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METHODIST SCHOOLS IN TEXAS. of the ADVOCATE have one of the Advocate. finest job printing and general publishing offices in the South? that they can execute any kind of that they have built up a reputation in Texas as the cheap printers, because, both in price and artistic execution, they compete with St. Louis, Chicago and New York? The managers aforesaid ought to public at large, than any office in up the Methodist educational inatory of this or that school represents a money value, according to advertising rates, of two dollars for every inch of space so used. It must be understood that the publishers concede this amount—as they never have, and never expect.

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Crockett. Most of the boys here know how to "smile" already.—

East Texas Patron. Our readers writing from an interior town, sugmay not all know that " to smile " the above have a very corrupting hopeful digestion of a chameleon." influence upon young men, because they convey an implied compliment to those in the habit of "smiling." We suggest to the Patron to say to those "boys who know how to 'smile,'" that they are educating themselves in the most disgusting and destructive most disgustance of a mightier than he would give man, are good, simple, rosy-cheeked, them an inner baptism of fire, a mightier than he would give man, are good, simple, rosy-cheeked, munder than he would give man, are good, simple, rosy-cheeked, munder than he would give man, are good, simple, rosy-cheeked, munder districted to the sections he ought most particularly to inspect. Let him, unless the most distributed in the sections he ought most particularly to inspect. Let him, unless the man, are good, simple, rosy-cheeked, munder distributed in the sections he ought most particularly to inspect. Let him, unless them an inner baptism of fire, a mightier than he would give man, are good, simple, ro they convey an implied complimost disgusting and destructive habit that is the disgrace of our boasted civilization. Only a step beneath the debauched human beast that wallows like a hog in the gutter is the young man who has gutter is the young man who has learned to swagger into a saloon and indulge in a "smile".

Rev. O. M. Addison, in a note dated July 1, from Stephensville, says: "District conference adjournation by the early days of his says: "District conference adjournation bow, present the finest combination by the individual or State. The sin of the State is that of the which runs straight through the of wild scenery I ever saw on cannot misty hills in the distance, spanned by a rainbow, present the finest combination by the individual or State. The sin of the State is that of the which runs straight through the of wild scenery I ever saw on cannot misty hills in the distance, spanned by a rainbow, present the finest combination of wild scenery I ever saw on cannot misty hills in the distance, spanned by a rainbow, present the finest combination of wild scenery I ever saw on cannot misty hills in the distance, spanned by a rainbow, present the finest combination of wild scenery I ever saw on cannot have the winds may be a saloon of which runs straight through the of wild scenery I ever saw on cannot have the saw on the control of which runs straight through the of wild scenery I ever saw on cannot have the saw on the control of which runs straight through the of which runs straight through the of wild scenery I ever saw on cannot have the saw on the control of which runs straight through the of wild scenery I ever saw on cannot have the saw on the control of which runs straight through the of which runs straight through the of which runs straight through the of which runs and mud. Now, present the finest combination of which runs are the saw on the control of which runs are the saw on the control of which runs are through the of which runs a and indulge in a "smile."

this is exactly on the square.

famous the committee?

ITEMS FOR THE MANAGERS OF Saturday. Some of the largest and junior in accumulating customers. Do the various presidents, trustees and managers of Methodist schools attended met Tuesday and Wednesin Texas know that the publishers day.—Bishop McTyeire in Nashville Docks, London, England, and

alleged libellous publications with the notice of our friends. know this—and, knowing it, ought to give their own paper, we think, at least an equal chance with others.

It must not be understood that we It must not be understood that we the reasons, according to his view, But I would rather send you the from the Emperor in the Crimea, are "putting up a poor mouth" for that have forced him to institute results—the subscribers—than by is to the left. Canrobert, the 4th the publishers of the Advocate. suit. On the other hand, our promises lead you to expect them, of December hero, is to the right. giving reasons why, according to Health generally good." the State. There is principle in-volved, however, and we are only volved, however, and we are only talking about what is right in the tion to the Advocate—holding that, has nothing new or strange occurred has nothing new or strange occurred has nothing new or strange occurred by the images of Louis Napoleon premises. The readers of this pa-chagrined by their defeat in since I last wrote you. The rain up the images of Louis Napoleon see fit to continue such a policy, parties interested have brought this

perhaps, to notice. Of course we To the many graduates from the fully, because I know to send the do not expect our educational different institutions of Texas at ADVOCATE into all the Methodist friends who have sent their money the late commencements, we would families will be better pay to a patronage elsewhere, to relish this say: "May the new lives upon preacher than the commission; for -in fact expect Dr. John or "our which you now enter be prosper- there are many articles appearing Shaw" will be verbally scalped ous and happy. Although holding in the paper, which, if read and about it at conference; but, then, the highest diploma, remember thought over, will teach the memit is just what this writer thinks education in the true sense just bership the necessity and their duty about it-and, as the editor is now begins; you are just leaving to support their preacher and the away, he takes the liberty to print the preparatory department of life. institutions of the church." it. It is enough to say that our Press forward, looking to the Giver publishers have printed a large of all Good for help and guidance.'

Dersonal Mention.

Rev. H. Y. McClellan, of Monticello, Florida, renewing his subscription, says: "I have been a A cotemporary says "learn to constant reader of your paper smile." That advice is useless to for the last two years and would

gestively says: "If this work is means in slang parlance to take an visited by a few more evangelists intoxicating drink. Such items as it will need a missionary with the

Rev. R. V. Galloway, June 2, re-

church to deal with. They may shifting appointments, and, to the newspaper. There are two classes Ghost from birth. The one verse of thy Lord."

chaplain of the Mariners' Friend SUIT FOR DAMAGES .- J. H. Cham- Society, spent an hour in our office bers has instituted suit for damages the past week. Bro. Couch is on the against Logan D. Dameron and Dr. lookout for the location in Texas printing—from a visiting card to the very best quality of book work?

McAnally, agent and editor of the families. We commend him to that they have built up a reputation.

Hamilton, Texas, June 28: "There | quis C., who has it in charge has not,

offered them the benefit of my commission. I do this more cheer-

They are going to have an elevated railroad in Brooklyn, New

PARIS LETTER.

A Glance at the Fine Art Department. traits in Marble,...The British Fine Art Section Some Pictures by a Distinguished English Artist. -- A **Bust of Baroness Burdett Coutts.**

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

PARIS, June 23, 1878. has only a week to spend there, "The Sisters," another of Millais' sign of repentance; but added that as all must be to win. will find himself embarrassed as to pictures, lent by an English gentle- a mightier than he would give 19. We should not hesitate to ou. Raining again to-day."

of Manual Industry, parallel to the of an epic poem are there. The heavenly home. "Fire ur quenching prison.

Rev. W. W. Bridwell, writing Military school. He will in his old seaman, whose parlor is done able" is the eternal punishment 21, 22. It is prayer, the inward

AFTER experiment in Missouri, well claim to be poor in spirit—as left, a display of coins and medals in which the English are unrivaled (I-80) contains all that we know and Tennessee, and Alabama, and they are poor in everything else struck from the French mint. They -cut and engraved flint-glass and of his history for thirty years. Mississippi, I find the district consave finding fault with things they ference which meets in the middle do not try to understand. I have instability of royal and imperial art is displayed in both. Their 40-3; Mal. 3-1 and Matt. 3-3. of the week lacking in none of the little hope of a membership that grandeur in this country. We see drawings in black and white are He moves the heart of all from the elements of success. With these advantages it offsets the loss of a closing Sunday: 1. Nearly every pastor can be in his own pulpit that day, and Sunday travel is evoided. 2. The people—especially merchants and farmers—prefer to be away from home, in these times.

In the hope of a membership that do not take their church paper."

Mr. Fred. Senior, representing the house of Hemphill, Hamlin & date three years later, of the house of Hemphill, Hamlin & Co., 342 Broadway, New York, paid that day, and Sunday travel is merchants and farmers—prefer to be away from home, in these times.

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Mr. Fred. Senior, representing the house of Hemphill, Hamlin & medal of Josephine and Napoleon, Emperor and Empress, and, with a date three years later, of Napoleon and Marie Louise. Another medal represents the King of Rome with his mother as Empress sculpture the English hold a good position, "Baroness Burdett Coutts" be a bust to study. There is great by position, "Baroness Burdett Coutts" by position, "Barones be away from home, in these times, on any day of the week rather than saturday. Some of the lowest and saturday being anything but a confessed their sins and were baperty, equality, fraternity, forming ed in her long narrow head. It is tized. The rite of baptism is as her escort; followed by medals a benign face; but, is she genial? I old, perhaps, as the flood. "He bearing the profiles of Louis Napoleon, President; of Louis Napoleon, tainly is. It would make her suf-Ghost and with fire," searching Emperor; of Louis Napoleon and fer to see a worm cut in twain by fire as in the days of Pentecost. Eugenie de Montijo, and of a baby her gardener's hoe. The Baroness V-18. "And many other things who is now the Chislehurst Pretender. Theirs had no medal hurst people, I am told, and High struck to celebrate the defeat of church; but she could not be hergeneralizes and condenses. He the Commune, the successful nego- self a tyrant or do an evil act for came with "the law" and "prophetiation of his gigantic loan, or the self-aggrandisement, even if it were cy," searching out and denouncing passing of the constitution. Me-possible for her to have the temp-sin among all classes, but promisregard to the rights involved in a Rev. John Adams, writing from Mahon, so far, has not given a sitting tation of poverty. Impossible to ing peace and pardon book published by J. H. Chambers Tyler, Texas, June 1, says: "I have to the artist of the mint. The Mar- find a type more purely humane. V-19, 20. "But Herod, the —placing his claims at \$50,000. been sick for about five weeks, and Our readers are familiar with the this is the reason why you have next hall: "The Saloon of Histor-Adam has been entirely eliminated for Herodias, his brother Philip's case, as both sides have been pre- not heard from me tor about that jeal Portraits in Marble." It is flat- from it. Sunday School. Prepared for the ADVOCATE. INTERNATIONAL BIBLE LESSONS. They are, perhaps, doing more brethren of the St. Louis Advocate while you never get them. We In the many busts and statues that THIRDQUARTER—THIRD LESSON—July 21, 1878. BY R. M. MOORE. publish a three-column article, have had heavy, damaging rains. predominate in this hall, the reactionary energy of the Fine Art De-Rev. H. J. McQuary writes from partment betrays itself. The Mar-GOLDEN TEXT. per know that its columns have been used without stint to build now resort to this species of the late General confirmed by their defeat in since I last wrote you. The rain up the images of Louis Napoleon and his wife, though they were soft to this species of lived by hail are very fine; money both very positive historical facts. oppression. The Advocate hints that the suit will develop some at a very low oble. The room where the continuous form terests of Texas. This is as it shall be in should be; and as it shall be in future—for though our friends (?)

The Advocate finite of this hall there is a that the suit will develop some but seventeen accessions to the future—for though our friends (?)

To the left of this hall there is a since the eighteen unrecorded years since the event of our last lesson but seventeen accessions to the but seventeen accessions accessions to the but seventeen accessions accessions acces future—for, though our friends (?) lic. Of course, we regret that the church as yet. I have been at leave it to enter the British Fine crime is common. The people are V—21. work for the Advocate this week. Art Section, comprising eight restless; they chafe in their chains, V-21, 22. "Now, when all the matter before the courts; but, now Everybody likes the ADVOCATE, rooms, any one of which is larger and wistfully wait for the Shillon people were baptized, it came to

Place-Wilderness of Judea; Time A. D. 26;

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they never have, and never expect tofore announced in this paper, toto, charge for such; on the con- wit: "A rule in journalism, which holy man, and his death was a stand at the head of the eighty-five forerunner of Christ, the last but was opened to John and Jesus. trary, cheerfully make the con- if enforced will prevent in most triumph through grace. His last c'asses. The French who are hon- greatest prophet of the old covecession for the benefit of Methodism. But we think it is not exactly right to send to this office so much that is done gratuitously, and persistently bestow the little.

If enforced will prevent in most cases trouble growing out of newspaper controversies, and which is goodness. The church and the goodness. The church and the goodness. The church and the school, which does well when it follows nature, but very badly about him by thousands to hear when it follows Pritish art tradical propriet of the old coverage and bold, he stirs are in mourning. The same from heaven assuring the propriet of the old coverage and bold, he stirs are tradically and the sum of a new world. An audible voice when it follows Pritish art tradically and the sum of a new world. An audible voice when it follows Pritish art tradically and the sum of a new world. An audible voice when it follows Pritish art tradically and the sum of the cases trouble growing out of newspapers are trouble growing out of newspapers and bold, he stirs are trouble growing out of newspapers and which is goodness. The church and the goodness are trouble growing out of newspapers are trouble growing out of newspapers are trouble growing out of newspapers are trouble growing out of newspapers. The church and the world are trouble growing out of newspapers are trouble growing out of newspapers are trouble growing out of newspapers. The church and the world are trouble growing out of newspapers are trouble growing out of newspapers. The church and the world are trouble growing out of newspapers are trouble growing out of newspapers. The church and the growing out of newspapers are trouble growing out of newspapers are trouble growing out of newspapers. The church and the growing out of newspapers are trouble growing out of newspapers are troub and persistently bestow the little spondents to strict parliamentary the writer at five o'clock this evention. England's greatest artist, their inner lives exposed. There of what he had announced as a Millais, sends ten pictures. The is something of a melancholy gran- prophet. Christians are called sons port it of Mrs. Bischoffsheim is deur in the character of this cousin of God (John, 3-2), but only that of a hard woman of the world, of our Savior and his Savior, son Christ is called the beloved Son of in a trundled up Dolly Varden of Elizabeth and Zachariah, as he God. train of brown silk brocade, dotted comes to announce the DAY-SPRING over with colored bouquets, and a of LIFE, and then to disappear.

to express which I must borrow a to them all, (or rather unto all,) I the language of doubting Thomas, French term, la bonne grace. "Hearts indeed baptize with water: but "My Lord and my God." are trumps," represents three grum- One greater than I cometh, the came with the law before, Christ py young women sitting in a luxu- latchet (string) of whose shoes came with the gospel; so we must rious green-house playing dummy (sandals) I am not worthy to un- conform to God's law before Christ whist. They are tired, I suppose, of loose; He shall baptize you with can come in the heart.

that they are the daughters of a shovel) is in His hand, and He John, should be careful to hide knighted manufacturer of artillery shall thoroughly purge His floor himself behind the cross. Great of heavy calibre. The wealth of and will gather the wheat into His as he was, he was less than the the world flows in upon them and garner; but the chaff he will burn least of servants in serving Him

takes away their appetites for the with fire unquenchable." dinary pleasures. Their lilac silk anxiously looking for. "Muses," in the heart. dresses and pink ribbons, the boule ponders, as did Mary: "John," of the Guard" is wonderfully well direct question, but the general in- "unquenchable fire." rendered. But it is not a picture quiry in the hearts of all who heard for a small collection. The scarlet him. He said he baptized them expressive of continued, earnest

wife, and all the evil Herod had done, added yet this above all that he shut up John in prison."
"Herod," son of Herod the Great and Malthace, a Samaritan. He married first the daughter Aretas, King of Arabia. He divorced her and took his brother Philip's wife, not Herod Philip, the tetrarch (fourth ruler). Herodias was a grand-daughter of Herod the Great, Rulers – Tiberius Cesur, Emperor of Rome; grand-daughter of Herod the Great, Pontius Pilot, Procurator of Judea; Herod Antipas, Tetrarch of Perca and Galilee. grand-daughter of Herod the Great, and hence his own niece. For all tipas, Tetrarch of Perca and Galilee. these sins the fearless John denounced him, king or ruler as he was. Herod Aggrippa, in living

APPLICATION.

15. We need not linger in suspetticoat of warm tinge. The col- V-15. "And as the people pense, and muse in our hearts over oring is pleasant, the subject not were in expectation, and all men the eloquence of any great preacher, agreeable. In the portraits of the mused in their hearts of John, as to whether or not he could be English ladies generally there is whether he were the Christ or not." Christ. Christ has come, and we an absence of that delightful thing, V-16. John answered, saying have only to look and exclaim, in

the tedious game, and of fullness of fire."

bread, and of idleness. I was told V-17. Whose fan (winnowing waiting world, the herald, like who was to baptize with fire, that enjoyment of ordinary and extraor- "In expectation," in suspense, was to burn out every root of evil

17. As Christ walks up and down table at which they drag through the grace of God. The promise to this world of trial and probation their game, the ferns and other hot Eve had grown heavy on the heart with His winnowing fan of tr 5 house plants, are all faithfully and of the weary, waiting people. As in His hands, it should be the ... Medals and Coins that Tell a His- ably done. A dominant quality of they heard the voice of repentance chief care of each one that he tory .-- The Saloon of Historical Por- Millais is sincerity. He represents in the wilderness, the question grow into the mature wheat for the things as they strike him, and his rose in their hungry hearts, storehouse of heaven, by faith and eye has great power to see and to whether he was the long promised love, and not wither and shrivel discern. That primold "Yeoaman Messiah. He "answered," not a into the empty chaff, food for the

A visitor to the Exhibition, who color of the coat is too obtrusive. with water, gave them an outside work. He was faithful unto death,

A very delicate question has come from Cambridge, in Clay county, course get the best thoughts and up like the cabin of a ship, will that awaits the wicked in the world utterances of the soul, that opens have it that none but the English to come. John was of a priestly the window of heaven and brings up between Mr. Potter, of that com- many years teaches me that the A room hung round with historical will ever find the Northwest Pass- race. His father was a priest, and God's blessings to the heart. And mittee, and Mrs. Jenks, the witnesses: Did the committee make not take one of our periodicals are life will hear, as he enters the gates Mrs J. famous—or did Mrs. J. make the most difficult portion of the theatrical accessories and scene daughter is reading to him in a was to be filled with the Holy eternal, "Enter thou into the joy

EDITOR'S NOTICES.

In preparing articles for publication write on but one side of the paper; otherwise your com-munications may be thrown into the waste-basket.

ARTICLES refused publication will, in no in-stance, be returned to writers. OBITUARIES should not be over twenty lines; sight words make a line.

PRIVATE letters to the editor should be marked "Personal"

Correspondence.

Dallas Notes.

about drawn to a close; and the identified. past few weeks have witnessed the closing exercises of the various tion, Bro. John, I must add a few I believe it has been generally decided by those who attended these isters Smoke?" and signed L. L. various exercises that the Dallas W. I heartily endorse what L. L. Female College, in many particu- W. says; for the use of tobacco is lars, bore off the palm. This certainly a habit to be shunned, school has been under the charge and it is to be regretted that so of Prof. W. K. Jones, as president, many of our ministers are addicted since last September, he having to it. I do hope our brothers in of the latter State, and others, as a reformation in themselves, so that calling for a man to start a store. ing care of the North Texas Con- pleasure that I never saw my father to the purpose for which I wrote, them with deep regret, and can but able and efficient efforts of Col. J. from having for its president Prof. our paster does not use it; or if he stating they are Methodists and them in this, their hour of distress; beyond a doubt. W. H. Scales, now deceased. Since does, I am led to believe that it is Prof. Scales' death, the school build- with great moderation. It does seem Methodist preacher and want to His love, we advise "submission ing on Elm street has been sold so unbecoming in a minister of the because of the encroachment of gospel to indulge such a habit; I consider a good opening. I modthe business interests of the city especially to smoke cigars; for they estly called for a man with \$1000 upon the location, and it being smack so much of the saloon and of or \$1200 capital. Some say there thought advisable to withdraw the worldly men. I have in mind now a is a good opening in mercantile the church, it is gratifying to anschool to a more retired locality. minister who was greatly influenced business for a man of \$75,000. Now, owing to the enterprise of by this habit. I have seen him, after Heavy capitalists would do well the trustees and others, the Dallas delivering an able, eloquent sermon to look at our county. Female College has one of the fin- from the pulpit, and when the est school buildings in the State, solemn services were closed, walk situated on Live Oak and Bryan down the aisle, and before he was streets. The building is quite fairly out of the church enclosure, had the misfortune to have the as obsolete. handsome, three stories high, with take a cigar out, and striking a only building for public worship Mansard roof, and having an en- match upon one of the posts of the destroyed by a storm. The two Church Literature is enclosed for trance on each of the two men- gate to the enclosure-sometimes sermons on infidelity at Cambridge tioned streets; thus situated in upon one of the pillars supporting were masterly and well timed utsirable portions of the city, and light his cigar and begin smoking. that all the learning is on the side possessing quiet, pleasant surroundings. The building affords might have deferred smoking until taken out by the Dr. with a masmight have deferred smoking until the sheltering walls of his home should have shut him in from the observation of the people, as there are always those outside the church ing department having been presided over by Mrs. Jones, the presided over by Mrs. Jones, the president's wife, in a very satisfactory manner during the term just ended. There have been one hundred and thirty-eight pupils in attendance the last term, for whose instruction six competent teachers were employed. The commencement sermon for the cellege was to have a serious for the commencement sermon for the cellege was to have a serious did a sky you and if I should ask you serious of the sheltering walls of his home should have shut him in from the observation of the people, as there should have shut him in from the observation of the people, as there should have shut him in from the observation of the people, as there should have shut him in from the observation of the people, as there should have shut him in from the observation of the people, as there should have shut him in from the observation of the people, as there in fidelity had never been a success in government, art, science or literature. We are not sure every one will agree with the Dr. on the reason to believe that there are more will agree with the Dr. on the reason for existence of sin, but he district approximates 2500. We have reason to believe that there are more will agree with the Dr. on the reason for existence of sin, but he district approximates 2500. We have reason for existence of sin, but he district approximates 2500. We have reason to believe that there are more will agree with the Dr. on the reason for existence of sin, but he district approximates 2500. We have reason for existence of sin, but he district approximates 2500. We have reason for existence of sin, but he district approximates 2500. We have reason to believe that there are more will agree with the Dr. on the reason field the church of the district approximates 2500. We have reason to believe that there ample accommodation for young the sheltering walls of his home terly hand, and he showed that inemployed. The commencement and it never occurred to me that and 28, has been changed to August sermon for the college was to have been preached by a Methodist brother from a distance, but he answer in the negative, it would be brother from a distance, but he answer in the negative, it would be answer in the negative in the sermon for the college was to have you did; and if I should ask you 17 and 18. It will be held at Cambrother from a distance, but he answer in the negative, it would be have our ministering brethren to be failing to meet the engagement, so gratifying to hear this from one with us. Bro. Moss is making a the Texas Christian Advocate during the reour pastor, Bro. Bourland, was of your position and influence in good, efficient elder. We hope some specifully submitted. called upon to fill the appoint- our church; and I would, for one of our local preachers who are ment. He, of course, had very of your numerous friends, feel like looking for a home will pass this little time for preparation, but he extending to you my hand in a way. About three good, pious, conis equal to almost any emergency hearty grasp—a token of my appresistent, earnest local preachers in which the interest of our ciation and of a renewal of the bond church and school is concerned. of friendship between us. So he quietly "accepted the situation," and his hearers on that occasion had no cause for regret that The editor is absent. To allow the above affairs had terminated thus. The examination exercises of the school swer, would imply a want of courtesy to the writer; but if we should reply that he uses were very interesting-four days the "weed," we make him lose the "apprecianight, Thursday, witnessed the class, on which occasion five young ladies received their diplomas, two once went to work to circulate ous application, proficiency in bers). I want to place the Apvotheir studies, and lady-like deport- CATE in every family on the mistheir studies, and lady-like deportment in the school-room. The graduating class was then addressed by Col. Crawford, one of the leading lawyers of our city, in a very able and interesting manner, followed by appropriate closing followed by appropriate c

The week following the comlieve, general satisfaction has been be and ever remain with us. given its many patrons; and the pupils at the examination evinced

Texas Christian Advocate next term will open the first Monday in September—and no school in Texas can offer better facilities for the education of girls and young ladies than this school can with the present array of teachers. Rev. John Allen and his brother, June, the month of roses, has with which they have become

FLORENCE E. HOWELL.

Dallas, June 28, 1878. tobacco interrogatory" to pass without an-

followed by appropriate closing cious revival soon. Crops fine.—
remarks by the president, Prof. M. T. SEALY.

DANIEL MORGAN.

DOWN WITH WHISKY.

Local Option in Clay County-That Opening for a Store-Dr. Ditzler's Visit-Change of Quarterly Meeting-Call for Local Preachers.

Local option has again triumphed Prof. Wm. Allen, have made ar- in Clay county. One year ago it cent bereavement, presided with cultural and Mechanical College of or precinct, we are guilty before rangements to go to Waxahachie with the opening of another term, as the former has been elected president of Marvin College, of that town. These two noble young men and efficient teachers will carry with them to their new field carry with them to their new field traffic in intoxicants taking adsion being universal: "This is the quently did he maintain that there among themselves. O. FISHER. of labor the kindest wishes of their hosts of friends, and every Method-hosts of friends, and every Method-didates, by getting names of citi-ever attended." The various inter-tion of all things. Its publication ist can but wish them to succeed, zens, minors and non-residents, ests referred to the district conferbecause of the name of the college secured the necessary number to a ence were canvassed. From the would be a contribution to the lit-Before closing this communication was too short for the friends houses of worship, etc., the district is says by the young ladies, which schools of our thriving city—and I believe it has been generally decided by those who attended these isters Smoke?" and signed L. L. at Cambridge lost thirty-eight per ceding said work against their wish with a touching and eloquent adcent. against last year.

enclosing stamp. I am simply a and thus recommending them to call attention of Methodists to what to the powers that be.

terances. We have some who think

would find a good field of usefulness here as such, and can find lands at \$1.50 to \$10.00 per acre. W. W. BRIDWELL.

quarterly conference embraced the second Sabbath in June. It was a being devoted to them, the even- tion" of our fair correspondent. What shall very pleasant and profitable one. ings of each day being devoted to we do? Well, we guess the matter had better Our worthy presiding elder, Bro. recitations, essays, and music, by the different classes. The last be kept in abeyance until the doctor shall an Gravis, was with us and fully ard and J. A. Haughton. LEXINGTON, July 5, 1878.—I re- Campbellites and Missionary Bapgraduating exercises of the senior ceived your card and terms, and at tists by opposing their New version session of the district conference. work done, if any at all, sickness Testament," or, as he called it, the "revision movement." Preachers of them receiving, besides, a gold your paper—the Texas Christian ought all to be on the alert, and medal each, as a reward for studi- Advocate. (Result, seven subscristrike this enemy wherever they find him. The ministers of the Campbellite and Missionary Bapour meeting somewhat. Taking short notice, he fully sustained more than all other expenses ten-ELGIN, July 2d, 1878.—Our Discrict Conference and protracted meeting at Elgin resulted, we hink, in good. Ten children and ive adults baptized. We think here were about fifteen convertions and several reclamations, and not very good. Unfortunately, here church was blessed. Twenty a good. Unfortunately, here were good. Unfortunately, here were good. The children was blessed. Twenty a good time. I wish, himself and the occasion. The examination proper, commenced on protracted on Friday and closed on Friday might at our communion season. It was an occasion long to be remembered by all that enjoyed it. The financial condition of Communion of Commanche circuit is not very good. Unfortunately, here were about fifteen converged to the condition of Commanche circuit is not very good. Unfortunately, here were about the condition of Commanche circuit is not very good. Unfortunately, here were about fifteen converged to the condition of Commanche circuit is not very good. Unfortunately, here were about fifteen converged to the condition of Commanche circuit is not very good. Unfortunately, here were about fifteen converged to the condition of Commanche circuit is not very good. Unfortunately, during the last two sessions. The such as allowed and licensed by the most Christian nation in the world!

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A new Medical Treatise fold, is allowed and licensed by the most Christian nation in the world!

This is the strangest paradox in political history. All the revenue derived from the alcoholic trade is not equal to one-half of one per continuous casion long to be remembered by a privilege to witness and report such as a privilege to witness and report to both teachers and pupils. We esteem it derived from the alcoholic trade is not equal to one-half of one per control to both the world!

**Converse the world of the worl mencement exercises of the Female trict Conference and protracted with us on Sunday night at our night, with great credit to both political history. All the revenue College, the examination of the meeting at Elgin resulted, we communion season. It was an oc- teachers and pupils. We esteem it derived from the alcoholic trade is Dallas College, of which Rev. A. C. think, in good. Ten children and casion long to be remembered by a privilege to witness and report not equal to one-half of one per Allen, D. D., of the North Texas five adults baptized. We think all that enjoyed it. The financial such a marked improvement in cent. of the damage done to the Conference, is president, occurred. there were about fifteen converby. Allen has been assisted in the sions and several reclamations, and not very good. Unfortunately, during the last two sessions. The But how shall we balance the loss dress Dr. W. H. PARKER, 4 THYSELF school by his wife, a very compethe church was blessed. Twenty Comanche county was right in the advancement as shown by the of life with money? Suppose we tent teacher, and his two sons, additions to the M.E.Church, South. wake of the frost that visited West- public examinations was more put down the actual loss of life at WARNER BROS' CORSETS Rev. John Allen, of the same Conference, and Prof. Wm. Allen. This the district for their help; also in charge is laboring faithfully and with the institution. The senior from the hardiest, most able workschool, situated in East Dallas, has to visiting brethren Witworth, is greatly loved and appreciated by class, nine in number, who graduing classes, both of the common been well patronized, and, I be- Jordan and Burford. May God his people. The Advocate is very ated deserve special notice. The laborers and the professions. How much loved by our people. We impartial manner in which the ex- will the government answer for the heartily approve its course. The amination was conducted, and the loss of these lives and the beggaring great truths with which every promptness with which they and of their families? Let not our lawa degree of progress in their studies that was truly gratifying, and which that was truly gratifying, and which that was truly gratifying, and which the most difficult problems, fully blame on the whisky drinkers! The reflected great credit upon their teachers. But this closed the last term of the Dallas College, and it is now arranged that the two is now arranged that the minds the min schools become consolidated for conference. What a pity that were never better. A portion of our lege, and we are proud of them. the people they can by selling them another term. Dr. A. C. Allen and our session of conference is to be county was visited by a severe May she yield many more such. intoxicating drinks. Are they not,

Jefferson District Conference.

Daingerfield, Texas, on the 26th of filled to overflowing, to witness the sense jury, would have no trouble June, and continued its session closing exercises of the college, in making a clear case. But we until the 29th. Rev. L. B. Ellis, First, the audience was favored are all involved in the great guilt the presiding elder, was present, with an intellectual feast from Mr. till we do our best to correct the and though sorrow-stricken by re- Gathright, president of the Agri- evil. As a nation, State, or county, petition to authorize the County minutes the gleanings are forward- erary effusions of the present day. Board to order an election. The ed for publication: On the subject of Next came the reading of the esof local option to make any organ- somewhat on the improve. Finances were chaste, beautiful and approago. To Henrietta, the county seat, Much irritation of feeling on one college, Col. J. R. Cole, who handis due the credit of this victory, al- charge-Longview circuit. This ed them in turn to each of the though the majority for free whisky irritation has been produced by young ladies, following the same ent. against last year.

Crops are good here. Wheat fell ference. The conference, recogshort on account of the dry spring, nizing the Pauline injunction (see pils. come to our State from Tennessee the ministry will reflect upon this about that time, and being highly recommended by several officials of this habit will try to bring about the ministry will reflect upon this but other crops are doing well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring, but other crops are doing well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring, but other crops are doing well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring, but other crops are doing well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring, but other crops are doing well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring, but other crops are doing well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring, but other crops are doing well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring, but other crops are doing well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring, but other crops are doing well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring, but other crops are doing well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring well. I have received several letters in anther the dry spring well and the dry spring well

D. F. FULLER, R. LANE.

In regard to the spiritual state of

The report of Committee on publication. From it the reader longing to and under the patronmay gather what we are doing. Not enough, of course; but we are resolved to do better:

CHURCH LITERATURE --- JEFFERSON DISTRICT. Your Committee on Church Literature find.

A. C. McDougal. M. H. NEELY, J. H. SNIPES. DAINGERFIELD, TEXAS, June 29, 1878.

D. F. Fuller, J. H. Snipes, S. I. Pouns, W. B. Womack and Geo. M. O'Neal were appointed a committee with authority to organize a district conference high school.

The following are the delegates elect to the approaching Annual COMANCHE CIRCUIT.—Our second Conference: Rev. R. I. Wynne, J. Hughes, R. A. Morris, C. C. Dick-

Linden, Cass county, was selected D. F. FULLER, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE VISITING COMMITTEE.

North Texas Female College. wife have been elected teachers, with Prof. Jones and his wife, for the several collections by the 16th the Dallas Female College, and the Dallas Female Co

Texas Female College. The school Resolved, That we deeply sym- is prosperous, the outlook bright, a scholar and a teacher of capacity they can, with a clear conscience and long experience. This school, and a pure breath, admonish for a land agent. Quite a number Longview circuit in their present of religious education will but as you know, is under the foster- others to reform. I can say with of letters have come entirely foreign troubles, and that we separate from rally to its support, and to the ference, and for a number of years use tobacco in any way; my husenjoyed the advantages derived band does not use it, and I think will continue to do so on parties order out of confusion," may lead cess of the institution is secured will continue to do so on parties order out of confusion," may lead cess of the institution is secured

J. M. BINKLEY, Chairman Visiting Committee

The Sherman Courier publishes an extended report of the commencement exercises, in which occurs the following editorial

tribute: "North Texas Female nounce that, according to statement College stands, deservedly, in the of pastors, worldly amusements front rank of the educational in-are exerting but little influence in stitutions of our State, and indeed Dr. Ditzler has been with us, the district bounds. Daingerfield of the South-west, and the annual preaching four times at Cambridge is happy to announce the modern recurrence of its closing exercises, and once at Henrietta. Henrietta dance, for near eighteen months, forms ever an interesting epoch in our social, moral and intellectual progress as a people.

Chartered by the State, and beage of the North Texas Conference of the M. E. Church, South, it is at once the favorite child, and at the same time the moral and social, the scientific and intellectual Mecca of the South-west, exercising an influence so extensive, and commanding a confidence so unquestioning, that the responsibilities of those having its management are so comprehensive and far-reaching, as to be almost beyond portrayal in ordinary language. And notwithstanding the fact that the insti- No. 6 .. 25 Inches 240 pounds. tution is yet, as it were, in its infancy, and subject to those embarrassments and hindrances which always beset the first steps of educational enterprises, our people have come to expect much of their favorite college, and look to it with no little pride as the exponent and representative of their progress in science, art and ethics.

"Penny Wise and Ponad Foolish." It is a well known fact, confirm-

ed by official reports of this gov-

ernment, that the use of alcoholic drinks as a beverage annually costs this government hundreds of millions of dollars. The last report I H. Snipes, Geo. W. Lagrone and E. 600. But this is not one per cent. of have seen sets it down at \$700,000,-J. Glover. Reserves-Rev. H. R. the real cost in the waste of individual, community and public property, directly and indirectly. Then comes the diminution of the as the place for holding the next laboring forces, loss of time, bad and premature deaths, and that by many thousands annually. And this, generally, after they have reduced their families to poverty and pauperism. But besides killing The commencement exercises of themselves, men who drink freely

a dark cloud from the west. On property? A competent prosecu-The above body convened in Friday night the Opera House was ting attorney, before a common AUSTIN, June 27, 1878.

We have been blessed with a revival at Brooks' Chapel. About twenty converted, and twenty-three joined the church, and left several penitents at the altar. And we are now at work in a good meeting in town of Lampasas. There seems to be a general interest, good attendance, several ask the prayers of the church, some come to the altar and some have joined the church. Not many converts yet. We need converting power, and are

MINEOLA CIRCUIT, July 1-As the third quarterly conference is past, I will let you hear from this work. The Lord has truly been with us; eight souls happily converted to God; six joined the church. Last night we had a Pentecostal shower from the presence of the Lord. We have received thirty-five into the church; twenty converted. The Lord has done great things for us, whereof we are glad. The local preachers are wide awake. D. C. Marshall has been with me, and has preached with power. We think we will be able to do something for the ADVOCATE soon .- S H. RENFRO.

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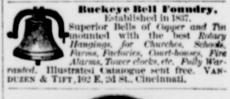
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The Russian Government has rebacks on Ultramontanism, com- two years' residence abroad. years ago, has congregations of ion. three classes: organized churches,

ance of the poor, and that ignores great champions. They excite temnize the authority of the village nature must be convinced of the
the old-time drill of altar exerper, provoke wrath, and do next to priest. Indeed, everybody spoke infinite wisdom and beneficence of the old-time drill of altar exercises and class meetings, is the path to death. There are enough churches in the world that are conducted on the line of mere respectability. The mission and uses of Methodism are different, and her work is to waken souls and bring them to Christ. We cannot compete with the churches that maintain an elaborate ritual, and that depend upon their forms and social conditions for influence and strength. If Methodism be not a living, spiritual organism, she is nothing. Her origin was a protest against that dead respectability.

The Alanta (Fig. 1) and that the dead respectability and spiringer called for me Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the consul's against that dead respectability.

The Alanta (Fig. 1) and that the churches that maintain an elaborate ritual, and that the churches that maintain an elaborate ritual organism, she is nothing. Her origin was a protest against that dead respectability.

The Alanta (Fig. 2) and the subjoined extract from a private that city, who is now in Cuba, to relatives in Augusta: Mr. A RECENT Belgian publication of the convinced of the infinite wisdom and beneficence of the Creator, and must realize the infinite wisdom and beneficence of the Creator, and must realize the infinite wisdom and beneficence of the Creator, and must realize the foundations of faith.—Christian Indicate the process of human intellect in former years? Do any of the following the creating of these Russian Weslevans, that it was generally felt the government had committed an error in bringing the matter before a jury. And this proved to be the case. Although legally the offenders were liable to exile for spreading the matter before a jury. And this proved to be the case. Although legally the offenders were liable to exile for spreading the case of human nature. The province of the Creator, and must realize the infinite wisdom and beneficence of the Creator, and must realize the infinite wisdom and beneficence of the Creator, and must realize the infinite wisdom and beneficenc sinners into carnal security, and left the multitudes of the poor and ignorant to perish in their degradation. Her continuance in the world is to the end that the power of the gospel may be felt to be a reality, and that the demonstration of this power may be an ever prescourse, a false respectability. It is the blending of worldliness and formality, the union of "the pride of life" with the refinement will never be ranged in method for the conversion of souls. -N. O. Christian Advocate.

seeing clearly all the way out, do above them, appealing in their calm sea has on a Dutch mariner, zealously struggle to clear up mismute misery to the stony-hearted who frequently, it is said, in these understandings and promote good fellowship. The other side is that over I was nearly dead myself, and, over I was nearly dead myself.

Texas Christian Advocate ables down there, who nurse although the day was very warm, The Scientific American, in show- I pity the unbeliever—one whose "The Christian Sacraments." The news of the fall of the Roman Catholic power in Belgium is almost as wonderful as would be the report that the Dutch had lost Holland. The Protestantism of Belgium, which has been an un-

fall of the Ultramontane ministry, able to give his son a good educa- few weeks ago a trial commenced at clothing and usually respectable come at last; for, arriving in his or 89 per dozen, sent by express, free of charge, the influence exerted by M. de Laveleye and other prominent men Laveleye and the Laveleye and th in favor of Protestantism, some unwise measures by the Catholic hierpartly for economical reasons; and
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congregations preparing for or- It is a duty to contend earnestly that recalled to mind the martyrs poets, and pointed out to him the anization, and mission stations. for "the faith." It is, however, very of the Middle Ages, replied in leadquarters of the Society far from being a duty to fight every Scripture language to the accusation thing to praise, or even lightly are at Brussels, where the recep- scarecrow and bombard every spections of the synod. As witnesses, to condemn, in the book before tion of numerous requests for tral error that chances to appear. forty persons-priests, peasants and me. He answered: 'No, you can't preachers shows how the spirit of inquiry is prevailing. "There has never been," says a Belgian letter in the Erangelical Christ-letter in the Erangelical Christ-let endom, "such a time for Belgium not open all their batteries. There since the days when Philip of Spain and the Duke of Alva burnt the Gospel."—N. Y. Independent.

the lighty masters at Christer to describing their converts, the Stundescribing their converts, the Stundescribing their converts, the Stundists, they declared them to be remarkable for their sobriety, honesty and clearness of principle, esty and clearness of principle.

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against that dead respectability that lulled rich and fashionable carriage, and insisted that I should drive with him to the large amplications of joy phitheatre known as 'Polar qua Mendos' for bull-fighting. I went; but I do assure you it was my last well mounted, rode into the arena, saluted the governor, who tossed after which eight or ten 'teasers' bility which kills a church is, of ring, followed by two men on already greatly infuriated, cavorted before us, dashing about from side spirit of Pharisaism. That respect- to side after the fiery ensigns, and spirit of Pharisaism. That respectability which consists in real spirability which consists in real spirThe story is one long and sickenhis lasts. His first food is milk; so is America.

The story is one long and sickenhis last and all between. He can
"This li ing, so, in summing up the affair, I opposition to the most effective killed. I didn't care a fig for the THE ITINERANCY. - Any organi- My sympathies were with the horses zation that has accomplished so and bulls. Two steeds were killed much as the Methodist system of by the first and third bulls, and one much as the Methodist system of by the lift and third bulls, and one itinerancy during the past century was so lacerated by the fifth anideserves careful study and consid- mal that it had to be driven from The tree and its fruit are like a faithful man is there already (as eration. While many have been the ring, almost torn open. Then sponge which the rains have filled, all faith, from the beginning, gives GALVESTON AND NEW YORK laughing at it, it has covered the I was wrought up. I was mad Through them and through all assurance) a something that perland. We have said before that with the Governor. Spain, the living bodies there goes on the comits chief strength consists in the fact that its ministers are sent; Spaniards, and even Christopher fact that its ministers are sent; The fact that they are under authority; they are wishes. I wanted to fight about with material bound for distant shall be no more."—Thomas Carthus the servants of the or- three Spaniards—though I was shores, to build up, and repair, and lyle. ganization which sends them, and still weak from malarial fever. restore the waste of the physical not of the people to whom they are Seven bulls were tortured to despe-frame. sent. The weakness has been in ration and then butchered. After the limit which has been placed the horsemen were through with the tension in Nature and in all should be so, rather than partisan. One of the above named steamships will leave upon the term of any pastorate. worrying them, two angling Span- her creatures is lessened. The trees Sectarianism is now talked about New York every SATURDAY; and Galveston for her creatures is lessened. The trees Sectarianism is now talked about New York every WEDNESDAY, and Galveston for her creatures is lessened. To remedy this comes now a new lards, on foot, with barbed reeds, drop their leaves, or let go their as if it were an offense to the spirit DAY when the trade requires proposition, and that is that all gaily decorated and brightly polished, would dance around the enpastors shall be appointed for only one year; but the appointment of the aboutless indication in the tender system. The tree itself will of our laws, and I fear our colleges fall in a still, damp day, when but sometimes shrink from the charge raged bull, stick him in the tender system of the aboutless to the spirit may be renewed from year to year indefinitely, so long as the pastorate shall be effective. The problem is a difficult one; but we are not is a difficult on sure but our Methodist friends are working it out toward a satisfactory solution. At any rate, we hope that Churchmen will consider the that Churchmen will consider the most exerciciting age. that Churchmen will consider the outlook in that direction, for therein they might find something to learn.—Churchman.

In this sense, rain is the grief, the weeping of nature, the grief, the weeping of nature, the relief of a burdened or agoform of attack which ingenuity form of attack which ingenuity fo "North and South, then, there could devise or human wickedness ture's eyelids are always remedial sailors brought her, then a little are two opinions and two practices in this fraternal business. One side is that of the real friends of ing to wreck their miserable existing to the real friends of th fraternity. They see that we had ence, or, failing in this, would run drifted into unchristian relations around the ring, looking piteously roo often has the the kidnapped slave-child enters the kidnapped slave-child enters the land of her birth an ambassato each other; and, while not yet into the faces of the multitudes same effect on the Christian that a dor of the King of kings.

years. The Attorney General pointed the wealth, power and prosperity my delay; but no doubt you have bine to give the Protestant movement a very favorable opportunity

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But the advantages of a foreign out that they had commenced of the country. The woolen inwhole country of the wealth, power and prosperty been well satisfied, having selected one of your class to fill the chair!"

A COMPLETE HISTORY OF THE LIFE AND LIFEwhole country one of your class to fill the chair!" nity. The foundation for the the disadvantages. The place for a prayer-meeting in secret, and then amounts to more than \$200,000, propagation of Protestantism was Americans to be educated is in extending their influence openly, one! laid many years ago, in the labors America. The notion that a boy until at last whole parishes had of colporteurs, who did their work so thoroughly that the Scriptures are to be found in many Catholic families. Upon ground thus prepared the Evangelical Society of Parking has been at work and the society of Parking has been at Belgium has been at work, and life than an American college is a nalia, the prosecutor demanded idiocy to deal with, and as Mr. now finds itself in possession of a more pardonable form of the same that the three offenders should be Bryant happened to come into my ripe and rich field. The Society, error. Distance lends enchant- exiled to the mines of Siberia. The room when I was debating the which was organized about forty ment to the view .- Christian Un- prisoners appeared in court with matter in my mind, I said to him and with a fervor and simplicty injunction to deal gently with critical, and the like. If some real virtues in which the orthodox

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grievances, remember wrongs and drops of cold perspiration beaded ing the advantage of manufactures intellect the light of revelation including all questions on the Mode and Subfind fault at every opportunity. upon my brow and chilled my to a city, gives statistics of a single never penetrated; who can gaze forehead. Men, women and min-woolen mill in Lawrence, Massa-upon the sun, and moon, and stars, the unqualified approval of our Bishops and whenever a little fire of affection is isters of religion would first cheer chusetts, which produces a million and upon the unfading and imper-church journals. The price of the work is \$2: a day to men. It consumes 500 Michigan University had always tons of starch and expends \$400, succeeded in having the best of his Health Powders and Great Vitalizer, begins now to waken into vigorous life; and the late reports from it give grounds for hopes of a brighter and more useful future. The downfall of the Ultramontane ministry, fall of the Ultramontane ministry,

the New Testament in their hands, that I was embarrassed by his

"Tell me not that science is an-

of the earth is about a thousand millions, about equally divided be-The first water-how much it tween males and females. Every means! Seven-tenths of man year about 33,000,000 die; every himself is water. Seven-tenths of day, 91,335; every hour, 3,780; time. At 4 o'clock a horseman, the human race rained down but every minute, 60. In civilized counyesterday! It is much more prob- tries there are more births than able that Casar will flow out of a deaths; but the world considered, him the keys to open the gates, bung-hole than that any part of the number of the former is about his remains will ever stop one. equal to that of the latter. More with red flags marched into the Our life is indeed a vapor, a breath, people are born and die in the a little moisture condensed upon night-time than in the day, and, horseback, with long spears. It was not long before the bull himself, in a phial. Cleave the flesh, and die before those of tall stature. how quickly we spill out! Man There are 3,220 languages spoken begins as a fish, and he swims in a in the world—587 in Europe, 896 sea of vital fluids as long as his life in Asia, 276 in Africa, and 1,464 in

"This little life boat of an earth, have only to say that one man was nothing but liquids. The same is with its noisy crew of mankind, true throughout all organic nature. and their troubled history, will one man nor his relatives and friends, Tis water-power that makes every day have vanished; faded like a Corner Eighth and Vinet Sts., Cincinnation of the control of the contro for such gladiators deserve no pity. wheel move. Without this great cloud-speck from the azure of the solvent, there is no life. I admire All! What, then, is man? He enthe being and in the working of a ine from the spurious.

Then the rain means relaxation; are sectarian. It is better they RATES.

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As the cars passed out of Mexia, our attention was called to the tenpin alley, located outside the corporate limits of the city. Public sentiment pronounced it a nuisance, and the city fathers took steps very faithful examination of the health, is doing full work. The for its removal. We were told that preacher's work. Under searching Western Methodist appeals to the August 14-20. while in town it furnished the questions from the chair and by brethren to let the bishop rest dur-Marshall more business than all members of the Conference, a very ing the summer; basing the appeal other agencies combined. People are wise in removing from a crowded population the carcasses of Some points were developed in ment against the presence of those of the day. The rules have not of society.

"Never swim a creek nor climb a mountain till you get to it." This was Bishop McKendree's comment revealed in many places, though have on the text: "Sufficient unto the in many homes the family altar you more than otherwise we find a resting place at night?" We living in neglect of family prayer. tainly generous on the part of our anxieties were ended when we sume, have deemed inquiries in to know the number of subscribers they are getting on this new heard the cordial greeting of Bro. this direction of importance. They proposition, from the fact that Sterne, of the Sterne hotel. A com- may apprehend neglect on the part agents, eager to get their people to delight. We know one Methodist vows of a preacher of the gospel zeal be bread upon the waters! preacher who appreciates them.

large building bearing upon it the many a surprise. If the preacher the charges brought against him sign of the "Immigrants' Home." neglect so sacred an obligation, it by Rev, J. F. Denton and the Vicfree of charge, while settling the siding elders and preachers in of a denial. The envelope was important question, what part of charge, in their visitations and postmarked, Livingston, Polk Co., the great State of Texas shall be official meetings, would give spefloor was a large kitchen with a stove of corresponding proportions where the families could prepare their food. A convenient and well their food. The first in this matter. Persent floor was a large kitchen with a general class meeting relation to this matter. Persent floor was a large kitchen with a general class meeting relation to this matter. Persent floor was a large kitchen with a general class meeting relation to this matter. Persent floor was a large kitchen with a general class meeting relation to this matter. Persent floor was a large kitchen with a general class meeting relation to this matter. Persent floor was a large kitchen with a general class meeting relation to the translation of the class the floor was a large kitchen with a general class meeting relation to this matter. Persent floor was a large kitchen with a general class meeting relation to this matter. Persent floor was a large kitchen with a general class meeting relation to the translation of the less binding with Christian churches where 2300 missionaries labor. The two companies of revisers will work together harmoniously.

Custom may lead a meeting of the translation of the less binding with Christian churches where 2300 missionaries labor. The two companies of revisers will work together harmoniously.

SHAW & BLAYLOCK - - Publishers. chairs and a broad table on which healthful standard of piety. they could spread their maps as they compared the claims of different sections of this State. On the through distant counties. This house is one of the tokens of enterof the International and Great formed that much valuable inforgrants by the I. & G. N. R. R.

I have no trouble in selling relig- bels on the jars, showing the date for our redemption. ious books." This remark was when they were plucked from the made at the Waco District Confertree or vine. To Northern visitors ence by Bro. Buckingham, who is these large and luscious fruits, actively engaged in the sale of good which have matured during months books. The newspaper is one of when they are shivering with frost, the educators of the public mind. will be an occasion of no little sur-The vitiated taste which can feed prise. Specimens of soil taken only on the dime novel is due in a from the surface, and showing the large degree to the sensational pub- subsoil, will be a guide to immilications sent forth by the weekly grants in search of farms. The fruits and monthly press. The fact that thus preserved were no better than the ADVOCATE creates a taste for those we saw in the orchards and sound and healthy religious litera- offered for sale in the streets. Specture, indicates the responsible po- imens of corn, cotton, sugar, the sition it occupies and the whole- different small grains and vegetasome influence it exerts on the bles, are also preserved. This is public mind. It not only supplies another mark of the enterprise of

> been conducted in those we have different portions of the State. attended this year, has been a thorough knowledge of the work upon the advice of physicians.

animals, which will poison the air, the Marshall Conference worthy of The same law of self-protection comparison with others, the injustified the revolt of public senti- fluence of the popular amusements disturb the peace and good order been but few departures from the maintained on these questions.

A decline in family religion was should so far decline in piety as to Dr. Jett Pincaird sends us Near the depot at Palestine is a give up his family altar, will be to communication denying expressly

Texas Christian Advocate ventilated dining room adjoined expected delinquencies, and tone the kitchen, next was a room with up the entire church to a more

We were specially interested in the report from Marshall station upper floor were rooms where the on missions. Two missionary sofamilies could lodge while the hus- cieties are organized. The Foreign band and father was prospecting missions are assigned to the male members, and the Domestic missions to the female members. All prize which marks the movements are expected to pay something. Ten cents per month will be \$1.20 Rev. Dr. Stirling, Galston, Ayr-Northern Railroad. We were in- per member. The pastor, Brother shire, the father of the Church of Phillips, expects to raise that Scotland, in the 88th year of his mation respecting the quality and amount. If one charge can raise price of lands offered in different \$1.20 per member, why may not British and Foreign Bible Society localities is supplied to the immi- all raise a like sum. This would in Buenos Ayres, has been stoned yield an aggregate of nearly \$100,- to death for the crime of being 000 from Texas, which is the sum a Bible seller. In one of the rooms we found a assessed the whole church for For-Louis the past week. The Central large and well assorted collection eign missions. Let each preacher in Christian Advocate does not speak of the productions of the State, Texas say his prayers before he in flattering terms of his effortswith specimens of its soil, minerals decides that he will not make a attributing to his lettures want of Paris, Stockholm, Foochow, Shangand timber. Specimens of the faithful effort to bring his charge success in every feature; adding hai, Lucknow, Lodiana, Yokohopeaches, plums, apples and berries, up to this standard. It is a small "Wherever the ADVOCATE goes are preserved in alcohol, with la- return for the price the Savior paid lectur r and audience.

financial reports. It seemed to have some relation to the currency ingdale Insane Asylum. in which preachers are sometimes get it, whatever it is. How preachzle modern financiers. "Truck- alists. andturnover" may have something to do with the matter, provided a man gets enough of it.

There were several parsonages reported in the District. A very neat one has been recently com-The Marshall District Confer- pleted in Henderson. Even where At Bremond a boy on the plat- when we reached Henderson. The turnover," the parsonage aids large-

No dram drinking nor liquor

BISHOP WIGHTMAN.-Owing to equal to the gray and red lands of class meeting. Methodist preach- Texas. This will be a great disap-

Bishop Paine, though in feeble

Rev. T. A. Garrison, cries " Huz

za for the ADVOCATE," and practically illustrates as follows: "I received the card from your office, or any other filth which, festering special note. The church in this authorizing me as one of your in the hot sun, will breed disease. region has felt but slightly, in agents to receive subscribers, on condition that the money is paid at our ensuing annual conference; also permitting me to concede my commission to the subscribers, if evils which poison the morals and been relaxed, and hence there have I so desired. I herewith send you -subscribers." (We won't high standard our church has give the number, because that sewing machine premium is involved.) "Now, if all the agents will concede their commissions to the subscribers, we can - thousand dollars for day is the evil thereof." We have has not been abandoned. One fact, would." The publishers desire deed; it is still heavy, but with teachers, and proclaims the Chris- and conducting schools and a laroften lost the pleasure of a day's however, was to us a startling one. not to be understood as asking better prospects for the future. To tian Sabbath as a weekly festival. ger adoption of the International travel through a beautiful region A pastor stated that some of the sions. It may be well in extreme over the question, "where will I local preachers in his charge were cases—and even then it is cerreached Palestine at midnight, but But few presiding elders, we pre- agents. But it would surprise many fortable bed and a well spread of many members of the church, subscribe for a church paper, breakfast table are the traveler's but that a man having on him the make this concession. May their

Religious Personals.

Rev. J. K. Tuttle, of the St. Louis Conference, sailed for Europe June

Ex-Senator Revels, (colored) now serving an African Methodist Church in Indiana, has had a para lytic stroke.

The Rev. C. K. True, pastor of a Methodist Church in Brooklyn, New York, died suddenly, June 19. He was a man of mark.

The death is announced of the age and the 63d of his ministry.

Mongiardino, an agent of the

the worry of extensive length to ma. want of spirit on the part of both

clergyman who has recently been been suddenly bereft of reason, Tinnevalley, India. and is now an inmate of Bloom-

Rev. R. S. Stubbs, formerly of paid. When money is scarce, we the New Hampshire Conference, presume the preacher is glad to but late of the Oregon Conference, has withdrawn from the M. E. ers manage to live on their small has been a life-long member, has Church, and with his wife, who salaries is a question that will puz- united with the Congregation-

> The Rev. A. W. Wilson, the Missionary Secretary, is in his office hard at work; but will soon "take the field" in the interest of missions. He is to move his family from Baltimore at an early day.

The last number of the Pacific Methodist contains a touching farewell from the Rev. O. P. Fitzgerald ence was in session on the 4th, they have to resort to "truckand- to his brethren of the Pacific Conference. Bro. F. will soon assume editorial duties on the Nashville

> Rev. S. B. Smitteel died June 23 at Laurel Glen, Va. He was transferred in 1876 from Holston to Florida Conference to improve his health. He returned to Virginia only nine days prior to his death.

Governor Colquitt, of Georgia, lately said at a Sunday-school convention in Carroll county, in that being, \$1800 to Texas; \$1870 to Reformed Church of France, held are successfully cultivated in this best method for the advance of the fact that Bishop Wightman State: "Some think that Sundayregion. At Mexia we ate some vital religion among our people. has been assigned to the Western school work is an insignificant fine peaches and grapes grown by The examination was thorough, District, he informed us that he work—too small a work for the to West Texas. The total amount reorganize the Lutheran Church, as nne peacnes and grapes grown by The examination was thorough, as thorough, as Col. J. R. Henry. It is claimed and was conducted somewhat in feared he would be compelled to great and busy men of earth. Collected in the church, South, for an invasion of the rights of the Col. J. R. Henry. It is claimed and was conducted somewhat in the three conducted somewhat in the triple conducted somewhat in the trip

ers deal faithfully with each other. pointment, as many of our preachof the Richmond Institute, Richas follows: Texas, \$844 80; North sionary Convention (colored) has This peculiarity crops out in their ers and people had hoped to have mond, Va., is to spend a part of his Texas, \$1077 40; East Texas, \$550 appointed two special committees annual examination of character. Shared the benefit of his councils and ministrations this year in mittee of the Young Men's Chrise and ministrations the delegate of to be held in Geneva, Switzerland, East Texas, 8-

lates" that "commentary" of Dr. mestic and foreign missions \$111,- organization-and, we therefore

for the sake of the "dear departed," is that of the greatest fanatic that

ever cursed a country. served and blessed.

Rev. G. W. Owens, Ferris, July provided for the translation of the 2,000,000 connected by ties more or wound up with something like an

Religious Mews.

The State Sunday-school Convention of South Carolina will meet

The Christian Neighbor, now published at Columbia, S. C., will be removed at the close of the year to Atlanta, Georgia.

The Alabama State Sundayschool Convention will meet in Selma on July 16 and 17, and not on July 9-10.

The Sunday-school Association its second annual convention at school Union will be held in Marys-A-to-ka, on the M., K. and T. Railway, on August 2.

The total receipts of the English religious societies is \$8,436,260, an increase of upward of \$250,000. Of the whole amount \$3,592,895 was contributed to foreign missions.

The American Bible Society is now publishing books at Constantinople, Beirut, Bremen, Berlin,

The Bishop of London, in a public letter, has desired that the The Rev. Victor Smith, a young Christians of England should unite on an appointed day with the Dio-"Truckandturnover." Well, that's acting as assistant to the Rev. Dr. cese of Madras in a thanksgiving another new word. We heard it Shakelford, at the Redeemer Prot- service for the recently reported used in connection with one of the estant Church, New York, has conversion of 18,000 natives in

It is proposed to celebrate, in the year 1881, the centenary of the founding of Sunday-schools. Mr. Franklin Allen, Secretary of the International Sunday-school Committee, will this summer confer with the London Sunday-school Union in relation to arrangements for this event.

The Methodist Protestant, of Balti-It is sometimes the case that when ing the year. we begin to get old we lose all desire to don elegant attire. This is not so with the Protestant—as it is now in the forty-ninth year of its publication. It is well edited-and deserves patronage. Bro. Drinkhouse will please accept our wishes for

1877, was \$100,000—the apportion- known song which he sings. ments to the Texas Conferences A conference of pastors of the North Texas; \$1460 to East Texas; at Paris recently, protested against \$1730 to Northwest Texas; \$1040 the attempt of the government to 862,157 02. The Texas Confer- liberty of the Reformed Church. Rev. Chas. H. Corey, President ences are credited with collections mittee of the Young Men's Chris- collected for domestic missions is of the North, and the other to contian Associations of Virginia to 849,185 42. Texas Conferences are sider the relations of the colored the Conference of the Young Men's credited as follows: Texas Confer- Baptists of the United States among Christian Associations of all lands, ence, \$877 15; North Texas, \$1200; themselves. ·; Northwest Texas, \$2319 57; West Texas, Church meets, generally, the appro-The Western Methodist "venti- \$667 01. Total collections for do- val of the different journals of that Summers on the late General Con- 342 44. The total receipts for four presume, of its membership. The ference. Bro. Johnson, taking a years preceding report are as fol- committee that compiled the work serious view of the subject, enters lows: From June, 1874, to June, had fifteen members. An exchange an able defense. We have regard- 1875-(foreign and domestic collectory says: The conservative power of ed the article of the good doctor in tions being taken together)-total, a large committee has been fully the light of a joke. "See our \$107,570. From June, 1875, to justified. The book is not new Commentary" of a previous date. June, 1876-foreign, \$61,674 12; enough to produce any shock upon The Central Christian Advocate domestic, \$79,501 92; total, \$141,- the tender sensibilities of devout says a Mr. Sanborn is to write a 176 04. From June, 1876, to June, hearts. It has a very natural apnew life of John Brown. We trust, 1877-foreign, 870,658 44; domes- pearance as you open it. tic, \$55,052 86; total, \$125,711 30. the paper in my necessary absence, work is done by native mission- ty conventions. I am profoundly grateful, and, aries. There are 2500 missionary most of all, grateful to a merciful stations in India, and near 2000 of Middle Tennessee was held in Father in heaven, by whose good them manned by native laborers, Nashville, June 26-7. Twenty providence myself and family have while the Christians are increasing counties and all Protestant denomibeen thus far so wondrously pre- by more than a hundred thousand nations represented. The convenin ten years. There are self-sup- tion developed into a permanent The Rev. L. H. Gulick writes to porting Christian congregations in organization called the "Middle The Observer an account of a con- Persia and on the Black sea. There Tennessee Sunday-school Associaference of delegates from Protest- are 5000 communicants in Syria. tion," the first meeting of which ant missions in Japan. It was held Gambia, Sierra, Leon and Liberia will be in Murfreesboro, October in Tokio, and its purpose was to have powerful Christian communi- 24-25. The officers elect of this provide for the translation of the ties. There are 40,000 communi-permanent body are: Hon. John Bible into the Japanese language. cants in the churches of South E. Garner, President; Z. W. Ewing, Forty-two missionaries were pres- Africa, and 45,000 children in the M. L. Blanton, H. H. Norman and we called in to see what it meant. We found a well arranged house where immigrants can stop for days where immigrants can societies and the British, Scotch, Christian. As the result of fifty C. J. Moody, Treasurer; W. M. and American Bible societies. Dr. years labor among the heathen we Leftwich, M. B. DeWitt and J. E. Maclay, of the American Methodist sum up about 500,000 church mem- Scobey, Executive Committee. It Mission, presided. The conference bers; and probably not less than is said the Nashville Convention

There are in Germany 1961 Sunday-schools, with 8149 teachers and 158,615 scholars.

Women's Mission Boards and in Greenville, S. C., August 21-22. their auxiliaries in this country alone are said to number 9000.

The Congregationalists of Massachusetts held their annual associa-

tion meeting last week at Fall River. The Board of Publication of the Southern Presbyterian church reduced its debt last year from \$20,-000 to \$7000.

The thirteenth annual Convenof the Indian Territory will hold tion of the Kentucky Sundayville on July 9-11.

The first colored Baptist church in Nashville is said to be the finest church edifice ever erected by colored people in the South.

The English revisers of the New

l'estament are engaged in revising for the second time the Second Epistle to the Corinthians. The Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions closed its year with

a decrease in receipts of \$60.288, as compared with last year. The Protestant Episcopal Bishop of Nebraska, has admitted to

deacon's orders, a Sioux Indian with the Christian name of Amos The new hymn book of the M.

E. Church is on sale. It contains one thousand one hundred and seventeen hymns, nineteen doxologies, and the ritual. The 16mo. edition is bound in cloth, and will be sold at one dollar.

In the last year, one mission in China of the Presbyterian Board, reported 112 accessions to the church by conversion, and another mentioned the baptism of 48 converts. Another missionary in more, is out in a "bran new" dress. Mexico reported 194 converts dur-

The copy of the Bible which Martin Luther used daily, and the leaves of which are covered with annotations made with his own hands, is now in the Brandenburg Museum, which gave for it about \$450. The Bible was printed in the continued prosperity of the Basle in 1509, is bound in leather, and is in good preservation.

annual report of the Board of Missions Methodist Friedrich and Nine," was written by a Scotch Missions, Methodist Episcopal lady, Elizabeth C. Clephane, for a Church, South, under date of friend of hers who edited The June 1, 1878. Perhaps a recapitu- Children's Hour. Mr. Sankey first lat ou of some items will be of ad-noticed it while riding on the train vantage for reference. The total between Glasgow and Edinburgh, assessment for foreign missions for and it is now the most widely

The New England Baptist Mis-

The beneficial results of the Atit may be new. The old one of "J. From June, 1877, to June, 1878— lanta Sunday-school convention B.," with which we are all familiar, foreign, \$62,157 01; domestic, \$49,- are plainly seen in several South-185 42; total, \$111,042 44. Total ern States. A missionary of the receipts for the four years-foreign, American Sunday-school Union in Dr. McAnally, in the St. Louis \$194,489 58; domestic, \$183,740 21; Tennessee writes: The good done Advocate of July 6, says: The grand total, \$344,623 75. In China at Atlanta will be felt for generahand of affliction has been upon there are thirty Christian churches tions, especially in the South, my family during four months at work, and the number of Chris- where its influences are already past, and for the greater part of tians increasing six-fold every ten manifest in a new impulse and acthat time it has been heavy in- years. Japan welcomes Christian tivity, better methods of teaching the parties who have rendered There are now 350 churches in lessons. Since my return from gratuitous services in conducting Burmah, and nine-tenths of the Atlanta I have attended five coun-

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Custom may lead a man to many errors, but it justifies none .- Field-

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Texas, Austin, October 29, November 2; Texas, Houston, October burned recently.

B. D. Dashiell, P. E.

Mews of the Week.

Eastern Question.

The Berlin Congress has nearly completed the negotiations whereby the settlement of the difficulties, which at one time threatened the peace of Europe, will be secured.

Beaconsfield has proved himself an accomplished diplomat in securing for England that place among the powers which of late years has been gradually slipping away from The treaty between England and Turkey-allowing occupancy by the English of Cyprus-will secure British control of the Euphrates valley, and this unison with Turkey will prevent any fur- Newspaper Fund in London. ther extension of Russian power

less Batoum should be dismantled millions more are in the hands of England would deem herself en- the fish commissioners. titled to send her men of war shorn of much of her territory at St. Louis, August 21st. - Western Roumania, Epirus, Thessaly and Crete to have their own governments; Austria and Montenegro each getting a portion of the old Turkish domain.

To the Athenians the solution of the Cretan matter by the Congress is not satisfactory, and a manifestation of disapprobation by 15,000 King's palace Russian feeling transported to Spain during the at Moscow and St. Petersburg insurrection, have been liberated evinces dissatisfaction with the there. result of the deliberation of the have ceded too much......Sir Gar- capacity to learn. net Woolsley is to be appointed

of it a free port The dis- Slaughter." position of the Sandjak of Sofia has been settled in accordance with the compromise reported hitherto, by which that district Greek question was settled in culturist. Congress the 5th. A resolution was passed that the Congress invite the Porte to come to an understanding with Greece for the rectification of her frontier, and is of bria, on the Ægean sea to the north nationalities inhabiting Mount petrated, will be abolished.

declare themselves satisfied. Loxpox, July 10.—The Daily Tele- So great appears the danger of school is attended by one hundred and fifteen to gain time. A late Reuter tele- is not from the better Catholic ele-Salisbury, contrary to the arrange- ployment in that city. ment between Lord Beaconsfield STATE FAIRS.—The following a portion of the Lazi territory. The American Institute, New York, to a committee, who arranged a fornia, Sacramento, September 16, compromise, which, however, cedes 21; Colorado, Denver, September

> been received from Constantinople September 16, 20; Maine, Portstating that the withdrawal of Rus- land, September 17, 20; Michigan, sian troops from San Stefano is Detroit, September 16, 20; Mary-

Railroad goes into the hands of a 13.

A factory has been built at Osaka, Japan, for the manufacture | The credit of the United States | sociated Press at Memphis, was of oil from camphor, which is said Government ranks with the best thrown accidently, on the 5th, on PIANOS and ORGANS to be cheaper and to have a greater in the world-as is evidenced by the street-car track and run over.

leon was one of the speakers at the

Nine million young white fish have been planted in the rivers of Beaconsfield has declared that un- Michigan this season, and several the Exposition of 1867.

This year's meeting of the through the Dardanelles whenever American Association for the adshe pleased......Turkey will be vancement of Science will be held

> A party of teachers are about to sail for South America to open American schools there. Another party will sail in September.

The wool market in New York is

irregular; 14,000 pounds spring Texas wool sold at 22@261 cents. HAVANA, July 10.—One hundred people took place in front of the and forty-three Cubans, who were

The class of 15 Indians at Hamp-Congress - public sentiment be- ton, Va., who have been there but ing that the Russian diplomats a short time, already show a ready

Lieut. Conder finds, from the Military Governor of Cyprus...... recent surveys in Western Pales-The Congress has agreed to main- tine, that the modern name of tain the Dardanelles closed, as at Aijalon, the scene of the great present, to ships of war; to cede defeat of the Canaanites, by Joshua, Batoum to Russia and make is Wadi el-Miqteleh, "The Valley of

An experimental farm has been established in Orange County, New York, by a gentleman having the cause of good husbandry at heart; Roumania and Bulgaria The of an editor of the American Agri- pital.

The famine in China is pressing 000,000 are suffering more or less. ways, were robbed, between Mason Missionaries are gaining in favor and Menardville, Texas, on the the opinion that a line should on account of the practical assist- night of 5th inst......Jno. Speer, able prices. Send for price list.

of Kalamos river, opposite Corfu. masters of the fourth class will be Dick Dawson, colored, was hung thousands of Georgians in Texas. It contains in the negotiations, the powers are amount of stamps canceled in their der. He died shricking. 530 pages and ten steel engravings, with sketches of men whose names are a part of the history of Methodism in that region. Send orders to Shaw as mediators. The Greeks are dellation, and the system of paythe fiscal year were \$118,886,749. profoundly disappointed at the ment of commissions upon stamps, decision of the Congress through which an enormous swin-It was settled that monks of all dle in the aggregate has been per-

Athos should have equal priv- Poor's annual railroad statistics whilst acknowledging the entire to \$473,000,000, against \$526,410,freedom of the navigation 000 in 1873, since which there has of that river in the time of been an annual decline, although peace, does not admit such the mileage meantime has risen freedom in the time of war from 66,000 to 74,000. The capital It has been decided that Servia and funded debt are still rising, shall retain Nisch, but not Novi now amounting to \$4 568,000,000. Bazaar, the Kopavnik defile form- The dividends have fallen to \$58,ing the western frontier of the new 556,000 against \$74,294,000 in territory. The Servian delegates 1875, the highest point, and 856,-456,000 in 1871.

graph believes the British flag was serious conflict in Montreal on the hoisted at Cyprus on Monday by occasion of the celebration of the Lord John Hay, commander of the Orangemen, which is to take place channel squadron, who had sealed on the 12th inst., that the Mayor orders to that effect The special of that city has issued his procladispatches of the Times and Post mation forbidding the assemblage from Berlin state that the Batoum or gathering of people in the streets yet in force. question is still unsettled, Russia on that day. The military have and England having failed to been ordered out for service, and says the Russians have also revived The Orange society have given the question touching the fortifica- notice that they will parade, and from Berlin, however, state that the thousands of men out of em-

Olti to Russia. The affair seems to 24, 28; Connecticut, Hartford, be virtually settled. A correspon- September 10, 13; Dakota, dent of the Daily News says: The September 10, 13; Georgia, Macon, ana, Indianapolis, September 30, PARIS, July 10.—Intelligence has October 5; Iowa, Cedar Rapids, being negotiated. They will leave when the Turks quit the heights commanding Varna and Shumla.

A London telegram states that September, 2, 7; Missouri, Madi-Lord Beaconsfield's success in his son, September 9, 13; Nebraska, management of the delicate questions pending before the Congress is the universal theme of almost setts, September 3, 6; New Jersey, unqualified admiration in England. Waverley, September 16, 20; New To him is to be awarded the praise York, Elmira, September 9, 13; of a peaceable solution of the diffi- Ohio, Columbus, September 9, 13; Oregon, Salem, October 10, 18

22, 26; Vermont, St. Albans, The Bahama islands have been September 10, 12; Virginia, Richmade a port of entry from July 1. | mond, October 29, November 1; The St. Louis and Indianapolis Wisconsin, Madison, September 9,

The Knights Templar Mary Com-The Missouri river is higher than mandery No. 36, of Philadelphia, doing much damage along its banks. pilgrimage to Great Britain, Ire-lishing house, New York, is dead. land and the Holy Land.

illuminating power than kerosene. the unequivocal success attending His injuries resulted in death. The young Prince Louis Napo- the negotiations of its loans.

it had 198,700 visitors, which is Sunday-school worker. 26,000 more than the best day of

according to the plan of Mr. Brooks. effective prose.

The authorities have concluded to formally ask the Mexican gov- wide interest felt in Mr. Stanley's ernment to assist in suppressing discoveries, that the English ediwith United States troops. It is France, Germany, Norway, Italy, hoped by this means that United Denmark, and other countries. States order may be evolved from Mexican chaos

The terrible drouth which has whole of Australia, is at last breaking up. Sheep and cattle suffered severely, and, in many instances, owners have lost one-half of their flocks and herds. The want of water is really the curse of Austrathis can be ever effectually remehave been incurred in arrangements for the storage of water in threatened localities.

Jules F. Rozier, a young business man, well known in Texas and throughout the South, and who is to be divided equally between the same to be under the direction ed dying at the St. Louis City hoswas shot by Gus Berning, is report-

CRIME. - James E. Jones, colored, The was hung near LaGrange, Texas, upon 15,000,000 people—while 60,- July 6..... The mail stages, both be drawn from the valley of Salam- ance they are rendering sufferers. for assassinating Parson Pledger, is On and after July 1 all post- to be hung at Waco August 28.....

at Thomaston, Ga., July 5, for murder. He died shricking.

The internal revenue receipts for
the fiscal year were \$118,886,749.

The excitement in regard to the
new gold mines continues. The
Black Hills are being deserted for
the new field. The "diggings"
are reported to yield \$50 per day
per man. They are about seventyfive miles from Fort Benton, and
near the Miles battle-ground with
the Nez Perces Indians.

The enormous number of 514
failures were reported in New York
city during the six months ending
June 30, in which the aggregate
liabilities amounted to &39,302,795.

While the assets were \$11,012,662.
This is a large increase over the
corresponding period of the year
solution of the year numbering \$47, with liabilities of \$51,687,090. The repeal
of the bankrupt law has been the
principal cause of increasing the
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that the prospect is not as
favorable as at the same date last
year, owing to excessive rains.

Mississippi.—About same as in
Louisiana.

Arkansas.—Fair, with some-

Louisiana. ARKANSAS.-Fair, with some-

what less acreage than last year. MIDDLE TENNESSEE.-Large decrease in acreage; in many counties lands planted in grain; weather

wet, yet general crop fair. NORTH ALABAMA. -- Probably about as last year.

Georgia.—Plants more forward than last year; in some portions complaint of too much rain; in the Urinary Organs, are cured by HUNT'S others, weather all that could be REMEDY. Hundreds who have been given up desired; prospect for good yield by their physicians to die have been cured by favorable.

FLORIDA.—Crop generally fine. HUNT'S KEMEDY. ALABAMA.—Portion of the State had too much rain—the blackland sections have suffered therefrom, but generally the prospect is good.

SOUTH MISSISSIPPI.—Reports that in some sections the crop is abandoned in consequence of excessive rains; generally, however, the crop will about equal that of last

South Carolina-Reports as a whole the most favorable of States reported. In almost all sections there is complaint of too much grass in the field.

Dr. J. C. Ayer, the great patent medicine man, died July 3d.

Bloomfield H. Moore, of the well known firm of Jessup & Moore, paper dealers, is dead; aged 60 yrs. Geo. S. Appleton, of the firm of Commission Merchants, it has been for twelve years and is sailed for Europe on the 6th on a D. Appleton & Co., the great pub-

Major Woodson, agent of the As-

Governor Bishop, of Ohio, lately The Paris Exposition is now said at a convention of the Disciples recent anniversary dinner of the quite on its legs, and is doing a of Christ that the higest ambition good business. One day recently of his life was to be a successful

> Mrs. Sarah Helen Whitman, who was engaged to marry Edgar Allan The brothers and heirs of the Poe in 1848, and has been his warm late Lewis Brooks will present the defender ever since, died of heart University of Virginia \$4000 to disease last week at the age of 75 complete the botanical department years. She was a poet of gentle of the Museum of Natural Sciences | measures, and a writer of clear and

> It is a striking proof of the worldthe disorders along the border, tion of his "Through the Dark If it refuses to help, Gen Ord has Continent" appears simultaneously instructions to proceed in the task in the United States, Canada,

> It is reported that it costs the United States seventeen hundred dollars a year to support a soldier for some time afflicted almost the in fighting the Indians; while a missionary among the same people costs only eight hundred dollars per annum.

The Spanish Minister of Public Worship tells the Cortes that the lia; and it seems doubtful whether government view of the clause in the constitution on religious liberty died, although large expenditures permits liberty within the walls of churches and cemeteries only, and bills will be presented for its sanction for the suppression of manifestations or propaganda in the streets, and of public teachings in schools, universities, or books of doctrines contrary to the state religion.

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July 4-Julia Phifer Truitt-poem and communication: latter published on your judgment This book will be read with interest by the In the event of difficulties arising paid their commissions upon the at Thomaston, Ga., July 5, for mur-without reading: in regard to the "New Ver-

we appreciate such efforts...... W C Blair—subscribers.

July 9—6 W Swofford—report district conference Corsicana district..... W J Joyce—85 and subscriber.... L C Rankin—shall not "double up" in the charge, any way..... J B McFerrin—bill; O K..... Eliza Bean—papers are always discontinued when out..... P P Reese—brief and to the point: the 85 was received..... H V Philipott—answered.... A B Blue—camp-meeting notice.

July 10—Asa Holt—do wish we could publish your notice....... M D Fly—subscriber....... J H Collard—communication....John S Mathis—looking over those postoffice list, we had "wondered," but did not positively think you were "mad.".... J Fred Cox—you guessed it: it should have been to "A. F. C."

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himself taught in all good things. parents, friends and pupils-where The more we learn of God's holy we can join in praises to that Saword, the more we desire to learn. vior that has redeemed us with This beautiful sentiment of Cole- His own precious blood, and forridge is an apt illustration: "The ever dwell in that beautiful home water-lily, in the midst of waters, He has gone to prepare for those opens its leaves and expands its that love Him. petals at the first patterings of the shower, and rejoices in the raindrops with a quicker sympathy than the parched shrub in the san-dy desert." And thus it is with those in earnest sympathy with the study of God's holy word.

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Elgin quarterly meeting, at Ridgway, Aug 31
and Sept 1

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Madisonville circuit, 1st Sabbath in July
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Navasota and Milican, 3d Sabbath in July
Courtney and Plantersville, 4th Sabbath in July
Zion circuit, 1st Sabbath in August
Dodge mission, 2d Sabbath in August
Cold Springs, 3d Sabbath in August
Huntsville station, 4th Sabbath in August
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NORTH TEXAS CONFERENCE.

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Montague circuit, July 20, 21
Cambridge and Henrietta missions, July 27, 28
West Fork mission, August 3, 4
Victoria Peak mission, August 10, 11
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DALLAS DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND. Grapevine mission, July 20, 21 Grapevine circuit, camp-meeting, July 27, 28 Honey Creek circuit, camp-meeting, August 3, 4 Van Alstyne and McKinney, camp-meeting, August 10, 11 Bethel circuit, camp-meeting, August 17, 18

JEFFERSON DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND. Mt. Pleasant circuit, fourth Sunday in July Coffeeville circuit, First Sunday in August Gilmer circuit, second Sunday in August Longview circuit, third Sunday in August

NORTHWEST TEXAS CONFERENCE.

COMANCHE DISTRICT—THER ROUND.

Lampasas cir., Hunt's school-house, July 20, 21
Burnet cir., Backbone Valley, July 27, 28
Rockvale cir., Rockvale, Aug. 3, 4
Llano mis. Fort Mason, Aug. 10, 11
Brown wood cir., Jim Ned., Aug. 17, 18
san saba, at district meeting, Aug. 26
Mountain mis., Pleasant Grove, Aug. 31, Sept. 1
Comanche cir., Round Mountain, Sept. 7, 8.
The District Conference will be held on the
san Saba river, five miles west from San Saba
town. The exercises will commence on Wednesday, Aug. 21, at 11 o'clock A. M. The Conference will convene on Thursday, Aug. 22, at 9 A.
M. The Quarterly Conference will be held on
Monday, the 26th. Preachers and delegates are
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WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

Minsboro credit, at Minsboro, July 27, 28
Waxahachie et, at Sardis, camp-meeting, Aug 3, 4
The District Conference will convene at Hillsboro, at 9 o'clock A. M., Thursday, July 25. The
District Sunday-school Convention will meet at
the same place on Friday. Each Sunday-school
in the district is requested to send up one or two
delegates.

W. G. Veal, P. E.

CORSICANA DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND. North Leon circuit, at Ringold, July 20 Centreville circuit, at Pleasant Grove, July 27 Fairfield circuit, at Hicks' Springs, August 3 Mexia circuit, August 17

This sum will be given to the Conference the WEATHERFORD DISTRICT-TRIED ROUND

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GEORGETOWN DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND. West Falls circuit. 4th Sunday in July Liberty Hill circuit, 1st Sunday in August Belton station, 2d Sunday in August District Conference at Davilla, commencing Friday, 11 o'clock A. M., July 26, Sermon by Rev. G. W. Graves. Conference will beorganized at 2 THOS. STANFORD. P. E.

P. S.-My address is Waco instead of South WACO DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

Waco station, Waco, July 29
Waco circuit, Cow bayou, campmeeting, July 27
Bremond circuit, White Rock, August 3
Mount Vernon circuit, camp ground, August 10
Bosqueville circuit, August 17
Wheelock circuit, August 31
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EAST TEXAS CONFERENCE.

MARSHALL DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

Elysian Fields et, at Bethel, July 29, 21 Henderson and Overton sta, at Overton, July 27 and 28 Hallville ct. at Millwood. August 3, 4 Harrison circuit, August 10, 11
Harrison circuit, at Concord, August 17, 18
Grand Bluff mission, at Pea Lawn, Aug 31, Sept 1
Larissa et, at Pleasant Retreat, Sept 7, 8
Starrville circuit, at Ebell. Sept 14, 15
Marshall station, Sept 21, 22
R. W. Thompson, P. E.

BEAUMONT DISTRICT-THURD ROUND Newton circuit, at Caney, July 22, 23 Smithfield mission, July 27, 28 Wallisville circuit, August 10, 11 Beaumont circuit, August 17, 18 E. L. Armstrong, P. E.

PALESTINE DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND. Athens circuit, July 20, 21 Palestine circuit, July 27, 28 Crockett circuit, August 3, 4, Kickapoo circuit, August 10, 11 Rusk and Jacksonville station, August 17, 18

Tyler station, August 24, 25 Cherokee circuit. August 31 and September 1 Crockett and Augusta station, September 7, 8 D. P. CULLEN, P. E. SAN AUGUSTINE DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND

Milam, at Milam, July 20, 21
San Augustine, July 27, 28
Melrose, at Nacogdoches, August 3, 4
Shelby, at Sand Hill, August 10, 11
Linn Flat and Douglass, August 17, 18
Mt Enterprise, at Caledonia, August 24, 25
J. C. A. Bridges, P. E.

WEST TEXAS CONFERENCE. VICTORIA DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

Sandies circuit, July 20, 21
Hallettsville circuit, July 27, 28
Moulton circuit, August 3, 4
Clinton circuit, August 10, 11
Victoria circuit, August 17, 18
Concrete circuit, August 24, 25
District Conference will be held at Mossy Grove, commencing July 11.
A. A. KILLOUGH, P. E.

SAN ANTONIO DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND. Leasville, at Leasville, fourth Sunday in July Elm, at Sandy Elm. first Sunday in August San Antonio city mission, second Sunday August. Jas. G. Walker, P. E.

UVALDE DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND. Bandera mission, at Mano Valle, camp-meeting,

Bandera mission, at Mano Valle, camp-meeting, July 20, 21
Kervville circuit, camp-meeting, July 27, 28
Upper Hondo, camp-meeting, August 3, 4
Sabinal circuit, Sabinal, District Conference and camp-meeting on the 8th of August
Mendard mission, at Johnson Creek, camp-meeting, August 17, 18
South Concho, at Tom Green, camp-meeting, August 24, 25
Branda City mission, at Pettes Prairies, camp-meeting, August 31 to Sept 1
W. T. THORNBERRY, P. E.

CORPUS CHRISTI DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND. Helena circuit. at Riddleville, July 29, 21
Oakville circuit, at Tilden, July 27, 28
St. Mary's circuit, at St. Mary's, August 3, 4
Rockport station, August 10, 11
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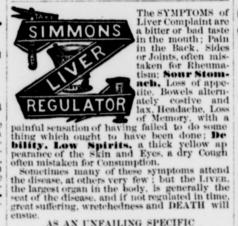
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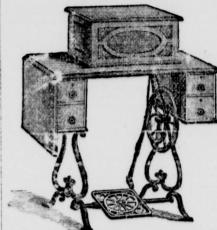
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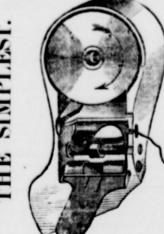
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A DEAR little four-years-old girl, in her deep reverence for the Alin her deep reverence for the Almighty, could never be persuaded to say God—it was always "Mr. Dod." "Why, mamma it is n't 'spectful to say Dod; it's Mr. Dod, of course."—Our Little People.

We, too, have nourished hopes to see them fall: A soul we loved hath flown beyond recall: The childish hands have loosed their clinging hold.

And o'er the pulseless breast in silence fold: The eyes are shut too close for any tears, Through all the bitter griefs of all the years, And love itself could give no trumpet-call Would stir the sleep that resteth over all.

THERE is a God! The herds of Yet is it well with her! Lo, we who stay the valley, the cedars of the mountain, bless Him; the insect sports in His beam; the hird sings sports in His beam; the bird sings
Him in the foliage; the thunder
proclaims Him in the heavens;
the ocean declares His immensity.

Man alone has said: There is no
God!

dead,
And wept, refusing to be comforted.
And shall we mourn that she has slipped away
Into a fairer land of endless day;
While still the lily-soul unfolded grew
On childhood's royal heights, where life is new?
Oh, tender feet, that miss the thorny road,
Oh childish hands, unconscious of life's load.
Small, stainless soul on which no shadows fell,
We look on thee and answer, "It is well."

Tasso, being urged to avenge himself upon a man who had done himself upon a man who had done that thrill all heaven with song through endto take from him neither his property, nor his life, nor his honors;

I wish to take from him neither his property, nor his life, nor his honors;

I mat unit all heaven with song through endwe can not see the waving palms and throngs of white robed ones that chantunending songs;

Thine eyes have seen—thy soul hath winged its but only his ill-will towards me."

In Memory of a Deceased Wife.

dence of God to man so deeply afflictive and heart piercing as that of the removal by death of a kind, loving and devoted wife and mother. This I know from pain-ful experience. As has been anful experience. As has been ananounced in the columns of the ADVOCATE, my dear wife was removed from the family circle on the 22d of May last to join the happy circle that had preceded her, and united with the blessed throng whose voice in sweetest melodies ever sing "unto Him who washed us in His own blood and has made uskings and priests unto God and His father; unto Him be glory forever."While I view with pleasing delight the happy condition of the deceased loved one, I desire to adopt the language of the Psalms: She "can not come to me;" I will say, blessed be God, "I can go to her;" and, by the grace of God, her heaven shall be my heaven, and her God-who sustained her amid all the busy scenes of life and bore her patiently through bodily sufferings of the severest charactershall be my God. In Him alone is my trust, and I feel "he will be my deliverer and my exceeding great reward." If it was not for the consolation of the gospel of Christ, I feel my loss would be insupportable; for home was made dear and delightful by her presence. But now what a changethe cheerful voice of a wife is hushed in the silence of death. Go where I will, such has been the close association between us for near twenty-seven years, there is something that calls up vivid recollections of the past. And while on the one hand they suggest thoughts pleasant and delightful, on the other what pain to know that this association can never exist again in this life. The toils and labors incident to man's living is such that he needs all the

Treather of the control of the contr upon, and a very odd experiment, existence, had the satisfaction of illustrative of the fact, may be performed by any one in possession loved her as a mother in deed and of two hands and a sheet of paper. in truth. The others are still living

it at any convenient object; at the mother has gone before us to heavsame time keep the left eye open.

Now,place the left hand, with the palm toward you and the fingers har labors, and her works do follow

ing on her in her hours of pain and through the palm of the left hand. suffering, and the deep sympathy The illusion is a strange one, and I have received in view of my be reavement and that of my chil-JOHN H. STONE. CHAPPELL HILL, July 3, 1878.

Obituaries.

" IS IT WELL WITH THE CHILD?" In Memory of Little Aggie Watkins.

BY JULIA PHIFER TRUITT.

Oh, strange, sad question, fronting our swift tears With garnered sorrow from the vanished years. The distant years, when sorrowing motherhood Above the ashes of her dearest stood, And through the bitterness of hopes that fell. Bowed low her head and answered, "it is well."

way
To meet the dawning of that radiant day;
And God shall fill the grand, immortal years
With sound of harps and song of rolling spheres.
Stand 'mid thy fallen hopes, Oh Faith, and tell
With eyes uplifted, " Father, it is well." There is no event in the provi- Ennis, Texas, July 2d, 1878.

I MUST GO. BY T. A. HAYS.

Lay the gem upon my bosom, Let me feel her sweet warm breath: For a strange chill o'er me passes, And I know that it is death.

I would gaze upon the treasure, Scarcely given before I go; Feel her tiny dimped fingers Wander o'er my cheek of snow.

I am passing through the waters. But a blessed shore appears; Kneel beside me, husband dearest. Let me kiss away thy tears.

It may prove an angel's blessing If you will but watch and pray Lay the gem upon my bosom,
"Tis not long she can be there;
See! how to my heart she nestles
"Tis the pear! I love to wear.

Wrestle with thy grief, my husband, Strive from midnight until day;

If in after years beside thee Sits another in my chair, hough her voice be sweeter music, And her face than mine more fair

If a cherub call thee father, Far more beautiful than this, Love my first born! Oh, my husband! Turn not from the motherless.

You can call her by my name; Shield her from the winds of sorrow: If she errs, oh, gently blame!

I will be her guardian angel While on earth here she stays: I will still be a mother-spirit, Watching her in all her ways.

You will not forget me, husband, When I'm sleeping 'neath the sod; Love the jewel God has given us, As I love thee—next to God. BIRDSTON, June 25, 1878.

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	Louisville—Oct. 2
	Virginia-Nov. 13Petersburg
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	South Carolina-Dec. 11Newberry
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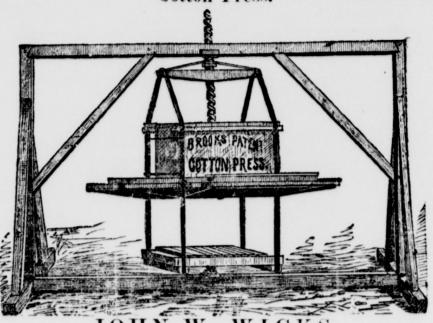
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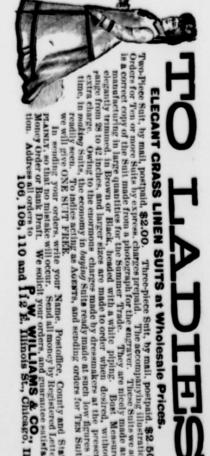
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at Richmond. bushel in some parts of Fannin fact.

only forty cents a bushels at Brenham.

mo, who were buried all together. all.-Belton Journal. The cotton worm has actually

made its appearance in Colorado

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Houston on the 17-19th inst. the 4th, is pronounced to have way to the Rio Grande

been a grand occasion.

on some of the farms. body fund.

About one hundred and three terthings in the future. thousand head of cattle have passed through this place en route for formed the theme of debate during the northern markets during the the morning hours of the third present season.—Belton Journal.

of a correspondent of the Rockdale of Ennis. Messenger.

county, between the ages of six of Crockett, sent us an apple which ganization. It is feared by many scholastic census just taken, is ference, five in diameter, and when will be demonstrated the fact though it had, before reaching us, that even fools may rule if in the

his practice, we have no Doctor two-pounder East Texas Patron. now. Would like to have an is. a fine practice.—Live Oak and Pond Creek Reporter in Marlin Ball.

man .- Marlin Ball.

School convention will take place tion. - Marshall Herald. at Mount Vernon church, one mile 3d days of August next.

munities to be organized before the first of September. All not rereported to the County Judge six miles west of Clarksville, caused before that date, will not be en- an accident to the west bound pastitled to any public school fund.

mills are getting in a fine lot of wheat, and soon, we judge, the mills will be kept steadily employed.....The hammer of the busy bruises; Mrs. Wilson, Paris, bruises

feet high.

Mrs. Wilcox, wife of Judge Wilcox and sister of Gov. Throckmorton, died on 9th inst., at her residence in Plano of typhoid fever. She leaves a husband and several children.

ent. Fraternity-secular and re-Wheat is seventy - five cents a ligious—is becoming a recognized

Rev. James Wilson had a well The best quality of peaches are dug recently, and at a depth of thirty-four feet a very large tooth Brahmo Somaj.—N. Y. Independent. San Antonio is looking for the jaw tooth of a mastodon. It had graves of the defenders of the Ala-been perfectly preserved, roots and

We are pleased to notice in our midst Rev. Mr. Ashby, of Belton, suggests the justice of paying A Bastrop county man has corn health for the purpose of recupera- The New York Independent, comgrowing with 1,200 grains to the tion and pleasure. He has done menting on this, says when it comes some good preaching while here, to pass, "look out for the return of miracles." We are, so to speak,

The Horticultural and Pomo- says the Austin Statesman, with an logical Association has decided to army of polecats, killing seven. Does this account for the rumor have their annual exhibition at that a train of wagons loaded with the entire loss shall have a little The reunion of the 12th and 19th asatortida have lately passed Texas cavalry, at Waxahachie, on through Travis county on their

The boll worm has made its ap- place; the rate of mortality as Christian Advocate will be issued by pearance in Washington county, compared with other points is Walker, Evans & Cogswell, puband is doing considerable damage small. Galveston is a wicked place lishers for the M. E. Church, South. on the 6th, nineteen-twentieths paratively, also small. If citizens of Rev. F. Milton, Kennedy, D.D., of Brenham tax-payers voted to would do away with officials who editor, and Rev. S. A. Weber, assotax themselves one-fourth of one encourage gambling and licentious- ciate editor. The publishers state per cont. to keep up public schools. ness, and who pander to the designs that the paper will maintain the Brenham gets \$1200 of the Pea- of a Catholic priesthood, we might high standard it has held for more

The question of school discipline day's session of the State Teachesr' Drowned.—Kenney Krug, his Association at Dallas. Drs. Allen, wife, his two sisters and nurse Franklin, Malone and Smith, and

cannot read, and 607 of them are rotted very badly, weighed twenty colored. majority. Some sickness in our community, it been weighed in a perfectly sound and Doctor A. F. Belo having quit state, it would have proved a full the churches of San Francisco.

Mr. John W. Brite, President of The Old Established and Reliable D. locate with us, as he could get the Texas Christian Temperance Association, with headquarters at Cor. Tremont and Market Sts., Galveston, Texas, reck Reporter in Marlin Ball.

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Receipts—Beeves and cows, 139; Calves and yearlings, 246; Sheep, —; Hogs. —.

Sales—Beeves and cows, 186; Calves and yearlings, 175; Sheep, 175; Hogs. 6.

On Hand—Beeves and cows, 26; Calves and yearlings, 83; Sheep, 125; Hogs. —

Total Receipts Since January 1—Beeves and cows, 5704; Calves and yearlings, 3,486; Sheep, 3,455; Hogs 2,073.

Present Quotations—Beeves and cows, good choice, \$\bar{p}\$ hg, gross, 134c to 2c. Two year olds, common \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$8 00 to \$10 00; Two year olds, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$8 00 to \$10 00; Two year olds, common \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$7 00; Calves, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$5 50 to \$6 50; Calves, common \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$7 00; Calves, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$5 50 to \$6 50; Calves, common \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$7 00; Calves, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$5 50 to \$6 50; Calves, common \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$7 00; Calves, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$5 50 to \$6 50; Calves, common \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$7 00; Calves, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$7 00; Calves, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$7 00; Calves, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$7 00; Calves, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\bar{p}\$ head, \$6 00 to \$6 00; Yearlings, choice \$\ba REMARKS,-Beeves and Cows-The market Half barrels and firkins

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