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Reported for Alabama Baptist. EVANGELIZATION. A Sermon on Missions.

BY J. J. TAYLOR, D D MOBILE. Mark 16:15: "And he said unto then Go ve into all the world and preach th gospel to every creature"

local work, state work, home work, quake, nor in the fire, but in the even so send I you. to strengthen the things that re- still small voice, Jehovalı speaks to Paul acted upon this principle.

attention, first, to some things need- course with joy, and become a per- bly not one noble impulse or useful ed in the prosecution of this great petual inspiration in the work, invention would be lost. If a mil-

gelization Multitudes of avowed a Judson, or a Yates who can stick disciples feel no responsibility and work, wait, and die in the har- norant and wretched are they. I whatever in extending the Redeem- ness. the Lord's way may be known in bread of life for starving souls. the earth, his saving health among Last year our Foreign Mission for his inheritance, and the utmost where.

pray for the cause, their prayers are the field, and with our ability to do. through the centuries he has yearned the help our preachers man surrounligation is personal to every true not much of this world's goods, disciple. "I must work the work but all have some; and surely the of him that sent me"-eme die, me offerings of the rich supplementing it ties, I am bound to work, though the offerings of the poor ought to Scribes murmur, and Pharisees ob- make the aggregate as much as one ject, and sinners pelt me with dollar for each one of us. Certainly

tion yields, and crooked places are apiece for this great cause, espemade straight, and rough places cially if some give a hundred. smooth. Impelled by such a con- The motives for engaging in this daunted by the opposition of com- considered. merce, the sneers of unbelief, the The first is Christian fellowship railery of wit, the dissussions of Baptists are called close communlove, and the prospect of untold ionists; and persons who have not hardships, to tell the news beyond looked into the matter think only of the seas. The men whose names the second ordinance of the church have been a slogan among the as communion. But the Greek word Christian clans, and an inspiration which is translated communion in to all who war against the armies I Cor. 10:16, the only passage in of darkness, have been men who the Bible where it refers to the could say, with David Brainerd, Lord's supper, is translated fellow- shall be preached in all the world "O that I were a flame of fire in ship at least a dozen times in Acts for a witness unto all nations, and the service of my God!" Such and in the epistles of Paul and John. and fitted to adorn the higher cir- rejoice that they are made to parlight of truth; Ulfilas and others of principle that bidding one God like spirit, who felt that no sacri- speed in his course is communing fice was too great and no task too in the work that he is doing. So hard, if only they might honor the whatever one may think of close Savior whom they loved.

heart, and under its mighty spell brother or sister shall be a drone, Jesus. Amen! sinners would be converted to God or a dead-head in the local work of every week. O for the spirit of the church: it mars the fellowship Evangelist Preston to His Broevangelism among our people! It of the church. It puts the drone would make its power felt from and the dead-head on the sick list,

Mobile to the ends of the earth! | and sometimes feeds them on wormplaces. In reply to the question, poor, wise and unwise, shall stand we believe in a divine call to the Montgomery, Feb. 28. "What does our missionary work together, as the prophet says, for ministry.

We ask special attention to Bro. lar the glory of God in the advance— "Though I preach the gospel, I the glory of God in the advance— ite have nothing to glory of; for ne- have nothing to glory of; for ne- have nothing to glory of; for ne-

year or so some professional clacker, the maker of them all.

is the work contemplated in the forms; and they go forth assured him. words, Into all the world, to every that the stars stoop as low over I can not truly say that I am China or Africa as over their native deeply in love with the heathen. Pray ye the Lord of the harvest. lion of Chinese should sleep the We must have the spirit of evan- Ask him for a Carey, or a Clough, sleep of death tonight, it would

this well dressed and prosperous Before such a conviction opposi- assembly can contribute a dollar

viction Carey rose up from his cob- enterprise are too many to recount bler's bench, and went forth un- in detail; but some of them may be

communion in the technical sense,

who travels around at public ex- | Another motive is fidelity. In to a lost world. To Peter and Anpense, reports thousands of callow these days books are written to drew Christ said, "From henceyouths, male and female, who are show the commercial value of mis- forth ye shall catch men." This language suggests a theme willing to take a trip abroad, when sions, as if the Lord had come to But, is it God's will that His which I confess my conscious and the funds are furnished. Some of disclose the way of wealth. Or ambassadors should devote their convert embarrassing inability to present as them doubtless are called of God, some dramatic orator with his finger entire time to the work of the min- Most of it ought to be presented: World- for he can work through human on his wrist stands before a yawn- istry? Yes; for this reason the same wide evangelization. The vast is foolishness; but many of them have ing audience and undertakes to tell first deacons were appointed. this p sues involved, the difficulties of the no higher call than that of the plau- how, many heathen are dropping "Then the twelve called the multi- pires enterprise arising out of divergen- sible peripatetic who passes on so into hell with every throb of his tude of the disciples unto them, and cies in language and custom, and soon as he counts the names and heart, and sometimes it is hinted said, It is not reason that we should prejudices of race and religion, the heralds the number in the newspa- that the salvation of the elect is leave the word of God and serve inevitable and disastrous mistakes per. Some of these mistaken souls hazarded by failure in this matter. tables. Wherefore, brethren, look of plan and administration, the pre- keep up the delusion. only to dis- If any one is impelled in the path ye out among you seven men of of the vailing and imperturbable apathy cover at last that their work, like of duty by such appeals, I do re- honest report, full of the Holy of this of God's people and the urgent and the historic Children's Crusade, is joice, and will rejoice; but they are Ghost and wisdom, whom we may these to relentless authority of the com- a dismal failure; and they come not according to the Scriptures. appoint over this business, [taking expecting will use it. They are invited mandment oppress and almost ap-bome crippled for life. Mean-pall me. The paramount work of while the report that such armies commerce, and he did not bring a give ourselves continually to prayer, and rethe church on earth and the justifi of boys and girls are ready to smash penny to pay the stipulated tribute; and to the ministry of the word." all are cation of its existence, the work all the idols in China, and behead to Caesar; and if millions of heathen are dropping into perdition with Timothy, writes, "No man that ing up it Heaven and earth and presented ediles in the rivers of India, stops every tick of the clock, he made warreth entangleth himself with far as the under the direct sanction of the Son the flow of prayer to the Lord of them and they are his. The deeper the affairs of this life; that he may we are under the direct sanction of the Son of God, is the work of teaching the harvest for "laborers" whom of God, is the work of teaching the harvest for "laborers" whom that of fidelity to him. He says, to be a soldier." We see then that the harvest for "laborers" whom that of fidelity to him. He says, to be a soldier. The purpose being to gain the of-

seem like a mercy, so poor and ig-

his soul and be satisfied. If he has who is sustained. ind true, even as he.

gazing into the vacant heavens, "to help weak churches." ies devout souls have waited for of a secularized ministry. ais coming, and have watched for The strong ought to help the chariot, even as the lightning flash- plant must be cultivated, or the th from sky to sky. Sometimes in leaves and fruit will wither and die. heir exuberance of hope they have Our State work is the foundation of the Messiah, and on this rock nost insans with the thought, they | Lord help us to be faithful. have stitched their robes in readiness to meet him. But he will ever come to a disobedient peo- Are the Churches of Alabama ole: This gospel of the kingdom

ther Preachers.

Dear Brother Pastors:

only can find him. I speak with ing the lessons of meekness by asso- cessity is laid upon me; yea, woe to be .- ED.

the utmost deliberation-I believe ciation with the weak, and the is unto me if I preach not the go: INST the weakest point in our missionary weak gaining hope and heart by pel." This is the experience of work today is in the men we send, leaning on the strong. Unbroken every true minister. But, does God and I do not blame the men, on the fellowship! Close communion in call men from other pursuits when MINI contrary I honor them for the sac- every good work! The army of He calls them into the ministry? rifices they have made. The fault, the Lord marching in solid phalanx Yes; Elisha was called from his lies in the clap-trap methods that to conquer the world for Christ! plow; Matthew from the receipt of are in vogue; for example, in the The rich and the poor meeting to- custom; Peter, Andrew, James so-called students' volunteer move- gether, singing together, praying and John were called from their ment, which is always ready to together, hearing together, wor- fishing nets. These pursuits were move so soon as somebody pays the shipping together, rejoicing to- followed for a livelihood, and from passage there and back. Every gether, giving together, and God these employments our Savior called them to become His messengers

nations and instructing them in the he hath chosen.

In the left of the hath sent me, the call of Christ is such as to indiways of the Lord. There must be Not in the wind, nor in the earthways of the Lord. There must be not of them. The old regime of State fending brother, the terms of felcate that the preacher must make he cone ethren to carry out the pur- Mission work faced us for twenty fowship need to be defined and the ministry the one business of his our bin of the board, and we solicit years, and the new destitution will schism avoided. It is the function

support of his ambassadors? Is repres in all its varied types. are destined to be a great people er continues to be obstinate, he de-God's law on this subject hopelessly and p em read it so that they may or the glory of our Lord, if only serves to be delivered to Satan and they put forth the patient, persistreated as one bereft of Christian China or Africa as over their native deeply in love with the heathen.

Without dwelling upon the details of the theme, I desire to direct

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So the heathen. will he not hold us accountable for and so Drs. Teague, Gray, Roby, changing wisely and conservative- but drop him from the fellowship. our refusal to obey his law?

Now, my brother, will you please Shaffe sed all the brethren to comget your New Testament and turn | -inde ate with their fellows through to 1st Corinthians and read the 9th munic gency. Brethren, "To comchapter carefully. Then think of this ago ate forget not." We invite do not know what the Lord wants 600 preachers in Alabama who say municulou to play on the organ. er's kingdom. From year to year We must have money; not a trib- with them, or with you, or with that they are called of God to preach all of an they lift no burden, and bear no ute to sentiment, but means to buy me! But I am a Christian. I love the gospel, but who are today encross, and bring no offering, that bread for those who break the the Savior, who is my Lord and gaged in secular employments, and my King. If he wants the heathen tell me if there is not a fault some-

but empty words, because they have It came from the white Baptists of over the poor and wretched who today is help to put bread into the no heart in the enterprise. The the South, a million strong. The have been oppressed of Satan and mouths of their children while they primal need of God's people today Baptists of Alabama could have bound in sin, I want him to ride obey their Master. Every church is the conviction that the work given the entire sum, had they been forth on the white horse of victory in Alabama ought to have a pastor ought to be done, and that the ob- minded to do so. Many of us have until he shall see of the travail of for at least one fourth of his time, called me to be a soldier in this Every church that is not able to

noble warfare, I want to be faithful sustain a suitable pastor for one fourth of his time should apply to this Still another motive is anticipa. the State Board of Missions for tion. When Jesus was parted from help, since it is made the duty of Chri his astonished disciples who stood the Board by the State Convention, that

white who said, He will come work, and contribute of our means, Eders heim (partially) and others, Hence to the extent that it is true siology. gain. Through the weary centu- as to free ourselves of this reproach where the Jews had any clear con- to its function, its teaching will

he light that shall flash from his weak. The roots of the tree or treamed that he was near, and al- of our work in other lands. The A. J. PRESTON.

Contributing Regularly to the Mission Cause?

This question is a very important then shall the end come. And one. It was suggested to me the were Hans Egede, going away to In the verb form the word fre- what a glorious end it will be! By other day as I was looking over the the icy coasts of Greenland, not quently occurs, and always with he bier of our dead we read of the receipts for Foreign Missions for counting life itself dear, that he the idea of sharing in a thing, as holy city New Jerusalem, with its the month of January. The Treasmight testify the gospel of divine when Paul warns Timothy not to golden streets, and jusper walls, urer's books show that \$272 24 this grace, and Schwartz, of Germany, commune or share in other men's and gates of pearl; and with tear- came into his hands during that trained in the University of Halle sins, or Peter exhorts the saints to ful joy we contemplate the glorious month. A careful examination and ruth that there the inhabitant shall analysis of these receipts reveals cles of learning, yet plunging into take of, or share in, the sufferings oot say, I am sick, and in that city the following significant facts: the darkness of India to kindle the of Christ. John lays down the there shall be no more death, neither | \$221.94 of the whole amount consorrow nor crying, neither shall tributed came through the Ladies' there be any more pain. But John | Central Committee, leaving \$50 30. says, I saw this delightful abode Of this amount Bro. A. J. Preston "coming down from God out of collected \$12 82 on his field, which heaven." It is to be here on earth, leaves a balance of \$37.48 coming This spirit would disclose itself in this broader use of the term ev- when the gospel is preached in all directly from the churches. These not simply in an annual effering, ery Christian ought to believe in but in our daily service of Christ. It would fill up the Sunday school, Frequently I have taken part in enand multiply the attendance at prayer meeting. It would crowd the house of God with devout and expectant worshipers at every serthe house of God with devout and ing to stand aloof and put myself beaven, King of righteousness Brother pastors, it seems to me the beaven, King of righteousness brother pastors, it seems to me the blessed and blessing for evermore. It would kindle the fires of ren.

I wait, and pray, and work for his with very shame. \$37 48 coming fard heavenly zeal in every Christian On this ground I plead that no coming. Even so, come, Lord directly from the churches of Ala- asid bama whose membership aggregate seiz 120,000 white Baptists! It humil- wor iates me to have to make such a poli statement. It ought to drive every tion pastor in Alabama to his knees, wor These facts would not be so morti- A We need also workmen. We wood and gall. I plead that for Is the gospel ministry a profes- fying if they were applicable only in must be workmen ourselves, else we his or her own sake every member sion or a vocation? Does God call to Foreign Missions. They apply his are not meeting the obligations of of the church shall feel some inter- men to preach the gospel? Yes; to receipts in every department. he the Christian life. God's people est and take some part in every en- every true minister has a direct and You have placed me where I am, wo are a generation chosen to show terprise that engages the church. I special call from God to that par- and by the help of the Master I ex- ity forth the praises of the Lord; they plead that the educated shall not ticular work. "We are ambassa- pect to keep the facts before you. the are set as a city on a hill to light stand aloof because they are educad dors for Christ," and no one can Let me drop another serious fact and the dark places of the earth, and ted, or the uneducated because they reasonably doubt for a moment that into your mind: the receipts for the every one is appointed to hold forth are uneducated; that the rich shall Christ, as a sovereign, would se- February will be 75 per cent. or ter the word of life in his appointed not draw off because they are rich, lect his own officers and send out more below those of January. We place. And we must look to God or the poor because they are poor, his own ambassadors. As a denom- What a record for the Master to the to furnish workmen for distant but that the whole church, rich and ination we publish to the world that look upon. J. L. Thompson.

We ask special attention to Bro. lar

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Texas Baptist Standard disbeing the "organ" of any ion, board, or anything else. on of the Convention, but w warranted by the action two boards. At least half paper is the official organ of wo boards, and as such it is

ed that the friends of their quested to do so. Any and welcome to speak in this into the conserving and buildof the work. At least so hese columns are concerned greatly in need of good, usewant er, Campbell, Taylor, Eager

Bro. Dickinson: The Ec-

the church was raised. Am I right, or is this but an "autolatrous" conceit? I think your articles in the ALA BAMA BAPTIST will do much good; they are stimulating.

Fraternally, Ve are inclined to think our her's position is correct. A we have never been able to over a clear-cut confession of livine Messiahship previous to confession of Peter. The Jews out exception looked for a tem Messiah. Does any one among readers know of a single clear of belief in the divine Messiah ious to this?-ED.

Changes.

plance at the instructions di Soevention will show that gained thy brother."

not now to establish new churches advent a church could only be held some of the lectures taken down those already existing. The Insti- ence. wlad news over the state.

Hi ve we made a mistake in bring in these innovations? Or is seeking to bind and loose on hearts of the pastors. Let us have

in the progress of our people.

Biblical Ecclesiology--No 4.

We come now to consider our seen, and it simplifies a sime to give validity to testi

here appeared two men clothed in Brethren, let us so organize our I have read Westcott, Oehler and loose on earth as in heaven, ver. 18. been too formalistic in our eccleception of a divine Messiah. Of comport with that of heaven. Ah, cours e the inspired prophets must only our churches were always have had, but they were not under- true to voice the verdict of our instood by the people. Peter first dwelling Savior and the abiding voice d the doctrine of the divinity Spirit, their deliverances would be such as to command this consideration. (2) Their verdict is an invocation of heaven; it is an agreement to ask and it shall be done for them of the Father in heaven. Having bound and loosed in their vertion to the Father in heaven.

of Missions than that which "in my name" is of the greatest Chicago University, through the nion that it does. When a means as his agents attending to his ies and thinking. When the stuner goes out to reap he puts les in plows and harrows and les the scythe. A change of k to him means a change of cy and agencies. The presumpticy and agencies. The presumpticy and agencies. The presumpticy and agencies that change of leverywhere is that change of leverywhere levery k necessitates a change of tools. only what it is confident its Head of your school can get some im- give the following books if the the necessitates a change of tools. Only what it is confident its fleat of your school can get some image of the pulse and training from its rich movement is taken up, viz., reaping. A wise man selects Lord's agents and trusted servants, store of teaching? Are there not Phelps' Theory of Preaching,

are now to address ourselves to supposes a state of things wherein vacancies caused by death each some others of equal high order. e are now to address ourselves to supposes a state of things wherein improvement of the quality of his presence was no longer conditions of space religious life all over the state. It is a lerefore we must give up very and an earthly bodily life. It is a lerefore we must give up very and an earthly bodily life. It is a lerefore we must give up very and an earthly bodily life. It is a lerefore we must give up very and an earthly bodily life. It is a lerefore we must give up very level to launch the level of learning be put in connection. gely the agencies which are simd and local, and use those which spiritual indwelling, when he if it is to fill its ideal as a seat and all-pervasive and reach out into would be with his own always and source of an educated ministry. It The Spirit guides those who anery quarter of our Zion. We are everywhere. Before his spiritual has been our pleasure to re-read swer his call.

than punitive or schismatic.

has our very success in the plant- earth as it is bound or loosed in the Extension Department. ing of churches in every commun- heaven, i.e, set forth what is conty produced a changed condition sistent and inconsistent with felwhich required different agencies lowship. We have a case in point to meet? We are persuaded that when the Church at Jerusalem this last is the true state of the loosed unto the Gentile church at Antioch the question of circumci-But we are yet at the beginning sion, but bound as necessary to felof this work. None of these agen- lowship abstinence "from the polcies have we as yet learned to use lution of idols, and from fornicatter. Nobody is or has been to their full value. They will be tion, and from what is strangled,

y with the ever changing situation Now, in this passage it is mani-

fest that our Lord is speaking of what we call the local church. It is composed of brethren, agents or servants of Christ, with whom he himself is present, whose aim it is Lord's second presentation of the to agree on the matter unto concert Church in Matt. 18:15-20. He is of prayer to the Father, and whose Dealogy is interesting. speaking of personal offenses, and function it is to set forth the condiclesion it in two installments at a after enjoining upon the person of tions of fellowship, and act accord-Send I can't read serial stories tended to seek reparation first by ingly. The bond of union in modthe earth, his saving health among the nations. They have received something over a immeasurable bounty and a good hope through grace; yet do they hope throug

> dincurry. I should like to he instructs them to bring it before It will be noticed from the above ask of the question relative to Peter's the Church. If the obstinate of that nothing is said of officers, on statement, "Thou art the Christ, lender still persists in his refusal to of the form of local church organthe Son of the living God." After make the amende, he is then to be ization. It is only a brotherhood the most thorough examination I segarded as a publican and heathen, of wo or more met in the Master's could make of the subject with the one bereft of religious impulse and na le and spiritual presence, confacilities at hand, I took the posi- standing. Surely a verdict which certing good fellowship between tion before my B. Y. P. U. that is to have this serious effect should them. It is of much more imporwas the first statement made come from a body moved by the tance to have a church all alive by a Jew (or by any one else) to most honorable impulses. The with the full and free flow of felt personally of the doctrine warrant for this severe sentence lowship, than to have one cast in the Messiah was the Son of our Lord gives: (I) It is the func- any Procrustean mold. Is not the God. I can't find anywhere, and tion of the Church to bind and life more than form? We have

We thank the many brethren who have been kind enough to write us their appreciation of these articles. They have been so nutives and meet well his duties as merous that we take this occasion to answer their fraternal letter.

The Seminary. We do not propose to discuss the deplorable newspaper controversy peal in behalf of this important dict on earth as in heaven, they can over the recent effort to remove its and pressing work. All that is look to the Father in heaven to president. This we leave to the needed to bring it to speedy and vindicate the truth. I have said "officious organs" and the official complete success is for each one to "verdict;" ought I not to have said trustees. We wish to raise quite fall in line and do his part. Repetition? (ver. 19) (3). The above another question. How can our member that missionary work is rests upon the assumed fact that Seminary be made to contribute to dependent upon the small givers, where two or three are gathered the thousands of pastors who are and there will be needed a large together in our Lord's name, there unable to attend its halls? It does number to furnish the amount necis he in the midst of them. Ver. 20. look like a pity that all of this essary to carry out the plan of the The Lord is a party to the adjudi- great school's service should be convention. This is really a small cation of the case and its presenta- confined to the two or three hun- task for the Baptists of this state, dred fortunates who can spend and we see no reason why we This passage is quite rich in ec- years attending its lectures. Why should take two bites at this cherry. clesiological teaching. (1). The should this teaching, so great and We trust the brethren will take church is here presented as a body good, be patented exclusively for their collections in this interest at of brothers, "if thy brother sin use in its lecture rooms? Why have once and send their gifts to Dr. R. against thee," and "thou hast esoteric teaching in these days of Patrick, Marion. If you have not the press and mails? Not one idea already done so, please take up an mapped out for the Stage in our Lord's name. The phrase take up and has that school contributed to many, offering for this cause at once, so

so much as to confirm and improve at the place of his physical pres- from the professor of Church History. What a rich mine of infortute is intended to reach and im- (4) When the brethren meet in mation it is, and what sledge-hamprove the pastors, and hence the his name, with his presence vouch- mer blows it gives the heretic, and F PURSER, Office Secretary, our pulpits more powerful. This ing or coming to one mind in order landmarks of the Baptist faith! your pulpits more powerful. This ing or coming to one mind in order landmarks of the Baptist faith! is one new agency which the to ask it of the Father. They are We wish every pastor in Alabama changed conditions have brought seeking after unanimity in order to could read and study them. And bout. The evangelist has come to pray. It seems to me that this lan- why not? They could be printed the front to meet this changed con- guage implies that power to do and circulated for a song. We dition, and this new form of mis- what is needed is still in the Fa- favor an Extension Department in sionary endeavor has taken the ther's hands, and the church must the Seminary until the influence of place very largely of the local mis- ask execution of its conclusions that school shall extend to all our ion pastor, whose duty it was to from his providence. They must pastors. It was our pleasure to plant and cultivate a church in a be conscious of this capacity as met have been one of those who launchdestitute community. The evan- in Jesus' name, and of his presence ed the Seminary Magazine. It was gelist is a missionary at large to with and in them to adjudicate a hoped that it would become an four great weeklies take this help meet this all-pervasive desti- difference, in order to pray intelli- agency to this end. Is it too late osition. But an editorial in Jution. The ALABAMA BAPTIST gently. It is not the province of a yet to redeem that agency for this per shows its proprietor ashas been partly acquired as a tool
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will soon find more progressive but less wholesome seats of learning (5) When thus met, the church already occupying the field and

A Preacher at Politics.

I suppose all thinking men have both endorsed and admired the stand taken by the pastor of the First Baptist church, Montgomery, in recent exciting events. Indeed. after watching every movement with somewhat critical but sympathetic interest, we fail to see where his course could have been improved upon. Of course his church, as is ts custom, stands by him in this efto strengthen the things that remain, to lead the descendants of Christian ancestors to a personal experience of grace, and so to fortify a batis for larger conquests. But the grants voices and so to fortify the whole world without sending away, and proclaiming the tidings away, and proclaiming the Christis not named. This where Christ is not named. This where Christ is not named. This where Christ is not named. This work as the strengthen the things that remain, to lead the descendants of the real prophet, and sends him to the probably the ment of the cause of piety and wirtue. From the contributions thereto from post the ministry the one pushess of instance of the name of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto of the church to set forth the contributions thereto.

But we also know the pushing for the whole without sending on from the posterior and the we call the probable them contributed to the church to set forth the new destitution will the motion of the church to set forth the new destitution will the motion of the church to set forth the new destitution will the motion of the church to set for fort to promote the public weal and more down-right humbug in its content that this cry of "preacher at politics," and "whipping him back to altar and hearth-stone." It is surprising that Baptists should fail to see the fallacy of the cry, especially when the term "altar" is so prominent. Do you know that altar means priest, and no Baptist preacher for one moment would call himself a priest? They are preachers, teachers, and the putting forth of moral and religious impulses in people in every line of life is their function. I have never believed that they should neglect the politicians of the Publican stripe, but follow their Master by giving them but the more attention because of their exceeding need. The is a critical year in hould do his duty to put moral and religious conviction into the peo-

> he rest of us so much, and hence, being beneficiaries of their work, we owe them hearty thanks. It was an Englishman, who beieves in a professional priesthood, who said that society was composed of men, women and priests. We are glad to see that our brother, as every other Baptist preacher, belongs to the order of men, and does not disdain to exercise his preroga-

ple, that there may be a great up-

ift in our civic affairs. We desire

to thank Dr. Eager and his people

for their services. Being in the capital city, they bear many res-

ponsibilities which do not burden

Greensboro Work.

Quite a number of pastors and churches are responding to our ap-

Several issues ago we promised reaping. A wise man selects agencies according to the work wishes to accomplish. Now, it ild seem that the sacred ingenuois agencies of the Lord's people would lead m to invent the proper plans agencies of operation which changing situation and character of their work would require.

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outlay of money in the purchase of a new outfit for the ALABAMA BAP- ful, but always sympathetic and present. TIST, with the purpose of changing the form of the paper to the mod- his good offices. He could add to ern style. It is demanded, and we the joys of the marriage feast in must meet the demand. We are Cana, or weep at the grave of sorely pressed financially on this Lazarus, account. Several of our subscribers have not yet sent in their renewals, and a number are behind with us for a year or more. Now. dear brethren, won't you at once do Every difficult task yields to conyour utmost to send us your back stant, persistent effort. "One to dues and renewals? We feel sure day is worth two tomorrows.' that when you read this and know Jesus did not seek the idlers as his our needs and appreciate our con- apostles; he called into his service dition, you will come to our relief. the busy man, the working man We have no other way of getting Even the Savior of men learned the money except from our subscribers trade of a carpenter. There is no who owe us. We have no income art or science too difficult for indusfrom any other source. Hence we try to attain, sooner or later. One earnestly appeal to you to please mind may reach the goal sooner cash for the material, and unless you help us, we cannot do this. We rely on you for help. Won't ond time, if you are here, let him you help us? We hope to make find you diligent in a righteous the paper what you would have it work, be. Please attend to this important matter. Don't forget it.

WHERE hypocrisy and cheap diplomacy prevail, honesty, frank ness, soberness and all those noble old sturdy virtues are at a discount.

FEW think of hospitality as a privilege he put this proposition sacredly-enjoined duty. It is a vir. "All who are in hearty sympathy tue peculiar to Christianity, and with the course pursued by Dr. springs from the very genius of that | Eager, our pastor, in his fearless sublime system. "Given to hospi- denunciation of moral evils and his we not in danger of underestimating so plain and yet so sublime Christian duty?

REV. J. L. THOMPSON preached on last Sunday his fourth anniversary sermon. For the past four years he has been the faithful, effi cient and beloved pastor of Clay ton Street Baptist church of thi city. The records of this church show that the number of members has been doubled during this period Bro. Thompson was one of the loyal pastors who remained at hi post during the dark time of the last visit here of yellow fever, and he visited the rick and buried the dead. No one has a fine record

a pastor among dar acquainta The tie between the pastor and his people is strong and beautiful.

Among the many features which characterize the times is that of general laxness. License and not liberty is that which is sought Faults and crimes are extenuated condoned. The villain is the recepient of dainties and flowers in his cell. The br tal murderer receives letters of sym pathy, and is heroized by a maud lin sentimentality. The executive is besought to exercise mercy rather than firm justice. The prchin be comes a man and scouts the author ity alike of father and mother The rod is remanded to the rubbist pile, and the youngster asserts his right to trample wantonly under foot all authority.

Things are greatly wrenched from their normal order. Whe authority becomes a hiss and by word; when reverence flies apace when respect for superiors is ban ished; when faults and evils ar condoned as buman weaknesse and when criminality is gilded an veneered with chivalry, chaos of so ciety will inevitably follow. sistance reaching the insurgents.

Missions are the offspring of Heaven. From his throne God came in search of Adam and Eve when they fell. In the garden he time. As was the intention, the right to wait until a man dies to called Adam, who had hidden. president has appointed Dewey to commend him, but we should com From that day until now missions fill that office and enjoy the rank fort and hold him up here in this have been the work of God through and dignity. It is said that he is life, so as to encourage him and Home Mission Board and A with the work of Carey, who with try next to the president, and his his compeers labored seven years salary is \$13 000 a year. before the first Hindoo convert was The insurgents are still active, days since in Atlanta, and was bubaptized. Judson toiled on for and frequently fire on our men. ried at Eufaula, where her husband will observe the week of prayer a co years without any fruit of his labor, Gen. Otis is preparing to make an was laid to rest some years ago. until the few churches in the Uni- advance in force with two columns Mrs. Davis and her husband were ted States which sustained him be- on parallel lines, and it is hoped for many years closely identified gan to be disheartened. He wrote, that with the assistance of the ships with the work and growth of the what a shower of blessing worti. to care to keep back anything which "Beg the churches to have patience. he will be able to bring the enemy First Baptist church of this city. It a ship were here to carry me to to a reasoning condition. The in. There were six large hams in the box, besides other meats as descend in response to these pells. There were six large hams in that box, besides other meats as descend in response to the pells. There were six large hams in that box, besides other meats as descend in response to the pells. If a ship were here to carry me to to a reasoning condition. The inany part of the world I would not surgents made an effort to retake departments, and their good influ the beloved Cleveland, so recent al first belore leaving home to go to have fallen and "made shipwreck of the first belore leaving home to go to have fallen and "made shipwreck of the first belore leaving home to go to have fallen and "made shipwreck of the first surgical the strength of our ceived in Montgomery."

A majority of our ceived in Montgomery. leave my field. Tell the brethren success is as certain as a faithful God can make it." How true this plied with wholesome water, but Callaway family of Georgia, and a children? Ask work to be the certain and made simpwreck of the water works, six miles from ence was strong and abiding. She if he could speak to you? Whole would Christ say to his redeemed to be the certain as a faithful manual made simpwreck of the water works, six miles from made simpwreck of the water works are the water works and six miles from made simpwreck of the water God can make it." How true this declaration has been proven. And so we say to our brethren all over Alabama who are preaching the ed. They had crippled the water who came from that state. As a like that water the children and some would children and some would the water the membership in any of our cause, and they were repulsed with a loss of relative of the present pastor at them follow its response.

I. T. Tichenor:

Would Christ say to his redeemed the doubt as to the character of the membership in any of our causents. The children and as to the result. My Such things ought not to be.

So for the good of our cause, and course the bill to incorporate the school passed the House.

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| All such information will be group th The great warship Oregon has serious a loss as her lamented hus- shire.

'He that does good to another man request, does also good to himself, not only The Filipinos still hold quite a Atlanta, W.A. Davis of Ann

DILIGENCE is one of the great

factors in a successful career. Goo

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will gain the victory.

When Christ shall come the sec-

A DESERVED compliment was

paid Rev. Geo. B. Eager, D. D.

on last Sunday at the close of the

morning service. Without his

knowing what was coming, one of

his members asked to make a re-

mark or too. On being granted the

upon every one save two or three

has never been questioned by any

one as to the undivided support Dr.

Eager has been given by his church

in his untiring efforts to throttle

evil and expose the methods of bad

men: but it was thought by some

of the members that it would

strengthen our cause by a public

manifestation of support and en-

dorsement. Had Dr. Eager known

what was coming he would no

have permitted it. But it was all

right; we are pleased to see good

people publicly put themselves on

record when great conflicts are be

NEWS NOTES AFTER THE WAR.

For some reason the number

rations required from this govern-

ment is increasing. Millions of

rations are issued to the Cubans

And yet some of them are quite im

patient to set up a government of

their own. What is called the

"Cuban Assembly" attempts to

exercise authority, but Gen. Gomez

says that as the war is ended the as-

sembly's functions are at an end

and he does not propose to recog-

nize it further. It is probable that

the \$3,000,000 sent by this govern-

ment for the Cuban army will soon

be paid out. Very little is reported

of the conditions in the interior of

the island, so that little is known

THE PHILIPPINES.

Since last report one of Dewey's

patrol gunboats has captured and

destroyed a schooner laden with

arms and ammunition for the insur-

in Japanese waters. Dewey

still asking for small vessels to

more affectually patrol the waters

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in the consequences, but in the very number of Spanish prisoners, whom (Secretary of our Baptist act of doing it; for the conscience they captured after Dewey de- Couvention) and Geo. B. of well doing is an ample reward." stroyed the Spanish fleet. There of Eufaula. With these and The doing good to others is seed are said to be many women among friends we mourn the depart sowing: it is a Christ-like exam- them. The Spanish government, a Christian woman. bly to our appeals. For this we ple. He went about doing good to it is said, has offered \$2,000,000 for others. His whole life was spent their release, but Aguinaldo de- P. S. Montgomery, of Sprin We have recently made another in teaching good deeds and doing mands \$7,000,000, and it is doubtgood deeds. He was never spite- ful if Spain can raise that sum at tender to those who were in need of

FIELD NOTES.

of Sister Springs church, Dallas excellent teachers, and we ar county, to preach there on the first ing progress in giving for our Sunday in each month.

Rev. H. R. Schramm has moved a few miles, so that his address is now James instead of Midway. The change has made no difference in his readiness to receive subscriptions to the ALABAMA BAPTIST.

St. Stephens News, Washington county: Although the weather was very inclement last Sabbath. Rev. W. A. Parker preached an able sermon to a small but attentive congregation. His remarks were especially directed to the young remit us at once. We have to pay than another, but constant effort people, who seemed to appreciate

Baptist Argus, Louisville: Geo. B. Eager, First church, Montgomery, Ala., succeeded so well in preaching on "Politics and Religion" as to cause a mild sensation. The daily papers took the sermon up and have increased its usefulness. This able preacher is liable to accomplish something extra

every once in a while. Please bear in mind to make all checks, money orders, etc., payable | work. to the ALABAMA BAPTIST, and not to any individual. Also, that all the committee appointed to communications for the paper (ex- tigate in regard to establish cepting those intended for the State Soldier's Home for aged Co tality' is a trait upon which a sa- effort to defeat vicious legislation Board and Institute departments) rate veterans. Result of inve cred writer lays great stress. Are will rise to their feet." Where- and all business letters, should be tion proved that the Home addressed to the ALABAMA BAP TIST, and not to an individual.

There will be general and seri ous regret among Baptists, and es pecially in Alabama, over the telegraphic report from Nashville that on account of continued bad health Dr. Hawthorne has resigned his pastorate there. Let us hope that rest, and relief from the constant strain of the pastorate, will soon restore our brother to good health.

H. S. Sullivan, Girard: Inclosed find \$3, which pays my subscription to Dec. 1st, 1900 --- Our church here recently paid \$186 on its pastorium, and expects to pay

tion sheds around and about a basic dation of good mann rent expenses are paid up regularly. Our collection in Sunday school today for the Orphanage was \$2.40. The school gives the first Sunday collection in each month to the Orphanage. - Bro. Hamner is good preacher.

Greenville: Pastor Bradley Sunday morning subject was, "The just shall live by faith;" evening, "The day of wrath." With royal bounty, Messrs. Flowers and Peagler, of Forest, have donated two cars of lumber for the pastorium. Work on the building will begin at once. - Messrs. Flowers and Peagler are able and willing to do big things when the object commends itself to their judgment. They decide that for themselves. We remem ber how they helped President Pat rick lift the Judson up to its pres

ent solid condition .- ED. W. M. Hall, Lincoln: I do not know how a Baptist can get along without the paper, for I find it to be very helpful as an educator and vessel similarly laden was destroyed comforter in our Christian duties, lika some plan will be devise petand I must say I have watched your prudence and wisdom and understanding in your editorials,about the islands and prevent as- how slow to give an answer to any of the criticisms. I feel like saying Congress recently created the this to you, brother in the Lord, office of full Admiral in the navy, and may He spare you long to lead which has not existed for a long his people. I do not think it is

Mrs. Mary E. Davis, widow of the late B. B. Davis, died a few

SENECA truly and wisely said, been ordered to Manila at Dewey's band was in his. The children to mourn are, Mrs. Fitzger

> Here is a delayed note from I am pleased to say our church is building up somewhat. V received in the past three some good working material Sunday school is making go Bro. Baber has accepted the call gress. We have a noble ! -We have a fine literary here (Spring Lake College Profs. W. C. Griggs and Smith, both graduates of H College, and that says my them, while their work in b up a large and flourishing sc 150 is further proof. --- Th tor has been made glad b from the brethren and sisters have had no turkey, but some more valuable a purse of sented by two young ladies er day, flour, sausage meat ribe, two nice porkers read packed away, some good bee two Poland China shoats fi man of the world." So y this pastor has not been ford

Special Report for Alabama Baj The Daughters of the Co eracy

Of the Alabama Division hel third annual Convention in on Feb. 28 and March 1st. teen chapters were represente all the delegates displayed and enthusiastic interest

The first report read was neither feasible nor plausib the committee decided to r soldier's fund by per capita and also to permit the Chap continue their own individual ods of dispensing charity to feeble, disabled soldiers.

The purchase of the house pied by Jefferson Davis for months at the beginning of th elicted much discussion, as convention' finally agreed th Alabama delegate should structed to report to the U. at their next convention, th wo Montgomery Chapters tion to the gratifithers, which the found

Southern Chapters would buying the house and having the built and then dedicating it th noble purpose of a Museum Confederate relics.

The third plan discussed waeracy the Daughters of the Confed and support of the sons of veteras uperecting some memorial tabletmauon the battle-fields of Chichalicks ga, Gettysburg, Shiloh and Vallen ourg to commemorate cur

These historic spots have into converted by the government arge nationed memorial parks, and prove appropriations granted to implany and beautify the grounds. Mect-Northern States have already e hall ed handsome monuments. Alabama, who so proudly furnits in her full quota of brave soldie nds these conflicts, set with folded he unable or unwilling to honorfore fallen heroes? We feel that be the convention meets again in raise the desired amount to per uate the memory of our heroe

lasting marble. Should this work enlist the sithe pathy of any veteran who reads report of this committee and se, wishes to aid in so noble a his contribution may be sent to paper until the president ba

Alabama's host, 125 000 stron 10 have been so slow in coming up the help of the Lord. self-denial, March 12-19 and 5 o

men who will help them? What a cloud of prayer work

of service she will perhaps be as Edward Courtnay, Earl of Devon has lifted me to a life of unbroken New Orleans,

left | For the Alabama Baptist. Dr. W. C. Cleveland of

The writer met this truly great man and real leader of nen in June, 1878. He was then pastor of the church at Selma, I right young preacher, on my way from the Seminary to my first pastorate. I had been offered two pastorates in town churches in my native state of South Carolina, and also a pastorate in Alabama, coneisting of three churches Prehave ferring not to undertake the exactions of a town pastorate, I accepted i the country field in Alabama. It. was a pistorate which Dr. Cleveland had filled during the first years of his ministry, and consisted of the clurches at Snow Hal, Carlowville and Pleasant Hill Passing through Selma, I met Dr. Cleveland. He took me into his effections. He loved me as a son to the day of his departure to heaven. His love was leyally reciprocated. Through these twenty years we have kept in touch with each other by correspondence. He has known my trials and friumphs, and I have known his. In a letter dated Sept. 21, 1896, he says "My dear brother, there is no man living to whom I am more deeply attached and upon whom I rely with so unquestioning confidence. enough to lean upon you. God bless you and yours." How deeply

unworthy I feel of such generous expression of love and trust only my own heart can known and quote it simply to show that what I wish to say about my friend in the following lines is spoken with the authority of clear insight into his character.

Dr. Cleveland was a gentleman. He was never guilty of anything ike palaver. He would have scorned it. Reticence and gravity, the rather, marked his intercourse with the world, though he was not without a delicious sense of humor. Nor was he guilty of effeminate polish. He would have despised t. No gentleman was more virile than he. His gentlemanliness was that of good blood and good breedng. He had a delicate sense of what was due other people, and he

was scrupulous to give them their Cleveland was an honest He was honest in the widest and deepest sense. On any question of right and wrong, you could securely trust lim to stand for right. Having a painful duty myself to perform, three years ago, he wrote me: "I sympathize with you in the trouble that distresses you. know you will stand for the right, without considering consequences, and I know the right will triumph God be with you and give strength." He had a deep novable confidence in right, and it made him scrupulously and unvieldngly honest in everything and in all relations in life. On another

occasion, in the same line, he wrote 'Many times it is hard to stand for the right, but he who stands for the Dr. Cleveland was a wise-heart nan. Here I include several qual ities that might be distinguished invited to attend and enjoy these and separately named. I prefer, however, to characterize those qualities as wise-heartedness, and d tinguish between their manifest tions. He showed his wise-hear edness, for example, in his abilit to put himself into helpful sympa seek to enlist the sympathyms in thy with the younger men in t ministry. As they grew up in Al bama, or went there from other states, they gravitated towards him

and gathered round him. showed it also in the way he his brethren in the Master's wor If he could only get the best thi done, he cared nothing for the glos of getting it done. In other words he did not seek leadership. wise-heartedness just brought it & him anyhow. Shortly before the State Convention, a few years ago he wrote me: "I have just sent a paper of suggestions to the ALA BAMA BAPTIST, and look for its publication this week. If I can induce the brethren to consider se riously our state interests before we go to convention in November. gestions are approved or not." showed his wise-heartedness, still again, in the way he grew old. In one of his letters, a little over two Study of light and shade; (c) Value years ago, he wrote me: "I am in my sixty-third year, and am grows ing old. Thank God for strength to work now; for in the future i the end. I pray for strength to be useful till I must go." Last year after he had been laid aside by surgical operations, when he seemed to be in a fair way to be well again children wished to provide for his inal retirement from labor, yet he should be glad, in the fall, to enter us on Sunday, March 5, and his

the ministry, and shall not attempt follow his labors. to fill the place of a young man." Dr. Cleveland was a godly man. He lived with the Lord and for the Lord. Now that he is gone, I will reveal to others what he revealed

trust, and complacent reliance, and

a perfect willingness to be, to do and endure as He shall will." He further said: "When the end comes. I want with some degree of have finished the work Thou gavest me to do.' " And here is a letter dated Dec. 29th, 1898. It is written in pencil. The blessed sufferer is too uncomfortable to do more I just come from Santa Clara. The less the senator's political friends far-away friend who is yearning arrived at 10 a. m., at 12 I preached friends, what has that to do with after him. He says: "I have in a destitute Asylum to 60 poor his duties as the representative of dear family who suffer with me." near he was to his God!

dear friend, he was too weak even part of the city to 70 old peoto read, and his daughter Ethel whom I baptized during my p rate in Selma, answered the letter. Among other things, she said of tient through all his suffering, and ganize the school was the cause I key men to carry on their business. has not complained, though it was carry my wife with me. My ac- The Gurley church has put itself so hard for him to give up his work. tivity towards Santa Clara work is on record, and in the future will He has enjoyed your letters, and has often spoken of his love for

Sainted friend, your going to Heaven has sorely bereaved me. When I was a young and sadly inchoice of me as pastor to yourself and family. In some of the dark est hours that try the souls of men this side of the river, you stood by me and comforted me. Good-bye

E. J FORRESTER Green wood, S. C.

for the Alabama Baptist. Judson Notes.

The Fadette Symphony Club consisting of twenty ladies, gave us a delightful concert on the even ing of February 25. This was one | For the Alabama Baptist. of the most enjoyable numbers of the entire Lecture Course.

Prof. J. G. Carter Troop has given wo of his six lectures on the Essay. sts of the Nineteenth Century Charles Lamb and Macauley, others will be Emerson, Carlyle Ruskin and Mathew Arnold, and the lectures occur on Tuesday even

On March 10th will occur th second recital by the Music Faculty of the Judson. All friends are delightful occasions.

In the Art department considerable increase has taken place in numbers, and the studios are really oo small for all the pupils. There is not room for another easel: great enthusiasm prevails, and ex cellent work is being done in oil. water color, pastel, free hand drawing in pen and ink, and sketching from life and the antique. Now that the weather permits, there is a class also in out-door sketching, and the study of perspective has begun. China painting will commence soon, and, as the Department has its own kiln for firing, the whole process completed here, without the risk of seuding the china away. The exhibit in June promises to be very beautiful one, showing the results of work and study carried on by the best methods used in this country and abroad. Miss Parsons is enthusiastic, patient, attractive and skilful in teaching. Her lectures on Art Criticism are proving of great interest and value to her pupils; so far her topics have been -(a) Recognition and appreciation of the beautiful; (b) Drawing; in Tone; (d) Unity and Harmony; (e) Perspective; (f) The Ideal in

This department keeps up its eputation of being one of the best Art schools in the country, and it s the aim of president, teacher, pupils and interested friends to enlarge, increase and render it even has been in the past.

Rev. A. J. Preston preached for added: "June 22d I was 64 years is an earnest worker in the Masold, and am among the old men in ter's vineyard, and blessings must

Another "Open Letter."

To the Baptist- Brotherhood of the

Cuba--Work at Santa Clara.

Letter from Bro. O'Haloran SANTA ELENA, CIENFUEGOS, February 24, 1899 trutbfulnesss to be able to say, I Rev I. T. Tichenor, D. D., At

lanta, Ga: Dear Brother in Christ, the Lord

be with you. By these lines I will let you know that there can be no legislation unthan pencil a few sentences to his 21st inst. I went to that city and are agreed? If he means personal tried to do H's will, now I must suf- people. At 7 p. m. in the Mission | the people? is thy refuge, and underneath are the concurrence. The 22d at 7 a. at the next election. the everlasting arms.' I can trust m., my wife and I went to the God. When it is best, He will take school house where we explained judgment in the case when he acted me to Himself" And here is an several branches of the instruction against that large majority and in other brief but precious letter in to 166 girls and 170 boys; at noon favor of the few? pencil, dated Jan 14th, 1899 In I preached in a private residence, Father to take me home immedi- preached in the theatre. There get around it, and he passed it. myself, and say, My dear Father, culated there were from 900 to the people, and I am glad to see Thy will be done; give me grace 1000 persons attending the meeting, that good people are being waked to suffer, to endure, and bless my and behind the boxes and narrow up on this subject. passages all people were standing, Here was revealed a rich life. How and the stage also was occupied by Let others do likewise. If the old and young ladies. The 23rd at | work of moral reform don't begin When my last letter reached my noon I preached in the west in the pulpit, where will it begin another American Gentleman are courages the saloon. Methodists, working in favor of

their church. Next Tuesday, the 23rd, I must go again to Santa Clara, for the experienced young minister, you new congregated are awaiting me loved me, sympathized with me, to baptize them. In every railroad and helped me. Later, when you station between Santa Clara and felt the call of the Master to serve Cienfuegos we have had some rehis cause for awhile in another line ligious converstaion and distributed of work, you honored me with your several tracts. Santa Clara is 68 miles from Cienfuegos, and there is between these places several good railroad stations, as Palmira with a population of 5000 inhabi-

tants, and Cruces which is very to say that next Sunday I will have the first religious service. I think this church shall be as good as Santa Clara's.

Our Cuban missionary is not so familiar with our language as with Spanish, but still he can give us good picture of the situation.-Ep

Showing Them Up.

Ed Baptist: The friends of ed acation in Gurley decided to petition the General Assembly through the Senator and representatives from Madison county to have the Robert Donnell School of that place incorporated, and prohibit the sale of whiskey within three miles of the school building.

....In, lanuary, the mice will also secured the names of about 230 qualified voters. The gentlemen who secured these signatures are reliable. On that petition are the they reach the capitol. names of a large number of farmers and employes, besides all the leading merchants, physicians, school teachers, manufacturers, and preachers in Gurley.

A long list of names from the ladies of Gurley was sent with the petition, asking that the bill be

The whiskey element circulated petition against it. They turned p with about 190 names and sent them to Montgomery. There are names of men on their petition who live twenty and thirty miles from Gurley. More than fifty of them live beyond the three mile limit The names of eleven minors are on that petition. And what is still worse, several names appear on it twice, and one man signed it three times. When this list was corrected t had the names of about 120 egal voters on it who lived in the of our leaders are desperately in teritory to be incorporated, and 41 of them are negroes.

These facts reveal nothing ner bout whiskey men. I have never known them to act fairly and squarely when put to the test. Whiskey does more to encourage lawlessness than everything else combined. That unwillingness to comply with the law is seen-

1. In their getting petitioners be wond the three mile limit. 2. In accepting the names of

3. In allowing one name to count

few men for whom I have had the place. A few days ago our church highest regard ever since I have at Oswichee sent me a box. If its known them. I don't believe they contents were generally known my quiet, unexacting pastorate. He sermons were greatly enjoyed. He are familiar with the facts connect stay there would be doubtful ted with that petition, nor do I be. When I opened that box I was relieve they will continue to act with minded of the old anecdote: "The that crowd after they investigate for old brother would give his pastor themselves. If they do, they will a ham. The Devil reminded him have to occupy the place where that he would need that ham at their names now place them.

did not sign either petition. There until finally the old brother told the is no middle ground in this fight Devil if he did not leave he would It is a well known fact that New If a man does not act against it, he give the preacher every ham he

petition, with the one sent by the owe me nothing.

good women of Gurley, is not sufficient in the judgment of the senator to meet the other, and one third of the names on it being negroes He claimed to have friends on both sides and didn't want to

sit in judgment in the case. If he has reference to political friends, then we are to understand

fer His will. So many times this House to over 400 persons, being I believe the people of Madison comes to me, 'The Eternal God congratulated after the meeting on county will answer these questions

But didn't the senator sit i

He, Pilate-like, will have nothing this he said: "Sometimes when in the evening we made several to do with it, but, Pilate-like, he nervous and depressed, I beg my religious visits, and at 7 p. m. I must pass the sentence. He cannot ately; but soon I am ashamed of was not any empty seats, and I cal- We need men who will represent

Dr. Eager strikes the keynote.

When pastors preach against ple; at night in the Mission whiskey and the corruption as seen House to a multitude which I can in politice, some object, and say truly say from 400 to 500 persons they want to hear the gospel. By -calling to congregate 80 elder they never raise any objection to her father: "He has been so pa- persons were joined. For to or- the corrupt methods used by whis-

because the postmaster there and deal with every member who en-

J. M. McCord. Gurley, March 4

For the Alabama Baptist. A Much Needed Reformation

It must have been a scource of great mortification to all the lovers of truth and righteousness the way some things were done in the last legislature. The Oakman News says: "If Alabama has ever had just such an assembly in her legislative halls as the recent one, the memory of man runneth not back to it. * * * They have made a spectill we meet in the presence of the important. Next week I will tacle of themselves for the people Master in the Upper Sanctuary, oreach in the former place. In re- to laugh at, if it were not too seri-The earth is more lonely to me now lation to Cienfuegos work I ought ous a matter to be lightly considderstood to say that all the members of our General Assembly were of this class, for some of them were true and faithful to the high trust imposed on them.'

These conditions indicate the argent need of a political reformation in Alabama. The time has come when we need a better class of men in politics and in public af-

So long as our best citizens refuse to be identified with the affairs of the government, just so long will the monstrous evils which today threaten our homes, our schools, our churches and our republic continue. I rejoice in the progress that has recently been made. If the Christian people do

not take this matter in hand as their wishes, it is absolutely useless for any committee to try to convert members of the legislature after

The gamblers and whiskey men have means of influencing members of the General Assembly which no committee composed of Christian men can possibly have, and they use these means for all they are worth. Would it not be well for the press and Christian people generally to take this matter up, and give those who are seeking office in our city government and in the Constitutional Convention to understand that they cannot have the influence and votes of Christian men if they do not propose to respect the reasonable wishes of these Christian consttuents after the election is over? This is not a matter of mere sentiment; but it is a matter which involves a very

important principle. No doubt that the politicians have already found out that some earnest about this matter.

It is gratifying to see some of our best and ablest newspapers advocating these reforms. If we are to win the victor there must be no standing still Our motto must be "Onward and W. J. ELLIOTT. upward." Montgomery.

For the Alabama Baptist, A Good Church, Pastor.

Editor Alabama Baptist: Inever like to write of what my churches are doing for me. They do such home. He gave another, and re-A few good men in the town ceived another reminder, and so on

faith and courage of Carey and Judson and Yates; persevere in your against it, and the names of propson and Sales; persevere in your against it, and the names of propson and success is as certain as most northerly of the group.

All such information will be almost twice as large as the one church, unless it is to go to the faith and courage of Carey and Judhuman being, let me do it now the island of Luzon, the largest and in Montgomery. Within her sphere of service she will perhaps be as Edward Courtney Feel of unbroken.

All such information will be almost twice as large as the one church, unless it is to go to the largest and in Montgomery. Unless it is to go to the dapths, and the names of propconventions, and then they pay me of service she will perhaps be as Edward Courtney Feel of unbroken.

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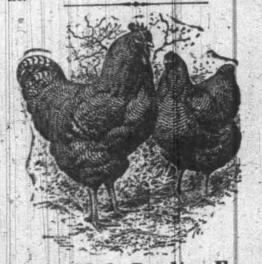
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We are rejoiding at Westside church just at this time. Nineteen months ago our church incurred a debt of \$1,300. We had paid all but \$200. A few evenings since the pastor stated to the church that the time had come to raise the money, and that we would unite in prayer he proceeded to ask for the had \$200,71. This is one reason we have for rejoicing. We feel that moved by death from our midst on we are on the upgrade spiritually the 25th day of November, 1898; One of the secrets of our success is Be it a consecrated board of deacons, and you know a good membership helps to make good deacons. Our young deacons are working well. will tell you another secret : our sisters here are a great power. We the work of the church. have the Marys and Marthas and

Last Sunday we received one for

baptism and two by letter. deprived of an affectionate hus-Bro. R. A. J. Cumbee, the old war-horse is entering upon his work | band and a fond brother. at the First church with great enbee at the First, Hamner at Girard, sincere sympathy, and commends from, except St. Francis strep W. H. Smith at the First church, Columbus, Boyd at the Second and forting grace of Him who makes Eleventh Avenue, and Dr. B. W. Bussey at Mt. Zion and Bethel, we dealings with his children. see no reason why we should not possess the land.

tions be spread on the minutes of Rev. B. B. Williams is back the church, a copy be sent to the among us from Texas, and will family of the deceased brother, and take charge of colportage work of a copy be sent to the ALABAMA BAPTIST for publication. Columbus association.

I wish every preacher could enoy the privileges of a preachers, conference as we do here every Monday morning. It is a seminary in which each man is teacher and pupil. We don't have much trouble to get the brethren to come; the trouble is to

I have been at Westside nearly He was a tender, loving husband five years. My affection for these and an affectionate father, and algood people has grown with the

I am preaching for the Hatchechubbee saints again this year. The church is made up of some of the most substantial citizens in the state. It is a real blessing to be associated with such people. Brethren, something must be done about our state work. Let us all go to work to give the gospel to each of our associations, and if there is no destitution in ours,let's help our neighbor.

Feb. 28. E. S. MONCRIEF. You and I may not appreciate

our little crosses, yet we can not work here being finished, he quietly spare them. They are necessary to our domestic, social and spiritual Nov. 29, 1898.

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A FRIEND. For The Alabama Baptist. Tribute from Columbia Church.

Resolved by the Baptist Church of Columbia, Alabama, in monthly will not fail you in any of the above conference assembled, That this named disea es. 50c and \$1 bottles at all church has heard with sincere regret of the recent death of Brother W. C. Cleveland, its late and beloved pastor. I am in my seventy third year, and for

2. That in the death of our deceased Brother Cleveland the cause of Christianity has lost one of its most able and earnest advocates, advertised for these diseases, and got no most able and earnest advocates, permanent relief. About one year ago, and the Baptists of Alabama one of he disease assuming a more severe and the strongest pillars of their church. 3 That the heartfelt sympathy of this church is hereby expressed twelve pounds in three months. My, and tendered to the family of strength and health, my appetite and my Brother Cleveland, with the prayers of this church that the tenderest mercies of God may rest upon them in their sad bereavement, and that they may look to Christ our Redeemer, and find in him a friend that sticketh closer than a

> 4. That these resolutions be entered upon the minutes of this body, and that a copy be mailed to the ALABAMA BAPTIST for publication, and a copy also be mailed to the family of our deceased brother. T. P. McGRIFF, Clerk.

Another Old Soldier of the Cross Has

Passed Away. Rev. Andrew J. Hardin was born in Kentucky April 23, 1820. When two years old his father re-A Terrible Cancer of the Breast moved to Lincoln county, Tenn., and there he was reared. While a Evergreen, L. M. S., Christmas ment were more fre- Dr. D. M. Bye, Indianapolis, Ind: young man he came to New Mar-DEAR FRIEND-I write to let ket, Ala., where he united with the it is all healed over. I still dress it by the venerable George W. Carwith mutton tallow and absorbent michael June 8, 1856. He was orcotton. There is no scab. Looks dained to the full work of the minnice and clean. Doctor, please ad- istry at Mt. Zon church, Madison vise me if there is anything more county, in January, 1866, the presto do. I remain your grateful pa- bytery consisting of Elders Joel Wheeler and Eugene Strode. - Bro. Hardin was well informed in the P. S .- Doctor, my neighbors Scriptures, the distinctive doctrines think it is a miracle to see what and principles of Baptists, and well your Balmy Oils have done for me. informed on all lines of Baptist church polity, and also the tenets Alexander City, L. A. So , Christand polity of churches of other de-Persons afflicted with Cancer or nominations. He served a number Tumor may address Dr. D. M. of churches in North Alabama quite Bye, Lock Box 25, Indianapolis, acceptably, and did great good in Ind., and he will send them books and papers free, giving prices of building up the cause and in win- L. M. So., Foreign missions ...\$ treatment, and hundreds of letters ning souls to Christ. Unlike many from all parts of the United States of our older ministers of his day in North Alabama, he was missionary and Canada who have been cured; to the core. He was also strongly also half tone cuts from photoopposed to saloons and all forms of graphs showing facts that cannot the whiskey curse. Bro. Hardin was also faithful and efficient as a W. M. So., State missions \$ WHO'S SHELLABERGER?

He's the Wire Fence Man, of Atlanta, Ga., and elis the best and cheapest forcing in Sunday school worker. He leaves many friends who will remember L. A. So., Miss Kelly.....

him with pleasure because his life

was pure and upright, and hi fluence was good and abiding. By the writer, at Jericho, Perry county, February 14, Mr. S. J. Bradford and

His consecrated Christian who has been by his side for years, sharing in all his experie By the writer, at Jericho, Perry county, of these eventful years, still lin-February 26. Mr. D. B. Dunkin and on the shores of time, and is gray Miss Sallie H. Bamberg. Mr. Dunkin bereaved at her great loss. Sis an excellent young man. The bolde is voted children also are left be highly esteemed by all who know her, and is a Christian young lady, a devoted and in deep sorrow because of the W. E. FENDLEY.

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He passed quietly away at NS residence of his son, J R Har din, At the Methodist church at Midway, on the 22d of February, Matthew Hitch- in New Decatur, Feb. 5, 189 cock and Miss Mattie Crymes, the pas- the 79th year of his age. His and Mortor officiating. These are among our tal remains were carried to MW. adibrightest and most promising young son and placed in the Bars. tist people. May their lives be as bright and happy as their prospects indicate. church, and after appropriate neral services by Rev. N. S. Crutcher, were by kind hands its to rest in the Madison cemetall ry. Whereas, By an All-wise but God bless and comfort the dear painful providence, our beloved reaved ones. F. C. DAVID brother, B. M. Dubose, was re-Feb. 28.

For the Alabama Baptist. Near Mobile

Resolved, 1. That Siloam Bap-A good service last Sunday tist church has lost one of its purest Grand Bay. Five additions p members after long suffering from ill health, which rendered him letter. Increased attendance often unable to take active part in Sunday school. Two new cla W formed

There seems to be a movema 2. That the community has lost forward all, along the line amo the churches of the Mobile Asses which he has been taken has been tion. This is evinced by their posed increase of contributions our State Mission work. Near all the churches have about double 4 That Siloam church extends their contributions so far as hea to the deeply sfil cted family its them to the gracious care and comyear, but will no doubt do betts than last year, as this excelled no mistakes in his providential church is . . by the financh

committee as out of debt. The policy of our St e board will certainly meet the arty are proval of nearly all the lople. If methods will reach a build u many a struggling country church Much may be said for city of

ganization, but the truth is the he country churches are the rell cruiting stations of the great Bars tist army. Our future leaders will as in the past, come chiefly from the country. We can continue the Bro. D. C. Davis was born Feb. reinforce the cities from the coun 8, 1851. Was married to Miss First church, Columbus, and have Rozena A. Poser Dec. 23, 1874. try, and in this way build up and To them five children were born. grow up into a mightier people. L. N. Brock.

Grand Bay, Mobile Co.

welfare of his loved ones. He re- Third Quarterly Report of the Treasurer of Central Committee.

BIGBER ASSOCIATION . August, 1875, he jained the Baptist Livingston L. M. So , Christmas church at Macedonia, accepting offering Jesus as his Savior and friend, Livingston, L.M.So., Miss Kelly trusting him each day for grace H. M. box Orphanage Seminary. Livingston Sunbeams and S. S. sistent, eargest Christian life. In M. B, Christmas Livingston Sunbeams and S. S. October, 1896 he joined the Bap-M. B., Foreign missions..... tist church at Vincent, and in, Oc-Livingston Sunbeams and S. S. tober of the following year was M. B., Home missions...... Demopolis L. M. So., Miss elected clerk of the church, which office he held till his death. His Demopolis, L. M. So, Orphansge

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. S., Christmas offerig. Miss Hartwell Home mission box..... Pastor's aid, Home mission box. Christmas offering Sunbeams, church aid Pratt City-L. A. So, Miss Hartwell Home mission box .. Christmas offering. Sunbeams, Christmas offering. L. M. So., Home Missi n box.. Miss Hartwell State missions..... Woodlawn-. A. So., Home mission box.. Orphanage

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I still hold the fort at Ramal, one of the best churches in the land ac Sunbeams, Christmas offering. cording to ability and numbers. We feel specially fortunate in Total..... \$ 158 75 the new additions to our ministe-CENTRAL. ial force in this part of the state. Hubbard, at Eufaula, is taking a mas offering igh stand, and is said to be much loved by his church and by the Total \$ - 3 00 whole town. As much can be ETOWAIL. said of Brethren Pugh, of Union Springs and Hagood, at Clayton. Home missions 10 00 It is the opinion of the brothren State missions..... generally that the churches over this Church aid 50 00 way are as well manned as at any Total \$ 68 00 time in the past; so you may look

EUFAULA. I want to commend Bro. J. K Church aid.... Midway-Christmas offering.

work with us last year. If you need 75 a man to sell books he is your man. Brethren Eager and Dickinson are getting in some good work in

4 03 their departments. This is a fine oo arrangement, and will do much 34 00 good. No two men in the state 4 50 are better qualified to do the work assigned them than they are. We ought to make the ALABAMA BAP-TISE all that cur people need in 3 95 the way of a state paper, and the 6 37 work they are doing will go far in 62 41 that direction. We ought to push its circulation and put it in every Baptist home in the land.

S. O. Y. RAY. FOR THE DISPENSARY.

Meeting is Held by Its Advocates at Birmingham. The advocates of the dispensary met at Elemingham on Friday and is ned To the People of Alabama:

At a conference of the friends of dispensary legislation lately held in Mont mery, the undersigned were appoint ed members of a State Executive Committee and charged with the duty guarding the interests of the dispersary in connection with the new consti-tution, if one should be adopted, and to promote the growth of the dispen-sary system in this State. This committee is non-partisan, and its purpose is to act in a non-partisan manner.

At a meeting of said committee held in the city of Birmingham on this day, the following recommendations were

nanimously adopted: In view of the fact that the Legisla ture of Alabama has ordered an eletion to be held in July of this year a o whether a convention shall be called and also for the election of delagates In view of the fact that Democratic primaries and conventions are soon t be held for the purpose of nominating 2 00 candidates for election as delegates to 31 63 such constitutional convention if one should be called. In view of the fact that the other

political parties may call primaries and conventions for the nomination of canand also for the election of delegates. In view of the fact that this commit tee has learned from publication in certain newspapers, and from other sources, that the opponents of the dis-pensary system will endeavor to nomimate and elect as delegates to such constitutional convention men who will seek to incorporate in said new constitution a provision that would prohibit the State and its sub-divisions from conducting dispensaries for the sale of

And in view of the further fact the the people of this State, as we think ought to retain the right, through their Legislatures, to regulate the liquor traffic in any way they may see proper Therefore, this committee hereby recommends to the voters of Alabama that, in the selection of candidates for delegates to said Constitutional Convention, they call on every candidate for such nomination to publicly declare or not, if elected to s vention, he will refuse to aid, in any way, the insertion in said constitution any clause or provision which would interfere with or prevent the estab-lishment of dispensaries in this State, controlled either by the State or by any of its municipal or other sub-divisions and we recommend them to vote for n candidate for nomination who will no publicly declare himself as opposed to the insertion of any such clause in the

We recommend that this course be pursued by member of all political parties which may ut out candidates We hereby sugast to the voters of Alabama that das er to their sovereign rights lurks in their sovereign beautiful their hands by the insertion of such a rovision in the constitution. We also desire to put the people on guard against this purpose to take away fron hem the right, which, untrammelled hey have always exercised, to contro

n any way they may see fit. We call attention to the fact that thi provision in the new constitution, ne should be adopted, prohibiting d ensaries, would undo and annul good which, we believe, has already been accomplished in this direction, and would tie the people's hands for a generation to committee further recomm hat the friends of the dispensary sys

em in the several counties and citie of the State, shall, at once, perfect an rganization with the view of cultivatng a public sentiment in favor of the hispensary system. Such committee when formed, are requested to pu All newspapers in the State are

Frank S. Moody, chairman; James Webb, from State-at-large; J. P. Wood. Sanford, Third Congressional District W. A. Davis, Fourth Congressional District; C. W. Thompson, Fifth Congressional District; W. H. Verner Sixth Congressional District; W. S Forman, Seventh Congressional District; R. E. Pettus, Eighth Congressional District; T. M. Davidson, winth Congressional District.

DURING A FIGHT.

ne Private Badly Stabbed_No Recognition of the Cuban Fing. Havana, March 6 .- During a genera ight on Saturday night among the men of Company E, 1st North Carolina, Private Frank James of Statesboro, N. was badly cut with a knife and stabbe n the back with a bayonet. Private Duckworth has been confined in egimental guard house, charged with the stabbing. James will recover. Colonel Taskar H. Blies, the secretary here of the Treasury Department, has issued a statement that the United States consular agents are unable to obtain recognition, or protection, in foreign ports for the blue and white flag recently designed for Cuban ship ping, and he warns Cuban shipmasters ot to proceed to foreign ports flying

Washington, March 6,-(Special.) enator Pettus will leave in a few days House today conferring with the Presta dent in regard to his assignment th lummer. As stated the other day, the President wants the Alabamian to go to the Philipp'nes, where he hopes that East at this time, and he may b dered there at any day.

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large, twenty.
Great Danger at Richmond. Richmond, Va., March 6 .- The flood the James River at this port has ontinued to rise until the water has crossed Main Street at Seventeenth preventing the running of cars on the Main Street line. The wharves at Rocketts are submerged and many stores and dwellings in the lower part of the city are flooded, more or less pectfully requested to publish this But little damage is being done as merchants and householders had ample warning and have moved their goods and chattels to places of safety. There is some fear that the city gas supply will be cut off by reason of possible flooding of the lower gas works. The water is now believed to be at about

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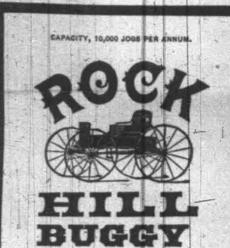
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Dorcases. Last Sunday we received one for baptism and two by letter.

Bro. R. A. J. Cumbee, the old war-horse is entering upon his work | band and a fond brother. at the First church with great euergy. We love him. With Cumbee at the First, Hamner at Girard, W. H. Smith at the First church, Columbus, Boyd at the Second and forting grace of Him who makes year, but will no doubt do bett Eleventh Avenue, and Dr. B. W. Bussey at Mt. Zion and Bethel, we dealings with his children. see no reason why we should not 5. That a copy of these resolu-

Rev. B. B. Williams is back

Columbus association. I wish every preacher could enoy the privileges of a preachers, conference as we do here every Monday morning. It is a seminary in which each man is teacher and pupil. We don't have much trouble to get the brethren to come; the trouble is to get them away. We meet at the First church, Columbus, and have Rozena A. Posey Dec. 23, 1874. try, and in this way build up and ten preachers.

I have been at Westside nearly five years. My affection for these good people has grown with the

I am preaching for the Hatchechubbee saints again this year. The church is made up of some of the most substantial citizens in the state. It is a real blessing to be associated with such people. Brethren, something must be done about our state work. Let us all go to work to give the gospel to each of our associations, and if there is no destitution in ours, let's help our neighbor. Feb. 28. E. S. MONCRIEF.

You and I may not appreciate office he held till his death. His Kelly So, Orphanage our little crosses, yet we can not work here being finished, he quietly Demopolis, I ... So, Orphanage box.

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W. E. FENDLEY. At the Methodist church at Midway, on the 22d of February, Matthew Hitch- in New Decatur, Feb. 5, 189 cock and Miss Mattie Crymes, the pas- the 79th year of his age. His or officiating. These are among our brightest and most promising young people. May their lives be as bright

Tribute of Respect.

Whereas, By an All-wise but money, and in thirty minutes he painful providence, our beloved had \$200,71. This is one reason brother, B. M. Dubose, was rewe have for rejoicing. We feel that moved by death from our midst on we are on the upgrade spiritually the 25th day of November, 1898;

a consecrated board of deacons, and Resolved, r. That Siloam Bapyou know a good membership tist church has lost one of its purest helps to make good deacons. Our members after long suffering from young deacons are working well. ill health, which rendered him often unable to take active part in Sunday school. Two new cla the work of the church.

2. That the community has lost a useful and worthy citizen. 3. That the stricken family from

deprived of an affectionate hus-4 That Siloam church extends to the deeply afficted family its sincere sympathy, and commends from, except St. Francis stre them to the gracious care and com. church, which is \$80 short of h

tions be spread on the minutes of the church, a copy be sent to the among us from Texas, and will family of the deceased brother, and take charge of colportage work of a copy be sent to the ALABAMA BAPTIST for publication.

Respectfully submitted. RICHARD J. SIMS, J. F. JUSTICE. J. B. TOWNSEND, Committee.

Bro. D. C. Davis was born Feb 1851. Was married to Miss He was a tender, loving husband and an affectionate father, and always seemed to be thinking of the welfare of his loved ones. He realized that his life would be a failure unless he sought "the one thing needful," which was Christ; so in August, 1875, he joined the Baptist church at Macedonia, accepting Jesus as his Savior and friend trusting him each day for grace and strength with which to perform every duty of life. He lived a consistent, earnest Christian life. In October, 1896 he joined the Baptist church at Vincent, and in October of the following year was elected clerk of the church, which

to our domestic, social and spiritual Nov. 29, 1898. our heartfelt sympathy. Our church and community have lost a faithful-friend and worker, but our loss is his gain. Let us bow in humble submission to the will of One who doeth all things well. Do not blame the loving Father, but bear your sorrow with obedient grace.

> A FRIEND. for The Alabama Baptist.

Tribute from Columbia Church. Resolved by the Baptist Church of Columbia, Alabama, in monthly conference assembled, That this church has heard with sincere regret of the recent death of Brother S. S., Christmas offerig W. C. Cleveland, its late and beloved pastor.

2. That in the death of our deceased Brother Cleveland the cause of Christianity has lost one of its most able and earnest advocates, L. A. So, Miss Hartwell and the Baptists of Alabama one of the strongest pillars of their church. That the heartfelt sympathy of this church is hereby expressed twelve pounds in three months. My and tendered to the family of strength and health, my appetite and my Brother Cleveland, with the Brother Cleveland, with the prayers of this church that the teuderest mercies of God may rest upon them in their sad bereavement. and that they may look to Christ our Redeemer, and find in him a friend that sticketh closer than a

> 4. That these resolutions be entered upon the minutes of this body, and that a copy be mailed to the ALABAMA BAPTIST for publication, and a copy also be mailed to the family of our deceased brother. T. P. McGRIFF, Clerk.

Another Old Soldier of the Cross Has Passed Away. Rev. Andrew J. Hardin was born in Kentucky April 23, 1820. When two years old his father removed to Lincoln county, Tenn., and there he was reared. While a Eve DEAR FRIEND-I write to let ket, Ala., where he united with the it is all healed over. I still dress it by the venerable George W. Carwith mutton tallow and absorbent michael June 8, 1856. He was orcotton. There is no scab. Looks dained to the full work of the min-We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward | nice and clean. Doctor, please ad- istry at Mt. Zon church, Madison for any case of Catarrh that cannot be vise me if there is anything more county, in January, 1866, the presto do. I remain your grateful pa- bytery consisting of Elders Joel Wheeler and Eugene Strode. Bro. Hardin was well informed in the L. M. So, Christmas offering. P. S .- Doctor, my neighbors Scriptures, the distinctive doctrines Sunbeams, Christmas offering. think it is a miracle to see what and principles of Baptists, and well your Balmy Oils have done for me, informed on all lines of Baptist church polity, and also the tenets Alexander City, L. A. So , Christand polity of churckes of other denominations. He served a number Bye, Lock Box 25, Indianapolis, of churches in North Alabama quite Ind., and he will send them books acceptably, and did great good in and papers free, giving prices of building up the cause and in wintreatment, and hundreds of letters from all parts of the United States and Canada who have been cured; North Alabama, he was missionary the whiskey curse. Bro. Hardin was also faithful and efficient as a WHO'S SHELLABERGER?

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He passed quietly away at residence of his son, J R Harlin tal remains were carried to Madi son and placed in the Bar church, and after appropriate neral services by Rev. N. Crutcher, were by kind hands

to rest in the Madison cemet

God bless and comfort the dear reaved ones. F. C. DAVI Feb. 28.

For the Alabama Baptist,

Near Mobile. A good service last Sunday Grand Bay. Five additions letter. Increased attendance formed

There seems to be a movem forward all along the line am the churches of the Mobile Asse tion. This is evinced by their which he has been taken has been posed increase of contributions our State Mission work. Nes all the churches have about donb their contributions so far as he than last year, as this excelle uo mistakes in his providential church is reported by the finan

committee as out of debt. The policy of our State boa will certainly meet the hearty proval of nearly all the people. methods will reach and build

many a struggling country church Much may be said for city o ganization, but the truth is th the country churches are the r cruiting stations of the great Bay tist army. Our future leaders wil as in the past, come chiefly from the country. We can continue reinforce the cities from the coup To them five children were born. grow up into a mightier people.

L. N. BROCK Grand Bay, Mobile Co.

Third Quarterly Report of th Treasurer of Central Committee. BIGBEE ASSOCIATION. Livingston L. M. So . Christmas H. M. box Orphanage Seminary. Livingston Sunbeams and S. S. M. B, Christmas..... M. B., Foreign missions

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Respectfully submitted. MRS. GEO. M MORROW Treasurer Central Committee. Jan. 1, 1899.

For the Alabama Baptist. Notes from Midway.

We have been too cold to say much down this way for some time, or to do much as to that; but now that the sun shines again, (although foreign ports for the blue and with the sun shines again, (although flag recently designed for Cuban sh he old life again. We are planning to do as well as usual in our

ock, to say the least of it, and r if possible. You know trid-is the banner church of this sociation when it comes to missions, and we intend to hold our summer. As stated the other day, the place, but with 4 cent cotton it will President wants the Alabamian to g be hard to do. I had to give up my work at Pe-

trust the Lord may send them a good minister. I have accepted Seale for one Sunday in the month. I trust this change may prove blessing to the cause of our Lord. I still hold the fort at Ramah, one of the best churches in the land according to ability and numbers. We feel specially fortunate in the new additions to our ministerial force in this part of the state. Hubbard, at Eufaula, is taking a high stand, and is said to be much leved by his church and by the loved by his church and by the whole town. As much can be said of Brethren Pugh, of Union Springs and Hagood, at Clayton. It is the opinion of the brethen generally that the churches over this way are as well manned as at any time in the past; so you may look for some good work on this end of

I want to commend Bro. J. K. Jenkins, former colportuer of this (Eufaula) Association to the brothren of the state. He did a good

work with us last year. If you need a man to sell books he is your man. Brethren Eager and Dickinson are getting in some good work in

4 03 their departments. This is a fine arrangement, and will do much good. No two men in the state 4 50 are better qualified to do the work assigned them than they are. We ought to make the ALABAMA BAP-TIST all that our people need in the way of a state paper, and the work they are doing will go far in that direction. We ought to push its circulation and put it in every Baptist home in the land.

S. O. Y. RAY. FOR THE DISPENSARY

Meeting Is Held by Its Advocates at Birmingham, The advocates of the dispensary at Birmingham on Friday and issued To the People of Alabama:

At a conference of the friends of di pensary legislation lately held in Mont romery, the undersigned were appoint d members of a State Executive Cemmittee and charged with the duty o guarding the interests of the disper sary system in this State. This con hittee is non-pantisan, and its purpose is to act in a non-partisan manner. At a meeting of said commuttee held in the city of Birmingham on this day

nanimously adopted: In view of the fact that the Legisla tion to be held in July of this year as to whether a convention shall be called to remodel the constitution of the State and also for the election of delagates In view of the fact that Democrati primaries and conventions are soon it e held for the purpose of nominating candidates for election as delegates to 31 63 such constitutional convention, if on should be called.

In view of the fact that the oth political parties may call primaries and onventions for the nomination of canand also for the election of delegates. In view of the fact that this commit tee has learned from publication in certain newspapers, and from other sources, that the opponents of the dispensary system will endeavor to nomimate and elect as delegates to such con stitutional, convention men who wi seek to incorporate in said new constitution a provision that would prohibit the State and its sub-divisions from conducting dispensaries for the sale of

the people of this State, as wo think ought to retain the right, through their Legislatures, to regulate the liquor traffic in any way they may see proper.
Therefore, this committee hereby recommends to the voters of Alabama that, in the selection of candidates for delegates to said Constitut vention, they call on every candidate for such nomination to publicly declare whether or not, if elected to such convention, he will refuse to aid, in any way, the insertion in said constitution any clause or provision which would interfere with or prevent the estab-lishment of dispensaries in this State controlled either by the State or by any of its municipal or other sub-divisions and we recommend them to vote for ne candidate for homination who will not publicly declare himself as opposed to the insertion of any such clause in the We recommend that this course b pursued by members of all political parties which may put out candidates or the position of delegates. We hereby suggest to the voters of Alabama that danger to their sovereign rights lurks in this movement to the heir hands by the insertion of such

igainst this purpose to take away from them the right, which, untrammelled We call attention to the fact that this latter is exceedingly important. provision in the new constitution one should be adopted, prohibiting pensaries, would undo and annul good which, we believe, has already been accomplished in this direction, and would tie the people's hands for a This committee further recomme

provision in the constitution. We also

lesire to put the people on guard

that the friends of the dispensary system in the several counties and cities 5 89 of the State, shall, at once, perfect an rganization with the view of cultivatng a public sentiment in favor of the spensary system. Such committees when formed, are requested to put themselves in communication with th State Committee. All newspapers in the State are

spectfully requested to publish this Frank S. Moody, chairman; James E Webb, from State-at-large; J. P. Wood Sanford, Third Congressional District W. A. Davis, Fourth Congressional 4 90 District; C. W. Thompson, Fifth Congressional District; W. H. Verner Sixth Congressional District; W. Forman, Seventh Congressional District; R. E. Pettus, Eighth Congres-sional District; T. M. Davidson, winth

ts highest point.

STILL KICKING

All Idle Men at Work

orders were received from Havana di-

ecting the payment of provincial of-

icials, but these orders do not affect

the 2,000 laborers out of work, not

meet the fact that the public works

already initiated are suffering largely

Civil Governor Castillo, as a precau-

ion against a possible disturbance, has

sent word to the working gangs that

they should stay where they are for

the present. as, in all probability, they will have orders to return to work in

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thorities at Havana are very sharply

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Santiago de Cuba, March 6.-Today

Congressional District. DURING A FIGHT.

Private Badly Stabbed N Recognition of the Cuban Fing. Havana, March 6 .- During a genera ight on Saturday night among the me of Company E, 1st North Carolina, Pri vate Frank James of Statesboro, N. C was badly cut with a knife and stabbe n the back with a bayonet. Private Duckworth has been confined in the egimental guard house, charged with the stabbing. James will recover. it has been snowing today), we ping, and he warns Cuban shipmasters are beginning to feel something of not to proceed to foreign ports flying this flag.

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The New Lieutenants. Notice of Appointment of Ad-Washington, March 6 .- The War Deministratrix. T. B. Webster, de- | Probate Court,

tenants created by the army reorganiceased, Estate of. | Montgomery Co March, 1899, by the Hon. John B. Gaston, Judge of the Probate Court of Mont-States is as follows: Alabama, two; Arkansas, two; Florida, one; Georgia, gomery county, notice is hereby given three; Kentucky, three; Louisiana,

two; Mississippi, two; North Carolina, said estate will be required to present the three; South Carolina, two; Tennessee same within the time allowed by law, or three; Texas, three; Virginia, three; New Mexico, one; Oklahoma, one. At the same will be barred. SALLIE W. WEBSTER. Administratrix of T. B. Webster, de

large, twenty.

Great Danger at Richmond. Richmond, Va., March 6 .- The flood n the James River at this port has continued to rise until the water has crossed Main Street at Seventeenth, 10 YEARS A BREEDER of preventing the running of cars on the Main Street line. The wharves at Rocketts are submerged and many stores and dwellings in the lower part BARRED of the city are flooded, more or less But little damage is being done as nerchants and householders had ample warning and have moved their goods ind chattels to places of safety. There s some fear that the city gas supply will be cut off by reason of possible Ty yards are headed flooding of the lower gas works. The water is now believed to be at about

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Whoever says, when clouds are in the sky, "Be patient, heart, light breaketh by and Trusts the Most High.

There is no unbelief. Whoever sees 'neath winter's friend The silent harvest of the future grow

God's power must know. There is no unbelief. Whoever lies down on his couch to sleep, Content to lock each sense in slumber Knows God will keep.

There is no unbelief. Whoever says "to-morrow," "the known. "The future," trusts the power alone

There is no unbelief. The heart that looks on when eyellids At last, the minister (he told this And dares to live when life has only woes. God's comtort knows.

There is no unbelief. And day by day and night, unconsciously, The heart that lives by faith the lips God knoweth why.

-Anonymous. For the Alabama Baptist. The Anchor of Hope and Its Safety.-No. 4.

an evil net, and as the birds that this brother, we pray Thee to pre are caught in the snare; so are the pare him and take him to heaven! Lord also shall roar out of Zion, and utter his voice from Jerusalem and the heavens and earth shall shake; but the Lord will be the hope of his people." "Abra-So, then, how true "hope that is seen is not hope."
We "rejoice in hope of the

glory of God." "And not only so, but we glory in tribulations also; knowing that tribulation worketh and experience hope and hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us." "For when we the more easily warn them of so were yet without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly." "We also joy in God through our

blood, we shall be saved from wrath through him." For as by one man's disobedience many were made sinners, so by the obedience of one shall many be made righteous." Remembering how "Jesus Christ came into the world to wings of "lively hope" from doubts that gather, to ever live in promises us that we shall run the Christian. and not faint. The Psalmist said, 41 have set the Lord always before me; because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved . . . my flesh also shall rest in hope; for thou wilt not leave my soul in helf neither wilt thou suffer thine Holy One to see corruptior." "So shall we ever be with the Lord." What consuming consolation is through Christ to poor mortals offeredgiven! Beloved, "speak a word in season to him that is weary?' ... 'putting on the breast plate of faith and love; and for an helmet, the hope of salvation." not wise in your conceits,"

"Be strong, true and patient, Hope all things, and pray; Heed not the rough places That cumber the way." ADDIE THE BAPTIST!

Who was to Blame?

savagely and began beiting her. for some years. He is very fond of I cabled you on yesterday for au-His seventeen-year-old son came to the Indians and had been adopted curing his father's pistol which he fore the death of that brave.

son. He was only defending his tive of Brooklyn, and a full gradu-mother. He would have been un-ate of the University of Rochester ion school. natural if he had not done so. Be- and of Rochester Theological unitween him and his father there is said to have existed the very tenderest affection. But was the father to blame? It was stated that he was very devoted to his wife and to all his family when sober. Who was to blame, then? The man who sold him the whiskey? Yes, he was. But if you say that on him ought to fail the punishment, he would show you license from the city to sell liquor to any man who wants to bug it. Well, then, the blame is on the city officials. Punish them. But they would claim that they were only carrying out the wishes of the people who elected them and voted for the men who enacted the law by which saloon keepers are given license to sell whiskey to make men drunk to beat their wives. So that pltimately the blame rests upon the people, you and you. It is on you? ill you allow it to rest there?-Bantist and Reflector, Nashville.

An Obstinate Man.

A minister of the gospel told me once he had a man in his church who was so proverbially obstinate that he could do nothing with him. He tried on all occasions to move No use! He was a member of the church; and they thought f they made him a deacon, that would do him good. So they made him a deacon; and then he was worse, worse than ever. Now, I have found out in my experience that when a man is absolutely obstinate, the best thing is to let him alone, and by-and-by he comes to his own level-and that is a lot of clothes with a hat on the top of them. The more you plead with such men, the more you cultivate or strengthen that spirit of obstinacy. Well, this man became a and then he troubled the church ten times more than before.

himself) at a church meeting was perfectly worn out with this man's obstinacy, nl so he sa'd-"Brethren, we will resolve this churchmeeting into a prayer-meeting. We have done all we possibly can for Deacon Williams; and now, as a last resort, we will make him the subject of prayer. Brother So andso, we will unite with you in prayer for the deacon." So prayed, and at the conclusion he said. "Now that we have done "As the fishes that are taken in everything we can upon earth for sons of men snared in an evil." And the deacon got up, and said "Overcomeevil with good." "Ven- very deliberately, "Brethren, I the Lord" "If thou do that which who will not go to heaven if you is evil, be afraid; for he beareth want them to; and the best way to not the sword in vain." "The get them there is to let them alone.

Purity. "Whatsoever things are pure, think on these things. - Epn. 4:0.

"Be pure and thou must needs be ham against hope believed in brave." A wide and half con- they want us to go halting and mined to do so will find many ob cealed immorality lies just beneath hampered into this work? Are structions in his way. the surface of so ie'y. "A preci- they willing to see others pass us pice lies before every boy and girl in our slow progress and take our when they emerge from the shelter crown? Are they willing that the of their home; but a sure safe path board shall involve itself hopeleads round it. We must gently lessly in debt in its efforts to give patience; and patience, experience, warn them of the one; we must life and salvation to the imploring

lead them to the other." Parents, your silence is dangerous; set up a habit of confidence vital a danger. Do not be shocked have now received the atonement instruction! Let their first knowl- help. ing waged.

Speak of the dignity of the body which may become a temple of the Holy Ghost. Tell of the wonderful relationship between mother and child in the absolute union of their two lives in one body. Teach them save sinners," we should soar on the profanity of light and vain thoughts about love and marriage "where moth an rust doth corrupt" Teach your boys to honor womanto break through and banish the hood, the degradation of which is sin, and will surely bring punish a clearer knowledge of God, who ment .- Frances S. Hallowes, in

In the war with Spain, says the Freeman's Journal, even the Indian maidens were patriotic and volunthe Seventh Army Corps, under General Lee. They have been with the army some time and have performed excellent service as hos can Indian Sisters was founded by ness. The soil is virgin. No other Rev. F. M. J. Craft, at Elbow denomination has yet arrived. You Knee, and the Rules of St. Bene- Plead with the churches to furnish dict were adopted by the Order. you with the sinews of war so that A daughter of Sioux Chief, White you may occupy this field. Order. Rev. Fr. Craft, who secured an excellent house in Cienfounded the Order and is chaplain, fuegos. It costs \$34 per month is a tall, handsome young Ameri- The house should be leased for two A popular official of Nashville can, who attained honors in the years or more. went home last week under the in- medical profession. Further studies I go next to Rodeigo and Sugua fluence of liquor. Crazed by that led him to the Catholic faith, and Grand. We need Godinez here at demon, when his wife re- then to study for the priesthood. once. We also need Bueno and proached him for being drunk be. He selected the Indian mission, and Diego Lorenzo Roger." fore his children, he turned on her has been stationed in the far West

Who was to blame? Not the of Brown University. He is a na-

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BABY HUMORS Prevented and Chies by

OUR EMBARRASSMENT. What Shall the Board Do? Will the Curches Tell Us?

ple had been told so by our Home that produces such results. Mission Board, who have this work in charge, and who were compelled to understand the conditions envi- to a public house door, ragged and to become so diminished that it came out. She said, "Jem, is my would be powerless to seize the op- John in there?" "Yes ma'am." gestions. They have withheld con- "I want you to come home; the fire tributions, so that instead of being is out, we have no candle, we have able to go forward, we are poorly not a bit of bread, and the children has able to hold our present ground. are crying because they are hun-Every state is behind its contribu-tions of last year, while we have fist and struck the poor wan creabeen compelled to increase our ture a fearful blow in the mouth. verk. In our own country, outside of Cuba, we have about five ter; and shaking tivating fields from which they to enjoy himself again. must not be withdrawn.

Nearly every day letters come to us from men and women asking to be sent to Cuba. But we cannot employ, without increase of our resources, all of those now upon the island who can preach the gospel acceptably in the Spanish and peace.-Paul.

language. What shall we do? Shall we fail to occupy the ground open to thy words without heart. us, and thus miss our opportunity forever? Shall we create obligations, which, having no adequate means to meet, will embarrass us for years to come? or will our pasgeance is mine; I will repay, saith won't go!" And there are men tors and churches shake off their which their appointment has laid upon us and their God has opened

masses of Cuba?

If they mean to help us improve the advantages these wondrous with your children that you may providences have placed upon us, let them say so. Let us hear from every state and from every city, or angry when your boy utters and as far as possible, from every some half ignorant remark or ques- church, the voices of our brethren Mr. Moody said to a friend once. Lord Jesus Christ, by whom we tion. Here is your opportunity for saying, "We are coming to your

> ake up this matter and send us a response? Will our pastors and hurches send us a card promising us help to meet this emergency? If five thousand churches will send us such a message, and send it promptly, our hearts will rejoice,

POWELL'S LETTERS FROM CUBA. We have just received two leters from Dr. Powell written from Santa Clara, dated Feb. 15th and

Feb 10th.

In the first he says: "This the anniversary of the sinking of teered to accompany Uncle Sam's the Maine. When that ship went troops as hospital nurses. Four down the doors of this land flew Sioux nurses, with the Rev. Francis open to the gospel. It would make Craft, are now in Havana with you weep to see the great openings here. I cannot see how I can remain here longer, and yet my duty to my Master demands that I should remain one or two months longer pital nurses. The Order of Ameri- Hundreds hear the word with glad-Woods, North Dakota, in 1891, will lose much to allow them to soon after the battle of Wounded come and pre-empt the territory.

Hawk, was the first sister in the O'Halloran is here. We have

In his letter of the 19th he says

thority to rent a house at mentioned that I should remain

Nearly three hundred children

that children and young people must come at noon, and only middle aged and old people will be admitted at night. We have many of the best families present. I never saw such openings. I believe that such wo k as this can b

the Baptists. I should be happy of free sample copies of agriculif I could stay here all the time, tural journals, magazines, newspabut that is impossible. The work pers, etc., etc., for two years or must be done in the main by the more. You will also get books,

DRINK'S MADNESS .- A man in Liverpool went home to his house, drunk. A little child, two years old, was crying. He said, "Stop We venture the assertion that your crying!" The little girl knew the Southern Baptists have never nothing but that it was frightened, had such an opportunity to do a terrified; and the child cried on. great work for the Master as now | What did the father do? Took up presents itself in Cuba. If any that baby, two years old, and laid man doubts it, we cut short the ar- it on the fire. Can you show me a gument with him. He does not man in the world who would be guilty of such horrible brutality as The intelligent, thoughtful Bap- that, except when he was drunk? tists knew that whenever Cuba An insane lunatic, at large from in should be free politically, this op- asylum, would scarcely do it. It portunity would follow. Our peo- is only madness caused by drink

Rum's Work -A woman went roning it. The Board imblored wretched, her thin gown hanging to them months ago, in anticipation her legs with the wet, draggled of the events that have now become with dirt; two children stood at history, not to allow its resources the public-house door. A man portunity when it should come. "Tell him I want to see him." He Brethren have not heeded our sug- came out. "What do you want?" and sent her maggering in the guthundred missionaries who are cul- pocket, went into the public-house

If you really want to work for God, you will never be out of em-

To be carnally minded is death, but to be spiritually minded is life

When thou prayest, rather let thy heart be without words than

Manners form at least a rich varnish, with which the routine of life lis washed and its detril adorned. If they are superficial, so are the dewdrops which give such sloth and enable us to do the work a depth to the morning meads. R. W. Emerson.

The late Bishop Brooks was right when he said, "Liberty is the We want some response to our fullest opportunity for man to be question. We are troubled-we and do the very best that is possible are perplexed-we are anxious to for him." God never yet gave know what our brethren of the any soul permission to rush head-

Christ's words are the only tender ones about flowers in the Bible. sublime aspects and grand objects trees-but hardly anything is said of the lowly things that grow on the bosom of the one and light up the shadow of the other.-Hugh Macmillan. "That man must have been in

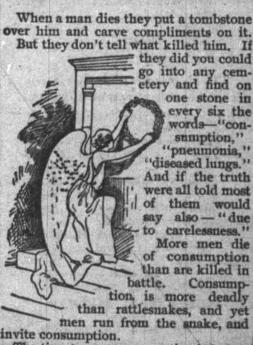
the army, or in a mi itary school," "Yes," he said; "how did you chapte.

pay torion to the gratification to the gratification of others, which the foundation You can tell on have been with Jesus by their I sometimes wonder why everybody doesn't go into the ministry

Men talk about making millions in business. They ought to make and the board will understand what is their wishes and what it ought to be.

I. T. TICHENOR.

Dissiless. They organ to be in clargy men. I would rather go to the rudest country church to speak to men crude and rough and ignorant, and keep that little band pointing toward God's shining city than do anything else in the universe or sit upon any throne .-Newell Dwight Hillis.



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