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model that excites this desire to follow in his steps? It is hard for man thoroughly to know himself...

But perhaps this is not the state of your mind. You may have no such anxiety to shine in the world.

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only begotten son to die for it. If we see why he should love us so, we cannot satisfy ourselves and doubt will rise up like mountains in our path.

The minds of those untaught are led this way or that, as their organization or as circumstances direct.

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the life of holiness, hence, he that makes pretensions to religion or virtue will show himself to be no more than a sentimentalist.

The remedy for this evil is in rigid and frequent self-inspection. We should strive to direct ourselves of Sunday morality and imaginative virtues.

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A Youthful Preacher Entrapped. On Saturday afternoon, young Jay received a summons to attend on Mr. Winter in the study.

The old gentleman handed him a note and said, "Mr. Jay, the weather is fine, and as you have been hard at work all the week...

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taxed his iron visage, and the ancient members severely looked upon him as for the young fellow they were positively delighted.

Many men in California are acting out a character they do not dream of ever carrying away from home.

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SATURDAY, OCT. 18, 1851.

Trip to Galveston.

Some three weeks since, we received a pressing invitation to visit the Island and preach a missionary sermon. In our note of acceptance, we named the second Sabbath in October, as most convenient for us.

On the Friday preceding that Sabbath, the polite clerk of the steamer Magnolia called on us and invited us to take passage in that boat, to which we acceded. Of the character of this boat for strength, speed and accommodations, and its gentlemanly and courteous Captain and Clerk, we need not speak, as they are well known to all who have patronized it.

On reaching Galveston, we found the Strand submerged, which often occurs after several days of East and South-east winds, which drive a vast volume of water into the Bay.

Galveston contains many beautiful buildings, with tasteful enclosures and flower gardens. As a place of residence, it possesses many advantages and attractions.

Of the educational advantages of Galveston we are not prepared to speak definitely. Rev. Mr. McCallough's school is highly spoken of, but of the other schools we were not informed.

The city contains seven churches: three Methodist, (including the German and colored), one Presbyterian, one Baptist, one Episcopal, and one Roman church.

We regret that we cannot give the correct statistics of these churches. The congregations in the Protestant churches are generally very good. The Presbyterian church is without a pastor yet, and without a direct prospect of obtaining one soon.

From what we could learn, the Methodist churches are enjoying the greatest religious prosperity at present. We preached in Ryland Chapel in the morning, and at night, to large and attentive congregations.

As we entered the parsonage, a feeling of gloom and desolation came upon us with its chilling influence. The beloved wife of the Pastor, who recently presided there, with so much ease, grace and dignity, was gone.

On parting with the worthy Pastor, to return to our toil, he handed us some twelve new subscribers, obtained during our stay in the city. On the afternoon of our leaving, the steamship Mexico, arrived from New Orleans, and imparted fresh life and bustle to the business interests of the city.

Seven hours after leaving Galveston in the steamer Farmer, Capt. Sterrett, we arrived at Houston. With our trip down, with our visit at the Island, and with our return trip, we were more than pleased—we were delighted.

A MATTER OF TASTE.—We would respectfully suggest to the Monument and the Galveston News, which have adopted the English custom of announcing births, as well as marriages and deaths, that it would be more in accordance with good taste and sound morals, to vary the arrangement of their announcements, from births, marriages and deaths, to marriages, births and deaths.

School Fund.

Are the tax-payers of Texas equally entitled to one-tenth of the ten millions received for our Santa Fe Territory, for Common Schools?

Will you, Mr. Editor, give to your readers your opinion—as you are one of the pioneers in the cause of education in this country, and have devoted a great part of your life to that noble work?

In response to the above request, we will most cheerfully and frankly express our opinion with respect to the claim of the School Fund of the State to one-tenth of the proceeds of the sale of the Santa Fe territory.

In our view, the claim is strictly legal. The constitution of the State declares that one-tenth of the revenue arising from taxation shall be devoted to the establishment and maintenance of public Schools. Had Texas retained Santa Fe, one-tenth of the revenue derived therefrom, would have belonged to the School Fund.

Now wherein does this supposed case of A and B differ from the covenant between the State of Texas and her School Fund? That which would have produced a revenue, one-tenth of which belonged to the School Fund, has been sold; it follows, most conclusively, that one-tenth of the proceeds of the sale thereof, or the annual interest of that one-tenth justly belongs to that fund, and if the State withhold it, it will be clearly chargeable with fraud upon the School Fund, and upon the present and future generations of the children and youth of the State.

We consider a large majority of the coming Legislature committed to this measure, and their constituents will hold them responsible to see it carried into effect. That there will be a strong effort to divert the whole of the excess of the ten millions over the payment of the State liabilities to other purposes, than the establishment and maintenance of a system of public Schools, we have no doubt, but that sound arguments will be wanting to justify any such diversion of the amount claimed for the School Fund, we are fully persuaded. If the Legislature shall, as we confidently expect it will, award to the School Fund its just claims, we shall chronicle the noble act, and proclaim it to the sister States, as an act worthy of all praise, but still an act only of sheer justice.

Throughout the universe—from sea to sea, and from shore to shore, mist and bond and free, and everywhere, "Let the gospel trumpet sound."

We cannot look upon the above plan in any other light than that of a great movement on behalf of the cause of religion in California, and the wonder is that the thought was not suggested long before. A great advantage cannot fail to be secured to the mission in thus bringing together a community of interests from every part of the work, where it will be considered an honor to be represented. We expect every conference to glory in answering this "draft" upon their men and means. No delinquent "Meroz" we should think, will be likely to lift its guilty head among the "tribes of the South," in the promotion of the enterprise.

A written discussion has been, for some time, going on between Rev. Dr. King, of Ireland, and Hon. and Rev. G. Spencer, called Father Ignatius. This discussion has been suddenly terminated, even before the first question was fully examined, by the retreat of the reverend priest, under the frivolous pretext that Dr. King's letters have "an objectionable tone."

CONVERTED CATHOLICS.—The American and Foreign Christian Union notices the arrival of Rev. Messrs Murray and Jordan, converted Roman Catholics, speaking both English and Irish, with a design of laboring among their fellow-countrymen.

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California Christian Advocate. The missionaries of the Methodist Episcopal Church, North, in California, have resolved to establish, forthwith, a newspaper to be called the California Christian Advocate.

The missionaries make a loud call on their Church for twenty more men to be sent to California speedily.

The Pacific Annual Conference. The missionary Board at Louisville have made the following response to the noble proposition of the California Missionaries. The Board was unanimous in its action: Bishop Payne was in the chair.

Resolved 1. That this Board recognizes with pleasure and approval, the promising and wise plan of our missionaries in California for the larger extension of the interests of the mission, and the early organization of the "Pacific Annual Conference."

Resolved 2. That in furtherance of said plan, the Board earnestly recommends that each of the Annual Conferences shall at their appointed sessions, select and present to Bishop Payne, for his acceptance and appointment, (so far as the Bishop may approve the plan and the men selected) such members from their respective bodies, (one from each) as they may be able to recommend; the persons so selected to be (as a matter of course) from those who are in full financial connection, and who are entirely willing to go, provided, nevertheless, that the whole number of missionaries to that field of labor shall not exceed the number of annual conferences embraced in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Resolved 3. That the Board especially approve that item of the plan, which makes it the duty of each of the persons so selected and appointed, before starting for their distant field of labor, to raise within the limits of their own conferences respectively, for their incidental outfit and the further purposes of the mission, the sum of one thousand dollars fully believing this to be a very excellent conception and the most feasible and ready method of realizing the means for the accomplishment of the plan.

Resolved 4. That each of the missionaries so selected and appointed be requested on their arrival in California to pay over to Dr. Boring (the superintendent) for the benefit of the California mission fund, all surplus money which may remain from their collections at defraying their expenses to that country; and that they make a full report to this board as soon as practicable after their arrival, embracing the amounts collected, the amounts expended, and the amounts paid through Rev. Dr. Schen, Missionary Secretary of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Resolved 5. That the preachers in the several conferences be requested to aid the missionaries in making their collections.

Dr. Parsons waxes warm and eloquent in advocating this important movement in favor of California. Here is a sample of his missionary thunder.

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The Rev. E. Wood has been re-appointed President of the Wesleyan Conference in Canada, and the Rev. J. Ryerson, Co-Delegate.

Mrs. JUDSON IN ENGLAND.—Intelligence was received by the Atlantic that Mrs. Judson and children had arrived at London. All were in good health. Providence permitting, her arrival in this country may be looked for at an early date.

ROMAN CATHOLIC BISHOPS.—It is asserted that twenty-three of the twenty-seven Roman Catholic prelates in England are about to sign a public document, drawn up in such a manner as to violate the spirit and terms of the new Act, for the purpose of provoking a prosecution by the Attorney General.

The Puritan Recorder says: "Mr. William Eddy was ordained a missionary to Syria, in Newark, N. J., on Thursday evening of last week. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Chauncey Eddy, D. D., of Ohio, the father of the missionary, and the ordaining prayer offered by the Rev. Mr. Goodell, his uncle."

SPREAD OF THE GOSPEL IN FLORENCE.—Under the influence of the Spirit of God, a deep religious interest has been excited in Florence, and numbers of Italians are now enquiring for the Scriptures and reading them with delight.

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE. Latest from New Orleans. The steamship Mexico arrived at Galveston on the 14th inst., with New Orleans dates to the 13th inst.

New York Markets. The Cotton Market continues dull, and sales to-day are estimated to 500 bales—prices, however, are firm. Flour is selling at \$3 62 1/2 per bushel for State and Western brand.

There have been two more extensive failures in this city, and there are reports in the streets that two others have occurred to-day.

REVIVAL INTELLIGENCE. For the T. W. Banner. Here is more good news for the readers of the Banner. We appointed a four days meeting on Sanders Creek near Mrs. Austin Perryman, for the 9th and 10th of August, which was postponed until Monday.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE. The Roman Catholic priests in Ireland have indicated their determination to set at naught the penal laws and penalties of the elementary session. Doctor Callen has issued letters signed "Paul Cullen, Archbishop, Primate of all Ireland," and Doctor M'Hale has pursued a similar course.

Liverpool Markets. The Cotton Market is quiet, and the rates unchanged since Friday, the 19th. The sales on Monday and to-day were 12,000 bales of which 3,500 have been taken for export.

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There has been considerable excitement in this city to-day, in consequence of the failure of an extensive tobacco speculator. The amount of his liabilities are known to be large, but not exactly ascertained.

The Cotton market is heavy, and United States flour is in moderate request at \$3 15 1/2 per bushel. Sales 600 bbls. There is nothing doing in provisions. Whiskey is steady at the recent decline, and sells at 16 3/4-17c per gallon.

St. Louis Oct. 7. The Flour market is dull and sales small at \$3 50-63 60 per bushel. Corn is in fair request at 41c per bushel for yellow and 42c for white.

Methodist Church Burned. Louisville, (Ky.), Oct. 7. The Brook Street Methodist Church, in this city, caught fire this afternoon, and is destroyed. Loss about \$15,000.

Mr. C. M. Levinson, editor of the Democratic Advocate of this city, died last evening from the injuries received by the explosion of the steamboat Brilliant.

Augusta, (Ga.), Oct. 8. The election in this State has resulted in the choice of six Union and two Disunion members of Congress. The Union majority, in the State, is about one of thousands. Three-fourths of those elected to the Legislature are Unionists.

Portland, (Maine), Oct. 8. The coast of Nova Scotia has been visited by a dreadful gale during the prevalence of which, one hundred and fifty vessels have been driven ashore, and five hundred lives lost.

New York, Oct. 9. Bullion in the Bank at Paris has decreased 7,500,000 francs, and increased in the Branches \$1,250,000.

London, Oct. 8. Trade in Manchester was active at the date of the Humboldt's departure, and owing to the accounts from America, predicting short crops, sales were effected at full prices.

Memphis, Oct. 9. Cotton is declining, with sales at 6 3/4-7c for good middling, and 7 1/4-7 3/4 for middling fair.

Further Fortifications by the Humboldt. New York, Oct. 9.—8 P. M. The following items of foreign news were brought by the Humboldt:

A Cabinet Council has been held at Madrid, to consult on Cuban affairs. The late accounts from Cuba have produced an immense sensation at Madrid.

The receipts of flour are now light, and good brands are in demand at \$5 22-25 25 per bushel. Whiskey, 16 3/4-17c.

There has been some stir here to-day, caused by a balloon ascent, with a man and his family in the car.

Arrival of the Asia. New York, Oct. 10. The Cunard steamer Asia has arrived, bringing dates from Liverpool to the 27th ultimo. The following is a brief summary of her commercial news:

Liverpool Markets. Liverpool, Sept. 27. The Cotton market has been rather heavy during the week closing to-day, but there is no material change in prices, though for the lower descriptions the closing rates are in favor of buyers.

St. Louis Oct. 7. Corn is in fair request at full prices. The quotations are for yellow 2 1/2 cts, and white 2 7/8 cts. Provisions have been dull, but without change in prices.

At Manchester, trade is dull, and prices barely sustained. The London Money Market is easy. Consols close at 96 1/4 to 96 1/2.

Kossuth. Washington, Oct. 10. The President of the United States has ordered that Kossuth, upon his arrival in this country, be received with military honors.

Own Rivalled. The President has issued the recall of Owen, the Consul at Havana.

Arrest of Syracuse Rescuers. Orders have been given to arrest and bring to trial all parties concerned in the late outrage at Syracuse by which the fugitive slave was enabled to escape from his owner.

New York Markets. New York, Oct. 9. The cotton market closes with rather more firmness but without any notable improvement.

Schooner Wrecked. We learn from Capt. Lyons that the schooner Equity, Capt. Hays, bound for New York, is now a wreck on the bar at the mouth of the Brazos.

Gold. One of the Caddo Indians named Blackhead, and well known on the Trinity, states that he has found a large quantity of gold in the Comanche country, near the sources of the Trinity, and about three hundred miles from the Coshate village.

Mr. Richardson Scoury is elected in the Eastern Congressional District over Judge Oehlthire by about 3000 votes.

There are now some ten vessels on their way from Europe to this port with emigrants. The population of Great Britain and Ireland in the British seas, by the census just taken, is shown to be within a fraction of twenty-one millions.

Quarterly Meetings—Austin Dis. Fourth Quarter. Georgetown Miss, on Brushy Campground Sep. 10-14.

Quarterly Meetings—Galveston Dis. Fourth Quarter. San Jacinto Miss at Cedar Bayou, Sept. 23 & 21.

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HOUSTON PRICES CURRENT. (CORRECTED WEEKLY BY RICE & NICHOLS.)

NEW AND SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF GOODS! THE undersigned has just returned from the North with a well-selected and extensive stock of goods of all kinds, suitable to a Southern market.

800 REWARD. RAN away from Hurd's plantation, in Egypt, on the night of the 14th inst., a negro boy named Henry, of bright mulatto complexion, 21 to 25 years of age, straight hair, weighing about 160 pounds; a shrewd intelligent fellow, had on when he left, a straw hat and white clothes, and rode a dark brown Spanish horse.

LIGHTS OF TEMPERANCE. A NEW work just issued from the press of Messrs. Hickey & Aristotol, edited by Rev. Jas. Young of the Louisville Conference, containing 370 pages 12mo, good paper, and bound in the best English Muslin, embossed.

FEMALE ACADEMY—HOUSTON. MR & MRS. NOLAN will open, on the first day of October, at their residence on Main Street, an Academy and High School for young ladies.

MARTIN & BUTT, (Successors to A. McGowan.) WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN STOVES AND TIN WARE.

ALLEN & BAGBY, STRICTLY RECEIVING, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

FIRE-PROOF WAREHOUSE. STORAGE FORWARDING AND COMMISSION.

CRACKER & BISCUIT FACTORY. JOHN KENNEDY.

GROSEBECK & CO. DEALERS in Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Saddlery, clothing and all kinds of Goods generally used by planters.

WILLIAM HENDLEY & CO. Central Wharf, Galveston.

JAMES A. THOMPSON'S. SASH AND BLIND FACTORY, fronting on Main Street and Texas Avenue, opposite the Old Capitol.

CARRIAGE REPOSITORY AND MANUFACTORY. THE undersigned having settled permanently in the City of Houston, will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Open and Close Carriages, Barouches, Rockaways, Buggies, Jersey Wagons, Carriages, Pulling Wagons, &c.

BONNETT AND HAT STORE, Main Street, Houston, Texas, OPPOSITE THE CAPITOL.

INSURANCE. Fire, Inland and Marine, by the Protection Company of Hartford, Conn.

TIN, COPPER AND SHEET-IRON WARE, STOVES, FURNITURE, Upholstery, Wood Ware, Hardware, &c.

COOKING & PARLOR STOVES, large and small, and of the most approved patterns; W. H. LILLIE, Dealer in Jewellery, Books and Stationery.

JOHN DICKINSON, MERCHANT, MAIN STREET—HOUSTON.

TYPE FOUNDRY, Wm. Hager, Type Founder, 11 Gold-Street, (Between Feltus and John streets).

HALF PRICE DRY GOODS AND Clothing Store, Corner of Tremont and Market Streets, under the Sons of Temperance Hall, GALVESTON.

J. S. VEDDER, STAIN-DYEING, DEALER IN STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Clothing, Groceries, &c.

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POETRY.

For the T. W. Banner. The Skeptic's Soliloquy. What am I? whence came I? whether do I go? No answer! and wherefore, why thus at random cast Upon the ocean of existence—an orphan foundling...

Waked from the peaceful slumber of the non-existent. To the strife of toil, and pain, and doubt of all that live. Its dreams oblivious quelled into dread reality. And painful consciousness—of being, feeling, suffering here.

With infinite desires—yet all things pass away; Struggling for life—struggling with death and sin. Prone to do evil. Yet a deeper sentinel Lashing us when we do so: Passions all warring 'Gainst our peace—Peace we seek in their indulgence.

From the Christian Advocate and Journal. On the Death of Dr. Olin. Hark! it speaks a melody so soft and sweet; A heavenly spirit sheds a mortal greet; With glowing love vibrating in his wings, A message of deliverance he brings.

Sabbath Evening at Home. When Sabbath bells have ceased their sound, And the hours of day are passed, And the twilight dawns its certain round And shadows gather fast—

Home's well-beloved group! its Sabbath song Its tones I seem to hear; Though borne full many a league along, They come distinct and clear. Oh, Sabbath night! oh, treasured home! Fond pride of memory's train—

Assyrian Discoveries.

The last numbers of the London Athenaeum contains a communication from Col. Rawlinson, announcing an important historical discovery. He has deciphered some of the cuneiform inscriptions brought from Nimrud by Mr. Layard, and found them to contain some remarkable verifications of Bible history. They are records of one of the Assyrian kings, who proves to be the Sennacherib of Scripture. They notice his war against the King of Sidon, and describing the battle between the Assyrians and Egyptians in conformity with the accounts of Josephus and Herodotus, notice the proceedings of Sennacherib against Hezekiah King of Judaea.

WHAT SHOULD AN EDITOR BE?—This question, says the Galician (III) ADVOCATE, was never better answered than by the late Charles Hammond celebrated throughout the West as the late talented editor of the Cincinnati Gazette.

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Scientific Convention.

The American Association for the Advancement of Science commenced its annual sessions in the city of Albany, New York, on the 18th, and closed them on the 23d. The attendance of gentlemen distinguished in the various branches of science was numerous, and the proceedings from day to day were of a highly interesting character. No abstract of the carefully written papers which were presented on the occasion, or of the oral discussions which arose, could furnish any just idea of their merits. We merely note some of the subjects which engaged the attention of the Convention, as follows:

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