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ON OUR CIRCUIT.

The Missionary Secretary and circuit preacher were met at the Sherman depot by Bros. Binkley and Connor, and were welcomed in the family of Dr. Pitts, of the North Texas Female College.

Viewed from a financial standpoint, there is no enterprise more important to the material growth of a community than the establishment of a first-class institution of learning.

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The missionary anniversary on Sunday night was largely attended. The Missionary Secretary made a powerful appeal in behalf of the cause he represents.

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ity. This country is filling up rapidly. Fresh farms and new houses were visible from every hill top.

Leaving Whitesboro, we passed, by rail, for miles through large and well cultivated farms, then entered the lower cross timbers, and thence into the rich, rolling prairies drained by the Elm fork of the Trinity to Gainesville.

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brick business houses have been erected, and the number of population and volume of business has evidently enlarged.

We here parted with Dr. Wilson—he to complete the mission round at Paris and the circuit preacher turning his face towards the gulf.

We were in motion at an early hour on Saturday morning, for Bro. Binkley's quarterly meeting on Savoy circuit, which is fifteen miles distant.

The quarterly meeting was at Sears chapel, near Whitesburg. The attendance at conference was large.

Sunday night we entered the church at Sherman as Dr. Connor was announcing his hymn. He walked the circuit preacher into the pulpit, and the work of the day closed with the hour's service.

MOODY AND SANKEY.

These gentlemen reached Galveston at noon on the 21st. At a late hour in the afternoon an appointment was made for them in St. John's Church.

J. W. THORNTON, R. B. Hubbard, Thos. M. Jack and John Ireland were elected delegates from the State at large to the Cincinnati Convention.

REV. G. H. KNEBEL, of the Galveston German Mission, M. E. Church, called on us during the week. Bro. Knebel reports his work in this city as improving somewhat.

MR. M. W. MANX, of Brenham, called during the week. Bro. Manx is doing an extensive marble yard business at the beautiful little city of Junction of Santa Fe and Central roads.

MR. BEN S. ROGERS, an active attorney at Chappell Hill, and Mr. J. L. Campbell, of Travis, called at the ADVOCATE office during the week.

DR. J. M. NOE, L. Alto, Texas; J. M. Gibson, Jacksonville, Texas; Rev. B. W. Brown, Gregg county, Texas; Rev. W. J. McAnally, of Gauze, Texas; W. M. Crow, and J. B. Harper, of Henderson, Texas—all in attendance on the Democratic Convention at this place—paid the ADVOCATE office a visit.

REV. H. V. PHILPOT has been in the city the past week. He preached last Sunday, morning and night, to large audiences in St. John's church. Monday night he presided over the quarterly conference.

SUMMERFIELD, April 12.—I notice in the last issue of the ADVOCATE, that one J. Dean, of the M. E. Church, stated in a conference sermon that Gen. Grant carried with him to the White House, at his last inaugural, two swords—his own and that of Gen. Lee. This statement is astonishing to see that a man who would take upon himself the badge of Christianity, to say nothing of one who would attempt to fill the sacred stand, that such false statements should find a tinge of shame to their cheek; for Gen. Grant knew too well the high appreciation the noble Lee had for the Union sword, and in the magnanimity of his heart at that time he returned the worthy blade to the heart-broken Lee, which will forever be held as a sacred relic by the Lee family.—B. W. BROWN.

Home Again.

Leaving Huntington, Tennessee, March 31st, at 10:30 A. M., we took the train for Hickman, Kentucky, which point we reached in the afternoon.

The most inhuman, outrageous, barbarous, brutal and disgraceful article we have seen upon the subject of the Irish famine appears as an editorial in the TEXAS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE of March 23.

Monday morning we took passage on the "City of Greenville," a regular Vicksburg and Cincinnati packet.

The following day, Thursday, we came out on the East Line as far as Sulphur Springs, and thence by private conveyance to Sister Johnson's, who is a member of our charge.

From a private letter from Waco we learn that a revival has visited our church there. Speaking of the college students, the letter says: "The girls are praising God in all the rooms."

REV. J. M. GOMER, German missionary from the Evangelical Association to Galveston, called at the ADVOCATE office this week.

D. M. MURCHISON and W. W. Davis, of Crockett, called at the ADVOCATE office during the week.

A Mistake.

We frequently see what is known as the "Bell-punch-law" alluded to by the religious press as a measure to which Christianity is, in some way, committed.

It is otherwise with the Sunday-law. "Remember the Sabbath-day to keep it holy," is one of the ten sections composing the constitution adopted by the Infinite Legislator for universal man.

Mistakes: The article was not an editorial, but a news item. The language was not the ADVOCATE's, but a quotation from a Rev. Mr. Oliver, direct from Ireland, and was used, if we mistake not, on an occasion when a number of Protestants were met to discuss ways and means to relieve the distress in Ireland.

A Northern Methodist preacher, dying at Nashville, received kind, brotherly attention from the Southern Methodists—notably, Dr. McFerrin. Referring to this, a writer in the Northern Christian Advocate, of Chicago, says: "No doubt, they would treat us all with great tenderness were we sick and dying."

We thought last week Dr. Fowler must be "down with the bad disorder." He has recovered. Some disclaimer of literary truth, signing his communication "Intendant," and dating it Texas, 1879, has a column and a-half aside in the last issue of the ADVOCATE.

Station is a sure payer: wages may be delayed for a time, but they are certain to come. There is never a final disappointment. His rewards are as reliable as they are terrible.

THE Spanish Cortes decided to fix the strength of the permanent army in Cuba at forty thousand men.

MR. TILDEN is subject to paralysis, and has one eye closed; but the other optic is still on the presidency. He expects to be nominated at Cincinnati.

WE had the pleasure of a call this week from W. P. Wilson, of the Fort Worth Daily Advance. Fort Worth is seeking a connection with the Gulf coast via the Santa Fe road.

Dr. Luke's Criticism.

In a recent number of the ADVOCATE I find an article by Theophilus Luke, M. D., entitled "Oppositions of Science, Falsely So-called, Modern Criticism, So-called." In that article Dr. Luke uses the following language: "Such is the looseness with which people now speak that you often hear them say, 'that blacksmith shoes mules in a very scientific manner.'"

W. C. HUNTINGTON.

A Correction and an Explanation.

Some time since I published a card promising to send a copy of my three little books to any one who would send me ten cents. I do not know who made the mistake, but my address was given as Milledgeville instead of Gainesville, and quite a number of Texans sent their orders there.

The old Georgians in Texas, as well as all the Methodists who ever heard of him, will be sorry to hear of the death of Uncle Sam Anthony. He was one of the most wonderful men Georgia ever produced.

BISHOP WILEY, (M. E. Church)

in a recent conference talk, insisted on pastoral calls and said: "The husband will be glad to see you. The wife will be glad to see you. Woman receive you in a peculiar way, and as peculiar characters. They are free with you, more free than with men of any other calling."

All ministers and delegates attending district conference at Kosse, will be met at the depot and directed to their homes. Those coming by private conveyance will be met at the Methodist church. Those who intend to bring the wife or any one of their family, will please inform me by postal. We hope to have a good attendance.—W. T. MELTON.

When the church, whose average member lives in a good comfortable home, well furnished, has pretty much what he wants for himself and family, sends his children to school well dressed, and pays all his bills as they fall due, seems satisfied to have his minister live in a mean and uncomfortable house, poorly furnished and sadly needing paint, deny himself and family many reasonable comforts and restrict his reading and otherwise lessen his facilities for doing good, and being harassed by the fear of being unable to pay his bill, this Northern oppression of the "noble black" ought to stop somewhere.

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Sunday School.

Table with columns for Space, 1 Mo, 2 Mos, 3 Mos, 6 Mos, 1 Year and corresponding rates for advertising.

WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT—THIRD WEEK. Waxahachie sta. 21 Sunday in May. Lancaster and Wesley sta., at Lancaster, 4th Sunday in May.

There is Merit in Advertising. SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY. Georgetown, Texas, April 3, 1880. Shaw & Blaylock, Publishers.

ORGANS. The wonderful improvements that have been made in the manufacture of musical instruments, especially organs and pianos, of late, show to us that culture and refinement go hand in hand with ambition.

Waxahachie sta. 21 Sunday in May. Lancaster and Wesley sta., at Lancaster, 4th Sunday in May. Waxahachie sta. 1st Sunday in June.

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The district conference will embrace the 4th Sunday in June, beginning Thursday morning at 8 o'clock, in the new Methodist church at Ennis.

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The General Association—A Baptist Brother Explains. "It appears to us that the Association did exactly what it declared it had no right to do. It decided that in a particular local and independent church a small minority who had broken off from the pastor and the majority were following Christ, and therefore worthy of recognition; while the majority, following some other leader, were to be, as they say, disfellowshipped."

There is no man living so perfect that he does not need the charity of others. None of us have had "a perfect set of circumstances," and the wear and tear of life may have left many rough impressions on us which require very charitable judgment from our neighbors.

With due respect, I ask, from what source did you derive your information about the doings of the General Association? No matter from what source you obtained it, you have been misled, for not one single statement in the above, not even the Herald's editorial comment, is correct.

There was no act "disfellowshipping" the Link-Curry party of the Dallas church by the General Association. That party did not recognize the Association, and did not ask to be recognized by the Association; and no tears were shed over their peculiar dislike for the General Association.

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HOW TO GET WELL.

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A terrible lesson of the evils of the trashy juvenile literature which the country is flooded with was taught in Philadelphia one day recently, when a gang of little thieves was arrested, a gang in which the oldest member was said to be not yet in his teens.

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ter in the Holy Spirit. Their high and holy work is to unstop the ears of the deaf, that men may hear the voice of mercy, the sweet sounds of grace and the melody of Gospel kindness.

ONE man is no more than another, only inasmuch as he does more than another.

Persons of sedentary habits, often suffer with kidney affections. Irritating men and overwork are fruitful causes of diseases of the kidneys.

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The brakeman who went to church. To me comes the brakeman, and sitting himself down on the arm of the seat, "I went to church yesterday."

"Which do you go to?" he asked. "Some union mission church," I hazarded. "New?" he said. I don't like to go on these branch roads very much.

"Narrow gauge," he said, "all palce cars and \$2 extra for a seat, fast time and only stops at the big stations. Nice line, but too exhaustive for a brakeman."

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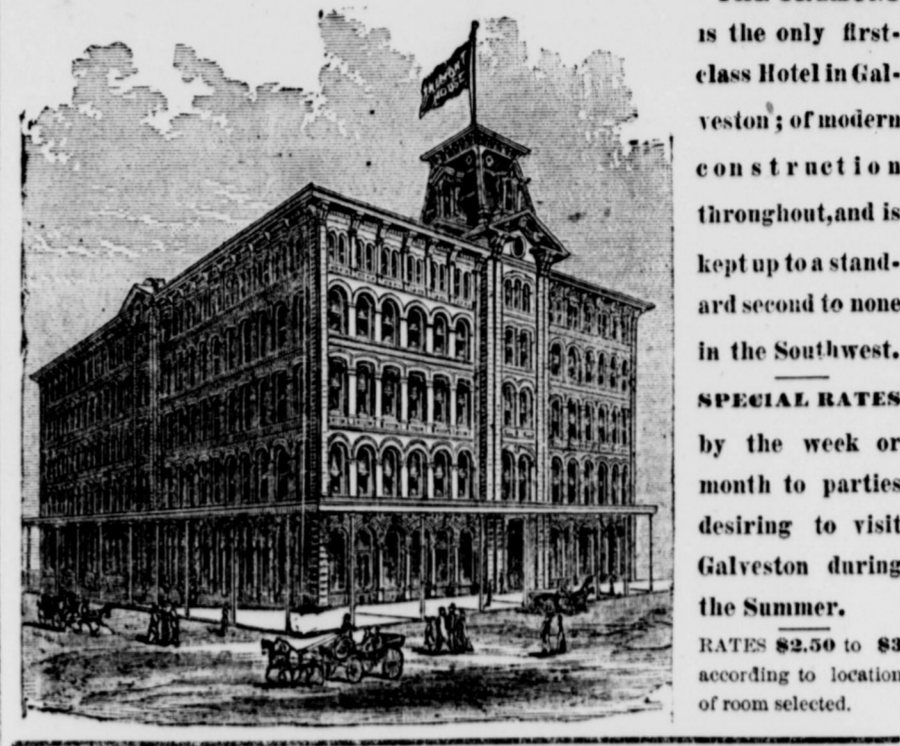
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THE "PAY-AS-YOU-GO" POLICY.

Its Rise and Fall—The First Cabinet and Who Composed It—Pungent Paragraphs—Political Piteousness—Some Moral Obligations—Gone to Protest—More Nonsense by Car Toon.

Thou hast seen a farmer's dog bark at a beggar And the creature run from the cur? There thou might'st behold the great image of authority!

A dog's dog in office!

It is an extremely simple-minded person who imagines the "pay-as-you-go" policy is of recent origin. Some again, with show of reason, claim that the policy came into popularity only about eighteen hundred years ago; when it was laid down as a moral law that if a man owed Caesar...

Adam was the first governor. Office-seekers were not as thick then as now—nor does there seem to have been as much prejudice against women voting and holding office. So a Miss Eve—very comely and a wretched young lady—was elected lieutenant-governor.

The governor had everything his own way; was under only one restriction. There was a particular kind of fruit in his kingdom that he signed an obligation not to deal in. Independent of this he was free of obligations; not even a lawyer-politician dared slap him familiarly on the shoulder and say: "Gov., you must commute that vile wretch who is under sentence of death. He is my client!"

But to show the reader there has been an increase of current expenses by the present administration, the following is quoted from the Comptroller: "There has been no decrease in the expenditures for the year ending February 29, 1880, as compared with the previous year; a reduction has, however, been made in several items of appropriation, such as the appropriations for frontier schools, public schools, pensions, for conv. ing prisoners to the penitentiary, and for the several departments; but in the aggregate there has been no reduction of expenses."

Disbursements in payment of current expenses, from March 1, 1878 to March 1, 1879, were \$1,215,717.20. From March 1, 1879 to March 1, 1880, 1,630,524.17. Increase in first year of Governor Roberts' administration, \$414,806.97. March 1, 1879 there were deficiencies in the various appropriations, aggregating \$400,000. The legislature paid these in five-year warrants, drawing four per cent. These four per cent. warrants have been redeemed, except in the neighborhood of \$296,800. This amount has been exchanged for five per cent. bonds running thirty years. This draws an annual interest of \$14,840.69—\$445,220.70 interest in thirty years. At the time these four per cent. warrants were changed for five per cent. thirty year bonds, there were over \$200,000 in the treasury. This was sufficient to have canceled the four per cent. warrants, and left over \$130,000 in the treasury.

GOV. ADAM'S PAPER WENT TO PROTEST! This is the first instance wherein the "pay-as-you-go" policy was violated—and from that date to the present time, the general policy of officials has been versus the system. From that day to this, it has also been the custom of officials to shift responsibility for crimes upon other officials—notably upon predecessors. The first violators of the policy were sorely punished—but history proves this a glaring exception.

When, however, it is desired to manufacture an election "boom," and improve a reputation for honesty, economy, etc., then are gigantic efforts made to impress voters that some particular magnate has gone back to the beautiful law that from the first governed all God's creatures—man excepted.

It is upon this "pay-as-you-go" policy that the present Texas administration expects to perpetuate its power. Now I do not wish to be understood as writing against Gov. Roberts or his administration. It is not the correct theory now to write for or against men. What we want is truth. We want to know when a nice, red, political apple is held up to our eyes, that it does not contain a rotten core—and we want the privilege of bursting it wide open to see. Let us look at this apple. I believe it is very rotten. In order to get at the core, let us read some PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

Does the cashier who honors the checks of creditors deserve praise for merely paying money over the counter? If the bank's deposits are far in excess of its disbursements, is the "balance" on hand due to the financial acumen of the cashier? It strikes one it was the excess in the Texas revenue, sent in by tax-collectors, that enabled the present administration to "pay-as-you-go."

According to recent statements of the press, credited to the Comptroller, the revenue from March 1, 1878, to March 1, 1879, was \$1,829,096.75. From March 1, 1879 to March 1, 1880, 2,786,186.71. Balance in favor of 1879-80, \$957,089.96. If it does not strike the reader, from a business point of view, that a man with the advantage of \$829,096 ought to go further toward the "pay-as-you-go" policy? But from this excess of revenue, we only have about \$200,000 in the treasury to "bring over"—and the tale not yet ended.

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The law contemplates gradual decrease, by sinking fund, of bonded debt. Is it "pay-as-you-go" to increase it? Financially speaking, is it "pay-as-you-go" to increase instead of reducing expenses? To increase instead of reducing the bonded debt? To refuse payment to the creditors of the State in order to pile up a cash balance in the treasury? To deprive a large number of children of the benefits of education in order to raise revenue to "pay-as-you-go" and then fall to do it?

Has the present administration paid its moral and temperance debts to the people. Whenever Governor Roberts causes the intimation of the bell-punch, does he not default in payment of a just debt to his constituency? Whenever, by appointment, he has given office to a moral leper—though it be for political influence—has not his moral obligation gone to protest?

On the other hand, is not the present cry of "pay-as-you-go" a mere catch phrase of demagogues? Is it not a sign of our political weakness and the people's want of good judgment that officials no sooner enter one term of office than begin the work of manufacturing hobbles upon which to ride into succeeding favors?

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Nearly six thousand persons, who prefer farming to soldiering, left Germany last week for the United States.

Rev. Dr. A. M. Shipp, of Vanderbilt University, is to write the History of South Carolina Methodism.

The amount of postage stamps, stamped envelopes, and postal cards issued to postmasters upon requisitions during the first nine months of the present fiscal year aggregate in value \$23,929,355, an increase over the issues for the corresponding nine months of the previous fiscal year of \$3,016,622, or about 14 1/2 per cent. The greatest increase is in the sale of postal cards.

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