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DRESS.

There is a great need of reform among professors of religion in reference to dress. Many members of our Church appear to be as eager after ornaments and costly attire as the unprofessing world. It gives me great pain to see the shamelessness and recklessness with which they set aside the precepts of the Gospel. The Redeemer commands us not to be anxious about what we shall put on; but they make dress one of the principal subjects of their anxiety. The Redeemer commands us to love our neighbors as ourselves; but many spend more in useless dress and ornaments, than some of their neighbors have to support their families. The apostle Paul exhorts women to adorn themselves in modest aparel, with shamefacedness and sobriety; not with braided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array, but, as becometh women professing godliness, with good works. But how little attention is paid to this advice, by many of our members. It is true, there are not many silver ornaments to be seen among them; but golden ornaments and precious stones may be to oblige people to look on them. Let such people profess what they will, they have not much religion. A truly enlightened and relious person would be ashamed of such things. The spirit of purity is humble and retiring, the soul that is rightly affected with religious considerations would choose rather to cover itself with sackcloth, and mourn over its sins and imperfections, and over the crimes and miseries of a fallen world, than deck itself in gay and costly attire. No one can keep alive the spirit of piety and charity, and at the same time indulge in costly, showy, and gay attire.

As for artificial flowers and leaves, every one must acknowledge them to be pieces of extravagance. They are things that have no use whatever, so that money spent on them is entirely wasted. And do you think that waste is no sin? Can it be right to waste anything, when so many millions are in need of the word of God? "But many are found who wear plain clothes," it is said. That may be, but that is no reason why we should wear clothes that are not plain. It is not pride alone that we should avoid, but needless expense. If pride had nothing to do with fine clothes, it would still be our duty to make a better use of our means, than spending them on ornaments and costly attire. Women are to be adorned with good works; but how can they adorn themselves with good works, while they spend so much in dress and ornaments? But I do not believe it is true that there is as

much pride under plain clothes as under gay clothes. It is easy for those who love fine clothes to say so, but where is their proof? fine clothes are a sign of pride, and plain clothes are a sign of humility. A person that keeps sober will feel that he acts a better part than he who gets drunk, but shall we say on that account the sober man is proud? No such thing. He may know that sobriety is better than drunkenness; and be not a whit the less humble for that. So a modestly clad woman may feel that her dress is more seemly and Christian-like than the dress of the gay and extravagant woman, but we shall not on that account call her proud. But supposing that there was pride under a plain dress, plainness in dress is a mortification of pride, and tends to destroy it altogether; whereas finery feeds pride, and makes it grow greater and more unmanageable. Those who dress plainly and cheaply put the extinguisher on the unholy fire; but those who wear flowers and costly clothing put fresh fuel on the fire. If they who dress plainly are proud, they show a laudable disposition in straining against it, while those who are so fond of something rich and showy manifest a love for pride, a sort of respect for sin. Say what they will, those who dress gaily are proud: it is pride that makes them dress gaily, and their gay dressing makes them still more proud.

I was speaking with an artless and honest young woman lately, and she declared that fine clothes, and rings, and ornaments, did make people proud. She had tried the experiment herself, and she had proved it so. And every one that is honest, and possessed of common children. A tassel hanging from their cap, or a pair of gaudy colored shoes, or any piece of finery, makes them at once imagine themselves something more than they were before, and something more than their little play fellows. And it is the same with big children as with little children-with children of twenty or thirty years of age, as with children of twenty or thirty

sors on this subject, and I hope that the young members of the church will help me in endeavoring to bring about this change. Learn to despise ornaments, my young friends, and learn to despise follies and extravagances of every bind. You are mistaken if you suppose the suppose of the deavery bind. You are mistaken if you suppose the suppose of the suppose that the parents and children into their mansions in the point of the suppose that the parents and children into their mansions in glory, was again called for on behalf of the

that fine clothes, fine gloves, or flowers, or bows, will improve your looks, or make you better thought of by others. Nothing looks so well as plainness and simplicity in dress. Almost every one admires most those who dress plainest. While on the other hand, every one thinks meanly of a person that shows a fondness for ornaments, or for rich and gay raiment. A wôman by rich and ornamental dressing may make people look at her, but she will never fondness for dress. And it is right it should be be gazed on by people is prepared to be an easy prey to the flatterer and deceiver. When either women or men spend much time and at-J. M. Binkley. tention, decorating their person, says Adam Clark, "it affords a painful proof that there is little excellence within." It is in every case the proof of a shallow mind, or of a vain and corrupted heart.

PROGRESS-CHURCH BUILDING.

Bro. CARNES :- I presume every item of Church progress will be acceptable to the majority of your numerous readers. I have taken some pains to inquire of several brethren and friends in regard to "church building." I confess I am pleased-yes, delighted-to hear of such a waking up upon this subject. How it is on the western border of East Texas Conference, I cannot say; or, how it is taking a sweep from the Gulf shore, northward, embracing the middle tier of counties in our bounds, I am not "posted;" but, I can speak in regard to some of the counties bordering on our east. It is true, the range of my observation and informa-tion, geographically, is limited. To begin at the seat of our next annual session, Jefferson, the chair; minutes read and approved. Cass county, Texas: I have reliable information that our worthy Ex P. Elder, who has charge of that work, is showing a commendable zeal to have a house worthy of the occasion, and an ornament to the growing city, in readiness by the 24th of October next, for our convocation. seen in great abundance. And as for shame-seen in great abundance. And as for shame-facedness, that seems to be almost entirely out of fashion with the majority. So far from modestly retiring from public gaze, many seem to estly retiring from public gaze, many seem to terial things, and are not impoverished in devising liberal things, and executing them, there I learn the building is to cost about \$7,000. May faces forward as much as possible, and they surround them with curls, braided hair, lace, they are making preparations to build one of the finest churches in Eastern Texas. They ribbons, and artificial flowers, as if on purpose have a good substantial church, but its sittings cannot accommodate the crowds; hence, "enlarge."

I learn that Judge Frazier and Judge Patillo have set down opposite their names \$500 each, record is on high." We might say much about and teachers, and encourage the children to prompt attendance, good recitations, and proper Marshall, but pass on, in a south-west direc-Marshall, but pass on, in a south-west direction, to the growing town of Henderson. Here, also, they are taking the preparatory steps to 2. Resolved, That the secretary, librarian, and build a large and commodious house of worship going rapidly forward in their pleasant, hospitable city. Success to the effort. But, Mr. Editor, I must take another direction, going a little north of east, to that little garden of a circuit, "Elysian Fields," It is a small work, geographically. I think it can be traveled round to all the appointments twice in one day, by starting early, and traveling till sundown; yet, it is an important work. In its bounds they have one of the finest camp grounds in East Texas, if not in the State, Here, at the to camp ground, they are building a splendid house—don't know what it will cost. The tenters at this place have petitioned, two years in succession, for the Conference to hold its session there. I hope they will not "grow weary in well doing". Laboud like to attend a Conference to the succession in the conference of the conference to the conference of the in well doing." I should like to attend a Conference, rather on the old fashion, of holding a camp-meeting. It would have suited this year, 24th of October-just the right season-nights

hide it, makes it two." Generally speaking, will be an ornament to their town. Carthage is a young town, but is growing to manhood. Now we change our direction, a little east of south, to the rather old town of Shelbyville, county-seat of Shelby county. There has been regular preaching in this place for about twenty-two years, and there has not been a permanent house of worship since its settlement.

Thanks to the good citizens, that they are now having a Methodist and Baptist church under nent house of worship since its settlement, having a Methodist and Baptist church under way. May God bless them for their liberality. Shelby county has had many valuable accessions by emigration during the fall, winter, and

Mr. Editor, I would have given an outline of each county, and their progress, but I know that long articles in the religious journals are but seldom read. I must stop writing, though am not half through. If you don't publish this, am not half through. If you don't publish this, I shall not finish my sketch, nor complain; the "rough ashler" has been laid aside for a smoother. Yours, truly,

GENERAL CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS

OF THE M. E. CHURCH NORTH. At an extra session, held May the 28th, for the election of officers for the next four years, the following officers were chosen: For editor of the Christian Advocate and Journal, [see Editorial Correspondence in this paper,] Dr. Ed. Thomson; for editor of Quarterly Review, Dr. D. D. Whedon; for editor of the Sunday-School books and papers, Dr. Daniel Wise; for Corresponding Secretary of the Missionary Society, Dr. Durbin, of Philadelphia; for Assistant Corresponding Secretary for the West, Dr. W. L. Harris; for editor of the Western Christian Advocate, C. Kingsley; for editor of the Ladies' Repository, Dr. D. W. Clark; for editor of the German Apologist, William Nast; for editor of the Northwestern Christian Advocate T. M. Eddy; for editor of the Central Christian Advocate, Dr. Charles Elliot; for editor of the Northern Advocate, I. S. Bingham; for editor of the Pittsburg Christian Advocate, Sanuel H. Nesbit; for editor of the Pacific Advocate, Thomas; for editor of the Pacific Advocate, Thomas H. Pearne; for Book Agent at New York, Jas. Porter; for Book Agent at New York, Jas. Porter; for Book Agent at Cinncinnati, Adam Poe; for Assistant, Luke Hitchcock. At an extra session, held May the 28th, for the

SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION. The Sunday-School Convention of the East

Texas Annual Conference of the M. E. Church, 1860, at 3 o'clock, P. M. The Convention was called to order and the

eligious services conducted by Rev. J. B. Tullis. Members present-R. S. Finley, Wm. H. Gil am, M. H. Bonner, E. C. Williams, J. A. Scruggs, A. H. Shanks, A. B. Manion, J. L. make them respect her. A woman sinks her- Angel, H. R. Murray, S. C. Box, N. W. Ghan, self fifty per cent. the moment she shows a C. A. Sterne, E. P. Rogers, H. H. White, Wm P. Petty, J. B. Tullis, W. Witcher, S. T. Bridges, so. A fondness for dress is always a sign of J. Miller, J. W. Fields, J. M. Douglass, Wm. K. something worse, and a person who is eager to Mastin, Asa Holt, J. W. Chalk, John Long, W. Carlisle, R. F. Dunn, F. M. Stovall, Neil Brown,

> The Convention permanently organized by electing Rev. R. S. Finley, President, J. B. Tullis, Vice-President, Asa Holt, Treasurer, and S. T. Bridges, Secretary.

> The following Committees were appointed: 1. On the constitution, organization, and government of Sunday-schools.

On the qualifications and duties of officers and teachers of Sunday-schools. 3. On privileges and duties of parents, guardians, and children.

4. On the relation and duty of pastors. 5. On the relation of Sunday-schools to Mis-

6. On statistics.

7. On books and periodicals. 8. On the Parent Sunday-School Society.

9. To select speakers for the next anniversary, The Convention then adjourned, to meet the

next morning at 8 o'clock. Tuesday morning, 8 o'clock, Convention met; divine service by Neil Brown; R. S. Finley in

Communications were presented, read, and referred to appropriate Committees. The first Committee offered the following re

port, which was adopted: 1. Resolved, That we recommend the ado tion of the Constitution of the M. E. Church, South, given in the annual report.

ASA HOLT, F. M. STOVALL, J. W. FIELDS,

and many more have sung to this "long metre," reading the Holy Scriptures, singing, and pray-whose names I did not get; but, I trust "their er; that they arrange and distribute the classes

treasurer, be men of good moral character; that it shall be the general duty of secretaries for the M. E. Church, South. They have run to keep a record of the number and names of up the figures per cost \$5,000. Their present the teachers and scholars, and the receipts and expenditures of their respective schools, and ly, not suited to the tastes and improvements make quarterly reports of the same to the preacher in charge; that it shall be the general duty of the librarian to take care of the books duty of the treasurer to receive all moneys col-lected for the benefit of the school, and pay out the same upon proper order, and keep a correct

> good moral character; it shall be their general duty to meet their classes promptly, and impart to them wholesome instruction, and, as far as

account thereof, and report quarterly to the

E. P. ROGERS, M. H. BONNER,

The third Committee report, that it is both the privilege and duty of all parents, guardiens, and children, to exert themselves in the organi-The fact is, this objection is a slander, invented on purpose to screen inexcusable extravagance.

To make use of such an argument is adding sin To make use of such an argument is adding sin to sin. "He that commits a fault, and lies to build a church, which, when finished, upon Sunday-schools, as in reference to common upon Sunday-schools, as in reference to commu

> H. H. WHITE, Committee. R. F. DUNN,

Adopted. The fourth Committee presented their repor which was adopted, viz. :

woven with its success than the Sunday-school it being the great nursery of piety and virtue

herefore,
Resolved, That we earnestly request each preacher in charge of the different circuits, sta-

The fifth Committee offered the following re-

port, which was adopted: Your Committee believe that there is a dire Your Committee believe that there is a direct affinity existing between the Church and Missionary enterprise, and that the Sunday-school cause partakes largely of the Missionary charcacter, both in its origin and developments, and that there is a great necessity for training the children to liberality, in extending to the heathen the same means of instruction with which they are blessed; therefore, your Committee would recommend the organization, in all our Sunday-schools, of juvenile missionary societies, auxiliary to the Annual Conference Missionary Society.

J. B. Tullis, Chairman.

J. B. Tullis, Chairman The Convention adjourned, to join the Sur day-school Celebration, at 3 o'clock this evening The Sunday-school assembled at the C. P. Church, at 3 o'clock, P. M., where they were joined by the members of the Convention. The procession was formed by W. P. Brittain, Esq., and marched to the Methodist Church, where a large concourse was assembled. Rev. J. W. Fields entertained the audience with a short speech, very pertinent and well timed. He was followed by Rev. W. Witcher, who, having on the Sabbath morning previous addressed the Sunday-school by the request of the P. E., which was very appropriate, from the text, "It doth not yet appear what we shall be," concluding with a very pathetic appeal, referring

children, and surveyed, with a grace and style not often equalled, the actual and prospective greatness of the Western Empire State; the great Southern Publishing House, at Nashville, South, met in Rusk, Cherokee county, May 21, Tenn., pouring its streams of literature over the sunny South, always richly supplying our Depository at Galveston, &c., &c.

No doubt a good impression was made. Wednesday morning, 8 o'clock, Convention met pursuant to adjournment; divine service by Rev. F. M. Stovell; R. S. Finley in the chair; minutes of previous meeting read and approved. The sixth Committee offered the following report, which was adopted:

Owing to the partial representation of the Conference in the Convention, the Committee is not furnished with data sufficient to make a full report of the number and condition of Sunday-schools within the bounds of this Conference. The information furnished the Committee gives 130 Sunday-schools, 160 superintendents, 700 teachers, 5,200 scholars, 3,900 volumes in library, 725 dollars have been collected, 205 copies of S. S. Visitor taken.

The Committee offered the following resolu-Resolved, That the ministers and lay delegates

are earnestly requested to furnish the next S. S. Convention with a full statistical report of all the Sunday-schools within their respective charges. J. M. BINKLEY, JOHN P. CARLISLE, W. P. PATILLO,

The seventh Committee presented the following, which was adopted, viz:

Your Committee take much pleasure in re-commending both the Miscellaneous and Cate-chetical books of the Southern Methodist Pub-lishing House, and, also, the S. S. Visitor. A. B. Manion, Ch'n. The eighth Committee offered their report, which was adopted:

The committee on the Parent Sunday School Society of the M. E. Church, South, offer the following as their report: We are glad to learn that the Society is in a

prosperous condition, numbering, at the last annual report, 3419 schools, 24,183 officers and teachers, 152,135 scholars, 400,426 volumes in library, 16,080 copies of the Sunday School Visitor, \$22,128 raised for Sunday School purposes. The Society, only having been in a state of

existence for six years, may truly congratulate itself with the present results. Called together, as we are, in conventional capacity, to consider the interests of the cause, and devise ways and means to promote its interests in the bounds of our Conference, we nevertheless would express the general interest we feel in the prosperity of the Parent Society. Your committee would recommend that the great bond of connectional

J. W. Fields,

The second Committee offered the following report, which was adopted:

1. Resolved, That the superintendents be men of acknowledged piety, and whose general duty shall be to cause their schools to be opened with reading the Holy Scriptores, disaffer and that the great bond of connectional union be preserved.

Your Committee take pleasure in stating that Dr. Taylor, Sunday School Agent, has initiated a plan to raise the amount of \$200,000, Endowment Fund for the Parent Society, the object of which is to cheapen our Sunday School liteglad to learn that the older Conferences have heartily acquiesced in the measure, and have taxed them-elves heavily in order to raise the amount. At our late Conference, we resolved to make an effort to raise \$2000 as our apportionment of this fund. Considering our great demand for books—the discount in the price probably amounting to the sum proposed to be donated, saying nothing of other great connectional advantages—we would heartily recom-mend that the convention apportion the amount to the several charges in the bounds of this Conference, with instructions that it be raised among our people and schools as soon as prac-ticable.

Resolved, That we feel, more than ever, the necessity of a hearty and continued connection with the Sunday School Society of the M. E. Church, South, and that we will cordially cooperate with the general agent in promoting its

Resolved, That a committee of three be ap pointed to apportion the \$2000, recommended by the Annual Conference to be raised for the endowment fund, among the several circuits, stations and missions in the Conference, and that the Presiding Elders be instructed to bring the the Presiding Elders be instructed to bring the subject before the respective Quarterly Conferences; that the Preacher in Charge, together with the Local Preachers and Superintendents of Sunday Schools, bring the subject before the societies, congregations and Sunday Schools, and cause collections to be raised for the purpose above named; and that the preacher in each charge shall report to the Treasurer, at our next Annual Conference, the amount raised. Resolved, That Asa Holt be appointed Treas-

Resolved, That is used in the state of this Society.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

J. W. Fields, Ch'n. The ninth Committee, to select speakers for

the next Anniversary, presented the following: 1st. Origin and Design of Sunday Schools-Col. Wm. P. Hill.

2d. The Present State and Future Prospects
of the Sunday Schools—Rev. R. S. Finley.

3d. Duties of Officers and Teachers—John G.

4th. Duties and Privileges of Sunday School 5th. The Duty of Pasters to Sunday Schools

Bet. The Duty of Parents and Guardians to Sunday Schools—M. H. Bonner, Esq.
J. M. Douglass, Ch'n. The following resolutious were adopted by

the Convention:
Whereas, the Bible being the only ground and

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Athens Rusk Station Cherokee Circuit, Crockett Sumpter Mission, Randolph "

Shook's Bluff Mission, Mount Enterprise Circuit, Douglas WOODVILLE DISTRICT.

Woodville Mission, Livingston Circuit, Liberty Station, East Bay Mission, Village Creek Orange Sabine Pass

J. W. Figlips, Ch'n. On motion, the Convention resolved to hold its next session in Tyler, on the Monday after the third Sabbath in June, A. D. 1861; to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.

rature, that books can be furnished at a cost of less than 75 per cent. of present prices. We are of Athens, Tex. The Convention then adjourned by benedic-

R. S. FINLEY, Pres. S. T. BRIDGES, Sec.

A CALL TO THE MINISTRY.

The late Dr. Olin wrote on this subject in manner that leaves but one regret—that he did not write more than a brief essay. Its brevity this article by a quotation from it; and may the lines following show you the path of duty, reader, as they have shown it to many who re-

joice to acknowledge their indebtendness:

"A call to the ministry may be defined a persuasion wrought by the Holy Spirit in the mind of an individual that it is his duty to become a of an individual that it is his duty to become a preacher of the gospel. It is recognized by the subject of it, simply as a conviction of duty, which, however, is properly ascribed to the Holy Spirit, the Divine agent which produces all pious emotions and purposes. This impression varies greatly in clearness and intensity in different individuals, and in the same individual at different times. At first it may be perceived only in the form of a casual suggestion, a transient desire, or a mere inquiry awakened in the mind by reflection, reading, conversation, or other ordinary means; and it is commonly developed and matured by prayer, by self-examinat different times. At first it may be perceived only in the form of a casual suggestion, a transient desire, or a mere inquiry awakened in the mind by reflection, reading, conversation, or other ordinary means; and it is commonly developed and matured by prayer, by self-examination, by perusing the Scriptures, by hearing the gospel, by pious conference, by meditating upon the wants of the Church and of the world; in a word, by all those means which deepen piety and make more fervent our love to Christ. The progress of the mind from first impressions to a subscillar partner of the control of the con progress of the mind from first impressions to a horough and abiding conviction is sometimes thorough and abiding conviction is sometimes slow, and may possibly be the work of years. It is commonly found, however, that the views of one who ultimately attains to clear evidence of his call to the ministry becomes clear and settled, with a rapidity proportioned to his growth in grace and habitual fidelity to the Region of the state of a world from which whole species and growth in grace and habitual fidelity to the Region of the state of a world from which whole species and growth in grace and habitual fidelity to the Region of the show us, useep down under the earth's layers, the clear and well-defined print of a frail leaf, or the track of a little bird, made in the dim ages past. These have left imperishable memorials of themselves on the face of a world from which whole species and growth in grace and habitual fidelity to the Region of the show us, useep down under the earth's layers, the clear and well-defined print of a frail leaf, or the track of a little bird, made in the dim ages past. These have left imperishable memorials of themselves on the face of a world from which whole species and growth in grace and habitual fidelity to the Region of the state of the show us, useep down under the earth's layers, the clear and well-defined print of a frail leaf, or the track of a little bird, made in the dim ages past. These have left imperishable memorials of themselves on the face of a world from which whole species and growth in grace and habitual fidelity to the Region of the state of the face of a world from which whole species and growth in grace and habitual fidelity to the Region of the face of a world from which whole species and growth in grace and habitual fidelity to the Region of the face of a world from which whole species and the face of a world from which whole species and the face of a world from whole species and the face of a world from which whole species and the face of a world from which who we have the face of a world from which whole species and the face of a world from which whole growth in grace and habitual fidelity to the Redemer's cause. The distressing and protracted doubts with regard to the subject, which oppress so many minds, may commonly be traced to superficial piety, to worldly feeling, and an analysis of the significance. Take the case in David's have their significance. Take the case in David's have their significance. press so many minds, may commonly be traced to superficial piety, to worldly feeling, and an unwillingness to engage in a work so abhorrent to sloth, ambition and selfishness. A few individuals, who are doomed to struggle with morbid pecularities of mind or body, or with the prejudices of a vicious education, may be long in attaining to a satisfactory evidence with regard to the path of duty; but in most, perhaps in all other cases, it is reasonable to expect that the humble, the obedient, and the teachable, will soon be relieved from all painful uncertainty. The feebleness and indistinctness of first im-

As should not be transmisser. On the should not be transmisser. On the first mount at first te only still characteristic with the commy of the gospel, that the manifestance of the Spirits und at first te only still characteristic same and transmisser. The committee was appointed to appoint the first mount proposed by the Annual Conference, (2000), and that the committee was appointed to appoint the first mount proposed by the Annual Conference, (2000), and that the committee was appointed to appoint the first mount proposed by the Annual Conference, (2000), and that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much the committee was appointed by the Sanday much the first mount proposed by the Annual Conference, (2000), and that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much the first mount proposed by the Annual Conference, (2000), and that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much the first mount proposed by the Annual Conference, (2000), and that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed to apport the sanday much that the committee was appointed by the Sanday much that the committee was appointed to app The feebleness and indistinctness of first impressions should not be taken as an argument against their genuineness. On the contrary, it seems to be more consistent with the whole economy of the gospel, that the manifestations of the Spirit should at first be only sufficient to awaken attention, and to excite the mind to a course of inquiry and self-examination, and that it should shine upon us in a clearer light in answer to our prayers, and in aid of our humble endeavors to ascertain and perform our duty.

Every part of the gospel economy is conformed beaven, and resolve, through grace, as the babe

are correct, it is of the utmost importance to every pious young man, who has been brought to feel that it may, perhaps, be his duty to preach the gospel, to give the subject an immediate and prayerful consideration, and to use all diate and prayerful consideration, and to use all proper means for ascertaining his duty. I am inclined to go farther, and say, it may be the duty of every pious and intelligent young man, in the spirit of prayer and self-sacrifice, to make the broad inquiry, "Is it or is it not the will of God that I should become a preacher of the gospel?" At least he should ask, like Paul at his conversion, "Lord, what wilt thou have need o?" It may or may not be his duty to become a minister; but every Christian is bound to devote himself, and that actively and unreservedly, to the cause of Christ; "for he died servedly, to the cause of Christ; "for he died for all, that they which live should not hence forth live unto themselves, but unto him whice died for them." In most cases the path of duty may readily be ascertained, and probably will not lead to the ministry. Those, however, who are induced by such an inquiry, or by their pre-vious convictions, to believe that it may be their duty to engage in that work, are unde the most sacred obligations to give to the subject an immediate, thorough, and prayerful

ject an immediate, thorough, and prayerful examination. To negect this is an insult to the Holy Spirit, and disloyalty to Christ. It will bring barrenness and probably ruin upon the soul. Ministers are Christ's instruments for building up his kingdom, and according to the economy which he has been pleased to order, he cannot save the world without them. It is, therefore, no slight matter to neglect his call.

In conducting this important inquiry prayer. In conducting this important inquiry, prayer, humble, persevering, fervent prayer, must be the chief dependence. To ascertain the course of duty, is in other words, to ascertain the will of God; and this must be done by prayer. Self-examination is no less requisite. Indeed, without this, prayer itself will be of little avail. These, with the diligent perusal of the Scrip-tures, and the counsels of experienced and enlightened Christians, will seldom fail to lead

pious and ingenuous mind to a satisfactory con-clusion." It has been well remarked, that the rule by and great reward of the Christian ministry-none should keep out of it who can possibly

To those just beginning life, who have pro counded to themselves the question, "Am I called?" Dr. Olin says: "Until you have ascertained, with all practicable certainty, whe ther it is your duty to preach the gospel, you are not at liberty to engage in other employments, and to contract obligations, from which you may not find it easy hereafter to be re-leased."

Christian young man-ponder this matter.-

THE MINISTRY OF LITTLE CHILDREN.

Some while ago, in a mood for such statistics, our eye fell on the item that in one year the deaths in four Eastern cities amounted to 43,-432, and of this number 24,767 were children under five years of age.

The last sentence fixed our attention: 24,767 have prayed to God for more than thirty years

children "perished during the year" -- we prefer to say, died. This in four cities only! Of the palance of the 43,432, who can tell their eternal destiny? Some to heaven, some to hell! But of these little ones none can doubt. Taking the aggregate of other cities and villages, and the country at large, we comprehend a fact that finds expression at the Savior's lips—"Of such is the kingdom of God," and in the sacred coup-

"Millions of infant souls compose The family above."

The adults had worked out their mission, or failed to do it. But these little ones! had they no missions? Was their being a failure? Lived they, and suffered, and died, and is the world all the same as though they had not been? Nay, verily, theirs was a precious ministry, and such

conomist, as he figures up the statistics of population. They lived in vain! is the thought of the man ambitious of making his mark on the

sympathies from utter ossification; they deeply subsoil our hard natures. Geologists often show us, deep down under

family. We lose sight of the sickness and suf-fering and death of the unweaned child, in the effects produced upon the royal parent. It is not saying too much, that a large proportion of those who are saved will be saved by the ministry of little children.

Summing up the moral results of the year, we must not credit all to orators and presses

and institutions. These little preachers visited homes, and softened the hearts of the indwellers, and drawn them heavenward, where

butions from earth. Next to the conversion of a soul, the enemy of God and man may take and then the words should speak the heart,

If the views which have been here advanced least pleasure in the death of a child. His snares are all prevented, and his prey surely lost. We bless God for our creation. The opening of a career of immortal existence is in itself's great event—a mission of praise and glory, which death cannot frustrate. Though the voice of praise swell as the sound of many waters, and the celestial harpers are numberless, yet His ear detects each new voice and joyful string, and the praise of these little ones glorifieth him. In this view, the babe, even of a few days and sickly-that goes from the cradle to the grave -is of more intrinsic importance than mate

rial worlds,
A Hindoo woman said to the missionary Surely your Bible was written by a woman, "Because it says so many kind hings for woman. Our Shastas never refer to s but in reproach." Parents who have watchseen the desire of their eyes taken away at a stroke, have found themselves busy running over the Scriptures of their comfort and faith and gathering up, as a stay of their hearts, what God has said for their little children. How full and precious and unequivocal are the passages of comfort! The conclusion is, Surely the Bible was given by a Parent. And so it was. He

O prattling tongues, never formed to speech and now still in death, how eloquently you preach to us! O little pattreing feet, leading the way, how many, through rude and stormy scenes, are following after you to heaven! We thank God for your ministry, and if it be in vain, the fault and the loss will be our own.—Nashville Christian Advocate.

GOD DOES NOT FORGET.

Many years ago, an old man, a devoted Chris tian, commenced a prayer meeting which is still continued, having resulted in many and glor-ious fruits. As a pastor it was my privilege to which some are governed seems to be that none should enter the ministry who can possibly keep out of it; whereas the contrary is just and read on the Mount, looking over the land of promise. out of it; whereas the contrary is just and reasonable, considering the eccessity there is for laborers in the vineyard, and the high honor whether there was nothing that gave bim any trouble of heart. On entering his chamber, asked him in simple terms.

"How are you, this morning?"
"O, sir!" he said, "I am well; why should not I be well? I am near home. Yes, I am near ome-near heaven."

I took the opportunity to ask him.
"My dear sir, has there been nothing of late sting upon your heart as an occasion of trou-

He spoke not a word, but turned his face toward the wall, and lay so between five and ten minutes; then he turned his head back upon his pillow and his face toward me, and I saw

tears streaming down his cheeks. "Oh! yes, sir," said he, "there is one great "What is it?" I inquired. "Speak your "Well," said he, "I have ten children, and I

that I might see some of them converted before I die; but he has denied me. They have all grown up, as you know, but they are not Chri "How do you get over that trouble?" I asked-"Ah!" he replied, "I get over it as I get over all other troubles—by rolling it over upon Christ, I know that God means to answer my prayers, but he means to wait till I am gone. But he will do it; I know he will; my children will be

converted."

This man has been in his grave for fifteen years, and I have watched his children ever since his death; and now to-day I am able say that seven out the ten have been born into the kingdom of God, and the eighth has also just experienced conversion. This is the answer to his prayer. God did not forget; He only waited. And in like manner, he will answer the

THE PRESS.

That truly eloquent clergyman, Rev. Dr. Fuller, of Baltimore, in a recent address at one of the religious anniversaries in New York, paid

the following tribute to "the press:"
"Who can measure the power of the press?
An ounce of lead moulded into a bullet, and put into a Minnie rifle, with a few grains of powde beneath it, will go two miles, and do its errand in an efficient manner, if it encounters no ob-stacle. But that ounce of lead made into types, and put into one of Hoe's lightning presses, will go thousands of miles, and do its errand effecgo thousands of miles, and do its errand effectively, not on one man merely, but on millions, and that though oceans, rivers, and mountains may intervene. A steam printing press! Did you ever go down into one of the spacious vaults beneath your side-walks here, and watch the monsters? Why, my friends, I feel something like awe in looking at them. I feel like taking my hat off to the huge machine. [Laughter.] It seems to me to be a living thing—one of Ezekiel's living creatures with 'the hand of man, and the sound of many waters, and the living and the sound of many waters, and the living

eye in the wheel.'
"He asks no nourishment, knows no weariness. How it strips itself to its work, and toils with a strength that mocks to scorn the might of the giant, and with clamor as if it would shiver to pieces every substance in its grasp.—
And yet, with a delicacy and precision unattainable by human muscles, it receives a fabric so delicate that a rude touch would rend it, and imprints upon it in the twinkling of an eye that which it cost hours to compose. It flings off sheet after sheet to entertain, instruct, regenersheet after sheet to entertain, instruct, regenerate, and bless the earth. None of us have yet begun to appreciate the influence of the press is an agent for the diffusion of knowledge, whether it be in volumes, pamphlets, or, above all, through the daily newspaper, the moral institution which has revolutionized not only the literary, but the commercial and political world. If you have read the Consti-tution, you will remember that there are only two estates in Congress, the Senate and House of Representatives: but a third has sprung up, occupying during the session of Congress a seat higher than that occupied by the Senators and Representatives themselves, and which continues in session long after Congress adjourns. everywhere and at all times. It is composed of the representatives of the press." Two persons were once disputing so loudly

Two persons were once disputing so loudly on the subject of religion that they awoke a big dog which had been sleeping on the hearth before them, and he forthwith barked most furiously. An old divine present, who had been sipping his tea while the disputants were talking, gave the dog a kick, and exclaimed, "Hold your tongue, you silly brute! you know no more about it than they do."

Twelve Swans, a gift from the city of Ham-burgh to the city of New York, arrived Friday last, and have been placed in the Lake in the Central Park. They consist of six male and six female birds, each pair being kept in a separate cage, on the voyage. A man has come with them to take care of them during the passage, and to initiate our Park keepers into the method of attending them.—Obs.

"A small spring may make a babbling brock, but the resources of a mighty lake are necessary to maintain the thunders of a Nisgara."

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GALVESTON. TEXAS. THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 1860.

PERSONAL.-Rev. G. W. Cottingham was with us a few days this week. For several weeks past he has been kept from the work of his agency by the severe illness of his children. He, however, is again in the field, and ready for work. We hope soon to hear good reports of BOOK AGENT. success from him.

LETTER FROM W. T. SMITHSON, ESO.

Bro. S. will please excuse us for publishing the following extracts from a private letter to us. The interest we feel in the enterprise he represents is our justification.

"BANKING HOUSE OF WILLIAM T. SMITHSON, Washington City, June 5th, 1860. "DEAR BRO. SHIPMAN:

"Our great picture is coming on finely; will be done by the first of Sept. Well, I have purchased the lot on which I propose to build 'our Washington City Church.' I bought the corner lot I pointed out to you, the one I told you that I feared I could not buy. It sold for \$5,000 less than I expected, and I have been offered \$15,000 for it since I purchased it. It is the most desirable lot in Washington City for a

"Try and press the sale of my book. I am anxious to sell every copy of the first volume before I bring out the second. Urge the preachers each to take three copies and sell them for

"I shall be glad to hear from you at any time Yours, most truly,

WM. T. SMITHSON."

BASTROP MILITARY INSTITUTE.—The Examination of this very popular Institute closed on the 7th, after having given entire satisfaction to the large number of visitors in attendance, both with regard to teachers and scholars. The Degree of Bachelor of Arts was conferred on Joseph Draper Sayres, of Bastrop, and Henry Milton Lane, of Goliad; and, at the close of the Examination, Gov. Houston delivered a very interesting address to the Cadets. We received the proceedings of the Boards of Inspection and Control at too late an hour to allow of their insertion entire, and can only make room for the following Report:

vious time, with fair prospects of a large accession in future.

The Examination, commencing on the 28th

ducted in a manner entirely satisfactory to all present, and so as to exhibit fairly the progress and proficiency of the Cadets, who, in their ex-ercises, exceeded the hopes and expectations of

both parents and teachers.

The discipline at this Institution is admirable, and well calculated to insure mutual respect and attachment between the Faculty and Cadets, without which no teacher can successfully impart instruction, or inspire his pupils with zeal to acquire knowledge.

In inspecting the arms, we found them in as

perfect order as could have been desired, and the quarters well arranged, and suited to insure

only in their ability to impart thorough instruc-

We can cheerfully recommend this Institution to all parents and guardians, as one where their as will fit them for the duties of life, morally, intellectually, socially and physically, possessing, as it does, many advantages, and especially as to health, there being little or no sickness

as to health, there bendered this year, and no death. (Signed) JOHN F. MCKENNEY, Ch'n. "TENNESSEE."

What has become of our correspondent "Tennessee?" We have been looking out for him again for weeks. We know his arduous him again for weeks. We know his arduous and especially as ministers, we are determine labors, but will be not write again? We have to know nothing among men but Christ Jest been specially requested, by some of his friends and him crucified, in Texas, to ask him to favor the Advocate with more of his correspondence.

MAILS.

We have several letters now before us, complaining of the irregularity with which the Advocate is received. We can state with distinctness, and would do it with an emphasis, if it would do any good, that it is the fault of the mail arrangements somewhere. We do not strengthened, and my religious enjoyments know where: wish we did, we would expose the delinquents. Ever since the first day of January, 1859, the entire issue of the Advocate has been delivered at the Post Office the day of its date, or the day before. We make this statement in justice to ourselves, that our subscribers may know that it is no fault of ours.

SAD OCCURRENCE,-We learn by a letter, just received from Col. C. L. Owen, that Mr. Wm. Coleman, of Texana, died a few days since, with lockjaw, caused by having stuck a nail in his foot. He was one of Texana's best citizens, and a zealous member of the Methodist Church. Many times, when weary and worn by the labors of a large district, have we rested and refreshed ourselves at his hospitable home. We sincerely sympathize with his bereaved family,

PERSONAL, -- A letter, just received from Dr. Charles Taylor, Corresponding Secretary of the Sunday School Society of the M. E. Church, South, advises us that it is his purpose to visit the Texas Conferences, at their next annual sessions. He has also forwarded a box of his "Five Years in China," a review of which our readers may expect when our editor returns,

ANDREW FEMALE COLLEGE.

THE ANNUAL EXAMINATION of the Students of Andrew Female College will commence on Thursday, 21st inst., and continue from day to day, till Thursday, 28th, when the Commencement Exercises will take place. The Committee of Examination, the patrons and friends of the Institution, and the friends of Education, generally, are requested to be present.

MACON B. FRANKLIN. Huntsville, Texas, June 4, 1860. ----

A gay, pleasure-loving man was converted at rades in guilty revelry, and urge them to come to Christ. Of a hundred and sixteen whom he addressed, one hundred, within a year, became follow-travelers to Mount Zion.—S. S. Times.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BOWLING GREEN, KY., May, 1860. The election of Dr. E. Thomson to the editorship of the Advocate at New York is somehing more than a tribute to his ability and popularity. His opinions and wishes on the vexed question are doubtless those of the majority report. The setting aside of Dr. Stevens, on the ground of his "conservatism," is funny to us of the South, who regarded many of his articles as peculiarly offensive, and even insulting. If those articles were written in view of the present General Conference, we shall not repine at the defeat of their author. For my own part, I should as soon see the worst aboliionist of them all at the helm of the New York Advocate, as Dr. Stevens, for the reason that I prefer the consistent abuse of the steady and determined foe to the fitful insults of a man who sometimes leads me to hope for better things. Dr. Stevens is a great man, and will be sustained in his reverse of fortune by the general admission of his ability, as well as by his own fertility of intellectual resource. His deliverance from the "perpetual crisis" of the editorship will give him more time for the higher walks of composition, in which he will continue to win worthy distinction. Perhaps fence of Catholicism, in the Civilian. This he can now find time to give us a biography of time, however, he appears as an advertiser. He the "humane Oglethorpe," who sympathized so seems greatly excited, reports private converse profoundly with the comfortable slave, while tions with us, and wishes to make capital out of he was wresting the bed from under Charles the fact that we refused his article a place in Wesley, and forcing the sweet singer of Methodism to cool his fever on the bosom of "moheartily welcome to all the capital he can manther earth." This capacity to amuse himself ufacture from such material. He, taking adwith authorship makes me the more willing to vantage of our editor's absence, "pitched into say that I shall shed no tears over the Doctor's the Advocate, accusing it and other journals o

will be in current requisition. bling Dr. Durbin's substitute for the reports, the Civilian is not a religious journal, but formay be regarded, I think, as a strict party test. gets that in his former communication he had The substitute—as usual with Dr. Durbin's efforts-endeavored to please both parties. The and, with "solemn gravity, and seeming candor, Doctor is a strong "union" man of late years, turns around and asks us to publish his articles without, it seems to me, caring much about the in defence of Catholicism. If we were disposed the house down to him, in his late speech-to of the "deer," of which Gen. Houston some The undersigned Committee, appointed by the several Boards of Inspection and Control of the. with "powder and ball"—is simply disgusting. times tells us in his humorous way, "He jump so high he break his neck." Mr. O'C. will "Bastrop Military Institute," in attendance at the Annual Examination of the Cadets, make and others of that stripe, as the most dangerous stated distinctly that the "Excommunication" the following report:

This Institution we find in a flourishing and in the Northern Church. This is my reason:

was published in the Advocate as we found it prosperous condition; though in its infancy, having been in operation only three years, it now numbers thirty-eight more than at any prethey are the supporters of a subterranean policy in other journals, without note or comment from the tender mercies of the wicked one; but gus." When brought to his knowledge, he was these "conservatives" foster the policy of ex- in great haste-could not even wait a day or tending the Northern Church in the South by two-too much time had already been lostcolonization and vagrant mission conferences, and knowing that our editor-a man of marked calculating to avoid Bonham receptions by cov- ability-was absent, he shouldered his "gray ering up their real design in a system of double goose quill," and walked forth, the mighty dealing and special pleading, which reminds one | champion for Catholicism, imagining, no doubt, of the little boy who thought nobody could see that he would utterly demolish the Advocate him going up stairs to steal the dried apples, be- and its pro tem. editor. He, however, now, cause he shut his own eyes and went up back- seems somewhat disposed to content himself

erfect order as could have been desired, and the men of genius, and same rule holds good in judging of communities of men. Our Southern brethren might adopt we will quote garbled extracts, with a "view to quest.—What shall be done for the extirpation of the extirpation o something like this as a final substitute for all mislead." This is in perfect keeping with his

their ecclesiastical politics: Whereas we believe in the capacity of the

1. Resolved, That in politics we will act as

citizens through the several channels provided by law and public usage for such action. 2. Resolved, That as members of the Church

But one can write thus at home: here, amor the hills of Kentucky, where I now respire, and where the hearty greetings of old friendship are the order of the day and some deal of the night. other topics should be more congenial. After concluding not to go to Buffalo, I returned as far as Louisville, and in the old Church last much improved. To-day I am in Bowling Green, the scene of my first year's labors in the ministry. The completion of the Louisville and Nashville railroad has given a push ahead to this beautiful village. I have just returned from a walk about the suburbs, in company with several preachers and laymen, and friends of

the Church, acting as a committee of the Male College of the Louisville Conference. There are several sites, each of which is more beautiful than all the rest, if you see it after inspecting the others. Some twenty thousand dollars have been subscribed to the building fund by this town and county. Any needful amount can be gotten for putting up an edifice worthy of this prosperous region, and for a thorough endowment of all the chairs, within the bounds of the Conference, which has, perhaps, as fine a territory and population as any within the bounds of the Church. Good times and increasing religious prosperity have removed rigidity; local preferences no longer see the centre in their own neighborhood. Larger views and larger charities are the order of the day. This is true, I think, all over the Church. The branch of the Lord shall be beautiful and glorious, and

the fruit excellent and comely.

My friend Dr. Parsons handed me a copy since. I have been reading it carefully and and his book is like unto himself. It is full of agent, strong views, has an excellent purpose, and will do good. A leading actress says she has but one objection to it—" too true." The writer is our agent and editor, and I think the Deposithe only living man who has attained to emi- tory and the Advocate will move on smoothly. nence both on the stage and in the pulpit. He Let us, as preachers, clear the way for all our is, therefore, in some important respects, pecu- institutions, and God will bless us. liarly qualified to draw the contrast between them. The book will be severely criticized. My impression is that it fails, as the firstlings a noonday prayer meeting in Philadelphia, and as he pondered the question, "Lord, what wilt thou have me to do?" it was suggested to him to speak personally to each of his former combut the critics will receive the critical receivers the c of book-making genius frequently do, for the for the Post Oak Island circuit, embracing the want of taste and tact equal to the ability. Second Saboath in May, was a refreshing time to the people of God. And though our desires to the people of God. And though our desires as to the general awakening and conversion of a great extent, badly administered. There is an attempt to carry forward a narrative in spite of long interventions of philosophical disquisition, eked out with fables and visions in poetic form.

The desired is much power in the work; to the people of God. And though our desires as to the general awakening and conversion of sinners were not fully realized, yet indications for a good work were seen on every hand. But to protract we could not. Bro. J. W. Whipple, our P. Elder, and John, his brother, arrived on

character of the failure indicates a high order vice, thereby furnishing a deep spiritual feast to of genius, and that if Dr. Parsons will take ad- many. The latter preaching at three o'clock, on vice and study good models, he can give us the justification by faith, aiming at simplicity in book in a better form in a second edition, or, style, and laboring assiduously to be clearly apleaving this effort to fulfill its course as best it prehended by his auditors. O, for that simplimay, write something still more worthy of his city in our ministry that was ever exhibited in

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lismissal from his office. When he retracts his the country of imposing upon the ignorant of charge that the Southern Church insulted the every sect, with "solemn gravity, and seeming cross of Christ, and dragged it in the dust, I candor," and said, we think, a great many shall be happy to see him again in a position things not necessary for him to say, if his where his opinions on the questions of the day object was alone to correct an error into which we had fallen; and, after publishing two lengthy The late vote of the General Conference, ta- articles, he suddenly wakes up to the fact that said that this was not a religious controversy principles on which the union may be founded. to indulge in such illustrations as he has seen Such an ad captandum as that which brought fit to use, we would say, he reminds us forcibly with the defensive. We do not blame him; it Within a given sphere, the opinions of the was, no doubt, the best he could do, not from a majority are the common-sense. The views of | want of ability or willingness in Mr. O'C., by

opinions of those in the Northern Church who go boldly for change of rule, and for turning slaveholders out, are the safest, because they and Faculty, we have the fullest confidence; not and Faculty, we have the fullest confidence; not can understand and be prepared to meet. For present the subject in a shape which opponents can understand and be prepared to meet. For duced only two of the documents we asked him to the laws of the State in which he lives. this reason I like them best, just as I think to publish. Mr. O'C. states that his only object, tion in all that is professed to be taught in this Institution, but especially in the discipline of the School, which is of the highest importance. Institution, but especially in the discipline of the School, which is of the highest importance. In this reason I like them best, just as I think to publish. Mr. O'C. states that his only object, in calling attention to the matter, was, that we might correct the error; and yet, in his article, the most respectable man of the two. The he asked that Catholicism might be judged ac-

> first assertion, of our "solemn gravity, and seeming candor;" and yet, he declares that he American people for self-government, and in the wisdom of the constitutional separation of Church and State, therefore, should "resuscitate" something about Catholicism. Ah, Sir! Catholicism has a "bloody and deceitful" history. No wonder he does not wish it brought up. We would refer him to recent transactions at Rome. What will be say to the article in the Advocate, to-day, taken from the Baltimore Christian Advocate? We were not at Rome-did not see it. When Mr. O'C. meets the facts submitted in our former article, otherwise than by a simple denial, we will submit a few more for him. We hope he

will keep cool; it is more pleasant, this weather. HOME WORK.

ED. ADVOCATE :- I have just closed my second round on the Galveston District.

It has been a pleasant time with me, altho the labor has been very great; yet, we have had pleasant times at all the appointments, The preachers are at their work, and doing good work. We have great reason to praise God for the peace and good feeling, in connection with good health, around the district. The brethren all seem to be in fine spirits. The work, in the aggregate, is in a prosperous condition, and we are praying for a glorious outpouring of the Spirit of God on all the work. Galveston listrict is a pleasant field of labor, embracing lower Brazos, the most fertile land I ever saw; and, O, what a field for missionary

Richmond, Columbia, and Brazoria, on the west of the river, Sandy point and Union Chap-el, on the east—as rich lands as the State can afford-Houston, Lynchburg, and Galveston; all these points can be reached by railroad or steamboats, except Brazoria.

In this district we find the Book Depository and the Texas Christian Advocate located, and our brother Shipman, the agent for both the Depository and Advocate, brother Carnes filling the editor's chair with becoming dignity. It is always a pleasure to enter his office, and spend an hour or more in his pleasant company, and The Pulpit and the Stage," as I was leaving hear his humorous talk, and then to pass to his hospitable home in Louisville a few days the agent's office, see him with coat off and sleeves rolled up, hard at work in a good humor. with profit. The Doctor is a remarkable man, Hard work and little pay for both editor and

JAMPS McLEOD

Mr. EDITOR :- Our second Quarterly Meeting second Sabbath in May, was a refreshing time The book ought to have been a poem, or a narrative, or an essay. The effort to combine the three is unsuccessful. But I repeat that the eleven, connecting with it the assumental services of the services of

leclaim—that he might read the most defective instructive to the poor and unlettered. How parts of this book before an audience with deplorable it is that Heaven's immortal truth, overwhelming effect, but that the private reader designed to shape the course and to fix the desis not an audience, and that his silent eyes are tiny of man, should ever be peddled in such not the wonderfully modulated tones of the high vehicles as only to regale the ear and fas-

> the meeting closes, and the trying hour comes when, owing to personal affliction, I have to resign my work. Severe trial! dark hour! The ed with men, women and children, on foot and were entirely unarmed. The Corso was thronged with men, women and children, on foot and in carriages, when suddenly they were set upon by bands, gens d'armes and police, armed with swords and daggers, who stabbed right and left with indiscriminate brutality, murdering in midwinter, and probably resuming my labors too soon, I was attacked with homorrhage at my lungs, and next hearth. my lungs, and next bronchitis. In this condition I labored on for some weeks, not entirely is the Pope's Great Murder,' and out—Herod's conscious of my danger, until to desist was inevitable. Closely housed for three weeks, and evitable. Closely housed for three weeks, and under good medical treatment, I don't know that I have grown better, but, trusting in God, the matter, and they will believe it, notwith-I am safe from all danger, and resigned to the the will of God. If I never should be permitted to return to the active ministry, the three and a half years thus spent will ever be looked and a half years thus spent will be a half years thus a spent wil

on the occasion. Many of them joined before they were converted, and one was converted horror for man, and a mark for the vengeance

THE METHODIST CHURCH, NORTH, AND SLAVERY.

The General Conference of the Methodist Church, North, after the loss of the proposed change in the book of discipline, adopted a new chapter on the subject of slavery, which is cerchapter on the subject of slavery, which is cer-tainly a marked concession to its churches of which slaveholders are members.

The following is the chapter, as it stood be-fore the late action of the General Conference:

Quest.—What shall be done for the extirpation of the evil of slavery?

Ans.—We declare that we are as much as ever

convinced of the great evil of slavery; therefore go there; for while the streets bristle with no slaveholder shall be eligible to any official bayonets people are robbed in broad day. The bayonets people are robbed in broad day. The level are shall be eligible to any official bayonets people are robbed in broad day. The bayonets people are robbed in broad day. The level are shall be eligible to any official bayonets people are robbed in broad day. The bayonets people are robbed in broad day. The level are shall be eligible to any official bayonets people are robbed in broad day. The level are shall be eligible to any official bayonets people are robbed in broad day. The level are shall be eligible to any official bayonets people are robbed in broad day. The level are shall be eligible to any official bayonets people are robbed in broad day. The level are shall be eligible to any official bayonets people are robbed in broad day. The level are shall be eligible to any official bayonets people are robbed in broad day.

owner of a slave, or slaves, by any means, he shall forfeit his ministerial character in our Church, unless be execute, if it be practicable, a

 All our preachers shall prudently enforce upon our members the necessity of teaching their slaves to read the word of God; and to allow them time to attend upon the public wor-ship of God on our regular days of divine service.

tion of the evil of slavery? Ans .- We declare that we are

ever convinced of the great evil of slavery. We believe that the buying, selling or holding of human beings, as chattels, is inconsistent with the Golden Rule, and with that rule in our Discipline which requires all who desire to continue among us "to do no harm, and to avoid evil of every kind." We, therefore, affectionately admonish all our preachers and people to keep themselves pure from this great evil, and to seek its extirpation by all lawful and Christian means.

This removes the illiberal exclusion of slave-holders from offices in the church, and of traveling evangelists from priestly prerogatives, un-less they first emancipate their servants. The adoption of the new chapter is plainly a retro-cession from the high anti-slavery ground the Methodist Church North has heretofore occu-pied, and seems to indicate the possibility of the prevalence of a more Christian spirit of charity and brotherly love than has characterized this anti-slavery religious association.—N. O. Pica-

mittee in the Northern General Conference, respecting petitions, is given on our last page. Only about 4,000 signers petitioned against a change of rule. It is well known that the change of rule. It is well known that the strongest opponents of the proposed change declined to petition at all. This was the case with all the Border Conferences. As they were understood to be solidly against the change, they deemed their Minutes a sufficient showing of their strength. The signatures for a change amount to about 46,000. These are from all Methodists in New England alone. The single Baltimore Conference could have nearly equaled the whole number. Philadelphia alone could equal it, and have 16,000 names to spare. The reader will notice, however, the singular fact, that the members of Quarterly Conferences vot-ing on each side are very nearly equal, 49 for and 47 against.

The report of the Slavery Committee in the General Conference, on the votes of the Annual Conferences for and against the different forms Conferences for and against the different forms of the proposed General Rule, shows that for the Cincinnati Rule the vote stands 318 against 1,212; for Providence Rule 1,242, against it 1,329; for Erie Rule 1,795, against it 1,416. The constitutional requirement is three-fourths of all the votes. More than 600 votes, that is, nearly a third more of the actual vote on the Erie Rule was necessary to carry it. But such confusion prevailed between the various Rules, some Conferences voting one way, some another, and some not at all, that the figures of the table show about nothing respecting the state of show about nothing respecting the state of opinion in the Conferences.— Western C. Adv.

THE POPE'S BULL OF EXCOMMUNICATION. The London Times thus lampoons the Pope's

Bull:

"The wicked journalists of Roman Catholic France, we see, as well as the heretical gentlemen of the press in Protestant England, are irreverent enough to be poking fun at the bull; and, as if no better commentary upon it could be found, some of them are turning to the Ingoldsby Legends, to see how the hobgoblin looks in rhyme, and learn what was the effect of the terrible malediction, when it was pronounced by the Cardinal Lord Archbishop, in connection with the sins and wickedness of the connection with the sins and wickedness of the Jackdaw of Rheims:

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"The Cardinal rose with a dignified look;
He called for his candle, his bell, and his book.
In holy anger and plous grief,
He solemnly cursed that rascally thief!
He cursed him at board, he cursed him in bed,
From the soul of his foot to the crown of his head:
He cursed him in sleeping, that every night
He should dream of the devil, and wake in a fright
He cursed him in eating, he cursed him in drinking,
He cursed him in sitting, in standing, in lying;
He cursed him in walking, in riding, in flying!
He cursed him in living, he cursed in him dying!
Never was heard such a terrible curse!

THE HORRIBLE MASSACRE AT ROME.

Pius 9th seems to have been raised to the throne as Pharoah was, to give practical demonstrations of the true character of the system he represents, and afford opportunity for the vindication of the righteous principles which it may, write something still more worthy of his abilities. He has to learn that the success of many of his sermons is owing to his powerful declamation, and that the printed page cannot to the profound intellect, and how beautifully truded his claws from his velvet skin, and sprung upon his victim with a ferocity that leaves no question of his taste for blood. The arch priest who sits in the place of God has thrown off the tattered mask of holiness, and showed the Monkanna face of the fiend. The histories of former deeds of blood perpetrated

cafes.

The scene of the massacre defies description.

the memorable butchery of the innocents.

Of course American Catholics will manifest

and a half years thus spent will ever be looked back to as the bright Canaan of my earthly pilgrimage. Exceedingly tremulous from fever.

Brother Dellaplain occupies my charge.

J. H. Wright.

Bro. Carnes:—By request of brother Nelms, preacher in charge of Bastrop circuit, I send you this notice of a revival meeting in his circuit, and on Pin Oak creek, commencing on the cuit, and on Pin Oak creek, commencing on the second and terminating on the sixth of June.

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in the act of joining. The beauty of this meeting was, that all the converts entered the tion from Rome that the Government made an kingdom with "a new song in their mouths, even praise to our God,"—"they told it themselves." It was truly a work of God; bless his holy name.

Silas M. Rawls.

Ton Rome that the Government made an attempt to get an opportunity for another massacre. They placarded hand-bills all over the city, calling upon the people to gather in the Corso for insurrection. Fortunately the Liberals were able to warn the public of the snare, and instead of being crowded, the Corso was deserted at the appointed hour. 'My kingdom is not of this world,' said the Lord. The kingdom of the Pope is—and is the basest of all kingdoms. Pius, however, is doing all that he

> has no money-Naples has all she can borrow people are poor and their own government wants all they have to spare. Ireland is more remarkable for ability to receive than to give. Spain will send magnificent compliments, and, if need be, soldiers, but money is scarce with Don. The United States offers the only field for serious taxaton—so our Catholic friends may begin to retrench, and get ready to support upon his throne the most thorough imbecile and detested despot in Europe, except one. The llustrious son of Bombay is even meaner, more stupid and detestable than the Pope-and shares with him the sympathy of American Catholics, -Baltimore Christian Advocate,

STRENGTH MADE PERFECT IN WEAK-

few months since the following story was related; and, at this remarkable period of the He never thought more meanly of himself, and world, when, as hever before since the days of the Apostes, the Spirit of God seems mani-festly operating in the hearts and on the lives idents connected with its manifestations old be made known and extensively circu-

managing it.

At this point he paused; and—as he afterward related to the speaker—he began to think to himself, that it seemed a strange thing that the Almighty, in His wisdom, should take out of the world his father and all his brothers, of the world his father and all his brothers,

tience and charity, to bear with the infirmities and evil tempers of those around him, and to endure all things for the love of Christ.

More than this, the stammering tongue even is made to praise Him; and in the prayer-meetings he pours out his petitions with such fervor, such hallowed, heart-stirring eloquence, that the eyes of his hearers are frequently overflowing with tears. This naturally poor, weak, imbedile creature is made, by the power of the Holy Spirit, to perform a great work of love and mercy to the world; and his zeal in the service of his Master re-acts upon himself, producing a happiness and a peace in his own soul which the world could never give.

Though we be weak in body, infirm in purpose, or restricted in means, may not the out-

RECEIVING CHRIST AS A LITTLE CHILD.

The profound intellect of Bishop Butler was able to remove doubts respecting Christianity as a divine system from the minds of others. I have before me the record of three persons who were convinced of the truth of the gospel, and their own lost condition as sinners by the study of his Analogy of Religion. Yet, Butler himself was in darkness in his last hours. A friend in attendance said to him, "You do not believe in Christ. He is able to save them to not the wonderfully modulated tones of the great tragedian or the popular preacher. One idea of the book is that the pulpit is the reality, of which the stage is but the spectral and tantalizing mockery. There is force in this view; it does not seem, however, to be quite so satisfactorily presented. Still, the author deserves praise for the boldness with which he has accomplished his task, and readers for the benefit they will receive from a candid perusal of his dictionary, in order to ascending work.

J. E. C.

high vehicles as only to regale the ear and fascinate the eye of the fastidious and gay, while beneath its magnificent wheels are crushed the poor and ignorant.

histories of former deeds of blood perpetrated by the Romish Clergy are revived and verified by the Romish Clergy are reviv Christ at last was so plain and simple that the

life he recognized the cross as the only way to heaven, and this conviction deepened to its close. His last days he spent in prayer and strong entreaties, lying low at the throne of grace. To his faithful negro servant he was requently explaining the simple truths of the Bible, often saying to him, "Attend, Francis, to salvation of your soul, which is of

reatest importance."

It has been said of John Foster, that "few spirits can have passed away from earth en-dowed with more of intellectual grasp and pen-etration to meet the wonders and grandeurs of regions immense and untraversed." Yet, one hour before his death, he said, "If that great cause of faith and hope, the all-sufficient merits and atonement of our Lord and Savior, were taken away, I should have nothing left." And on his death-bed, when conscious of the failure his mental powers, he exclaimed, "But I car

pray, and that is a glorious thing."

In the one great and all-important concern of life, how insignificant are those distinctions of which the world thinks and makes so much Are we great here, we must become humble. Are we lowly here, we stand on a level with the greatest.; for, "whosoever shall not receive the kingdom of heaven as a little child shall not enter therein." The gospel of Christ! in its adaptation to man, how wonderful; in its beneficence, how worthy of its divine Author!

—Am. Messenger.

ENTIRE CONSECRATION.

It is dangerous to assume that we are perfect, and still more so to profess a faith that precludes growth in grace, or aspiration or hope for any thing better. The only perfection we ever reach here in the flesh is in the attitude of mind expressed by Paul, when he says: "This kingdoms. Pius, however, is doing all that he can to overthrow it. He is now a Prince in spite of himself. France yet gives her strength to the Beast, or the end would soon come.— Prophecy forbids us to expect that Rome will be rescued from the Pope and restored to Christianity. We have no such hope.

In the meantime it becomes good Catholics to consider how the royalty of the Pope is to be paid for. The revenue from Italy must be getting uncomfortably small. Strangers do not go to Rome as heretofore. Indeed it is not safe to go there; for while the streets bristle with one thing I do: forgetting those things which

coming, is the same in its effect upon his feel-ings as if he had it and the debt was paid. His anxiety is all gone, and he has perfect rest from perplexity. Thus it is with one who realizes what it is to find "rest to his soul" from "learn-ing" of Jesus, who is "meek and lowly in heart." If the reader will recall his days of greatest religious peace, he will find that they were days in which two things were prominent in his feelings; first, the most absolute self-renuncia tion, and second, the most perfect confidence it Christ as his all in all. The more hopeless h became in himself, on account of his guilt and ruin, the more absolute was his hold upon Christ as his "wisdom, righteousness, sanctification and redemption." He felt that he had in the perfection of his Saviour more than an offset against his own imperfections. Hence he "re-joiced in Christ Jesus, having no confidence in the flesh," Instead of a high conceit of him-self, and of his own attainments in piety, as the when, as hever before since the days of postles, the Spirit of God seems mani-perating in the hearts and on the lives it is well that at least the more striking lim in the robe of His own righteousness, and to cleanse him in His atoning blood, how can be

but rejoice?
The moment the mind begins to recede from pressed my own mind, and I am sure that it touched the hearts of many other hearers; perhaps, happily impelling some among them to go and do likewise. touched the hearts of many other hearers; perhaps, happily impelling some among them to go and do likewise.

A family, residing in some small town in New England, had, by the providence of God, been swept away, one by one, by the hand of Death, until one son alone remained. That son was the victim of mental imbecility; and, to add to his misfortunes, his organs of speech were also defective. This unfortunate being became the inheritor of his father's property, which was small—consisting of a farm worth about eight thousand dollars.

The weakness of his intellect was well known to neighbors and friends; and, in consideration to neighbors and friends; and, in consideration of his inability to superintend his affairs, or even to take care of himself, he was advised to place himself under guardianship, and his prop-erty in the hands of those who were capable of They do not sanctify the Lord at the waters of

of the world his father and all his brothers, who were in the possession of their faculties, and spare him, apparently so useless, weak in intellect, and of a stammering tongue. It seemed to him that there was a purpose, a hidden meaning in this dispensation; and, after long reflection, he came to the conclusion, that, as God had given 'all this property to him, he would give it all back to God. He would cultivate the farm, and give the proceeds for the extension of the Gospel. The thought itself would seem to have been suggested by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit!

He kept his resolution. From that time, the oration of the Holy Spirit!

He kept his resolution. From that time, the do not leave it out of your home-life. Keep i whole proceeds of the farm—sometimes amounting to three hundred dollars a year—he gave to see if it does not prove to be a very blessed

ing to three hundred dollars a year—he gave to missionary purposes.

"Once"—said the speaker, in relating this story—"I asked him, Are you not giving too much!"

"Too much!" he replied, his face was suffused with a flush of deep and grateful love—too much! How can I give too much to Him who gave all for me!"

Never was the power of God more manifest than in this, His weak instrument. It has become his habit to rise an hour before dawn, and spend that hour in communion with his Maker. In this exercise, he is strengthened for the cares and perplexities of the day. He obtains patience and charity, to bear with the infirmities and evil tempers of those around him, and to

FACTS ABOUT CHINA.

The Court and Government of China figures lieve his hunger, and after that, the barrel of meal wasted not, neither did the cruse of oil fail, until the day when God sent rain once cler of crowned heads, ducal families, republican cler of crowned heads, ducal families, republican rulers, and statistics of civilized nations. Japan has no place in the finely printed pages of this diplomatic annual, while the Sandwich Islands are fully designated, and every important spoke in their political wheel clearly designated. The reason why China, her Emperor, ministers, provincial governors, generals and admirals,—mandarins all—appear in the ninety-seventh number of the Almanach de Gotha, is that she has entered into diplomatic relations with the Western "Barbarians." Next year we shall hope to see Japan—in many respects the Asiatic England. Japan—in many respects the Asiatic England, faithfully represented in this little but eminent statistical work to which we have referred. The facts about the government functionaries of China are very briefly stated, but are worth

translating, for, in a very short space, they give a clearer notion of the Celestial Empire than many long treatises. The Emperor Hienfung (in the Canton dialect Hanfung) is the seventh of the reigning dynasty of the Tsings (which succeeded in 1644 to that of the Mings). The present Emperor is the two hundred and forty: fourth issue, if we may believe Chinese history, from the year 2,832 before the Christian Era. This is decidedly cool; for by placing figure against figure, we find that the first Chinese Emperor must have lived five hundred years cotempora-neously with Methuselah, and a Chinese Empe-ror must have been in the Ark with Noah. But leaving these musty regions of antiquity, we ascertain that Hienfung commenced his reign at the death of his father, on the 26th of February, 1850, but out of respect for the memory of his father he dates his accession to power from February, 1851. The present Emperor will be 26 years old in August next. His name, Hienfung, is not his family appellation. It is his offi-cial name, and signifies Porfect Felicity. His father's name (Tankwang) means The Splendor

of Reason.

The different functionaries of government are mandarins, divided into nine classes, and the civil authorities always have precedence of the military. The cabinet has four presidents, ministers, and any quantity of under-ministers. The departments are eight in number, as follows: of the interior, finamce, worship, war, justice, pub-lic works, foregn affairs, and the censorship. There are twenty-three provinces, and three of these are subdivided in their government.

The list of governors, under-governors, secretaries, &c., &c., is quite formidable in appearance, and to pronounce the names with our occidental barbaric tongues, is something equivalent to re-

citing an Ethiopian song.

The population in 1859 was estimated from the census taken for purposes of taxation to be 415,000,000! There is no reason to doubt these figures. What wonder fills the mind when we think that the Empire of China contains more than one-third of the human family! While we cannot call these myriads of Chinese uncivilized, we must not yet include them in the category of wild Africans, Australasians and Esquimaux. They have many of the appliances of the most civilized nations, coupled with vices that do not find their equal amongst the lowest nations of heathenism. But their very numbers are appalling in view of reform. The greatest aope for China is that her masses are reading peoples, and can be reached through the printed page. What will be the effect of the great armed movement now putting forth by England and France, no one can tell .- Journal of

TEXAS ITEMS.

Messrs, Deloach and Hervey, of Palestine, offer a reward of \$3,000 for the arrest and conviction of the marderers of their brothers and Mr. Jones, or \$1,000 for the arrest and conviction of either one of them. The Governor has

Oscar Dalton, of the Crockett Printer, by J. C. Hepperla, of the Argus. Both parties fired : Hepperla was but slightly wounded, while Dalton's wound was mortal.

In an affray at Palestine, on the night of the 4th, Pinkney Skelton was fatally wounded by Marcus Mallard, who was promptly arrested. At Houston, on the 5th, Dr. H. Smalley, Jas. Robertson, and a barkeeper named Farrow,

were shot by J. J. Cain-the two first named mortally, the latter but slightly. INDIANS IN UVALDE, -A letter in the San Antonio Herald, dated 27th May, records the pres-

ence of some 49 Indians in Uvalde, and their attack on Mr. Burleson and a Mexican. On Saturday last a warrant was issued by F. Miles, Esq., for the arrest of Thomas B. Hearn, on the charge of being a principal in the mur-der of William Powers, as well as an accomplice

to the offense .- Paris Press, Mr. Robert Hall was drowned in Red River, near Williams' Bluff, on Saturday last. He was engaged with others in hauling a seine for fish. and stepped into deep water near the bank, and, although he was a good swimmer, he sank, after making but a slight effort to swim.

METROPOLITAN RAILEOAD, - Capt, Daniels, chief engineer on the Memphis & El Paso Railnenced the survey from Jefferson of the above road on last Monday morning. The ball is now in motion, and everything looks bright for the future prosperity of North-eastern Texas.—Jeff.

The Henderson Times says that a negro, confined in the jail of that county, under sentence of death, attacked the jailor, Abraham Williams, as he entered the cell, and beat him to death. The negro made his escape, but was

The Sherman (Grayson county) Texian says that Waddill is probably elected Judge of that District, and Weaver, District Attorney. Two of the actors in the Aransas tragedy, old man Stephenson and his wife, were, last week, tried at Refugio. The old man was sen-

enced to the penitentiary for twenty-five years, and his wife for five years.

The son and daughter were allowed a continuance of their trial to the next term of the ourt .- Goliad Messenger. Horse THEE.-From the Clarksville Stand-

ard we learn that a man named Brashear was

arrested in Red River county, with a mare and two mules, which he had stolen. Brashear con-fessed, and implicated two others, one of whom was recognized in the sum of \$500. FATAL AFFRAY AT NAVASOTA. - We under-

stand that a difficulty occurred in Navasota on Sunday week, between Mr. George Fisher and gambler, in which the latter was shot dead. It is always a pleasant task to make a note of the exhibition of the kindlier feelings of the human heart. None that we have lately seen

have given us more pleasure than the generosity of our citizens towards Mr. H. G. Pannell, whose house and shop were destroyed by fire on Saturday last. Through the solicitations of Mr. Robt. Lockhart and Mr. W. S. Owens, we are nformed that fifteen hundred dollars have been subscribed for the purpose of assisting him in replacing the buildings. Every dollar thus given, we are safe in saying, will prove a greater benefit to the giver than the receiver.—Houston Telegraph.

On Sunday night an unfortunate difficulty oc-curred at the old Schrimpf Hotel, in this city, between G. W. Stewart, the present lessee, and a young man by the name of Charles Lugee, in a young man by the name of Charles Lugee, in which the latter was mortally wounded. Stewart was committed to jail to await a trial before the committing magistrate,—Houston Tel.

A train of wagons under command of Captain Woods, left Fort Fillmore, on the 12th ult., for this place, bringing eighteen tons of silver and copper, consigned to J. H. Dale, for shipment to New York.—Indianola Courier.

The trial of the slave Joe, for burning the office of the Cameron Sentinel and Scott's store, on November last, terminated at Milam, on the 28th, in a verdict of guilty, and sentence to be hung, on the 18th of July next.

From the Navarro Express, we learn that Mr. Thos. C. Petty was shot and killed at Chambers' Creek bridge, by a deaf mute named Bozier.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK. FOREIGN. Arrival of the Steamship Prince Albert. St. Johns, N. F., June 7.—The Atlantic royal mail steamship P-ince Albert arrived at this point at an early hour this morning.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, May 26.—The sales during the week ending Friday, May 25, in the Liverpool Cotton market add up 43,000 bales. The week's business closed generally dull, and holders were pressing their stock on the market. The Broker's Circular quotes a decline of 1-8a3-16 on all qualities of Cotton, but mostly on inferior qualities. mostly on inferior qualities. Acurate quotations for the inferior qualities could not be given. The following are the quotations of the Broker's

Fair Orleans 8; Fair Mobile 7 1-2; Fair Uplands 7 1 4; Middling Orleans 6 5-8; Middling Mobile 6 1-8; Middling Uplands 6 1-4. The amount of Cotton now in the port of Liver-cool, foots up 1,200,000 bales. Of the above quantity, 995,000 bales are said to be of American pro-

MANCHESTER TRADE. The advices from Manchester and the surroun ing manufacturing districts are very favorable. The demand for manufactured goods and yarns closed quiet. The prices by the Arabia were generally well GENERAL AND POLITICAL INTELLIGENCE.

GENERAL AND POLITICAL INTELLIGENCE.

The general and political news by the Prince Albert possesses some features of importance.

The accounts received from Sicily bear date to the 25th, and state that a general battle between Garibaldi and the Royal troops had been fought outside the walls of Palermo. During the struggle, the Royal forces were entirely routed, and Garibaldi entered the city triumphantly and assumed the Dietatorship of Sicily. provements. torship of Sicily.

Sicilian official dispatches claim a victory over follows:

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ONE DAY LATER. New York, June 9.—The Royal mail steamship Africa, Capt. Shannon, of the British and North American line, reached her wharf at Jersey City last night. last night.

The Africa left the port of Liverpool Saturday morning, 27th ult., and touched at Queen-stown Sunday evening, 28th.

EXPOLUTION IN SIGHLY.

On Sunday, 24th, at 11 A.M. Sermon before the University Missionary Society, by Rev. J. W. Phillips, at 8 P. M. the same day.

EXPOLUTION IN SIGHLY.

REVOLUTION IN SIGHT. The principal political intelligence received by the Africa concerns the revolution in Sicily, which continues to be the all-absorbing topic of interest in Government circles on the continent.

It is now confirmed that Gen. Gariba'di encountered in his march a band of Bavarians in the ser-vice of the King of Naples, at or near the town of

vice of the King of Naples, at or near the town of San Martino.

Gen. Lonsa, of the Neapolitan army, it is said, also asked for an armistice of Garibaldi, during his march to Palermo, but it was respectfully declined. The General said he could accept nothing less than the political independence of the Island.

A second expedition under the command of Col. Medici left the city of Genoa, and by skillful management had succeeded in naking a landing on the coast of the Island of Sicily.

Col. Medici, after having safely put ashore his army, joined the troops of Garibaldi, and marched in the direction of Monreale, a town situated four miles southwest of Palermo, where he encamped, and was cutting off the troops of the King of Naples evacuating Palermo.

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Monreale itself was menaced, and the surrender thereof would lead to the fall of Palermo.

The latest accounts received from Messina state that no insurrectionary movements had taken place, but the Neapolitan police were daily deserting their

masters.

The French journal La Petrie publishes a dispatch saying that the royal troops had attacked Garibaldi, but had been completely routed by the latter. EXTRAORDINARY ISISH EXODUS.

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The Liverpool Post says: The extraordinary emigration at present going forward to the United States direct from all the ports of the sister isle has excited the attention and alarm of Irish politicians and journalists. A visit to the Liverpool docks during the past few weeks, and to the different emigration offices along Waterloo and Regent Roads, would not lead in any degree to diminish the feeling of alarm, as at no period for many years past has the emigration been so brisk as at present, to ports in the United States; indeed, some of the leading emigration houses state that the trade has not been so brisk since 1837. During the present month the brisk since 1837. During the present month the exodus from the Mersey to the United States in passenger ships has been about 9000 steerage passengers, being an average of 3000 weekly, and the number exhibits no aparent sign of decrease. In addition to the above, several vessels are now ready

churches, and 423 chapels, of which latter the Independents have 121, the Baptists 100, the Wesleyans 77, the Roman Catholics 59, the Calvinists and English Presbyterians 10, the Quakers 7, the Jews

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The various powers of Europe borrowed \$352.

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Sandy Point, at Island Chapel.

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Mr. Damper, yeoman, of Pitmins'er, near Taunton. England has a gray cob in his possession, which is fitty-six years old. The cob was out with the harriers about six weeks since. Mr. Dampier rides it with the greyhounds, and about his farm. It is fresh on its legs, and free from blemish.

followed by the dispersion and flight of the whole army
"This news seems to us incomprehensible," says a Tampico letter of the 4th. "but it comes to us from an authoritative source, and is reliable."

It is added that the army of Uraga numbered 9000 men. He must have had with him then nearly all the troops he has been collecting since his great victory near San Luis Potosi.

It is also added that Gen. Uraga succeeded in making good his escape; but that the loss of his leg will probably cost him his life.

No further particulars of this unfortunate affair have yet come to hand, and our correspondent, writing at the last moment, even omits to give the dates. There would seem to be no doubt of the reliability of the news.

Locusts are now perforating the ground in the vicinity of Newark, N. J., in multitudes, their holes being generally about half an inch in diameter and from four to eight inches deep. They are found most numerous around the roots of the cherry tree. Near the apple, pear and peach trees but few are found, and generally on the shady side.

The New England Corron Mills.—A Lowell correspondent of the Boston Traveler writes: "The greatest activity prevails in all our mills. Preparations are made to start two hundred thousand more spindles in other parts of New England. At the rate at which manufacturers are now progressing it will not require more than a year to create a rise in the price of cotton, a glut in the market, and a general reaction.

JUDGE LONGSTREET.—Mr. Buchanan has appointed Judge Longstreet, the distinguished President of the South Carolina College, to represent the American Government in the Commercial and Statistical Convention, which is to meet in London on the 16th of July 2005.

PURCHASE OF A POST-OFFICE SITE.—The Government has purchased the present site of the Post-office in New York city, and arrangements will be speedily made for the erection of a suitable and commodious building. The price paid for the site is \$250,000, of which \$50,000 was contributed by merchants, as Congress only appropriated \$200,000 for the purpose. Congress only appropriated \$200,000 for the purpose.

Sentence of the Savannah Rescures—On Thursday last the United Circuit Court, at Savannah, Ga., passed sentence of \$250 fine and thirty days imprisonment on C. A. L. Lamar, J. Mott Middleton, Carey W. Stiles and William Home, who pleaded guilty to the charge of rescuing Captain Farnum, of the slave yacht Wanderer, from the county jail.

A TRIAL of Muscle.—The development of muscle leads not always to the prize-ring. In Troy, the other day, J. McKinney and J. Kennedy had a trial of skill. The former challenged the latter to compete with him in making horseshoes for the championship. The challenge was accepted, and the working time being fixed at ten hours, each man, with his "helper," went at the metal. Their shops were surrounded through the day, with an interested throng, and ropes were stretched about the forges to give sufficient space. At the expiration of the ten hours Kenspace. At the expiration of the ten hours Kenhad made 240 shoes and his "helper" had fainted from fatigue. It is probable that an equal feat has never been accomplished before.—N. Y. Paper.

A COSTLY PARK .- The cost of the New York Central Park thus far has been \$7,900,000. The sum of \$2,500,000 will be expended on further im-

SOULE UNIVERSITY.

THE EXAMINATION AND COMMENCEMENT EX-ERCISES of Soule University will take place as

In the Preparatory Department on Monday the 18th of June.
In the Collegiate Department, on Wednesday
the 21st, continuing until Tuesday the 26th.
Commencement Sermon, by Rev. I. G. John,

Exhibition of the University Societies on Mon-day night, 25th.

Exercises of Commencement, consisting of the Baccalaurcate Address, by Prof. J. M. Follans-bee, Address by the candidate for graduation, and Annual Address, by Rev. T. W. Blake, on Wednesday, the 27th.

Review of the Cotton Market. Notwithstanding that the condition of the European mar-ket has been somewhat unfavorable, and a small decline reported, sales of 3,800 bales were made here last week; factors have, however, been compelled to submit to reduced figures for the lower grades. Receipts at this port, to 9th inst., 185,318 bales, against 139,896 bales to same date last year—Stock on hand and on shipboard, not cleared, 17,132 bales. The New Orleans market is reported so unsettled that general quotations are omitted, and a similar state of the market exists here, particularly for low cottons, while the better grades still find purchasers. Middling 10% 210%

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MATHER, HUGHES & SAUNDERS Galveston, June 12, 1860. Cotton Factors.

New Orleans Markets. NEW ORLEANS, June 9, 1860 COTTON-The demand has been limited to-day, with sales

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Quarterly Meetings, &c.

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Florence and Lampases, at Lampases, Camp
Meeting 11, 12
Gatesville 18, 19

Waco Circuit.

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Preachers, generally, are cordially invited to attend the above named Camp Meetings.

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WOODVILLE DISTRICT.

THIRD ROUND.

Liberty Circuit, at Liberty.

Liberty Circuit, at Double Bayon.

"10, 17
Beaumont Mission, at Spell's School House.

"40, 17
Sabine Pass Mission, at Sabine Pass.

July 7.

Solvange Circuit, at Duncan's Woods.

"14, 15
Village Creek, at Harden.

"21, 22
Woodville Mission, at Cherokee.

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Livingston Circuit, at Nazareth.

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GALVESTON DISTRICT. THIRD ROUND.

Camp Meetings.

By Divine permission there will be a Camp Meeting on Walnut Creek, commencing on Thursday night before the fourth Sabbath in July. Ministering brethren, please come and help us.

JOHN S. McGEE, P. E.
PETER W. GRAVIS, P. C.
Blanco and Perdinales, June 5, 1860.

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By divine permission the brethren at the Bethel Church, Madison Circuit, intend to have a Camp Meeting, at their old camp ground, (Bethel.) on Larrison's Creek, commencing on Thursday before the third Sunday in July next. A general invitation is extended.

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Madison Circuit May 8, 1860.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

we are requested to announce Col. CHARLES RAILEY as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Galveston county. Election in August next. june 7

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Receipts for and Shipment of Books From May 28th to June 9th, 1860. A—John Adams, \$7,15, books mailed; John W. B. Allen. \$5, books mailed; O. B. Adams, books shipped, care J. H. Dale, Indianola, and Wm. Headen, Corpus Christi.

—R. H. Belvin, \$25,58; T. W. Bell, \$20, books shipped care Allen & Fulton, Houston, and Byrd & Surghnor, Montgomery; John W. Bryan, books mailed; J. M. Baker. \$20,00.

Montgomery; John W. Bryan, books mailed; J. M. Baker, \$29,00.

—John R Cox, \$15, books mailed; W. O. Campbell, \$1, books mailed; F. M. Cary, \$23,12, books mailed; George W. Davis, \$10, books mailed; George W. Davis, \$10, books mailed; George W. Care Baughn & Walker, Lavaca, and B. B. Peck & Co., Gonzales; J. M. Douglass, \$2, books mailed.

—Geo. W. Fleming, \$10, books mailed.

—Peter W. Gravis, \$3, books mailed; C. Gillett, \$4,50, books mailed.

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- Alex. Hinkle, \$10; B. Harris, 2 letters, \$20,50, books mailed.

S. M. Jenkins, books mailed to W. Hoke; W. J. Joyce

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L.-C. J. Lane, \$2.
M.-John Mathews, \$2,30, book and pen mailed.
N.-E. Nichols, books mailed; H. Nold, \$27,50, books sent as ordered.
P.-H. V. Philpot, \$10; J. Perry, \$2, books mailed.
S.-Wesley Smith, \$29, books shipped care R. R. Agent, Harrisburg, a V. F. Cook & Bro. Eagle Lake; J. E. Sears, \$45, books shipped care Peel & Dumble, Houston, and J. H. Mullins, Waco; W. D. Stayton, \$19, books sent as ordered; A. H. Stevenson, 25cts., books mailed; M. C. Simpson, \$55; D. M. Stovall, books mailed.
T.-C. W. Thomas \$51,15; E. D. Tarver, \$15, books shipped, care Peel & Dumble, Houston, and McIntyre & Crawford, Brenbam.
W.-L. B. Whipple, \$10.

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F—E. M. Fly.
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R.-James Rice, \$2,
S.-T. M. Scott; T. T. Smothers, \$1; Dr. Wm. M. Shumate
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The Kingdom that I seek Is Thine; so let the way That leads to it, O Lord, be Thine, Else I must surely stray.

Choose Thou for me my friends. My sickness or my health; Choose Thou my joys and cares for me, My poverty or wealth.

Not mine, not mine the choice, In things or great or small; Be Thou my Guide, my Guard, my Strength, My Wisdom, and my All,

WHAT JOHN HALE DID FOR THE MISSION-SCHOOL .- John Hale had a beautiful little rabbit. It was as white as snow; and, as it was his only pet, he never tired playing with it. It was so tame it would sit on John's arm and eat from his hand, and its bright little eyes would look up into his with a most intelligent and affectionate expression. Its name was Quirk. That was a curious name to give a rabbit: wasn't

When John was eight years old, he began to go to the Sabbath school. He was a wellbehaved boy, and was always in season; and he never this outlay to us is trifling. vhispered in school-time, as I have known some

One Sunday his teacher told the class that here were a great number of children living in the neighborhood of large towns and cities, in During these four years, there have been no there were a great number of children living in the neighborhood of large towns and cities, in their own State, who never went to the Sabbath-school, but spent God's holy day in idleness or play. And then she 'old them there were cer-ral and accidental. James Bryden & Co. tain persons who were trying to form Sundayschools for such poor, neglected, ignorant child-

"And now," she concluded, "I have been tell-

rally home. He lived hearly a mile from the village, in a small house with his widowed mother. They were very poor. John never knew what it was to have five cents of his own to spend as he liked; for it was just as much as his mother could do to supply herself and him with food to eat and decent clothes to wear. So John was trying to think how he could earn a few pennies to help to send books and papers to the mission-school.

As soon as he reached home, he ran out to feed Quiek, who jumped upon his arm and laid his little cold nose on his hand, as much as to

earn any. What can I give?"

"You must think for yourself, my dear," replied his mother. "If you are anxious to contrib
Death did not come to sister Willeford unexpect-

Sam Mason has asked me ever so many times, and he will give me fifty cents for him."

And that was just what little John Hale did to help the mission-school. He could not help crying when he kissed his pretty rabbit and bade

From the peculiar manner of her death, she was not in a condition to hear a dring testimony to the

with a smile,
"The money which you give for this object
may be the means which God will use to bring
many precious souls to Christ." he felt much

'O, no," replied the lady; "better have a soiled dress than a ruffled temper."

"O, isn't she beauty," exclaimed the lad, as the lady passed on

you call her beauty, you shan't choose for me.

Why, she is more than thirty years old, and her face is yellow and wrinkled." "I don't care if her face is wrinkled," replied the little hero; "her soul is handsome anghou."

A short of laughter followed, from which the little fellow was glad to escape. Relating the incident to his mother, he remarked:

"O, mother! that lady did me good. I shall never forget it; and when I am tempted to indulge my angry passions, I will think of what she said; 'better have a soiled dress than a ruffled temper.'"—Little Pilgrim.

Elizabeth Tims, of Chambers' Creek, Ellis county,
Texas, departed this life on the 1st of May, 1860, in the 18th vear of his age

John P. was a young man whose mind early inclined to religion. He had been brought in the fear of God, by his parents, and was early dedicated to the Lord. In his 16th year he became impressed about the salvation of his soul, joined the Church, and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church, and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church, and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church, and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church, and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church, and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church, and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the Church and the salvation of his soul, joined the church and the salvation of his soul, joined the church

BEZOAR STONE.—We were shown, to-day, a specimen of this stone, by Mr. Enhu Buss of this city. It is about the size and form of a pigeon's egg, measuring 4 inches in circumference and 4½ in length. It is of a delicate brown

A girl came in on the Great Western emigrant train a few days ago, who had two separate and distinct noses. Her father and mother were with her. They were going West, having just arrived from Scotland. She was about twelve years old.—Detroit Free Press.

soul away, to sing his praise in endless day. On seeing her mother weep, she said, "Don't cry for me; God will help me to bear it; I am not afraid to die." And after requesting her friends to meet her above, she slept in Jesus. William P. Patty.

Mount Enterprise, Rush Co., May 27, 1866.

NEAR SANTA GERTRUDES, Texas, April 10, 1860.

ED. RANCHERO:—At the request of a few friends, we forward you a statement of our experience in sheep-raising during the last four years; which, should you consider worthy of publication in your paper, you are at liberary to the contract of the contract of

years; which, should you consider worthy of publication in your paper, you are at liberty to make use of for that purpose.

We brought our flock here, April 30, 1856, consisting of 694 head ewes, and 11 head bucks. Our present number, April 10, 1860, is 3.778 head. During the four years we have disposed of 599 head bucks and wethers; while to the same period we have losses to the extent of 190 head.

We have also disposed of the extent of a consideration.

We have also disposed of three clips of wool and will be able to dispatch the fourth, in order and will be able to dispatch the fourth, in order to complete the profits of the fourth year, in the course of a few weeks.

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Sum total of sales

We shall suppose the original flock to be worth \$2 per head, and the present flock, on account of improvements, \$3 per head. With this estimate of a basis of calculation, it will be seen our original flock cost \$1,410, and that our present flock is worth \$11,334, to which add the empt of all wins the current of \$16. the amount of sales, will give the sum of \$16,-901. Subtract from this amount the cost of our original flock, and it leaves a remainder of \$15,491 as the profit for four years. We will here state, to show this estimate of the value of our sheep is low, that we have been offered \$5 per head for selections of flocks of 500 and 600. The difference in value of our sheep singly is little, as there are no small, sickly, puny ones in the flock.

this outlay to us is trifling.

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"Yes!" "yes!" cried every boy; and
their bright eyes showed that they were in earnest, even more than their eager voices.
When school was done John went thoughtfully home. He lived nearly a mile from the

Dbituaries.

Mrs MARTHA H. WILLEFORD, daughter of say, "I'm glad to see you, John!"

Mrs MARTHA H. WILLEFORD, daughter of Charles and Louisa A. Floyd, was born in Granville, fellow you are!" And he gave him a fine supper of cabbage leaves, which Quirk evidently enjoyed as well as John did his supper of bread and cheese.

Charles and Louisi A. Floyd, was born in Granville, N. C., July 10, 1842. When six years old she removed, with her parents, to Henry county, Tenn., where the family lived for two years, and thence removed to Falton counts. But in the evening, after the dishes were cleared away, when Mrs. Hale and John sat down at the table to read, the thought of the mission-school again returned to his point and the county. Texas.

mind, and At a camp meeting held in the W "It is a very good thing," said Mrs. Hale; fession of religion, and united herself with the M. E. Church, South, of which Church she remained a

ute something, you will be sure to find a way in which to do it." Mrs. Hale opened her book and began to read. John sat perfectly still for should not survive the occurrence toward which she was approaching; nor did she look forward to about ten minutes; then he started up, and ex-claimed, with a sob,—
"Ob, mother, there's Quirk! I can sell Quirk! Her solicitude seemed to be altogether for those who

settled in the dying hour. JAMES C. WILSON.

God to remove out of our militant communion, to the

Quarterly Conference has lost an effective Steward

the art of "-biding down hill," when he suddenly found his feet in rather too close contact with rejoice that we have clear evidence that his condi-

JOHN P. TIMS, youngest son of Bro. John and Elizabeth Tims, of Chambers' Creek, Ellis county, Texas, departed this life on the 1st of May, 1860, in the 18th year of his age

John P. was a young man whose mind early inclined to religion. He had been brought in the fear of God, by his parents, and was early dedicated to the Lord. In his 16th year he became impressed about the salvation of his soul, joined the Church, and last year found peace to his soul. He was peculiarly amiable in disposition, humble in his walk; a young man of good example. The Church, by his death, has lost a pious member, his parents an affectionate and obedient son. He was very patient in all his ufferings, and gave good evidence that he had grace by obtain the victory. May God bless this dispensa-TRUE OBEDENCE.—"I wish I could mind God as my little dog minds me," said a little boy, looking thoughfuly on his shaggy friend; he always looks so pleased to mind, and I don't," What a painful truth did this child speak. Shall the little dog thus readily obey his master, and we rebel against God, who is our Creator, our Preserver, our Father, our Savior, and the bountiful Giver of everything we have? in their decline of life, and inspire the brothers and

W. Ross, died, April 23d, 1860, in Rusk Co., aged

ence and 4½ in length. It is of a delicate brown color, mottled with grey, having another stone inside, which rattles when shaken, and was taken from the stomach of a white deer, in South Carolina, which is supposed to be the only animal in which such stones are found.—This, however, is a mistake. They are calculi, found in the intestines of many animals, and even in the intestines of many animals, and even in the human stomach and gall-ducts, being composed of bile and rosin. In former times they were supposed to possess rare medical virtues, and were taken internally and worn as charms against contagion; they were highly valued, but their charm has been broken by the advance of modern science.—Newark Daily Advocate.

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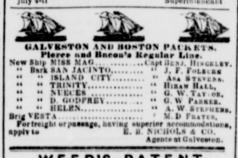
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