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The root of all discontent is selflove.

of our intentions the more chance wise man, give your son a trade; and your heirs will be damning away up in Rosshire, from the A Word with the Unconverted there is of realizing them.-Rus- make him a skilled laborer. Oh, to you for leaving them so little!

proud, insuperable ones to the call the kind of coat? You surely

broken is of no use except as an or- number one for Saul; he is not place I have is not like the one you said, "It is too arduous for me. nament—powerless for the express sponging on his father; he is buckpurpose for which it was made. So ling into the hard work of his fathget up so early in the morning; and pay.' And they said to Samuel, broken watch; his outward appear- When God wants a king, he does will not need to get out into the fancy that. The great big, tall felance may be correct, but for the not take a loafer. Make no mistake. fields; and, moreover, you will have low at the back of bales and boxes,

This little story has a string in it for a good many public speakers. A young minister, unexpectedly called upon to address a Sunday school, asked, to gain time, "Children, what shall I speak about?" A little girl on the front seat, who had herself committed to memory several declamations, held up her hand, and in a shrill voice inquired,

There are two precious words often found in the mouth of Christ: soever ye shall ask the Father in my name, he will give it you." "Who- Saul had put an end before him, writing on that line at the end of my past life. In my immortal soul, soever" is on the outside of the merely the seeking of these asses, the year, at that line the "profit the chances I have had, the imgate, and invites all to enter. he would have become an ass him- and loss," "Whatsoever" is on the inside, and self; the long ears, assinine and stugives to all who enter the free pid, would have been upon the That is why things have failed with that would be hell!

prove so as to make their reproof a great blessing. Often it is best to great blessing. Often it is best to great blessing into a few of life God has set his love on your heart sore for your destiny and from awful remorse! Come away; of life God has set his love on your heart sore for your destiny and from awful remorse! Come away; on the same will be sent to Central from awful remorse! Come away; on the same will be sent to Central from awful remorse! Committees. Also a narrative leaf-in two, and to save his prey the let for Woman's Societies. written sentence. "A word fitly spoken" green? Simply because it feeds on is lauded by the wise man. These green stuff. That is all; the whole an old withered, broken-down wowill yet put on your brow.

In Boston some two years ago make you worthy of the crown he at by any rational man who means will yet put on your brow. repulsive. They are apt to make the impression that the author the impression that the author

that I may show thee the Word of

get-up is absent from Saul. He ap- relief, apart from sin. CHANGE IN POST OFFICE.—When wriding dignified errand to be sent on, in- end of 1896? that, chained to your deed, when he is to appear before business with no anointing oil of remained true to him to the very finger nim, seeking a lot of donkeys.

up this young man as a farmer. In means to an end, not as an end, but will tell him." She staggered out twisted round him, became living, shirk the old man's toil. "I want What are you going to get for all will have to give up. For twenty to death by his past!

MY COAT ON :

be genteel! You would not have

outgrown the gospel will be as ingman, you are wearing the in- not see the gospel at all. And the must tell that to his shame. So fresh as when the angel announced, signia of labor. Nobler than that Christian worker said: "Well, just with every child of God here, we brow of the Prince of Wales is the have a hard place where you are; Let not the word "yoke" fright- sweat that runs down your cheek you know the farmer you are with are none the less a king for all that! en you; we must bear the weight, at the day's end of strenuous toil. is a tyrant; we know all about it. When Samuel came and said to the but God helps us to bear it; it is You like Saul because he is not You have to get up so early in the people, "Here is the man whom

ter the donkeys; not the old man, and the snow; and you lose heart. over Israel," suddenly it is found A watch with the mainspring work, and you like him; that is were to say to you, "Well, the has become a coward. He has

express purpose he is in the world When God is to call you off to five pounds a year, and better food hiding from God. he is altogether wanting. -Selected. move your fellows, he will not call than you have. What do you say?"" a mere toady, a flunkey, a shirker And the Scotch boy said: "I wad the Lord take you from the back of This from the Buddhist Magazine of toil; he will call out a young swap maisters." Ah! it is the your bills and books and bundles? of Japan: "The greatest movement chap who is earnest in his work, same way with Christ. He comes from the back of your desks? from of the twentieih century will not who is buckling in at the forge, or past you there on the tread mill of the back of your anvils? from the be a commercial one, nor yet a mil- in the shop. God will never call earthly occupation, there with the back of your ship-boilers? Did the itary one; but the nations of the these invertebrate, back-boneless, toil earning only furrows on face Lord lay hold of you and bring you West will invade the East with workless, genteel youths, that flut- and brow, and gray hair on the out to get salvation? Saul might great armies of Christian mission- ter about as moths round a candle head, and withering at the heart; have regretted that all his life; it aries, backed up by the wealth of to-day. Stand up, Saul, I like you and he says, "I have a better lot was touch and go with him there. Christendem. We must arouse going after the donkeys, listening for you. I want you to be anointed It is a wonder God did not say, for the "Hee-haw!" on the hill king; I want you out into the glory; "Let the great big hulk of a fellow

So the father, in the sight of God you going to swap maisters? testing Saul that day, said, "My The Lord Jesus Christ comes by, things. I thought he was worthy boy, take the servant with you and and he wants you to go with him. to be crowned king, but let him go after these donkeys;" and Saul Well, we see how God deals with alone; I will get another." said, "All right, fother! I will go." Saul; he is at work, and yet he is But the Lord laid hold of him So he did, and God up in heaven to be taken from the work, or in and he was brought out. I tell hearkened and said, "that man is the work is to be lifted up above you, hell is full of those who in the in training for the throne of Israel." it, and the voice of God he is to judicial actions of Almighty God "What do you know?"—Christian Young earnest worker, God is say- hear. Providence is at work. Prov. were left at the back of the stuff,

WORLDLY PURSUITS.

upon you, or with no hairs at all, to him, is to stop him and lift him see, this meeting, all will bite you you should pursue in life? Some men can criticise and re- and you will never have seen the up. God has set his love on you. back again.

THE TREAD-MILL OF A SOUL, That is you, man. Your business, I like Saul the way he is intro- you are going at it Monday, Tues-

the paper, as well as the one to which you the generations in his first act of salvation, to the end of your life? last. Tell him that God and his It is miserable. That is not the mother for twenty years have a lock of hair. It became like a a wide circulation in Alabama among the something," the spirit says to-day, your arduous toil without anything years I have looked for my boy," Ah, Saul, there is remorse. Re-

est shadow is touched with sun- ica? That the whole world is over- never think of a pocket in it at all, his mother never cast him off." soul this last night of the year fuel what this world can give in the way the years to come artisan toil will and of all the money you make, you shire, from Forfarshire, from Ar-Master, 1895 for Thee. I have found the less we speak hold the world, and, if you are a will carry none, none with you; gyllshire, from Fifeshire, and from

my boy, surely, come up from Govan I think it is time to change. The Religion presents few difficulties shipyard with black, grimy face, to the humble man, many to the and with a greasy—what do you to about his soul. He knew what best of your years in toil.

Avenue Baptist church, Richmond best of your years in toil. A HARD PLACE

when it is a frosty, snowy day you "He is hid among the stuff."

these asses to their cribs; Provi- jected the call of his Son. But then work is a means, not an dence sent them adrift, to get Saul.

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I should like to speak to you this paid in a months. \$1.00 it of more of the twenty-seventh and as they were going months. \$1.00 it of Ministers in regular work.

On the Way to the Crown.

Sermon preached by Rev. John Robert.

Sermon preached by Rev. John Robe down to the end of the city, Sam- tramping, tramping on, day after ten they would wonder whom the wine and women! till he became dwarf his highest and most valuauel said to Saul, 'Bid the servant pass on before us,' and he passed no outlook, nothing, nothing but but she would never say. At last ful. And as he felt the harvest of defined ways: first, by lack of excredit has not been given within two or on, but stand thou still to-day that trump, tramp on. I tell you the a nurse in the hospital got her con- the past was soon to be reaped, for ercise, and secondly, for lack of frontier. three weeks from time of payment, notify I may show thee the Word of devil sometimes fits up a business fidence, and she asked, "Whom are delirium tremens dogged his foot- vital air for them to breathe. If,

tinuance, and payment for arrearages are duced. He is introduced to our no- day, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, I have just gone through the states. One day, examining a drawer in be ruled out by the very conditions tablish Sunday-schools and churchtice the same way as God is intre- Saturday; and even on the Sunday for twenty years. I have been at his private room, in his marble pal- of the problem. To the truth of es, in less favored localities. The duced. God appears first in his the mind of you is on that infernal all the prison doors, at all the sa- ace yonder, he took up an envelword. Remember this when you send one word as a worker, with his tread mill with no view, no view, loon doors, and all the hospitals, ope. Ah, that handwriting! "I mony of many of the most success- Board of the S. B. C. important for publication. Count the words and send coat off, hard at work; the Divine no vision from the Pisgah of the but I have never seen him; but did not think that was there." It ful business men that ever lived. factors in the work. artificer of the universe. He is in- promised land. No anointing, and will you tell him-some day he is the handwriting of a maiden he Christian men of business unanithe palaver of put-on; the public make you cry to God this night for mained faithful to him to the end?" from him. He said, "I will open frequently confess that, so far as pears, though he is to be king over Are you going to give your im- have his name?" "Yes, I have years in my desk. I will open it." lives are failures. same sheet. Leave off personalities; con- Israel, at his work—at a work that mortal soul to business? Is it to be his name." "Ah, well tell him So, trembling all over, with blood- Now, as we have agreed to argue

Success? what is that? Piles of of the policeman, who in the rough out the fangs.

Highland hills, God has been look-That is to be the end of it, is it? ing for you. God was looking for Saul, and for you. He wishes to

and only and greasy like that? I tell the turnips out there in the field so as he thought of the conditions de-After every fashion of thought is you in your black face, you work- frosty, fingers so cold, and he could manded of him, he hesitated. We hesitate, you turn aside, but you a burden that two must carry, and shirking his work; he is going af-morning, and the cold, and the frost the Lord has chosen to be captain but the young, tall fellow; it is his Suppose I was another farmer, and out that he has disappeared. Saul

But the Lord took him out. Did it than anybody can prove. you would be king; I would make and follow me into the wide digni- him. I thought he was a man; I fied life of a son of God." Aren't thought he realized the dignity of labor, the most unlikeable of good.

That is why you lost your money. It is "remordeo," to bite back. I That is why the City of Glasgow believe that is hell. There is no may become all-absorbing, and if Bank fell. That is why you are keener hell, could be none, than pressions I have had, in my soul

monotony of life, God has set his step out for God, and he will heal in vice will admit that proficiency of man."

you seeking?" "Oh, I have been steps, as the past rose up, what he then, we hold a rational scheme of industrial enterprises in the South seeking my boy, I have been seek might have been, all the revivals life to be one that shall make the attracting emigration-many peohe had gone through; all gone, most of the man, as a whole, then ple of many kinds. The obligation

shot eyes, he opened it, and from the case with a view to this world

A GOLDEN CURL.

You like him because it is not the Word of God, that is not your des- walked the American cities in serpent; suddenly, hiss! it coiled leave out of the question, and reold man that is at work. The old tiny, that is not what God created search of him. God and I have round his finger. He tried to fling gard them as "unknown and unman it a farmer, and he is bringing you for. He gave you a work as a been looking for him." "Yes, I the golden lock from him, but it knowable." Postal or Express Money Order, Regis the old days the farmer's son was as a stilt on which thou cans't tread to the street, but the policeman fiery, venomous; he screamed, tered Letter, Express or Bank Check, payable to The Alabama Baptist Company.

Any regenerates—Will find it to their in
Any regenerates—Will find it to

the course of to-day's market is that will you take with you? How she said, "If my boy comes to Bos- have sinned, O sinner, "stand still for deceiving you. And yet, with false idea that manual toil is non- many pockets have you? If you are ton, and he may likely come this and I will show thee the Word of a singular and portentous unanimgenteel. Rather be anything that a worried man of business, you are way, will you tell him that two God." Complete forgiveness, ity they testify in favor of a godly All whings are still working together for good to them that love
gether for good to them that love
life. They say that, for solid satlife the sea; no remorse, for all is forlife the sea; no remorse, for all is man. It is a mistake. What do they tell you from South Africa? where. Ah, but there is a garment they?" "Listen, oh just bend Blood. "Not long since

stocked with gentility. Clerks, for not a single flap to contain any- "Yes," said the policeman, "I will for remorse. Come away from the of pleasure. I was living a life of instance. Why, our boys at school thing. Why? because you will not tell him if he comes to Boston." back of the stuff, and let Christ see pleasure for years before I became That is a bright "Golden Rule" are all to be clerks! And a clerk's take anything with you. It is your Ah, God is love. He has come thee. He that loved thee is seek- a Christian. I never was drunk; proverb: The biggest cackle may is a splendid employment; but it is shroud, it is the white garment that to Glasgow with you, away from ing thee. Step out and say, a mistake for all to be clerks. In will be round about you, pocketless; the village youder, from Perth- Christ, my king, my desire, my

On a recent Sunday morning, Rev. J. C. Hiden, pastor of Grove Not all at once did Saul consent gave his people the following pre-

Some of our "exchanges" have been discussing the reasons why the pleasure that I have had in religious newspapers. A religious diamonded coronet that is on the look at it this way. You know you turn back again and again. You paper of some note seems to have originated the discussion, by making the statement that hardly anybody is ever converted by reading a religious newspaper; and not a few papers, accepting the statement as true, have published quite vigorous editorials to show why it

If I had not known how loosely and carelessly accepted as true, chance there may be more truth in

But it is not my purpose here to attack, or to defend, or in any wise to discuss the statement; but to do make an honest attempt to say some things which I trust God will bless to the conviction and conver- factions which they afford?" sion of some soul who may read what I am now writing. And let me earnestly beg my Christian tops; you are at work. I thought I want you to rise from your toil alone. I have been mistaken in readers to second my effort, by calling the attention of their ungodly the case. For, even granting that friends to this attempt to do them

Ungodly friends I take it for granted that, as a rational being, you feel it to be important to make it may exist, then the very possithe most of the advantages and op- bility of its existence makes it irportunities of this life; to derive rational for you to live as if its tunities all the benefits which they It is not at all probable that you ing the same thing of you. Stick idence slipped the knots that bound behind which they refused and reno means an adequate view,

against it. Arguing, then, upon this ground, confining yourself to the advantages, the opportunities, the bene-

troduced as a worker, and Saul steps on the stage before us, ardent and earnest in his duty.

You like him because there is not the public the public the public the public troduced as a worker, and Saul steps is that to be the end? Are you to spend your earnest in his duty.

You like him because there is not the public the public the public troduced as a worker, and Saul steps is that to be the end? Are you to spend your and I feel that I must soon give and "Yes, I will tell him." "You it; it has been there twenty-five solid satisfaction is concerned, their

> the envelope there dropped on his alone, we need not here go into the question of the rewards and punishments of the future life. For the sake of the argument, we will

But, confining ourselves to what trustworthy, and even very able men who have tried both the worldand as she looked up into the eyes morse is awful, but Christ can take ly and the Christian life? They want something genteel;" and dollars! what are they? How many garb of the law had a tender heart, If you have rejected him, if you the slightest semblance of a motive

In the Christian's life the deep- What do they tell you from Amer- you have to put on, and they will down, tell him this, that God and Lay not up for your never dying er argue thus: "My friends, I know but I enjoyed my social glass. was never in a gambling den; but I enjoyed my social game with my companions. I delighted in dancing, and seldom missed a dancing party, or a ball, if I could attend. had health, high spirits, a keen relish for pleasure, and the means for gratifying it. I got about as much pleasure out of this world as any of you are likely to get. And here to-day, that I would not give preaching to you this morning for all the worldly enjoyment that I

ever had in all the days of my life before I became a Christian. And why will you not believe me? If you were to go to a livery stable to hire a horse for an all day ridesay forty miles-and the proprietor should give you your choice between two horses; suppose that ! happened to be standing by, and such statements are often made, both horses. This horse looks should say to you, "I have ridden then this statement would have other, but in a long journey he gayer and handsomer than the greatly startled me; and even now wears out, stumbles and gives out. The other is not so stylish in appearance, but he becomes better as he warms up to his work; is clearfooted, and I advise you to take him.' Now, don't you know you something, if possible, to make it believe me when I tell you that I less true, or, in other words, to have tried both the worldly life and the Christian life, and that there is no comparison between the satis-

But once more: It is simply impossible for a rational soul to ignore the future life, if he allows a use influence to the known facts of we know, and can know, absolutely nothing about the future life, then it follows that we cannot will ever be struck by lightning; but it would be very unwise for you to behave as if you were absono means an adequate view. lutely certain of your safety. Some a true view, so far as it goes, and is any such disease as hydrophobia; hence I shall here say nothing but would you not think them great fools to expose themselves to

gives to all who enter the free range of all the region and treasures of grace. "Whosoever" makes will suck the ures of grace. "Whosoever" makes will suck the ear to hear what he has got to say don't come out for Christ, it will you have much acquaintance, let be so, then how can you settle salvation free. "Whatsoever" soul out of you, and you will be to you, and you will be so, then how can you settle sharpen its teeth and bite you yet! us ask what shape it is wisest to down upon a merely worldly life come an old man with gray hairs work with Saul; and God, in love The voice you hear, the sight you give to your conduct, and what aim and thus starve the highest powers

Appeal from W. M. U.

and minds which ripen in time to tion. meet emergencies unforeseen. stances enumerated in Dr. Tiche- confidence in his plan of systematic nor's circular, would be in such giving, and I believe it will be perdire need. Or let us put it a step manent. nearer the living reality and say that none knew "our substitutes" the entire membership of the church on the frontier, from the failure of into divisions of ten, appointing the Home Board to receive collec- one of that number to see each one tions from the churches, would be in his division and try to get a conreduced almost to starvation. This tribution. is the emergency which is upon us,

and how shall we meet it? mothers' anxieties for their children, and by the cold and hunger to withhold the Lord's money unof these little ones, it is nevertheless | der the pretext of hard times. God's call to us Southern Baptist I hope the board will keep broththe recommendation to observe a tunity of his life for doing good; week of self-denial accepted ten yet he is very uneasy lest he will months ago in Dallas, seem to be a not be able to stay in the field for way by which each one of us can the lack of means. I am doing all answer, "I will," to this call of the I can by way of encouragement and

A week of self-denial! How does | 4 am very hopeful that this will with grateful eyes and mellowed to our benevolent enterprises. hearts we shall see ways of deny- Though Bro. Pettit finds it hard ing ourselves, and we shall be will- to sell books and get subscribers to ing to follow those ways, to the the ALABAMA BAPTIST, yet he is glory of his name and the succor of doing much to arouse the spirit of

vation Army, poor in pocket but from giving his full time to his rich in spirit, gave \$200,000 by the work. same method. Have we not rich women among our membershipover 750,000-who could deny creased since Christmas. Our peothemselves of some costly luxury, ple are thus showing their apprecisome elegance of home or toilet, ation of the efficient work that is some entertainment or excursion, being done by its able faculty. and coin the cost into food for hungry bodies and souls in our own country? Are there not hundreds and thousands among us, who have all we need for comfort, who would honestly deny ourselves of some of these things that the necessities of life might be given to others? And the poor among us-many are poor, but they are always the most generous givers according to their ability, and scarcely need to be urged. Let us, one and all, in whatever station placed by Providence, determine with David in his sacrifice to God, "Neither will I offer to the Lord my God of that which doth cost me nothing." This resolve faithfully carried out will our ability. If we give as we are able, give till it costs us to give, who shall say what the amount will

Honestly, faithfully, tenderly as unto the Lord, let each of us give the second week in March, beginning Sunday, 10th, to this noble dogs that are reputed mad?

Upon the whole, then, must you not admit that the safest, wisest, sharing our temporal things—it is sharing our temporal things—it is at the noose, the slimy monster tried work of aiding Home Missions, in lashing his body and tail with such Yours in the service,

ANNIE W. ARMSTRONG,

let for Woman's Societies, written captain finally approached close loves to linger upon the shortcomings he would correct. But men of high moral development have that sensitiveness which detects the spoken, and it will not willingly spoken, and it will not willingly spoken, and it will not willingly spoken. The spoken in the spoken i spoken, and it will not willingly listen when they come in, and it white pinched face that lay bad men in American cities. He to be almost an exhaustive definilearn that righteousness tells and take hold of the minds and hearts devil's home for temptation and wound them. It is blessed to rejust sounds to them like the sound on the pillow of coin, clink, clink! business, busthe hospital she would go to the had been a Sabbath-school scholar, ness?

It is blessed to rejust sounds to them like the sound on the pillow of suffering. From had a terrible life behind him. He tion, what of a life devoted to business, busthe hospital she would go to the had been a Sabbath-school scholar, ness?

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ties to the home board treasury in the usual channels.

For the Alabama Baptist, A Hopeful Letter.

Dear Bro. Editor: Believing that your readers would be glad to hear from the household of faith in this part of the Master's vineyard, I ask space in your valuable paper for a short communication.

I am serving four churches, viz., Liberty, Harmony, Union No. 1, and Bristoe's Creek. Two of them are in the Etowah association and God plants thoughts in hearts two in the Warrior River associa-

Notwithstanding the hard times, When Woman's Missionary Union, my churches have paid up very well, assembling in Dallas last May, and I feel sure they will do more voted unanimously to observe a for missions than in former years. a week of self-denial, none knew They are now organized under the that the Home Mission Board, S. plan of our missionary and colport-B. C., from the various circum- er, Rev. J. D. Pettit. I have great

His plan is this: He divides up

Already contributions have been received from members who have With the W. M. U. pledge of not been in the habit of giving any-\$5,000 for the debt of the foreign thing for missions, and the treasurer board more than paid, and with the of one of my churches reports that Christmas offering for China com- the amount asked from the church pleted, we plainly hear God's call has been paid into the treasury. in the direction of the Home But these brethren are not going to Board's needs. Though the cry is stop here. We feel that the time voiced by the bodily and mental has come when God's people should sufferings of our missionaries, by the put forth more effort than usual to counteract, if possible, the tendency

women to arise and do something er Pettit in the field, if possible, for special as our answer to the call. I believe he is doing a good work. And what shall it be? Does not He says it is the greatest oppor-

co-operation. that bear comparison with Christ's be the greatest year in the history ife on earth? Ye know the grace of these two associations in work of our Lord Jesus Christ, that for the Master, because many of though he was rich yet for our sakes our pastors have waked up to the he became poor, that we, through fact that their fitness will be his poverty, might become rich. In measured by the showing their view of this unmerited favor, let us churches make along the line of give ourselves with deeper, truer denominational work, that the most meaning than ever before to our efficient pastors will be those whose self-denying Redeemer, and then churches contribute most liberally

liberality among the churches. His The London Missionary Society whole soul is in the work, and he observed a week of self-denial and has been very restless during the \$50,000 were poured into the Lord's last month because the severity of treasury. The same year, the Sal- the weather has prevented him

> The enrollment of pupils in Walnut Grove College has greatly in-

J. A. MAY. Walnut Grove, Etowah Co.

Captain Haines, of the bark Contrell, made an expedition up the Amazon in 1865, while his vessel lay at anchor at Para receiving a cargo of South American goods. He was of an adventurous turn of mind, and having promised a friend to bring home the skin of one of the big anacondas that lived in the tropical forests, he employed a score of natives to take him where he could find one. They journeyed up the Amazon on a rude raft, keeping close to the shores, and in two weeks were in the densest forest proportion our giving according to the captain ever visited. In this dismal region they discovered their prey. Coiled up among the branches of a huge tree was a sleeping anaconda. The natives were expert snake catchers, and with great caution they approached the reptile and noosed him. But the animal to snap the rope. Fearing lest he should succeed, the natives, led by Captain Haines, made a bold effort to kill the creature with their

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The ALA. BAPTIST, Montgomery, Als BRETHREN, are you doing the

best you can in paying your subyour part is required, we hope you will make that effort.

God is still opening windows in heaven for people who bring every tithe into the storehouse .- Ex.

Ah, but how difficult it is for many Christians to understand it that way. They reverse the order and say that if God would open the bottle in their pocket will carry one windows they would bring in the in their grip. And these fellows ville churches. We are contemnice and as good as they can be. tithes. But it must be done in justify themselves by setting up plating a new church building at God's way, or not at all.

preacher of the remarkable sermon the would be senatorial throat. on baptism which we have recently published twice. The sermon the BAPTIST will, in future, rush at once to be placed in the hands on the first page contains a large measure of both worldly wisdom and spiritual truth.

REV. J. C. HIDEN, pastor of the Grove Avenue Baptist church, Richmond, Va., (formerly pastor at Eufaula) has been elected by the Faculty of Furman University, the commencement sermon next June. He was, for about six years, a resident of Greenville, Baptist church, and also taught Dr. Riley's friends in Alabama, Theological Seminary.

MOBILE is not a "dead old town," as some flippant drummers tell the and the Baptists at least are in a lively state religiously. This is shown by the following gratifying note to the ALABAMA BAPTIST:

We took our collection for Foreign missions at St. Francis Street yesterday, \$540. One brother and his wife had previously given \$600.

MOBILE. Here is a fine opportunity for churches whose members have the Lord's money packed away to make the Mobile saints ashamed of themselves. We hope they will do it, but are not extremely sanguine.

REV. ADONIRAM JUDSON GOR-DON, D. D., died at his home in Boston on Saturday week, of typhoid pneumonia. The announcement of his death was a sad surprise, as hardly any one outside of Boston knew that he was sick. Only recently we printed in these columns a brief statement of some of the work done in Dr. Gordon's twenty-five years of labor with Clarendon Street church, the anniversary of which had recently been of the work done in Dr. Gordon's the earliest unmistakable signs of backsliding to give up the religious paper. Our readers will not the says the says of which had recently been as our day, if we religious paper. Our readers will not the says the says of which had recently been as our day, if we religious paper. Our readers will not the says are forced to become "tent makers" tolli sat in his episcopal robes of a even then they should be each month. How the columns of the carried the says are forced to become "tent makers" tolli sat in his episcopal robes of a even then they should be each month. How the columns of the carried the says are forced to become "tent makers" tolli sat in his episcopal robes of a even then they should be each month. versary of which had recently been the truth which underlies it is the celebrated. He was one of our best same in Baptist churches .- Journ. upon us .-- Many of the reports stage, surrounded by a circle of their living. known preachers and authors, a warm friend and co-worker with Moody, and a ready and efficient add a word to that paragraph, expect to say that it exactly accords port.

It is hardly necessary for us to be published. They will appear to be publ perance and other benevolent work. with our observation and experi-

taken into prayerful consideration be found here and there. But we other adopted that beats no method idolatry. 1 John 2: 18; 2 Thes. by the Baptists of the state. Bro. have personally known cases in very much if we can work it. Such 2: 3, 4. May speaks of the evident progress which stopping the paper was one a thing as a public collection is unthrough the teaching of 'the evan- itual vitality and the loss of interest preaching once a month; no prayer- offer the petition of the Lord's the book of life, but who ask that secured the pastorate of South Elkgelist, Bro. Pettit, but there is fear gelist, Bro. Pettit, Bro. Petti able to keep Bro. Pettit in the field denominational paper upon his peo- active missionaries. You don't hungry. for want of money. It may be ple, and does not forget it when wonder at our nothingness, do you? that the same might be said as to new converts are received. Let us We would like very much to strike other districts. But here is one in state this fact, that wherever this hands with Bro. W. R. Whatley.

giving good returns for the money that is paid him-but, will the Baptists keep him at the work?

As already said, the same conditions may exist in other parts of the state. There may be efficient The State Board of Missions, located in and useful evangelists whose services the Lord's cause is in danger of losing because they are not supported. If so, it only makes the

charged because there is no money are of high order.

to go on in the dark at the same poor dying rate.

That may have been intended by the author to apply only to our spiritual life and conduct. But i applies with truth and force to the support and management of our denominational enterprises. At our BAPTIST Young PEOPLE'S Union of annual meetings we are wont to manifest great enthusiasm for misfire burns we incur obligations

which turn out to be a source of trouble and confusion. The enthusiasm dies away, and then there is lamentation and a looking this way and that to find means for doing what we undertook to do.

RECENTLY W. B. C. related in scription? The money is needed this paper the incident of an aspiright now, and if an extra effort on rant for the high place of United States Senator having a flask of whiskey in his pocket on the train. This is reprinted by the Eufaula Times with the following com-

And yet the chances are that Alabama has had several Senators in her history and will have several more who, if they do not carry a that the Savior and his disciples not | Ashland soon, notwithstanding the only drank of the wine at the feasts, Our readers will enjoy the ser- but constantly with their meals. mon by Dr. Robertson. They will The rascals do not take into considrecognize in the name and in the eration that the wine of Galilee peculiar style of the speaker the that which does duty now tickling was not pop-skull, red eye, like

didate or not, and take the bottle away from him when drawn in his presence. If you belong io the church militant, friend, do a sol-

REV. B. F. RILEY, D. D., who now fills the chair of English in the University of Georgia, at Athens, Greenville, S. C., to preach has been elected a Fellow of the Society of Science, Letters and Art, of London. This unexpected, though not undeserved honor from where he was pastor of the First across the sea, will be gratifying to Homiletics in the Southern Baptist and we doubt not is also pleasant to him. Dr. Riley is in Georgia now, but Alabama takes to herself the honors and dignities that may be bestowed upon him. The people. She is alive commercially, Baptists of the state feel a just pride in his attainments and successes We congratulate all con-

In this connection we will be pardoned for relating that a member of Prattville church asked us in all seriousness, "How is it that the piney ably of Prattville church. He feels Eleven forty is not so bad. Let's woods of Butler and Conecuh turn that the membership generally will see who will go beyond that figure. out so many good preachers?" Bro. compare quite favorably with that Bell, of Georgiana, was pastor at Prattville at the time of his death he was succeeded by Bro. A. T. Sims, of the same town, and Bro. Stewart, of Evergreen, had recently assisted Bro. Sims in a meeting. We made answer to the brother's question, but some one of the piney woods brethren may be able to give

> THE Christian Advocate says that "when the late Dr. J. O. Peck sent in a list of three hundred new subscribers, one hundred of whom It speaks for itself. Let us not of additions to the church till I have put the Christian Advocate in the family. And usually I find it one many, but that God's children are

FIELD NOTES.

Look through the advertisements and see if you are not interested in what is said there.

Bro. Stewart sends a lengthy report of receipts for the Orphanage, which will be published next week. Our thanks to Major Williams, of Oxford, one of the most faithful men in the state, for valuable attention to the ALABAMA BAPTIST.

in the advertisement of the Rose must fall into line or get out. I'll petitions, Shall good workmen be dis- Tobacco Cure. The testimonials plow a spotted yearling for a living

will remain at Camden another the brethren said, "We like that,"

well at Brewton. He sent us omforting money order for renewals the other day, and also a

could meet easily all claims.

Orphan's Home, which resulted in

a collection of \$2. Bro. Johnson

is their teacher. He had a good

article in the ALABAMA BAPTIST a

week or so since on Sunday-school

work. If the Sunday-schools of

every Sunday, our Orphan's Home

would be well taken care of .--

made my speech for the ALAHAMA

to take subscriptions for it.-Bro.

T. J. Pennington is the Sunday-

look for great blessings this year

All the brethren and sisters are as

THE OPPORTUNITY!

churches, mission societies, B. Y

P. U. and individuals to get the lit

The ALABAMA BAPTIST and For-

eign Mission Journal one year for

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Young People's Leader at the same

price as above, at present. The

er is published by our Sunday

It Was Too Bad.

utes before her death, but "on ac-

count of the woman's act, she was

Kissing the Ring.

Satolli, the Pope's representa-

mitted to kiss the ring as they

get the two for \$1.60.

ties should read it.

erature they need at small cost.

Here is the opportunity for

We organized a Bible class .- Mary motto on the envelope,

just reduced the balance due on second payment for the Orphanage help by sending orders for Riley's sweet little girls of the primary would be vastly better than to have History and contributions direct.

We had received no report from the Birmingham Baptist Ministers' Conference up to the time of closing our columns. We hope that neither the preachers nor the secretary of the Conference have been

R. E. Morris, Alto, Texas: have been called to this place for half time, and would be glad for you to change my paper from Jacksonville to Alto. No paper comes from Alabama that I love more than the BAPTIST.

W. J. D. Upshaw, Lineville: M. work this year is with Miller Valley, Milltown, Ashland and Linecry of hard times. My work is in tolerably good condition.

The last of the proof of Riley's History of the Baptists in Alabama has been read and returned to the We hope the correspondent of printers. The book will be ready upon any bad man, senatorial can- of those who wish it. It ought to be in every Baptist household in the state at least, and those who have no family will find it a valuable possession.

where, in sending a money order writes thus: At the meeting of the school Board at Nashville for our Cherokee association in last Sep- young people. It is not a mere tember I met Bro.A. E. Burns, and child's paper, but has attractive, was induced to become a subscriber stimulating and instructive reading to your paper. I shall ever be for youths and young men and woproud that I did. I have read it men. Every member of B. Y. P. with much interest.

As Bro. Stewart rode that Orphanage horse a round-about way through thr prairies from Livingston to Evergreen in the month of January, we venture to say that he lately in a confessional in a Cathogot deep into the subject of mud. He should have a diploma in a high the priest reached her side ten mindegree, and a handsome premium besides. It was a great undertak-

Pastor A. T. Sims reports favorof the best churches, but he is especially proud of the young memwith that church, and are quite inclined to agree with the pastor. And when the members speak highly of their pastor, as they are fond of doing, we agree with them, too. We agree all round.

The appeal in the Central Committee Column needs no emphasis. the demands made upon us are ing for the last quarter came too late prominent priests and laymen. He

He was born in New Hampshire in ence. Of course some members have a church of 104 members, most-passed out of the theatre." may not begin, or may discontinue ly anti-missionary. Since the last THE letter from Rev. J. A. May, reading their denominational paper Association we have been trying to to find the grossest superstition. debts had been wiped out. which is printed on the first page, from lack of money to pay for it; get into harness. The envelope They kiss the Pope's toe in Rome, presents a matter that should be in these particular-days they may method was objected to, and anthey kiss a ring in America. And which his churches are making of the indications of waning spir- known in our church. We have

S. O. Y. Ray, Marion: I spent Some Notes and Comments.

week with J. W. Dunaway in Brother Montgomery, of Ashville, Perry county recently. Bro. D. is is one of the many brethren who organizing his churches for aggres- wrote me in response to my call sive work, and his people intend to for signers of prohibition. He had ble work. Let there be no surrenstand by him. Some of them said to no trouble in getting up a list, and der to the hard times cry. If the stand by him. Some of them said to says two thirds or three fourths of the people in St. Clair county are pected of them, but let all give ers, but they will greatly help in willow twigs. Thousands of the people in St. Clair county are ers, but they will greatly help in willow twigs. Thousands of the people in St. Clair county are ers, but they will greatly help in willow twigs. church be said, "Brethren, we must Brethren Waldrop, of East Lake, raise \$10; if you will pay \$5 I will and Williams, of Vance's responded sends \$3.50, and the good sister pay \$5," and they raised it. At and did as well as these old men in pro-Those who wish to be free from other church he said, "We must portion to physical strength, the place. The works are all closed people for liberality, wisdom and the use of tobacco will be interested discipline our members; every one Legislators certainly got piles of and everything is dull. It makes

I have seen the catalogue of before I'll serve a church that Greenville, Ga., Male and Female of the folly of doing that. In the W. N. Huckabee, Camden: I won't discipline her members,"and school, which is taught by our WE want a steady, burning enthusiasm—not the fitful thing that year, having the same work I had —Well, as hard as the times are,
Howard College. I am a friend to increaseth, and there is that withflares up now and then in a bright last year.—May the Lord bless the they responded nobly to the ap- all the teachers Alabama has cap- holdeth more than is meet, but it peals for help. We may look for tured from other states, and hope tendeth to poverty." And what Pastor Bradley must be doing a big uplift in these churches. If we will hold them all, but I can't does that mean? Well, suppose all the brethren would help we bamians as Captain Jim could be brought back home. W. R. Whatley, Alexander City new subscriber. That is a good We had a good time at Rockford are going to use the envelopes. He the 2d Sunday in February. Sunwrites for them. There has not J.W. Stewart, Evergreen : I have day-school and church services well been such a call for mission envelattended if the weather was cold. opes since they were introduced.

> class, made a speech each for the large gifts from only a few. COLLECTIONS FOR THE YOUNG

Strangely enough, I have heard suggested by some that since the young preachers are going home from college there is no need for the churches to take collections.

the state would adopt like exercises There has never been a suggestion in the paper from anybody that thier return home had been determined upon; on the contrary, every BAPTIST, and appointed a brother line written has been with the hope that the churches would come to the rescue and keep them in college. I am more hopeful of this now than school superintendent.-He was ever. Let the collections be taken just as full of religion as he could and forwarded as soon as possible. hold. He is a good man. We SUNDAY SCHOOL LITERATURE FOR

> Talking with Col. R. H. Dawthe Lord's anointed have joined the son, president of the convict comRegular Baptists. \$500 will be firma. One week has passed painted on the arches in the vast me he would be glad if the Sunday- church, and then the odds and ends ly to the party. schools would send him their papers from the Sunday-school and socie- We now indulge in a full inspecand quarterlies after they have used ties will come. Well, I don't tion of Tampa Inn. It is a beautithem, for the convicts. He says know, but I am sure we will get ful Queen Anne cottage, built on the prisoners are eager for some- more this year than any year of the piles over the waters of Tampa thing to read. Send to him at church's history. Isn't that so, Bay. The surrounding waters teem Montgomery. If the package is a Bro. Gray? It is not because they with fish, while ducks, pelicans and pound or more in weight, send by

"What about -- church? know a good man who would suit The ALABAMA BAPTIST and the that field. Could you not help to get him there?" Yes, brother, I suitable man into a suitable field. Leader contemplates some improve-Bro. V. M. Stone, of Mahan, ments, which may increase the I do. They have starved out so ularly each quarter-but they are from whom we print a note else- price. Better send now. The Lead- many men and sent them away in right liberal when they are heard debt to everybody, I cannot think from. We will keep on beating

> Brother Geo. Brewer is one of he Regulars. I hear from him every month. Every day adds to the list. If we can just keep this up, all will be well.

U. and other young people's sociewhich does not often respond. contained more than \$15. The sender is a Howard boy-not a preacher. He reads the ALABAMA A woman committed suicide BAPTIST and learned of our distress. What would we do without the palic church in New York. It is said per? Yet, there are thousands of people and hundreds of preachers

not in a spiritual condition to re-A preacher who has only one ceive the last rites of the Roman church and is engaged in secular Catholic church." And so she work for a living sends \$5 individwas lost. To this probably all ually, and says he will give \$20 or tions to get a church into the ranks where we spent the night. Next agree—there can be no forgiveness \$30 to missions this year. The for self-murder. But the Roman "tent makers" have greatly in-Catholics account her as lost be- creased this year. Some because cause she did not receive the last, politics got into the churches and of the field of Bro. Hardy, tells me rites of the church. This puts the forced them out, others because the to look out for a contribution from salvation of the soul in the hands churches failed to come up to their that church for ministerial educabers. We have some acquaintance of the priest. The priest and the obligations. Let us hope that peosacrament become the Savior- ple will have more sense and more peal for the young preachers come without these there is no salvation. religion after awhile. For want of in for a few weeks as they are comchurches. And let us hope that one of them to leave college. the tithing system will soon become general, and then the churches in of his work at Greensboro. such times as these will say to the must all pray for our struggling in tive in America-the American pastors, "Silver and gold we have terest. It will not be long, I hope Pope he ought to be called-took none, but such as we have give we before we will own an eligible los his second sleigh ride at New unto thee," and then the syrup and in that town and begin the erection Haven, Conn. The New York corn and bacon and peas and of a neat house of worship. I am were new converts, he wrote, 'I grow"weary in well doing." "The World, which gives the account, goobers and potatoes, &c. &c., will made ashamed every time I think times are indeed out of joint," and says of the night meeting follow- come pouring in to make glad the of our not having a church building heart of the pastor. "Soon after 6 o'clock Mgr. Satel-

And let not the pastors forget

way they are taking hold of it." It will be glorious news if our

And here is another from a pastor what they can. The richest man in the world can sister whose names are written in who sends \$30 for a brother and Parker Memorial, at Anniston, re- happy. When you make a mistake, don't sponds to the call, and so do the look back at it long. Take the churches at East Lake and North-

my heart ache to see people withhold their money from the Lord as brother Capt. Jas. D. Dickson, an lose infinitely more. Hear this: end they gain nothing by it, but keep from wishing such Ala- the farmer should say next month "I am awful short of corn this are exposed. year, and, really, I have none to Dr. Hartwell and wife and Miss

ould be attained in any church it you give out of your poverty, you ers. are on the road that leads directly to the poor house, and you and yours will soon be there. What you give to God's cause is the seed corn, and you will see the bountiful | As a Member of the Alabama Press Associharvest if you will give from love to his cause.

"Please send me some envel- our sea voyage are now remembered gomery, "mission secretary" of the Tampa can be seen in the distance. ioners, the other day, he told given for missions straight by the quickly, pleasantly and instructiveare any more able or willing to gulls circle about overhead. Just express, and he will pay charges. give, but because they have gone as the electric lights convert the at it in a regular business way. far-famed Tampa Bay Hotel into a That makes all the difference.

Bro. Powe, of Talladega church makes himself heard with a good could. I am always glad to get a sized collection. They haven't joined the regularest of the Regu-But you don't know those folks like lars yet-they take collections reg-

and we doubt not ere long the saints at Talladega and some of our other cities will rush into the ranks with their colors flying and march right up to the head of the column. And when they do, what a shout will go up from the old veterans. Here is a letter from a church They won't be jealous one bit.

I had lost sight of Bro. Mitchel for a long time, but here he is with \$6, and says it shall come regularly

Demopolis, Gallion and Uniontown. This is the field of Bro. Jeter Dickinson, and all of them are heard from with good collections. If they are not in the col- Key West in cigar factories. In the umn of the Regulars, I am sure they are going to be right soon. Re- to Mr. Plant and his palatial home member, it takes monthly collecof the Regulars.

A card from Sumterville, a part these two things politics gets into ing now, there will be no need for Bro. Hardy writes encouragingly

Since writing this I have a check are faithful to the trusts imposed raised dais in the centre of the to the flock" in their giving and in the Regulars do grow in these times! Recruits! Recruits for the Regulars! that's our cry now.

Bro. Johnson, chairman of the executive committee of the Birmingham association, writes that ten or twelve of the ministerial stu-for invalids and pleasure seekers. dents are doing mission work in Our party, after dining, visited and around Birmingham. The Rollins College, an institution of Here are letters from the churches should encourage those who have of brethren Lowery and McCord. been aiding in the education of They are among the Regulars, too: these young men: they are doing

inson's churches are being heard do them faithful service. Our other from with liberal contributions. boys at the Seminary are well and of the church bells were heard,

hear from him about missions. And will be too scarce, probably; but ticipated a glorious ride on the St. The Brieffield Mission Band where they chance to be.

A brother asks what I think of his getting a missionary map of the all inquirers, by all means secure this valuable help. Send Rev. R. J. Willingham, Rlchmond, \$12.25, and he will send you one. The retail price from the manufacturers is \$20. I know of nothing which will be more helpful to the pastor and church than this map. It is

Our Missionaries in China.

spare for seed corn; my family Barton, at Tung Chow; Brethren adieu to our genial captain and his need every grain of it to keep them Pruett and Stephens and their pretty boat and enjoyed a brief from starving." When the gath- wives, at Hwang Hein; and breth- morning wall, to the St. James ering time comes, then what? This ren Sears and Randle and their Hotel in Jacksonville. After breakis "that withholdeth more than is wives, and Miss Lottie Moon, at fast our party was escorted to the to poverty." Pingtu, are all in the neighbor- river, where we crossed on a ferry But the sensible neighbors who hood of the contending armies, boat and then boarded the train for carefully selected their seed corn Wei Hai Wai, the strongly fortifi- Pablo Beach. We felt a decided out of the little they had in their ed place which has been lately par- change of temperature when we cribs, planted it and carefully tend- tially captured by the Japanese, stepped upon the firm, white, sandy ed it, find that they have gathered cannot be far, probably in sight of coast of the Atlantic. An hour was a thousand fold. This is "that some of these missionaries. Bro. delightfully spent in watching the scattereth and yet increaseth," and sister Crawford and others of porpoises gamboling in the waters, Oh, ye of little faith! who cannot the Gospel Mission cannot be very enjoying the in-coming tide as it trust God, but will allow his cause far away from the same section. gradually encroached upon the to suffer for fear you will starve if Let us remember them in our pray-

For the Alabama Baptist. A Trip Through the Land of Flowers

The isle of Cuba, Key West, and

opes." That is from Bro. Mont- with the things that were. Port First church, Birmingham, and Preparations are being made by along with it there came a check for captain and crew for landing. The \$37.16. That great big brigade of minutes pass rapidly, the steamer

fairy palace, we emerge from our Pullman sleeper. Two hundred years ago, when DeSoto landed at Tampa, all was drear and uninviting; to-day the swaying pines have toppled, and in their place, by Mr. Plant's magic wand, have risen the golden crescents of the Orient and the silvered domes and Moorish minarets that ornament a palace.

hall, with its polished floors, rich carpets and hangings, antique vases and bric-a-brac and divans, which were once in the Tuilleries salons. Thirteen marble columns support a balcony that looks over from the second floor, and around which is a carved rail in Spanish mahogony, The drawing room is a museum of beautiful things, embracing fine contrast, rich harmonies and pleasant innovations that render it a

joy forever.' Friday morning we enjoyed a ride over Tampa, and were convinced of its magic growth. It has a population of 16,000, and rivals afternoon we reluctantly bade adieu morning we visited the St. Cloud sugar farm, which contains 1,200 acres in sugar cane and 400 in fertile rice fields. This valuable and productive farm clearly demonstrates what the brain and energy of man may accomplish, for once this entire tract of land was sub-merged with water. The Disston Land Co. purchased, what seemed to a casual observer, a body of water, but they have so effectually drained it that there is not another spot in Florida which is richer and more abundantly repays the owner for the money expended in cultiva-

Our next stop was at Orlando; the county seat of Orange county. where we were welcomed by Press committee and treated to most enjoyable drive around the city. Orlando, in its picturesque location, handsome houses and lovely lakes, captivated the party, and all were sincere and effusive in their praises of its beauty. The only regret expressed was that our stay.

was too brief. At one o'clock p. m. we reached Winter Park, and our destination was the Seminole Hotel, another of Mr. Plant's lovely winter resorts

summoning even the members of the Alabama Press Association to ser- Mayor of London, is a Baptist. He which the facts are held up before
us. A paster testifies to the great
benefit that has already come from
benefit that ha books. Brother Blackwelder is a be! It will hardly be possible for sonville" was heard and we eagerly ease.

modest brother, but his churches us to do so this summer. Money departed for the wharf, for all anbrethren who know of summer Johns, and none were disappointed. schools which may be had will con- As we sat on deck, watching the fer a great favor on these young rapid transition of objects on land, the eye, and, basking in the sunshine on old broken trees projecting from the water numbers of turtles were seen: Along the river's world in his work. I would say to edge could be seen fishermen's huts, and quite a number of the occupants were busily engaged in their every day occupation as we rapidly passed them by. Rows of large palms, intermingled with other tropical trees, formed a lovely background. It was with regrets that that we would have liked the afternoon to be "links of sweetness long While this terrible war is raging drawn out." The evening passed in North China, we know not the rapidly. We were entertained by when the time comes to plant corn, danger to which our missionaries recitations and songs by various members of the party.

Early the next morning we bade sands, and "gathering shells from the sea-shore.'

In the afternoon, we enjoyed a delightful drive tendered by the Board of Trade, and were fully convinced that Jacksonville was not

only a live, but a growing city. Early Wednesday morning we were en route for St. Augustine. After an hour's ride we arrived at the oldest, most historic city in the United States. We visited the famous Ponce deLeon, with its inlaid floors and handsome frescoed walls. The eight life size figures of Advenrotunda, are dreams of loveliness. No pen picture can portray the beauty and granduer of this modern palace. We simply behold, admire; and realize that the "half had not been told." We visited old Fort Marion, and on entering the dungeons the polite and versatile sergeant related incidents and discoveries, vividly portraying the exreme cruelty and heartlessness of

he Spanish regime. Thursday morning, January 24th, ound us homeward bound. The ours passed charmingly in delightal conversation and personal remiiscences. As the afternoon waned and twilight approached, imaginaion painted home scenes. We could see the cozy room, cheerful cherub faces awaiting the return

of the wanderers. Before we exchange good byes with our congenial companions, we must express to Mr. Lee McLendon. Division Passenger Agent of the Plant System, and Mr. J. Asa Rountree, Secretary of the A.P.A., our heartfelt gratitude and appreciation for their kindness and consideration of our wants during the enire trip. In the future, when we recall this realized dream of pleasure, their names will be associated with the tropical clime of Cuba,

and the orange blossoms of Florida. For the Alabama Baptist, Evangelist Moody in Texas.

Alabama Baptist: It may be of iterest to your readers to know hat the wonderful evangelist, D. L. Moody, is in this city, holding a series of meetings. Great interest is manifested, Mr. Moody being compelled, on account of the mmense crowds, to hold services n the carshed. The seating capacity of this building is 5,000, but nany stand around the entrance and in the aisles.

Mr. Moody is a speaker of great earnestness and directness; he makes much of the Atoning Blood of Christ, claiming it to be the most prominent doctrine in the whole of Scripture, and that his only hope for salvation is the fact hat on the hill called Calvary, outide the walls of the city of Jerualem, Christ died, the just for the G. S. BAYNE.

San Antonio, Feb. 8.

On the morning of January 30, ear the English coast, the large German steamer Elbe collided with the English steamer Crathie. It occurred between five and six clock in the morning, before the passengers had dressed, and as the Elbe was badly damaged and sank in a few minutes, only twenty persons out of three hundred and seventy-five were saved; and of these boards could report to the Conven-tion in Washington that all their to pay their dummy fare where to pay their dummy fare where tion, moderately fair library and life-boat and were picked up by a they do not collect sufficient at their laboratory, beautiful grounds and fishing vessel. Only one woman, commodious buildings. Quite a an unmarried lady, escaped. The avoid the extreme rigor of their winters seek Florida's supply clime being a dense fog, the Elbe sent up winters, seek Florida's sunny clime, signal rockets, to which it is said assist the citizens of Winter Park, the Crathie paid no attention, Bro. Willis, at the Seminary, has by patronage, in sustaining this hence the collision. The latter is an English vessel, and it is said made no effort to help the people on the sinking ship.

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Montgomery Churches.

West Montgomery - Notwithstanding the cold and damp atmos-MONTGOMERY, FEBRUARY 14, '95. phere, we had good congregations and delightful services throughout the day. Bro. J. G. Harris lecturrendered, showing thought of a up to Birmingham. cultivated mind and a consecrated

was not favorable. The pastor needs. preached at 11 o'clock a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Morning text: Zech. 4:10, "For who bath despised the day of small things?" Evening text : Eph. 3:8: "Unto me, who am less than the least of all saints, is this grace given, that I should preach among the gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ." The services were very well attended and enjoyed.

standing the cold weather, over preached in the evening. 100 were in attendance at Sundayschool. Services at 11 a. m. and ence Monday morning, and the 7:30 p. m. were conducted by the B. Y. P. U. at the First church pastor. A B. Y. P. U., Jr., has Monday night, I ran down to Liv-Should be used in attempting to cure that very disagreeable disease, catarrh. As catarrh originates in impurities in the blood local applications can do no peryoung men attend the services at equipped the generous gift of sister of treatment is to purify the blood, and night. Pastor Gay begins a series Simms with saddle and bridle, and for this purpose there is no preparation of lectures to young men on Bible began my solitary journey. A Characters next Sunday night. All busy afternoon ride, and several preparing for active spring work.

First Church-On account of the pastor's absence and the cold weather, there was no preaching Sunday. Good attendance at Sunday-school; Boots and Shoes made to order. A perfect | collection \$5.63, Rev. Geo. W. Townsend preached at 11 o'clock Sunday, Feb. 6th. Text : 1st John 3:2. A large congregation listened attentively to the earnest words of the preacher, and at the conclusion of his sermon many of the faithful ties at Mobile and New Orleans, La, the gathered around him to express Atlanta and West Point R. R., and the their appreciation and admiration. Western Railway of Alabama, will sell The "old First" baptized, licensed round trip tickets on February 22 to 25 and ordained Bro. Townsend, and inclusive, good to return 15 days from and ordained Bro. Townsend, and date of sale at the low rate of One Fare. is justly proud of him. His record For sleeping car reservations and any as a worker in the Master's vineother information, call on any agent of yard since he has been in the ministry is second to no man in Alabama, He expects this to be his best year's work as he will preach a liberal offering to the orphans, to a greater number of people. May the Lord's blessing rest upon and Furman, where I preached Sunday abide with him.

> P. Y. P. U. Convention--The Other Side.

City. I believe the Woman's Mis-Now the Mobile and Birmingham sionary Union already has the regu- I reached home with the horse, and lar custom of holding annual neither of us hurt from the trip teans. Tickets on sale February 22d to Convention. If the Woman's Mis- Orphanage in the ride. 25th, inclusive, good to return fifteen days sionary Union has its its annual meeting at the same time and in the 6:00 a. m. Arrive at Mobile 12:30 p. m. same city with the regular Convenma to New Orleans. In addition to the also holds its annual meeting at the same time and place, but likewise in a different building, will not these two "side shows" really detract from the importance, dignity, and also the attendance of the regular Convention, the main object of in drawing from the Convention tion? It seems to me that there would really be none left in the scribed as follows to-wit:

Our young people's movement ls and Whisky habits to have my book on undoubtedly a great power for good, and I most heartily approve of the same, being one of them myself, but might we not cross the danger line and overdo the thing To have Boots and Shoes made is at just a little bit? Is it not possible

tle too much machinery, and may

we not make our entire body weak-

Tuscaloosa.

Encouragement. The noble contribution made to foreign missions by the Richmond churches made me feel that we are due to foreign missions by the meeting of the convention in May. How easily it could be done if only we would do it, and I believe we Hanna), on the South by the land of Stewill do it. And those letters and phen Childs and lot of Martha and Joseclippings from our secretary in the phine Anderson, and on the West by the ALABAMA BAPTIST are doing no body of la little to encourage and stimulate is situated in section 12, Township 19. our despondent people. The truth Range 7, and fronts 550 feet on Green is if the Baptists of this state would street. Said lot was occupied January 6, only exert themselves just a little, J. N. May, and is the same land conveyed vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, all our work would move on to them by Lida W. Bell and J. R. K. Catarrh, Asthma, and all throat and Lung smoothly. A brother said to me Bell, on February 20th, 1890, by Deed of Affections, also a positive and radical cure recently, "We only need to arouse County, State of Alabama, in Book 47, pages 32 and 35. NATIONAL BUILDING AND WM. E. HOLLOWAY, Attorney.

> S. O. Y. RAY. Marion. BRONCHITIS. Sudden changes of the weather cause Bronchial Troubles, Brown's Bronchial Troches" will give

which oppresses us at present will

vanish as the mist. Let our sec-

retary tell us about the needs of the

work, and what the brethren say

helps me and will help others.

For the Alabama Baptist. My Recent Trip.

A good sister in Sumter county, Mrs. N. Epes Simms, gave a horse to the Orphanage. To save the ed at 11 a. m. on "The Man of freight on it from Livingston to packages, you mark them so we in the dispensation of his providence, to We will club the ALABAMA BAP. Galilee," and at 7:30 on "A Wed- Evergreen, I formed the desperate can tell where they came from us our much beloved brothpurpose of riding it home. So on ing and instructive, and beautifully Saturday night, Jan. 18th, I ran

I visted Sunday-school at the last Sunday, although the weather but they gave \$2 a minute for our

AT SOUTHSIDE.

I preached at 11 to a large congregation of as delightful people as ever stood before, and believe their offering of \$102.60 to the Orphanage, all things considered, was the most beautiful service of the sort that I ever witnessed.

After spending an hour in the meeting of the Sunbeams at the First church, much to my delight, Adams Street Church-Notwith- I went out to Woodlawn, where

been organized and is doing good ingston. After spending Tuesday hours waiting at a swollen river, brought me to the pleasant home of Dr. Kelley, in Demopolis, where I spent the remainder of the night and the next day. I preached to the Baptist flock there in the Presbyterian meeting house, which they are using. Their new church is being started. Though this noble band are struggling to rebuild their house, they assured me they would

> soon remember the orphans. Friday afternoon I went to Day-I learned from a man at a store that the Baptist church is never opened. After a good night's rest at the hotel (for which the generous hostess would accept no pay), I started for Camden, by way of Gaston. I reached Camden at 9 p. m. Talked to a small group of Sunday-school children, who sent and in the afternoon rode over to night. The Furman people sustained their reputation for liberal-

Tuesday morning I went to Pine Apple, where at night, to a small Dear Baptist: I notice from your congregation that came through the columns that there is now being rain, I preached and presented the agitated a plan among our denomi- claims of the Orphanage. Dr nation whereby the Baptist Young Ramsey was ready for me, having sands of dollars are spent annually by each | People's Unions will have a general | already gathered up, both in that meeting or convention in connec- congregation and at Allenton, an tion with our next regular Southern offering. The inclement weather

Wednesday night, at 8 o'clock,

Evergreen. J. W. S.

MORTGAGE SALE. Under and by virtue of a certain mortgage with power of sale, and under the powers therein contained, executed by J. to the National Building and Loan Assois recorded in Book No. 18 of Mortgages, page 136 of the records in the Probate Office of Barbour County, State of Alabama, and under the powers of an agreeour love and labors; and will not ment for foreclosure by sale executed on such a practice also be instrumental the 4th day of February, 1895. the said National Building and Loan Association will proceed to sell at public auction, at the younger members of our the Artesian Basin, Court Square, in the more, Md., are making a most liberal of so much desire to have represented highest bidder, for cash, on the 12th day of Barbour, and State of Alabama, de-

The South half (S. 1/2) of Lot or Block 'the younger set and the good sis- East, and the lands of R. F. Kolb on the South, containing Two (2) acres. This the 6th day of February, 1895.

NATIONAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortagee. WM. E. HOLLOWAY, Attorney.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of a certain mortgage with power of sale, and under the FRED JANSSEN'S. They will be that we are about to have just a lit- B. and J. N. May to the National Building and Loan Association, of Montgomery, Alabama, on the 6th day of January, 1892, which mortgage is recorded in Book No. This the 4th d ing neatly and promptly done. Com- er by dividing our energies too 58 of Mortgages, page 632 of the records merce St., under I. G. Simms & Co., much? Robison Brown. in the Probate Office of Perry county, State of Alabama, and under the powers of an agreement for foreclosure by sale executed on the 8th day of January, 1895, the said National Building and Loan Association will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Artesian Basin, Court Square, in the City of Montgomery, Alabama, to the highest bidder, for cash, on the 12th day of March, 1895, the follow-

hama, described as follows to wit:

A body of land bounded on the North by Green Street, on the East by the Rob ert Iones lot (now owned by Mrs. A. V 1892, as a homestead by the said J. B. and

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and do about it; it is helpful; it

For the Alabama Baptist. Important About the Orphan-

is it to be sustained. 2. That when you send boxes or

About Christmas we received a therefore be it great many things, and most of people write me that they have South Montgomery—The attend- First church. I had but ten minutes sent a box. The letter comes, and est and most useful citizens, and the Bapance at Sunday-school better than to talk to them about the Orphans, doubtless the package, too, but tist church a most valuable member and Rock Mills, Salem, Sipsey, Southwhen half a dozen come the same friend day, we are unable to tell which is yours, or whether yours came at pose to do the will of God. all, unless the package itself be

3. If you fail to get a receipt, or your gifts are not printed, please call the secretary's attention to it. 4. Delay does not always mean

5. I am asked whether railroad companies charge freight, or express companies charge express. Yes, they charge us the same as they do other people. If you wish to get any reduction of charges, After attending pastor's conferyou must attend to that at the start-

6. Don't send us diseased children. This is not intended to be an infirmary. Especially don't send them without letting us know the nature of their trouble. J. W. S. Evergreen.

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3. That we will greatly miss the pleas ant association and counsel of our departed brother; but we bow in submission t the will of our Heavenly Father, who

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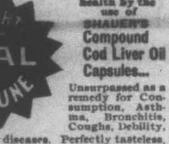
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his mother and sisters.

most thirteen and was the eldest of only a bushel of coal, almost no it passes in the change from the her three children. He attended provisions, and but fifty cents in egg to the mature state. school every day, and Saturday he also spent over his books, for he is more than I can earn in a week. The eggs of the Warble were laid Bunyan's Awakening Works. 75

But other thoughts suddenly crossed his mind. "What if mother does not live until I am a man? She looks pale and thin. I'd better

He rose up, put on his overcoat,

"Where are you going,my son?"

"Very well, that is a safe place for you.

Mr. Richie was Fred's Sunday school teacher, and she thought that he wanted to ask something about the lesson, as it was Saturday evenlesson. But he did not even think plain.

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Mrs. Baker burst into tears, and

Indigestion .Nervousness, Sleeplessness Rev. Geo. A. Lofton, D.D., pastor of the Central Baptist church, Nashville, Tenn., and author of

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asked Mrs. Baker, looking up from stood with his hat in his hand, he penetrate the skin of the animal Ford's S. S. Record...... 1 00

his new plan. He asked for the situation and procured it, but said ing to become teachers in the near future. He has never regretted for the sufface and transform to the pupa and hatch out as flies during the seven Volumes American Comthese suits were the likeness and

Editor Ata. Baptist: I send an you would not object, and I had in-tended to keep the whole thing a excerpt from a paper published be-tended to keep the whole thing a tended to keep the whole thing a presses a truth of which we somesecret until I had in my hands four times lose sight. In this day of dollars, my first week's wages. But I could not do it, because I must leave home before seven o'clock, leave home before seven o'clock, and stay away until nine in the it may be well to note the fact that evening. What do you think of the silent forces are oftentimes the potent ones.

Never with blasts of trumpets And the chariot wheels of fame Do the servants and sons of the Highest His oracles proclaim; And when grandest truths are uttered, And when holiest depths are stirred, "Character Sketches," gives testi-mony in the Baptist and Reflector:

And when holiest depths are stirred, When our God himself draws nearest, The still, small voice is heard.

He has sealed with his own silence His years that come and go, Bringing still their mighty measures Of glory and of woe. Have you heard one note of triumph Proclaim [their course begun? When their ministry was done?

Unheralded and unheeded His revelations come, Stand resolute and dumb! But a thousand years of silence And the world falls to adore, And kiss the feet of martyrs It crucified before!

Shall I have part in the labor, In the silence and the night That he opens to my sight? In the strength and the inspiration That his crowned and chosen know Oh! well might my darkest so row Into song of triumph flow.

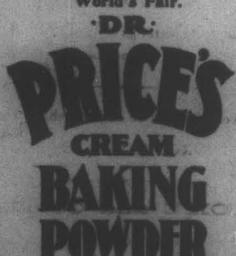
I hear in this sacred stillness The fall of angelic feet, feel white hands on my forehead, With a benediction sweet; No echo of worldly tumult My beautiful vision mars; The silence itself is music

Like the music of the stars. A Yorkshire vicar's wife had much damage is done to the lessening of great value in equalizing the cir- trouble in inducing an old lady to the value of the hide. The editors go to church. The vicar's wife re- of Insect Life estimate the annual moved this difficulty, but a few loss caused by the Warbles upon Sabbaths later the old lady was the cattle received at the Union again persistently absent. The par- Stock Yards at Chicago at \$3,337,soness reproached her, and was 565. As so many of our Southern told, "I went to church when the cattle are affected by the wolves, bonnet was new, but when it be- the loss must necessarily be considgan to look shabby I went to the erable. Baptists, and when it was too bad for the Baptists I went to the Methwith eczema; went twice to Hot odists, and now it is too shabby to

> of a cow. In despair of arriving at larvæ do not readily come out, the a decision, be applied for advice to openings can be slightly enlarged

Rev. M. W. Millard, Nashville, Of course; pshaw!—girls, are my

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erally known throughout the Southern States, especially in Texas, as the "Heel Fly," rather than as the "Ox-warble," while the larvæ are ter. The mature form is a fly, and pinch of poverty in my life as I did of how a proper study of the life last week. My heart was very histories of insects will effect remetiently stitched away on the gar-ments of her more prosperous nigh-ing. I said a score of times. 'God destruction. The remedy for any and her income was so small that will provide a way, but these insect must largely depend upon she must needs eke it out by the thoughts would return, The snow the life history of the insect, i. e., help of the needle. Fred was al- and the cold are here, and I have the transformations through which

had determined to make a scholar of himself, and so be fitted to make a good livelihood for had not thought of your leaving that the larvæ hatching from them, school, you were so anxious to secure | worked their way under the skin, where they are found so common "I was, mother, but I am sure it in February. Now, however, is my duty to give you immediate thanks to the investigations of Drs. help. I could not go on making Curtice and Riley, we know the not wait to do great things. I'd fine plans about being able to help life history to be as follows: The Representative Men of the better begin now. Mr. Richie you by and by in a very gentlemanneeds a boy over at his store. I ly way, while you were breaking the female flies about the legs and think that I will speak for the yourself down to keep a big, strong especially the heels of the animals, Bible Doctrine of Inspiration. 1 25 225 age. When they could drill like give it to the poultry. It contains at this time may be no bad thing cattle and taken into the mouth. for me. Mr. Richie says that all Here they attach themselves along took his hat, and went toward the our education does not come out of the canal leading to the throat, the He was soon ready, and as he their way through this and finally said, "Give me a kiss, mother, to along the backbone. The larvæ "I am just going over to Mr. keep me company. The hours may are not found along the back until Mathew, by Broadus.......\$2 25 January, but they have been taken Mar & Luke, by Clark & Bliss 2 75 She kissed him fondly, and again from between the ribs during the said, "God bless you!" and he autumn months. The young larvæ went out to undertake his first day's could certainly be found along the back early in the autumn in case Fred Baker is now twenty-five the old theory regarding the inyears old, and he is head clerk at sect's life history was correct. In ing and he had been studying his Mr. Richie's store, with a salary early March the larvæ have become sufficient to support his mother and full grown, and work their way Timothy, Titus, Philemon, Heof his lesson. His mind was full of educate his sisters, who are expect- out of the cattle and drop to the

> It is of great interest to know when the flies are about laying piercing the skin of the animals Any of the above books can be had at very soft and delicate parts which result of that something which oc- mummery of a formal and vain long roll as the captains called curs in animals which we cannot repetition of prayers in concert. I their companies to arms. Instant- diseases caused by a disordered liver

is always highly sensitive in the hairy animals, that it might produce a degree of uneasy tickling, which added to the noise, and perhaps an instinctive fear, always impressed upon them, is altogether sufficient for the extraordinary alarm we

The insect is well distributed throughout the United States, and a nearly related species does great damage in England. The workings of a few larvæ within an animal quence. "I think when I had my bath yesterday," he said, "somebody must have put starch in the would naturally tend to keep it in poor condition, but the greatest

HOW TO PREVENT THIS LOSS. If every owner of cattle would simply squeeze out and kill the larvæ in February, this insect would be practically exterminated. This A young Scotchman was once is easily done by pressing the halting between two loves—one swellings along the back with the possessed of beauty and the other thumb and forefinger. In case the weemin in Christendom."-Home squeezed out of the swellings. If BAMA BAPTIST. Fair Graduate: Which is the proper expression, 'girls are,' or 'girls is?' Chorus of schoolmates: one less fly the following summer, one are famile fly lays many of killing the larvæ becomes at once apparent. "But," says farmer Jones, "what is the use of my doing this work when Smith and Brown, who live on either side of me, will not do it? There's farmer Moore, too, who owns the place just across the road from me, who would see all his cattle killed rather than spend five minutes a year to an animal in getting the wolves out." Well, brother Jones, it would be better if you had more enterprising neighbors, but get your ear close and I will tell you something. Insects do not travel much so long as there is food near at home, and in the case of the Warble fly, the fly will rarely leave one herd to attack | another .- Southern Cultivator.

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1815 as follows: to pray each and severally for "We may also further observe themselves and others, but there is that there cannot be any very pain- absolutely no praying in this conful affection, as the fly has really cert business, but a very prolific no instrument fitted for such a pur- impression of formality that teachpose, the female ovipositor being a es the lesson that it don't require mere tube, made of flexible materi- anything but a form of words to als, piece inserted in piece, exact- make prayer. Can not our Conly as in a common telescope. How- vention Sunday-school Board do us ever it is possible on reaching the better service than this?—Rev. J. skin or cuticle of the beast, which N. Hall, in Western Recorder.

> Scene: An Irish cabin. Pat is ill. Doctor has just called. 'Well, Pat, have you taken the box of pills I sent you?' 'Yis, sor, be jabers, I have. But I don't feel any better. Maybe the lid hasn't come off yet!'

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est ruler in the world. According to some people, it is a hard thing to Alfonso did not long ago. A king, by law, is the commander-in-chief couldn't do, because—and this is 2 60 couldn't do, because—and this is 2 60 another point in which he is differ-2 40 ent from all other kings—he was tiful white pony, and walked it Life of J.B. Jeter, by Hatcher, 1 75 2 40 ent from all other kings—he was born a king, his father having died shortly before he came into the

> 1 95 fun came in. For months beforehand some big soldiers were drilling a baby's army, whose members forms and guns, and one July day be so profitably utilized. Poultry mand of the army of his country through these boy soldiers.

It was a great sight. On a broad esplanade in the city of San Sebas- Miss Brown had spent a great deal like Spanish regulars, in suits of "Well, I didn't say that she could, blue, cut like a dress suit, the trousers having gold stripes down the side, the swallow-tailed coats trimmed with gold braid and buttoned across the breast with gold frogs. On the shoulders were gold epaulets. The officers were dressed like the soldiers, only they had carried little bayonet rifles, with cartridges that exploded with about the noise of a fire-cracker. Each the appetite, improves digestion, and soldier had also a brace of tiny pis- restores health and vigor; all the tols. There they stood, waiting for organs of the body are roused to the King to come. After a while healthy action by Doctor Pierce's a grown-up orderly, on a big horse, Golden Medical Discovery. More ovipositor consists principally of See other Premium List next week. dashed up, saluted the eight-year than all, the liver—and that's the extend like a tube. So it cannot "3. Tap of bell. Rise, close commanded the regiment, have pure blood or poisonous blood, be the piercing of the skin, both eyes, say Lord's prayer in concert." wheeled, and rode away at owing to the insect's anatomy, and I find this sentence in the Baptist full speed. The Lieutenant Color owing to the insect's anatomy, and I find this sentence in the Baptist full speed. The Lieutenant Colothe fact that the eggs are simply Teacher, published in Nashville, in nel, who was on a beautiful controls the blood, the "Discovery" attaced to the hairs of the body. the order of exercises for the Pripony, with long, white tail and The fear may possibly be produced mary Department. It may be all mane, gave an order to the Lieutenby a tickling of the skin when the right, but I don't believe it, to ant. The drums, in the hands of being ready for them. Brace the eggs are laid. It may also be the teach our children the Romish a boy drum corps, sounded a system up with this medicine, which

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> born a king, his father having died back the whole length of the regishortly before he came into the ment, taking his stand under a purworld. A baby, as every one knows, ple silk canopy to review his couldn't take his place as commander-in-chief of a great army, so the tional hymn, and the little soldiers wheeled into line and marched Spanish people had to wait until wheeled into line and marched he grew old enough to do it in the along exactly as well as any grown ones could. The King returned When a ruler takes command of the salutes of the officers as they his army, he reviews it. But that passed him, and when the review would not do in this case. How was over, the boy band kept playwould it look to see a boy who had only worn trousers about a year and soldiers went into a banquet. Thus a half, reviewing a lot of grown ended the great day. It was a soldiers! So just here is where the sight never before witnessed in the

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