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The Deacons and their Duties.

The word deacon signifies servant cers, as in Rom. 13:3-4 and to ministers, as in Eph. 6:21-22.

But in its usual and restricted sense it designates an officer in the church whose character and duties are clearly set forth in the New Testament. In the history of the origin of the office we have the nature of the deaconship salary, to repair the church house, to The very revelations which were defined. "Then the twelve called the multitude of the disciples unto them etc., etc? and said. It is not reason that we should leave the Word of God and seven men of honest report, full of poor? Ye the Holy Ghost and wisdom, whom Baptist we may appoint over this business But we will give ourselves continually to prayer and to the ministry of the Word. And the saying pleased the whole multitude; and they choose Ste whom they set before the apostles, and Sunday afternoon meetings that the The same great poet seer who pourwhen they had prayed they laid their interest will be kept up even during ed forth the plaintive wail, "All day hands on them. --- Acts 6:2-6.

business qualifications, to see if he is apt or competent to do business? How

often is a deacon called on to resign or minister, and in this general sense is applied to Christ, as in Rom 15:8; to angels, as in Heb. 1:14; to Apos-the coin Acta userse in Act cons be exempt? Do we not show too whelmed with a sense of their insuffi conviction. little care in the selection, examina- ciency to perform the tasks which had

tion, ordination and after conduct of been set before them, and to bear the our deacons? Do we not take their burdens which had been laid upon work from them when we put the per- them by a King, from whose commanent property of the church into mands they dare not swerve, and a the hands of trustees? and when we Judge, from whose decisions there was appoint committees to raise pastor's no appeal.

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Balm in Gilead.

unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst

of a people of unclean lips: for mine

eyes have seen the King, the Lord of

hosts." But the seraphic fire from

secure a sexton, to care for the sick, made to them sometimes appalled them with a sense of their personal

Who is most to blame for this disre- unworthiness, and of their inability to gard for the deaconship? I answer, do the great work which Jehovah had serve (deacon) tables. Wherefore, the ministry, by all odds. Who has committed to them. It was after one brethren, look you out among you suffered most from this cause; the of these marvellous visions that the poor? Yes the poor preacher. - Central rapt Isaiah cried: "Woe is me! tor I am undone; because I am a man of

Our Washington Letter.

WASHINGTON, July 8, 1891. The Washington Young Men's Chris | Heaven's own altar was at once laid phen, a man full of faith and the Holy tian Association is blessed with a very upon his mouth, and he was assured Ghost, and Philip, and Procorus, and capable and energetic set of officers, by the heavenly messenger that his Nicanor, and Timon, and Parmenas, who are untiring in their efforts to pro | iniquity was taken away, and his sin and Nicolas, a proselyte of Antioch, vide such eminent speakers for their purged.

the heated term. They have recently long I have stretched forth my hands We learn 1, the necessity of the of- adopted a plan that is worthy of be- unto a disobedient and gainsaying peofice, the relief of the ministry from the ing followed by other associations, ple," was the author of those soul stirtemporal cares of the flock, that they which is to get prominent clergymen ring and encouraging words, "As the

unquestioned integrity, eminently pi- you are strong, and the word of God the thing whereto I sent it."

thing has not, like the phrase, gon Those Old Testament prophets were out of fashion; for it will be an evil

> "See you poor and weary pilgrim Through the wilderness of sin: See him lift his eyes to heaven, And this humble prayer begin : 'Is there, Lord, no balm in Gilead?' Is there no physician there? Will he heal the broken hearted? Will he hear my humble prayer?

Is there not a home in heaven, Where the weary find a place? May a poor repentant sinner Bow before a throne of grace? I have heard of balm in Gilead, And a great Physician there; I have heard that pitying Heaven Will the chief of sinners spare.

Pilgrim, look! who comes from Edom. With his garments died in blood! He alone hath trod the wine-press, Great, incarnate Son of God! He bath looked through God's creation, Found that there was none to save: His own arm hath brought salvation, Through the portals of the grave.

Now proclaim to all the weary They may find eternal rest: Tell the heavy laden sinner He may be forever blest. Shout the news to all the nations, Let them all the blessing share; Tell them there is balm in Gilead, And a great Physician there.' -Baptist Courier.

Itinerancy in Mission Work.

Breihren Editors: I have been in- will germinate through life. How put in operation, with a view of greatmay give themselves "continually to who are taking their annual vacations rain cometh down, and the snow from structed and enlightened by the ad much, some of us are indebted to oc- ly enlarging the annual receipts for prayer and to the ministry of the to come to this city for the purpose of heaven, and returneth not thither, but mirable article of sister Crawford, of casional contact with a few such men the current conventional year and still Word." 2. How these officers were to addressing the association, and the watereth the earth, and maketh it bring Tung Chow, China, and by the sug- cannot be told. be elected. "Look ye out among us," first to accept the invitation was Rev. forth and bud, that it may give seed to gestions, in a similar line, of Dr. of the Holy Ghost and wisdom," of write unto you, young men, because which I please, and it shall prosper in some of the broad promises of our Scriptures or aid derived from the in- work among the colored people. ous, and competent to do business. abideth in you." He told his hearers That remarkable philosopher to DeVotie used to express it.

ouisville. sufficient to enable you to consult a in case the day is secured.

most mature thoughts and views of tions for missions according to such the ablest men-seed thoughts that plans as the boards may approve and

endowed as they; and the times call Scripture plan of raising money, which pels, except in the history of the wo- pitiably poor, burdened with a family, 4. The manner of appointment or that young men are weak in not hav- whose acutely speculative mind we My suggestion was that the usual for larger culture than in their day. contemplated laying by in store on man taken in adultery, which the with financial obligations assumed for ordination. "Whom they (the church) ing had experience; that they must lis owe that profound sermon, the book plan of work among the heathen, the I would not disparage the labors of the first day of every week, 2 Cor. 16: most authoritative critics of our own set before the apostles, and when they ten to advice, and not forget that they of Edclesiastes, evidently meant to plan of establishing posts, and build any modest man of common sense 1, 2, and they urge the adoption of day regard as a modern interpolation. sionary to the heathen world. (the apostles) had prayed, they laid have the model young man in Jesus give an encouraging exhortation in ing local churches, might be "supple- enough to keep within the limits of such plans as may seem best in the Only after nascent Christianity had He was born in a village of Norththeir hands on them." 5. The duties. Christ, who did his work before he those words, "In the morning sow mented" by itinerant work on the things he knows, but no pastor will several states providing for frequent appealed to the Gentiles, and to the amptonshire, Aug. 17, 1761. Not "Whom we may appoint over this was thirty three years old, and that re thy seed, and in the evening withhold part of men specially qualified for it. long sustain himself unless he be in and regular collections from all the Jews scattered abroad, was the word, being strong enough for field work, business;" the temporal care of the pentance and faith are the only things not thine hand: for thou knowest not Sister Crawford states that this has advance decidedly of his people in his members of our churches. to save a man; that the young man whether they shall prosper, either this been tried, without any palpable re- own special sphere, rarely where he The committee took action in favor then it was a new word in the Hellen- shoe-maker, although at eighteen he The deacons, then, were not an in who invested his powers in the bank or that, or whether they both shall be sults. How would it do, to repeat is not superior to his people in gen- of holding four general Centennial ic world. It seems not to have come began to preach. He would teach by the experiment again and again, as in eral intelligence. Meetings, one at Atlanta, at the next into use until after the Peloponnesian day, cobble shoes by night and preach as in the Catholic, Lutheran, Episco who would have the government bond, Montgomery has beautifully para the case of local work? If not effect If it take you up to thirty years of meeting of the Convention, one in war. So much as to the history of the on Sunday, sometimes walking sixpal and Methodist, churches. That with interest increasing in all ages to prased this thought, and expanded it ual at once, so local labors are not age to prepare yourselves, mind it not. Louisville in October, 1892, one in term by which we commonly describe teen miles to and from his appointinto a hymn which ought to stir the successful often at once. If itinerant In that time, any man with purpose Richmond in March, 1893, and one the subjective organ of ethical knowl- ment. From the day of his converlabors have been successful only enough to make a good minister of at the meeting of the Convention in edge." Mr. Lilly has somehow con- sion the love of Christ and of souls where the synagogue or other means Jesus Christ may fully reach the foun- 1893. of partial enlightenment had gone be- tains of best instruction. fore, may we not hope that reiterated The crude things that some of us From Secretary Frost. instruction by evangelists would ulti- said, advised to "tell what we knew, mately succeed? If, as the rule, the | and then study more and tell it," suf-The following letter to the Religious Herald are warm words from the big they have shown that in that gospel it this to be accomplished? He seemed way must have been prepared, by fuse the face in the recollection, down other means, is it therefore to be con to the latest day. Divine truth is a heart of a great man-a man that Ala- is a late interpolation. But they have almost alone in his deep conviction portant that bama and the South loves: cluded that this must always he so? That God so loved the world as to the preacher see the harmony of what Eds Religious Herald: Before leav- ern; for the evidence shows that it is pered, burdened and hindered on ing Richmond I desired to say some probably as old as our oldest extant every hand. Still he pondered and give his only begotten, that whoso- he says with the whole. thing personal to myself, but could manuscript of John's Gospel. See studied, and worked and prayed, and ever believeth in him should not per-E. B. T. not find heart to take up the pen. So Wescott and Hort's discussion, in vol- preached. ish but have everlasting life" iterated and reiterated, may not prove "the The Centennial Committee Meeting many and so kindly have been the ume 2, pages 82-88, of their Greek expressions of sympathy and cordial Testament. Further: What does Mr. erful sermon from Isaiah 54:2-3, the power of God unto salvation? "Who Southern Baptist Convention. good wishing for success, and of re- Lilly mean by the term "nascent" as memorable divisions of which were, can tell?" as a loved brother used Few preachers, ancient or modern, often to say. Or why not at once? Met at Lookout Mountain, Tenn., gret at my leaving the state, I have applied to Christianity, when there "Expect great things from God; atlater in the churches, as subsequent a person who does not enjoy listening have ever contended with more or I looked eagerly through Spur- July 14, 1891. wanted to express my grateful ac- were large and flourishing Christian tempt great things for God." That history sufficiently shows each to the gladsome songs of young greater difficulties than confronted Jer- geon's "Cheques" to find the appli-Some of the things agreed upon: knowledgment of them. It had be- churches in various parts of the world, seemon was the birth throe of modern church necessarily had some property voices, which seem to praise God with emiah. His messages were delivered cation of his principle to such texts as The fiscal year of the Southern Bap come a hope with me to spend my in less than thirty years after the death missions. Twelve ministers adjourned or funds in common, as a place of as much spontaneity as the blithesome to a weak and timid king, surrounded "Thy will be done on earth as it is tist Convention be considered the life among the Baptists of Virginia. of Christ? And where he calls con- to the little parlors of a widow's house worship, the support of the ministry, birds do in springtime-and were af by a fickle and time serving court. He done in heaven," and found none centennial year. But, how strange things are! And science "the subjective organ of ethi- and organized "a society among the and the care of the helpless required terwards addressed by Rev. Dr. S lived in the midst of powerful noble Wherefore? Is it because such prom The objects now before the com- how strangely do the currents of one's cal knowledge," he makes it a special Baptists for the propegation of the means. And as the care of these would M. Newman. Later Rev. Dr. E. S men, who were plotting against his ises are too large to be pleaded in mittee as stated by the Convention life move-moving sometimes in a faculty whose function is to find out encumber the ministry, deacons were Todd talked most interestingly on liberty and his life. False prophets prayer? Because our faith is too are, during the centennial year strive sphere entirely beyond his control! what is right, and what is wrong. their poverty gave £13 25. 6d. to lay were contradicting him to his face. limited to plead them? Who knows to put one hundred missionaries in More than once in my life, some Conscience possesses no such power. its foundations. But it was also his the foreign field and to increase cor- times for one reason, sometimes for It simply approves the doing of what In I Tim. 3:8-12 Paul gives more address to the Good Templars, told scribing worthless remedies for the Of course I do not intend to ignore respondingly every department of another, I have said I would not be a we have already judged to be right, minutely the qualifications required them that it was not public sentiment, mortal diseases of the commonwealth, the means of God's appointment. Let missionary work. secretary; at Birmingham, as you and disapproves of what we have alfor this office. Here we are told that not education, not political parties, and healing the hurts of the people us plead, at the same time, for the resolution to elect me ready judged to be wrong; and, in ev instrumental in organizing. "I go the deacons must be grave not light but backbone, which was needed to slightly, crying, "Peace, peace!" when multiplication of means and the ful committee is to operate are State as Sunday school secretary, I said in ery case, it follows, and must follow down into the pit," were his well or frivolous, not double tongued, not fight the liquor traffic. "It is back- there was no peace. It was under cir filment of promise; and remember Central Committees, Mission Boards the presence of twenty five hundred the judgment, whether that judgment known words, "you hold the ropes." deceitful or two faced, not given to bone," she said, "which will make a cumstances like these that the wailing that means are actually being used as -State, Home and Foreign, District people I could not give the matter a be right or wrong. Saul's conscience He sailed for India June 13, 1793. much wine, sober, not a wine biber man go to the polls and vote for the preacher cried, "The harvest past, the never before. Conversion is indeed Associations, Centennial Mass Meet- second thought. And God knows I did furnish him the "ethical knowl- Forty one years he spent in unremitnot greedy of filthy lucre, not covet total overthrow of the liquor interests. summer is ended, and we are not saved. and "individual matter," and the gos- ings, pastors and churches, embrac meant it, and yet here I am! Those edge" that it was wrong to persecute ting toil, never once visiting his naous, or a lover of sordid gain, hold- I do not believe in any check rein, For the hurt of the daughter of my pel works like leven, but many indi- ing concert of prayer, Woman's who know me will readily know that the Christians; and his conscience ap- tive land. ing the mystery of the faith in a pure but a clean sweep of the whole busi people am I hurt; I am black; aston vidual cases have been and are co- Missionary Union, denominational the result could not have come ex- proved his acts of persecution. He conscience, intelligently and sincerely ness, and this can only be accom- ishment hath taken hold on me. Is temporary, and leaven may permeate press, distribution of literature, tracts, cept from some mighty impulse hard- really thought that Stephen ought to his work, but mention may be made there no balm in Gilead? Is there no masses very rapidly under favorable books, maps, etc. ly short of a moral convulsion; but be stoned, and his conscience approv- of the fact that seven new missiona-The state centennial committees are even they will never know the awful ed the act. It is extremely dangerous ries were raised and trained on the circumstances, and, at least, in ex crusade against some of the so-called It is not necessary, nor is it our ceptional cases. I have not yet requested to co operate in all possible struggle through which I passed. The for people to trust their consciences field, among them his two sons. non alcoholic drinks which are sold purpose, to make this passage "Mes- thought of any reason why great and ways with the state mission boards, day after my resignation was present- to guide them in matters of duty. The New mission stations were started, District associations are requested to me from another like it! E B. T. A Good Example. in raising money. That the famous singer, Christine

nowadays It is to be hoped that the To Brethren Entering the Ministry. and Foreign and Sunday school Boards may be sent in, will make its contract to request the President of the Con for bringing out the Series in the fu-Dear Brethren: Allow a suggestion vention to call the meeting of the Con- ture, and will then make a statement On Woman's Work for Missions and in the Churches. sionary Centennial.

You will need nothing more, in That Drs. Eaton, Ellis and Harris fore, to Kind Words, Atlanta, Ga. It your prospective work, than a knowl- be appointed a committee to arrange shall be our aim to improve the Series MRS. GEO. M. MORROW, Treas., edge of Hebrew and Greek, at least a suitable program for such meeting, immensely, as to matter and mechan-

Lexicon intelligently and to under- The Sunday school Board was re- able denominational pride, and to stand the discussion of scholars and quested to render such assistance as present a literature whose merit will commentators. I have been greatly lies in its power, in carrying out the win its way in the open field of comprofited by the advice of the elder work entrusted to the Centennial Com- petition. I earnestly desire to make Dr. Manly, who told me to keep my mittee, by having missionary matter the October Teacher and its accom-Greek Testament by me; it would have been a great addition if I had been acquainted with Hebrew. The Seminary is the best place ac It was agreed that we undertake to ible to acquire Hebrew and to be raise \$250,000 as a special Centennial me in this. Still it is best not to of Foreign Board, \$113,522.37. Eight thoroughly acquainted with Fund. That \$125 000 of this to be promise too much as the time is short new missionaries appointed. New Testament Greek. Besides, no for a permanent Church Building and this the period of transition and where else do the means so fully ex Fund for the Home Mission Board, formation; we shall, however, do our ist of studying biblical theology, in- and \$125,000 for a permanent fund best on that issue, and our best again ize the world. Results already achievterpretation, church history, pastoral for the Foreign Mission Board. This on every succeeding issue. work, and the like, the loss of which last to be used for Chapel Building in With a warm heart I thank you for taken? Need of re-inforcements. How many of us have sorely felt through foreign fields, Scripture translation your kind words in the Religious Her- to increase missionary offerings. Cenlife. What we have acquired, amid and other permanent investment. ald, and if the board and its work tennial of missions. the constant demands of the pulpit, This fund to be raised as far as prac- shall prove worthy of your support, I has been at the cost often of health ticable without interfering with regu- shall rejoice with a new joy and a

If a full course cannot be taken at It was resolved that the work of this in your great responsibilities, and give worthily might wear the title than the Seminary you will, in a session or committee be directed first and main- to the Baptists of Virginia the fullness William Carey. His life is of sutwo, imbibe many of the best and ly, to increasing the regular contribu- of his blessings of Christ Jesus. J. M. FROST. Nashville, Tenn., July 2, 1891. Conscience or Understanding.

further enlarging during the centenni-I know that Andrew Fuller, Andrew al year, to enable the Foreign Misetc. That is, the church shall select Dr. William McKibben, of Cincinnati, the sower and bread to the eater: so Cleveland in one of our ministererial Broadus, Jeremiah Jeter, and others, sion Board to equip and send out 100 Wrong," in discussing "conscience," the selection of a lowly instrument for out of its membership the candidates Ohio, who delivered an address on shall my word be that goeth forth out meetings. But I still cling to the idea have been great preachers and great missionaries and to enable the Home holds that the word is of comparative. the loftiest work. God never tires of for the office. 3. The character of "Strength" Sunday afternoon, taking of my mouth: it shall not return unto that we have not sufficiently laid hold theologians, in many respects, without Board to correspondingly enlarge its ly recent origin, and says: "It was un- teaching us the lesson we are so these men. "Or honest report, full for his text the words of St. John: 'I me void, but it shall accomplish that of the expectations authorized by much knowledge of the original operations and to do a much needed known to the writers of the Hebrew slow to learn-regard for character, "gracious heavenly Father," as Dr. structions of anybody; but few are The committee favored working the instead. It does not occur in the gos- village shoe maker, teacher, preacher,

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Central Committee

Birmingham, Ala. must be sent, meanwhile, as hereto- MRS. GEO. B. EAGER, Vice-Pres. Anniston, Ala. Birmingham, Ala. ical execution, so as to gratify a laud. MRS. I. C. BROWN, Cor. Sec.,

East Lake, Ala. JULY-PRAYER CARD.

Foreign Board .- "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every

Study Topics .- Our duty to evangeled. What part have Southern Baptists

William Carey.

We catch inspiration from the study fresh gratitude. May God bless you of heroes. But few among men more preme interest, whether we consider his own personality or the relation he sustains to the modern missionary movement-as its founder, its pioneer and its noblest representative.

In Carey we find again an illustra-William S. Lilly, the famous English tion of the principle that so largely essayist, in his work on "Right and prevails in the economy of grace-of sacred books. They speak of 'heart' not condition. So William Carey,

and strength.

lar collections.

flock.

a fact, but it was not by virtue of their

appointment as deacons, but by reason ance days at Glen Echo, and the exof their having become evangelists, as ercises on both days were under the is clear from the word. Nor did they auspices of the National Women's simply have the care of the poor, as Christian Temperance Union. Mrs. in the Presbyterian and Congregation- Mary A. Livermore, of Boston, was al churches. When these deacons the principal speaker on both days, were appointed the members of the Sunday's address being based upon church had put all their possessions the query: "Has the night of death into a common stock, and this had to no morning?" and Monday's upon be cared for and administered for the "A dream of to-morrow." Next to benefit of all, not the poor simply, but Mrs Livermore's oration the feature preachers and all, lived upon this com of Monday's exercises that was most mon property; the deacons then were pleasing was the mass meeting of chil custodians and administers of all the dren held in the afternoon. The little property of the church? While this ones recited and sung as only chilcommunity of goods did not obtain dren can sing-I always feel sorry for still needed and their place became "Young Women's Work." permanent in the churches.

orthodox in doctrine. Let these first plished by plenty of backbone." be proved-examined. The husband of one wife; not having more than one

wife.

from druggists' soda fountains, and it sianic." There is, in the connection, comprehensive promises are therefore and to secure their co-operation in all ed to the church, was the most des- Psalmist does not pray, "Give me a evangelists scattered, a college for From the foregoing we must con is proposed to have specimens of these nothing to show that the prophet was to induce hesitancy as to their fulfill efforts put forth. perate day in my history. God spare good conscience, and I shall keep thy training missionaries equipped; free clude that the deacons held a much drinks analyzed for the purpose of as here referring to Christ. He was ment. law;" but he prays, "Give me undermore important position in the estima certaining whether they contain alco thinking of the diseases, the distresses, In a word, I do not believe we have set apart a time during their meetings I have dared to be inconsistent -- in standing, and I shall keep thy law." his heart, and from which he looked tion of the apostles and churches than hol. If they do the druggists are to the calamities then pressing upon his ever taken in the whole idea of God's for missionary centennial. the name of God, in answer to the The difference is immense and it is for greatest results, was that of Bible they now hold. Their ordination and be prosecuted for selling them. beloved country; and out of the depths readiness to bless and to save on the State centennial committees are demand of my brethren, and in the practical. Many people have made translation. His biographer gives a A bulletin issued by the Census bu of his agonized soul he was crying out largest scales; and that this will be a urged to appoint sub committees in conviction of moving in the line of shipwreck of their characters and lives list of thirty four translations of the qualification place them close beside The pastors or ministers of the Word. reau this week gives the number of for a remedy. Many of the nobles condition precedent to the general each association. divine movement. I make no prom- by lazily trusting to their consciences Bible-all or parts by him, and six the temporal affairs of the churches puplic school pupils enrolled in 1890 and of the people were probably think- prevalence of the gospel of Christ. The state committees are requested ises or prophecies of my labor or my to teach them what was right-a thing were by him alone. must have been considered vastly imin the entire United States as 12 592,- ing of foreign aid to rescue them from Oh, who knows what was in it, when to arrange for holding several mass connection with this great work-I which conscience never did. If you portant or such men would not have What a blessed retrospect was his, 721. Truly this is a most gratitying their troubles, or to tide over this dark He saw of the travail of his soul and meetings in their respective states. dare not-I simply determine that, want to find out what is right, you as the shadows gathered; and how he been demanded for their care, nor statement, showing, as it does, that in period of their history. But Jeremiah was satisfied! A world lying in dark Dr. Harris was appointed to pre- having put my hand and heart to this must use your best judgment; you loved to recall his work in India, how such solemnities observed in their conround numbers, one-fifth of our total knew better. He was not only a ness has been the lamentation of my pare an address to pastors and movement, the best that is in me shall must exercise your common sense; the little native church had branched secration to the work. Is it not appa population is engaged in acquiring prophet, but a sagacious statesman; life, I trust inspired by the "Man of churches. be consecrated to its success. Hav you must investigate, weigh the eviout into six and twenty, and then rent on all hands that one of the chief, Dr. Ellis was appointed to prepare ing given up the pastorate and closed dence, study the motives, the charac- would whisper, "What hath God knowledge which will make better and he knew that no foreign medicine sorrows and acquainted with grief." if not the chief, weakness in all our a communication to the Woman's the gate behind me, I say farewell- ter and the results, and tendencies of wrought." men and women of them, even though | could cure the ills of the state. churches is the lack of systematic, the most of them be compelled to Even in our own time, when we Minimum action requesting them to but for a season, I could earnestly hope, human actions. People who say, "It June 9, 1834, closed his earthly ca-comparate with the committee and the but forever, if necessary and the Lord was borne in upon me that I ought to reer, in the 73rd year of his age and business like handling of our finances? leave school and go to work before have, or may have, the light of the Need I more than mention the fact? they have received more than a foun. New Testament, and of the accumuso orders. I believe in this work, in do thus and so," without serious in- 41st of uninterrupted work in India. In most cases the revenues of the dation upon which to build an educa- lated and recorded experience of near-De Eaton was appointed to ad- its importance and greatness, in its vestigation, without study, without A simple stone bears this inscription, church are either wholly inadequate, tion. There is good ground for hop- ly nineteen Christian centuries to guide Nilsson, was free from the weakness dress a letter to the editors of our de present and growing power, and in using their understanding, are very un- of his own inditing,or else collected in such a slip shod ing that the nation which has one- us, it is exceedingly easy for us to look of snobbery is illustrated by this inciway that no definite plan of work can fitth of its population at school will in in the wrong direction for help, when in our denominational life, but would itual. - Religious Herald. WM. CAREY, hearty co operation in the work. dent be pursued; and for this reason shurch the near future make some giant we are in trouble on account of our Born 17th August 1761, Among the books on missions rec- have rejoiced to see that success She was once at the house of a replans often rival the moon in frequen strides in moral reform, for while it is sins. When a sinner is first awakened Died 9th June, 1834. ommended are the following: History brought in under the hand of another. From the first moment of his piltired millionaire near New York. A cy of change. In many of our churches true that education does not of itself to a sense of his sins, the first thing "A wretched, poor, and helpless distinguished company had been inof Baptist Missions, by Hervey; De- But my face, with a bright and buoy grimage to the last, the Christian has the efficers are wanting to see what make moral men and women, it does that commonly occurs to him is to worm, on thy kind hands I fall.' vited to meet her at dinner. On en- cade of Foreign Missions, by Dr. ant heart, is to the future. but one point of safety, one rock of amount of means can be relied on as make men and women more amenable "get himself right," or to "become But his work is his best eulogy; Tupper; Pierson's Crisis of Missions; The Nashville brethren have given refuge, one place of shelter-and its a bases of their plans, and the mem to sound arguments against immorali good," or to "do better," in some way her host's arm and, hurrying in amazetering the dining room she dropped Along the lines in Front, Bainbridge; me a royal welcome. Baptist inter- name is "Constant Dependence."- modern missions his lasting memorial. bers are waiting for their plans as a ty of all kinds, besides making them altogether apart from the teachings of Life of Wm. Carey; Lite of Judson, ests are in the hands of able men, and Maria Jewsbury. -From sketch of Wm. Cary by Isabel bases of their liberality and the church accessible to both written and spoken the Scriptures, which are able to make him effusively by the hand and enment to the stately young butler, seized Hart. by Dr. Edward Judson; Life of Ann are on the advanced movement deis thus resolved into a committee of arguments, to say nothing of the us wise unto salvation. One reason Judson; From the Heart of England; cidedly. There is enterprise and Men's notions of duty change with the whole to wait, and they wait! knowledge which even a partial edu why the elaborate "machinery" of the gaged him in conversation, while the "Once, when John Newton preach-World's Missionary Conference Re- push and pluck among them. I am their religious belief, and they regard other guest stood waiting and the en-While God has evidently provided for cation gives of the examples set be- professional "revivalist" is so popular ed in a village, such was the indifferport, 2 vols ; Pagoda Shadows, Miss charmed with the city and its people as indifferent actions which they betertainer looked on in astonishment. a more faithful judicious management fore the world in the lives of good is, that it gives the awakened soul ence that only a handful came to hear Fields; S. P. Smith's Missionary as I have met them, and find every- fore deemed obligatory or criminal.-"That man," she explained to the of church affairs than is bestowed men and women. When you educate something external which he is to do him. But he was loyal to Christ and Sketches; Kindling the light; Our where signs of commercial activity Prof. Andrews Norton. group when they were seated, "is the upon any merely human enterprise, a nation you have gone a long way to- of and for himself, and thus chimes in gave the best he had. Among that Country, by Josiah Strong; Perils of and prosperity. It is a good place the worst financier on earth is often ward Christianizing it. son of a kind old nobleman on whose with the natural feeling of the sinner, estate my father worked as a day la-Our Cities, Loomis; Tracts and Leaf- for the Sunday school Board to be, Fanaticism is an evil, but not the little number of hearers was Thomas found in our churches. Is not this 'God be with you till we meet who is anxious to do something to relets of Maryland Baptists, Mission and the Convention made no mistake greatest of evils. It is good that a Scott. The sermon turned his thoughts borer when we were children. Forcondition of things due mainly to the again," was sung by the Christian En- lieve himself from his anxiety. in locating it here. I found the board a people should be roused by any toward the truth, and all the Chris-Rooms. tune has smiled on me, while it has fact that we have failed to maintain deavor delegates and their friends who But, alas! it is to be seriously appre-These publications may be forward- formulating its plans and full of hope means from a state of utter torpor. ______ tian influences of 'Scott's Commentafrowned on my old playmate, whom I according to the divine pattern the had gone to see them off, as the spe- hended that all this mechanical drillry' may be traced to that sermon." ed from Baptist Book Concern, Louis- and enthusiasm about the work. The Lord Macaulay. deaconship in our churches? We hear cial Minneapolis Convention train ing-this singing on the knees, and stances." find under such changed circumville; Branch Houses: American Bap- increase in the circulation of the Conmuch these days about a trained and started for the west on Monday night. what not-is too likely to "heal the tist Publication Society, Atlanta and vention Series of Sunday-school The wheels of Time's chariot has The chief want of Calvinistic concompetent ministry, but who ever Before boarding the train the delegates hurt of the daughter of my people No soul can preserve the bloom and St. Louis; Maryland Baptist Mission Helps, since the creation of this ratchets to them, and they move only fessions of faith is the play of the light hears anything about a trained and took part in a service of song prayer slightly," and to make the sinner im delicacy of its existence without lone Rooms, to E Fayette St., Baltimore, board is truly remarkable. The heart forward. The incidents, opportuni and hope of the gospel over them. competent deaconship? What provis- and talk, which was attended by as agine that he has got rid of the burden ly musing and silent prayer. - Farrar. Md; H. M. Starke & Co., Rich- of the great Baptist brotherhood of the ties and events of the past are irre- Newman Smyth. ions are made for training men for many is the largest church in the city of his sin, when in reality he has got mond, Va; Sunday school Supply South is certainly turning to it with a coverably gone.-W. M. Taylor, D. D. this office? Whoever hears, these days, could accommodate. rid of nothing but the sense of his sin. The life that is hid with Christ in Store, Raleigh, N. C.; Baptist Book full flow, if one may judge from the Beauty is not made of paint and of a candidate for the deaconship be-Let us be content in work to do the powder; it is the temple which health The old preachers used to talk a God is truly a charmed life. No as- House, Jackson, Miss; Baptist Book signs of the times. ing examined on Christian doctrine to Christianity is what Christians do, great deal about being "under convic- sassin's weapon can reach it in its hid- House, Dallas, Tex. On next Tuesday the board will thing we can, and not presume to fret builds for a pure, bright spirit .- Prof. see it he is sound in the faith or on not what they profess. - Thos. Dixon tion." We seldom hear the phrase ing place. - Dr. William Arnot. It was agreed to request the Home meet, and from the sealed bids which because it is little. Alexander Winchell.

ferior order of preachers or ministers of Jesus Christ was the young man alike good."

Sunday and Monday were tempersoul of every Christian worker:---"Sow in the morn thy seed,

At eve hold not thy hand; To doubt and fear give thou no heed: Broad-cast it o'er the land.

And duly shall appear,

In verdure, beauty, strength, The tender blade, the stalk, the ear, And the full ear at length. Thou canst not toil in vain: Cold, heat, the moist and dry,

Shall foster and mature the grain For garners in the sky. Then, when the glorious end,

The day of God shall come, The angel-reapers shall descend, And heaven sing 'harvest home!' "

Mrs. Maggie B. Platt, in a spirited Weaklings in high authority were pre- whether the time is come?

The W. C. T. U. have begun a physician there?"

others, becomes the first English mis-

so to speak, naturalized in it. And at sixteen he was apprenticed to a founded two entirely different things. was the ruling passion in Carey's The critics have proved quite satisfac- breast-the love of souls everywhere. torily that the section (John 7:53, 8: As Christ was unspeakably precious 11) is spurious, that is they reject it to him, he longed for the revelation. from the text of John's gospel; and of him to every soul. Yet how was not proved that the story itself is mod- and burning zeal-he, poor, ham-

> In May 1702 he preached that powjoy to lead in the work he had thus inaugurated, and to go as the first



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THE delay of the Baptist this issue wa caused by the lack of water to run the engine that runs the press. On last Monday the water was shut off so that the water pipe in the street could be lowered. Though men worked day and night, yet the work had passed could we get water. Her this unavoidable hindrance we hope the our readers and friends will excuse this de- the first to recognize it and to condemn his lay.

GREAT BRITAIN is said to have 17,449 ten perance organizations

SAM SMALL has become editor of the Atlanta Evening Herald. This is the prohibition organ for Georgia, and will also prove a good newspap

Ws grow sick at heart when we attempt to tell of the numerous murders and brawls last it' biteth like a serpent and stingeth like an adder.

JUDGE WARDEN, of Chattanooga, who months ago, committed suicide by shooting himself July 15th. Whisky ceases no harm in the traffic.

WE predict that as Roman Catholics in this country learn more of our independ- without them after they are dead. eat American way of thinking for our-

Moon of svery sermon is lost to the maor portion of our congregations because There may be a general the sermon was good, but the thoughts, the points that gave it excellence are lost sight of. It would be a wholesome exercise for parents, who have caught the main ideas, to reherse them in the presence of

the children and when clearness is needed add such explanations as shall make them

to be sure that there are points in every them.

> Tus Sunday-school Times says that as soon any prominent member of the church is charged with unfaithfulness to his profes-

sion, the world begins to talk of the serious to say it will take years for it to overcome its loss. How long did it take the apostolic cariot's fall? The effect of such moral to the effect of a detected counterfeit on the currency of a genuine bank note. It makes or those he takes, but with a lovelier sense of the value of the genuine article. How

ne Christianity is. If a profess in the path of the seeker after light.

THE weakest point about infidelity is that it has nothing to offer in the place of that religion which it seeks to overthrow. Dr. Talmage gives proper advise to all who may be in do Do not jump overboard from the stand

Great Eastern of old-fashioned orthodox until there is something ready to take yo growing out of whisky drinking. At the up stronger than the fantastic yawl whic painted on the side "Advanced ight," and which leaks at the prow and leaks at the stern, and has a steel per for one oar and a glib tongue for the other oar, and now tips over this way and then while drunk killed his son-in-law some tips over that way, until you do not know whether the passengers will land in the

breakers of dispair or on the sinking sand of infidelity and atheism. How much the make it right. I have two wonders in regard to them: the one is, how the Lord got along without them before they were born

ONE minister, speaking recently to us of allegiance to the foreign pope will grow a brother preacher, said: "He will never less strong. An Italian pope has already reach a soul, by reason of his manner. He had too much to do in manipulating af. has lost all the influence for good among the young men that he might have had by reason of his levity." Inquiry brought out the information that it was this preacher's habit to gather with the young men on the street corners and engage in telling yarns, and sometimes descending to the plane of jokes that would put to blush a bar-room bully. He was laboring under loon closing, gambling dens and bawdy the impression that he must be all things I men, in a very broad sense, or he Moody, the celebrated evangelist, makes could not win anybody. Such familiarity preeds contempt. Every preacher should be friendly and seek to gain the good will and confidence of outsiders, but let that confidence be founded upon your character for profound reverence for God, for purity

Wa belleve in this busy age that less many In last works Rapitat in giving "some inside facts from Lowndes county on the of us forget the benefits and blessings that come from the habit of secret prayer, Wa he people do not accustom themesives to prohibition question, among other things ook for the points made in the discourse. | we said, "but the circuit judge and solid are too apt to content ourselves with the public mervices or prayer in the family, impression that itor fixed it up with the transgrassers." These exercises are good and should not be Since that article appeared our informant neglected, but to get that power which every writes that we miannderstood him concerning the connection of the circuit judge with God and man one must be often alone with the matter, and desires to exonerate with God. Christ set us examples on this the judge from any connection therewith. line not only by precept hut by his acts The facts of this particular case, so far as he can learn are that the solicitor and Contrasting the hypocritical with the real plain to the childish minds. But under friends or attorneys of some twenty five or prayer, he told his disciples of those who no circumstances allow yourselves to pass thirty violators of the whisky law got toprayed to be seen of men, but said he,""when barsh criticism upon the teachings or man- gether and compromised; the solicitor thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and ners of your pastor. In this connection agreeing to accept a plea of guilty in one when thou hast shut thy door, pray to the we suggest the great necessity for preachers | case from each of eight or nine parties and | Father which is in secret and thy Father which seeth in secret shall reward the nol prosing about eighty or ninety cases. openly." It is only at such times that one sermon they preach. Make your points so The judge having nothing to do with it. can shut out entirely from his mind the sharp and clear that no one can escape We had no desire to put the judge in a cares and troubles of life and stand as it. false position, for we regard him as a high-

ngs, were wrapt in slumber, Jesus was

alone on the mountain top communing

most in the shadow of the cross he buried

ted the Master, have angels come to bler

like Jacob's experience have been those of

In the case of Jacob we have a see allo

were face to face with God with an open toned gentleman and a personal friend, so heart and a willing mind. Often when his we gladly correct the impression made. lisciples, wearied with the day's journey-

Two thousand delegates and visitors at tended the Young People's Baptist Convenblow the cause of religion has received, and tion recently held in Chicago. From the printed reports it appears that most of the speaking, leading, praying, etc., were conchurch to live down the moral effect of Is- ducted by men and women, most of whom are growing old in service. Rev. S. A. lapses on the cause of religion is about equal Northrop, of Fort Wayne, Ind., led a praytheless, not as I will, but as Thou wilt," er service for the "consecration of our young people." Addresses were made by Luke tells us that "there appeared an angel and community of Guin is whisky. So it unto him from heaven, strengthening him," Everywhere. Churches must arouse them one look a little closer at the notes he has Dr. J. O. B. Lowry, of Kansas City, Mo , on and how often as his followers have imita-"The education of young Baptists in the service;" Rev. H. C. Mabie, of Massachutheir overburdened souls. tts, on "The education of young Baptists in missionary work;" Miss Ella D. Mo is unfait dul to his duties the ungodly are Laurin, of Minneapolis, on "Young wemen and the destiny of missions;" Miss hypocrasy. But the sad feature is that such Mary E. Burdette, of Chicago, on "Heroes stent ones serve as stumbling blocks and heroines of Baptist history;" Dr. Harper on "The study of the Bible;" Dr.

O. P. Gifford, of Boston, and Wayland Hoyt, of Minneapolis, on "Enduement o power." In addition to the foregoing several others made short addresses on vari ous topics. The meeting was pronounc a great success.

A SPECIAL from Selma to the Montgom ery Advertiser on July 15th, states that a the next meeting of the town council of that city an ordinance will be introduced to force bar-rooms to do all their business with wide open doors and windows. No more screens are to conceal the drinker from the view of passers by. This is a step in the right direction, and we hope the never to make new graves and to crush hu- Lord must be obliged to these doctors of proposed ordinance will become a law for

man hearts, and yet Christian people see divinity for fixing up the Bible so as to Selma and that other cities will take the same step, if they cannot do more. Now is the time for public sentiment to be brought and the other, how the Lord will get along to bear on the council. They are men rep-

attention to public sentiment, and if those

am Small oppninged an indictement in Phil is on the charge of criminal libel. has genue tor Philadelphia, and is ready for not seem to fear the suit. J. G. Mudaon, Florence, July 18; The os Amodiation will be in session a int.Valley, sixteen miles above Flor mos, July 31st to August 2nd. Hopresent. utive of Baptist interests should arrive at nce on July 30th, in order to reach the of books, pamphlets, tracts, and periodicals, place of meeting by private conveyance. James Crook sold last year from bit farm near Jacksonville, Ala, 11 47 ds of butter at thirty two cents per and, \$800 worth of buttermilk, also sevral thousand dollars worth of Jersey calves. ther is a genuine Allianceman and one a sub-treasury independent of the gov-

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reds in Ogden, Utah, against whom Hay

The summer edition of the Normal Ray, he college paper for Troy Normal College awbeen issued. It contains portraits and etches of the lives of prominent educawith his Father. And then as he stood al- fors and gives much information concern ig the college and its prospects. The Ray himself in the depths of the garden of Geth- a good paper and is a credit to its talent reveal. semane and prayed, "O my Father, if it be is editor, Mr. Ira Champion.

ossible, let the cup pass from me: never- Rev. Q D. Haney, through the Fayette nes, says that the worst curse in the church every where. Churches must arouse them ives. Preachers must constantly preach nat dram drinking until the churches and not retain in their membership any n who sells or makes whisky, who signs mple of the power of secret prayer. There petitions for license, or who drinks the ac was no mere formality used by that man, Hansed stud.

He was troubled: coming to meet him was Salem Baptist church at Brundidge, Als. an angry brother with four hundred men, is without a pastor. Rev. N. C. Underwood, and he knew not what the issue would be for years its pastor, has resigned and accept-He could do nothing but to go alone in the jed the pastorate of Clayton church. He darkness where no mortal car could hear leaves a fine church which will attest his or eye could see, and there pray. So carnest strength as a pastor and preacher. He goes was he that he grappled with the angel of to a field of possibilities and Clayton may the Lord, and wrestled until the break of congratulate herself upon his acceptance. day, even after the angelic hand had de May the Lord direct Salem in selecting anointed his thigh, "and he said I will and other good pastor.

let thee go except thou bless me." Th One of the best friends that the ALABAMA prayer brought Jacob more than he asked BAPTIST has is Capt. A. A. Walker, the genfor, not only guaranteeing him safety from eral agent of the Penn Mutual Life Insurthat through the coming years would tell, kind word for the paper. And in this conthat as a prince he had power with God and nection we are glad to state that his insurman and prevailed. Hear his itriumphant ance company is or e of the safest and best seen God face to face, and my life is pre- take out insurance should by all means served." Why, he has not even met his communicate with him. brother yet, but he feels safe, for God has assured him of his presence. How much,

many of our readers. You have been

Died, on July 9th, '91, Bro John B. Scott.

He was born in Edgefield District, S. C.

Dec. 15th, 1806 Moved to Alabama when

of Mt. Moriah, Wilcox county, in 1830.

United with old Fellowship church in 1833.

Soon afterwards was made deacon, which

position he held to his death. A great and

good man has passed away. One of the old

landmarks of Baptist faith and progress in

this section has gone. We honor and love

such men while living; may we profit by

On July 16th the National Temperance

Convention in session in Saratoga, N. Y

discussed an essay on "Constitutional Pro

hibition" read by A. M. Powell, of New

favor of canstitutional prohibition. "Lo

cal option" and "high license" were re-

garded as makeshifts that were advocated

was applicable in this case.

their example when dead. $\rightarrow D. W. R.$

nits young; settled in the neighborhood

Lord's flock. His two sermons here Sunday night and Monday night were refreshing to the writer and the people. God bless the toiling pastors of the state is my earnest prayer, and you tired editors, tee, [We are not Bred, brother, but we want God's blassings - Kds 1

The American Baptlat Fublication Society npon "The Unpardonable Sin," which, no has is ned seventy new publications during doubt, will be unusually interesting. Sunthe past year. Of these, 501,950 copies have day school opened with preyer by school been printed The total number of copies new and old, printed during the year, is Fastor made a short address upon "Obediover thirty-four million (34 411,750) copies. ence," where at the wedding feast, Christ This exceeds the number of copies printed told the servants to fill the water pots. last year by 1,318,050. The total number which they readily obeyed.

of pages (10mo) printed during the year is 767,817,876, an increase of 38,871,353 over last year. The total issues since the organization of the Society is over four hundred and fifty-seven million (457,720,821) copies of books pamphlets, tracis, and periodicals,

equal to 9.336,844 154 16mo pages Consider for a moment the grand service the Publication Society is doing for the cause of

Christ with the printing press. Who can estimate the result? Eternity alone will

W. C. Bryant, Coalburg, Ala, July 11: The Cosiburg Baptist courch is much elated over the Lord's work here. On the fourth Sunday in June we had Bro. Crumpton with us. He preached the dedicatory ermon to the delight of a large and intelligent audience. He preached at night on this or any other state, which he will dochurch was dedicated without a cent of debt hanging over it though it is valued at dian relics and curiosities for the college over \$500. Everybody wants to see the Let all the friends of the college take this genial face of Bro. Crumpton again. The matter in hand, and success will be forth-First church of Coalburg has called Bro. coming. Address me at East Lake, and Savell, of the Second church of Birming- send by freight or express to Birmingham,

entered at once upon the work. We are sorry for the Second church. Our Sabbathschool has a full corps of teachers and excellent music being conducted by a most efficient organist. Averaged attendance at Sabbath-school, forty,

Program for the Cedar Bluff Baptist Sunday-school Convention, to be held at Gravel Springs church, embracing the fifth Sabbath his brother, but giving him a new name ance Company. He never fails to speak a sult of attending and not attending Sabbathand Saturday before in August: 1. The reschool, by brethren V. A. Gardner and R. J. Sims. 2. Qualification of Sabbath-school words as he limps from that spot, "I have that we know of, and our friends who can Leander Copeland. 3 Itls and cares inciteachers, by brethren M. A. Cornelius and dental to Sabbath-school work, by brethren

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by the friends of the college, would mean failure from the beginning I therefore call upon you to send to me such mineral specimens of your respective counties as you may have in hand or may be able to secure If any one has a collection of minerals, of issions and took a collection. Our nate to the college I will gladly receive it. I desire, also, to secure a collection of Inham, to be its pastor. He has accepted and

Yours Fraternally, GEO. W. MACON, Prof. of Chem. Howard College. THE CHURCH AND MISSIONS.

> Our Lord's commission to evangelize the world was given to his church. To look out

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and send forth missionaries into all the world is therefore the great work of the churches. The commission is the churches' "marching order." The command has the emphasis of duty to God and to the world. Are the churches obeying our Lord's order' The encouragements God has given have already made modern missions the conspicu ous chapter in the history of Christianity No more plainly did the "pillar of cloud"

P. S. Watt and L. W. Raynes 4. What is move before Israel in their march, than God One of the best papers for the young peo- the Scriptural plan of bringing children to is moving before the churches in this work ple is the Young People at Work, published Christ and how early may they come? by of missions. The work of grace upon our by the American Baptist Publication Soci- brethren H. T. Leath and J. R. Ramsey. 5. mission fields is as marked as upon those in to bear on the council. They are men rep-resenting the people and must give some attention to public sentiment, and if those

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selves and depending upon ourselves their

NEW YORK CITY has a gambling mayor. The New York Advertiser, of a recent date. speaks of Mayor Grant's success in betting on a horse race. -Put a gambling, drinking man in high office and it is almost impossible to have the laws against Sunday sahouses executed. Down with such charac-

Our large daily papers have magnificent opportunities to do efficient work in the way of keeping the people posted on the manner in which town councils dispose of good sense and genuine interest in the wel monies received, and also as to their failure to demand the enforcement of laws which look to the moral interests of the towns. But very few such journals practice in these fields of usefulness

THE Birmingham News deserves the thanks of every Christian in the state because of its faithful and fearless manner of speaking out in behalf of the sanctity of the Lords day, In this connection we are glad to be able to say that for the past year the editorials in the News have done much towards building up a better moral sentiment in Birmingham

WHISKY leaves its mark upon every community. Go into any town or country and about their fathers' and neighbors' stil village. Ask questions about people, who they are, what they do, what caused the death of this one or that, and soon there will be unfolded to you much sad history. Asking who lived in a certain house, a genreplied, Mr. ---- used to live there. The poor fellow, in a drunken spree stabbed his brother so that he died. Passing another home in a different the expression, "I am all things to al place, one said to us, "There is where a miserable man killed himself a few months since, while crazed with drink."

KENTUCKY is a whisky stronghold. The distillers and wholesale whisky men are the leading church members, Whisky making and whisky selling has so long been regarded a business in that state ers, we are told, have been slow to preach against the liquor traffic and to members to give up the business or get out of the church. Dr. T. T. Eaton, of Louisville, a man of great convictions, the occasion he was. They were a people has come out squarely against whisky in a devoted to the erection of altars. Desiring prohibition sermon. We trust others all over the state will press the fight until it over the state will press the fight until it will be impossible for a liquor man to re- last as his starting point he preached a tain membership in a Baptist church in that great state.

One of our exchanges thinks churches characters into their membership, that they with boys we give these two selections: may be enabled to convert them, and Christ is no place for a man until he be a "new creature in Christ." The churches of Christ should be a power in the world,

being of humanity. MR. STAKELY, of Union Springs, is visitng his old home in Tennesse, and among other things he writes the following words, which should be pondered by those people

who glory in the good old times when whisky was so free. "Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." Read what is said:

When I lived at Rogersville almost everybody drank whisky; the farmers had their | fully imbued with the spirit of the work still houses and made whisky and brandy, and the merchants took barrels of liquor then in payment of debts, like our merchants in Union Springs take bales of cotton now. When I look back for my old knows his subject thoroughly. We believe friends and associates when I lived at Rog | this would be a good plan for all preachers

ersville, who were brought up in the store ouses, where are they? Gone! Gone! Well nigh all of them gone !! And it seems ike I alone am left to tell the taie And a sad tale it is to tell! Heart rend ingly sad indeed! For a large number of hem went into drunkards' graves, and left mon, as is Mr. Moody's habit, it would their wives broken-hearted and their chil- take away all the pathos; all the richness iren fatherless and destitute

Someone explains what Paul meant b better preachers. men." Some have foolishly taken it to mean "When you are in Rome do as Rome

does," hence while at home they avoid the dance and similar places, yet when visit-

ing, they run to the same excesses of those was wise in the use of time, place and circumstances." He studied the character ple in any community have family prayer and surroundings of those about him, he Once in a while during a revival a few chose his arguments and illustrations from church members determine to erect an althe things most familiar to his hearers. tar to God in their homes, and for a time See him at Mars Hill! What a master of dropped. Thousands of children in Alabama are growing up in profemedly Christian homes and yet never hear the voice of prayer except when they go to church. powerful sermon concerning the God who Dr. Ellis says he don't think any family made them. is blessed very greatly in spiritual things

For the benefit of Sunday-school teachtake saloon men, gamblers and other such ers who are puzzled to know how to deal As to the "bad" boy, there is no questhinks the Farmers' Alliance ought not to tion as to the attitude of the Sunday-school hesitate to do the same thing. In the first toward him; it cannot do without him; the more of him it can get in the better. place, if our friend will study the Bible A Sunday-school which seeks only good closely he will discover that the charch of children would be like a church looking

one time enemies have met us as forgiving who advocate this move do not stir themloving friends. selves they will find that the whisky sellers

While secret prayer is helpful, yes, abs and their patrons will be successful in ntely induspensible to every Christian, it i moulding sentiment, or at least causing much more needful to the preacher. The talk in their favor. If the majority of the council is in favor of this ordinance then its supporters may feel somewhat safe, but it there are doubtful or wavering ones it with require hard work to pass it and hard-er work to keep it in force. It may be of interest to some of our may be thoreby enlanced the solution of the solu

IT may be of interest to some of our may be thereby enlarged. preachers to know what preparation Mr BAPTIST RALLY AT SPRING HILL

before preaching a sermon. Those of us Through the kindness of brethren Mos and McBryde our part of the rall comes before the congregation filled with a eached Spring Hill after nightfall Mon power that moves and melts all opposition day. Tuesday, at 10 o'clock the meeting before him. Some one writing from his was opened with a prayer service. Spir. home at Northfield, Mass., says that after

ed talks were made and earnest prayers he has selected a subject and text, he stud, fered for the success of the meeting. ies it carefully and prayerfully, and then fore 10 o'clock the large church build retires to a secret place where after spend. was well packed. The audience for ing a while in prayer for a proper underthree days and nights of the rally cont standing of the subject and power to exned large and extraordinarily attenti plain the sermon, so that souls may be le Rev. Gao. E. Brewer preached at 11 o'clos to Christ, he arises from his knees and on the office work of the Holy Spirk preaches the sermon to an imaginary ordi-Tuesday afternoon was devoted to a discusnance, by this means getting himself more sion of Sunday-schools, the character of officers and teachers needed, etc. Rev. Dr. before him. He usually goes straight to Worthy, the moderator, styled this meethis pulpit from this exercise. He impresse ing a campign of education. Rev. J. L one that he has been close to God and Jones, of Oxanna, preached at night on the call for "more laborers." His thoughts were well arranged, and he made a fine imto adopt. Many sermons impress one that ession on all who heard him. The retoo little real thought has been put in mainder of the session was occupied in them and surely many of them are not speaking of Christian education, parental | York. All the speakers were decidedly in steeped in prayer. A brother once said that esponsibility, temperance, missions and should he adopt this saying over the serchurch work in its various phases. The brethren and sisters of Spring Hill were exceedingly kind in their attendance on by whisky men and as tending to distract when he came before the people. In this the meeting and treatment of the visitors. we believe he made a mistake, and the Bro. Moesly, the pastor, is very much plan is worth a trial by all who wish to be loved, and exerts a good influence throughout all the country. The farms are well

The Baptist rallies being conducted over | cultivated, the horses and mules fat and this state under the supervision of Bro. the citizens intelligent and hospitable W. B Crumpton, are giving special em-Crops are excellent. We have visited no phasis to secret prayer, family devotion community which seems more prosperous Board has employed Bro. J. M. Waller as about them. "Paul," says the writer, "was and church prayer meetings, and valuable and desirable than Spring Hill. By fall not a changeable, fickle man; but one who instruction is given concerning these du- we hope to have the ALASAMA BAPTIST vis- of the church at Clayton and has done a ties. It is appalling to know how few peo- iting at least forty homes in that heat.

FIELD NOTES.

Florence Normal College is still forging to the front in the great work of educating keep up the habit, but soon the custom is teachers. Bee its advertisement in this pa-

> The advertisement of East Lake Athen eum appears in this issue of the BAPTIST This is a young school and we wish it much

The A. & M. College at Auburn, Als without family religion. Let our readers has a new advertisement in this issue. I think of this. Are you enjoying religion? gives information about that great school. Are your children being converted? Are Read it. those already converted honoring their

profession? If not you had better look for Selma Association convenes at Mt. Gilend the reason. Let parents so act that the church on Tuesday before the second Sabchildren will feel that Christ is an occubath in August, instead of Friday, as stated pant of the home. Dr. Ellis relates the | in the last issue.

case of a man who had given up family If you need a school, advertise forbit is the sheriff of his county. Miss Lula is prayer, and who was startled by this in- through the ALABAMA BAFTIST. If you de intelligent, amiable and lovely, of one of neral services of little Robert, infant son of quiry from his little child, "Papa, is God sire a teacher, ask for him through our s

dren at present as in the past? by brethren is doubly valuable by the help it gives to the John Lawrence and H. W. Roberts. 6 in it.

young people of the Baptist denomination What is the best plan to insure an attend-What shall we say to these things? Can tor Christian work in the organization re- ance at Sabbath-school? by brethren T. B our churches trifle with such a commission, cently formed at the Chicago convention of Miller, J. T. Bartlet, and Paul Trimsey. 7 enforced by such amazing evidences? The young people. This paper will be sent for the Is literary attainments withuot moral trainfirst century of missions is closing! For remainder of the year at reduced rates. 1t. ing good or evil? by brethren J. N. Webb these perishing millions the churches have and H. C. Hurley .- H. T. Leath, V. A. Gard T. H. Stout, Midway, July 20: On the put into Christ's hands little more than the ner, T. B. Miller, committee. second Sunday night in July we began a lad's gift of "five loaves and two fishes.

meeting at Charlton (formerly Dean's Sta-J. B. A., Collinsville, July 20: On the But how wonderfully have they been mul tion), twelve miles north of Ozark, Dale evening of the 12th inst. at 8 p. m., a large tiplied! Had we given to missions as county. The meeting grew in interest from concourse of people assembled in the Bap-God has given to us, we might the first, Closed on Wednesday night with tist house of worship at Collinsville to withave celebrated this century of missions ness the marriage of Mr. John V. Mitchell, seven additions-four by baptism. These with the offering to Christ of an evangelized were the first baptisms ever administered in of Bessemer, and Miss Erie Collins. An world. How are our churches to be awaken the town. A committee on building a house entire week had not elapsed when the same ed to their duty to Christin missions Thi of worship was appointed during the meethouse was filled to overflowing to witness question pastors must answer. The impulse ing; three deacons were also elected. The the funeral services of sister R. T. Nowlin, must come from God! We need a revival of who breathed her last at 10 o'clock Saturday outlook is decidedly good, if we can get rid a sense of personal responsibility that will morning. She was married on the second of whisky in the town. compel us to pay our debts to God. Suc-

Sunday in November, 1891. She was a concess is as certain as bis promises are sure. sistent member of Liberty Hill church for Yes, but these promises must be believed a number of years, and died in the triumph and used. Prophecy is God's voice to our of a Christian's faith. May the Lord suschurches, and must be made an impulse to tain the widowed mother, brothers and sisduty, not the excuse for inaction. Th ters, and the deeply bareaved husband and throne of prayer is thickly hung with hi his children, now motherless the second promises. Duty is imperative. Opportutime. The church at Collinsville will benities are inspiring. Encouragements are gin a series of meetings on the fourth Sun- such as were never given to any other peoday inst. We have the promise of Bro. S. ple. What then must be the responsibili R. C. Adams' services. Pray for us that the ties of our churches? Lord will again visit this vine with a glo-Oh, church of the risen Christ! Pray

Give!! Pray!!! Read and meditate until rious revival. My health has been rather these things of God are like fire in one's shattered since May. The BAPTIST continues to improve bones. Until you must pray! Until you

must give, constrained by the love you bear Program of the ladies' missionary meet Christ and his cause. You must know g to be held at Pine Apple on July 30th about missions, if you become interested in m. Devotional exercises led by vice them enough to pray for them and to give resident. 2. Election of secretary, 3 to them. Pastors and churches can secure Calling list of churches and enrolling names valuable information and valuable aids of representatives, 4. Reports from socie from the Mission Rooms, No. 10 E. Fayette Shall the women of the south or Street, Baltimore, Md. ize for mission work? by Mrs. J. Revn F. M ELLIS.

IN MEMORIAM.

her feeble condition of health; but while

she was circumscribed in her field of ac-

as he felt the loss of her presence and

words of encouragement, "When shall we

If her life was beautiful, and surely the

life of such an one is beautiful, what shall

There was no doubt, no fear, as she was

Turning her eyes toward one of her loved

ones, she said, "Sing of my Redeemer;

called to meet the last enemy. Her end was triumphant and glorious.

she came in contact.

ee her like again?

we say of her death?

'Precious Redeemer'

rejoice at her infinite gain?

HER PASTOR.

around me:

olds. 6. Arrangements for sending a box of clothing to a frontier missionary. Miscellaneous business. 2 p. m. Devotion

Harriet Tryphenia Lindsey, the subjec al exercises ied by Mrs. O J. Burson. f this notice, way the little daughter of Reports from Sunbeams. 3 How we came Rev. Samuel P. and Mrs. Julia F Lindsey She was born at East Lake, Ala, March 23, 1891, and died of cholera infantum uly 2 1891, after a few hours of suffering. We miss thee, dear little Hattie; no more n this world of care will we behold thy bright blue eyes and pleasant smiles but we hope to meet thee "In the sweet bye and hye." where there will be no more organized, and an account of the work acparting. It was the will of the Lord to complished. Music will be interspersed take thee to bimself.

throughout the program. At night there 'There is a reaper, whose name is Death, And with his sickle keen, He reaps the bearded grain at a breath, which Rev. W. J. Elliott will explain the And the flowers that grow between.' the Southern Baptist Convention. After

the sermon there will be a collection taken OBITUARY. up for missions. The meeting during the Died, in Tuskegee, Ala., June 14, 1891, in day will be for ladies only. At night it her 79th year, Mrs. Elizabeth C. Swanson.

will be open for everybody. The church She was the wife of John Swanson, who mother, on July 15th, at 4 p. m., in the and pastor at Pine Apple extend a hearty was a faithful deacon in the Baptist church, presence of many intimate friends, Mr. B. | welcome to everybody. Pastor Elliott and and who only a few years ago was called of H. Lary and Miss Lula A. Hunt. They left others will be on band to welcome the the Master to "come up higher." at once for the home of the bride groom in guests -- Mrs. Clara W. Analey, vice president, After the death of her busband, sister wanson led a retired life, on account of

EIRMINGHAM CHURCHES.

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the temperance voice. "The Napoleonic principal of finding out where your enemy wants you to stike him and then hitting him elsewhere and in his weakest point W. B. Crumpton, Marion: I am glad to say to the brethren that the State Mission

to God, and adding a mayed, but not tak

Tun editor of the Great South, a monthl we believe, which is published at Birmin ham, while at the press association exhib-ited to several a set of resolutions, the im-port of which was to denounce the United States congress for passing the law against lotteries. He got so little comfort that the Again, a show of unlooked for confidence resolutions were never presented. But we in the scholar, by throwing new response learn that his paper teems with abuse for bility on him, will awaken his best im such. He thinks the liberty of the press is assailed. Certainly when the government is convinced that it has to deal with law-less characters it must take severe methods

ent, as was a tremendous crowd of others. Several Catholic priests were in the throng. While a hymn was being sung a Catholic hurled a stone at the speaker, and then, as if that was a signal for a general onslaught the air was filled with sticks and stones, which seriously injured a few of the Meth-odists. The Catholics declare that services shall not be beid in the new church. Fs-ther Daig will say that story is untrue, but his denini will only emphasize more clear-iy the deceit and bitterness of Roman Ca-tholicism.

ol has a mission, it is the bad boy dead?" "Why, daughter, what do you school has a mission, it is the bad boy. should exult in an opportunity to try self on him. Whoever mentions him in a connection with a rising inflection of olos, depreciates the scope and nobility of he work of the Sunday-school. Bid him nome! Go out into the highways and seek nean?" said the astonished father. "Is God dead? for you do not talk to him as you used to," said the child. If some Sunday-school teachers did not teach other-

wise, doubtless the children of many might also think that God was dead. Would that How to deal with troublesome scholars

apply to your case?

But after all has been said, it is nevertheless a difficult matter to successfully keep up family prayer at all times. Some pulses. Yet again, firm and kindly severi-ty is demanded for the scholar's good, and for the good of the school. In illustration drowsy to enjoy the worship. This is one rection reason why some people fail to get their

of one method that worked successfully, a less characters it must take severe methods to catch the rascals, and when a newspaper becomes a partner in lawlessness it should be made to pay the penalty. THE Cincinnati Enquirer describes a riot at the laying of the corner stone of the new Methodist church in Durango, Mexico, Inix 5th The American consul was preschildren to love family prayer. Others at-July 5th. The American consul was pres- mischief. He drew off the attention of the meaning, and then a short but practical

in the right place.

tion, Prof. Dawson is a Baptist.

vertising columns.

Prof. Alonzo Hill, of Tuscaloosa, has a ries with her the other of all who knew her. flourishing school for girls. His colleg for years been noted for its excellence. See -F. C. P.

bis advertisement in another column.

daily for a fine opening of the Southern ested in and working for Howard College,

the president, visited Russellville last week. The Baptist church at Monterey lost one fathers wait at night until everybody is of its most faithful members last week when through work and then the younger mem- Bro. John Scott died. He lived a faithful bers of the family are either asleep or too life and died in the hope of a glorious resur-

> The Fayette News says, "If nothing but saloons and other nefarious enterprises will build up a town, before high heaven let it go down." Towns never go down because saloons are kept out.

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er of this paper do likewise.

colleges, where he gave the best of satisfac- this month. He will be assisted by breth- R. possesses rare qualifications both of head to do much good for the Master. ren P. C. Drew and F. C. Plaster.

Rev. A. J. Waldrop preached a very swee behind her many devoted friends and carries with her the best wishes and the sin- gospel sermon at night. THIRD CHURCH -- Pastor Roden preached

at both services to good congregations. D. I. Purser, Birmingham, July 17: For Sunday school well attended. The pros-

J. C. Hudson: The prospect brightens the encouragement of those who are inter-

AvondalE -Father Greene preached at Female University, on Sept. 15. Dr. Base, permit me to say that I am instructed by 11 a. m. and at night; one received by letthe trustees to proceed to erect four more ter. Sabbath-school well attended. BESSEMER. - Three interesting services and brick dormitories. These houses are to have eight rooms each, thus providing for all well attended. House full at night and sixty four more students than we had room at the close of sermon about twenty-five

> for last year. The old dormitory is to be bowed for prayer, Pastor preached at both and as the music fell upon her dying ears, thoroughly renovated, repainted and put services, at 11 a. m., "The Christian's Sac. in first class condition before the opening rifice," at night on "The Morning of Judge-

of the session this fall. Now, let every ment," Amos 4:12 yoing man who expects to attend college South Sing .- One hundred and seventy-

this fall make a careful investigation of the eight in Sunday-school; collection \$5.00. claims of the Howard before coming to a Good congregations. Pastor Hale preached

Her's was a passing away in the glorious decision. If our pastors will help all along at 11 a. m., and Dr. H. Allen Tupper, pastriumph of the Christian faith; and she has entered upon a life of blessedness and the line we can enroll three hundred pupils | tor of Broadway Baptist church, of Louisjoy forevermore. Her children and grandchildren "may rise up and call her blessed," and may be consoled in their griefs by the assurance ville, Ky, at night. Subject: "Now and

W. N. Buckabee: On last night we held Then." Dr. Tupper was present at the conthe most interesting, and I trust the most ference and gave a most hopeful and enbeneficial, church conference that the couraging report of the Baptists in Louis- that the Lord loved her, and that her death Business men from all over the state ap- Camden church has held since my pastor- ville. They have built seven Baptist

preciate the character of job work turned ate here. The attendance was unusually churches there in as many years. Dr. Tuphurled a stone at the speaker, and then, as that he was too far advanced to remain in to do the right thing at the right are sending us their work. Let every read- present, Bro. Ray, pastor of the Palmetto ilton, of this city, whose wife is Dr. Tup-

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made her way to see those who we enrolled FIRST VEAR. flicted, and her presence was ever a "blessing and a benediction to those with whom

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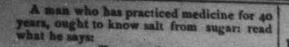
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and heart for an under shepherd of the



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sanitary inspectors was called before the

committee, and the following dialogue took

"Mr. Inspector, did you have a case of

'For the same reason that you wouldn't:

"Did the family go entirely without

"No; they were by junicks (by jenics)

"I mean people who doctor themselves."

Some of the guardians of the public

health, when asked, "Have you any hyjin-

nicks in your ward?" replied, some "had

them pretty bad," and others said the peo-

OBITUARIES.

this action of the church, and that a copy

Our brother, Dr. R. P. Means, who, years

to the people of God." was baptized in that

faith and received into the membership of this church, has (Jan. 19th, 1891) "crossed

over the river and rests under the shade of

As a laborer in the vineyard of the Lord

he has gone to receive the final plaudit of

As a traveller in search of a "better coun

try-a heaven," his pursuit is ended in possession, his "faith is lost in sight, and

As a soldier of the cross, at the command

of the Captain of his salvation, he has "laid his armor by, and dwells in peace at home."

in the hope that "on the margin of the riv-

er that flows by the throne of God," hi

voice, in joyful accord with God's children,

who are "gathering home," is attuned in

eternal praise of Him who "called him here

Those most sorely bereaved we commend

to Him who afflicts more in love than an-

ger; to that Lord who in mercy gave; who

who alone can administer the oil of conso-

lation, bind up the broken heart, and gra-

ciously teach, even those smarting under

affliction, to say, "Blessed be the name of

Resolved. That the above be spread upon

a page of the church record, and a copy be

W. P. MCQUEEN,

J. C. FONVILLE,

Committee.

D. S. HURST,

sent to the family of Bro. Means.

our senior deacon, Bro. B. M. Fluker.

Resolved, 1. That in the death of Bro.

Fluker our church has sustained a loss

upbuilding of the brotherhood; he being al

ward move of the cause he had espoused.

2. That in the life of Bro. Fluker we had

an example worthy of our every emulation

he being always on the side of right; endeav

oring to avoid even the appearance of ev 1

HOODS

IMPOUND EXTRACT

deacon B. M. Fluker.

in his providence "hath taken away," and

his hope in sweet fruition."

the Master, "Well done, good and faithful

H G. DARBY,

Chm'n. Com

be sent to the ALABAMA BAPTIST for publi

the progress of her church.

cation.

the trees

servant.

below.

the Lord.'

"What do you mean by 'hyjinnicks"

smallpox in your ward at such a time?"

"Did you visit the sick people?"

Why did you not visit them?"

didn't wish to get it myself."

place

care?

"Yes, sir."

I didn't."

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

The Lover's Lament. Your face is like a drooping flower,

Sweetheari] I see you fading, hour by hour, Sweetheart !

Your rounded outlines waste away, In vain I weep, in vain I pray, What power Death's cruel hand can stay?

Sweetheart, Sweetheart ! Why, nothing but De Pierce's Favorite rescription. It imparts strength to the falling system, cures organic troubles, and for debilitated and feeble women generally, is

hast the trouble, distraction, inconveniences of life, but not the sweets and true use of it.-Fuller.

It requires a clever man ordinatily to tell he true from the false. Lapidarians say that only the most skilled experts can tell a

really fine diamond from one that may be ple in their ward "got over them pretty The efficacy and value of medicines, the truth or falsity of their curative properties can only be found by experience and trial.

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need barely be said that they have little value as compared with this standard and ong used specific against every form of pain. Its value, especially in the treatment of norses and other animals, has been attested in almost every state in the Union. The To clean willow furniture use salt probably not another preparation known bereavement to our church, we feel sorely that is so valuable to have around, or so likely to prove useful in cases of emergency. There is not a known pain, from the most shall never again greet or be greeted on

ordinary cut or bruise to rheumatism or earth by this good woman of God, who was neuralgia, that Mansfield's Magic Arnica ever ready in every good word and work Liniment will not cure. Be sure that the name is all right. In case your druggist should not have it, send to the Mansfield

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OCTOBER.

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This list is now printed for correction and headaches, and curing habitual If any brother sees a mistake let him write to the paper at once and have it corrected. lowers This list should be cut out and preserved for future reference, as we will not ask the family our Christian sympathy in this hour

AS TO NEW YORK. ever at his post in church, in Sunday-scho Mr. Andrew D. White, in discussing the shift responsibility, but boldly confrontin "Government of American cities," makes the arduous duties of every day life as a true

some very extraordinary revelations of the and tried soldier of the cross. 3 That while we miss Bro. Fluker in our inside workings of metropollian politics church counsels, as we had learned to lean For four years he was a member of the on him as a strong staff, and may wonder

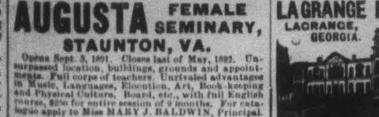
how this strong staff is broken, and the beaucommittee of the senate of the state of New tiful rod-still we submit to his will who York, which committee "had to do with holds the universe in his hands, and notice municipal affairs." During a part of this the failing of each sparrow, believing that time he was on the special committee of he had need of him in a bright world above. 4. That a page in our church book of rec ords be set apart in memory of our brother investigation into 'sundry departments of our great metropolis." In the latter capacion which shall be recorded this action of th ty, it became his duty "to investigate espechurch, together with a brief of the dates of cially the provisions for public health" his birth, death, connection with this church, and the length of his deaconship in the city of New York; and he says: That a copy of these resolutions be tendered "Never was there a stranger mixture of sister Fluker, the surviving companion of tragedy and farce." He then gives an epi- the deceased, and a copy sent to the ALAsode to serve as an example. One of the BAMA BAPTIST for publication.

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It is proper to give a brief introduction of the officers and teachers who came into the faculty for the first time by the election of the Board during the past month.

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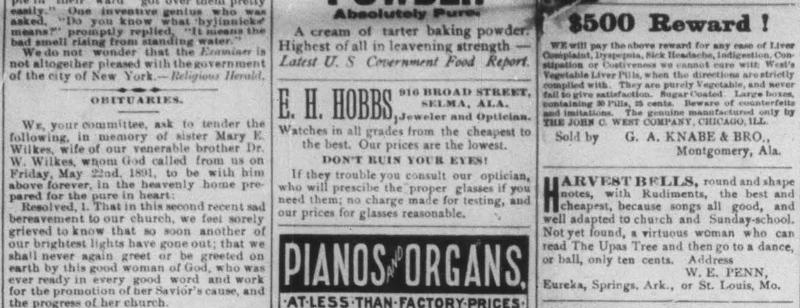
ed in Kentucky. After graduating at Georgetown she studied one year at the Univerity of Michigan. She has been teaching seven years. Dr. J. J. Rucher says of Miss Kirtley: "A splendid teacher. I would be willing to place any work in her hands that she was willing to take."

Miss G. H. Scott, Principal of Preparatory Department, was educated in Virginia, several of her teachers being University men.' She has had a remarkably successful expe-rience in instructing and governing her schools. Miss Scott was selected from among large number of applicants as Principal of the Preparatory Department because of her perior qualifications for that office.

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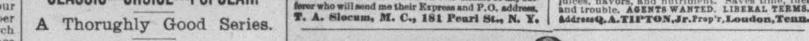
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Newton, Daleville, Wednesday before 2nd Sunday.

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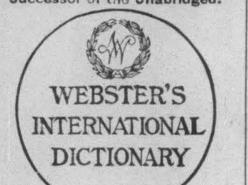
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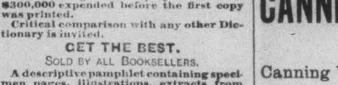
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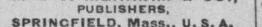
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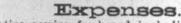


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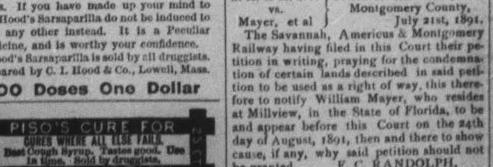
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other side of the globe rather than in EUREKA SPRINGS, ARK .- Mr. Du their own church. The conduct of Bois-Dear Sir and Friend: You can many church members regarding the use the above as you desire. You said second service must be as displeasing to me, as I remember, as you handed to the Master as it is discouraging to me the Electropoise: "Take this and the pastor. Many of them spend the give it a thorough trial, and send it evening at home in social pleasure back when you get tired of it. I do which, it must be admitted, often de him in sight, anxious to discover own such an animal. A good horse aches and fevers and cures habitual are perfectly satisfied." Well, I am thus they set a bad example before not tired of it, and do not believe that their children, their neighbors, their I ever will be, and so I do not see any servants, and all who come under their chance for you to get it back until I influence. The same manifestation of die, and if I die first my wife will not irresponsibility is shown in regard to give it up until she dies, and so it the financial obligations which it is seems to me that you are slightly supposed church members assume. "left" as the boys say. I think that Often they enjoy all the privileges of you will sell several of them in this their church home and feel no responplace. I find that some of the wealthy sibility for the support of the church. people are very much pleased with This neglect, no doubt, is often due mine. Yours truly, W. E. PENN.



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A great ship was about to set sail for America, from a foreign port. Passengers were hurrying to and fro, either embarking or taking leave of those nurses wait on him and fly at his bid. who were going away; porters stagger- ding; let him learn never to go for a ing under huge loads of baggage, and drink, but always have it brought to sailors everywhere, hauling away at the ropes and cordage, and making all him; at ten years of age have Bridget taut and trim for the voyage.

who had been abroad for her health, sugar plum. He will soon learn that and was now returning to her native the house is his realm, and he is to land. She was quietly walking about. rule it. He will come up into manwhile her husband attended to certain hood one of those precious spirits formalities for making her voyage that demand obeisance and service, Both the method and results when pleasant; a little bird flying and hop- and with the theory that the world is Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant ping on the canvas covering of one of his oyster, which, with knife, he will and refreshing to the taste, and acts the boats attracted her attention, and proceed to open. If that does not gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, when he flew off to the shrouds and spoil him, buy him a horse; it is ex. Liver and Bowels, cleanses the sys-

the long journey with them.

free. Some one must pay for the sup-

port of the church. Many persons their friends were. worshipping in so called "free churches" pay much more than they and made no answer, when the good TALMAGE, D. D., in Ladies Home who attend churches whose pews are lady, judging that they had not under. Journal rented. Some churches that rent their

stood her, addressed them in the Gerpews wisely combine what is known man tongue, with which she was fa as the envelope plan and the pew miliar. Instantly the childish faces rental. Trustees may rent pews, supbegan to brighten, and the boy replied plying those who take them with ento her eagerly. She learned that they velopes in which they may make their were going on the long voyage alone. payments in weekly, monthly, quarhoping to find friends in the land of

terly or yearly installments. The pulpit ought to press most earnestly upon all church members the duty of doing something, even if it be but a little, and doing it regularly, for the support of their church. One of the marks of a truly apostolic church is the presence of the poor. The Master has given this as a test of a true church,

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lady stopped and asked them where in boyhood they sprang stride a horse and got going so fast that they have The little things shook their heads, never been able to stop. -T. DEWITT

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A towel folded several times, and ment, and opening it to the fly leaf, dipped in hot water, and quickly the lady read these words: "When my wrung out and and applied over the father and mother forsake me, the toothache or neuralgia, will generally Lord will take me up." And under afford prompt relief. neath was added, in the same hand:

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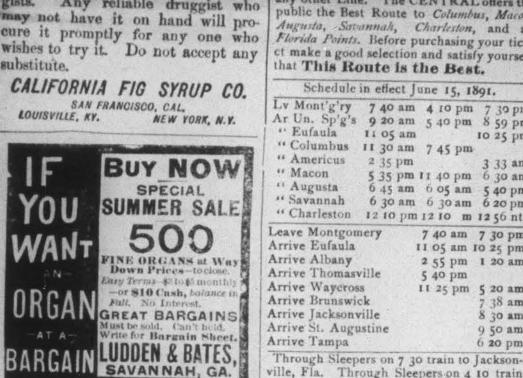


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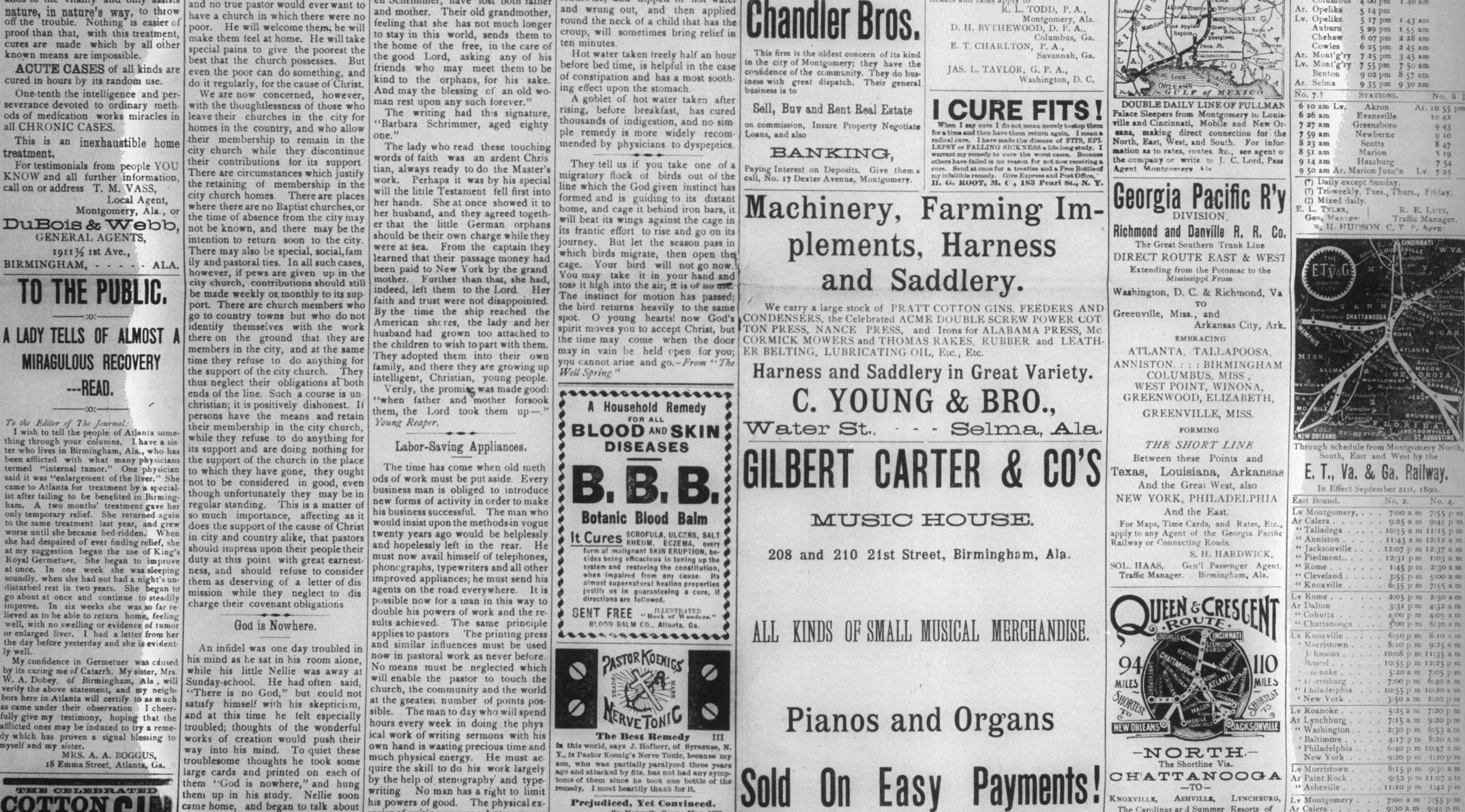
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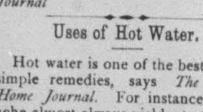
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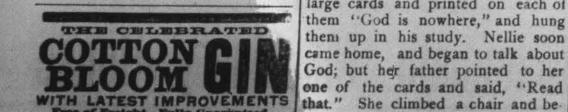
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ly well. My confidence in Germetuer was caused by its curing me of Catarrh. My sister, Mrs. W. A. Dobey, of Birmingham, Ala, will verify the above statement, and my neighbors here in Atlanta will certify to as much as came under their observation I cheerfully give my testimony, hoping that the and at this time he felt especially afflicted ones may be induced to try a reme- troubled; thoughts of the wonderful dy which has proven a signal blessing to myself and my sister.

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to stay in this world, sends them to make them feel at home. He will take the home of the free, in the care of special pains to give the poorest the the good Lord, asking any of his best that the church possesses. But ACUTE CASES of all kinds are even the poor can do something, and friends who may meet them to be kind to the orphans, for his sake. do it regularly, for the cause of Christ. And may the blessing of an old wo-

We are now concerned, however, man rest upon any such forever." with the thoughtlessness of those who The writing had this signature, leave their churches in the city for Barbara Schrimmer, aged eighty homes in the country, and who allow one.' their membership to remain in the

The lady who read these touching city church while they discontinue words of faith was an ardent Chris their contributions for its support tian, always ready to do the Master's There are circumstances which justify work. Perhaps it was by his special the retaining of membership in the will the little Testament fell first into city church homes. There are places her hands. She at once showed it to where there are no Baptist churches, or her husband, and they agreed togeththe time of absence from the city may er that the little German orphans not be known, and there may be the should be their own charge while they intention to return soon to the city. were at sea. From the captain they There may also be special, social, fam learned that their passage money had ily and pastoral ties. In all such cases, been paid to New York by the grand however, if pews are given up in the mother. Further than that, she had, city church, contributions should still indeed, left them to the Lord. Her be made weekly or monthly to its supfaith and trust were not disappointed. port. There are church members who By the time the ship reached the go to country towns but who do not American sheres, the lady and her identify themselves with the work husband had grown too attached to there on the ground that they are the children to wish to part with them. members in the city, and at the same They adopted them into their own time they refuse to do anything for family, and there they are growing up the support of the city church. They intelligent, Christian, young people. thus neglect their obligations at both Verily, the promise was made good: 'when father and mother forsook ends of the line. Such a course is unchristian; it is positively dishonest. If them, the Lord took them up-.'

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persons have the means and retain their membership in the city church, while they refuse to do anything for its support and are doing nothing for the support of the church in the place to which they have gone, they ought not to be considered in good, even though unfortunately they may be in regular standing. This is a matter of only temporary relief. She returned again so much importance, affecting as it does the support of the cause of Christ in city and country alike, that pastors should impress upon their people their duty at this point with great earnestness, and should refuse to consider them as deserving of a letter of dismission while they neglect to dis charge their covenant obligations

God is Nowhere.

An infidel was one day troubled in his mind as he sat in his room alone, while his little Nellie was away at

No means must be neglected which will enable the pastor to touch the Sunday-school. He had often said, church, the community and the world "There is no God," but could not at the greatest number of points possatisfy himself with his skepticism, sible. The man to day who will spend hours every week in doing the phys ical work of writing sermons with his works of creation would push their own hand is wasting precious time and way into his mind. To quiet these much physical energy. He must actroublesome thoughts he took some quire the skill to do his work largely

large cards and printed on each of hem "God is nowhere," and hung then up in his study. Nellie soon came home, and began to talk about God; but her father pointed to her ercise of writing sermons, letters, newsone of the cards and said, "Read paper and other articles is to some men

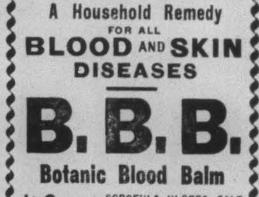
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