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GALVESTON AND HER DUTY.

Galveston is most favorably situated for the destiny of a great city. spoken, none are of so pressing She has a good harbor-the best importance as the extension of new on the Texan coast. It is capable lines of railway. The people of of being made a superior harbor. this city have had this theme No other point on the whole Gulf dinned into their ears till they Kansas, and every point north and see no cause for anxiety in the charge. west of these, where the rail lines shrinkage of real estate, and the to the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, depression that exists here? It is are not shorter than those to Gal-said, this is general. We apprehend veston; or where contiguity to it does not exist with cities whose streams feeding the Mississippi growth is steady. We apprehend shall not render the latter stream it is not the case in Chicago and St. the cheapest route to the Gulf.

have been shadowing would ap- New Orleans, Mobile, Vicksburg pear to be indicated as inevitable, and Memphis. The past twelve if Galveston is true to herself. By months the receipts of our princithis we mean if, without loss of pal staple have increased over the time, she does those things which previous year about 25,000 bales. have not been done, and which are This increase but poorly measures necessary to the development of the increase of production. If we aspiring cities. We mean: 1st, pen- received a fair share of the grain etrating this territory with the made, it would do so. But such is means of communication; and 2d, not the case. The grain we get is the traffic of the mosquito fleet. aspect of affairs. Such cannot be distress. Money is needed. Let it guised tramps. Besides, fuel, a vital means of liv- denied to be the condition, wheth- be sent promptly to care of Hon. a bridge for wagons, persons not subject.

Texas Christian Advocate having boats and not living on the water, would make this a market, JOINT BOARD OF PUBLICATION. while the competition would con-

tinue from the mosquito fleet. It ought not to be necessary to argue that cheapness of living is important, no less to the aggregate than individual prosperity, and it would seem to follow that a bridgeway for vehicles is a matter of prime necessity. Another matter concerning the vital means of living, not less important, may not be so easy to deal with. We refer to the question of water. At present we depend for our supply upon cisterns. This makes the supply both uncertain and expensive. A bountiful supply of pure water is

in importance to a plentiful supply of fresh air. We do not know, but will not deny the existence of a large city depending for its supply of water upon cisterns alone. Attention should be directed to this subject, if we hope to be a place of importance-and this without delay. Competent authorities should be employed to ascertain whether it is feasible to introduce from an unfailing source on the main land this necessary element in abundance. If so, in our judgment, steps should be taken to carry the project into execution.

Of all the measures for our advancement of which we have Louis, though it may be the case

TURCO-RUSSIAN WAR.

"Man proposes, but God disposes." A week ago and it was generally believed that the tide of Turkish successes, which had set in strongly, could not be immediately checked; but the reports of the 11th state that on the 8th inst. the Russians before Plevna, after a terrible bombardment, with superior guns, stormed the position and carried it, after prolonged and obstinate fighting. There seems to be some doubt cast upon this extraordinary piece of intelligence; but the doubt comes from Constantinople through Joseph. English channels; we may reasonably ignore it, and believe at once among the greatest necessities of that the Turks have suffered an existence. Undoubtedly it is next important, if not crushing, defeat at Plevna.

The number of the Russians is put down at 100,000. With such battle at Plevna has been supera force, and with guns of heavier seded and his chief of staff is to be caliber, it is not irrational to credit court-martialed. the report that Plevna, so long and so gallantly defended, has at last succumbed. If so, Russian military stock goes up at once fifty per cent. Their prestige is restored, not complain. and a strong point in their forward base is obtained.

the 12th fail to confirm the reports respecting the fall of Plevna. Those and tremendous cannonading on the part of the assailants and stubborn resistance on the part of the fully in Lenoir county, N. C.

coast is so eligible as a shipping have become wearied of it. They Our BISHOPS.—We have received by shorter lines with more foreign favor so often, they almost fail now House," St. Louis-Logan D.Dame- oughfares till times get better. tile; all of it teeming with the stopped short of a populous and splendid engraving on a sheet ing on the Consulate for relief. ry, and then consider what it is is we have done nothing that Paine, the senior bishop, in the one found in those northern waters. that should be tributary to her. counts. Are we going to remain centre, and Bishops Pierce, Kaza-Young's death are denouncing po-Texas alone is of an area such, thus, supine and idle? Do we naugh, Wightman, McTyeire, Marlygamy. that if the empire of France were intend to let other places more vin, Doggett and Keener encircling laid upon it, there would remain a enterprising than ours snatch him. The publishers guarantee tion of 33,000,000. border all around of thirty miles from us that which is right- satisfaction to all who may buy in width. All of this territory fully ours? Are we unmind- this engraving, and should any must infallibly find its interest ful of the fact that in the person sending for it be disappointin being a feeder to Galves- growth of cities, time, in obtaining ed on receiving the picture, it may ton. Besides our own State, is a a start, is a great point. Do we be returned and the money will be vast wilderness of country lying not know that science is continu- refunded. To any who will procure north and north-west of us, which ally making strides, and that what the names for five copies, remitting must equally consult its interest in may now seem impossible for Sa- amount, \$10, they will send one seeking the shortest line for export. bine Pass or the Brazos mouth, copy gratis. The price above stated ton, "if Galveston is true to herself." ment. And yet in face of these expressage or mailing; and, further,

First-"We are the only true work till the strike is ended. Church of Christ." Second-" We met and confuted by the Rev. B.

B | the relief.

Passing Events.

\$50,000,000.

consumes annually 700,000 feet of white pine, 100,000 pounds of sulphur, and 150 tons of straw board for boxes.

The pay, maintenance and transportation of troops during the labor revolt will cost Pennsylvania

Charles Francis Adams is said to be worth \$2,000,000.

The Commission is hunting Sitting Bull and Howard is hunting

rifle team selected to compete at Creedmoor has light eyes. An artesian well at Round Lake

throws a jet of sulphur water several feet above the ground.

Gen. Krudener who lost the first

A New Bedford adventurer inin a boat 29 feet long.

The street cars at Toronto do not run on Sunday and the people do

LATTER.-Dispatches as late as cilities in the way of accessible the torture forced him to give the timber, coal and iron it aspires to combination of the county safe. be the Clydeof America.

The commanding officer sources indicate decided advan- quelt the insurrection. Says the bore witness of his suffering. tages on the side of the Czar. All insurgents are so well organized ter ten of the insurgents.

Leading business men in Chicago | the mountains. propose to contribute to a fund to The depreciation of the value of point, because it can communicate have heard the arguments in its from the "Advocate Publishing men to work or the public thor- New York, Pennsylvania and

this coast possessing nearly equal have they done in response to ing of our bishops. It is a first- warns American workmen against off the entire national debt. advantages. Back of her is an im- them? Built a road forty miles in class work of art that should be in coming to England unless under The Treasury Department gives Richards, Sub. U. S. Indian Agent, mense territory—much of it ferlength which is of no use, because every Methodist family.

This American workmen are daily calllength which is of no use, because every Methodist family.

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Many Mormons since Brigham

Japan census shows a popula-It is reported that Queen Victo-

ria has knighted Cyrus Field.

cents per bushel.

made an assignment. Embarrass- town rates." have been persecuted for our prin- ment caused by investment in real We have said that the results we with cities losing their trade, as ciples." Third—"We have given estate. Liabilities, \$320,000. An civil and religious liberty to arrangement has been made for his America." The propositions are publications to continue without The trial of Col. Hobby at Aust with each others' camps, when susinterruption.

F. Sedwick, member of the Kenbecoming worse than a nuisance. letters of the kind charged to have each wigwam. His name among tucky Conference. Price 15 cents, Vigilants are organized in places to been unlawfully altered and forged them was Buckskin Bob. His with 20 per cent. discount by the protect the lives and property of in this case could be considered a owner had recently permitted him dozen copies, if sent by express; citizens from their outrages. They violation of the law. The Justice to make trips to the settlements if by mail, postage prepaid, at re- wrecked a train between Malveston decided the altered papers were not with others, and in the last trip, tail price. Send orders to A. H. and Fraziers and tried to rob the of the character the law defines as he happened to pass through the cars. A prominent citizen named forgeries, although it was proved neighborhood where his parents Redford, agent, Nashville, Tenn. Gramm was robbed and killed as they were in the handwriting of lived. They heard of him, and cheapening the vital means of living. Galveston has but one road. Toyes grop. The inference then is ing. Galveston has but one road Texas crop. The inference then is by the great fire at Paris will have raided a farmer who tried unsuc- frontier troops. There are seventy operating her commerce. Un- irresistible, that though Galveston the sympathy of the entire State. cessfully to drive them off. Police- prisoners, among them a number of doubtedly she ought to have others. may receive, each year, more than One of the most beautiful and pros- men and citizens from Lancaster desperate men. Some of them Her future prosperity, and her im- the preceding year, she is not perous of our inland cities is in went to his aid, when the tramps have been endeavoring to cut family are endeavoring t portance demand them. She has holding her own. If this goes on, ashes. Many business men have police charged them and the ras- been searched but the saw or knife no communication with the main she must at some time begin to lost their capital and many fami- cals retreated leaving five wounded. has not been found. Hardin will land for wagons. As a consequence she has no wagon trade, which is poorly compensated by which is poorly compensated by squarely at the present depressed not fail to aid those who are in inals have been detected as dis-

The house of Mr. Walters, of and is under sentence of death. tant and returned to the owner. | limbs badly bitten.

The trade with Canada for the and the West, has been detected, the arrest of John Wesley Hardin, year ending June, 1876, was about Their plan was for one or two to This exhausts the appropriation. One match factory in New York ness and establish a good rame, made, the balance, \$194, will be Then after trausactions with genu- paid. ine checks and drafts they would forge paper to large amounts and her life by the explosion of a kerogang at Minneapolis, Minn., is said lighting a fire. to have obtained \$60,000, from the Lake City National Bank of Lake City, Minnesota.

> It is claimed that Savannah, Ga., has grown more rapidly the last twenty-five years than any sea-coast city south of Baltimore.

It is said the Russian war expenses already exceed 3,000,000,000 Each member of the American

> Mill owners in Virginia are enof prints in New York.

The New Braunfels woollen mills, northwest of Hood county. Mississippi, are making heavy shipments to New Orleans, Mobile,

Savannah and Charleston.

Memphis. Many planters say their vember 15th. tends to circumnavigate Cape Horn | fields look as though a fire had swept through them.

the county treasurer at Wapako- ties. neta, Iowa, was gagged, taken to Ship building is increasing on the court-house, fire placed between James river, Virginia; with its fa- his feet as he lay on the floor, until 840,000 were taken. He was disin covered in the morning in a helpwhich come through Russian Cuba calls for 50,000 troops to less condition. His feet and mouth

The destruction of sheep in Caliaccounts report desperate assaults that it takes 500 soldiers to look af- fornia by the recent drouth is es- Carmargo. They have since been timated at 2,500,000 head, or two-delivered, and there is much ex-It is said that lemons, oranges thirds of the sheep in the State. citement in Matamoras in conseand bananas are growing success- Many of the great sheep herders quence. abandoned 7000 to 10,000 head in

be employed in hiring laboring real estate in the three States of Ohio, during the past eight years, ports than can any other port on to appreciate their force. Yet what ron, agent—a copy of the engrav-

sources of wealth. Bear in mind fertile district. It is no part of 16x20 inches, is sold for the A live alligator measuring five United States currency or national not know how to make a living that Galveston is the natural out- our purpose to find fault for this. small sum of two dollars. The feet in length, was captured in De- bank notes. The practice of issu- among the whites, but has learned let for the products of this territo- We but refer to a fact, and the fact engraving is arranged with R. troit river recently. It is the first ing such cards has become a common one among business men, in remain and go on their usual ignorance that it is a violation of buffalo hunt this winter.

averaging \$1 a day, declaring that made a good selection. Peaches sell in Atlanta for ten they can not live on that pay, and at least 20,000 have been ready to for her school lands in Hill county. Affairs are still unsettled in the take their places at the same rates, The money has been invested at mining regions of Pennsylvania. the farmers of Pennsylvania, Ohio, ten per cent. interest. A special to New York of the 8th, Michigan-all the West-have been states the strikers of the Lehigh re- offering from \$1.25 to \$1.50 a day gion have resolved on a general up- for help, and the demand has been house is to cost between twenty rising if the military make threat- greater than the supply. More- and thirty thousand dollars. In doing so, it must choose Galves- may soon become easy of fulfill- (82) covers all expenses of packing, ened arrests. Five thousand men over, \$1.25 in the country is The use of poison has saved the of secret orders have been drilling worth \$2.50 in the city. It crops around Schulenburg and in the suburbs of Scranton. The is true that this demand has Weimar, Colorado county. This district comprehends New dangers, we sleep. Do the people, the guarantee of its delivery in Molly Maguires are trying to in- been for the harvest, and the Judge Ledbetter, of Shackelford Mexico, the Indian Territory, and the property owners of Galveston, perfect order free of any additional duce railroad employees to join in rates are exceptional. But the fact county, has recovered his son who a general strike Sept. 15, but the remains that in the rich farm lands disappeared some seven years ago railroad men are unwilling. A of the Middle States it is almost when eight years old. It was sup-WE have received from the Pub- disguised party of men went to the impossible to secure the services posed he was stolen by the Inlishing House a work entitled: cottage of a laborer and made him by the year of a steady laborer and dians. His father thinks white Baptist Pretensions," discussing: kneel and swear that he would not his family at the wages paid in men were the kidnappers. He cities, although house rent is free speaks no Indian; says he belonged Frank Leslie, the publisher, has and provisions are one-third of to Tiger Jim, a white man, who

Texas Items.

tin resulted in his acquittal. The picious strangers are about, by The tramps in Pennsylvania are case turned on the question whether means of a cord, with a tin can in

commenced fight with pistols. The through the iron cage. They have

sequence, are butter, eggs, milk gested cannot be hurtful. In a fu- well known citizens will see to it in Indiana. A note he held for hog and nearly killed. One arm and friends of Methodism take and vegetables. If Galveston had ture article we may recur to the that those needing aid will share \$100 was found seventy miles dis- was broken, and her body and notice and be ready to make full

A gang of adroit forgers who The Comptroller has issued his have been operating in New York, warrant for \$3806 to Armstrong for go to some place, engage in busi- When another appropriation is

Mrs. Westfall, of Corsicana, lost disappear. One member of the sene oil can with which she was

> Fine apples have been raised this year in Kerr county.

A minute company of ninety-four men has been organized at Wrightsboro, Gonzales county, to keep down desperadoes.

The iron bridge across the Brazos at Granbury will be completed in ninety days. It will be four hundred feet in length and one hundred and thirty feet span across the couraged by the recent large sale channel. It will be the chief thoroughfare for the counties west and

Large preparations are being made, says the Brenham Banner for the annual reunion of Terry's The army worm has damaged Rangers and Green's Brigade, which the crops badly in the region of will take place in Brenham, No-

The cultivation of sorghum is an important feature of farming in On the night of the 5th, Mr. Myers, Travis and a number of other coun-

> A new town in San Saba county. named Williams Rancho, contains several hundred inhabitants.

The Mexican force opposite Starr county has been increased to 1500 men. It is supposed this was in accordance with the promises of Benavides and Trevino, to secure the three Rio Grande raiders, who were supposed to be in the vicinity of

It is claimed that Corpus Christi handled 6,000,000 pounds of wool the past season.

A man who was stolen when he was a boy by the Indians fourteen years ago, in Gillespie county, has of age when he was stolen. J. R. eards bearing a resemblance to to leave the Indians; says he would

The New Jersey Colony Land The Detroit Tribune places the mat- Locating Company have bought ter before the discontented work- 10,000 acres of land near Rice, on ingmen of the mines and manu- the Texas Central, where they exfactories thus: While 10,000 men pect to build up a prosperous town have been on a strike against wages and farming interests. They have

Leon county has realized \$60,000

The Williamson county court

was kind to him. He says that Tiger Jim and six or eight old hunters live in a canon in the mountains, and can communicate proved, without question, his identity. He is restless, and wants to visit Tige, as he calls the old him from those influences and keep their long-lost child at home. - ..

(Communicated.)

The fourth quarterly meeting for Lancaster Circuit will be at Bell Bill Longley has been convicted Chapel, on Red Oak, Ellis county, Texas, commencing on Friday prereports. -- SAMUEL MORRIS, P. C.

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THE DESIGNS OF PROVIDENCE.

movement in the direction of the advanced civilization and enterprise which now animates the world. The dark ages had nearly extinguished the light of pure Christianity—the vital principle of the soul—and every element essential to national progress was either dead or so far paralyzed as to render progress impossible. Up to this The Bautists Preshyterians and progress impossible. Up to this The Bautists Preshyterians and the Huguenots of advanced civilization and enterprise was sheefly. The Further Huguenots of advanced civilization and the Huguenots of advanced civilization and enterprise was the Huguenots of advanced civilization and enterprise which now animates the world. The Huguenots of South Carolina came to this country to enjoy religious liberty alone; political liberty was wholly an after thought. The Friend Quakers of Pennsylvania and the Lutherans and Dutch Reformed Church of New York, New Jersey and other States, came for the same reasons.

Sage's Catarrh Remedy. Its efficately all true Christians are the heirs of the popular remedies recommended all true Christians are the heirs of all true Christians are the heirs of the popular remedies recommended all true Christians are the heirs of the spend to the tested in many thought the tested for my complaint of the septent was all dead of the popular remedies recommended all true Christians are the heirs of all true Christians are the heirs of all true Christians are the heirs of the popular remedies recommended all true Christians are the heirs of the popular remedies recommended to all true Christians all true Christians are the heirs of the popular remedies recommended all true Christians all true Christi

About the close of the fifteenth century a new and brighter era began to shed its light upon the benighted and superstitions world believed and superstitions with the superstition of the superstitions and superstitions world believed and superstitions world believed and superstitions with the superstition of the su ings of Wickliffe and his coadjutors in England had sown the seeds of the reformation, and Luther's day was just at hand. All of which circumstances gave promise of the uprising of a new life and brighter hopes for the world. At this auspicious period Columbus discovered America and opened up a new world; and though unknown to history, it was pointed out in prophecy as the home and inheritance of God's spiritual Israel!

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The Protestant Episcopal Church here has struggled hard to keep up taleast an imitation of the spirit and usages of the Church of England. But this political soil and say were the promise of Palestine, and were thereby." There are no broad rivication. The Protestant spiring daylance, and hearten ye less influence over our field thereby. "There are no broad rivication. The Protestant spiring daylance over in Palestine and none equal to the reby." Listen, the least of the public heart was a prosperous one, and downs in any country.

9. Isaiah says (ch. xlx): "Listen, the least of the public hearten and hearken ye less influence is held over them by the longer they mingle with us the less influence is held over them by the longer they mingle with us the less influence of the free on the public here in Protection and the propher and heart than a Catholic.

The Protestant Episcopal Church here shall gallant ships madnened in thereby." There are no broad

seph having two parts.

West India Islands in 1492, and and vital godliness.

Jesuit, a brother of Jean Baptist to revolutionize the world. years. He descended the Missis- cious purpose. sippi to its mouth; explored its I will now give some scripture entrance into the Gulf, and then proofs, going to sustain the theory returned to France, and, with a new that the United States is Christian cess to the Advocate, its editor commission to colonize the lower Israel restored to nationality, ac- and publishers. During the days Mississippi, he, with four ships cording to prophecy.

Texas Christian Advocate gorda bay, where, by the loss of his vessels and discord among his del Jews, as most of them now are? of energy, ability or means; but be lost.

them in harmony as one people. our old thirteen colonies.

was wholly unknown to the Old lead in this country as the cham-World. Spain. Was first done by Columbus of are given away by druggists.

nighted and superstitious world, monopolize all control over the ered out of many nations * * which and the elements of life and prog- religious interests of their countries; have been always waste." This ress, under the providence of God, and, in union with the States, to must have been a new country, The Twenty second Collegiste year of this rose to view about the same time. force an unwilling revenue from filled up with people from many The art of printing and the manu- the people for their support, have nations as this has been.

typified in the distribution of lands land, but this political soil and an sea west of Palestine, and were to the twelve tribes of Israel in climate does not seem to suit its mariners. To carry emigrants to Palestine, was to be distributed to constitution; for they were the first the West was to carry them away twelve Christian colonies, and to hold a prominent position here from Judea, but it was directly tofinally to thirteen, as in Israel, Jo- in early times, and with more wards this country. wealth, members and prestige than 10. Ezekiel, xxx:8: "Thou shalt The ground preserved for the fu- any other church, they have gradu- say I will go up to the land of unture colonies was not to be preoc- ally lost ground, not holding their walled villages; I will go to them cupied by any Catholic nation, or population. They seem to be an opposition to our increased power hostile to pure, Protestant population. They seem to be an opposition of the nation o who discovered it, reached the spirit of a free country, equal rights to turn thy hand upon the deso-

planted Spanish colonies there. He From the foregoing it will be upon the people that are gathered never reached the continent prop-er; and we see those colonies to entering into the body and bases of This country is one of "unwalled this day with the curse and blight the original American body politic cities"; Palestine is not; was once of a despotic, corrupt church and and church, that there is found a waste but now inhabited, and the government, holding dominion ov- decided form of Protestant Chris- people come from many nations er them still, greatly to their detri- tianity. Our fathers, who laid the and dwell in safety. foundations of our civil and re- 11. In Isaiah xlix, the country Americus Vespucius, who was ligious institutions, were men of a is described as one that is rapidly also an Italian Catholic, under the positive and decided character, filling up with population, as fol-auspices of Spain and Portugal in They thought and acted from prin- lows: "The land shall be too nar-1497, succeeded in reaching the ciple. They could have remained row by reason of inhabitants. The continent; yet he was providen- in this or in the old countries, as children thou shalt have, after thou tially directed to South America, thousands and millions are now has lost the others (having lost carand founded Catholic colonies doing, and have submitted to every nal Israel) shall say again in thy there which have been under the wrong and outrage, for peace sake; ear, the place is too straight for me; same blighting influences of spir- but, by the help of God, they de- give place to me that I may dwell." itual and political despotism, clared their rights and stood by and as compared with the United them until God honored and rebeen added to the original thirteen, States, they are far inferior, and the warded them as worthy a goodly and still the cry is: give us more elements of future greatness are heritage, which he has bestowed room. upon us, and now proposes to use

La Salle, the founder of the "Broth- These historic events are brought ers of the Christian Schools," a to the notice of the reader to show equally as full as these, bearing on Catholic order, came to Canada as that God has preserved and pro- the identity of our country with early as 1666, and labored perse-tected our country from the do-the promised spiritual Israel, but veringly to establish forts and col- minion of political and ecclesiastic these must suffice for the present. onies for the French for twenty despotism, for some wise and gra-

and 280 men and an ample outfit, 1. It is objected by some that scarcely ever met me without some sought to enter the Mississippi in carnal Israel is to be restored to inquiry about the ADVOCATE. How October, 1685, but was providentially hindered by drifting too far west, and finally landed at Mata-

Christian, in selecting the proper west. [Ez. xl:47.] In the first place Physician has prescribed a pous see where the right material was nies in our country which is be- tion from His beneficent character and what common bonds united makes thirteen, corresponding to with an incurable disease. The

Prior to 1492 the world was in and not permitted to enjoy relig- ham's seed and heirs according to known. For catarrh, the most po-

progress impossible. Up to this The Baptists, Presbyterians and were to carry immigrants to the Remedy. Full particulars in period the American continent Methodists have ever taken the isles—the United States—which Pierce's memorandum books. They

facture of paper had been so far completed as to be available. The mariner's compass was now brought into use, which greatly extended the area of navigation. The written area of mavigation. The written area of mavigation. The written area of Michigan and the mariner support, have people for their support of their full for their full full for their full full for their full full fo ings of Wickliffe and his coadjutors with the liberal spirit of our free neither shall gallant ships pass Matriculation Fee on entering College.

late places that are now inhabited,

12. Isaiah, lx: "The abun-Robert Cavalier La Salle, the our country and its glorious insti- dance of the sea shall be given to French explorer, originally a tutions as an instrument with which thee." The commerce of the country is to be very great.

There are many other passages B. T. K.

(Communicated.)

WEATHERFORD, Aug. 27.-Sucof its silence, many of my people The Important Question.

Of all the loathsome diseases men, and many providential hin- 2. Or, as converted Jews? If the Catarrh stands pre-eminent. It ON A BOSTON POLICE OFFICER. drances, he utterly failed in all his schemes, and was finally murdered ize under the old Mosaic and Le-himself as to others. And the most himself as to others. And the most H. R. STEVENS: by his own men. Not a vestige of the labors of La Salle, in establishing colonies in any part of our country, have remained. Why this failure? It was not for the want the follies which fashion imposes case. In this condition I was persuaded to try Vegeof energy, ability or means; but Providence worked against him. Catholic Spaniards or Jesuit French were not the men to lay the foundations of the great Christian republic that was, by prophecy, promised to Christian Israel, twenty-five hundred years before it rose! The hand of Providence is very clearly seen by every thoughtful country with a sea on the east and clearly seen by every thoughtful country with a sea on the east and clearly seen by every thoughtful country with a sea on the east and clearly seen by every thoughtful country with a sea on the east and clearly seen by every thoughtful country with a sea on the east and clearly seen by every thoughtful country with a sea on the east and clearly seen by every thoughtful country with a sea on the east and clearly seen by every thoughtful country with a sea on the east and clearly seen by every thoughtful country with a sea on the east and clearly seen by every thoughtful country with a sea on the east and clearly seen by every thoughtful country with a sea on the east and clearly seen and to foster and disseminate it. To the pitiful cry of its whether converted or not, is absurd, for the reason that Judea is not large upon us tend to foster and disseminate it. To the pitiful cry of its victims, is there any cure for Catarrh? there is but one answer consistent with Christian reason. God has never sent one evil into the world for which he has not sent the remediace, and it seemed as though 1 countries to the first dose through my whole system; into it is set there any cure for Catarrh? there is but one answer consistent with Christian reason. God has never sent one evil into the world for which he has not sent the remediace, and it seemed as though 1 countries to the first dose through my whole system; and I followed on with the Vegetine and from that moment 1 began to the effect of the first dose through my whole system; and I followed on with the Vegetine and from that moment 1 began to effect of the first dose through my the effect of the first dose th clearly seen by every thoughtful country, with a sea on the east and itual and moral evils, the Great time and men, and the right ele- ten of the tribes are extinct, and, tent and never-failing remedy. The date on the address of your paper indicates the expiration of subscription. 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The above objections rest of Christianity is a God of Love, Mr. Stevens: informed American citizen, that the upon the idea that the promise and of Mercy; His message is "good persecution and oppressions inflict- the prophecy refer to the seed of will to all men." The earth and That it was the design and pur-pose of God, in His wise providence, Church of England, and the bloody whereas the New Testament designal designant of the great Designer to supply pose of God, in His wise providence, to reserve that part of North America now occupied by the United States for a special purpose—for a great Protestant, Christian nation, great Protestant, Christian nation, free from monarchy, both civil and ecclesiastical—appears most manianny and civil oppression—being great Protestant, Christian nation, country, whose sole object was to is that circumcision which is outsupply man's uttermost need. 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The prime object is proselytism to head a foot nearer the ground, but sions as follows: the Catholic religion. In all such Bob didn't notice it. of the pupil's home and family are ride. able point in the household, it is then.' parents and children alike ignorant of Jesuitical intermeddling.

Then, when the proper time comes, the final act is performed.

The daughter is cut off from her home and family. Sometimes a resort to courts in time, will correct such flagrant abuses, but in the war was ended their missionary.

Cord of wood piled up around the boy; for, as the Piutes say, "squaw heap strong."

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BISHOP MARVIN gave a good account of the mission work of the Church South at the British Wesleyan Conference. He said: "When the war was ended their missionary to control the mission and which it has covenanted to protect and use for a given purpose.

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Geology has proved the existence and located the position of ancient lakes that are now absolutely dry, and the necessities of civilization are teaching us that there may be large collections of fresh ary spirit stirred up within them water in the solid crust of the earth. With the rapid growth of population, and the simultaneous zeal in the subject beyond all preconcentration of industries in some cedent and all history." regions, such as are found in parts of England, for instance, the problem of obtaining pure water for the Fetterman tells the story of a young The area of contamination from human or manufacturing sources is so great that it is impossible to bring in supplies from the country beyond its borders without great expense, and it is not always possible to overcome the difficulty even with any reasonable expenditure of money. In such cases it may be necessary to draw the may be necessary to draw the of hair tied with a bit of blue ribneeded stores from the very bosom of mother earth, and fortunately young man's name or place of resithe great beds of sandstone offer reservoirs of almost unlimited extent. Prof. Boyd Dawkins, indeed, has come to the conclusion that in Lancashire and Cheshire, England, there is a vast lake fed by subterrangen we tor. What a substant of the lady was taken in Chicago. The soldiers who found the body buried it in a nameless grave and carved on a tree near by. "Mamie's Friend, May 26, 1877."

Richmond, at Bethel (a camp-meeting), October 27, 28 alleyton, at Alleyton, October 27, 28 alleyton, at A subterranean water. Whether that surmise is true or not, the sandstones are known to receive a great
quantity of the surface waters, amounting, it is estimated, to onestudy only to glory in one's knowlstudy is to forget the ministry; to study only to glory in one's knowlstudy at all is to
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An Indian's Use of his Squaw.

among the hills hereabout possess ponies. As there is hardly a hand-ful of grass to the acre, in the neighborhood of their shanties, it behooves such as have horses to keep a bright lookout for provender. Every wisp of hay that is met with by either bucks or squaws, is sack, to go toward providing a a meal for the half-famished pony picketed at the camp. The Indians are sure to be on hand when hay

eted article. The other morning we observed Captain Bob and his squaw at a hay cart that stood at a distance from the depot, and there being no A lady writes to us, says the one about, they allowed none of No such idea had entered his head. occurrence. The Romish colleges squaw, he planted the boy atop the and convent schools are are all load of hay. This proceeding

espionage prevails. Deception is Bob?" said we, practiced evermore. The secret's "For cos' me like to see him

sought out; if there is a vulner- "Let him ride on your back, has to give a farm or a ship to ev-

ascertained and a record is made "Guess not, old son; me can't or a sailor. of it. Notes are kept, and plans see him if on my back!" and 3. The State has no ability to contemplated. All letters sent out upon the youthful scion of his of their higher studies.
or received by pupils are secretly house. Before reaching camp, 4. The State has no right to tax

rect such flagrant abuses, but in the war was ended their missionary treasury for higher education. most cases the child is lost—hope- treasury was \$50,000 in debt, and lessly alienated from father and they were left without resources. treasury from trust funds. of such outrages seems to have upon their fields again, and they higher education. little effect. The Romish schools had to-day in the way of missions: still have a large Protestant pat- (1) An Annual Conference of near-child. ronage. And why send our chil- ly twenty members among the nadren to such schools to be educat- tive Indians—the aborigines of the schools. ed? They are known to be su- country, and a very great work was perficial. The teachers are for being done there. (2) A German eigners-French and Spanish- mission in Texas which was ac- bitterly of the cruelty of the plantnot one in twenty speaks or writes complishing a great deal among ers. the English language correctly, the Germans. (3) An African Pupils graduating from them go mission that had a wonderful hisout to speak broken English, and tory. (4) Missions in Mexico, to pronounce common words so where a revolutionary struggle had badly as to subject themselves to been going on for the past fifty chagrin and mortification when years. The Mexican people were ever they mingle with educated struggling for constitutional liberty, people. The papal colleges and but the priests were against them, convent schools are known to have and had been so from the beginthe lowest grade of scholarship of ning. The Methodist Episcopal the institutions of our country. Church, South, however, has fairly Why not give them a wide berth? established itself in the heart of that country. (5) They had also a mission in Brazil; and (6) they

A HERO.—A letter from Fort

A HERO.—In the state of the s great cities becomes a difficult one. hero, who, alone and single-handed,

amounting, it is estimated, to one-third of the rainfall. In a country with a rainfall of 45 inches yearly, one-third would be 15 inches, or about 340,000 gallons per acre. The depth of these reservoirs ensures the purity of the water, and must also act as a governor upon the regularity of the supply. It is from similar rocks that the petroleum of Pennsylvania is drawn.—

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We take the following from the Virginia City, Nevada, Enterprise: the wild Indians in the Territory, A number of Piutes camped writes as follows to the Texas Ba p

Rev. A. J. Holt, a missionary to the wild Indians in the Territory, writes as follows to the Texas Bap tist Herald:

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MARSHALL DISTRICT—FOURTH ROUND. Hallville circuit, at Cave Spring, October 6, 7 Elevisanfields, at Mount Zion, October 13, 11 Bellview circuit, Bellview. October 27, 28 Troupe circuit, at Good Hope, Nov. 3, 4 Henderson and Overton station, Nov. 10, 11 Starville circuit, at Each Cool Hope, Nov. 3, 4 Henderson and Overton station, Nov. 10, 11 Starville circuit, at Each Cool Hope, Nov. 17, 18 Larissa circuit, at —, Nov. 24, 25 Harrison circuit, at Rocksprings, Dec. 1, 2 Marshall station, Dec. 8, 9

All statistics required at the Annual Conferences; also, reports from all boards of trustees, class leaders and secretaries of church conferences are members of the quarterly conference and are earnestly requested to be present.

B. W. THOMPSON, P. E. me relate what I saw with my own picked up and stuffed into a gunny eyes not six weeks ago among these very Comanches: I went to the arbor to preach to them, and found them in great confusion, and after awhile found out that a party of white men from Texas had been in and stolen thirty ponies the night before, and had made good their escape thus far, although my interpreter and a party had gone in and generally manage to glean a considerable bundle of the covinterpreter and a party had gone in pursuit. I have reliable information that a party of white men, living about Double Mountain, have frequently disguised themselves as Indians and raided on the frontier of Texas; other Comanches got the credit. White men teach them these tricks; they have been apt pupils-this accounts for their acknowledged treachery. But if it pleases God I am going to risk all, and go among these very Comanches, learn the language and preach the blessed gospel of God to them, knowing that the "gospel is the power of God unto salvation to WEATHERFORD DISTRICT-FOURTH ROUND GALVESTON .. every one that believeth.

THE New York Christian Adro-The foregoing is not a novel As soon as he had overhauled his cate has a long and able article on State and Denominational Schools. established for the same purpose, caused the woman to bow her Dr. Fowler sums up his conclu-

1. The State has no right to tax establishments, a rigid system of "Why don't you carry the boy, the poor man to exalt the rich man's son.

2. The State has no more right to give advanced education than it ery one who wishes to be a farmer

are devised for reaching the end away went Bob, proudly smiling care for our children in the midst Pattern guaranteed to fit perfectly. Send for

read, and correspondence is so Bob probably had a quarter of a and so divert the benevolence of controlled or intercepted as to keep cord of wood piled up around the those who provide higher education

8. Not one cent for the public

10. Common schools for every

11. Every child for the common

The Chinese in Cuba complain

Church Motices.

Episcopal Appointments.

Numerous and urgent requests have been made to have the times of holding some of the Texas. Conferences changed. The following changes have accordingly been made. You will oblige me by publishing them as extensively as ou can: North Texas, at Bonham, Nov. 7

West Texas, at Corpus Christi, Nov. 21 Northwest Texas, at Waco, Dec. 5 East Texas, at Crockett, Dec. 12 Texas, at Galveston, Iee. 19 Charleston, S. C., July 4th, 1877.

GEORGETOWN DISTRICT.-FOURTH ROUND. had three missionaries, and were now sending out a fourth missionary to China. That was what they were doing in the way of missions. He might say further that of late their people had had the missionary spirit stirred up within them

Boxville circuit, September 15th Concrete circuit, September 29th Clinton circuit, October 6th

A. A. KILLOUGH, P. E. PALESTINE DISTRICT-FOURTH ROUND.

COMANCHE DISTRICT-FOURTH ROUND.

MARSHALL DISTRICT-FOURTH ROUND.

R. W. THOMPSON, P. E. MARSHALL, Texas, Aug. 24, 1877. WACO DISTRICT-FOURTH ROUND.

Calvert, September 15 Marlin, at Marlin, September 22 Kosse circuit, at Union Church, Sept 29 Waco station, October 6 Waco circuit, at Stanford's Chapel, October 13

BEAUMONT DISTRICT-FOURTH ROUND. Hardin and Smithfield missions, at Hardin, Sep-

Hardin and Smithfield missions, at Hardin, September 29, 30
Woodville et, at Magnolia Campground, October 13, 14
Wolf Creek et, at Spurgerville, Oct 29, 21
Wallisville et, at Inside Prairie, Oct 27, 28
Beaumont et, at Beaumont, Nov 3, 4
Jasper et, at Jasper, Nov 10, 11
Newton et, at Wilson Chapel, Nov 17, 18
Homer et, at Homer, Nov 21, 25
Moscow, at Moscow, Dee 8, 9
A full attendance is very important. Pastors will be called on for a full statistical report. See Discipline, Chap. 3, Sec. 3, page 74.

E. L. ARMSTRONG, P. E.

PALESTINE DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND. Pennington circuit, September 15, 16 Athens circuit, September 22, 23 Trinity mission, September 29, 30 JOHN ADAMS, P. E.

WEATHERFORD DISTRICT—FOURTH ROUND
Weatherford circuit, 4th Sabbathlin Sept.
Graham, at Monk's Chapel, 1st Sabbath in Oct.
Eldorado, at Westbrook's Springs, 2d Sab, in Oct.
Cartersville, 1st Sabbath in Nov.
Weatherford station, 2d Sabbath in Nov.
Black Springs, 2d Sabbath in Nov.
Brethren, don't fail to bring up every collection ordered by the church. I insist that the Friday preceding each quarterly meeting be observed by fasting and prayer, and that services be held suitable to the occasion. Oh! for a glorious revival all over the district. We must double the membership before Conference. double the membership before Conference. T. W. Hines, P. E.

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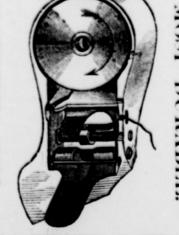
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with these questions:

and which, if proven, must de- time, we recognize God's authority, and systems furnished God no tem- fellow men. The one class are the requisite to improve it. mand the infliction of the severest and when we have a command we ples in which to dwell, no spirits free lances of society. The other penalty, the accused is entitled to cannot question man's obligation to which He could communicate furnishes them unfortunate ivica fair and impartial hearing. While, to obey. We may not step be- Himself. as individuals, we may be entitled tween God and the subject and to our private opinion respecting compel obedience, for that is God's journal, to prejudge the case, or to be followed by the breaking down agency should be employed for its gambling. Life depends upon Yet in the midst of the murkiest is waiting the sun. shape public sentiment either for of those moral elements which suppression. It is acknowledged production, and production cannot gloom, signs of the glorious change or against men who are on trial alone can preserve the integrity of that the press is among the best be sustained without labor. If the are not wanting. The polar star before the proper tribunal.

awake respecting the heniousness Europe for our social ideal: the we so persistently urge public attouch men's pockets and endanger proclaims the Bible with its sub- the aid of all moral men to abate sport. By reason of the dimin- earth; the little birds begin to their estates. They break down lime morality as the standard by the evil. confidence, which is a vital element which our social fabric is to be in the business of the land. No shaped. Which do we choose? appeals are required to arouse people when thieves are known to be in the community, and pickare demanded to arouse a slumber- taining to man. ing or purify a vitiated public Man has ever felt the need of and a winning hospitality, the into a thousand streams that can-civil feuds. They have seen their

of the law.

account. If they are meeting their ing presence. the delinquent.

THE SABBATH.

The scream of the railway whistle to Nicodemus that regeneration is his boldness, but certainly no less such, they have a profound period of the national travail, and an hundred .- c. H. SMITH.

God, and more largely than any Ghost.

in questions of religion is admitted. alone giveth life.

THE CHIEF GLORY OF MAN.

pockets are prowling along our permeable to the Divine Spirit is countries. But it is equally true the consequences that result animal creation; and a deeper crowded thoroughfares. The fact man's chief glory. More than the that the passion is so strong it are a pecuniary consideration, spell than that of midnight rests announced wakes up the most slug- qualities of intellect, volition or has been found impossible entirely Crime and pauperism are the legiti- upon the eyelids of the dawn. gish citizen. Other offenses, equally immortality does this quality pecu- to control it. It is lamentably true mate offspring of idleness and gam- If we mistake not, through such damaging and demoralizing, may liarly mark man's glory. To be that in the State of Texas the laws bling. The gambler enriches him- a still and gloomy transition the be poisoning the morals or en- penetrated and lighted up by the are inadequate to its suppression; self, but impoverishes the laborer. American people are passing: dangering the good order of society, Divine mind, to be permeated and that it flourishes; that, as with Taxes are thus increased, and there They have had their fair morn and the note of alarm is needed. enlivened by the Divine Spirit, to other infractions of law, the viola- are fewer to pay them; for the gam- ing, their glorious noon, their Diatribes against fraud are only be strengthened for all responsitions are not occasional, and in se-bler is cosmopolitan and migra- glowing eve, and their plunge into echoes of universal sentiment, but bilities by the divine indwelling, is cluded places, but habitual, and tory. For the most part, his gains as dark a night as can befall only denunciation against other offenses a glory above anything else per- open to the public gaze-nay, in- are capable of concealment; or else, the unfortunates who become the

living divine connection, of divine closest scrutiny and the largest pa- not be traced. It is upon these midnight grisly with a blackness There is another point worthy help to accomplish his great des- tronage. of consideration. Our complaints tiny. The divine personally il- The laws of a State are the re- upon considerations affecting char- mouth of crime, and haunted by against gambling have not been lumines and teaches the human flection of its public opinion. If acter, that human laws are directed the murdered ghosts of national confined to the vice alone, but spirit, draws out its moral powers, the public opinion is resolutely set against gambling. have been directed mainly against leads it by its gentle influences, upon the extermination of this But it ought not to be needful to the American people survived, till those unfaithful public officers who quickens it into a higher life, dwells vice, the laws will be so framed show that the laws against gam- now they seem to slumber fitfully have failed to enforce the mandates in it, comforts and witnesses to it, that offenders will not escape with bling are well grounded. When we shivering on the dark bridge that communes with it, nourishes and nominal punishment, to renew see a gun discharged among wild connects the past night with the In the case now before the public, develops its powers. Inspiration their baneful and profitable depre- fowl, and the havor produced, it is coming day. so far as we have been able to is attributed to prophets and apos- dations. This is, and has been, the not necessary to investigate the nalearn, the officers to whom these tles; in its moral activities it per- course. It is hoped that the at- ture of gun-powder to satisfy our- crime and repentance, failure with public duties have been entrusted tains to every human spirit. As tention of thoughtful men may be selves of the fact that the imple- success, poverty with wealth, and have arrested the accused parties, spirits, all men are open to the in- aroused to the magnitude of this ment used is destructive. The misery with happiness, perform and it is the business of the courts dwelling of God, capable of receiv- subject. In this view it may be evidence is before our eyes. In the obscure but benign functions in to mete out even-handed justice. ing His influence, of co-operating well to trace the grounds upon same way, we do not need to know human history. Had they failed, public opinion with His movements, and of being which gambling is held to be wrong: that gambling has been denounced, would have held them to a rigid perfected in glory by His sanctify- The Creator has said: "Thou shalt or why it is an evil, to be satisfied intrigue-only a foray in the dis-

sworn obligations, they merit their By this inspiration of the Divine Totake our neighbor's goods against too many hearts have been wrung- spirit of slaughter, a deep lull in meed of praise; but if they fail in is regeneration and salvation. We his desire (though not against his too many homes made wretched- the storm of sectional animosity, any particular, the citizen, the jour- are down under sin, we are under will), as is the case when no equiva- too many lives wrecked by it—to a gleam of justice from the right nalist, the preacher, have the right it forever if we rely on the unas- lent is given, is a violation of this have doubts on this point. We hand of executive power, a manito proclaim the act, and denounce sisted operations of our own nature. command. The gambler's defense see in our cities the palatial fest anxiety to adjust on a right- jous freedom. Further, abstract principles of law is, that he gives his antagonist a evidences of the treasure that has eous basis the relations of labor and duty cannot save man, for chance to obtain his goods. Let us been wrung from patient toil to and capital, a spirit of enforced there is no power in written law or see how cogent this defense is: rear those costly piles of magnifi- moderation creeping into econom-A crusade against the Sabbath theoretic standards. Material sac- There is a command, "Thou shalt cence; and daily, the denizen of ics-whether they be political, so- meeting has just closed at Mitchis one of the movements of the raments cannot save him. The notsteal." The most ungodly admit our cities may see that the men cial or personal—a growing impa- am's chapel; it lasted four days. day. In many of the cities, Sab- water of baptism does not so much as stealing to be wrong. Robbery is a who ply this craft, though "they tience of the tawdry flash and Thirty-four professed religion; but description is becoming so penetrate the body, much less the mode of stealing. If the robber toil not, neither do they spin," are buncombe that have degraded our bath desecration is becoming so penetrate the body, much less the mode of stealing. If the robber toil not, neither do they spin," are buncombe that have degraded our twenty-eight joined the M. E familiar that people fail to mark spirit. The hands of confirmation attacks one, knowing the chances decorously arrayed and fare land for twenty years, a soberer Church, South, by ritual. This the departure from the day of rest on the hairs of the head. It is are equal which will be over-sumptuously. They are danger-spirit springing up in church makes about 164 conversions in the Sabbath quiet and rest which has evident that spiritual depravity powered, is his offense obliterated? ous men: dangerous because their and State, in trade and home Athens circuit this year. been one of the distinguishing cannot be washed away by mate- is it mitigated? There may, in- wiles are masked. They are es-

Texas Christian Advocate as express and freight trains rush to necessarily by the operation of the condemnation of the crime. All knowledge of human nature. They entrance upon a new and brighter

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another-provided he agrees to be of such unhappy experiences.

the station, the clamor of hackmen spirit of God. The true normal men will agree, it was a crime, are affable and genial; often pol-day. and the uninterrupted activity of state of man was that of continual though he gave his victim an equal ished and courtly. They affect, Values of great worth are estibusiness, proclaim our railroads inspiration, of an indwelling di- chance. We are putting the gam- and sometimes feel, a generosity mated correctly by the price paid the Sabbath-breakers of our age. vine presence. Man's fall was not bler, now, upon stronger ground which they can well afford to dis- for them. The heaviest price that They not only rob multitudes in from certain moral notions or laws, than he is entitled to occupy. In play. They are skilled in the arts can be paid for an earthly good is their employ of Sabbath rest, but but from the personal inhabitation of practice he gives his victim a of pleasing, as well as those of labor and suffering. Our people fill towns and cities with their God; or, as the apostle expresses it, chance, but not an equal chance. dissimulation. They address them- have toiled and suffered, and when Finley East Texas Conference of God; or, as the aposte expresses it, then, it is wrong to rob when the chances are equal, how much selves especially to the inexperiting down public sentiment respecting down public sentiment respecting the sanctity of the Sabbath is not the setting man in new rolar more so is it, to win when the vouthful imagination is excited by rights protected laborand a virtuous conference in the chances are equal. ing the sanctity of the Sabbath, is not the setting man in new rela- more so is it to win when the youthful imagination is excited by rights, protected laboranda virtuous may be accepted as the chief cause | tions to abstract laws, but the bring- | chances are every way in the gam- | liberality, profusion and heartiness | life, nothing short, we trow, of death of this wholesale Sabbath desecra- ing him back to his normal state bler's favor. In the cases we have of manner. Under these disguises itself will suffice to wrench these tion. Then, excursion trains, and relation to the eternal spirit, compared, the only difference is, they win upon the confidence of inestimable blessings from their crowded with pleasure-seekers, offer which begins anew to dwell in him, previous agreement. If this is ad-their victims. Woe be to them if hands, won at such a cost. additional occasion for these pub- so that he is led by the spirit and ded, they are precisely alike. Sup- they yield. They enter the charmed The lion of political agitation is lic transgressions of the law of becomes the temple of the Holy pose the robber has an under-circle with life sparkling before chained. The people at large will supstanding with another, that when them in rainbow hues. They leave, port a righteous President-not beother cause promote this growing True religion is not a ceremonial, they meet the vanquished is to be leaden-footed, with heavy hearts, cause he is of this or that political evil. The influx of foreign popu- nor is it orthodoxy : all his life, a man despoiled? Does this agreement to look upon a horizon draped creed, but because he is just, honest, lation, with their lax opinions re- may practice the ceremonials of render him less an offender? Will with gloom. Perchance their and manifests benevolent intent specting the Sabbath as a day of Judaism or Christianity, and yet not any man who has respect for the prospects were bright. They had to all. The insanity of money moralizing as gambling or other rest, increase this tendency in our become evangelically religious. He laws of God and society maintain the confidence of their employer. gambling has been checked. There large cities; and the beer garden, may bave correct views of God, of the it? We do not say he will be re- They held a position of responsi- is a deep seated repugnance in the the Sunday fete, the shooting atonement, of depravity; may be garded as odious as he might be, bility. In their trust reposed the heart of the people aroused against match, the base ball display, are lieve the creed and every article of but that nevertheless he will be honor, the hopes, the fortune of a the empire of those rings of innow exhibitions as familiar as the faith, and yet not be in a state of a wrong-doer. The gambler can-benefactor. Yielding to the seduc-iquity. Their power is scotched in sound of the Sabbath bell, while salvation. True religion is sonship not then find a defense for win- tive influence of play, they have not killed. We may hope to see the crowds who attend them are to God, the spiritual bearing the ning his adversary's money in been unfaithful-dishonest. They the brand put on honest labor rethe parties in recent frauds are vastly in excess of the attendants divine likeness, which is by the indwelling of the divine virtue. Re- to win his own, unless he is pre- tor and themselves. Not infre- that is dawning upon us. Young The personal freedom of all men ligion is vitality, and the spirit pared to show that he may rob quently a suicide's fate is the sequel men will not be ashamed to take

BEFORE DAWN.

our social and political institutions. instruments for the propagation of time of men be devoted to sporting, rises in the north and shines all ished supply, prices may be en- chirp restlessly in the thickets and It is not denied that gambling is hanced; but this does not com- hedges; the "cock's shrill clarion destructive to character, and to the pensate the laborers for what is anticipates the day; the great interests of society. It is not de- withdrawn from them for the beasts who have quietly stood all nied that these facts are recognized support and enrichment of night in their stalls lie down; and The fact that the spirit of man is in the legislation of almost all the drones. In addition to this, a wide-spread languor pervades the

viting, by magnificent surroundings like fractured glass, are dissipated victims of intestine broils and and other economic grounds, and that only gapes from the open hope and honor! All this have

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Freedom from foreign wars and not covet thy neighbor's goods." that it is such. All of us know tant mountains to excite the fell

hold of the plough, the axe and or trick of lawyer, the ends of the God allows each individual to This capacity of the spirit of man robbed, if possible. It is to be unlaw are defeated, an injury incal- choose between obedience and dis- to receive the spirit of God, and derstood that we apply this reason- to be met with in our cities of the driven by public opinion from culable in its extent must be inflict- obedience in all questions of reli- walk in harmony therewith, marks ing in its extremity only to those evils of gambling. To control, if hanging around saloons, drinking gious faith and practice, and hence man's greatest dignity; his dignity who make a profession of gam- not extirpate this evil, a sound poison, talking indecently, and liv-There are some considerations, we do not dispute the right of every above all created matter. God bling. While we regard all betting public sentiment is necessary. This ing on the charity of their hardhowever, which must have weight man so far as mere human regula- created the hosts of heaven, but in as wrong, and of dangerous ten- sentiment must find its efficacious working wives; they will be forced with the journalist when dealing tions are concerned to decide for them was nothing of inspiration, no dency, we recognize a difference in expression in the making and enhimself the manner in which the response, no thought of the Creator, the conduct of those who for mere forcing of proper laws. In a sub- the army of labor will be reinforced First, when a party is on trial Sabbath hours shall be employed, no sensation thrilling their being, diversion occasionally indulge in sequent article we propose to point by millions. All the croaking we before the courts of the land for Each man must account for him- no communion with God, no delight the habit and those who make it out what we regard as the defects hear around us but convinces us offenses damaging to reputation, self before God. At the same in His blessings. Material worlds their business to prey upon their in our present code, and what is that we are passing over the bridge that spans the dark morass connecting the unhappy past with the better future; every croak suggests a tims. It is not only the word of It is an old saying that it is dark- frog in the mire, and confirms our God that denounces gambling. He est just before dawn. The moon theory; every will-o'-wisp tells the has denounced it in the necessi- is gone, the brightest stars have same story; every splash from fallthe crime itself, or the weight of prerogative; but we may point to This vice is one of the most perthe evidence against the accused, the command and remind the indinicious evils of society. Its influwe very much question our right vidual that he is offending against ence upon character is so corrupt- direction of production necessary hour, all combine to clothe the ar- of a nation's feet over the planks, as a journalist, and especially the the law of God, and remind society ing, and its economical effect so to our entire well being, but the ticulation of light and darkness grimy and rotten though they be, to propriety on the part of a religious that the loss of the Sabbath may disastrous, that every effective means of living are curtailed by with the most sombre vestments. the hills of promise, beyond which

Ir the Churchman is rightly informed, the spirit of the Inquisition Again, public opinion is fully Its presence in our land points to truth. These are the reasons why it is so much withdrawn from the brighter for the increase of in Spain. It speaks of a work in of fraud or forgery. These offenses honored and observed Sabbath tention to the subject, and invoke labor must produce for those who a gentle breeze to fan over the still spain, by a professor of metaphysics of the University of Madrid. It seems the Inquisition was subjected to severe strictures in the debates of the Cortes on religious freedom. The professor assumes its defence. He claims that the State does not protect as it should "religious unity." That is, it does not maintain, by the terrors of the secular arm, the authority of the Catholic Church. He asserts that heretics are worthy of death; and when the Church, by the Court of the Inquisition, pronounces this sentence upon them, that the government should accept the decision and enforce the penalty. He claims in positive terms that this has been the position which has always been maintained by the Popes and Councils, and that it has been piously allowed by the Christian rulers of his land. He defends the secret trial, the unknown witnesses allowed to testify against accused parties, the refusal of counsel, the use of torture, the confiscation of the estates of condemned parties, and the delivery of their body to the flames, and their memory to perpetual infamy. It is said, the work has been translated into the Italian language, and is endorsed by the Austrian Jesuits. It is possibly the sentiment of Catholic Rome, but it is not the sentiment of the nineteenth century. Its publication is a grave mistake, and will prove a breach in the defences instead of a bulwark to the Church of Rome. With all its far-reaching sagacity, the Vatican is unable to comprehend the spirit of the age: It is the spirit of relig-

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The sun is gone-the sails are gone. The wild waste blackens o'er. And briny gusts drive sharply on This lone and foam-lit shore.

No moon to-night, and but a star Breaks here and there the gloom, The giddy city shines afar-Her wheels hum through the boom.

All night I pace the thund'rous shore. All night I hear the quest Made by the waves forever more For an illusive rest.

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Down o'er my soul sail ghostly hopes, Dead corpses of the past, Floating beyond where passion gropes Down in abysses vast.

Again, and oft again, my breast, Throbs o'er its outrun sands, And wails its bitter wail for rest-Rest from pursuing bands.

O Rest, unknown to chafing seas, Found by no panting soul-Mock you the surf-the idle breeze-I spurn your vain control!

The sea is barred by nature's ban, The sea flows to and fro, The mind is barred by self and man And anchors in its flow.

For mind to mind and man to man-Or man to woman, too-Are equal in their utter span, And nature is below.

Then, Rest, farewell; I'll seek no more For still and stagnant pools, "Il take life's flood with all its roar And leave dull rest to fools

COLUMBIA, September 8, 1877.

expire prior to June, 1878, will be extended two months. The date

office of J. McC. Perkins & Co., counselors-at-law in patent cases, 513 Seventh street, Washington,

(Communicated.) Glorious Revival.

I record the fact that the good Lord has been graciously reviving His work in the bounds of this charge. More than fifty have been converted and led to the Savior. Since my last communication, fifty-three have been added to the church, making one hundred and twenty-six during the year. In my former article, your print has it, twenty-six instead of seventy-six additions. The church has been much revived. Many have taken up their crosses, and have publicly entered into solemn covenant to entered into solemn covenant to \$12......M A Abbott-\$1 25......N A Craven......Geo consecrate themselves wholly unto W Graves. consecrate themselves wholly unto september 11—J C S Baird......H H Forline...... the Lord. We were so glad to see w L Andrews.....E S Boyd(2)......J R Randle our "old familiar friend" resus- -82 50. citated from the ashes without the September 12-ZT Ross--job received; extra smell of fire, fair and beautiful, copies will be sent with pleasure; it is a good and teeming with news of an in- Dashiell-\$2 50; no Minutes; write to Brother teresting character. Long live the Philpott, Austin Wiley & Porter-will have ADVOCATE—the nucleus of the five prompt attention..... A G Nolen..... N A Cravens. Texas Conferences! I love it: I prize it; and shall work for it with a hearty good will.

R. C. ARMSTRONG. MILLFORD, September 3, 1877.

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An Irishman called at a drug store to get a bottle of Johnson's Anodyne Lindment for the rheumatism: the druggist asked him what part of the body it troubled him most, "Be me soul, said he, "I have it in ivery edge and corner of

The meeting closed Sunday night, August 26th, with about twelve mourners at the altar. There were thirty conversions and twenty-seven accessions. "Thanks twenty-seven accessions. "Thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."-T. S. GARRETT. BEEVILLE, TEX., Aug. 30, 1877.

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were so serious and well behaved:

The time of all subscribers that From the Philadelphia Lutheran Observer.)

For more than twelve hundred TEXAS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE OFFICE. (Galveston, Texas, Sept. 15, 1877.) necessary expense and trouble. This will answer all questions of this nature. Shaw & Blaylock are the sole losers by the fire.

COTTON.

At New York, the market for spots opened firm and active; closed firm. Sales this day, 26% bales. Low Middling, 11 c.; Middling Uplands 11½ Futures opened steadler and closed firm.

The bells made at the celebrated McShane Bell Foundry (Henry McShane & Co.). Raltimore at the constant of the c excelled by any in the world. 64. Their bells are made from patterns At New, Orleans, the market opened firm and terially aided the cause of Christ. beautiful chime of bells exhibited bales. We quote as follows: Our church there has been weak, at the Centennial by this firm won but on that occasion God blessed the feeble church, greatly reviving the members and adding thirteen new disciples. Bro. Burnett is a band of music, a feat never before Good Middling. faithful laborer. A fine courthouse accomplished, thus demonstrating is soon to be erected in Groesbeck, the perfectness of their tune. These and we hope to build a church bells are recommended to all desirthere in the near future. Revivals ing to obtain a good church bell. have occurred in various places in There are many bells made and the county, increasing our beloved church. The worms have seriously injured the cotton; but bread is abundant and cheap. Judge Prencovered too late to benefit the degast gave a charge to the grand church. It would be well for those jury that is a model, and is calculated to reach all varieties of law-THE following patents were issued to citizens of Texas for the week ending September 5, 1877. Furnished for the Advocate, from the office of Later and the financial standing of the different manufacturers, and ascertain if they will be able to fulfill the terms of guarantee.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

[Reported for the Advocate by Johnson Foster, live-stock commission merchant, Stock-yards, Galveston.]

Surfaced boards. 20 00 to 25 00 to

Messrs. Ludden & Bates, of Sa- cate large receipts in the next few days. Sheep vannah, Ga., the great wholesale enough on hand and in transit for fifteen days' 194,362. Hopples. B. F. Melton, piano and organ dealers of the Gainesville. Filed June 18, 1877. South, have withdrawn all local amesville. Filed June 18, 1877. South, have withdrawn all local agencies for the sale of their instru-July 24, 1877.

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September 6-J S Gillett W L Carlton With profound gratitude to God Julia V Phifer-same contribution had been I record the fact that the good lord has been graciously record the second record that the good lord has been graciously record to the forwarded, and was in press when yours reached us.......Henry Knowles.....W II H Biggs.....J C

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A Revival.

Our camp-meeting began on the night of Aug. 16th, at Bee County mineral well. The congregation was small, but interest was manifested. The members of the church promised to work for the Master during the meeting, and several came forward for the prayers of the church.

On Friday night the people began to flock in from every quarter, and by Saturday evening there were not only representatives from every appointment on the Beeville and Oakville circuits, but people came from Rancho, Helena, Victoria, Goliad, St. Mary's, Rockport, the motts, near Corpus Christi—in fact, we think that every circuit in the district was represented.

Rev. T. P. Childs.

Our readers will notice the large double-column advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement carefully, and examine the early sufficients will notice the large double-column advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure. Read the advertisement in reference to a catarrh cure bear of the fill file. By study and experiment he desouvers a system of cure of this disease, and at times despaired of his life. By study and experiment he desouvers a system of cure of this disease, and at times despaired of his life. By

As the meeting progressed, the nterest increased.

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Peoria Circuit.

We have just closed a ten days camp-meeting at Fort Graham. It, in many respects, was one of the best we ever attended. People were so serious and well behaved:

Velasco, at Ranch Prairie (camp-meeting), October 19 to 23

Brazoria and Gulf Prairie, at Gulf Prairie, October 27, 28

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that I think their heads and not youth can be found. We entreat their hearts got wrong. They our people who have children to and all their descendants liked it; should repent and return unto their be educated, to be mindful of their for though they became in time in, as well as out of the church, institutions offer. Mr. Editor, fill the columns of the ADVOCATE with Christian graces ; advice to new converts; strengthen young preachers; give us some ation will rise up and call you ADAIR. blessed. E. F. CANON. Chester, Tyler County, August 24, 1877.

(Communicated.) hold. May the God of Israel con- WEAVER. tinue the manifestations of His

(Communicated.)

D. F. FULLER.

glory with us.

glad to see the ADVOCATE all right J. S. GILLETT. again. I intend to try and do

Patronize our Colleges.

The Southern Christian Advocate

tation. He is a miserable financier, would like to be, the first thing a grocer for a barrel of sait was special Notices.—Reading matter quoted, and as well as fatally mistaken father, you would have to learn would be handed out. The drayman and literial notices, add 25 per cent, to regular who abridges his expenditures for respect for others. You would not two of the boys fooled, around the

can wish to see it more prosperous ing of the denominational college, learn to pay attention to other peo- on a clothesline on a dark night. and I wish and pray God to see it, and the decided religious influences ple before yourself, to be pleasant The barrel didn't lift. Pig iron as it should be, a strong pillar in which invest it as an atmosphere, when you didn't feel like it, to was too much for muscle, and the Methodist Christianity. I am sor- preponderating considerations wait on ladies, to be polite to old lifter sat down on the walk. His ry to say some articles in it have which cannot be overestimated by men with gray mustaches and not back used to be plumb up and been a stumbling block to the the thoughtful parent who is solicit- much to say, because they were down, but it hasn't been since that weak and caused us to be the sub- ous for the spiritual weal as well high generals in the army or coun- lift. His eyes are getting back to ject of animadversion by the anti- as the intellectual elevation of his cillors of state. If you showed their original position, and the red Methodist. I am a Methodist, offspring. The conflicts between temper to His Majesty, your father, is leaving the back of his neck, from inclination and from princi- the faith of the Christian and the you would, in all probability, be and he sees two men handle a bag ple, and its is for its principles protean forms of unbelief was ordered under arrest, like a com- of dried apples or a bushel of that I sincerely wish those brethren never fiercer or more implacable mon soldier, to teach you to re- beans without a word of comment. who have so long burdened the than now. The methods of the spect authority. readers of the Advocate with their adversaries of divine truth were Every soldier, no matter what untimely controversies to cease never more subtle and insidious his rank, must learn to obey and ited for the last time, the celebrated

spleen should be reserved for the churches are committed to specific the world, has to do the same. The County, Tenn., on which is the obscure corners of Stygia; they are inculcation and defense of divine only exceptions are people like inscription: improper as examples—for the world and the church fails to see denominations, and are free to an- East, who are of very little account tree, August the — (the day of ance which is commanded by the belief. Upon them, we repeat, rests about manners, and never do any- 1760. Scriptures and which should be the responsibility, and with them thing they don't want to, if they The letters were plain but the characteristic of Christians. These are lodged the resources for guard-can help it. The consequence is, spelling bad. Killed was spelt correspondents are mainly men of ing the rising race from the peculiar they seldom have a good time for "cilled," and bear was spelt "bar." are lodged the resources for guarding the rising race from the peculiar perils which beset them in these times. Surely Christian parents cannot hesitate in choosing the indicate the perils which besites the consequence is, they seldom have a good time for their own part, and they never allow others to enjoy themselves at cannot hesitate in choosing the indicate the consequence is, they seldom have a good time for their own part, and they never allow others to enjoy themselves at cannot hesitate in choosing the indicate the consequence is, they seldom have a good time for their own part, and they never allow others to enjoy themselves at cannot hesitate in choosing the indicate the consequence is, they seldom have a good time for their own part, and they never allow of the bear's claws was plain in the bark of the tree. When shot, the bear seems to have the consequence is, they seldom have a good time for the seldom have a good time for the seldom have a good time for the seld church should however make them times. Surely Christian parents low others to enjoy themselves at was plain in the bark of the tree. more careful how they make a dis- cannot hesitate in choosing the in- all.-Wide Awake. play of their knowledge. If wrong- fluences under which they will

Christ. Their controversies have mindful of her obligations at this a poor mother, with her boy, was caused the wane of the moral in- point, and though her institutions turned out of doors to wander in fluence of our Advocate, sneers at of learning are suffering sadly for the wilderness and, for aught she gree upon the laws and powers of ings of sanctified learning. It place to keep the old wolf-famine the church, how can we expect the is to be hoped the day will soon weaker brethren to uphold them come when adequate endowments have no pleasure in the death of by this paper is abundantly lived with him, for the same story the wicked," saith the Lord. The provided with first-class institu- says, she took him a wife from the Neither is there in our church laws officered by cultivated Christian any toleration for the violation professors, than whom no safer or more skillful custodians of the was the mother's name, came to Let me say to these brethren moral and intellectual culture of like this sort of life quite well.

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In l'avor of Resumption. FAIRFIELD.—We are all in favor evangelical stories for children; of and rejoice in resumption-not of essays on divinity; warnings to sinners, and strive to make the old Advocate paper, which passes Reaper. ADVOCATE one of the most inter- current in these parts and restores esting and instructive journals of confidence, upon the heels of the the period. Do so, and this gener- "panic" caused by the fire.-R. H. KEEPER.-Elephants, when kindly

(Communicated.) has blessed me with some gracious ers are cruel men; and, instead of Daingerfield Circuit. - God has meetings. Many have been pow- managing the elephants by kindbeen honoring His work in the erfully converted, and the church ness, they beat and goad them. bounds of this circuit. During members very much revived. I One day an elephant in India was the past seven weeks a large num- have taken a number into the being thus treated by his keeper, speech at Lille, and also the papers ber have professed regeneration church and the good work still when the animal suddenly seized in which his speech was published. and fifty have been added to the goes on. All praise and honor be the man in its trunk, and then ran betta will be of insulting the Preschurch. Other meetings yet to to the name of God! - samuel down to a river, which was close

(Communicated.)

San Marcos, Aug. 28.—We are the ground, as much as to say all glad to welcome the ADVOCATE Kosse, Tex., Aug. 26.—I am so again. It is an excellent paper.—

something for the paper, but the HE who betrays another's secret grasshoppers did us a great deal of because he has quarreled with him, damage in the spring. The boll was never worthy of the sacred ily comfortable will herself never that one of the roads on which he worms have attacked the crops name of friend; a breach of kind- be happy at home; and she who is traveled resembled the path of a

The Fifth Commandment.

single of the regular rates should like the set misserable financier.

Set in North-Model in mediate committed in the set in the set

damaging tendency to the cause of Methodism has never been un- - Nearly four thousand years ago

But the Lord saw her great trouand prevent the vicious from carry-ing on their ungodly schemes. The ments which now limit their useful-So they both lived, and the little law of the Lord is perfect. The ness, But, in the meantime, they boy in due time became a strong

way from their old home.

But I dare say Hagar, for this

Certain is that her grandchildren starry sky, camels carrying all their Indians, are subsiding.

ple who descended from the little force of 1300 men. outcast we call Arabs. - Young

AN ELEPHANT DUCKING HIS treated, become very much attached to their keepers, and will obey every command, like good little Jacksonville, Aug. 31.—God children. Sometimes their keepby. After giving the man two or ident and the Ministers. three good ducks in the water the

> sir, or I'll duck you again." If we had seen it we should have said, "Served him right!"

"Now, behave better in future,

The Barrel of Salt.

Respect for one's father and mo- One of the firm who run a comhas an article on "Our Colleges," ther, as well as to older persons mission house on Woodbridge from which we clip the following generally, is the first point of high street is a man of muscle. He can breeding all over the world. All lift a barrel of flour as easily as a the most polished nations hold it common man lifts a bag of oats, Every parent who can is bound so. The French, who give lessons and it scarcely makes his ears grow by his parental obligations to en- on manners to other nations, will red as he heaves a barrel of salt on dow his children with the advan- show an old woman more atten- a farmer's wagon. For weeks past tages of a good education—not tion than they will the prettiest he has been boasting of his strength simply such elementary training young one. The Chinese and of muscle and wanting to see someas will lift them above the level of Japanese, who are among the most thing he couldn't lift, and the boys the absolutely ignorant, but the polite people on the face of the around the store got their heads tobest literary culture of which they globe, are devoted to their fathers gether the other day. They took are capable. To fail in this is to and mothers, and the Turks every- a salt barrel and filled it with prove recreant to a solemn trust where pay the deepest respect to broken pig iron, old weights and DR. J. BALL & Co., Oculists. with which Providence has invested an old man. One does not hear other things, put two inches of salt themingiving them children, and at the phrase, "the old man," used, at either head and rolled it to the the same time to deny their offspring except as a title of honor. If you curbstone; and at a favorable hour a boon for which material posses- were a young princess, or a count- a dray backed up in the most insions furnish no adequate commu- ess, as you have often thought you nocent manner and an order from tation. He is a miserable financier, would like to be, the first thing a grocer for a barrel of salt was

DANIEL BOONE'S BEAR TREE .-In 1872, or five years ago, we visshow respect. Every officer of gov- beech-tree, standing on the east their rheum. The vent of such The colleges instituted by the ermment, every man of position in side of Boone's Creek, Washington

that brotherly love and forbear- tagonize all forms of error and un- in the world. They never care the month we could not make out),

When shot, the bear seems to have been holding to or hugging the body of the tree, only a few feet from the ground. The bullet went through the body and sank about an inch into the wood of the tree, where, until a few years ago, it was plain to be seen. Then some THE STORY OF A LITTLE OUTCAST. been housing to only a few feet been holding to or hugging the was plain to be seen. Then some marauder, without the knowledge or consent of Mr. Edwards, who Sure your Eyes and restore your sight; throw awa owned the property, extracted and

In 1836-37, we traveled the Circuit there, and passed the place many times, and old men living in the vicinity, and who had lived there all their lives, assured us that the inscription had been there from Lord makes no allowance for sin. tions, which are well equipped, and land of Egypt, and that was a long their earliest recollection. When we last saw it, one hundred and twelve years from its date, it was as plain and distinct as it was forty years before.—Rec. Dr. D. R. Mc-

The United States Revenue Cutfirst works : to preach Christ and duty in the premises, and to allow quite a nation, they still live the ter Corwin has reached Sitka, Him crucified; write Christ and their sons and daughters the ines. same wandering lives, with tents Alaska. The alarm among the Him crucified; reprove sinners timable advantages which these for their only shelter, besides the settlers, respecting the threats of

> worldly goods from place to place. A Providence company have The little boy's name was Ish- completed a contract for arms with mael, and his father's Abraham. the Turkish government, which The strange and interesting peo- will require them to put at work a

A bill regulating the procedure to be observed by the Cardinals, on the death of the Pope, has been completed at the Vatican. It empowers Cardinal Comerlengi to either assemble the Conclave immediately or await the arrival of foreign ministers.

At a council of Ministers, in Paris, at which President Mac-Mahon presided, it was determined and want to see them used instead of the worth-less compounds sold in this country." to prosecute Gambetta for his

The famine in Southern India elephant put him quietly down on the ground, as much as to say— is frightful. The emaciated apthogramment of thousands of the people, with a peculiar eruption of the skin, like that which appeared in the Irish famine in 1846, reveals its extent and severity. It is reported by the Superintendent SHE who does not make her fam- of Relief Operations in Adoni, so that there will not be more than ness will not justify a breach of happy at home will never be great battle in the number of the happy anywhere.

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S. W. B. DAVIS, ex-Mayor.
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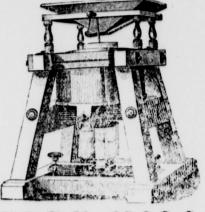
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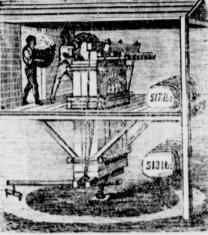


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Selections.

Curran and the Judge.

related of Curran, we cannot help thinking the following, bearing holder even as the pure. We try shoot-ing stars perambulated the thinking the following, bearing acids, and the false will bear the earth, the desk of the sun was covupon the impertinence and as- sharp tooth which heretofore has ered with black spots of ink, and sumption of Judge Robinson, as been sure to detect the counterfeit, comics swept the horizon with their among the mest telling and We subject the stone to a flery operatic tale. Everybody said that characteristic attacks of unpre- ordeal, and it comes out unharmed. it profligated war, and sure enough meditated satire upon "bloated We try that keen-eyed officer from war did come. empirie" and "puffed prevence," the sun itself-polarized light-and that ever even Curran afforded the jewel shines and smiles unto the world. This same Judge harmed by that terrible test. Time and once in a while a good word Robinson, according to Lord alone is the detective. With the passibrougham, "was the author of stupid, slavish acts, and, by his defined is, raised to the eminence which he thus disgraced." Curran, very soon after being called to the Bar, on some statement made by Judge Robinson chefore whom he was pleading, observed that "he had never met the cach fading year brings out into the haw, as laid down by his Lordship, in any book in his library, "That may be, sir," said the Judge; "out I suspect that your library is very small." Curran replied, "I find it more instructive, my Lord, to study good works than to compose baid ones, My books may be few, but the sunsy that there is a divine radiance bentaing from every feature—them may we have sure of the existence of a true diamond, whose lustre eternity and most works that their very authors are ashamed to own them." "Sir," asid the Judge, "you are forget its that their very authors are ashamed to own them." "Sir," asid the Judge, "you are forget tight, and the proposed to me, who had been defined to make the care the ones of whom it is said; "And all the proposed by any such rank abunding the surface of the proposed by any such rank abunding influence, the application of Hots, in that day when I make the respect which you ow to the dignity of the judical respect to the light of the surface of the proposed by any such rank abunding influence, the application of the strip of the surface of the proposed by any such rank abunding influence, the application of the strip of the surface of the proposed by any such rank abunding influence, the application of the strip of the surface of the proposed by the surface of the proposed by the surface of the proposed by any such rank abunding influence, the application of the strip of the surface of the proposed by the surf Brougham, "was the author of ing years the glory and the beauty stupid, slavish acts, and, by his of the false pretender fades, and character." "Dignity!" exclaimed he be false within. Time, with its trials and burdens, its corroding point I shall cite you a case from a book of some authority, with which you are, perhaps, not unacquainted." He then briefly recited the story of Strap in "Roderick Random," who, having stripped off his coat to fight, entrusted it to a bystander. When the battle was over, and he was well beaten, he turned to resume

The First Fruit.

A little girl was once made the stuff he is surely prove of what stuff he is surely prove of what stuff he is surely proved of what stuff he is made. He who searches all hearts will in due time come for His jew-els, and we may rest assured that He knows the genuine; hence the glory and the beauty of His king-dom.—N. Y. Observer.

The First Fruit.

A little girl was once made the severe affliction. point I shall cite you a case care and bitter temptations, will well beaten, he turned to resume A little girl was once made the well beaten, he turned to resume it but the man had carried it off.

Mr. Curran thus applied the tale:
"So my lord, when the person en-

has committed. An Oriental Esculapias.

Mr. Oscanyan, in his book "The Sultan and his People," tells the following anecdote of a Turkish physician, whose prescriptions and done it unto me.' And I mean to methods of treatment will interest go with them to Mrs. Martin's sick practitioners.

resume it-it is in vain that he

the angry Judge; to which Mr. C.

so, we shall both of us have the

phus fever called in one of these them. medical gentlemen, who, although he considered the case quite hopeless, prescribed for the patient, and took his leave. The next day, in passing by, he inquired of a servant at the door if his master was not dead.

"Dead! No; he is much better,"

replied the servant. this miracle.

pickled cabbage."
"Wonderful!" quoth the doctor.
And out came the tablets, on which the physician made this inscription: "Cured of typhus fever, Mehemed Agha, an upholsterer, by drinking a pailful of pickled cab-

bage juice." Soon after the doctor was called to another patient, a yaghlikgee, or dealer in embroidered handkerchiefs, suffering from the same malady. He forthwith prescribed

ıl,

'a pailful of pickled cabbage juice." On calling the next day to congratulate his patient on his recovery, he was astonished to be told the man was dead. The Oriental Æsculapius, in his bewilderment at these phenomena, came to the safe conclusion, and duly noted it prisoner be brought back." Upon in his memoranda, that "although in cases of typhus fever pickled cabbage juice is an efficient remedy, it is not, however, to be used unless the patient be by profession an up-holsterer.—Harper's Magazine.

the cochineal insect, from which man souls worth knowing; and the carmine is extracted, is found in obscurer such years are, it is apt to Messrs. J. B. ROSE & CO., New York, successors the manzanita tree, in California. be the better. - Carlule.

the workman, there leap out from o'the world, thou needs snuffing. the furnace and the forge gems that shine and sparkle side by side with the diamond and the chrysoprace, and the source of the late war circumstances Among the many anecdotes and the spurious dazzles the be- were seen around the moon nightly,

personal contest, it is in vain, some beautiful ones for her to eat. was when he has been worsted in "Yes, but they are the first ripe the encounter, that he seeks to fruit.

"Well, what of that?"

tries to shelter himself behind an "Dear father told me that he authority which he has aban- used to give God the first out of all doned." "If you say another word I'll commit you," replied always felt happier in spending the always felt happier in spending the rest, and I wish to give the first of retorted, "If your lordship will do my grapes to God, too."

"Ah, but," said her brother, "how consolation of reflecting that I am can you give grapes to God? And not the worst thing your lordship even if you were able to do such a thing, he would not care for them.'

"Oh, I have found out the way," she said, "Jesus said, 'Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have child, who never sees grapes, be-A person exceedingly ill of ty- cause her mother is too poor to buy

> fruit" of the vine, and other good things, all beautifully arranged, to bolic, and ingredients hitherto little known. It the couch of the sick child.

fruit," said she to Mrs. Martin.

"Dearest child, may God bless you a thousandfold for your loving Whereupon the doctor proceeded up stairs to obtain the solution of of good things has been brought cutaneous eruptions, it is admirable. It cures p stairs to obtain the solution of you." The sick one was almost is miracle.
"Why," said the convalescent, clasped the hand of her young afford to be without the Centaur Liniment, white the convalence of the property of the convalence of the property of the convalence of the property of the convalence of the convalen I was consumed with thirst, and clasped the hand of her young afford to be without the Centaur Liniment, white I drank a pailful of the juice of benefactress and expressed her pickled cabbage." benefactress and expressed her thanks.—Children's Friend.

> A PLIANT JUDGE.-At the Hunstealing a lot of clover hay, value 14s., and Sir Baloil Brett sentenced Elm and Front Streets, Cincinnati, O., say : him to one month's imprisonment.
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> After the prisoner was removed from the dock a juryman remarked
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> —"That is rather stiff, my Lord."
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THE young, obscure years ought honey, and neither gags or gripes. to be incessantly employed in gain-A species of coccus, resembling insect from which research in general insect from which research in game in ga

that sentence was recorded.

THEY once had a man in York-Talking recently with a lapidary shire who thought he could preach, upon the value of gems and the and he went to the preacher in "How do you detect the real from given an opportunity in a certain

the false—the genuine from the school-house. His text was: "I paste?" His reply was: "In these am the light of the world;" but he modern days, when art has made made a dreadful fist of it, greatly R. S. Finley East Texas Conference
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The strength of the steady hand, the wealth of science, are all summoned to aid shouted out: "If thou's the light

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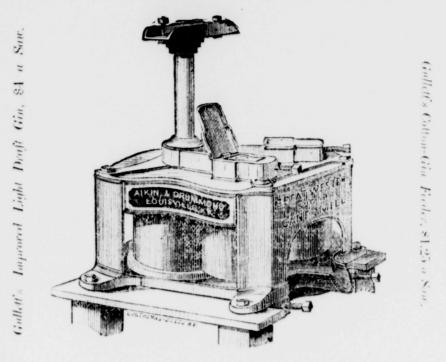
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(Communicated.) Revivals....The New Order of Revi-

seen under the sun, and which is long ago in a revival we heard a of Hosea. becoming far too common here in leading Texas revivalist distinctly Texas. I allude to the innovations announce in so many words, that to begin a mission in France. say will put an end to the evil; but and would not know what to do cisco, is already bringing forth one in the possibly be able to con- with it." We could not see the hundredfold. tribute a little to bring about so point in this seeming impertinent A temperance speaker at the desirable a consummation.

valist conducting a meeting, ac- explained. Penitents were called dinner parties. cording to the new style, must appear to be egotistic, arrogant, selfexcitement, no whimpering, no of the Incarnation" will cost conceited and pompous. The vice tears, no crying, but wanted them 8700,000, and the "See House," sumption that success depends upon keeping the meeting under the matter. There was no evangelical "Charter House," etc., will in the expenses to \$1,500,000. control of one mind. Hence, we repentance desired or expected. frequently hear such remarks as They were penitents without rethese: "I am running this meet- pentance. The people were har- organized at Rome, to promote the ing." "I am responsible for this angued beyond measure, and exmeeting." "There has got to be a pected to become religious without of the Pope. head to this thing, and I propose to run it my way." "There may be better ways, but this is my way."

A correspondent of the New York Advocate writes that not a ness—comes of pandering to a visingle minister of the Irish Westerances not long ago, and heard them dilated on and amplified because some audacious sister or mourner's bench. And why? Is day-school Convention, lately held vival, not long since, under the of him all through the Bible. But and six Chinamen. man told his friends that unless propositions-voting etc.-so much they had that insubordination in favor of the new method, and stopped he would "dry the whole discuss their merits seriatim.

Now this pompous arrogance and self-sufficiency is not in the men. They are pious, laborious and self-sacrificing. The vice in- 1877.-I am glad to welcome the heres in the system. The one man dear old Advocate, and will do all of the praying, select all the hymns, properly appreciated it .- T. S. GARand designate the persons who are RETT. to be permitted to pray. Besides all this, he must make all the interlocutory talks-talks before and after each hymn-and talks before and after each prayer. He must give orders: when to go-and when to come—and when to sit—and when results promptly to the Advocate, present on one Sunday. to stand. Then he has a multitude. At the late camp meeting at San each of which a rising vote is to be cessions to the church. taken. Indeed, the work imposed Rev. S. C. Littlepage reports one the modern style is herculean. No the Huntsville district. marvel they break down under it and never last long. But the new result. It blinds men so that they do not seem capable of seeing the requires a certain thing to be done. congregation are willing to go into Presbyterian. the congregation and hunt up persons who ought to keep their is now eighty years of age, but is seats. But a great many decline to go. Again the preacher exhorts, to the St. Louis Advocate: "I have His irritation falls like a wet blanket at five protracted meetings at

preacher make a failure in preaching? The church did it. They the old school Presbyterians in have appealed to their fellow sub-Texas Christian Advocate preacher make a failure in preachthe cause of all this supposed lege at Huntsville. trap. They never ordered the peo- county. ple about like school children, placing them now here, now there, and then somewhere else. Mr. Moody eighty conversions were reported. don't operate this way. He is too good a judge of human nature to complied with. Under his method, hundred and fifty conversions in make demands which will not be everything is pre-arranged. The Texas conferences. May the persons who assist are selected and good work go on with increasing and when the proper time comes, they perform their duties without any authoritative ordering or fuss or fat's method. It was Caughey's must be quickly done. plan. They were, and are, the ern times.

But in another important respect the new method is vitally defective: There is an evil which I have It is essentially unevangelical. Not visers have made the first revision

JNO. PENMAN.

BEEVILLE, Texas, Sept. 1st, who is the "head of this thing" in my power to make it prosmust do all the preaching, about half perous. Heretofore, I have not

Church Hews and Views.

The Church in Texas.

This is the period for extra re-

of propositions to put to the con- Marcos there were about thirty gioli, deceased, was ordered by the gregation at each meeting, upon conversions and twenty-seven ac-

on a person conducting a revival in hundred and fifty conversions on

Waco is a fortunate city. It has regime is attended by another bad the Waco Female College, of the Methodists; the Waco University of the Baptists, and sixteen churchtrue relations of things, or of determining the true causes of certain effects. To illustrate of the colored in the color of the c fects. To illustrate: The preacher requires a certain thing to be done. He wants all the serious persons in byterian; one Old School Presbyone Catholic; one Cumberland Presthe church hunted up. He gives the church hunted up. He gives the orders thus formulated: "I want lite; one Union Church in East lite; one Union Church in East to see how many professors in this Waco; one colored Cumberland

serious persons and persuade them | Rev. Job M. Baker, now of Jefto come and take seats among these ferson, Texas, was once elected to penitents on the anxious seat." (Exhortation). Of course some go, Christian Advocate, but declined and they are generally the kind of to assume the responsibility. He scolds, and coaxes; but still, not been on the wing for the last six seeing any sense in the movement, months, preaching the gospel in they keep their seats. The preacher Texas and Louisiana. I can preach gets out of temper, makes cutting once or twice every Sabbath, and remarks, cannot conceal his in- at protracted meetings from five to felicity of mind from the people. seven times a week. I have been on the meeting, and from that Shreveport, and assisted Bro. Joel hour the interest begins to wane. Daves from beginning to end. The

were not praying. Just as if the Texas, has been removed from jects of all creeds for contributions church could pray brains into an Huntsville to Sherman. The build- to aid the sick and wounded Turkempty head; or pray a man into ing formerly occupied at Huntsville ish soldiers. One Nawab has subsuccess in an enterprise who never has become the property of the scribed 21,000 rupees to this fund; succeeded in anything in his life; Methodist church, and Rev. Mr. so far, Christians and Turks have or pray a revival into success after Pugh is now the president. Rev. not responded to the appeal. Tel-the brother who "runs the thing" F. T. Mitchell has become the egrams, concerning the progress of has run it into the ground. Now, president of Andrew Female Col- the war, are read in the mosques of

trouble is to be looked for in the An interesting and successful successes is received with demonnew method of revivals. The old protracted meeting was recently strations of joy. revivalists never resorted to clap- held near Pittsville, in Fort Bend

recently held at Gonzales, at which the increasing appetite of the

The last number of the Apvo-CATE contained reports of over two

The new Baptist church in Clemost successful revivalists of mod- burne is now ready for the plaster-

Miscellancons.

The British Old Testament re-

The Disciples of Christ are about

upon our revival services. I do not he "had no mourners' bench-had It is stated the Presbyterian misflatter myself that anything I might no use for it-had no place for it, sion to the Chinese, in San Fran-

declaration, for it was not called Thousand Island Park stated that It must be quite apparent to out by anything that was going on the leading Presbyterian ministers every careful observer that a revi. at that moment. But it was soon of New York City take wine at

of the new regime lies in the as-

A new Catholic society, called "The Militia of Christ," has been

We heard every one of these ut- cious popular sentiment. It is a leyan Conference uses tobacco in

A Swiss Baptist congregation

complains that in the State of Geor- are taught by native assistants. gia there are too many weak. The Methodist Episcopal Church, churches in contiguous neighbor-through its Missionary, Church hoods and proposes to unite weak Extension and Freedmen's Aid societies and erect a better class of Societies has expended, chiefly for church buildings.

The Y. M. C. A. of Lowell, Mass., conducts nine services each Sabbath. the Christian; Advocate, "in the be The open-air meetings have been South, thirteen institutions for especially successful, and at a recent higher education, with twenty-six the brethren and sisters all their ligious effort, and revival meetings. series of services it was estimated professors, 1500 pupils, and a We hope our brethren will report that nearly five thousand were

> The wife of a man named Mag-Romish priest at Vineland, N J., to take his remains out of the Catholic cemetery, beause the deceased 24, says: I have just returned "had not attended to his Easter home from district conferences, duties.

> Hon. S. Wells Williams, Secretary of Legation in China, stated conversions. Our church in Tenin a meeting, at Utica, New York, during the week of prayer, that all nations of the East were now open for missionary effort, the last being

> The American missionaries, whose stations are in Asiatic Turkey, have Christian Advocate that, in accorddetermined to remain, although ance with the suggestions of the they will remove their families to Cape May Commissioners, the Trebizond for safety. There are church property in the city of New missionaries at Erzeroum, Harport, Orleans, which has long been in Van and Bitlis.

The Arbishop of Canterbury receives \$75,000 salary, the Archbishop of York \$50,000. twenty-six bishops of the English Church receive \$646,000, an average of \$24,846 each. The revenue of the church from real estate is annually \$1,735,000.

The challenge of Rabbi Wise, defying "any Christian clergyman or professor to write a Hebrew letter" has been responded to by the Alliance: "We hereby accept the above challenge, and will write a letter which we defy any Hebrew rabbi or professor to read.

Calcutta, and the news of Turkish

The missionaries at Ningpo, China, says the Congregationalist, A union protracted meeting was are getting much discouraged by Chinese for intoxicating beverages. And what is the worst feature of the case, that they have fallen into this evil habit from the example and influence of Christian nations.

The fifty-seventh General Constationed and know their duties; interest, and the preachers be ready vention of the Swedenborgian to do good and to communicate the Church began June 1st, in Cincinresults to the readers of the Apvo- nati. This Church, in the United CATE. Our time is short; confer- States and Canada, has eleven asclap-trap. This was John N. Maf- ence will soon meet; what we do sociations, and four societies which good financial condition, with a balance of assets, cash value, of

During the present summer, one Baptist and two Campbellite preach-

the last Southern Advocate on apostolic succession. He concludes thus: "I believe, if I had obtained my ordination from the angel Gabriel my succession in the apostolic ministerial line would still for its divine testimony depend on the old Methodist attestation : preaching with the Holy Ghost sent down from heaven. If my preaching, although it may be in the way of brother had ventured to make a the mourner not a genuine scripting San Francisco, the singing was reproof, of correction, and of insuggestion or two. At another retural character? We find mention by a choir of eight Chinese girls struction in righteousness, is ever attended with any Holy Ghost en-

The Woman's Foreign Missioncame from their own land last ary Society of the Presbyterian spring, and are located about nine Church, has in its service 80 mismiles from Portland, Oregon. The sionaries and 147 Bible readers little colony numbers about sixty and native teachers. Besides, 347 scholars and scholarships are indi-A writer in the Southern Advocate vidually supported, and 104 schools

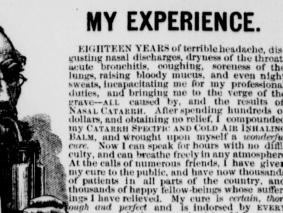
> the colored people, \$2,101,757. "We have to show for this," says property valued at \$250,000. Sixty thousand colored children are now annually taught by the teachers sent out from schools and colleges."

> New Orleans under date of August out family altars! Is that the Methodism of our fathers?

> We learn from the Southwestern value, it is said, something over \$20,000, has passed from the field of controversy, the titles having been formally confirmed to the M. E. Church. We have no doubt that the equities in the case have been met by this action, and if so, there is real reason to rejoice in the settlement. The editor of the Southwestern closes his account of the negotiations and settlement with this paragraph:

> "We wish here to record our high appreciation of the frank and brotherly spirit manifested in this whole procedure by Dr. Linus Parker and Dr. J. B. Walker, pre-

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REV. T. P. CHJLDS.

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The Legitimate Child of Catarrh is Bronchitis.

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Cleanse and Heal-My Motto.

ers have joined the Methodist church in the Loudon District, Kentucky conference.

Both the tongue and the pen of the venerable Dr. Pierce are still busy. He contributes an article to the last Southern Advocate on a pos-

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The following are taken from thousands of testimonials in my possession:

Boston Testimony.

William Collier, 63 W. Denham St., Boston, Mass., writes, under date of Feb. 12, 1877; "I would here state that my daughter has used your Catarrh Remedy about four weeks with me, and considers herself well, and I have used it about six weeks and consider myself half well. In answer to inquiry from a gentleman what I know personally about your Catarrh Remedy, I have stated these facts to him, 'thanking God I ever got hold of T. P. Childs' Catarrh Remedy."

The following voluntary notice appeared in the Boston CONGREGATIONALIST, of January roperty valued at \$250,000. Sixty housand colored children are now mually taught by the teachers ent out from schools and colleges."

Bishop Keener, writing from Sew Orleans under date of August.

My Daughter is Cured.

home from district conferences, continued since the middle of April, at which I have seen many conversions. Our church in Tenuessee, Arkansas, Mississippi and Alabama is alarmingly neglectful of family prayer. A church without family altars! Is that the

Late Testimonials.

DR. T. P. CHILDS—Dear Sir: 1 am happy to inform you that your medicines have acted beyond my most sanguine expectations. Your inhaling instruments and Balms have afforded me great comfort. In fact, they have accomplished wonders in my case. When I commenced their use I was almost totally deaf. In ten days' time I could hear tolerably well, and my hearing is constantly improving. I am very truly your friend,

GRAY HILL, Texas, December 22, 1876.

Mr. Gates, of Meadville, Va., says, in a recent letter, "I would not take a thousand dollars for the benefit I have derived from your Specific." Orleans, which has long been in Mrs. Elizabeth Lee, of Concord, Ga., in a letter dated November 4, 1876, says: "I have never dispute, and which aggregates in paid out money for anything in all my life that has given me such satisfaction as your medicines."

A Case of Catarrhal Consumption Cured.

Beo, T. P. Chilles—Dear Friend—I had been confined to my room seven weeks. I was given up by my friends, soon to fiill a consumptive's grave. Had a distressing cough and smothering, so that I could not lie down without the greatest distress in my lungs. I had lost all sense of smell and hearing, and my head was one mass of misery. My friends aided me in the use of your treatment, which I commenced with but faint hope, as I had been under the care of good doctors for nine winters, all of whom said I had the consumption. But I began to amend immediately. The vile phlegm ceased to accumulate, and the inhaling balm soon relieved my lungs, and I passed the winter quite comfortably, and have been improving all summer, and am now in good health. No cough; no stoppage of the air passages; no soreness of the lungs. I do not take cold easily at all. I thank the Lord that I ever ordered your medicine, and shall ever pray for your success. Truly your friend,

[EACHEL STEWART.] LINE SPRINGS, HOWARD COUNTY, IOWA.

Little Children.

The undersigned has invented a freat contrivance, by which little children can be treated successfully, and the nasal passage kept open, and cold not only warded off, but broken up when contracted, and thus settled catarrh prevented.

Conclusion.

Everything known to be good in the treatment of Nasal Catarrh, Throat, Bronchial or Lung Diseases, combined in one grand system. Two of the best inhalents in the world, and instruments with which to use them, in each full set, so that, with the Catarrh Specific, the enemy can be attacked all along the line, morning, noon and night, and the fight kept up all through the day with but little trouble. One of my Inhaling Balms produces a quicker circulation, carries the blood to the surface, and then it is quite impossible to take cold. This is fully one-half the battle. An ounce of prevention is worth fifty pounds of cure, in this case.

Do not triffe with some cheap thing, which at best can afford but a temporary relief, while the reots of the vile disease are left to strike deeper and deeper. Be in carnest and thorough or do nothing. Write at once and say what paper you saw this in: Circulars, price-lists and all necessary information can be had by addressing (with return stamp), hour the interest begins to wane. The preacher must find a cause for this sinking of the spiritual mercury. And after casting 'round, he finally concludes the church did it. Oh, yes! the church! that everlasting yes! the church! that everlasting would they do if they could no lay all their short-comings on the of the church. Does the