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"Paul, do the stocks hurt your ankles! "No, Silas; I remember once while traveling ! was in a prison more dangerous than this a binding than these stocks."

"But, Paul, how could you have theer in prison and bound with chains while travellas? "I was in a prison whose keeper was Belze bub, and he rejoiced to give me full liberty: for I was breathing out threaterings and slaughter against the disciples of the Lord, and was on my way to Damaseus to make havoc of the Chin

"But how were you chained while way to Damascus?" "One end of this chain ar und my heart was entwined roaring lion was faster

ing up to Damascus

and earth is given; and his voice was ; Lord? And he sale; "I am Jesus whom man persecutest." And I with frembling said; 'Look,

" Is Christ with us to night, Paul ?" "Yes, and telling us to pray and sing probes to God. What time is it, silas?"

"About midnight, I think." "Then the time is come to work. We are a preach and baptize to night; but first must pra-

and sing." earthquake?"

tions of the prison are shaking! These bands a

"I do believe, and I am blest. Glory to G

In the highest. The Lord is my Shepherd; shall not want. He less eth me and restored O Lord, and Thy salvation know,

"Thou shalt be saved and all thy house; nor "I remember, Paul, you said that Jesus was

Him to-night,"

"Yes, this is no prison silas; we are on lodging to night Christ is our Companion, and He does all things right. I would stay in prise one week to hear one soul cry: Lord save no

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# what will Thou have she to do?" "Did He tell you what to do?" "Yes, He filled my neart with food and gladness. Since then I have followed Him; and I followed Him here to-night."

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Philip, of the region beyond Jordan.

sus has grown from himney to manhood, and is ready for the present and denied a future state. The Pharisee trusted in his own righteousness, and the Sadducee in his riches, and neither scurity, save the one incident given of His presence in the temple at the age of twelve, disputing with the doctors. And yet His childhood can be correctly inferred from His manhood. He was not interest the force of the ferful arrich nor poor; neither highly educated nor deficient in education. He must have been familiar with ancient and Aramic Hebrew languages. He certainly understood the Greek language, (the cosmopolitan language of the age,) and the Greek language, (the cosmopolitan language—as His country had long been a Roman province. While He was not educated in the future state. The Pharisee trusted in his own righteousness, and the future state. The Pharisee trusted in his own righteousness, and the scurity, save the one incident give of twelve, disputing with the dectors. And yet His childhood can be correctly inferred from His manhood. He was not educated in the future state of the ferful arrich nor poor; neither highly educated nor deficient in education. He must have been called different disenses, had the which are found to have a different source or origin, and which have bafflled the skill of the broken his more and in the wildeness of Judea, so the plain the wildeness of Judea, so the plain truth searches all hearts in the wildeness of Judea, so the plain truth searches all hearts in the wildeness of Judea, so the plain truth searches all hearts in the wildeness of Judea, so the plain truth searches all hearts in the wildeness of Judea, so the plain truth searches all hearts in the wildeness of Judea, so the plain truth searches all hearts in the wildeness of Judea, so the plain truth searches all hearts in the wildeness of Judea, so the plain truth searches all hearts in the wildeness of Judea, so the plain truth searches all hearts in the wildeness of Judea, so the plain truth searches all hearts in the wildene as the One whose shoes he was un- Abraham.

at that time; "came:" cometh; John, six months older than Jesus, was the son of Elizabeth, the cousin of with water unto repentance: but tree on the broad plain of life; and, as each period of probation closes, it hews down the useless

the wilderness, Prepare ye the John probably meant a heart full way of the Lord, make His paths of warm love.

straight. "This is He:" this V. 12. "Whose fan is in his hand, and He will thoroughly John is the One; "Esaias:" the hand, and He will thoroughly purge His floor, and gather his to do for Christ what He requires

14. Every one should confess his need of Christ.

15. We should always be ready to do for Christ what He requires one crying in the wilderness (Isa. wheat into the garder, but it is aloud in the wilderness; "prepare quenchable fire." "Fan:" wingue the way of the Lord, make His nowing-fan or shovel used in tosspective for the wilderness; "prepare quenchable fire." "Fan:" wingue the way of the Lord, make His nowing-fan or shovel used in tosspect of the Holy Spirit in the grain up in the wind, scent of the Holy Spirit in the post-offices. Five Splendid Varieties, sour choices. in modern times. Bishop Thomp- the heavy grains fell down. John son says he passed over a road here prefigures the terrible heart- and Holy Spirit unite in testify-Turkey.

his raiment of camel's hair, and a the winnowing took place; "wheat:" leathern girdle about his loins; and pure believers, the produce of the his meat was locusts and wild Holy Spirit; "garner:" granery, a honey." "Raiment of camel's symbol of Christ's kingdom, and all over, and the preachers are behoney. "Raiment of camel's hair: "a coarse cloth made of camel's hair; this was bound about him by a leathern belt; "meat:" food; "locusts" were allowed as food and they were eaten by the poorer classes then and are still eaten by the poor Arabs in this same region when properly the coarse cloth made of also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of Christ's kingdom, and also of a Heavenly inheritance; symbol of their first duties is to see that all the former subscribers to the Advo-CATE renew, and that as many new ones be secured, so as to double our subscription list at once. Please the winnower; the winnower; the wheat, the right have all over, and the preachers are be-ginning a new year. One of their first duties is to see that all the former subscribers to the Advo-CATE renew, and that as many new of Medical Common subscription. The common subscription is the common subscription is to see that all the former subscribers to the Advo-CATE renew, this same region when properly righteous; the chaff, the wicked; prepared. The preparation con- the garner, Heaven; and the unsists in dipping them in boiling quenchable fire, hell.

low in the scale of morals as they above Jericho. "Of him:" by him.

not only came to him, but heard burning love that he proclaimed.

of the Pharisees and Sadducees fulfill all righteousness. Then be come to his baptism, he said unto suffered Him." "Suffer:" permit; to take more or less kicks.

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famous schools, it is fair to pre- ham to our father: for I say unto His coming. sume that He had been mentally and morally well trained. The time of His public ministry is approaching; John, His cousin and forerunner, has been preaching repentance almost six months; the pentance almost six months almost six months are pentance almost six months; the pentance almost six months; the pentance almost six months are pentance almost six months; the pentance almost six months are pentance almost six months people are awakened. He had be- father; "these stones" as "children gun in July and it is now about of Abraham" is the first hint at conforms to his preaching. January, A. D., 27, when the son the rejection of the Jews. They of Elizabeth hails the Son of Mary all trusted in their descent from

worthy to bear. In the fullness of | V. 10. "And now also the axe is time the Messiah has come. His laid unto the root of the trees: nation, long in bondage, was weatherefore every tree which bring- sage of the preacher, will not save rily waiting for a martial hero to eth not forth good fruit is hewn them. liberate them from the hated Ro- down, and cast into the fire.' man yoke, and did not gather with "And now also" means from this Him at Bethabara to see Him in-time onwards; "is laid:" lies. As ducted into His office of redeem- the tense is present, it implies that ing the world from a more galling henceforth every fruitless, lifeless yoke of bondage than that of the Roman.

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was called the Baptist or Baptizer, because he baptized unto repentance; "preaching:" heralding; worthy to bear: He shall baptize ance; "preaching:" heralding; "heralding; "h "wilderness of Judea:" the deserts fire." In this verse John contrasts tism of tears. ear the Jordan.

V. 2. "And saying, Repent ye: he, water with the Holy Spirit, he, water with the Holy Spirit, rification is separating the good The young house keeper's guide.

The overleased flows except in the same of particular than the same of parti V. 2. "And saying, Repent ye: he, water with the Holy Spirit, for the kingdom of Heaven is at hand." "Repent:" change mind, which includes a change of heart; which includes a change of heart; "kingdom of Heaven:" the spiritual kingdom of Christ; "is at kingdom of Christ; "is at er; "shoes:" sandals, soles of sandals, ual kingdom of Christ; "is at er; "shoes:" sandals, soles of one—an eternal one. shoes tied to the feet with straps. V. 3. "For this is He that was The carrying of these sandals was spoken of by the prophet Esaias, done by the lowest menials; "Holy the sinner, sets every follower of saying, The voice of one crying in Ghost:" Holy Spirit; by "fire'

one crying in the wilderness (Isa. wheat into the garner; but He of us. lustration in Oriental history, even which carried away the chaff, while form of a dove. that had been "prepared" and searchings which Christ was soon to ing that Jesus is the Son of God. "made straight" for the Sultan of institute among those who flocked Heaven is not closed against the to hear Him. "Purge:" cleanse; descent of the Spirit, nor is it too descent of the Spirit, nor is it too descent of the Spirit, nor is it too far off, so that the voice of God is raiment of camel's hair, and a sthern girdle about his loins; and support the winnowing took place; "wheat:" pure believers, the produce of the spirit, nor is it too far off, so that the voice of God cannot reach us.

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water, then drying them and stripping from them their wings and legs. Galilee to Jordan unto John, to be gives harmony to the soul and its They are dried and eaten with butter. John was the new Elijah.

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V. 14. "But John forbade Him, V. 6. "And were baptized of him saying, I have need to be baptized in Jordan, confessing their sins." of Thee, and comest thou to me?" The multitudes from Jerusalem, "Forbade:" hindered. John felt be very bold, and sometimes very Judea, and the regions about him, his need of the baptism of the prudent.

him and were baptized, confessing V. 15. "And Jesus answering said unto him, Suffer it to be so V. 7. "But when he saw many now: for thus it becometh us to

Josephus that both these sects had Jesus thus assumed humanity's

high priest, 159-144 B. C., or be- V. 16. "And Jesus, when He date of our lesson. The Pharisees way out of the water: and, lo, the were strict observers of the law heavens were opened unto Him,

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Spanning realms of beauty. With their forests of golden trees. Westward, echoes the shore line,

To the temples of pearly morn, Lit with glory eternal, Where the spirits of life are born

Restless, tugging at anchors. As impatient as steeds in the stall. Champ and fret the gay galleys. To be off at the Master's call

Signs of parting are given. And the die of the hazard is cast -God and fame and ocean-To the future, they turn from the past.

Seal up History's pages In Oblivion's ashen urn Lift the gates of the Future, Where the beacons of glory burn.

Draw in silence the curtain On the Past, with its pages aflame; Lift the veil of the Future, And the Past, with its pages are tame

Give the Past, with its records, To the moth, and the mold, and the rust; Cut the page of the Future, All agleam with its golden dust.

Hark, the voice of the Master, As the voice of spirit's unrest-"Haul in cable, weigh anchor; For we sail for the isles of the blest.

Sweet adieus, oft repeated. As the cables are loosed from the shore Bear the heart of each hero

To the shade of a vine trellised door. For the cables of kindred And the anchors of love are strong.

Taking hold on the hearth stone

And they hold to these moorings long. Heed the voice of the Master, As he tacks for the western sky;

"With the hatch-way," the billows reply. Heed the voice of the Master. With his hand on the helm of Fate

Crowd the canvass of Fortune ; For the breezes of Destiny wait." Heed the voice of the Master.

With his eye on the sand-glass of Time. Counting centuries measured On the dial of eyes sublime.

Courage giveth the Master The infallible vision of seers, Bears him over the waters To a fame of unending years.

Seals the ocean his empire, And its waves and its billows tames; Counts the storms as his playthings, And the winds and the currents claims;

Bears him bravely to seaward. Thro' the waters unfretted with keel; Outward, outward, and onward, Where the waters in grandeur reel.

Outward, outward, and enward, On the wings of the wind they fly; Ocean, ocean unbounded For the ships: for the heroes, the sky.

Ontward, outward forever. Where the birds are useen on the wing Ever cleaving the billows,

Like the swallows in search of spring. Bravely scorns he the tempest, In its fury and wrath untamed,

Lashing billows to madness With the blasts of Doom unchained. Though the needle may waver:

Yea, may waver, forgetting its pole, Truer, truer than needle, He adheres to his purpose and goal : Nails his purpose at mast-head,

And then strides o'er his deck a King. Heeding naught of the peril In the hurricane's flery wing: Seeks the dream of the ages.

Yea, a thousand long leagues of sea, Over realms of sun-set, On the fanciful isle of the free:

Dreams of Plato's Atlantis, As the field of his future fame : Wields a scepter of beauty. Through all ages, eternal the same.

Cowards falter in duty, Yet his will, undaunted and strong. Awes the cravens to silence. While the winds sweeps his galleys along.

Storm-clouds darker than midnight. As rapacions as eagles for blood, Clutch the ships in their talons. and thus hurry them over the flood.

Cyclones, flercer than Satan, In his rage in the battle of life, Seize and whirl them in eddies, Until drunk with the terrible strife.

Storms and cyclones are silent-Not a breath or a breeze to oppose-Calm as Abel in slumbers, Or as caim as a mummy's repose.

Calms, as silent as Hades, And as breathless as lips of the dead, Hold them tighter than fetters, While the sea and the sky are as lead.

Is the spell that is holding them there, By invisible cables To a terrible, helpless despair. Patience, courage and firmness, Are the weapons he wields for the truth,

Strong as summons to judgment,

Smiting Matinies speechless, While unfolding the dreams of his youth. Patience, greater than courage, In a contest where none is his peer, Crowns him royal, immortal,

And reveals him the Century's sun! More than Seer-an actor, What he sees, in the future as true. He reveals to the present As a fact, and as palpable, too.

Grasping Destiny firmly, In the might of his will unbent, Holds he Fate in his clutches, Till the legions of ocean relent.

"Land ahead!" from the look-out. Like the song of the angel of Peace, Thrills the hearts of the heroes, And their fears and their murmurs cease.

Brightest isle of the ocean! Or as bright as foot print of Him. Walking Galilee's waters, In the mists of the m rning dim!

Bright, as window of Heaven. Where the glimpes of glory are seen, Flashing out of the temple To reveal us a rest serene!

Dusky children of nature. From the shores of their beautiful isle. Greet the heroes with yuca. To their hearts with deceit nor guile

Rivers, sunny with gladness. In their sivery songs to the sea. Sing the weary a welcome. To their fountains so sparaling and free.

Mountains tinted with glory. As they hear this refrain to the brave. Chant an anthem in answer. To the "angels" from over the wave.

Forests join in the chorus, With their banners of beauty unfurled Shouting preans of praises. That re-echo and circle the world.

Victor, hero, immortal. Thou art safe in thy haven of fame Reef, and anchor forever ; For the world with thy glory's aflame.

Wear thy hat in thy triumph. While the world does obeisance to you : Pass thy Log-book of Peril To the world, and thy triumph review.

Rise, rich realm of the ocean, With your trophies bright jeweled as queen Great Columbus, thy master, As a knight of the ocean's deep green !

Crown him heir of your riches: Aye, endow him lord of your heart; Wed him yours with thy beauty, That he never, forever depart,

- .. Written for the ADVOCATE. Mrs. Norton's Lesson.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

BY L'ECLAIR.

"Please, mamma, stay with me this time!" pleaded a childish voice, and a pair of pale, tiny hands were laid beseechingly on the costly dress of the mother, who was attired in ball costume, and his wife brushed past him : She had come into the nursery for and kneeling by her baby girl, she It is a sure cure. a moment before leaving the house for a large full-dress ball.

"You are crazy, my pet," she "Comrades! down with the hatch-way; replied lightly, at the same time taking her dress from the little fingers that held it so tightly. good and take your medicine, or we will have to dig a deep hole in the ground and put you in it among all the old dead folks."

cry and buried her head in the bosom of her nurse.

"O, don't, mam!" said the woman, holding her little charge closer to her breast, "you frighten the poor child; and, indeed, she is

attend to your own business?"

he asked of his wife.

"Nothing; only Lillie, as usual,

out again looking at the little paleface, though the blue eyes followed "Never mind, Birdie; papa will ny requires no proof. only just take mamma to the ball, time all to ourselves."

"You had better bring the doc- in the end. tor, sir," said Irish Maggie, wiping

the father, rising and taking the little hot hands in his own. He his friends never hear of. kissed the child again as his wife When you poke the end of your lump in his throat and a great circulation in your fingers. heaviness on his heart.

night, dear," he ventured to say to tongue can gild.

with her.'

"Nonsense!" she replied, stooping for her train; "she is no worse away very long. She will be all right to-morrow.'

He said no more, but determined to return immediately to his sick child. After seeing his wife in the dancing hall, he went at once for the doctor; and they entered his home together a short time after he had kissed Lillie good-bye. Everything was confusion above stairs, and when he sprang up the steps to "My mouth is 3 inches across, fivedistorted form of his darling in a Shaped like a horse-shoe, toe forlarge tub of warm water. The rard. If you want to be more pardoctor did not come an instant too doctor did not come an instant too tiklar I shall have to come thar." convulsion. It was not until the doctor had administered chloroform that the awful struggles ceased, and little Lillie lay wrapped in a blanket, white and still in her faithful Maggie's arms.

"You see, sir," said the woman to the doctor, "she has been feverish all the day; and when her mother left her to-night she fretted so that she grew nervous; and then, all of a sudden, she went off into a spasm."

"Where is her mother?" asked the doctor, gravely, holding the child's pulse.

"At the ball, sir," responded Maggie, bending to kiss the little one's brow. The father's cheek burned FITS AND EPILEPSY.

spoke. "I will go for her mother," he said.

"It is scarcely necessary now," was the reply. The good nurse has by her prompt readiness done all that any one could have done for

The little girl still lay white and unconscious when her mother returned home. "I had a splendid time," Mrs.

Norton said to her husband when he opened the door for her. "But | cure what ails you, Horace? are you ill?" "No," he answered in a low voice,

but Lillie is dying, I fear. You had | Fit o better take off this," touching her ever rich dress, and heedless of her look of anxious, painful surprise. "Maggie has been up all night, and must be worn out.

"Why did you not send for me?" she asked huskily.

"Your heart was set on the ball," he said, with some bitterness, "and where my darling's own entreaties failed, I did not hope to succeed."

He turned toward the nursery, bowed her head on the unconscious face, and sobbed bitterly.

Maggie looked on unsympathizingly, for she remembered Lillie's tearful pleadings to that world- using your Dr. Beil's Fit care thankson Painter, Independence, Ind. ly woman, and the careless, "You need not set up a cry now," she added impatiently, as the upon the still breathing but "Ky daughter is fast recovering from epilepsy by the use of Dr. Bell's Fit Cure. The afflicted unconscious child and the bitterly remorseful mother, who
prayed to God in her agony that
her darling's eyes might look upon
her knowingly, if only once
her knowingly, if only once
more in this world: but all child's eyes filled with tears; "I am unconscious child and the bitgoing to the ball and you must be terly remorseful mother, who The little girl gave a shuddering her prayers were vain, and the setting sun shone through 19 South 7th Street. St. Louis Mo. the lace-curtains of that stately mansion, crowning with radiance the brow of a newly-born angel. Little Lillie was dead. Her last look upon her mother had been much worse off than you think." met with reproof; and her last word NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA. "Will you be kind enough to nial. It was years before Mrs. said the lady sharply. "She is cross and fretful, and you help to make her so. I shall not humor the shill be considered again induce her to leave her little children to leave her little chi make her so. I shall not humor her whims to-night, at any rate."

She turned away and encountered her husband as he entered the chamber, in full evening dress also.

"What is the matter my days and induce her to leave her little children to the care of others while she danced the fleeing hours away. "No, no!" she would say, "God has taught me a lesson I shall never forget, and I know now that a mother's place is at home with a mother of the care of others while she danced the fleeing hours away. "No, no!" she would say, "God has taught me a lesson I shall never forget, and I know now that a mother's place is at home with a mother of the care of others while she danced the fleeing hours away. "No, no!" she would say, "God has taught me a lesson I shall never forget, and I know now that a mother's place is at home with

wants me to stay with her, and one man makes chances; while ten While ten men watch for chances Maggie thinks she is worse to-night. men wait for something to turn up, one man makes chances; while ten men wait for something to turn up, one man turns something up; so, while ten fall, one succeeds and is we will send Dr. Mathews up, and while ten fall, one succeeds and is if he thinks it necessary, we can called a man of luck -the favorite leave the ball early and come of fortune. There is no luck like She passed from the room with-those who are most indifferent to

her with their tearful, pleading A man's reputation is not in his gaze. Her husband bent over the own keeping, but lies at the mercy child and, kissing her gently, said: of the profligacy of others. Calum- tors and short hand Board 82 50 per week.

and then come right back to the The man who can hold his baby, and we will have a good tongue longest in controversy is the one who will come out successful

a tear from her eye, "for the little of any individual, however pure Anybody can soil the reputation "So bad as that?" exclaimed that his enemies will believe and FOR LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.

called to him from the lower hall, fingers in your ear, the roaring COMMERCIAL COURSE then turned away with a strange noise you hear is the sound of the

"I think the baby is worse to- The heart must glow before the

his wife as he took his hat from Every heart has its secret sorthe table; "if you were not already rows which the world knows not; dressed, I should wish you to stay oftentimes we call a man cold when he is only sad.

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Well, not yet.

the support of a healthy and vigorWho is responsible for the existthe religious press may perform its midst, against the requirements of mission in this conflict, its messages both civil and moral law? Young must reach the people. Will our men frequent them, and are often friends aid us in extending its circulation? This proposition of the takes considerably more than the publishers places it in reach of all. margin of our young men's salaries Some of the conferences, by resolution, determined to place the lution, determined to place the men are passengers on the through-line to moral and physical destruc-tion; but, it takes were for Methodist. Why may not this be tion; but it takes men of wealth Dr. Brush was simply catering larly marked. stock rates very high in a money point of view. It is said by a Towns in the sectional prejudice of the placed Austin and proposed for the employment. The outlook for 1880 is very factoring that said by a Towns in the placed Austin and proposed for the large manufacture of clothing for example, has more than doubled since 1876. It now furnishes thirty thousand people with the placed Austin and proposed for the employment. The outlook for 1880 is very factoring that the placed Austin and proposed for the employment. not only to enlarge and improve done on every circuit and in every to be officers and directors. The to the sectional prejudice of the point of view. It is said by a Texas in the same class with forprominent official that the law against the ill-famed houses that disgrace our public thoroughfares disgrace our public thoroughfares resentations that Bishop Haven can not be enforced because some has sent to the Northern press of our leading citizens are their friends. Were their names uttered louder than a whisper, Gaveston society would tremble. A great would understand him.

In a selft to the Korthern place of the Brooklyn rink, capable of seating about five thousand persons. On the day in which the new place was opened for worship it was well filled; and hopes are entertained that the City of Churches—especially the Plymouth church of Beecher and the Tabernacle of Talmage—will now have a place in which common programment. many people trouble themselves We would suggest to Dr. Brush about our young men. What can be expected of them if their seniors he published those misrepresentabe expected of them if their seniors set them bad examples. There are a few old debauchees and roues in this city who have apparently been delegated by the devil for the sole purpose of ruining young men.

He passed on to Market street, ADVOCATEWEHAVEGIVEN accurate statistics show and found one of the largest drink- ing that the traffic in strong drink and beer "is ing establishments in the city open.
This place can be found by the that in no instance have these facts, figures, and police, if they want to perform the statistics been denied. We again ask your attenduties according to their oaths of tion to a few more additional statistics on this ary 1, 1880, will receive the pres- operation of so many of the preach- office, by standing on the pave- subject. Sir Matthew Hale, at one time Chief ment in front of the News office Justice of England, says: "I have found from and moving due north across the due observation that if the murders and manstreet into the open door. It is beries, rlots and tumults that have happened known as the Bank Exchange. in the twenty years I have held places of judi-Our friend found a police officer cature, were divided to five parts, four of them have been the issues and product of ex-

Mr. Clay of the Preston House of Correction. (England,) says: "I have heard more than fifteen thousand prisoners declare that the enticeneuts of the ale and beer houses had been their ruin." Dr. Elisha Harris, of New York, after a shooters and other implements in-"After two years of careful inquiry into the his- "man and bother." The negroes, taken it all with him, we are not certain he would have found it of special value in the other world. Is a mistake. The income which is necessary for the support of our papers is derived from both sub-bar was doing a heavy business; with well dressed young men and some who were not so young. The bar was doing a heavy business; holic drinks may justly be charged with far more than half of the crimes that are brought to with well dressed young men and tory and condition of the criminal population," holic drinks may justly be charged with far nore than half of the crimes that are brought to pursue their journey to a point still conviction; and that fully 'eighty fire per cent. of How is it that a stranger, who hardly knows the names of a half larger degree been prepared to do criminal acts because of the physical and distracting effects Eternal City. Greenbacks, with the brand of the United States ence. As the increase of the subhol.' The report of the police of New York property is assessed at \$4,500,000, city says: "We are fully satisfied that it is the and not one-tenth of them has one great leading cause] when renders the exist- registered their names and secured ; heaven, and bonds and stocks would find no market there. He left it all behind. Man takes his character into eternity, and nothlions did he leave. Angels possibly ask what character does he bring into the company of the immortals?

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Are the officers in league with these violators of the law? One of the strong arguments which will be made against the bell-punch will be made against the bell-punch there of the pounded to one of the penitential at the following was received: "Of her feminine charms than to of her feminine charms than to of her feminine charms than to be added to the pounded to one of the penitentials at the following was received: "Of her feminine charms than to be added to the pounded to one of the penitentials at the following was received: "Of her feminine charms than to be added to the pounded to one of the penitentials at the following was received: "Of her feminine charms than to be added to the pounded to one of the penitentials at the following was received: "Of her feminine charms than to be added to the pounded to one of the penitentials at the following was received: "Of her feminine charms than to be added to the pounded to one of the penitentials at the following was received: "Of her feminine charms than to be added to the pounded to one of the penitentials at the following was received: "Of her feminine charms than to be added to the pounded to one of the penitentials at the pounded to roam abroad for facts and figures. We have about that. It is not the right of strong drink." In answer to questions pro- The true woman would rather pounded to one of the penitentiary officials at wield over the fireside the scepter a THE big strike at the Chicago ers who act as agents for the paper law will be that it has failed to the number of convicts committed for murder elbow her way to the ballot-box stock yards has about ended, with a complete victory for the employers. A Chicago paper puts the case thus: "The striking butchers the land. We have a striking butchers the land to the striking butchers are the research operators. This places are thus: "The striking butchers the land. We have a striking butchers the land to the striking butchers are the research operators."

The striking butchers the land. We have a striking butchers the land to the striking and manslaugher seven-eighths did the act while and manslaugher seven-eighths did the a labored under the idea that they would much rather each one of them to enforce the law, do they expect and associations." Again, the traffic by making owned the stock yards; but are would send the subscribers than to make it unpopular? Let the it easy to procure drink, injures the public health. Dr. Lee says: "that in the great fever hey are of no consequence to any-body." There is a general feeling among heavy employers that a determined resistance to trades-successful to the subscribers, the publishers should not be expected to furnish it to him at an actual loss of the conference, Methodist E. Church, North, asked for a division of the conference on the color line. What is the matter? Have the white members made themselves disagreeable to their colored brethren, or are the ren, or are the colored brethren becoming exclusive? It is a conundrum we wish Dr. Fowler would work out.

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While we have on our list over our leading citizens?" "In the beer saloon," said a voice from the beer saloon," said a voice from the crowd. This "hit" brought down to the paper in which it appears. It is truly stockton, where he was raised, to see such statements published. To our minds of this gentle, where he was raised, to see such statements published. To our minds, the production referred to is anything but creditable to the unknown author, or being the company. The board of trustees unanity predent to send a warning to the policy holders of the company. The board of trustees unanity production of the State, where he was raised, to see such statements published. To our minds, the production referred to is anything but creditable to the unknown author, or lowing preamble:

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more useful to the church. Its "the fathers not only of our young ducted the editorial department of the Texas

### WANTS TO EXPLAIN.

We are in receipt of a communication from Dr. Brush, of Austin, who complains that we misconstrued his letter in the Northwest Christian Advocate. In speaking of Austin as a mission field he says he with the opening of the new year for not a foreign mission proper. We body.

sole purpose of ruining young men. is due to the Southern people.

Were he to take all back through our columns and present the real condition of the South to our readers, the Northwestern Advocate would not copy. They cheèrfully publish misrepresentations of the South, but not a word in its defense.

> THE exodus of negroes from North Carolina to Indiana con- the collection basket. tinues. We are glad the negroes are going where they will be apare going where they will be appreciated. The people in and about church member, and which shows gr Shelbyville, Indiana, show their osity and self-sacrifice among native Christians appreciation after a peculiar fashion. They learned one day last week that about 200 of their sable brethren were en route there, and they turned out en masse to welcome them at the depot. As tokens of the deep earnestness and warmth of this intended welcome, they were armed with shot-guns, sixdicative of love and esteem for the however, for reasons better imagined than described, concluded to further north.

THERE are twelve hundred women fore, at not less than four fiths," But why majority; but they do not care

preacher, every officer of the church, every member, male and female, old and young, make a personal vow of fresh consecration to

known to characterize the Confederate army as a mob. George was trained by his excellent mother (now in heavers) in a Methods Sunday torious and the latter is carried to a victorious and triumphant consummation and its banners of peace placed upon the crumbling ruins of sin and woe and sorrow, this mighty evil will be found to be the last to surrender.

HARD BRICK.

For four years the Rev. Dr. Bunting has conditionally the fact is unknown to the writer, who has been intimately acquainted with the family for the last fifteen years. In his early manhood he enlisted in the cause of Southern independence and, under the brave. Forrest, was a faithful soldier until he received the wound that maimed him for life. Since then, by his own energy, perseverance and fidelity, he has arisen to his present honorable too trakes his leave of his readers, and surrenders the editorship to Rev. L. Tenny, of Waco. While we part with Dr. Bunting regretfully, we extend to the new editor our congratulations. The Presbyterian has become a necessity in Texas. The new editor proposes to devote his entire time to the paper.

South Carolina has another new Governor, Wade Hampton went to the Senate and Lieutie Gov. Simpson took his place. Simpson now takes a place on the Supreme bench as Chief Justice, and State Senator T. B. Jeter goes into the executive office.

The abolition of the offices of ministers to foreign countries is being agritated. Before the day of Allantic cables it may have been necessary to Allanting the content of the care of the country of the countr

simply meant a field such as the Church, South, has in Texas; that is, a domestic or home mission, Jerusalem, the Lord will daily add to such a

The following comprehensive temperance resolution was passed at the late session of the Minnesota Methodist Conference:

Resolved. That we will diligently use all the

A new style of preparation for the Sabbath ser-

The Wesleyan Methodist mission in Jamaica raised on the island last year no less than \$81,410

Unanswered Letters.

Dec. 24—E R Bereus, J M Pugh, J W Johnson, S L Cox, better see preacher in charge, we open accounts only with agents; W M Eobbins, J H Trimble, Jas McDugald, I S Ashburn, Jno S Davis, M B Johnson, C S McCarver, A D Cooper, J A Wyatt, H N McCelvey, S2; J M Truitt, S0; J E Eggleston S1.2; N W Kenth, R F Beasley, L F Palmer, J W Dickinson, S H Renfro, Julia P Truitt, B H Scott.

§2: J S Lane, your paper goes to Round Rock Sam C Lillard, §2.

tion? He ought to know that such testimony might destroy the reputation of the best man in the State. "They say" is a great slanderer. Wesley Smith.

During 1879 there were in New York four hundred and sixty failures, with liabilities amounting to \$16 285,982.

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The district stewards will please meet me at Woodville on Saturday, the 28th day of February and traveling expenses of their presiding eider N; blind in ary, 1880, at 10 o'clock a. M., to assess the salary and traveling expenses of their presiding eider N; blind in the right eye. One Bay Colt with her. Any and traveling expenses of the stewards elect: Felix Franks, T. J. Carraway, T. W. Ford, Dr. Tyre, H. Rhodes, — McMurty, Liberty circuit, Y. W. McNiel. It is to be hoped that the above brethren will not forget the time specified nor their duty to attend. Dan't Morse, P. E.

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# Jefferson District Conference High

below, a committee was appointed at the last session of the Jefferson District Conference to secure certain property located at Daingerfield to the M. E. Church, South; and that W. B. Womack, one of the principal stockholders, so-licited the appointment of said committee. Cedar Creek, at Hanev's chapel, Jan 19, 11 Webberville, at Webberville, Jan 17, 18 licited the appointment of said committee.

Rev. R. G. Sewell, preacher in charge of Dain gerfield circuit, was placed on the committee, and as early as practicable entered upon the work of securing the stock. In order, it is thought, to defeat the enterprise, it was alleged that Sewell's efforts in this capacity were the result of personal spleen toward Prof. J. M. Greene, the present occupant of the property. Finally, this charge of antagonism was made on Bro.

Sewell sublicit through the Norris County Ban-Sewell publicly through the Morris County Banner, whereupon he (Sewell) endeavored to have published the subjoined statement as explanatory of his course, but the editor refused to publish it. Solicitous for the success of the enterprise, and to set the minds of the go right in this matter, I hereto append the statement of the chairman of the committee, given under his own hand :

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. At the last session of the Jefferson District Ordinary ... Conference W. B. Womack asked that a com-Conference W. B. Wemack asked that a committee be appointed to secure the Daingerfield Middling....... mittee be appointed to secure the Daingerfield
High School property and establish a District
Conference High School, whi h committee was
Middling Fair... Conference High School, whi h committee was Fair.... appointed as follows, to-wit: K. W. Hussey, J. R. G. Sewell, After this, Rev. J. M. Greene, in as follows: order to induce me to sign a paper letting him Low Ordinary. have the use of my stock in said property, ordin promised me that he would not be in the way. promised me that he would not be in the way, neither should said paper be in the way of transferring said property to the church whenever the committee were ready to receive it. I signed the paper with the understanding that | Fair ..... while in perfect harmony with the committee. One stockholder declined signing the leasing him from the obligation in the above grades. Sales, this day - bales. leasing him from the obligation in the above mentioned paper. So, on the 28th day of November, I asked said Greene to sign the hereto appended document, which he refused to do. Sewell then approached him in my presence, and in the spirit of a Christian gentleman remainder. Several mentions of the control minded him of his promise to me (as well as Fair ... to others), and asked him to sign it. Greene then, in a very insulting manner, refused to sign it, saying: "I have the heels on the thing. This week.... This season. and I intend to hold it." Now the statement in | Same time last season... circulation since, that Sewell peremptorily demanded his (Greene's) resignation as principal of the school is wholly unfounded.

K. W. HUSSEY, Chm'n Dist. Conf. High School Committee. DAINGERFIELD, TEXAS, Dec. 5, 1879.

DOCUMENT REPERRED TO ABOVE. " DAINGERFIELD, Nov. 28, 1879.

"I do hereby release the stockholders of the Daingerfield Righ School property from any obligation to me that would prevent them from deeding their stock to the M. E. Church, South." I trust that the foregoing will be satisfactory to all concerned. J. W. HILL. Sceretary Jefferson District Conference,

AVINGER, Dec. 12, 1879.

## Nasal and Bronchial Catarri. .... A Strong Record.

REV. T. P. CHILDS, of Troy, Ohio, whose advertisement of his Catarrh Treatment appears in this issue of the Christian Advocate, Galveston, has addressed our subscribers and readers before. It is not surprising when we consider the facts, that Mr. Childs should be constrained to scourge of the human race.

Leading men of every denomination publicly
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eyes, 152; calves and yearlings, -; sheep, 96; hogs, 58;
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eyes, 152; calves and yearlings, -; sheep, -; their families of Catarrh or of Throat difficulties; hogs, not obscure, unknown men, but men whose reputation is national, men widery known for their services in the pulpit or in the missionary Beeves and cows.common and ordifield. Editors and publishers of our leading periodicals, among them the Congregationalist and Watchman, of Boston; the Illustrated Christian Weekly and the Examiner and Chronicle, of New York ; the Journal and Messenger and Daily Gazette, of Cincinnati, and many others, have personally investigated the facts, and they are satisfied that, while Mr. Childs is not-as he does not claim to be-a regularly educated physician, but, on the other hand, a highly-esteemed minbut, on the other hand, a highly-esteemed minister of the gospel, who has spent thirty years as a pastor in the State of Ohio, yet he has made such a study of the disease known as Catarrh, as to have enabled him to treat it with most ex-

traordinary success. His own affliction, suffered his brethren throughout the State; and his present robustness of health and prospect of long life are also well known, and can be ascribed to nothing else than the treatment devised by himself, and now so confidently recommended to others. If any record could inspire confidence, surely this of Mr. Childs' should make every sufferer feel that he may make trial of this

ceatment with every hope of success.

Nor is this remedy a novelty. It has now been before the public for twelve years, though it is only three years since he began to so extensively advertise it, and the result new is that housands have been cured by him, and his business has constantly increased, until he has been obliged to creet new and commodious ouildings in Troy, Ohio, for the special purpose of affording facilities for compounding, packing and shipping his remedies and apparatus, and for the entertainment of those who call upon him for personal consultation.

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bottles of Hop Bitters, taken by my wife, wi o has done her own housework for a a year since without the loss of a day, and I want everybody to know it for their benefit."

JOHN WEEKS, Butler, N. Y.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

The Anglo-Americans treated each tribe as a separate nation, and entered into formal irreaties with barbarous chiefs, who knew little and cared less for treaty obligations. The latest intelligence from the savage Utes was that they were preparing for another war. In the meantime, our philosophical Secretary of the Interview of t

BEAUMONT DIST .- FIRST ROUND.

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The district stewards will meet at Bastrop,
E. S. SMITH, P. E.

# COMMERCIAL.

January 24th.

TEXAS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE OFFICE. Galveston, Texas, Jan. 10, 188

At New York, the market opened dull and tains 20 pages in each number, and is only closed dull. Sales 393 bales. Quotations for all grades are as follows:

..1434e at New Orleans, market opened firm and Y. Bradfield, W. B. Womack, G. M. O'Neal, and closed quiet. Sales 7,500 bales. Quotations are it was only for this fall session. R. G. Seweil At Liverpool, market for spots opened active was put forward by the rest of the committee and closed steady. Quotations are as follows

> The market here opened dull and closed nominal. Quotations are as follows for all NET RECEIPTS.

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Rev. W. J. Picot of the Louisiana Conference. for years, until he was finally compelled to leave has been laboring among the French creoles in the pulpit expecting to die, is well-known to all dis brethren throughout the State; and his present, robustness of health, and prespect of long.

Euicides are coming in fashion again, and some sensational papers report them under such head-lines as "sensible solution of a sad life;" "a sorrowful surrender of a smart man to the sickening sentimentalities of sudden death."

The Secretary of the Treasury has issued a circular inviting proposals for the sale to the government of \$5,000,000 in bonds. 1 4 ----- 14

The high way to official preferment in Texas begins at the door of a bar-room, runs in a southerly direction to a gambling hell, thence north through an alley to a place unmentionable; thence east to a judgeship, and thence due west to the highest official stations.

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ittle towards removing the ills of mankind.

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"In 1873 I was attacked with Catarrh, slight at first, but it gradually grew worse and worse. In the Spring of 1877 the disease assumed a new form; my mouth and throat were attacked, ulcern were formed, and soon the ulvs was all eaten away, and large sores through the posterior narce. My condition was now not only deplorable, but apparently hopeiess. Large quantities of very ofensive matter were discharged from the nostrils and throat; and for days together I could take no food but spoon victuals. I knew of no remedy, and the doctors could give me no relief or advice. My sufferings were intense, and distraction of mind was added to my physical sufferings.

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"But this spoke He of the spirit which they that believe on Him should recieve; for the Holy Ghost was not yet given, because Jesus was not yet glorified."

But this impression is contrary to the sons of God. ance with God. And there is no went He was led by the Spirit. have been by the Holy Spirit.

And it is not merely speculation nor theory that proves to us that the Spirit was manife-ted before the introduction of the new dispentinctly affirmed in the Old Tes- greatest number, and not always strive with men." punishment of the bad, and When David committed his great | Whereas, Although in church he wrote the psalm which contains ants of the State of Texas, and the passage, "And take not Thy Whereas, The law, popularly ant soul in every age.

Pentecost. But we dare not doubt the sincerity of their conversion. They were submissive to the will of Jesus; He recognized them as His disciples, and honored them by giving them their commission truly converted.

And still, the text means something. The Holy Ghost was not given because Christ was not yet that the Spirit was unknown before Christ, nor that He had not been present in all His power. It fested in a new light as He was on the day of pentecost, and again, centurion, and found him a devout. pious man, giving alms and received of God. He acknowleged the Christ to him, and while he was speaking the words, the Holy Spirit fell on all with great power. This indicates the opening of the new dispensation.

be carefully distinguished from the into the Texas Conference of the ordinary operations of the Spirit. M. E. Church, South, In 1878 he The time never was, when a man was transferred to the Northwest could be saved without the influ- Texas Conference and placed on ence of the Holy Ghost. It will the Mt. Vernon circuit. In the apcontinue as long as man is on the pointments of the M. E. Church, earth, that the influences of the North, for 1879-80, his name ap-Spirit are essential to every act of pears on the Fort Worth circuit. conversion. But this act of regen- Requiescat in pace. eration is not the gift of the Holy Ghost, as spoken of in the text. It has not that exalted meaning.

This is that universal manifestation four or five new Bishops. of the Spirit, which is given to every man. It leads to conversion | Rev. Joseph Norwood, in addibut is not identical with it. Con- tion to his duties as missionary at version is nothing else than to be Laredo, and superintendent of the born of the Spirit; that is, to begin high school, has become editor and to live the life of the Spirit. By proprietor of a newspaper, the Two the new birth, the soul is allied Laredos, published in Spanish and and brought near to God. This English. The specimens we have work, so indispensable to our filial seen indicate that he will make an relation with God is not that work interesting paper. Laredo is one which is technically called the of the most important cities on our "gift of the Spirit."

the scene of Pentecost. The Holy in his new venture. Christ had been glorified. He had ascended to God the Father, and Wesleyan Methodist Thanksgiving

Special inducements to immigrants and people desiring to settle in the State. For information as to rates of passage and freight, routes, etc., apply in person, or by letter to in attestation of this fact, He gave Fund had reached, up to Novem- C. B. GRAY, A. G. P. A.

them as disciples of the blessed no important elections were held;

It is a very common thing with ence of believers. There were were made annually, and therefore our Lord to represent the Holy three thousand converted at Pen- each preacher of a conference was lia-Spirit under the symbol of water. tecost, and all of them received it. ble to removal any year. This, how-

springing up into everlasting life" puts His mask on them, and thus points to the fullness of the gift "knows them that are His." This we make the following extract: The text clearly recognizes that God can distinguish the members But few changes were made in the the Spirit was to be given, as it had of his flock, but it offers, also, an appointments. The few to be not yet been given. The impres- indubitable evidence to men them- changed were placed at a little dission has been gathered from this selves that they are converted, advantage, inasmuch as this was passage that the Spirit was un- "The Spirit Himself beareth wit- not a year for a general change. known before the coming of Christ. ness with our spirit that we are The work for the Bishop and the

victions.—Bishop Merrill.

### Sunday-Law--- Endorsement.

Whereas, The object of all govsation. It appears and is dis- ernment is the greatest good to the

tament scripture. This is exemplified by the text. "My Spirit shall the protection of the good and

sin, and was brought to conviction capacity, yet we are a part of the by the searching parable of Nathan, grand total as citizens that go to in the anguish of his repentance make up the whole of the inhabit-

Holy Spirit from me;" language so known as the Sunday law, but perevangelical that we can hardly petuates the ordinance of God to believe it to have been spoken "Remember the Sabbath day to before the time of Christ, but it is keep it holy," made in His divine the natural language of the repent- wisdom for the good of man and beast; therefore,

In the time of our Savior, the Resolved, That we, the Quarterly Spirit was at work saving men Conference of Marlin Circuit, in its before Jesus was glorified. There first session, do most heartily enhave been many questions asked dorse the Sunday law, and call with reference to the spiritual state upon the "the powers that be" of of the twelve disciples before the the State to enforce its observance.

W. L. Andrews, P. C. C. B. Spencer, Secretary.

## MARLIN, Texas, December 13, '79. Explanatory.

with the words. "Go ye into all the ADVOCATE about 'sanctifievery creature." This is an evidence of the fact that they were thrusts being made by the preach-

The above we quote from one of the postals. Now why anyone glorified; but this does not mean should be surprised that "preachers" should make "thrusts" at "sanctification fanatics," I can't tell. No Methodist preacher makes thrusts means that He was to be mani- at sanctification. But fanatics are not doing good in the church, or out of it, but are leading some good when Peter received his commis- people astray, and are maksion to preach to the Gentiles. He ing thrusts at the church went to the house of Cornelius, the and true sanctification. There were numbers of our church people professors of sanctification, some for 40 years, and all moved brotherhood of man, and preached on peacefully together until these disturbers came.

STUMP ASHBY.

In 1876, H. H. Brooks, (formerlv, we believe, of the Reformed This gift of the Holy Ghost must | Episcopal Church,) was admitted

THE last number of the Wesleyan Advocate publishes a letter from We must learn to distinguish Rev. Dr. John E. Edwards givbetween these two operations of the ing an account of the late Virginia Spirit. In the ordinary sense the conference. The Doctor dislikes influence of the Spirit is universal. the "Statistical Bishops." For our By nature we are without life, part we have found that the Bishstrength, or recuperative power. ops who call for statistical reports In this condition we are incapable when examining ministerial char- Daily FAST FREIGHT Lines! of making any move toward God acter manage to get through the or holiness. It is the common conference business more rapidly teaching of evangelical Christianity and secure the statistics more ac- Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago. that we must have the inward curately than by the old plan. working of the Holy Ghest in order The Doctor thinks the next Gento have even a desire to be saved. eral Conference will have to elect Between St. Louis & Houston

Rio Grande frontier, and we cor- National. White Star, Anchor, Inman Turn again your attention to dially wish Bro. Norwood success

the Holy Ghost in a new sense. ber 19, over one million dollars.

Texas Christian Advocate He gave it to those who were already converted, to establish in politics—that is a year in which is a year in which in politics—that is a year in which in year in year in which in year in year. Lord.

The gift of the Spirit in this ex- but, in our simplicity, we had thought that, in the Methodist alted sense is the common experi- itinerant ministry, appointments The "water of life" refers to the This gift, first of all, seals men ever, is not the case in the Vir-Holy Spirit, and the "well of water to the service of God. By it He ginia Conference, as we learn from

presiding elders was, perhaps, the the Old Testament teaching. The The case of Jesus Christ is an more difficult, by reason of the fact office of the Spirit is to renew the illustration. He was sinless and that so few were to be changed. soul of man and fit it for affiliation pure. He needed no conversion, But, look out for next year. with God. The necessity of this and yet the Spirit was given to Scarcely less than three-fourths of work is seen in the very constituHim, not to make Him the child the pastors will be changed at the Fruits, Nuts, Cigars, Fire Works, etc. tion of man's nature. Without it of God, but to give the world plain session of 1880. This is no small man is "without God and without evidence that He was the Son of matter in a conference with two hope in the world," without God. After His baptism, when hundred members. The only strength or that holiness and the Holy Ghost descended upon changes made in Richmond were purity, which is necessary to accept- Him like a dove, wherever He at Union station, Laurel street, and Nicholson street. Trinity, Broad other means of renovating the soul, In conclusion, there is nothing street, Centenary, Clay street and except by the Holy Ghost; and so that individuals and churches need Park Place stand over until next it appears that if men were saved so much as this gift to fire their conference. All the principal stabefore the time of Christ, it must enthusiams and settle their con- tions in the conference—in Richmond, Lynchburg, Danville, Portsmouth, Norfolk, and Petersburg, with individual exceptions will change under the four years' lim-

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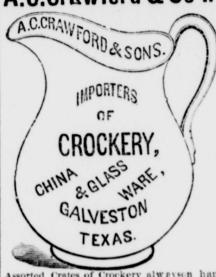
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their only tendency is to bring reproach upon religion and strengthen infidelity, produce disstrengthen infidelity, produce discord in families, even to the rupture of the marriage relations, the severance of family ties, and the subversion of the pure doctrines and sublime morality of the Christian religion. We believe it will ultimate in licentiousness and beastiality.

3. We hereby warn our membership against any sympathy for, or association with, said persons.

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church. They float around from one church to another, especially swelling the congregation where a new or strange preacher chances

new or strange preacher chances to officiate:

Now there is nothing in the world better calculated to bring dry-rot into character than this Sunday bumming. To go week after week to church, assuming no responsibility, paying for no privilege, and taking no part whatever except that of a thief or sponge, can have no influence better than that of unfitting a man for society. The first thing a young man starting out into independent life should cois to take squarely upon his shoulders the social burdens that belong to him. The policy breeds manliness and self respect, and will remove him from all liability

\*\*Committee\*\*

George.—The following resolutions were passed by Lancaster Sunday-school again and taken from our midst our sunday-school again and taken from ou will remove him from all liability to become the poor creature known as the Sunday bummer.

There is a thirty thousand dollar tomb in Greenwood. A stone mason made it. In the outskirts of the city a pauper lies under a rose. bush. God made it.

# Obituaries.

PERLE.—Mrs. Louisa A. Pecie, wife of Chas G. Pecie, died at her residence, in Hunt county T. R. M. Levember 2, 1879, at 239 o'clock P. M. Jankson, Her father was a prominent citizen of Maniton county, Ga. October 9, 1831. She was burn in Maniton county, Ga. October 9, 1831. She was her in Maniton county, Ga. October 9, 1831. She was heading there of Maj. H. R. and Lucinda J. Jackson. Her father was a prominent citizen of Maniton county—noted for integrity and honesty as a man, and for his political sagacity and states manship. When a mere child, in the year 1840, her parents removed with her to Macon county. Ala., where, on the 2d day of August, 1849, she became the wife of C. G. Peele—the heart stricken and bereaved writer of this memoir—with whom she lived in domestic happiness of thirty years, and in whose arms she extifed. While the pall of death gathered about her marble cheek her countenance became radiant with divine light; and as the tears of sorrow fell on the dying face, they were kissed away by the angel escort over the river of death, in 1850 all came to Texas together, and settled in Casseomity; thence to Huntounity, where she died. When quite young she joined the M. E. Church, South, in the communion of which she lived and died aconsistent member, With her, religion was a principle that never fluctuated. In the experience there were cataracts, nor fearful chasins, but as gentle as the zeptyr, as gentle as the zeptyr, as gentle as the deep, howing river. She loved and died aconsistent member, with her, religion was a principle that never fluctuated. In the experience there were cataracts, nor fearful chasins, but as gentle as the rock, and magested His church with a kind and affectionate eye down the dusty highway for the vearled filmerant, who found with her a wellow her control and the control of the cataracts, more farmed to the cataracts, more farmed to the control of the cataracts, and the control of the cataracts of the catar

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Sleep on, little angel,
Forever rest with Christ;
Though hard to say fare well,
We would not call thee back,
Nor would we now repine—
We soon shall meet again. -B. A. THOMASSON.

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Carthage circuit, at Harris' Chapel, Feb. 7 and 8.
Buena Vista, at Concord, Feb. 14 and 15.
Shelby, at Carroll Chapel, Feb. 21 and 22.
Milam, at Myrtle Spring, Feb. 28 and 29.
San Augustine, Nacogdoches station, and San Augustine, March 6-7.
Melrose, at Melrose, March 13 and 14.
Linn Flat and Douglas, at Union Springs.
March 20 and 21.
District stewards will please meet me at Caledonia, in Rusk county, on Friday at 11 o'clock, A. M., Jan. 16.
WM. A. SAMPEY, P. E.

FRECK ENRIDGE DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND.
Fort Griffin mis, at Fort Griffin, Jan 10, 11
Sipe Springs et, at Sipe Springs, Jan 17, 18
Breckenridge et, at McCiuskey, Jan 24, 25
Phantom Hill mis, at Phantom Hill, Feb 7, 8
Buffalo Gap mis, at Buffalo Gap, Feb 21, 22
Runnels and Nolands mis, Feb 28, 29
The district stewards will meet me at Callahan City, Bell Plains mission, January 3, 1880,
Brethren, please do not fail to attend.
A. K. Miller, P. E.

TERRELL DISTRICT-FIRST ROUND. Pleasant Grove cir., 2d Sunday in Jan.
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Will's Point sta., 4th Sunday in Jan.
Kaufman cir., 1st Sunday in Feb.
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R. M. Powers, P. E.

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West Falls cir., 2d Sabbath in Feb.
District Stewards will be sure and attend the first quarterly conference on your work.
Thos. Stanford, P. E.

PARIS DISTRICT-FIRST ROUND. PARIS DISTRICT—FIRST ROUND.

Cooper circuit, Giles' Academy, Jan 10, 11,
Dodd City circuit, Dodd City, Jan 17, 18,
Annona Miss., Walker's station, Jan 24, 25,
Clarksville circuit, Clarksville, Jan 31, Feb 1,
Wayland circuit, Wayland, Feb 7, 8,
Robbinsville circuit, Bethel, Feb 14, 15,
Biossom Prairie circuit, Shady Grove, Feb 21, 22,
The District Stewards will please meet me a
Paris on Friday, December 19 at 2 o'clock P, M
A full attendance is solicited, and I trust every
charge will be represented. L. B. ELLIS, P. E.

CORSICANA DISTRICT -FIRST ROUND. CORSICANA DISTRICT —FIRST ROUND.
Fairfield circuit, Fairfield, Jan 10, 11,
Buffalo circuit, Buffalo, Jan 17, 18.
Navasota Miss., Packer's sch'l house, Jan 24, 25.
Centerville circuit, Centerville, Jan 31, 'Feb 1.
North Leon circuit, Liberty, Feb 7, 8.
Jewett circuit, Jewett, Feb 14, 15.
District Stewards will meet at Mexia Friday
December 12, 1879. A full attendance is desired.

Jas. Mackey, P. E.

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3. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Texas Christian Advocate for publication.

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SAN AUGUSTINE DISTRICT—First Round.

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SULPHUR SPRINGS DISTRICT-FIRST ROUND. Sulphur Springs cir, at Pine Forest, 2d Sunday 

PALO PINTO DISTRICT-FIRST ROUND. Chrystal Fall mis, Jan. 10, 11,
Belknap mis, Jan. 17, 18,
Seeymore mis, Jan. 24, 25,
Wichita mis, Jan. 31,
District Stewards will please meet me at Palo
Pinto, December 27th.
J. K. LANE, P. E. District Stewards with Pinto, December 27th.

FORT WORTH DISTRICT-FIRST ROUND. Hillisborough, at Scott's Chapel, Jan. 10, Fort Graham, at Pecan Grove, Jan. 17. Fort Worth eir, at Marinda, Jan. 24. Fort Worth station, at Fort Worth, Jan. 31, Horace Bishop, P. E.

GEORGETOWN DISTRICT-FIRST ROUND. Belton station, Jan 10, 11 Salado, at Cedar Grove, Jan 17, 18 Round Rock, at Corn Hill, Jan 24, 25 Georgetown station, Jan 31, Feb 1 Liberty Hill, at Liberty Hill, Feb 8, 9

SAN MARCOS DISTRICT .- FIRST ROUND. San Marcos cir. at Cottonwood, Jan 10, 11

The district stewards: J. H. Combs, T. D. James, D. A. T. Wood, R. W. Rylander, S. F. Winston, W.H.H. Carpenter and S.C. Rector, will meet at Prairie Lea, on Saturday, Dec. 13, at 1 P. M. Boards of stewards will please adopt, as far as practical, the plan of quarterly collections.

O. A. FISHER, P. E.

SAN ANTONIO DI STRICT-FIRST ROUND. Uvalde mis, Jan. 10. T. Thornberry, P. E.

TEXANA DISTRICT-FIRST ROUND. Sandies mission, Jan. 10, 11 J. H. TUCKER, P. E.

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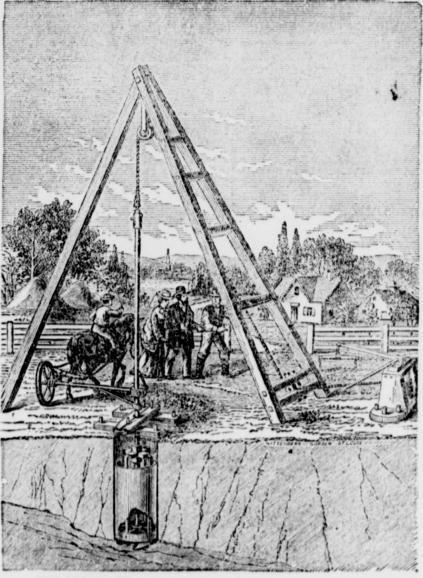
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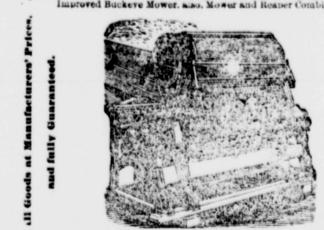
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tesy, fidelity and honesty of the man who has their owners and operators. S. B. BUCKLEY. filled high offices in State to the credit of him- ACSTIN, December 30, 1879. self and satisfaction of his constituency. And

church and temperance reformers are called on can give them. to rally and change these public functionaries. and put in their places men whose personal

But the question is: whether this is to be in- Bryan sta, Feb 21, 72 Welbourn mis at Welbourn, Feb 28, 29 corporated as an article of our faith, and whether our church organ is to be used for war against officials on the ground that they are not church members; whether Protestant Christianity is to ally herself with temperance re-

members and ministers than by any other class of people. Manipulating evangelis's and ministerial office-seekers have done much to lower St. Johns, Jan 24, 25 St. James, Jan 31, Feb 1 the views of the public as to religion and excite disgust toward ministers. At the meeting of the Cedar B. you, Feb 14, 15 Crear Creek Feb 21, 22 last Legislature, the conduct of ministerial candidates for chaplaincy mortified the resident | Shearn church, Feb 28, 29 ministers, who took no part in the scramble for per diem, and often called forth unfavorable comparison as to ministerial and lay contests for office. "I am informed" that a high offirial candidate on the ground of poverty, etc. Circulars were distributed through the House in the interest of another candidate. Said circulars read thus: "F. W. P---- is from Grayson county, and has been a citizen of Texas for twenty-three years. Is a son of Hon. J. S. Pof the Fifteenth Legislature. He served four years in the late Confederate army under Gen. sion of Gen. Banks' army. Was wounded twice. Horse shot from under him and gun shot out of his hand once. Was captured once. Has, since the war, worked his way through two colleges in the United States, and now commands eight languages, modern and ancient. and is a candicate for Chaplain of the House of Representatives." Another ministerial candidate had out his circular, and others were lying around and button-holing legislators. These were not only members of the church. but ministers of the gospel; and religion has received no severer burt than from the conduct of these ministers of her own household. No wonder ridicule was thrust at the chaplaincy, and if the church is to be represented by such conduct, better that she should be without representation. Let Car Toon first guard the points and fix the rules of church representation before he thrusts out all honest officers who are not church members; and let him specially employ his pen against those ministers of the gospel who announce themselves as candidates for chaplaincies; who button-hole legislators, and resort to humiliating efforts to get the per W. SHAPARD. diem of an officer.

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## Iron Ores of Western Texas.

officers, your correspondent begs leave to offer a pounds' weight. These fragments are the debris few, impressions received at the capital, and a of the upper portions of large veins, some of few suggestions as to the church qualification of the officers of State.

Your correspondent (Car Toon) represents Gov.

Which are many feet and extend to the base of the hill and across the stream. The hill was formerly much higher than at present, the wear ized, and the white men on the border object to Roberts as having gained golden opinions from of many ages having worn it down. The gran- be Ute-lized." all classes for the bold and upright administra- ite is of archean age, of the oldest geological tion of his office. This is high commendation. Boldness and uprightness are characteristics not of the self-seeking demagogue, but of the Boldness and uprightness are continued to the not of the self-seeking demagogue, but of the conscientious public officer who at any personal sacrifice is ready to look alone at the good of the commonwealth. These adjectives truly the commonwealth. These adjectives truly describe the present Governor of Texas. His describes the present

gent and honest executive. The effairs of State could now be smelted, with great profit at the more beautiful and attractive than are not likely to suffer seriously from any offi- present prices of iron. The iron mines of Pennsylvania and other places at the North are not five or six years ago supplied our Your correspondent further represents Col. furnishing a sufficient supply of ore for their Darden as a most courteous gentlemen. This manufactures; hence pig-iron is being imported

Nothing more can be demanded of a public iron is not made in Texas instead of importing it from abroad, as is now done? The causes for The Attorney General seems especially to have this are the absence of railroads in the iron and fallen under the ire of Car-Toon, who on and coal regions under consideration, and also the PHLOX, other occasion made an attack on this public late hard times and consequent decrease in the MIGNONETTE, officer. Besides the attacks of Car-Toon, the demand for iron, which caused many of the CANDY TUFT, Advocate has allowed a postal correspondent to brand him as an atheist. The qualification that the following the following the property of the following the tion and integrity of this officer is not at- couragement for its manufacture in Texas. But PORTULACCA. tacked, unless a former reference to his action | now all is changed, and returning prosperity | SWEET WILLIAM, on a petition from a district conference is to be causes the demand for iron to be greater than interpreted as calling in question his qualification the supply in the United States; hence from is

correct understanding of his official duties as ceived 1500 tons of steel rails from England. plainly, giving State and county, the ADVOCATE correspondent. Asto the religious | The duty was \$42,613-an amount greater than as well as postoffice address, that the former accusation, and is "informed that | A few years ago the writer urged some mem-

he is a skeptic, if not an infidel," Does Car Toon bers of the legislature to pass a law for the enknow the General to be a skeptic? Does couragement of manufactures in Texas, exyour postal correspondent know him to be an empting from taxation for a term of ten years all manufacturers of iron from Texas ores, and The Treasurer has impressed Car-Toon as be- also those of cotton and wool. Had this been ing by consanguinity an office-seeker; is ob- done, it is probable that our taxable property sected to as being by affinity a Catholic. Car would have been greater than it is now-caused Toon may have been so impressed, but Car by an increased immigration, and also from Toon's impressions may not outweigh the cour- property outside of the factories belonging to

self and satisfaction of his constituency. And is a man to be disqualified for office because he has seen proper to take as his wife a woman who believes in the Catholic doctrine?

Car Toon opens war against said officers of State. They are not members of the church, and are not representatives of temperance. The church and temperance reformers are called on church and the called on the church are called on church and the called on the ca

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thurch members: whether Protestant Christianity is to ally herself with temperance reformers and constitute a political organization. I find nothing in the conduct or teaching of the Great Teacher, or in the history of politico ecclesiastical efforts, to suggest the wisdom of such attempt.

Car Toon refers to the ridicule bestowed by many legislators upon the chaplaincy of the Senate and House, As a naem'ser of the church, I feel under lasting obligations to legislators and the press that their disgust was not expressed more strongly. The cause of religion in the capital has been more damaged by church appears and politicate the stewards with meet me at the Methodistchurch in literaham, Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, January 31st. Dear brethren, Dear tenther, De

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for office. "I am informed" that a high offi-cial wrote letters to the several members of one house, urging the interest of a certain ministe-library of a certain ministeliet us do business and work for the Lord like men. Let the brethren on circuits and missions communicate with me as to routes and facilities of travel to their several charges. H. V. Philipott, P. E.

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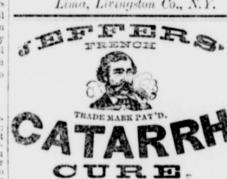
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