; 1 75 full weight, \$2 10@2 15

\$95@ 250. Ties-Iron cotton baling ties 7c. per pound for Arrow and for Beard.

Tin—In plates, per box, in gold, IX
\$14 50; IC \$12 50; IC, leaded, \$11 75;

Pig 30c ⊋ fb.
Tallow—Receipts moderate; prices mand, selling 12½@13c per lb for all sizes. Manilla good supply; limited demand; selling for 16@16½ for all sizes.

Tallow—Receipts moderate; prices steady; good to prime 6@7c.; common 5@5½c.

Twine—Cotton bailing twine is in

Corn — Large supply; prices lower and easy, selling at 80@90c. in round lots, and \$1 00@1 10 from store.

ample supply; selling at 17c. per pound.

Vinegar—Fair supply and steady at 28@40c. P gallon for cider and white. and easy, selling at 80@90c. in round lots, and \$1 00@1 10 from store.

Corn Meal—Fair supply. Selling at 28@40c. P gallon for cider and white.

White wine, imported, 65c.

Woodware—Palls-Painted, two hoop,

Crackers—In fair demand. Soda 54c; tream and ginger 114c.

Drugs—Acid Citric \$1.40; acotic 16c. Drugs-Acid Citrie \$1 40; acetic 16c; Drugs—Acid Citrie \$1 40; acetic 16c; Well Buckets—P dozen, L. S., tartaric 66c; oxalic 23c; sulphuric in carboys 4½c; C. P. 40c; Aloes cap. 10c; Sieves—P dozen, iron, \$1 75; plated see appropriate over 3F. alcohol \$2; alum 5e; ammonia aqua 3F, \$2 75; brass \$3 75.

10c; ammonia spirits arom. 48c arsenic common powered 7½c. Bismuth, subnitrate, \$2 25. Blue Vitrol 15c. Borax Zinc—In gold, per pound—Pig, none refined 28c. Caustic, lunar, pure \$1 15; in market; sheet 11c

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