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THE PULPIT. Despair Denounced, and Grace Glorified

A Serman delivered by C. H. Spur geon, at the Metropolitan Taberna. cle, Newington.

"Then he said unto me, Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel: behold, they say, Our bones are dried, and our hope is lost; we are cut off for our parts. There-

If you thoughtfully consider the that he has gone beyond the bounds defame him? I tell you, there is noth which they could not meet. In such text, you will see that it divides itself of mercy, and so he tells the ever ing within the covers of this Book cases it is clear that they act without thus: first, there is a true word-"Be- gracious One that he has 10 power to that ought to lead a man to have any system. It is far better for the man is to be feared, not a few Christians, hold, they say, our bones are dried;" save him. The Lord loves not that doubt about the infinite mercy of God to promise what he can meet promptsecondly, there is in it an ill word, his omnipotence should thus be de- to him, provided he will just come ly, and thus establish for himself the voted to 'the supp which goes beyond the truth—"Our nied. He is grieved with those who hope is lost;" thirdly, there is a thus limit the Holy One of Israel. no God at all if a soul that trusts in of religion on his purse. gracious word, a word of mighty love They that would restrain his power Jesus can be cast away, for the essen- Again, this should be done by ev-- "Thus saith the Lord God; behold, O my people, I will open your graves, and cause you to come up out of your But despair abundantly casts dis-in money, work and influence, and in a word,

that doeth good." When men are power to save that Satan has to de-corrupt they have gone a stage be-yond death, and are receiving the full in destruction than Christ can be yond death, and are receiving the full in destruction than Christ can be received to your graves. Your graves. Twill in the ice do when they intend to "crack was over. His boys, far away in his the ice do when they intend to "crack the whip." We ventured the sugges-tion to the leader that they should get

SELMA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1882. precious promises, such as this: cast out a man that comes to him. cumstances will allow. It should en- was with us the "Though your sins be as scarlet, they "Oh, but do listen to me." No, I ter into his business affairs to provide a collection for h shall be as white as snow; though shall not listen to you, and I wish you for "church expenses" as carefully as to fifty dollars; they be red like crimson, they shall would not listen to yourself. You for any other outlays of money. forgotten by then be as wool." The despairing sinner must listen to me as I repeat the When at the opening of the year he of the meeting the says he does not believe this; his sin Lord's words,-"Him that cometh to estimates his probable expenses, his sum to me. No s too scarlet to be made white, the me, I will in no wise cast out." You obligations to the cause of Christ, people is blessed rimson of his guilt is too ingrained are not to be listened to when you should be reckoned as truly as any and are devoted

ever to be washed away. Thus he want to make out God to be false, other bills, and met with the same glad to be able to gives God's promises the lie, and this O intolerable sin! Jesus says he will promptness. In this estimate he church ever sine not cast you out. Again he cries: should consider the pastor's salary, four years ago last anuary, have kept and in it he lives, for it is his "habita-That night his mind wandered and spirit, were under the dominion of by the blood of Christ. He that despairs insults God's pow- "Come unto me all ye that labor and the current expenses of the church, up a regular Week is lost; we are cut off for our parts. There-fore prophesy and say unto them, Thus saith the Lord God; Behold, O my people, I will the Lord God; Behold, O that he pretends to a power which he not? Look the Crucified One in the not? Look the Crucified One in the first of the may carry his plans into their pastor. To God be all the sympathy the most helpful, friendship FAREWELL BROTHER! out et your graves, and cause you to come up out et your graves, and bring you into the land of large! And ye shall know that I that believeth and is baptized shall am the Lors, when I have opened your be saved;" the man saith he will not having looked at them, say, "I do not large. I have known liberal hearted that believeth and is baptized shall face; look at his wounds, and after effect, his promises should not be too praise. graves, O my people, and brought you up out of your graves."-Exchiel xxxvii, 11, 12,73 that God can save him: he declares Will you dare to savit? Can you thus parties concerned, by making pledges that God can save him; he declares Will you dare to say it? Can you thus parties concerned, by making pledges

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brought you up out of your graves." he "delighteth in mercy?" Yet if you God meets us upon our own ground, will not pay small sums, and so they Take the lowest view of the subject, than we have ever given to it. P. I. Let us begin with that solemn say: "He will not have mercy upon and takes us up where we are. They remain away. This is a great mis- the influence of Christianity on the confession which I have styled a true me, I have out-sinned his grace, I said, "We are as dried bones." "Yes," take. All true men would be glad to material interests of a community. word: "They say, our bones are have gone beyond all possibility of says God, "and I will quicken you;" see them in the house of God with I am satisfied that the proposition dried." They describe themselves as forgiveness," you do as much as lies but the Lord even goes beyond any-dead, as dried, and as divided. They in your power to spit in the face of thing which they have felt or said, for or with their widow's mite. The Lord things being equal, just as a people

thinks himself to be alive. These spair says to Satan: "Thou art victo- Lord knows they are worse than they the cheerful giving of the smallest England to-day are worth 500 per besetting our boys, and every man people spoke of their bones, and there rious over the mercy of God; thou think they are; and so he goes fur- sum if given according to ability. Cent more than they were at the be- who recalls his own experience needs fore conceived of themselves as dead; and so the sinner may, without exag-christ saith that he is revealed that he and so the sinner may, without exag-geration, conceive of himself as de-void of spiritual life. He knows not and you stand up and say: "Here are if they were finally laid in the sepul-of God. And the man who is more and life and prosperity are more se-many a young man from physical and "Blended Too the life of God, for he is flead in tres- certain of the devil's works which chre; but the Lord adds, "and cause full handed should have a system cure. Investments are attended with moral ruin by the plain and affectionpasses and sins. The apostle speaks Jesus cannot destroy; namely, my sin you to come up out of your graves." which will draw him out according to less risk, and are made remunerative ate warnings that fell from his lips. passes and sins. The apostle speaks of the unregenerate as "alienated from the life of God through the ignorance that is in them because of the blind-that is in them because of the blind-

that is in them because of the blind-ness of their heart." And again we read, "They are corrupt, they have done abominable works, there is none that doeth good." When men are that doeth good." When men are

that soweth to his flesh shall of the I go a little further, and I say, with produced by it. "And ye shall know ing to their children. flesh reap corruption." Alas, sinner, a deep feeling of solemnity, that this that I am the Lord, when I have And now, passing from the indi- at the most wealthy and progressive said the soldier bleeding to his death, you are as one that is dead, only your heinous sin of despair tramples on the opened your grave, O my people, and vidual, it is very necessary for the nations of the world to day and the "if I could only live to warn my boys condition is far worse, for your re-sponsibility and your guilt remain, shed his blood, and we know that the Ah, what a feeling a man has that giving. One great part of the busi-in professedly Christian nations, do be past?" One of them pens these and your death to righteousness is blood of Jesus Christ cleanseth us there is a God when God has saved ness of a church is to devise plans we find the greatest temporal pros- lines, and begs that those to whom he blameworthy, and will bring punish- from all sin. We have God's word him; when he begins to dance for for raising money to aid the cause of perity and the largest proportion of writes send 25 cents in stamps, with for it; yet here is a man who says, very joy of heart because he is fully Christ. No government can be con- wealth to each inhabitant? The United post-office address, for a most excel-Further, these bones could by no "It cannot cleanse me from my sin." forgiven, then he knows Jehovah is sidered a success which does not have States and English governments, con- lent book on this subject to The means raise themselves. We never If we look deep into the essence of God; when his heart feels restful and a successful financial system. As long tain, I suppose, the largest number of Publisher, Box 234, Milwaukee, Wisheard of such a thing as a dead man actions we shall see that despair de- full of peace, when he can say, "God as its financial system succeeds the orofessedly Christain scople in pro- consin. restoring himself to life, though he be indeed dead: he cannot lift a hand efficacy. We tell the man that there mine," he does not need evidences of church should give unceasing attentoward his own reviving. These is forgiveness, but he mutters, "It is the existence of God, or arguments tion to its finances. Its board of dea- certainly take the lead of all others in bones were without trace of life. The not for me;" we tell him that Jesus to prove the power of God. He car- cons and its conferences should keep wealth and national and individual flesh was gone, devoured of kites and Christ has emptied his we as to fill a ries a demonstration of the truth with- this subject always in hand. This is prosperity. jackals, or rotted and scattered in im- sin-cleansing fountain, and tells of it to oth- precisely what deacons are for. The It is said that an eminently success ble powder to the four winds of swers: "It may be true: 's may be ers with tearful eyes. "Oh," says he, people will give if the right opporter for business may be true: ' "there is no mistake about it; there is private about it; there is no mistake about it; there is no mista raise themselves? There was no trace Now, what you have a ... ht to say a merciful God, for I have obtained ject requires much and frequent con- to Christian churches, that he deter- mittee appointed to draft resolutions, of moisture left upon them; they other people may also say; and if all mercy: there is a refuge for sinners, sideration. Very often the deacons mined to go West and seek a home in &c., in regard to our deceased brothcould not give themselves life or mo- united with you it would be tanta- for I have fled to it: there is a par- should look after the pastor's salary. a community where no churches ex- er, Virgil Walter Barnett, offered the tion; it were a fool's hope to look for mount to declaring that the crucifix- don, for I have obtained it: there is He cannot attend to that himself. And isted. He did so and found his El- following, which was adopted, viz: such a thing. Is that the dreary fact ion is an empty show, that the Re- rest, for I enjoy it: there is a heaven, so in co-operation with him they dorado in a young and growing town Whereas, God in his inscrutable which forces itself upon you? Do deemer's atonement is a mere pre- for I begin to hear its bells ringing in should plan for the raising of all oth- of the Western Territories. But he providence has seen fit to call from not try to forget it. You are discov- tence, and that Christ is powerless to my heart." Then shall you know er moneys, and let everything come was disappointed in his experience, us our much beloved brother, Virgil condition already it you have not be- Despair has something in it of sin- when he has opened your graves and struction on this subject, and the pas- a Christian friend in his old State, ens county, Ala., Oct. ar, 1858. He lieved in Jesus Christ. You are not, ning against the Holy Ghost; for the brought you out. O God, bless this for should give it to them. "Line saying, "I am convinced that security joined Forest Baptist church and was as some do vainly talk, in a state of Holy Spirit brings you rich cordials poor word to the troubled ones, for upon line, and precept upon precept." for life and property in the absence baptized by Rev. Wm. Ashcraft Au-COMMUNICATIONS.

was the writer And finally, as regards spiritual life, and then took fever away from home. or on the last day who can estimate what we owe to the After he was brought home his pastor contributed a like influence of the church? The church asked him if he felt a comfortable asnder that such a is God's family, the body of his re- surance in Christ? He replied, "O ey love the Lord deemed ones on earth. To it the as- yes." He then asked him if he could his cause. I am cended Savior has said, "Lo I am cast all his care upon him, and feel the most enduring, and fellowship the

TRUTH IN LOVE."

Mountain Creek, Oct. 23.

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What Men Owe to the Church.

ing his portion in due season;" here the ordinane 's are administered; here is worship and praise and service all regard all the money and time deadapted in th ir nature to strengthen of Christian that which is weak, to build up that

ceive but little returns in a substan- How much every Christian man and

and of Israel. And ye shall know "The Lord God merciful and gra-that I am the Lord, when I have is one of the ways of his man-that I am the Lord I are the could be could be

"Word's of Love About Your Boys."

most satisfying. Here too the means

of grace are to be found; the word of

God is here dispensed, each "receiv-

scat ered about on the plain while he crowns him in Christ's stead. De- the open valley, unburied; but the which he hath not. The Lord loves ern possessions of the people of There are dangers and temptations cation.

regation took up and kindly aid of Christian brethren "If I perish I perish."-Est. 4:16. From the Baptist Weekly. He was quite feeble, had several chills A Comprehensive A Comprehensive Symbol.

BAPTIST.

BY REV. C. H. WETHERBE.

symbol. It signifies that those who soil her dress, "she could not! She ay that this little with you alway, even unto the end that he cared for him? He said, "Yes." were sinners, and that sin had affect-its organization, of the world." With it he dwells, He was at that time perfectly rational. ed their whole being. Body, soul and I profess to have been cleansed

pouring symbolize no such truth. If ing to us, "I counsel thee to buy of they symbolize anything it is the as- me gold, that thou mayest be rich, sumption that only a part of a man's and white raiment to put on," etc. being is affected by sin. A little wa. Then looking down we saw our own ter applied to a person is a ritual con- garments were ragged and filthy, and fession of little sin committed and the with many tears we besought the person partly affected by it.

Lord for the new suit. Our blessed But real baptism symbolizes not Redeemer heard the despairing ery of only the fact that the subject has shame and anguish, left his Father's wholly violated God's laws, but is throne on high, came to carth, and wholly affected by sin; and he, there with his own hands took away our ly Father, who hath called our dear brother away, in the midst of his years, It also symbolizes the truth that he is his own righteousness; a tobe pure when just budding into usefulness in wholly, and completely forgiven. All and white, and one that cost him his

ly, that we cannot do it. How can The body, too, has the pledge of we soil this beautiful dress that lereceived vastly more from the church departed brother, in this sad bereave- at the resurrection day. The soul has be willing to exchange it, for the desbeing re-created, and being renewed sus has given us; or who of us would ment and that we will pray God to already been raised to life, and bap- picable raiment in which we served bless and sanctify this affliction to the tism symbolizes it, and, at the same our former master. It is always extime, pictorially declares that the ceedingly painful to me, to see those Resolved, 3rd. That a copy of this whole body shall share the resurrec- who have put on Christ by profession,

turn back again to the world for all Baptism also makes public declara. their enjoyment. If they found the tion of complete surrender to God, way/rough, I can sympathize with and full devotement to his cause. them. They may have stood one day Again, it shows that the subject upon the mount, and the next in the pledges himself to follow Christ, even valley of humiliation-I can underunto death. He has begun to follow stand all that-but to turn clear, him with the beginning of his new around and go back to the old wayslife, and promises to keep it up to the how can they do it? The Word of end of his earthly career. God says that such are not fit for the Furthermore, it symbolizes the bekingdom of heaven. Solemn thought! liever's death to sin, and consequent Where will they spend eternity? separation from the world. Baptism Where shall we? Time is short. The is a public avowal that henceforth days are passing swiftly. What ne-Christ is the Christian's complete cersity for watchfulness! What need Master and owner. He no longer be- for earnest prayer! God grant that we longs to the world, but to him who may be found at the last day; clothed compactness. They formed a long believer declares that he will not con- Ner Vous, in Secretary. bought him. And symbolically the with the righteousness of Christ ---

Prayer Essential to Success

which is im erfect and to promote a woman is indebted to these for what

thy Guide;

hath died."

and cause you to come up out of your graves, and cause you to come up out bonor upon God's mercy. Know ye his Son Jesus. He must be true, if have known very good people to cease never stop to consider how much they meetness for heaven, God alone can ish his memory and try to follow his of life, and completely consecrated to the devil? Let us tell the world plain. we deeply sympathize with the father,

"Thou art gone to the grave, but we will not

deplore thee; Since God was thy Ransom, thy Guardian.

He gave thee, He took thee, and He will

And death hath no sting, since the Savior

Resolved, 1st. That we will hum-

bly submit to the will of our Heaven-

mother, brothers and sisters of our good of each one of them.

dead, as dried, and as divided. They is your power to spit in the face of thing which they have feit or said, for a specific divided as a people they did not say they were buried. No, they were as bones scattered in wealth. It is estimated that the East-word should have been written. The Lord loves of the prople of the prople of the prople of the ALABAMA BAPTIST. Another to the ALABAMA BAPTIST for publi-JOHN C. FOSTER, Mod. W. H. BALL Ch. Clerk.





A girl in our employ, one time, had the habit of "fixing up," every alternoon. When asked to do any partic-Baptism is a very comprehensive ular job about the house that might

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The Clean Dress.

ering the truth. You are in a lost save. and you are condemned already be- raise your spirits and will restore you cause you have not believed on the from death; and what will you do

Son of God. In you, there is no spir- with them? You take them and dash itual power to stir towards God until them against the wall; as if this alhis Spirit moves toward you. mighty medicine, devised by infinite Moreover, these people felt that, wisdom, were the deceitful nostrum they were cut off from healing agen-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its Tr seems to me a great and hor-cies. They say, "We are cut off for its the cut of the church to temporal cut of the church to temporal cut of the cut our parts;" that is each bone is cut rible offence to deny the testimony of the cause of Christ and humanity. Let And all this should be done in prosperity is confirmed by the teach went immediately to Howard College to Howard C off from its fellow, and the whole the Spirit of God, even of him who denies this obligation is either thing is cut off as tw its parts from gives to the Holy Scriptures inspiration of the reading of all history. The conditions of the people of Greece and Rome in the advanced steadily and the warm percent for the great work is not or gives to the Holy Scriptures inspiration of God is not in word; but the people of Greece and Rome in the people of Greece and

ing upon me at this moment. Happy sin, for there are many that say, "I it is true that much of it is no giving this people. J. J. D. R. They who have been delivered from can never go to heaven, therefore I at all. What a man pays to his past

which I desire to struggle with some of you this morning, that you may be fetched up to the Spirit's power the dolorous ditties in your it is not felt to be a duty which must from the dolorous ditties in your be fetched up to the Spirit's power the spirit's power the spirit's power the dolorous ditties in your from the dolorous ditties in your be fetched up to the Spirit's power the spirit power the spirit's from the depths of despondency. In See how a despairing man shuts not be neglected. There must be sunday night, but having other ea-in the mere matter is death be, to all, a warning. See how a despairing man shuts of mental cultures is agreement, lett on Monday morning. Here is AN ILL WORD in the text: "Our hope is lost." It is a good hear, charm you never so wisely; it fect the conscience. Without this, it Monday night of the second week and men of business have little time him who was so time for hears and taking thing if our false hopes are lost; but true hope is still to be had. Hope is true hope is still to be had. Hope is true hopes are lost; but true hopes are lost; but true hope is still to be had. Hope is to denote to any man; if he will be lieve in Jesus, he may yet he saved. Latin, Dam spire spere, while I breather true hope is still to be had. Hope is to denote to any man; if he will be lieve in Jesus, he may yet he saved. Latin, Dam spire spere, while I breather true hope is still to be had. Hope is the soul is despairing, you do but the pastor; Christian men who enter true hope is despairing, you do but the pastor; Christian men who enter true hope is spire for heaven. "Be is the soul is despairing, you do but the pastor; Christian men who enter true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay the pastor; Christian men who enter true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay the pastor; Christian men who enter true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay the pastor; Christian men who enter true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay the pastor; Christian men who enter true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay the pastor; Christian men who enter true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many failures to pay true hope is the secret of so many f Latin, Dum spiro spero, while I breathe I hope; and I turn the proverb over, hopeless hearer rejects all consolation, many cases do not feel bound to pay ing was to the point and was effec-ing labor, there is little inclination to ed with him, I have proved with him,

Systematic Giving.

this wretched state; but I had almost will take a good swing here, and get tor or to improve his place of public Meeting at Mountain Creek. said, happy they who are experiencing what pleasure I can while it is within worship is not giving. In the one it, for those who feel their sinfulness reach." Have I not heard them say, case it is paying an obligation to a are on the road to better things, if not in words yet in their actions, - man who is rendering him and his space in the BAPTIST to tell your dry up the streams of beneficence and Those who have seen his pious Brother, I hope your extremity will "There is no mercy for me, and I may family an important service; and in readers of the Lord enlightenment that in them take their walk, his humble deportment and

no other implement than the Bible village home, were fast drawing near tion to the leader that they should get and the religious tract. Look again the critical time in their lives. "Oh," as near each other as possible, so that

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Brother Virgil Walter Barnett.

"there is no mistake about it: there is nities are given them. But the sub- ern States conceived such an aversion Ala, Sabbath, Oct. 22, 1882, the comthat God Jehovah is God indeed in its season. Our churches need in- and at the close of one year, wrote to Walter Barnett, who was born in Pick-The present ettempt of our Board of Christian teaching and influence is gust, 1876. Removed his member-

of Missions, to have an efficient agent in every church is promising. Possi- send us a minister of the gospel to He joined Forest Hill Lodge of A. bly this will lead many churches to labor with us. I will undertake to F. and A. Masons in 1880, and con- advancement of every other section, being, their mouthpiece. devise wise and liberal plans. These give him a support at my own charge, tinued a worthy and esteemed mem- A denomination of Christians cannot 6. Do not let your notices mar the gamized effort, to plan, system. We agents should have an eye to that, until he can be sustained by the vol- ber of said Lodge till his death.

every hope and comfort. Ab, you tion and certainty, and this you do foundly wrong in heart, and likely a sits over against the treasury as we the period of their greatest prosperity constantly in preparing himself for personal feeling founded on prayer have the same influence. think, perhaps I am describing an ex- when you refuse to believe for eter- good deal of both. In this connec- work in this good cause. He watches was most deplorable. The mass of usefulness in the cause of his Master, personal acquaintance such as is im- 7. Don't gossip after service. A tion I have regard to all that the and he blesses. He gives his Holy the people were ignorant and poor. studied "to show himself approved the Romane It is only on the hand, and a few words need be, in their libraries and among picturing some whose eyes are look- Despair makes a man ready for any Christian may pay to the cause. Still Spirit to sanctify the hearts and the Their basted eivilization was but a unto God, a workman that needeth the Romans. It is only once in a of kindly and judicious talk with such the people; and were our brethren to splendid barbarism. Life and prop- not to be ashamed, rightly dividing erty were everywhere insecure. Cru- the word of truth." In this way and elty and vice, immorality and crime walking humbly before God he grew were alike protected and encouraged |"in grace and in the knowledge of our Dear Bro. Editors: I again ask for by law. Destroy Christian churches, Lord and Savior Jesus Christ."

be God's opportunity. When your as well be hanged for a sheep as for a bones are dried, then will God come lamb. I will go the whole hog now I comfort and convenience in the house I commenced a meeting at Mounmake these dry bones live. When heights and depths of sin, as there is character of benevolent giving in s.) Sabbath in this month, which contin- Christian pulpits of this land and in prayers; now faithful his preaching; far as it relates to the good of others. ued for fifteen days and nights. Dur- less than a score of years the terrible how faithfully he warned the uncon- ship and labor together. In the sobility of merey, then God, with whom On, this despair -avoid it, I pray But taking in view the whole range of ing the entire meeting we had unmis- scene of the reign of terror in France verted, in public and in private. How cial meetings the name "conference all things are possible, will deal with you, as you would avoid death itself, giving and paying to the house of you in the way of extraordinary for it will render all means of grace God and the cause of Christ, it is my in a larger and more revolting scale. The first week I had no mingrace, and cause you to rejoice in his useles to you. If ye will not believe, purpose to remark on the importance ister to assist me. Our meeting As a matter of business no better in- community. His heart yearned for, house is occupied also by our Meth- vestment can be made, no one that and his groans and cries went up to II. Now, I turn to the point upon you fall into despair, the songs of The first element of this system is odist brethren one Sunday in the gives promise of larger returns in ma- a throne of grace in behalf of the

their voices would more completely blend.

"Yes," said he, "I seen that we was blended too fur apart."

feel this and enjoy it they cannot do from his brow. their best on their own part.

At an adjourned meeting of New work in the most exact time, they 3. Speak slowly and distinctly raththere was almost a disastrous break variation of voice. down. That thing will never again be attempted on so large a scale. reverently. Don't throw them about the whole, or it is not to them music, ledger or a cash book. but misery, however impressive it may be to those who are far enough away | er. Let your sentences be simple and

All true Christians of common in- Try to put your church on a system, untary contributions of the people." On Oct. 25, 1879, he was, by New enrolment of churches without sub- out after sermon, and in as tew words pulpy. But if we expect to see the be powerful and beneficent by a mere effect of your preaching; give them have no objection to brilliance in the

thousand places and under some ex- of your congregation as you may be spend more time /communing with traordinary minister that it is desirable able to reach, may do good; "but God, in pleading for larger endowto have very large churches. The whatsoever is more than these commembers are "blended too far apart." eth of evil." If you tarry for a meal salvation of men, and less in the ad-This may be true, too, of a small before you return home, be careful church where is lack of full freedom lest your words counteract the inand sympathy. Without meddling fluence of your preaching. Rememwith other members' business, there ber that what a man is and does, often in as the resurrection and the life and am at it; I will at least, know the of God. It has an element of the learned of him. How earnest his experiences, histories, joys and trials says. Lay Preacher. needs to be much acquaintance with tells more upon others that what he of those who are covenanted to wor-

should not allow, two or three to do all the talking and praying. The min-

Hints and Helps for Preachers. A writer in one of the religious papers, raises the question whether the r. Be punctual;start early;be on the popular interpretation of the incident. spot a little before time; and be ready in Jewish history, when Moses' hand as the hand of the clock points to the upheld by Aaron and Hur gave victo-

hour. It is neither pleasant nor prof- ry to the army under Joshua, is the The relative position is a matter of itable for members of the congrega- correct one. The general view taken, much consequence, especially if the tion to see the preacher rush in five perhaps, makes Aaron and Hur repnumber is large. Each needs to feel minutes after time, hurry into the resent the church, their upholding of that the other parts are doing what pulpit or desk, and give out the first his hands representing the cordial co the composer intended. Unless they hymn while he wipes the perspiration operation and the prayers of the church whereby the pastor is,

2. Select your lesson and hymns strengthened for more successful toil. For this reason the great Boston beforehand. It looks badly to see a We confess that this view of the mat-Jubilee was practically a failure. The preacher turning over hymn book or ter has never been satisfactory to our singers were so far apart that they did Bible as if uncertain what to an- own mind, for, if Aaron and Hur repnot hear each other rightly. Though nounce; besides, selections made hur- resent the church, who is represented the most distant parts were doing their riedly are very apt to be unsuitable. by the army? As the writer seemed to each other to be lagging. er than loudly. If you begin quickly effort without prayer will be fruitless? waiting for the others to come up, and loudly, you leave no room for When Moses' hand were upheld, victory came to Israel; when they fell

4. Handle Bible and hymn book wearily at his side, defeat. Thus in Singers and players must rightly hear or urn them over as if they were a praying, when the pastors hands are thus upheld, victory comes, 5. Avoid a pompous style in pray-

And this is a truth that needs to be to get the blended effect of the whole. your words plain. Let them, as far ly pondered by all our people. We In many great affairs men, like the as possible, express wants likely to be are too much relying upon plans and troupe are blended too far apart. We felt by your congregation. Remem- organized methods in the churches, can have no true national prosperity ber that you not only pray for your and brilliance in the pulpit, and entirewithout such feeling that every sec- hearers, but on their behalf-that is, ly too little upon the annointing of tion of the country will rejoice in the in their name. You are for the time the Spirit which comes in answer to

in power." And were pastors to spend

ments of spiritual power, and for the justment of church machinery, grand, er results would be /seen, in Zion's enlargement and in precious souls saved .- Western Recorder.

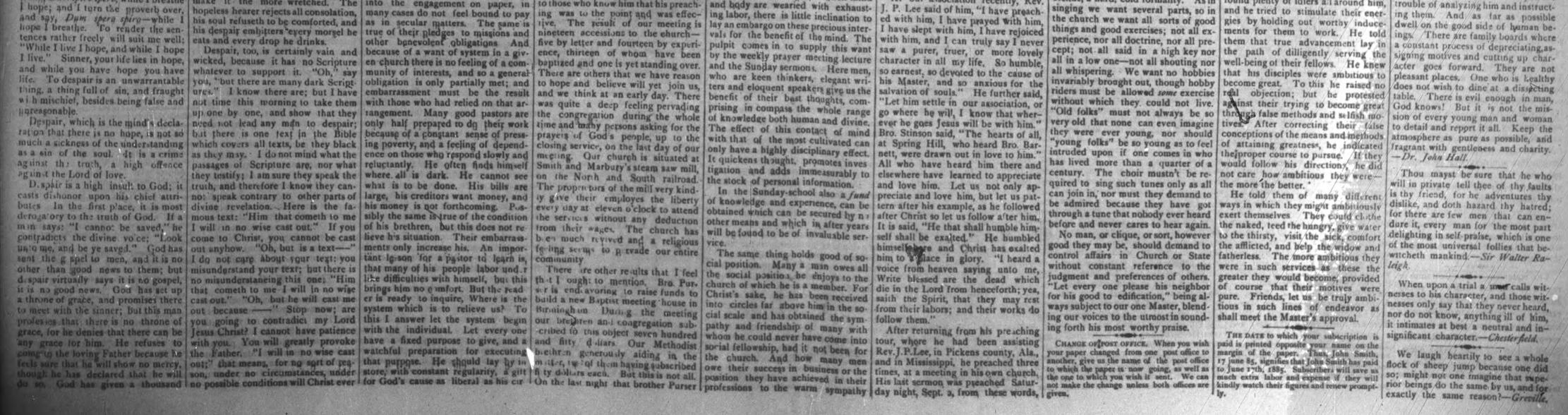
Personalities and Ill-Reports.

Keep clear of personalities in general conversation. Talk of things, objects, thoughts. The smallest minds occupy themselves with personalities. There is a kind of ambition which Personalities must sometimes be talked because we have to learn and find

Be Ambitious. BY REV. C. H. WETHERBE.

we should emulate. It is the ambiister must avoid prolixity, or he will tion to make the most of those abili- out men's characteristics for legitikeep the people apart instead of mak- ties which God has given us, and the mate objects; but it is to be with coning their thoughts and hearts and opportunities which invite the proper fidential persons. D not needlessly voices blend. A prayer meeting needs exercise of our abilities. Christ never report ill of others. There are times order, but it should be order that gets uttered a word against true ambition. when we are compelled to say, "I do the largest number into the habit of But he did most severely condemn an not think Bouncer a true and honest

singing we want several parts, so in and he tried to stimulate their ener- ing them. And as far as possible



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STATE MISSION BOARD.

Mission Board was held on Tuesday was quite successful. Largely more Bro. B. F. Ellis makes a fine modera- you said that the Temperance Conand Wednesday of last Week. The than one hundred were added to the tor. He presided at the last meeting vention in Montgomery will meet where the extremest cases of destitumissionary year of the Board closes church during his stay with it. He of the Cahaba Association. He does Nov. 20th. Are you not in error?"- tion of this kind exist, are the lowith October, all the associational leaves with the hearty good wishes of everything well that he undertakes. W. A. D. The Convention will meet califies least able to meet it. And in meetings except one being then over. all our people. Bro. Hendon resumes ber of first-class business men, who deacons' meeting of the Mt. Carmel Convention, we could at least equalize The November meeting is one of his work much improved in health. make themselves useful at the general Association, held at Cedar Point the benefactions of our brethren to unusual importance, as all points of He has a great work before him in meetings, is increasing. Bro. El- church, Madison county, Ala., the all. We could supply the Tack of spoken of for a memorial of her destitution and churches that need that rapidly growing city. Pray for lis, of Town Creek, reports the church question as to whether we should rec- service" wanting in such localities. help are duly considered, and the work mapped out for the year, and missionaries and colporteurs appointmissionaries and colporteurs appoint- given to him.

A large number of communications from brethren in various parts of the State received the earnest consideration of the Board. Forty-two brethren were appointed, some to work in us pain to announce the death of his destitute places, and some with weak partner, Bro. Rutledge. churches that need to be strengthened. meetings just passed inspire the Board | been taken. to believe that the money will be forthcoming.

It was delightful to notice the earnest manner in which the members of the Board addressed themselves to

BRO. FORRESTER entered his pas- Rev. E. B. Hardie is doing a tism." Dr. J. B. McFerrin called at- In presenting an object of common torate last Sunday. In the morning he addressed the Baptist congregahe addressed the Baptist congrega-ticn. In the evening the pastors of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches dismissed their services and worshiped with the Baptist church. For a long time it has been the cus-

is an earnest, effective preacher of We are glad to hear good accounts of vorable to it. But its doom is com- earth, is the spirit that sees and does his way to the hearts of the people, _____We have just heard of the very Daniel Nunnelly, a most devoted The sun that sends his beams ninetyand will soon have his work in hand. serious illness of Sister Perry, wife of member of this church and a deacon five millions of miles to our earth, Under his leadership the church has a bright, promising future. May God's the Comforter abide with her in this is bright, promising future. May God's the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this time of suffering and good report, has the Comforter abide with her in this the Comforter abide with her in ther the Comfor

BIRMINGHAM,-Rev. D. J. Purser

ONLY a few weeks since we an-

lar of the \$12,000 asked for by the of these gentlemen, our Methodist bama is closed. The sooner that day ten additions to the church. quired. The grand associational of their best, most efficient men have character, more sorrow and more last Sunday.

> They are fortunate in securing the land, and it ought to be put down by services of Bro. Rush in the conduct law, and by public opinion."-Alaof the paper.

An interesting meeting of the State letter and experience. His ministry for Bro. Fortune. Soapstone is his brethren."-P. S. Montgomery, Ash- isters for their work general? And is

nounced the death of Dr. Christian, been spending some time with his son Friday before the 5th Sunday in De- O, could we all feel the sweet empha-

soon. _____Rev. A. Andrews comes Jno. M. Simpson. ______ obligations as this in the last to town, transacts his business, and young man was baptized at Baulah day, "Inasmuch as ye have done it to the least of these my brethren, ye the least of these my brethren, ye preached is the ath Sabbath in October, as a re- the least of these my brethren, ye preached is the ath complained that the articles were share of the amount necessary to car-It has not been long since these glad to meet him, but seven o'clock sult of our September meeting. Breth- have done it unto me," this duty It has not been long since these glad to meet him, but seven o'clock is too early. He lives only nine miles form the city ______"He is a first would assume its true magnitude, and meeting of the General Association we should all feel that it is "more doing the same thing. Then again Many of his castles have vanished into it underwent a charge and Learnighted and L ing the year not less than fifty men. were rapidly securing its patronage in Montgomery. "We should work a meeting with Pleasant Hill church, To sustain these laborers every dol- support of the paper. In the death and pray until every saloon in Ala- Tuscaloosa county, which resulted in

> crime than any ten agencies in the Aged and Infirm Ministers.

ny of them were weary with the la-bors of a busy day, yet they cheer-for nothing? Must they be left in si-for nothing? Must they be left in si-lence and grief over a destiny that here and fully devoted the better part of two nights to the earnest consideration of the work before them

New Chandeliers--Oxford Baptist eneral work in Texas. "Rev. tention to the fact that but forty in- interest to a denomination of Chris-H. Hendon has resumed the pas-orate of the Baptist church, and Rev. fants had been baptized in the Nash-tians, the broader the scale on which it wille district during the conference is projected, the more likely we are to

nom of the churches thus to welcome an incoming pastor. Bro. Forrester departure of Mr. Purser, who has all during the past few months, in build-the during the past few months and the during the past few months are during the past few months and the during the past few months are during the p an incoming pastor. Bro. Forrester during the past few months, in build-gave us two sermons full of the Gos-ing up their church. He will be re-ing up their church. He will be re-membered in high esteem by all our baptism would flourish at all, it would carth! The spirit that sends the people."-Birmingham Iron Age. seem that this locality would be fa- Gospel to the uttermost parts of the time of suffering, and may our good State, South Carolins, to be buried in superannuated and destitute ministers richest blessings rest upon the rela-tionship now established. time of suffering, and may our good trother have rich measures of Divine grace.——Brethren G. W. Ward mother. He is a most excellent broth-denomination? Brethren! spare me and W. M. Watis, substantial farm- er. He says he cannot live and do the necessity of proving this! To ers of Pine Apple, made us a pleas. right without the ALABAMA BAPTIST. state it is to seal conviction to every losed his three months' pastorate ant call. We are always glad to see and the church here has agreed to ingenuous heart. Is the duty to pro-Sunday, the 29th. On the same day such brethren. We met two bay for and send it to him as long as vide schools and colleges, and to fur-

postoffice. We have heard that ville, Ala. "In your last issue this grateful service less so? I urge again, that in many localities We are glad to notice that the num- Nov. 21st. ---- "At a ministers and providing a general fund by our State

new association in the neighborhood answered in the negative. We had a were recognized as one "household of Selma .----- We are sorry to learn harmonious meeting, and adjourned of faith," one "family" sharing the that Bro. M. T. Sumner, who has to meet with Mt. Carmel church on bounties of the same divine Father.

> justice, what our lawyers call the "quid pro quo." We have had the ser- incense."

Things in General. Church Receptly, the church and members

BY OLD GRUM.

of the congregation have been agreeably surprised and highly delighted, am not given to boring newspaper by another beautiful and splendid do- men very much with the result of my nation, made by the Ladies Aid Socogitations. Sometimes I have writ-

The church has never been suffi- as were ever scribbled upon paper, ciently lighted. The Society has and reasonably expected them to applaced in the church, over the aisles, pear in a conspicuous place, when, lo! at proper distances, four beautiful they were crowded back in the small "gold and ebony" chandeliers. These type pieces and next to the sewing so fill the house with a soft bright machine advertisements. At such light that it is easy to read fine print times I almost resolve to drive the through your paper my gratitude to ation of our brethren wherever his in any part of it. This was a much quill no longer; but a desire to im- the dear friends and brethren and lot in future life may be cast. needed improvement. The church is part would draw my pen again from sisters within the bounds of the Elim now well and handsomely lighted. In this brilliant benevolence, truly, for saying that they are the most un- many marks of kindness shown me years as a prudent, faithful, laborious,

Among the many works done by know. the Society, none has elicited such a volume of praise and general compli- boys leave their native hills and ty there are many of those dear ones

churches go on in their "labors of reach. These newspaper folks have be long. love." Then, angels will smile on a way of receiving a deal of informayour benevolence, seraphs will show. tion and they have a knack of saying ter the working of the State Mission er the dews of heaven on your charinothing about it. ties, and a loving Savior will say of each: "What she hath done shall be throughout the world."

J. C. W. Oxford, Ala. Paragraphs by Tau.

I used to think that the ALABAMA more liberal people anywhere than They used to appear often, in the same reserved corner, of the S. W too long. I would talk about it and me \$163.00, which was raised during nounced the death of Dr. Christian, one of the editors of the Alabama in New York, is not so well as he has one of the editors of the Alabama Baprist. "- Ha thinks of coming South prosper the Alabama Baprist."- all who meet honorably such sacred guarter of a century. Verbum sat. fire. Then they had a whole host of fire. Then they had a whole host of south bringing about co-operation and may have a one of the editors of the Alabama in New York, is not so well as he has coming South prosper the ALABAMA BAPTIST."- all who meet honorably such sacred obligations as this in the last the head of the paper and may have a about co-operation and may have a and Broad, was discussed by Eld. J.K. Ryon and Broad. State and Broad, was discussed by Eld. J.K. Ryon and Broad. State and Bro been. He thinks of coming South Jno. M. Simpson. "One more obligations as this in the last They were once, in the hearing of the names at the head of the paper, and great deal to do with our raising our an essay on Our opportunities. The after-

Finally, I urge the plea of simple for the 'odor of the sanctuary'- and not enough clipping. And free ple among whom he is to labor. He 'staete, onycha, galbanum-and frank- circulation was given to this opinion, could not be otherwise. He will find

lar of the \$12,000 asked for by the Board for State Missions will be re-Board for St Whisky causes more degradation of sons at Shiloh church, Dallas county, by in store what is to supply them in old age. They have given the time or the noty Leighton"--"heav- servants and that we had a right to a worn preacher feel comfortable and last Sunday. old age. They have given the time sweet spirited Crowder." Scott's the articles hit the right length, and will be ready to do him kindnesses in which they could have made the commentary, they say, is not learned, then it occurred to me that inasmuch and thereby prove to him that they like provision for themselves to their "skips the hard places;" but it is re- as we country folks could not hear appreciate his visits so much, that he brethren on salaries which every sen- dolent of piety. The Hon. and Rev. much preaching, that the managers of will almost forget the many sacrifices things to refresh the inner man. May the Lord bless them temporally and spiritually. law, and by public opinion. —Ata-bama Christian Advocate. — We are sorry indeed to know that the ex-are so THE venetable Dr. Darg, now liv-THE venetable Dr. Darg, now liv-to be supplemented by their own in-bered when const to have a venetable of this wish, for pretty soon the ser-There are in her bounds many import The venetable Dr. Davg, now liv-ing in Hayneville, Lowndes county, ing in Hayneville, Lowndes county, the initiate between the lines of Mrs. Ball to his work in Al-abama. We pray that she may be and infirm ministers, and the widows and orthans of those who have died to be supplemented by their own in-briquet stick to our names? the work entrusted to them by the Ala, is in the last half of the eighty-abama. We pray that sne may be and orphans of those who have died work and cannot preach from age and We have been where the "prince of be demanded next? Really I can find done, however, through our mission-Convention, and notwithstanding ma-ninth year of his age. He is still in the ALABAMA BAPTIST, and feel in the service. Of that committee infirmity, must all their labors through the power of the air," or somebody no objection, but I am busy search-ary operations. /God bless the mis-

sons who will not vote for State or TIST for publication: . * county prohibition we will get their Whereas, Our beloved pastor, L. names for the beat, and thus get all, W. Duke, has been providentially or nearly all, committed in some way | called upon to relinquish the care of As you are aware, Mr. Editors, I to the temperance move. this church, and, whereas, we acqui-Let us not fail to represent our re- esce in the separation with pain and spective counties in the State Tem- reluctance, in view of his long associperance Convention, which will be ation with us in a very successful and ten capital articles, though, as good held in Montgomery on the 21st inst. endeared pastorate; therefore be it A. T. SIMS.

Forest Home.

Elim Association.

more, for I do not think there is a

resolved /1st, That Eid. L. W. Duke is a pious, efficient and worthy minister of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, and as such we commend him to the Dear Editors: I wish to express kind regards and favorable consider-

its hiding place. You will pardon me Association, for their hospitality and with us for a period of nearly ten and, That he has been associated the Society carries out the Savior's reasonable class of beings living- for the past three years, while I have kind and considerate pastor, and as injunction, "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your how much they think they know, and ary. I am so afflicted that I could us in endeared remembrance.

how little they imagine others to not have traveled any longer if they 3rd, That this community will long had wanted me to do so. It makes me feel the loss of a minister so useful I have seen quiet, modest country feel sad to know that in all probabiliand influential in their midst. ment. The thanks of all are tendered haunts and go into the printing busi- with whom I have met and from whom of his now past good offices, we comto the ladies for this beautiful and ness, and in two months' time they I have received so much kindness, mend/our/retiring brother to God, and would be criticising every book and I will never meet again until I meet most earnestly pray that his blessings May the many societies in our paper and speech that came within them in the glory land, but it will not and mercies shall attend him.

R. I. DRAUGHON, Our brethren now understand bet-JOHN THAMES, . L. BALLARD. Board and our association (the Elim) This does not apply to the cheeky voted unanimously for co-operation I. K/AGEE, man who runs the Religious Herald. with it, and we have promised to do M. D. LAMBERT. He puts down in a column of "News our best to raise the amounts asked JNO. M. THOMPSON, and Notes," just what advice is giv- for for the different objects fostered en, and then makes some sharp reply, by the Board. I am satisfied that we and cuts him off and leaves him to be | can raise every dollar of it and even

District Meeting

Committee.

The district meeting, of the Bigbee Asso. clation met at Zion church, Sumter county, Ala, Oct. 27th, and was organized for bues ness by electing the writer as moderator, and

the Sunday-school. Bro. J. G. Harris and Dr. E. P. Harris each followed in addresses upon the general subject of /Sunday-schools, and in a vinegary style I claimed that so many kind sisters and lady friends deeply interested in a discussion of the Martyrs of the Christian church, by Brø, J. G.

> After the first day the congregations were good, and we trust that good was accomlished. With their accustomed hospitality the members of Zion church and adjacent riends, supplied an abundance of good ings to refresh the inner/man. May the It was not a preachers' meeting, as there were no ministers present except the pastor, ro. Ryan. May the Lord abundantly bless your labore W. P. CHAMMERS. Kinterbish, Ala.

> > -----General News.

The Georgia Legislature met on the 1st. Portland, Maine, had a \$90,000 fire the 6th As we go to press the election is progress Election riots are feared in New York and The county jail at Atlanta contains 216

BAPTIST was a superb journal; but the people of the Elim Association. then I concluded that its articles were At our last session they were still due

thin air. He has more relish, in age, because there was too much editing know he will be pleased with the peo-

· A committee of colored brethren from the State Mission Board of the colored convention niet with the His life and character are rich bless-Board and laid before the meeting, the spiritual wants of their people, After considerable discussion of the matter a committee consisting of R.

C. Keeble, Judge Haralson and Ab-BRO, TIMOTHY THOMPSON was in ner Williams was appointed to confer with the colored State Mission Board after the meeting of the col- use tobacco now, and has gathered a ored convention and to learn what fine crop. We hope he will give us very interesting .---- "Elder Watcan be done in this department of his experience in leaving off the use son, who has been pastor at Mexia work. If any plan of work is agreed of tobacco.

digent Ministers' Fund.

FIELD NOTES.

upon by the joint committees contributions must come from the churches to support it.

If the denomination at large could see the carnest, conscientious, painstaking manner in which the Board attends to its business, they would thank God for such a band of devoted Christian men.

THE CIRCUSES have come and gone We rejoice at their departure. Each was the "biggest and the best." Now the "very biggest and the very best' has just gone -- the last of the season. procession" moves. All sorts, kinds, tends? Does not the attendance of older and prominent Christians give shall begin to be in good humor with Wilkes has been chosen as his suc- about twenty. worldly amusements?

of the privations incident upon poverty, can always find money and to

himself posted in regard to all the in- -D. B. Franklin,terests of the Master's kingdom. It is interest at Pratt Mines is not strong. His ability, piety, and broad influence times no! Let it never be written quite as soon, was their spirituality, come up so well this year. I feared C. W./Buck, who has so taithfully The church needs help. They have with the denomination are a guar- that the friends of Christ can ever be as the poor mouse's natural life. We the worst. Our people are fearfully served us in that capacity for two and just enjoyed an interesting protracted antee that whatever can be done in guilty of such ingratitude. Let us have been in an atmosphere full of poor! After they have supplied their a half years, feeling that his duty to meeting, during which the church was this long neglected service, will be place this great work on our calendar, spiritual ozone; felt its life-invigora- homes (for charity must begin at his family interest required him to ings to the world. Whatever he writes revived and many led to inquire the accomplished. A few days ago he and contribute to it with the same ting power in the sanctuary; our spir- home, you know) and have attended seek another field of labor in which is eagerly sought for by a large num- way of salvation. Dr. Blackall addressed me the following letter, regularity we do to missions, educa- its have basked in the sunshine of the Atlanta Exposition, the Mardi he can better provide for their supcluded that nothing better can be done interest of the Publication Society.

-Mrs. M. F. Crawford's address so much at heart than to publish it. town the other day. We have never for the present is 1905 Carr Place, St. seen him looking so well. He doesn't Louis, Mo. She expects to go to Atlanta before long. Her communications to the ALABAMA BAPTIST are fore excuse the flattering terms he employs. Here is the letter: and Groesbeeck for the past year, has LIVINGSTON, ALA., Sept. 23.

Dear Bro. Henderson-Your past. resigned and returned to Alabama." WE are sorry to know that Dr. Texas Baptist Herald .----- Profes- life has been devoted to the cause of Winkler is not very well. He is absent now visiting Atlanta and Charleston. We hope it will not be long be-Pastors' Conference, Oct 23rd .---- State. Such being a fact I write to fore he returns quite restored. WE call especial attention to comfifth-let it be made first. On educa- | fund. This enterprise must succeed, munications from Brethren Harris tion it is fourth-we have the re- and it must be accomplished by the sources to place it at the head of the State Convention, because it is a and Henderson in regard to the Indiist. On Endowment it is ninth- State work. I have now entered upon how soon the Baptists could change m; roll ("indigent roll") ten objects this fact! On Money contributed to of charity, or love, eight of whom are all objects of benevolence, we are infirm ministers, all over the age of "Last Wednesday night the First second to but one State-Kentucky. 65, and all have devoted the better

Baptist church of this city extended Let's see to it that our sister be made portion of their lives to preaching the to Dr. J. J. D. Renfroe, of Talladega, to do better next year or be left be- word. Two are widows of deceased Eager, gaping, immense crowds press Ala., a unanimous call to become its hind. On State and Associational ministers, their ages respectively 75 the side-walks and fill the windows on pastor. It is not yet known whether Missions we are first. Let us advance and 77, and totally destitute, with no all the streets along which the "grand he will accept. There is no more im- still further, for it is the work of the family to support them. These ten portant field in the South, and in our Master, and will yield a rich and persons are not all that come under udgment no more inviting field for abundant harvest of souls."-Bibli. of this benevolence in this State. There have exhaused their strength in the colors and classes of people, except an able and enterprising preacher. Recorder. ----Old Abram's wisest are others that will be entered on the service of the Master. Bro. Harris, discreet ministers and their families, We think the church has made a wise remark: "Ef de descendants ob de roll as soon as I can get certain in- the chairman of the committee, is just go to the circus. And why may they choice, and hope Dr. Renfroe will rooster what crowed at Peter was to formation. Now you can see the not go? It will injure their Christian feel it his duty to accept. True, Al- make a noise ebery time a lie is told, destitution in our State. Now do abama loses one of her best men; but dar would be such a noise in de world not these our brethren belong to us? vite him to use the columns of the ALinfluence. It will. But does not at-tendance upon such places injure the pensating Tennessee for the contri-Eld. J. W. Fulmer, after havinfluence and cripple the capacity for butions she has been making to other ing faithfully served the church at for our household? At the Tuscausefulness of every Christian who at- States. With Strickland, Howard and Mt. Olive, Coosa county, Ala., for loosa Association, I took up a collec-Lamar from Georgia, if we can now twelve years as pastor, has resigned tion in cash, and received twenty-five secure Renfroe from Alabama, we the care of the church. Rev. W. dollars. At the Bigbee I received class of men who deserve the sympa-

license to younger disciples to go our sister States."-American Baptist further and do worse? We think so. Reflector, Alabama can not spare "I am glad to inform you that I am Board would ascertain the amount Is it not strange that men and wo- Bro. Renfroe. Every year he is in- at home again and expect to resume necessary for the annual support of men, whose hearts are filled with the vited out of the State by some church my work next week. I am not enthese godly men, and request the vacoveting the best gifts. So far we tirely restored, but I am still improvlove of God, who have promised to have induced him to remain. When ing and pray that God will give me their bounds certain amounts each "walk in newness of life"-Christians he wrote us that he would visit Chat- strength to do the work."-J. H. year, that the same support would be -should seek entertainment and rec- tanooga in response to the invitation Hendon ---- Rev. H. C. Taul has given that is given for the missionain vulgar and essentially of the church, we said all we could to moved from Wetumpka to Deatsville, ries, &c. Suppose we need for this prevent his going. He is one of our Elmore county, and requests that corfund, say \$1,500, annually; why, it very best men .---- Rev. W. W. respondents address him at the latter

Is it not mysterious that people Landrum, of Augusta, Ga., has been place.----Names of students at- ooo for missions. All that is necesconfessedly poor, struggling with many called to the pastorate of the Second tending the Seminary from Alabama: sary is to couple it with the other be-Baptist church in Richmond -----Jno. N. Prestridge, J. R. Sampey, F. nevolent enterprises. It can be done, "The Baptist rather had the advan- D. Hale, P. T. Hale, B. F. Giles, W. it must be done. My dear brother, tage of the Methodist in the episode A. Whittle, W. S. Henderson, J. M. give us the aid of your pen and tongue. spare when the circus comes? We that occurred at the Methodist Semi- Green and A. W. McGaha.-Centennial celebration in Plainfield, "About fifty sermons were preached

dollars will not cover the expenses of those patronizing the circusse exhib-iting in Selma this winter. Centennial celebration in Plainfield, addressing the Baptist pastor present, iting in Selma this winter. Centennial celebration in Plainfield, addressing the Baptist pastor present, iting in Selma this winter. Centennial celebration in Plainfield, addressing the Baptist pastor present, iting in Selma this winter. Centennial celebration in Plainfield, addressing the Baptist pastor present, iting in Selma this winter. Centennial celebration in Plainfield, addressing the Baptist pastor present, iting in Selma this winter. Centennial celebration in Plainfield, iting in Selma this winter. Centennial celebration in Plainfield, iting in Selma this winter. Centennial celebration in Plainfield, it count in the fourth Sunday, in and out of the city, by our Seminary students, and several Sunday-school addresses Centennial celebration in Plainfield, it count is the city, by our Seminary students, and several Sunday-school addresses this Here is no object, (for I cannot write charity,) that appeals to a deep-er chord in the Christian heart than how many indigent ministers, and

Write to me. Yours fraternally,

ple acted in it very much like a mouse exercised. -The Baptist ry it to a successful issue, ist is he. diers? No, no, brethren, a thousand in a jar of oxygen gas-destroyed I am glad that our associations have

to further the worthy object he has years ago, the old Coosa River Association resolved to raise two thousand while, the "soft answer that turneth the request of the State Board? The reader will understand that it was five hundred dollars, the interest of away wrath!" The heroes of the I visited a brother some time ago resignation in response to his request, which was to be used for indigent present, are those who "will not brook that was well-to do. He had a beau- we do so with the greatest reluctance, ministers, and the widows and or- an insult;" the heroes of the future, tiful plantation-well stocked and in feeling that it will be difficult to se-

more of a reason why the Convention should not prosecute this great work a bitter spirit, hell; the type of the heaped with cotton; he had a thriving unfavorable circumstances, and by his sor Whitsitt delivered his opening truth. Your efforts have been in the than the fact that the same associa- former, "Paul the aged," John the be- interest in a large city; and even he faithful instructions, patient efforts tion has a standing mission fund loved; of the latter, Tiberias, at Cap- could do nothing. He is a modest and earnest ministry, our hearts have Mormon theology, before the Baptist ence are known and felt all over the should abate the necessity of a State reæ, Nero suiciding: Mission Board After all has been One cannot speak or write, withou!

I bid my brother Harris God's speed much more a gracious spirit, fill his scribed for your paper, but he plainhim favor in the sight of his brethren." | blest." SAM'L HENDERSON.

Beech Grove, Oct. 28.

The recent session of Shelby Asso-We cheerfully give place to the ciation was an improvement on past above. We are glad to know that the sessions, although several of our best committee appointed at the last meetministers were detained at home. ing of the Convention is at work for The collection on Sunday for Missions was a good one for the condithe relief of the faithful men who tion of the community and the times. We got about all the money on the ground. The same spirit with the churches at home would, no doubt, the man for the work. We cordially in- have sent up more. The old leaven book written by Rev. B. F. Riley, en-The annual trouble of a divided not be behind the foremost in doing

posed of, so far as the Association is | seen. concerned. Nothing is, or has been, thy and support of those in whose necessary to that end, on the part of

sion Board will cheerfully render the committee any assistance desired. This object touches the tenderest chord in the Christian heart, and we believe that when the necessity for

could be raised just as easily as \$12,- an "Indegent Ministers' Fund" is pressed upon the churches, and the basis of all missionary work. amount needed to meet the demands

> ***** From Bro. Sanders.

In order that the committee may

Church Resolutions

faces luminous with heavenly light Gras, and the circus, taking all the port and education, has this day ten-

F. C. SLAPPY,

Its Action on the Subject of

Temperance.

PROHIBITION.

Mod. pro. tem.

J. L. BRYARS.

Let me only add, that about ten from within; "and all the air was love." children along to see the animals, dered to us his resignation, to take ef-How delightful to hear, once in a how could they be expected to heed fect Dec. 18, 1882; therefore Resolved, That while we accept his

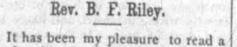
phans of those who died in service. will be their antipodes. These, re- excellent state of cultivation. He had cure the services of another to fill the That fund was completed at the last ceive honor from God; those, from sheep, and oxen, and mules, and place thus made vacant, horses; he had great cribs bursting Whereas, Brother Bu horses; he had great cribs bursting Whereas, Brother Buck took the

A sweet spirit, is heaven on earth, out in plenty; he had shelters well charge of our church under the most man, and would not enjoy this refer- been united and drawn to better "How then does North Carolina request you to come to my aid in be- done in both mese respects that can so infusing his spirit into the words, take the ALABAMA BAPTIST, and of whereas our membership and congreence to himself; but then he does not things in our Master's cause, and be done by allour agencies, much, O, however cautiously chosen, as to be- course no shock to his nervous sys- gation have been much built up under

tray a bad spirit if it exists; if a sweet, tem will be felt. He would have sub- his ministration, therefore in his "works of faith and labors of soul, words will flow forth freighted tively said, "I am just not able!" And mend Bro. Buck to our brethren as in Resolved, That we cordially comlove," trusting that God will "give as with the breath of "Araby the he is not able, I judge, for his church every way worthy of their confidence sent its delegates a considerable dis- as a Christian, gentleman, an able gia met at Macon the 1st tance to the Association last year minister and a faithful pastor, and at an expense of five dollars apiece, that we believe he will give satisfac-

to carry a sentimental church letter tion to any church who desires a and one dollar and a half for minutes. | faithful minister and teacher, It is a sad cruelty to which such no-Resolved, That our dear brother ble men are subjected, to be begged takes with him the love and earnest for money prayers of the whole church, asking

I want next time to say something of our associations.



a memento of our deep appreciation of our brother and his services, and of anti-ism is nearly purged out of titled, "History of Conecuh County, this Association. The business was Alabama." Taking the subject mat- BAPTIST and Christian Index for ter, the diction, and the language used publication. in defining each topic, I must say, church, dropped for disorder several without hesitation, it is one of the her regular conference, this Oct. 7th, everything possible for the relief of a years ago, it is hoped is finally dis- most readable little books I have ever 1882.

> There are no great and important S. L. MULLEN, Ch. Cl'k. questions, that are of necessity, dethe church itself, but a little of the fined and analyzed, yet when certain Philadelphia Baptist church, Lee ounty, Ala. political problems, such as Secession, Christian Index please copy. reconstruction, and the settlement of This Association is now in full the State debt are touched upon, it is The Missouri General Associationfamiliarity with these weighty matters. His manner of discussing biogra-

ure. The ground originally taken by al, political and religious development to the citizenship of Conecuh county,

sion of its opinion and position on is indeed interesting and instructive. this subject: Bro. Riley, in this small book, has "In view of the importance which displayed a wonderful genius as a the subject of prohibition has aswriter, and I trust he will not stop at sumed in our own country and other Dear Editors: You do not know this, but will assume the task of a broad- lands, it does not seem proper that so now much I appreciate your paper- er field, and a more interesting sub- large and influential a body as the ject, and write of the history of the General Association of Missouri, I find a progressive spirit in every Baptists of this State, beginning with should be indifferent to this great church and community where the AL- the beginning. He certainly has ex- work: Therefore, resolved: hibited a skill and talent that amply 1. That this body heartily sympa

J. G. HARRIS. Livingston, Ala.

Hot Springs, Ark., will be lighted by elegricity lan. L. An Angusta, Ga., woman gave a pet dog \$70 funeral

The 5th there was a severe slorm on the tlantic coast. Senator Harris, of Tennessee, has been

ingerously /II. Tennessee is extensively shipping cattle and dogs to Florida. Rear Admiral Charles H., Poor died an ashington the 5th.

risoners

The Duke of Connaught has returned to ondon from Egypt.

Lord Dufferin has gone to Alexandria to settle the difficulties. There is a great boom in the building line

the city of Mexico Eastern capitalists will build a street /railway in Petersbug, Va.

The reduction of the public debt for Ocber was \$15,250,000. Richardson, Boynton & Co., New York, have failed for \$600,000.

There were /116 business failures in the nited States last week.

There were fifteen new cases of yellow fever at Pensacola the sth.

The State Masonie Grand Lodge of Geor-The courts have decided the Iowa prohib-

tory law unconstitutional The Merchant's Flour Mill, Knoxville, Tenn., was burned the and.

One day last week 423 Mormon immigrants arrived in New York. Ex-Gov. Mendricks, of Indiana, is some better, but not yet out of danger. God to direct him to all good elsewhere, as he has proven a blessing to

Gov. Ortiz, of Sonora, has been driven rom his territory by revolutionists. Hon. Alex. Stephens/ was inaugurated as Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the church record as

overnor of Georgia last Saturday A fire at Red Bank, N. J., the 5th, destroyed \$250,000 worth of property. Mutilated gold certificates will now be redeemed at the Treasury Department The 31st ult, there were fifteen new cases.

I fever at Peusacola and four deaths The 6th, there were six new cases of yel-

ow fever and one death at Pensacola Mrs. Dr. Seguin, of New York, shot her three children and then killed herself. Myers & Marcus, dry goods, Augusta, Ga., have failed with liabilities of \$223,000.

The Texas Rangers have been ordered out or duty at elections on the Rio-Grande. Extensive frauds/have been discovered in he registration of voters in Philadelphia;

There has been snow in New Branswick and heavy frost and thick ice in New York.

John B. Stickney, United States District Attorney for Florida, died in New York the

J. B. Simonton, for years Associated Press Agent in New York, died recently in Cali-The Association unanimously adopted the following as the expres-

A complete organization of the national guard has been ordered in the Chilian Re-

There is great distress among the operatives in Lyons, France, in consequence of martial law.

The New York grand jury has begun to return indictments against parties for illegal registration.

The Porte was much alarmed at the decison of the British Government to send Lord Dufferin to Egypt.

thizes with the effort now being made There are now 979 patients in the Georgia to suppress the manufacture and sale isane Asylum, 257 of whom were received during the present year. of intoxicating liquors, and expresses

The New Orleans Picayune is engaged in the opinion that the time has come a commendable effort to have a public libra-

service the active years of their lives spirit of the Master wanting all around. We have no doubt the State Misaccord with the State Mission Board, with such a mastery as to show his he objection felt to its earlier operations as almost exclusively an intinerating system, being removed entirely phy, and the treatment of all quesby the engrafting of the pastoral feat- tions that appertain to the social, mor-

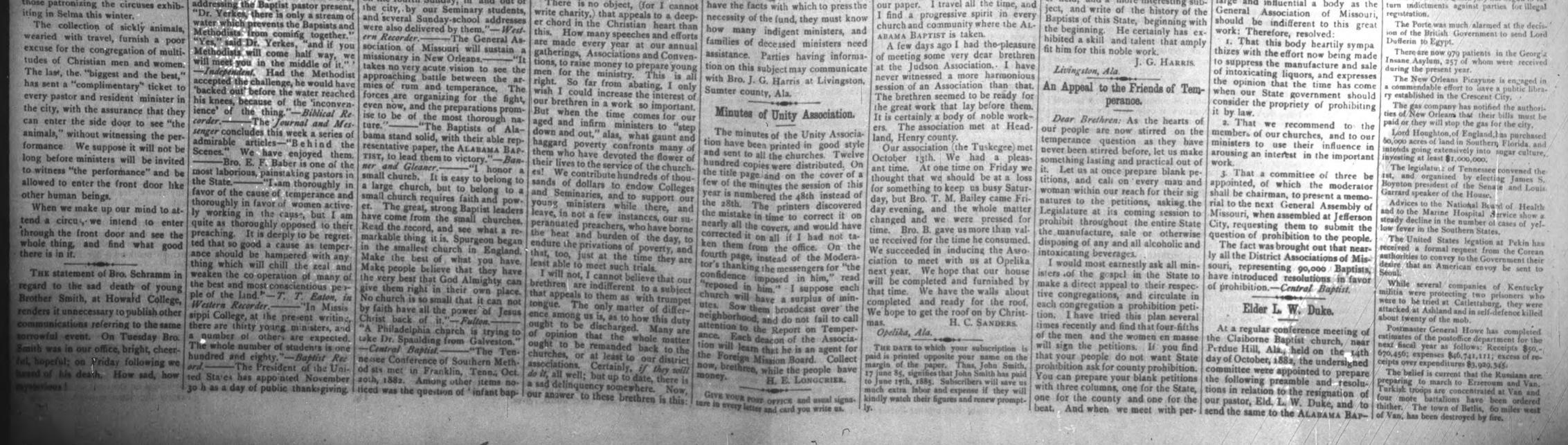
Shelby Association.

E. B. T. is made known, they will respond

us was that pastorates must be the of a people, and especially as applied

our paper. I travel all the time, and

A few days ago I had the pleasure fit him for this noble work.



were spent.

promptly and fiberally.

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quantity to enable us to offer at close figures.

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ed such as you can sustain?"

"How in the world did you, a physician,

"By neglecting the first and most simple

'But have these common ailments any-

ing to do with the fearful Bright's disease

"Anything? Why, they are the sure indi-cations of the first stages of that fearful mal-ady. The fact is, few peop's know or real-ize what ails them, and I am sorry to say that

"That is a strange statement, Doctor."

"Precisely, Thousands of so-called dis-

many forms. It is a Hydra-headed monster,

for to every one who has them. I can look

bysicians declared at the time were caused

by paralysis, apoplexy, heart disease, pneu-

nonia, malarial fever and other common

"And did all these cases have simple symp-

"Every one of them, and might have been

Bright's disease.

ms at first?"

where it may end,"

which took so firm a hold on you?"

too few physicians do either."

ms. I did not think I was sick. It

\$1500 per year can be easily made at home working for E. G. Rideont & Co., 10 Barclay Street, New York. Send for their catalogue and full particulars,-1y.

NIPPED IN THE BUD .- "I say, fellows." exclaimed Fogg, "have you heard the news? Brown and his wife have separated." "No!" "Is that so?" ."How did it come about?" "I always thought it would come to that." It was marvelous," "Guess it'll be better for both of 'em.' These were a few of the expressions that fell come to be brought so low?" from the lips of the boys as they eagerly crowded around Fogg. "Yes," said Fogg. "the Browns have separated. I saw Brown s true I had frequent headaches; felt tired kiss Mrs. B. good-by at the depot just now most of the time; could eat nothing one day He said he would be back to-morrow."and was ravenous the next; felt dull indefi-[Boston Transcript. nite pains and my stomach was out of order. but I did not think it meant anything seri-

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channels indicate the approach of Bright's When Herrmann was in South America the coming of consumption. We do not treat he mystified three savage Patagonians by ta-king an orange from the nose of one, a hand-should not waste constitution. We do not treat the cough, but try to help the lungs. We ful of coin from the hair of the other and a the headache, stomach, pains about the body live rat from the nose of the third, who with or other symptoms, but go directly to the his companions started off uttering a cry of alarm. Suddenly the magician discovered ments. that his purse, watch, chain, eye-glass and "This, then, is what you meant when you said that more than one-half the deaths which sucket-handk-tchief were missing. The savoccur arise from Bright's disease, is it, docjumped/away in terror had relieved Herrmane of his property.

AN ONLY DAUGHTER

eases are torturing people to-day, when in reality it is Bright's disease in some one of its CERED OF CONSUMPTION When death was hourly expected all remand the slightest symptoms should strike teredies having failed, and Dr. H. James was experimenting with the many herbs of Calback and recall hundreds of deaths which cutta, he accidently made a preparation which cured his only child of Consumption. His schild is now in this country enjoying the best of health. He has proved to the world that Consumption can be positively and per-manently cured. The Doctor now gives this Recipe free, only asking two three-cent stamps to pay expenses. This herb also cures night-sweats, nausea at the stomach, and cured as I was by the timely use of the same will break up a fresh cold in twenty-four

* hours. Address CRADDOCK & CO., 1032 Race St., Philadelphia, naming this paper. Cure. I am getting my eyes thoroughly opened in this matter and think I am helping

The Flower City Furere. free from any poisonous or deleterious sub-

The Commotion Caused by the Stat We publish the foregoing statements in iew of the commotion which the publicity of Dr. Heaton's article has caused and to An unusual article from the Rochester N Y. Democrat and Chronicle, was published in this paper recently and has been the submeet the protestations which have been made. The standing of Dr. Henlon, Mr. Warner and Dr. Lattimore in the communiject of much conversation both in professionty is beyond question and the statement We can offer better inducements to the chused more commotion in Rochester, as the they make cannot for a moment be doubted. They cancel and the statements to the following from the same paper shows:

of the kidneys is one of the most deceptive Dr. J. B. ifenion, who is well known not only in Rochester, but in nearly every part of America, sent an extended article to this

-----Alabama News.

death. It would be impossible to enumerate the personal enquiries which have been made Selma is to have a gun club. at our office as to the validity of the article, Mobile has had a case of small pox. but they have been so numerous that further Columbiana is to have a dramatic Club. investigation of the subject was deemed an The Eutaw fair is in full blast this week. With this end in view a representative of Elmore county circuit court will begin the

this paper called on Dr. Henion, at his resi- 13th. dence on St. Paul street, when the following There was a light frost at Greenville last interview occurred: "That article of yours, week.

Doctor, has created quite a whirlwind. Are Sweet potatoes sell at 25 cents a busbel in the statements about the terrible condition Ozark. you were in, and the way that you were res-

E. M. Gray has returned from Florida to Oxford. "Every one of them and many additional

ones. Few people ever get so near the grave Shelby county circuit court is in session as I did and then return, and I am not surthis week prised that the public think it marvelous. Mr. Ira J. Davis, of Marion, has been se-

riously ill. There are now 'sixteen prisoners in the

Talladega jail. George Harold is building a new saw mill

near Brewton. Anna Milam. To the 1st, Pine Apple had received 1,731 bales of cotton.

The Marshall county grand jury returned 35 indictments.

There were fourteeu interments at Montgomery last week.

Mrs. W. T. Lyles, of Pickens county, had paralytic stroke. A lodge of knights of honor has been in-

stite ed at Anniston The residence of Ben Hendrix, at Eufaula, was burned last week.

F. A. Seymour has been appointed postmaster at Monroeville.

The State Bar Association will meet in Montgomery the 29th.

J. P. Clay has been made road master of the C. S. & M. R. R.

Henry Johnson, of Pickens county, is very low with typhoid fever.

'Aleck Owen, of Pickens county, broke one of his legs last week.

There is a cash balance of \$1,620 in the owndes county treasury.

Messrs. Bloch, Long & Co., of Selma, kidneys, the source of most of these ailhave made an assignment.

P. F. Smith has been appointed deputy sheriff for Talladega county.

The young people of Castleberry have organized a social reading club. Herbert Reynolds fell and broke his arm

at the Montevallo skating rink. Evans is the name of a new postoffice two miles from Acron, Hale county. The Oxford News wants to know the lo-

cation of B. C. Bebee, a printer, One firm in Union Springs has sold \$8,000 worth of steam engines this year.

The "Calliopean" is the name of a new omplaints which I see now were caused by literary society in Union Springs.

I. C. Rowell, of Coffee county; had his left arm torn into shreds in a gin. H. F. Prince, of Tuscaloosa county, had wo fine mules drowned last week.

Dr. Napier, of Waco, Texas, has been visiting his old home in Tuscumbia. Rev. Wm. Walker, near Edwardsville,

Oct. 30th, at the residence of Rev. G. W. Died, at his residence in Lee county, Ala., on the zoth of October, 1882, Deacon Clark Mills, in Autauga county, Ala , by Rev. E. S. Starr, Rev. J. W. Menefee, of the Alabama Conference, to Miss Alice M. Mills.

botton, Talbot Co., Ga., in the aoth year of his age, and his membership was with the following churches: Macedonia, Merriweath-Nov. 1st, by Rev. W. W. Kidd, Mr. J M. Phillips, of St. Clair county, to Miss Bettie Martin, of Shelby county. er county, Concord, Lee county, Ga., and

At the residence of the bride's father, J H. Neighbors, Esq., Oct. 25th, 1882, by Eld. J. W. Fulmer, Mr. J. D. Ford and Miss M. A. Neighbors; all of Cooss county.

At the residence of Mrs. Pierce, near Brundidge, Oct. toth., by Eld E. Y. Van-Hoose, Mr. S. M. Green and Mass Mary E. ed in the constitution of the Tuskegee As-

Oct. 19th, at the residence of Mr. J. T. Coffield, on Forsyth street, Columbus, Ga., Mr. W. T. Johnson and Miss Maryland V. Coffield, Eld, E. Y. Van Hoose officiating.

MARRIED

Married in Alabama.

Pierce.

Near Elyton, C. C. Meyers and Kate De-

In Mobile, Neander Crane and Sallie appen. In Dadeville, Jno. Wright and Ella Jinks. In Bibb county, Alex James jr., and Jennie Henley.

Anna Alley. In Conecuh county, H. J. Shaver and El-

la L. Yancy, Near Moulton, B. Craighead, of Tenn.,

In Randolph county, C. D. Manly and Alice Radney.

In Jackson county, Green Proctor and Bettie Precise.

In Guntersville, J. H. Greenwood and Mollie Jordan. In Cleburne county, J. W. Grubbs and M. C. Roberts.

In Conecuh county, Joel Henderson and Ada Chapman. In Union Springs, J. C. Crowell and M.

. Merriwether. In Eufaula, Henry Bloom, Louisville, Ky., and Sarah Sterne.

In Toulmanville, John M. Batteste and Mary A. McNulty.

In Henry county, James Matthews and Anna R. Harrison.

In Talladega county, Calvin Kilpatrick

and Emma Ritchie, In St. Clair county, John C. Laney and Laura K. Edwards. In Hale county, James W. Collins and Mary E. Armstrong.

In Jackson county, Rev. Philip Hall and Mary A. E. Willman. In Talladega, Joseph W. Hubbard and Emma F. Woodward, In Uniontown, Wm. Reckling, of Birmngham, and Helen Shill.

At Spring Hill, Marengo county, J. H. Powers and Angie Cottrell. In Bullock county, Irby Dunklin, Greenville, and Sallie Tompkins. In Birmingham, M. H. Proctor, of Louisville, Ky., and Etta M. Scharpff, In Gregne county, Thomas B. Beattie, of Mississippi; and Laura L. Erwin,

In Gadsden, E. R. Minhinnet and Ethel Miller, the latter of Cave Spring, Ga. Near Prattville, Malcolm A. Graham, o Montgomery, and Elenora McWilliams.

Important to Planters.

in his defence. No slanderous tongue ever For the benefit of a large proportion of moved her, for which the writer of these our readers, we cheerfully accede to the re-quest of the cotton buyers of Selma by giv-The Lord help me to lead her last darling



Aldridge, aged 73 years. He united with the Baptist church at Tal-

IN THE WORLD. he united in the constitution of County Line church, Lee county, Ala., where he spent merican

the rest of his days, say 44 years. He was also a deacon for a half century. His walk was that of the Christian, and he was be-loved by all who knew him. He also assistreakfast ereals

ed in the constitution of the Tuskegee As-sociation, of Ala., and served as their clerk for alx years. In his last years he passed through much suffering and affliction. He never entirely regained what he last in a fall from a buggy going home from the last as-sociation he attended with the Tuskegee church. Soon after this, say July, 1881, he los, his dear companion; in December follow-ing, his youngest son; and in March last.

ing, his youngest son; and in March last a nephew. But he bore it all with Christian fortitude, and died in the full triumph of a living faith in Christ his Savior. He has left to mourn his loss a brother, one daughter

and one son, together with grand children and all of his friends and neighbors. They do not mourn as for one who had no hope, Eld, D. L. Duffy preached his funeral in his In Jackson county, C. S. Freeman and church, County Line, after which a hymn was sung, the lines of which he composed and requested that it be sung at that time.

The same you have annexed. His body was taken to its last resting place by the Masons, who interred it with Masonic honors. 'Ye fleeting charms of earth, farewell,

Your springs of joy are dry; My soul now seeks another home,

A brighter world on high. Farewell, ye friends, whose tender care

Has long engaged my love; Your fond embrace I now exchange For better friends abgree Cheerful I leave this vale of tears, Where pains and sorrow grow; Welcome the day that finds my toil, And every scene of wee.

No more shall sin disturb my breast, My God shall crown us more;

The streams of love divine shall yield Transports unknown before. Salem, Ala., Oct. 23d. E. W. S.

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OBITUARY.

Died, at Mr. George Hardwick's, near or precinct not already represented, to furn Cedar Plains, Morgan county, Ala., Sept. 16th, 1882, Sister Amanda J. Ratliff, wife ish the American News Exchange with prompt and reliable reports of all events and I of our esteemed brother, James Ratliff, aged news of importance-political news, amuse-53 years.

ment notes, crop prospects, society events, The subject of this notice was born in labor items, accidents, literary matter, etc. Morgan county, Ala., Sept. 16th, 1829; pro-fessed faith in Christ and joined the church Previous experience not necessary. Position permanent, pay liberal, and every privilege at Mt. Pisgah, Morgan county, in the year of our Lord, A. D., 1841, and lived a con-sistent and useful member until the day of injoyed connected with the profess dress at once, American News Exchange, 251 W. 5th St., Cincinnati, O.

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The Philadelphia Record says in respect showing the alarming increase of Bright's of the St. Louis homicide: The man who disease, its simple and deceptive symptoms, goes about with a loaded pistol in his pocket. | and that there is but one way by which it whatever his intention may be, has taken | can be escaped." 'Fully satisfied of the truth and force of the preliminary step to bring about a homicide, and the cowardly practice ought to be ferretted out and punished with the most good day and called on Mr. Warner at his establishment on Exchange street. At first Mr. Warner was inclined to be reticent, but rigorous severity.

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paint, almost any shade:

very low from a stroke of paralysis. Dr. J. P. Hurt, of Edwardsville, is attending medical lectures in Atlanta. The residence of Green B. Lindsay, Laud-He was sick the same as I; and is the health

erdale county, was burned recently, Pitt Hendricks, of Tuscaloosa, drowned in the Warrior river recently.

O. W. Martin has sold his property you want facts there are any quantity of them Union Springs and will remove to Texas. John and Ross Nicks, with their families, ave gone from Tailadega to Bifmingham. Charles J. Seabrook, of Talladega, fell from the new court house and was badly hurt, John Haskey, of Union Springs, has a nine-months-old pig that weighs 300 pounds.

I. W. Haigler, of Lowndes county, lost his gin house and sight bales of cotton by

Riltenhouse Moore has been awarded the ontract for widening the channel in Mobile

reased wonderfully, and we find, by reliable statistics, that in the past ten years its growth has been 250 per cent. Look at the effects rominent men it has carried off: Everett, The Baptist church at Kirby's Creek, Jackson county, has organized in missionary

society. shows a greater growth than that of any oth-The Methodist ladies of Selma gave a super known complaint. It should be plain to per last Friday night for the benefit of their every one that something must be done to church.

check this increase or there is no knowing The exhibits at the Uniontown fair were very good, and every one seemed well "Do you think many people are afflicted

pleased with it to-day who do not realize it, Mr. Misses Mollie Fowlkes and Lillie Ashe, of "Hundreds of thousands. I have a strik- Marion, are finishing their art education in ing example of this trath which has just | Baltimore.

Abner D. Asberry, of Greenville, S. C., has been visiting his old home and friends come to my notice. A prominent profess in a New Orleans medical college was lecturing before his class on the subject or at Talladega, Bright's disease. He had various fluids un-

Reuben Erwin, of Jackson county, was run over by a wagon and died from the inrible malady were. In order to show the juries received.

Andrew McIntyre, of Lauderdale county, contrast between healthy and unhealthy fluids, he had provided a vial the contents of i was so badly cut by James Simpson as to die from the wounds.

which were drawn from his own person, 'And now, gentlemen,' he said, 'as we have Thomas Dowd, near Munford, was inseen the unhealthy indications, I will show stantly killed, a few days ago, by a piece of timber falling on him.

yoa how it appears in a state of perfect health,' and he submitted his own fluid to the usual test. As he watched the results

ustrate the point in an instant in my own of the kidneys,' and in less than a year he partment in Temple, Texas. Samuel Duncan, of Chambers county, lost

"You believe then that it has no symptoms his gin house, ten bales of cotton, screw, two of its own and is frequently unknown even by the person who is afflicted with it?"

"It has no symptoms of its own and very often none at all. Usually no two people cent. on account of deficient fire apparatus, The Federal court at Huntsville found a to think that he has been unjustly treated. As have the same symptoms, and frequently death is the first symptom. The sightest in-The Federal court at Huntsville found a dications of any kidney difficulty should be

hrough all the stages of kidney disease." "You know of Dr. Henion's case?" We find the following notice of an Alaamian in one of our exchanges; "John "Yes, I have both read and heard of it." Holmes, of Alabama, has raised eleven chil-

"It is very wonderful, is it not?" "A very prominent case but no more so than a great many others that have come to and thirty girls. Mr. Holmes is seventy my notice as having been cured by the same | ning years old, weighs 300 pounds, has killed fifteen hundred deer and one bear. The en-

"You believe then that Bright's disease tire family live in Morgan county, except one son, who lives in Blount. All the older "I know it can. I know it from the ex- ones belong to the Missionary Baptist

church.'

In Clopton, Wiley Trawick. Mear Clopton, Frank Mims. In Eufaula, T. J. Craddock. In Clarke county, Jacob Ott. In Wetumpka, Geo. Seaman. Near Moulton, Jesse Hurley. In Marion, Mrs. H. W. Carr. In Demopolis, Turner Sanders, In Bibb county, Joseph Lawley. In Cleburne county, Sihon Peace. In Barbour county, John Johnson. ing the following article a place in our colmns.-EDS,

We beg the use of your columns to direct the attention of the planters generally to a matter which we consider of much importance to them, and of vital concern to this as a cotton market. We refer to ginning cotton, which, during the past few years, shows a very marked depreciation. This we at-tribute, 1st, to a want of necessary facilities for properly drying the seed cotton; 2nd, to the too rapid running of the steam gin, and 3rd, the use of the condenser. Long experience in the handling of cotton

and constant occasion to compare the sam-pling of non-sondansed with condensed cot-ton satisfies us beyond any doubt that the condenser is not only a uscless attachment, but a fraud which cheats the planter out of e-quarter of three-eights of a cent per pound on nearly every bale of cotton put through one. Its effect with some pattern's is to drop the cotton from the gin in small

Bob King, living near Clayton, cut his knee with a drawing knife and died from the effects. ton out in folds like dry goods, giving it the appearance when baled of repacked cotton, ind tear to pieces and softs n the staple, de-

> We are aware that a great deal of unnecssary advice is oftentimes thrust upon our lanting community by those who know but ttle of what is really for their interest, but we who represent the mills which spin the cotton know the great injury to the cotton resulting from the causes above mentioned.

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Beatty Again.

Dear Brethren: I have read Mr. Beatty explanation. In reply, I would say that the organ was not, in my opinion, injured by portation, as it made music on arrival. H. C. Reynolds, of Montevalio, was thrown from a buggy by a runaway horse and knocked senseless. But it got out of order on the third day. I informed Mr. Beatty of the organ's condi-tion, He replied, "Get some competent works on musical instruments to repair the organ, and it worked all right, that is it made as good music as a sorry concern could make, for five or six days, and then got The insurance companies of Mobile have worse than ever. No music at all can be made raised the rates of insurance twenty-five per on it. Every effort to fix it since its last bad verdict of guilty against Dick Liddell for complicity in the Muscle Shoals robbery in against bed instance of the man if he money back; then I will be satisfied. Mr. Beatty promised satisfaction, and that is

what I am working for-my money. He now writes me to return the organ, and he dren, seven boys and four girls. He has seventy-three grandchildren, forty-three boys my money back as he promised Clayhatchie, Ala. E. A. THOMPSON.

----Rev. V. W. Barnett.

"In the midst of life we are in death. The vigor of youth and the strength of man-

child to Jesus, that the entire family may nect at the beautiful river to join her an

the four little sans up there on high! Dear Bro. Ratliff and you eight weeping children, sorrow not as those that have no one. God hath done it all. Chained to hi throne lies a volume in which are recorded the fates of men. The sympathies of the entire church and community are extended to the bereaved husband and children and relatives. Let us comfort ounselves with these words: "Even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him" at his second

> Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep, From which none over wakes to weep; A calm and undisturbed repose. Unbroken by the last of of foes.

W.B.C. Flint, Ala., Oct. 25th. COLUMN STREET, DIED, at his residence near Union Springs. iept, 27th, 1882, Mr. Green B. McGhee,

aged sixty-five years. The deceased was a highly respectable citizes, an affectionate father and a devoted husband. Though not connected with any church organization, he was an earnest believer in the truths of Chrisstroying the glow and that pleasing effect tianity as understand and taught by the upon the eye common to well handled white Primitive Baptists. Quiet and retiring in tianity as understood and taught by the sposition, his virtues shone with greatest

lustre in the privacy of his own home, and around his own fireside. He leaves five children and a stricken wife to mourn his loss. May the God in whom he trusted, comfort his bereaved household, and by his grace sustain them in this hour of trial. A wide circle of friends extend to them deep

and heartfelt sympathy and would fain whisper words of comfort and sheer. Let the sorrowing ones remember that "whom the Lord loveth, he chasteneth," and that his children have the happy assurance that though "weeping endureth for the night," joy beyond measure cometh with the joyful morn of the resurrection. A FRIEND. -----

DIED-In Dallas county, Oct. 27th, Hars, child of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Becton, aged 2 years and 7 months. Amid our tears sorrow, 'tis consoling to know that the

child is in heaven. "Safe in the arms of Jesus, Safe from corroding care, Safe from the world's temptations, Sin cannot harm him there,"



sion and has a world of meaning. How much suffering is summed up in it.

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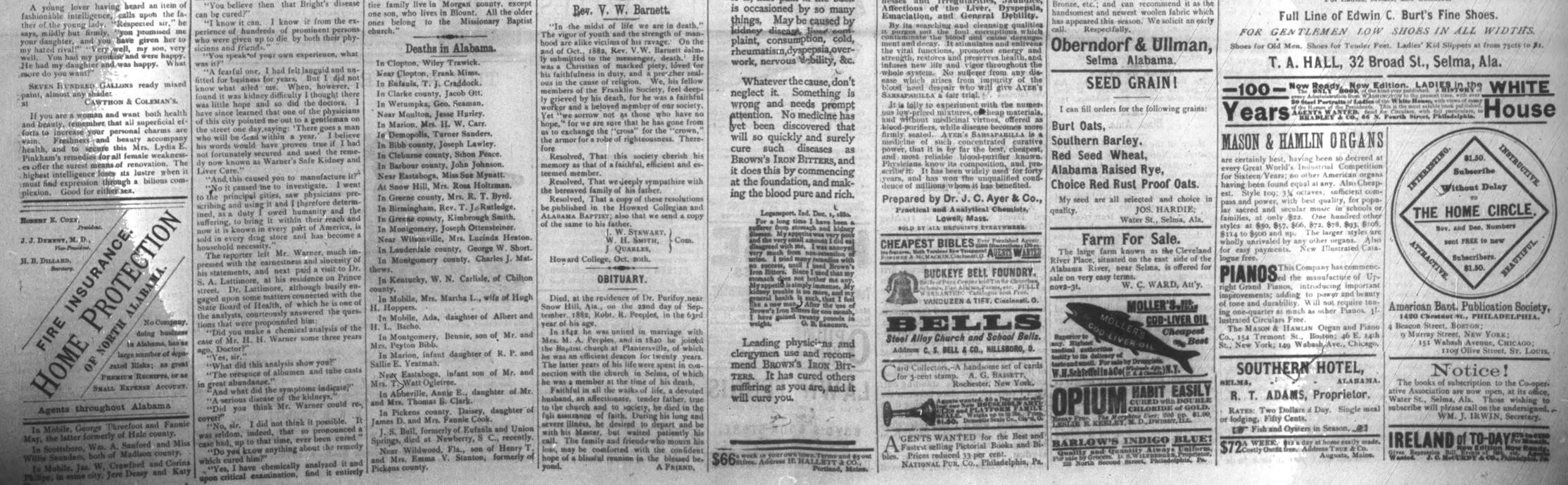
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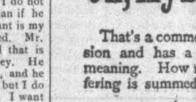


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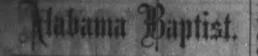
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. THE FAMILY CIRCLE.

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My little daughter had been sick about him since mother went to for weeks, confined to her bed, and heaven." the first morning she was able to sit faces passing, and would not be so that if she only believed in him she and heard what she was saying: "I lonely. She had been sitting there would be saved. for some time, and I had been laughing at her comical little speeches, when all at once she gave a cry of horror and said, "O mamma, come quick!" I rushed to the window and quick!" I rushed to the window and saw a horse and buggy passing by at then she closed her eyes. a great speed, and a black mass lying girl; please let them bring her in homeless wanderer had found rest. here."

By the time I had gotten to the outside door a crowd had collected American people, immediately yields around the poor child, and were about to the action of Brown's Iron Bitters sending for an ambulance to take her to a hospital; but I said to one of the From the Standard. nearest lookers-on, "Bring the child in here."

A kind-hearted gentleman lifted her up tenderly and did as I bid, and, carrying her to the nearest bedroom, laid her carefully down on a cool, soft bed, while I dispatched one of the anxiously waiting crowd for Dr. Sinclair, our family physician, who came of fruit-jars smashing to the floor. immediately.

wore a look of sadness as he bent over the child and said, "Poor child! She isn't much more than a baby: who is it? and how did it happen?"

I told him all I knew while he was you wouldn't think of telling anything trying to bring her back to life. He else?" examined her as well as he then could, myself, if I can. I'm afraid it may and found that no limbs were broken. but said he was afraid she was in- stand in my way.' jured internally. He did all that "It never stands in one's way to do could be done to relieve her present right, James, even though it may seem sufferings, and said he would call to sometimes.

again by night. Several of the passers by, who saw bected to get a new situation. He the bits of cotton in a corner of the amusement, and finally delight of all bles with meal or potatoes there is no sidewalk waiting to hear the doctor's most discouraged, till one day some- wide brick hearth, and went out to their friends. sidewalk waiting to hear the doctor's verdict, and I was about closing the door after him, when I heard some bight store performed to be waiting for bight store performed to be bight bight store performed to be bight bight bight bight bight store performed to be bight big the doctor's reply was, "I can't tell, but I'm afraid not." I thought to my-looked very attractive, so next and self, "What if she does die? 1 was dainty, that James, fearing that a boy but Phenie didn't touch them very tracted even those among their ac- early broods - Pohltry Monthly. self, "What if she does die? 1 was dainty, that James, learing that a boy often. There was always such a little, quaintances who were the most "ex-foolish to take her in;" and then the might not be wanted there, felt sorely and she didn't like to anyway. Quaintances who were the most "exchild said, as I entered her room, "O | tempted to conceal the truth. It was mamma, if the poor little match-girl a long distance from the place from up to the door, in a shiny-green cart a boarding-house, were pleased by the dies how glad I'll be that you had which he had been dismissed, and the lettered with gold. And among other courage and selfrespect which they or even thick blotting paper, of a size her brought here, for she'll have such chances were slight of a new employ- beautiful things he had some little tin showed in this little action, and be- sufficient to cover the burned or scalda nice home to 1.0 to heaven from, er ever hearing the truth. But he pails, painted and lettered too. and it won't be so hard to die, if she thought better of it, and frankly told "O auntie," screamed Phenie, in the has you with her. Poor little girl! exactly the circumstances which had greatest delight, "can't I have one?" maybe she never heard about God; led to his seeking the situation. tell her, mamma, before she dies." I. "I must say I have a great prefer-wiped the gathering tears from my ence for having neat-handed, careful eyes and thanked God that he had people about me," said the man, good-humoredly, "but I have heard not allowed me to be selfish. Consciousness slowly returned to that those who know their faults, and have said thirty dollars. the poor suffering child, and it was are honest enough to own them, are several hours before she was able to likely to mend them. Perhaps the swinging one of the pails on his fintalk. The first words she said, after very luck you have had may help you ger; "tour cents a pound." opening her eyes and gazing around, to learn to be more careful." were, "Oh, am I in heaven? and are "Indeed, sir, I will try very hard," you" (turning to me) an angel?" I said James carnestly, "Well, I always think a boy who saide"There, dear, keep quiet; you tells the truth, even though it may musn't talk now; you are where you shall be kindly taken care of." She seem to go against him, -- Good morn gave a sigh of relief, closed her eyes ing, uncle. Come in, sir." He spoke to an elderly man who and seemed to be sleeping, but on closely watching her face I saw from was entering the door, and James, bag stuffed full of ray the twuching of her eyes and mouth turning, found himself face to face are, Phenie," said she. that she was in pain; and I said, "My with his late employer. "Ob, ho!" he said, looking at the boy; "are you hiring this young chap, he had weighed the rags. replied, "Oh! all over." I could do nothing more for her Fred?" and had to wait patiently until the "I haven't yet, sir." doctor came again, which he did just "Well, I guess you might try him. before night, and then examined If you can only," he added, laughing, her thoroughly and found that her "keep him from spilling all the wet Can't you save some rags for me?" spine was injured, and that she was burt internally. He said to me, upon leaving, "You had better tell the little else. If you find you don't like him, leaving in the wet internal in the wet in the child that she can't recover; it will be myself." I'll be willing to give him another trial in dress in Phenie's rag-bag, she al-

whether from the remembrance of dark agin, he what her dead mother would have her do, or from the love she had for God, did not know. I thought I would not in the day."

TRUTH.

dow so that she might see the new that he was waiting to receive her, and with a bottle of cologne in her hand, folks; a professional caterer must be

would be saved. She said, "Oh, I do believe, and reckon I'd like ter hab it; but de good

watchword: "He might ask about it | tions, and finally the discharge of her In the morning she was dead, and some day?" Do we not all do little busband from his office, followed this in the street. My little daughter said, as I bent over the wasted form and things quietly, in a kind of slurring ambitious venture into the pretenses ery breeder should see that his fowls "Oh, mamma, it's the little match- pinched face, I was thankful that the way, as if they wouldn't count? And and display of fashionable life. yet we would be ashamed to be asked Here is a true and pleasant story,

Nervous debility, the curse of the about them. Remember that every-thing counts, and that "He might ask about it some day."-Well-Spring. which is quite as suggestive. A young one can see it is necessary to insure health and prolificacy. Fowls, as well as other animals, require a certain

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From the Youth's Companion. A Little Rag-Picker.

A heap of little bits of calico and half of the husband's salary to pay green food that can be had. It is linen lay just ahead of Phenie's car fare; but it would take the whole not necessary or economical to purother situation soon, I know. But what shall I say if they ask me why I left the last one?" bride. I can get and what shall I say if they ask me why I left the last one?" bride. I can get and and making all the litter she possibly could—so Phenie thought. But she

"No, I only thought I'd keep it to na, coming in just at that minute.

the veranda, too."

But in the fall a tin-peddler drove passed our young couple unnoticed in

One of the most scathing of Thack-eray's satires on fashionable society eray's satires on fashionable society the poles, but left the mulch, which do, or from the love the had the day." did not know. I thought I would not disturb her that night. She slept very well all night, and the next morning, when the doctor to take again what does not belong to you." in the day." "If you make up'your mind never to take again what does not belong to you." is the story of the decline and tall into folly and ruin, of a young married couple of small means, who had been living comfortably and sensibly in a modest house. I had last season paid me well for all in piles; several who took part in the picking said they never saw such a yield before. I used manure (cow

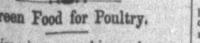
Slave and Master.

her tried old friends, who, she feared, much as I could take up at a grasp. bout him since mother went to cided change in Tessie, which pleased mere not suitable companions for the cided change in Tessie, which pleased me very much; but I was even more guests of rank. Betty could not be plants grew well, were healthy and up, I placed her chair near the win- who died on the cross for her, and pleased when one day I found her trusted to cook for these fashionable did finely." employed. Florists, upholsterers, wine merchants, followed. The house was

turned inside out. What was the re-

than ordinarily bright and intelligent,

The Homeless Wanderer. If a told me on going out of the room that her life was only a question of a day or two. After the doctor left, she said, "How kind everybody is to after day I saw her pass by my win-dow and heard her cry of "Matches!" She was thinly clad, and I often wondered how she lived, and Matches!'' She was thinly clad, and I often wondered how she lived, and Matches i'' of a live of the room where. Matches i'' of a live of the room her went to Matches i'' of a live of the room her went to Matches i'' of a live of the room her went to Matches i'' of a live of the room her went to Matches i'' of a live of the room her went to Matches i'' of a live of the room her went to Matches i'' of a live of the room her went to Matches i'' of a live of the room her went to Matches i'' of a live of the room her went to Matches i'' of the room her went to Matches i' PART OF A BOTTLE of Parker's Ginge Tonic cured me of rheuma



The time is approaching when evare provided with green food for winter use. On a moment's reflection much love and common-sense, but amount of coarse and refuse matter very little money. As they were more to keep them free from constipation, indigestion and other kindred comthey had a large acquaintance among well-born and well-bred people. At the time of their marriage the lock" and before winter sets in will husband's business was in the lower store away applage, turnips, rowen, part of the city. If the newly-married onions and potatoes for his fowls. age, turnips, rowen, couple rented a house in any town Cabbage, in ordinary years, is unoutside of New York it would take doubtedly the very best and cheapest Mr. Barton scolded, and said he broom. It was a very cunning new of it to rent a house in New York. chase prime heads for this use, as the is the original and only genuine Absor The little sufferer showed no signs of returning life, and I was very of returning life, and I was very the rood old doc. His mother looked troubled. To join the great army of idle, croch-brooms always do. The sitting-room brooms always do. The sitting-room br "Don't mind, mother, I can get an: in a day, for Miss Poor, the dressma- principle and prejudice of the little potatoes. They can be had cheap by Pain in the Back and Side, and Malaria in purchasing from farmers the small or all its types, including Chills, Fevers and

One day she discovered in a yard refuse part of the crop. These arti- Dumb Ague "Tell the truth, James, of course; liked to sweep it up very well indeed. ou wouldn't think of telling anything liked to sweep it up very well indeed. "I'd pick those pieces out and save manufactory. The lower floor was four or five months of winter, when Dr. Holman's Renal or Kidney Pad, them for paper-rags," said Aunt An- given up to wagons, but above were the fowls require good artificial feedna, coming in just at that minute. "There's such a little of 'em," said Phenie. "I don't believe it's a cent's difference in the discussion of the Kidneys and Urinary Organs. Take no other. There's such a little of 'em," said Phenie. "I don't believe it's a cent's difference in the discussion of the Kidneys and Urinary Organs. Take no other. Back Genuine Holman Pad bears the Pri-vate Reveaue stamp of the HOLMAN PAD CO., with the above Bulk NONE worth. I want to go out and sweep cality, and respectable, though occu- in the spring. The lawn mowings WITHOUT pied mainly by business houses. Here and clover heads can be saved and So Phenie fidgeted a minute with she declared she would set up her stored away in coffee sacks in a dry, So Phenie hogeted a minute with she declared she would set up her stored away in conce sacks in a dry, her broom, and when she found Aunt household gods, and here she did set cool place until needed for use, and Dr. Holman's advice is Free. Full Treatise



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After the doctor left, the little child fell asleep; from which she awakened said the younger man, "I think I shall pick the rags up quite so snug. quite refreshed, and, upon opening keep him myself. her eyes, said, "Will I die?"

Then I told her that the doc:or said she could not get well. She sighed and said, "Well, I won't be a homeless wanderer any longer. Mother 'you were right, as you always are. er is in heaven, and she said I should it was telling the truth that got it for whether to raise vegetables for home use or for sale, commencement should tried so hard! Many nights I've gone something that wasn't exactly so!" thought), and I would not steal; but

it won't be so any longer.' I asked her to tell me something more about herself, and she told me her name was Elizabeth French; that] her father had died before she could remember, and that her mother had been poor and sick for a long timeconsumption, the neighbors said she you got it." had, and she could earn but little, for she was in bed most of the time. She de dade. I nebber tuk it none; it jes got sewing from one of the large stores here in the city, and they paid her so little for her work, that she you never going to be good?" ould not buy enough bread to put in | heir mouths, so, as soon as the child was old enough, she sent her out to learn how very wicked it is to take. li pins and needles

"I didn't make much," continued other people's property, and who had never been taught it is wrong to tell "and mother soon found an untruth. hat she hadn't money enough to "Yes, Tessie, you are good about keep my little basket filled, so she some things," I said: "but you are not started me out with a few matches, and I have been selling them ever room, as you did last night."

"Dunno, miss."

dler. After one look at Aunt Anna's face,

Phenie felt, with a dreadful sinking days passed over the wagon-house. of her heart, that he might as well

"I'll take rags," said the peddler,

Aunt Anna's eyes began to laugh. "Have you got any rags, Phenie?" she asked.

"No'm," said Phenie, solemnly. "If you had only saved them, Phe-

Aunt Anna laughed. Then she brought from behind the shed door a bag stuffed full of rags. "Here they

Phenie opened her eyes, and the peddler began to laugh. In a minute

"The pail's yours," said he, "and

wo cents over. Many a little makes a good deal, little girl. Now, I'm coming around again next spring. "Yes, sir," said Phenie, hugging her And the other day when Aunt An-

"If you think that well of him." most wished that Phenie wouldn't

"Oh, mother," said James, going FARM AND HOUSEHOLD. Beginning a Garden.

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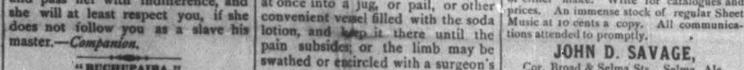
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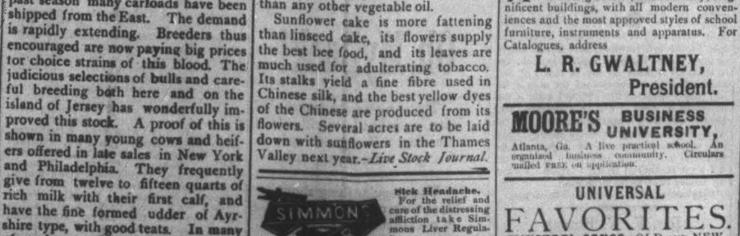
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