Texas Christian Advocate

TON, TEXAS, AS SECOND-CLASS MATTER.

ONE YEAR .. SIX MONTHS THREE MONTHS.

county, date. Many often leave out the county. Very few people are so familiar with the State countyis given. When out of cards, notify us.

HACKBERRY, Lavaca Co., April 26 .- I think my circuit is improving some. Preached twice yesterday to very attentive congregations; baptized four little children; took up a missionary collection-got \$25 in money and subscriptions, which is all good. We are getting dry again; farmers wishing for rain. Crops are fine, and the prospects for rain is good; had a light think .- J. F. DENTON.

PEED'S MILL, Kaufman Co., April 28 .- Have just returned from a short visit to Henderson and Anderson counties. Found Bro. T. P. Smith at his post on the Athens circuit; also, Bro. L. latter preach last Sabbath. It is a real treat for an itinerant to hear some one else preach. We which was much needed. Crop prospects good. We, as a church, are not doing as well as we might-are hoping and praying for a revival .-

BELLE PLAIN MISSION, Callahan Co., April 27. -Our second quarterly conference was held on the 24th and 25th; official attendance good. the Holy Spirit, and we were all revived in SMITH. spirit. God was with us. Our finances are very low, only \$22 75 collected this year for preacher

sions. Sunday schools at several appointments | We want twenty Apvocates for this office this doing well. The revival last year took a con- year .- J. W. LIVELY. servative tendency—ome Presbyterians, Baptists and Campbellites having joined our church

Courtney, Grimes Co., May 3.—We have been

Resolved, We, the officers and members of the church at McKenzie chapel, do most heartily

parall says: "I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jess."
This should be the lofty aim of every 'rue preacher. The grand object and sim of the goopel ministry is to labor for the salvation of souls, and not to win fine gold watches. May he Marter help us to preach "Christ and the resurrection."—W. W. Horner.

Bernutz, Elik County, April 20.—I closed my school at Garden Valley last Friday, preached to an overflowing house on Stunday morning, after which the majority present coveranted to an overflowing house on Stunday morning in which we felt the spirit of God was with us. We organized a Sunday, which fifty-four members, which sow numbers about eighty. God blosx, the Unique people of Garden Valley in their onward and spread manner. Was truly sorry that circemus ances would not admit of us remaining longer with them, hough we hope to see them again. The prospects for good crops are as fine as lever sew. Some are working their cotton; others are planting. The leads of wheat are waving a neouragement over the verdant fields, and isonding joy and gladness to the hearts of the sopple. Had a glorious rain last night, which same in the season for the farmers. We want he medium goly and gladness to the hearts of the sopple. Had a glorious rain last night, which same in the season for the farmers. We want he peekes, one of which was delivered by exorem Hubbard. We anticipate having a flay-day celebration of the an inversary of the Odd Fellows of Waxalachie ast Monday, where we heard several fine peekes, one of which was delivered by exorem Hubbard. We anticipate having a flay-day celebration of the stunday and fliterary schools and council, where we exceed the evening—J. D. Crockert.

POSTAL CARDS.—Will the brethren head their but for the glory of God and the interest of publications in the following order: Postoffice, Texas Methodism. These motives are surely

M. Fowler on the Kickapoo circuit. Heard the of one to draw, or cause to be drawn, a suitable Our presiding elder preached in the power of fray the expenses of the movement.-Wesley

in charge and presiding elder-preacher filling tiful; house with five rooms; a new cistern has thirteen appointments monthly and working also been added, all in the midst of a fine for his living during the week. Crop prospects growing country, an energetic and thrifty peo-

circuit; very interesting times; some conver- send you several subscribers from this place.

court need at two or three places. Second quarterly conference will convene Saturday week; anxious to see the elder and brethren in conference once more.—B. T. Hayes.

Lancaster, Dallas County, April 27.—Colonel Daniel Daily died to-day of heart disease. He fell from his chair dead. Col. D. was one of Lancaster's best citizens. His loss will be felt by Lancaster. He was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, May 10th, 1811. He came to Texas when but fifteen years of age, where he resided till the day of his death. He was one of the largest land-owners in Northern Texas.—S. Ashby.

Courtney, Grimes Co., May 3.—We have been blessed with a glorious meeting at this place. Resolved, We, the officers and members of the church happens at this place. Resolved at the action of the lift he play and hope they will be faithfully executed. Resolved. We will not support for office any one who is an habitual drunkard, gambler and swearer. He was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, May 10th, 1811. He came to Texas when but fifteen years of age, where he resided till the day of his death. He was one of the list heard on the fidth of April, and closed yesterday; and now we call upon our many friends to rejoice with us. It was a hard fight between the religion of Jesus Christ and the powers of datkness, but bless the name of the Lord, God of Israel, He was true to His promise. He heard our prayers, and granted at this place. Resolved. We, the officers and members of the church happen. Resolved at this place. Resolved at this place. Resolved at this place. Resolved at this place. Resolved at the sundary and hope they will be faithfully executed. Resolved the action of the Sundary and hope they will be faithfully executed. Resolved to the sundary and hell punch laws, and hope they will be faithfully executed. Resolved the action of the Sundary and hope they will be faithfully executed. Resolved the action of the Sundary and hope they will be faithfully executed. Resolved the action of the Sundary and hope they will be faithfully execu

all connected with the fell-destroyer, by prophibiting the traffic entirely? Suppose we try it?"—ADVOCATE of April 24th.

I second the motion. Let us try it. But who will put the ball in motion? I suggest that the Rev. James Younge be appointed a committee of one to draw, or cause to be drawn, a suitate of the State of Texas; and that it be printed and every preacher in the State, of every denomination, and every temperance organization be farmished with a copy and requested to obtain subscribers. We can present a petition by commencing in time, of several hundreds of thousands. Such a one our law-makers will not dare to disregard. Let Bro, Younge lift the collections among the friends of temperance to define the expenses of the movement.—Wesley SMITH.

MESQUIT, Dallas County, April 27th.—We occupy the new parsonage. The location is beautiful; house with five rooms; a new cistern has also been added, all in the midst of a fine growing country, an energetic and thrifty people. Lynn church will rank soon among the law the law of th

for his living during the week. Crop prospects are rather gloomy; wheat in places is dying, and bring us safely through these trying times.

—GEO. W. RILEY.

TROUTE, Smith Co., May 1.—Have had fine rains. Crop prospects good. Feach trees that were thought to be dead, in bloom. This seems to be general pic-nic day, from the buttle lees around. If the hearts of the people are as cloudy and cold as the morning is, there will be but little fun. The Abvocars comes dressed up this morning. If the people grumble now, just let them grumble. All reasonable people will be satisfied. Overton and Troupe circuit is not "flat on its back," but looking up. Give us more nonsense, Car Toon.—R. M. Baker.

PILOT GROVE, Grayson Co., April 28.—The prospects are encouraging on this circuit. At one place we had an old-fashioned class meeting. Frayer-meetings at nearly every place on the circuit; very interesting times; some conversions, Sunday schools at several appointments.

Lancsater's best citizens. His boss will be fell by Lancsater. He was born in Philadelphais, Pennsylvania, May 10th, 1811. He came to Texas—when but fifteen years of ace, where he resided till the day of his death. He was one of the largest land-owners in Northern Texas—SAHBY.

GOER, Fannin County, May 1st.—Cool and seasonable. A good rain. Crops looking will be seasonable. A good rain. Crops looking well-people in good spirits for a good time this fall. Candidates about, shaking hands. May compeople be very careful just at this crisis and put the right man in the right place. Sunday school interest reviving since spring opened. The wilder of the prace—In the seasonable of the seasonable of the prace—In the season of the prace—In the season of the prace—In the season of the s

Movement.

"The devil was in the ancient Baal, and we are ready to believe he has simply changed his orthography a trifle, and now makes it Ball! Base Ball, Charity Ball, Masked Ball, Ba

This is bright Easter morn, And from the golden east The joyous day is born Which gives to hope a feast.

On every hill I see The glinting sunlight lies; From every flower and tree A gladsome anthem flice

The blackbird trills his notes Of richest melody; And from each flower float

All this fair world is bright

Faith's feathery wing is light, 'Tis spring, and from the ground-From every bush and tree, Where life and peace abound,

Peace reigns in earth and sky

The cold, dead torpors flee. The south wind, soft and sweet With fragrance of the rose

And woos to calm repose All things are full of life. New born from Winter's womb With notes that scatter gloom

By His own strength and power And won this joyful hour.

To-day the Lord arose.

Like as a conqueror comes. Whom not a foe withstood

Crowned with precious spoil. He leads the way to heaven.

The ancient dead, the saints The young, and children fair. The longing soul that faints He leads to lasting chains-

Gehenna, death, the grave And now the God-head reigns

For Christ has crushed the head Of him who guards the door,

The dreamless sleep of death. Despair's cold, chilling breath Dear friends have dropt away.

Dear children long have slept.

Worn-out by toil and pain : For they shall live again.

I know not where 'twill be-That home is out of sight, But 'twill from care be free Any full of love and light Jesus, the Lard, has said :

And hall the appointed day Down from the golden sky. To racet him on the road,

" I am the truth, the way

With them to-day we sing. And shout our sorrows o'er And from each tuneful string Leaps praise forever more.

And shout their joy abroad

To Thee, thou God of love, Who broke the gates of death; We consecrate each breath. To Christ, who came to save

The dead, and all who die;

Transcends the azure sky. To Christ, your anthems raise. To Christ, your captain, king,

Shout forth your rapturous praise, Your choicest offerings bring.

ANYNORE, Case County, April 29—70 Providence

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The directors of the Connecticut River Rail road have passed an order in superintendent "to summarily employe on any train who is known to use in-toxicating liquors while on duty, or who is known to have been intoxicated while on duty."

The physicians of Paris are engaged in wag

What then f Why then another pilgrim song. And then a hush of rest divinely granted And then a thirsty stage (ah me ! so long.) But then a brook just where it most is wanted

What then? The pitchings of the evening tent; And then perchance a pillow rough and thorny But then some sweet and tender message sent For the TEXAS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE. To cheer the faint one for to-morrow's journey.

> The wailing of the midnight wind. A feverish sleep, a heart oppressed and aching But then a little water cruse to find Close by your pillow, ready for your waking.

Why, be not careful to inquire, There may be tears, there may be sorrow; But then a loving Savior drawing nigher, And saying. " I will answer for the morrow. What then?

For all your sins His pardoning grace

And Christ's own hand to lead you in your atoning merit of Christ for its ob-

What then? A shadowy valley, lone and dim; And then a deep and darkly rolling river; And then—a flood of light—a scraph hymn— And-Heaven forever !

THERE is food for reflection in times is something more than rethe remarks recently made by a pentance, and leads to a change of Nevada prison convict on the occa- relation with God, and to a wonsion of an address from the chap- derful transformation of character. lain on the subject of the "Policy The penitent is burdened with a tion was held up before a "con- and dominion of sin. Paul's clivicted" audience, and its sentiment | max applies to him: "O wretched urged with the usual eloquence, man that I am! Who shall deliver when a convict requested that he me from the body of this death?' might be heard. His request being Looking to the crucified Saviour, granted, he proceeded to show how grasping the atonement by faith, dangerous and delusive was the the penitent enters into life, exdoctrine of "honesty is the best pol- claming: "I thank God through icy," and how a man who was only Jesus Christ our Lord,"-New Orhonest from policy was not honest leans Advocate. at all. The convict believed that the man who was honest only from polthan the convicted companions photographs of the four preachers and he does not steal simply be. A loving word was spoken for each these crimes they had not looked the church. There is a point here ing goodness or badness. Had they see it .- Nashville Advocate. pursued a stictly politic course Rains extending all over the they might have abstained from State are reported in Kansas. serving out long sentences." He who is not honest from a settled principle, who does not do right A BILL has passed the New York nothing and seeks no reward. He drawn, depressing Wall Street in-

church will convene in Evansville, will be to effect an improvement in Ind., May 20.

BISHOP DOGGETT is not in good health. He has, until recently, been preaching every Sunday, but it is thought best for him to forego the labor for a time.

In concluding extradition treaties hereafter, Germany will insist on the inclusion of regicides as among the offenders to be surrendered on demand.

Those who apply themselves wholly to little things, are sure to catch the littleness.

Those who apply themselves sold by THOMPSON, SCHOTT & CO. Galvestor and Dallas, Texas; and L. H. BRUNSWIG

THE St. Louis Advocate contains a strong article upon the rights of critics. The article is condemnatory of the many harsh epithets applied to Dr. Kelly because of his recent caustic criticism of the Southern Quarterly Review. The Advocate says: "The late Bishop Andrew sometimes spoke and wrote of what he called 'Mutual Admiration Societies' in the church; societies we suppose founded on the old couplet:

If such exist the sooner they are disbanded the better. The more sincerely and ardently a man loves the church, the more faithfully will he study and try to promote its true interests. He will with a godly jealousy watch and scrutinize all its publications and all the acts and doings of its officials, and forgetting or ignoring self, will devote his energies to the defense and promotion of church interests, for the sake of the church and the glory of God.

Let no one decry fair, manly, criticism. It is the purifier of literature. If it be just, the authors as well as the public will be advantaged; if unjust, the critic when made aware of the fact will be benefited. So in either case it is to be approved. If an author squirm under just criticism, and is offended, it evinces that his pride of opinion dominates his love of truth: if he shrink from it, he thereby exhibits literary cowardice, or lack of confidence in his own productions. Let criticism go on; but let it all be open, fair, just, dignified and manly-" peaceable, gentle, easy to be entreated, full of mercy, without partiality, and without

hypocrisy." FAITH, as connected with repentance is apprehended, perhaps, in this way; Repentance is that state or condition of mind or heart in which saving faith in Christ is exercised. In order to repentance, there must be assent to some vital truths, such as the existence, holiness and justice of God, and of the future life and accountability. And there is in it some conception of Christ as the Saviour of world. In connection with this belief or assent, the Holy Spirit convinces of sin, and works repentance in the heart. But up to this point there has been no actual trust in Christ, or reliance upon Him as a personal Saviour. Whatever faith | tirely of or belief there is in repentance, the For all your wants and wees His loving kind- faith which is the condition of justification comes after, and is a spe-For darkest shades the shining of God's face, cific exercise of faith having the ject, and resulting at once in the pardon and regeneration of the oul. The order is: "Repent and believe the Gospel," "repentance toward God, and faith in our Lord Jesus Christ." The faith that jus-The familiar quota- sense of guilt, and under the power

In a Methodist family was seen icy was in some respects worse even an album in which there were the about him. "Such a man" said the who had in their turn been the convict, "has not the nerve to steal, pastors of the church in the town. and he does not steal simply because he believes stealing would be and all of them by the parents, bad policy and might result in his arrest and incarceration. These meen in jail had had the nerve to household respected the minisbad policy and might result in his and no invidious comparisions men in joil had had the nerve to household respected the minischeat and steal and commit a va- terial character, reverenced all sariety of crimes. In committing cred things, and were members of at mere questions of policy regard. for Christian parents, if they will

crime and preserved their liberty. There had been neither rain nor The men who had done so are not snow in some sections since last in jail. Many of these are as dishon- November, and the farmers had alest in their hearts as some who are most abandoned hope of a harvest this year.

because it is right, is not honest and legislature taxing foreign capital does not do right at all. The man in that State. As a consequence, who is honest from principle fears many millions are being withnothing and seeks no reward. He is contented in the fact that "virtue is its own reward."

The fiftieth General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian of the Cumberland Presbyterian will see the content of the content of the content of the content of the chief tasks of the new cabinet will see the content of the chief tasks of the new cabinet will see the content of the chief tasks of the new cabinet will see the content of the chief tasks of the new cabinet will see the content of the chief tasks of the new cabinet will see the content of the chief tasks of the new cabinet will see the content of the chief tasks of the new cabinet will see the chief tasks of the new cabinet will be to content to the chief tasks of the new cabinet will be to content to the chief tasks of the new cabinet will be to content to the chief tasks of the new cabinet ta

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ectually cured.
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the heart falling of the womb and dropsy, an obtained no relief from abotors' treatment. short trial of your great Indian Blood Syrup en tirely cured me. SARAH A. SAWYER.

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Dear Sir—My little boy, two years old, was severely afflicted with indigestion, and the use of your Indian Blood Syrup effectually relieved him, after doctors and all other medicine failed.

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Newton, Newton Co,
Dear Sir—I can testify to the viriue of your
Indian Blood Syrup. I was afflicted with discases peculiar to my sex for many years, and I
have derived more benefit from your valuable
Syrup than from any other medicine I ever
tried. It has also cured my little daughter of the
piles and seat worms, MRS. MARY WHITMAN.

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Carterville, Parker Co.
Dear Sir—I have used your excellent Indian
Blood Syrup for liver complaint, spinal affection and fits, and find it has done me more good
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MRS. MARY CANTEN.
Prepumeria Cured.

MRS. MARY CANTES.

Pneumonia Cured.
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Dear Sir—I had a severe cough and Affection
of the Lungs. I tried numerous medicines, but
found no relief until I used your Indian Blood
syrup, which entirely cured me.
Fr. W. FULTON. For Scrofula. Palestine, Anderson Co.

Fear Sir—This is to certify that your Indian Blood Syrup has cured my little daughter, six ears old, of scrofula. It is a splendid Blood Curifier. MRS. MARY HALLUM. Purifier. MRS. MARY HALLUM.

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try your Indian Blocd Syrup, which gave her
relief, after eminent physicians and medicines
had failed. I can safely recommend it to all
sufferers from chronic disease. G. B. LAFTIN.

Chills and Fever.

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Homer, Angelina Co.

Dear Sir—This is to certify that your valuable
Indian Blood Syrup has cured my little daughter of chills and fever of eight months' standing, when everything else failed. It is the best
Blood Furifier known.

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A Valuable Medicine.

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to perfect health. It is the best remedy in the
werle for children. C. M. MIDDLETON.

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Afflicted with dyspepsia for twenty years, and
was unable to keep my food on my stomach,
throwing it up after eating it. The use of your
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Sick Headache Cured.

Dear Sir—The use of your reliable in tian Rloed Syrup has cured me of sick headachs, which troubled me for several years.

MRS. COTTINGHAM.

the chief tasks of the new cabinet will be to effect an improvement in the affairs of Turkey.

An inmate of the lunatic asylum at Richmond, Va., killed his noommate because he "smelled like ried ham."

DIPLOMATIC relations between France and Mexico, suspended since 1862, have been resumed.

Those who apply themselves

will satisfy the mext prejudiced period of the control of the

A Child Voyager.

half of the world's purest joys, their gave her a half dollar. next day when we had dropped way of life. our paper, and entering one of An old Baltimore negro, who had emigre ing as not to even be heard in |9 breathing. Such a head of dark it in his family. brown hair, lying all loose over her shoulders, back and face, we never beheld; features as if the choice of an artist from a thousand beauties; Leagues that have lengthened as the slow the openings in a world of beauty, and her form was in beautiful

spect.

And wearily o'er leagues untraversed Which I must traverse ere I gain the document of the spect. That shuts not night nor day. What he adaption to the ideal of her face. Than to find rest at last in that last bed?" We could hardly wait for her to wake, for we felt sure she was the lonely child of whom we had heard the night before, and were impation for the history of this interesting but solitary voyager across! seemed to be shrinking from waking her, as if she was an angel whose repose it would be irreverent to disturb. Said he, "Whose child is this?" No one could tell. He turned away and went on gathering his tickets. When he had fin-

awake. He stopped and said: " Whose little girl are you? "Mamma's," said she, looking trustingly in his face.

" Where is your mamma? Show me where she is?" Said she gently, "Mamma is not

on the cars; she is in heaven." The gentlemanly conductor grew more intently anxious, and said:

But you have a father aboard?" Mamma used to tell me about him.

And where did your papa and

little carling?

" From the same place, sir."
" Not from Ireland.?"

" Yes sir." " Who came with you?"

The conductor, in surprise, said: You did not come all the way

from Ireland by yourself?" aunty prayed for me, and told God of the ship; and she kissed me and people on the deck took me and too. made me sleep by them till I got to New York, and then took me in the railroad station, and a nice old gentleman with a white beard got my ticket. Here it is, sir, -- opening a queer, old-fashioned Irish littler hand into the pocket-book, Bucgrus, Ohio, Courier, Feb. 13, 1879. cause the people would all be kind to a little stranger orphan girl. And he said when I wanted anything to hat. Are you the man? "Yes; what do you want, my

little pet?"

if you please. "I will, indeed. I had a little

She is in heaven, ain't she? She will see my papa and mamma, won't she?'

turned away.

By this time half a dozen men that could be made. had gathered around the child, no women being in the car, else what

Kearney."

supplies, until there was more than Texas Christian Advocate the child could carry. An old gentleman, about eighty years of age, said he would take care of her as Children furnish more than one- said he had nothing to eat, so he

beautiful deeds breaking in upon She became more and more a us oftentimes as a delightful sur- theme of interest for hundreds of prise; and stupid would we be if miles, until we seemed to have forwe failed to be aroused from life's gotten the space, when the cry, torpor by their presence; their 'East St. Louis!' revealed the fact deeds and their expression of them. that to some of us at least the As we stepped upon the platform journey had ended. We parted of the cars on our way West in the from this dear child in tenderness middle of the night, we heard a and prayers, for she was fast asleep, man say, "Here is a little girl, with her little testament, which Will not somebody take care of she could read, in her pale hand; her?" Somebody responded, and all regretted that she could not we thought no more of it until the journey on with them along the

the other ears we saw the sweetest to Liberia years ago, ordered a quantity of Dr. little child form we every looked Bull's Cough Syrup a short time ago, stating upon, fast asleep, so soundly sleep- that although Coughs and Colds were not fre quent in Africa he would not like to be without

the earth. After a while the con
A few years ago a little fellow bodily appearance that sickness to be, go out and select the smallductor stood over her, as if drawn was taken by his father to a car-would shortly ensue, and might est cloud you see. Keep your eye the master, who was one of the of that, it is the pastor, a man en- ed by fine weather; but if it insuppose you can eat 'most any- who is supposed to be able, from with you, if you are going from thing, can't you? I always make looking over his congregation on home, for falling weather will not my boys live on what they don't Sundays, to be ieve that Mr. A. will be far off. The reason is this: when ished he came back and she was like."—"I love everything but be sick on Monday, Mrs. B. will be the air is becoming charged with mince-pie and apple-pie," was the ill on Tuesday. Mr. C. will sprain electricity, you will see every cloud boy's instant reply.

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" Blessed are they."—Ps. exix. 2

times. Aristotle describes them to be able to tell that there is sick. Uncle John broke in with the dec-"No, sir; my father is in heaven The Socratic school defined happiness without any information. | laration "that there was not any a long time ago. When I was a ness to be good fortune in conjunc-

MR. PHILIP REMLINGER, an old subscriber o our paper and well known in the whole surrounding country, informed us the other day, that his wife, who for two weary years had suffered with Rheumatism in the shoulder, during which time she had been treated by several carpet-sack, and pulling out an old physicians without success, had been completewoolen petticoat and putting her ly cared by a single bottle of St. Jacobs Ou .-

tied with a piece of soiled, linen WHEN Queen Elizabeth rode his whole week to this latter emtape-here it is; he gave it to me through London, on her way from ployment can have little time to and told me not to be afraid, be- the Tower to be crowned at West- prepare for the pulpit; and he who minster Abbey, at one stage of her does, or undertakes to do, all three, to represent Truth, was let down quite as well. Hence the disapask the man with a band on his from a triumphal arch, and pre- pointment. it is as if a man un-This was received by the Queen, law and edit a daily paper. That "I want you to take care of me, declared "that, of all the endearing pastors in the large churches of that day met with from her loving Magazine. girl about as large as you, but she subjects, this gift she considered as Horston's ACID PROSPRATE gives speedy the most precious, as it was to her, benefit for night sweats of consumption. It

> illness appears, will prove the best investment the last and crowning dispensation house, to be used according to directions when

woman's heart but would have ner to a woman is very pleasing, as it was, was only provisional. It rough, good-hearted souls, and all seemed to be fidgety to do some, gives it is unaccompanied by masseemed to be fidgety to do something for this strange, beautiful child. One turned up a tag which was fastened to a ribbon around her neck, and on it was written:

"Effic Mc—— of Ireland: and it is unaccompanied by massement to be fidgety to do something for this strange, beautiful culine courage, or by an undue value for herself. In general, the manners will be free from any painful degree of constraint, when Spirit, and unless we receive the saw this adv. rtisement in.

Sash. Blinds. Doors, Mouldings. Flooring. Cond. All the soul. God, who was manifest in the flesh, is now manifested by the manners will be free from any painful degree of constraint, when Spirit, we are in spite of all the saw this adv. rtisement in. her reck, and on it was written:

"Effie Mc—, of Ireland; aged the mind is not engaged upon self, Christ has done and suffered for seven years; is on her way to her or occupied with the idea of excit- us, "without God or hope in the aunt, Mrs. Mc---, Fort Kearney, ing attention and admiration from world." We need to preach Christ United States of America. Kind those around. Affectation has its in all his offices; and when we do friend, be kind to this child. She origin from these sources; and this, this we shall preach the Holy Ghost was her mother's darling, who died besides being a symptom of a weak in all his offices—as the agent of on the 11th day of De ember, 1878. mind, is entirely destuctive of good our awakening, conviction, and remanners. Good sense and simplicity of manners are generally companions, forming a natural gentility, which is far preferable to any artificial politeness, inasmuch as the open is a part of the inasmuch as the open is a part of the inasmuch as the constant relief, and in most cases effects a permanent cure. It is the cheapest medicine known; for the patient very seldom, and only in old, chronic cases, uses more than one bottle to recover perfect health.

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complaints of his people. One form See "Proverbs" in another column. of this annoyance is the complaint churches people sicken, and some of her head. times recover, and then go sulking through the church six months, until at last it is discovered that cience which is so intolerable.

A physician passing among t the sick folk, never goes till he is sent to pieces and dissolving. Several theories about happiness divided the wisest men of olden to come without being sent for, and about mistakes in courtship, when the series of the several theories about happiness about happiness to come without being sent for, and about mistakes in courtship, when the series of the series

little baby he was in the army. tion with virtue; the Stoics thought eral observation that there seems ever makes any mistake worth it consisted in independence of to us to be something wrong in our mentioning in court-hip. It's af-She called him her poor soldier life; the Epicureans considered it boy."

If the Epicureans considered it modern church-life, or at least that ter the courtship's over and the boy."

A. H. SWANSON.

Golf Sup. ant, accompanied by security; be remedied. So many people join hurtful mistakes begin." "Well, maryma live?"

"In Ireland, sir," speaking more gently, as if not quite sure it was best to tell him.

"Where did you come from, my what's the moral?"

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"The I almist says, "Blessed it. The I almist says, "Blessed it. T "Where did you come from, my are they that keep His testimonies, be incorporated into its companies Why. I spose the moral is, keep on and that seek Him with the whole and regiments, in order to give ef- courtin'!"

And both Jesus was called, and His disciples, to the marriage.—St. John ii. 2.

It was an opportunity for Him gelist bishop, and a teacher bishop acquaintance, the other day, while "Nobody sir, but God. He kept me on the sea when it was awful stormy, and I was so sick I thought I would die."

It was an opportunity for Him to show the true character of His religion; for He had already begun His work. Would He now forsake and despise the relationships and a teacher bishop, and a teacher bishop, and a teacher bishop acquaintance, the other day, while busily engaged in sewing. Here I have worked just twenty minutes and despise the relationships and another to go out, leading forth as and despise the relationships and another to go out, leading forth as joys of life, that He might lead many of the church as he can, to men to the better life to come? bring in those who are outside, out. Finally, I got it threaded, and Or would He show them that beating up recruits and training now, after sewing on this button Yes, sir, God was with me; my amidst these joys and blessings the them for the service; and a third to now, after sewing on this button way to heaven might still be preach to those inside and outside good and strong, I find I've got it to take care of me, on the forecastle found? He answered the question the church, giving his whole time when He accepted the invitation: to that one work. As it is now, said, 'Precious pet, don't be afraid, and Jesus at the feast shows that these three functions are expected for God has told me he is going we may be, and ought as His disto be discharged by one man. with you all the way; and some ciples to be, cheerful and happy Whoever that man is, and however large his capabilities of discharging duties in these three departments, it is quite certain that he will excel in one. A man who devotes himself to personal care of hundreds of members of a church will have little time to go out amongst men of the world and endeavor to bring them into the Church of God. He who devotes progress a beautiful boy, intended cannot hope to do any of them sented her with a copy of the Bible. dertook to practice medicine and who placed it in her bosom, and is just what is often expected of proofs of attachment which she had our cities .- Frank Leslie's Sunday

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of sick people that the pastor does not visit them. The invalid who not visit them. The invalid who where the present rage for trimis a member of a church ought to ming bonnets with birds is going to know that he has no friend in the end. Only four or five years ago he world more ready to come to see bought his daughter a humminghim than the pastor. He ought to bird; next year she wanted a robin, be the parishoner of a pastor of the next a pheasant, and this seassuch a character as to be the most desirable man for the sick man to his Thanksgiving turkey or she'd see; and yet, through all the large have had that perched on the top weakness, calls for Hop Bitters.

A Notable Cure. EAST ORANGE, N. J., Oct. 8, 1877. Some three months ago I found myself sufferthe ground of their grumbling is ing with Bright's disease-Albuminuria. By that the paster had not visited the use of a reliable test I found albumen in the them when they were sick. It is this senseless demand of omnissiances in a coagulated state. I suffered from dropsy, particularly about the ankles, slight This naturally brings up the pains about the kidneys, a derangement of digestion, great dryness of the skin, and at times much juestion, whether the pastor ought | thirst and, of course, gradual falling of strength. to go to see sick people until he is. This was about the state of things when I comsent for. What right has a whole menced using the safe Kidney and Liver Cur congregation to suppose that the paster knows of sickness when no eddedly improved, and at the end of two weeks human being ever presumed upon the physician's having that knowl- Having imprudently taken cold I had a very edge? It would be less unreasonable to make this latter supposition.

families in which he has patients Weather Wisdom.-When you Between St. Louis & Houston Too MANY FOR THE CARPENTER. might begin to suspect from some wish to know what the weather is penter to be bound apprentice to therefore be expected to go around upon it, and if it decreases and him after the fashion of those in due time to see if the suspected disappears, it shows a state of the times. In settling the business, persons were really sick. Instead air which will be sure to be followstiff kind, observed, "Well, boy, I gaged in qui e different studies, creases in size take your great coat his ankle on We lnesday, Mrs.D.'s attracting all lesser ones toward it. child will have the measles on until it gathers into a shower, and Thursday, and so on through the on the contrary, when the fluid is week. The physician, whose busi- passing off, or diffusing itself, then ness it is especially to look after a large cloud will be seen breaking

This subject leads us to the gen- such thing, for," said he, "nobody

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tor, Rev.J.W.Hill, besides doing his regular work, is compiling a volregular work, is compiling a volume of sermons, fifteen in number, Ye perfect happiness enjoyed the while. (written by different preachers, entitled "The North Texas Conference Pulpit." The book is to be printed at our house in Nashville, with this she closed the book; and with a gran and to be out in August.

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The weather has been favorable for some time, and the farmers generally are making good use of it. I am now enjoying a pleasant re-union with the good people of this, a former charge. The town of Atlanta is steadily improving,

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was struck by lightning not long have a church that will meet all the obligations that Christian religion, imposs, -R. B. Johnsteiner, the holt divided and ran since; the bolt divided and ran that Christian rengion, maps, son, Ass't Sup't and Sec'y S. S. down a chimney into two rooms, splintered a partition wall, soot and ashes were scattered over the

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grief And care to-day, to-morrow bids your cares

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And that 'twas only found beyond the grave By those who'd lived a godly life. When home My friends rejoiced that I'd returned so soon. I told them what I'd seen. They marveled much, ome. doubting, thought to further search; and onvinced, resolved with me to live for heaven.

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conference, that we do not intend to surrender our banner without a struggle, and we chalof the teachers are dyspeptics nor lenge them, one and all, to the contest, which morphine eaters, but are alive and will be decided at the next annual conference Let the children be encouraged to give; let the I learn that the parsonage here classes be taught to give; and we will soon

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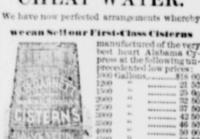


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SEVERAL of our correspondents complain the so much space is taken up with advertisement Will these friends inform us, if we exclude th advertisements, who will pay the expense of getting out the paper? It costs money to pro cure paper, to have type set up, the paper worked off on the press, and to have it mailed Then there is postage to pay, clerk hire and editor's salary to meet. How will these expenses be met if the revenue derived from advertise ments is stopped ?

"Why, we pay our subscriptions, and that

Not by a great deal. Two dollars per annum will not pay the actual expenses of the paper. You certainly do not ask the publishers to send out a paper for the Methodist Church when they would be losing money every week. Were we to exclude the advertisements, we would have to cut down the reading matter of the paper more than one-half. Our readers are indebted to the advertisements for a paper of the present style of the ADVOCATE. To us, who are amiliar with the working of a newspaper office to demand that the paper be published without advertisements, is very much like a farmer be ing expected to make a crop without half a team or half the necessary amount of seed corn. The Egyptians demanded the toll of brick of the Israelites, and yet withheld the straw. The expenses of a paper cannot possibly be reduced below a certain point. Unless it has an income which meets these expenses, it must go down Do these brethren want the ADVOCATE to suspend? If not, why do they continually urge a policy which would lead to that result? They

cannot make brick without straw. Again, many of our readers want the advertisements. They can take no other paper, and the ADVOCATE, in its advertisements, furnishes

The ADVOCATE is giving a much lan amount of reading matter than at any for period in its history. The advertisements able us to do this. We are glad to see the

instead of using this small type or issuing a the pressure on our columns that at times, even with the enlarged sheet, we may have to use some small type or exclude valuable matter. Will our friends bear this in mind, and boil down as

We have been compelled to use the small type in order to get the reading matter on hand each week into the paper. When the new type comes to hand we trust the complaints about the small print will be suspended. Many who have complained never, we presume, suspected that this same small type was costing the publishers about four times per column as much as would have been the cost of the larger print. When it is remembered that this increase in the amount of reading matter, and other additions to the paper, together with the reduction of the price of the subscription to \$2, were made at a time when paper had advanced fifty per cent. in price, we think the patrons of the paper should give its publishers credit for the enterprise they are displaying, while all its friends will rally with increased activity to its support.

ROBERT RAIKES.

A good many Methodists contend that John Wesley held a Sunday-school in Georgia sevcral years before the one organized by Robert Raikes, whose centennial is soon to be celeas the statement may appear to many of the modern professional editors and practical printers, Raikes was a pious editor and printer. and the son of an equally pious editor and printer. He was born in Gloucester, England, in 1735, and died in his native village in 1811 Having observed that many children employe in the factories during the week spent the Holy habits, he conceived the idea of collecting then for instruction. At first he only proposed to teach them to read and give some further elementary instruction; using, however, the Bible as the only reading boox. Complaint was made by some that their clothes were ragged and dirty, but he told them to come with such clothes as they had but to wash their faces and comb their hair. At first female teachers were employed, to whom he paid a small compensaion. After a short school exercise, the children were marched to the parish church; and in the afternoon were collected again especially for catechetical instruction. This Gloucester Sun day-school became the model after which other were formed in all parts of England, and was, Sunday school instruction.

THE general conference of the A.M.E. Church opened in St. Louis May 4; 200 delegates in attendance. This conference represents 34 district conferences in over twenty States. A ques tion will be considered as to creating the office of archbishop; also the sending of missionaries to the negro victims of "exodus."

General Conference opened in Cincinnati May 1, at Pike's Opera House, Bishop Scott, senior Lat Pike's Opera House, Bishop Scott, senior bishop, presiding. Bishop Wiley, resident at Cincinnati, delivered the address of welcome: response by Bishop Simpson. Three hundred will not be able to execute the liberate and fifty-three delegates answered roll-call, and fifty-three delegates answered roll-call will be sent in by the brewers and sin, which he that hath in him to remove the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached sure its defeat, while large sums will be sent in by the brewers and sin, which he that hath in him to remove the doubt. Follow Him will be sent in by the brewers and sin, which he that hath in him to remove the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached sure its defeat, while large sums will be sent in by the brewers and sin, which he that hath in him to remove the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached sure its defeat, while large sums will be sent in by the brewers and sin, which he that hath in him to remove the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached sure its defeat, while large sums will be sent in by the brewers and sin, which he that hath in him to remove the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached sure its defeat, while large sums will be sent in by the brewers and sin, which he that hath in him to remove the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached the doubt. Follow Him who is the opening sermon will be preached the doubt. Follow Him who is the open Rev. G. W. Woodruff, DD. was elected secretary. He appointed as assistants Revs. D. S. Monro Opera House in the afternoon, over four thous

and people were in attendance.

Methodist Sunday-schools in Texas.

I have been asked for the statistics of Methodour church I have failed to get a report from the German Conference. There are three Methodist bodies from which I have no report, The A. M. E. Church, the Colored M. E. Church, and the Methodist Protestant Church. It will onferences of our church report 657 schools, Our Special Premiums 3908 officers, and 39,613 scholars; and that the

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in Texas as follows:

West Texas, October 13, 1880.

East Texas, December 1, 1880. Texas, December 15, 1880.

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the hands of the patrons of the paper fill the bill of a first-class paper. cadets resist the presence among attempt to repeal it, or in anywise workers of the five Texas Confervertising patronage coming in, for we know it
makes an improvement in the paper.
So many of our readers have compelled to use
small type that we have been compelled to use
for some time, that the publishers have decided.

The first fruit of a coming harvest;

The rich in its resources and grand in supplement, to send out a paper of the present size whenever our columns are overcrowded. This will, of course, involve an increased expense, but the publishers are anxious to meet all reasonable demands made on them. When all reasonable demands made on them all reasonable demands made on them. When all reasonable demands made on them all reasonable demands made on them. When all reasonable demands made on them all reasonable demands made on them. When all reasonable demands made on them all reasonable demands made on them. When all reasonable demands made on them all reasonable demands made on them all reasonable demands made on them all reasonable demands made on them. When all reasonable demands made on them all reasonable demands made on the religious newspaper. Its circle people remember that The all reasonable demands and particle in the south, and had South-not the south and sober element and it hap the religious newspaper. Its circle people remember that The all reasonable demands and sober element and it hap the religious newspaper. Its circle in the people remember that The all reasonable demands and sober element and it hap the religious newspaper. It is circle in the people in the south, and the religious newspaper. It is circle in the pense, but the publishers are anxious to meet the enterprising publishers to purtified all reasonable demands made on them. When everthis extra size comes to hand, our readers will understand that it is to keep the small type and to enlarge the will understand that it is to keep the small type apper, but we hardly expected so and of the paper as far as possible. Yet such is control to make laws under constitutions and good of society. If they be rabble will soon dictate the laws soul."

The fault of not a few preachers tional guarantee for the protection and good of society. If they be rabble will soon dictate the laws soul."

Let's humbly confess our faults, and go to work. From the much as this issue promises. The subscription price; two dollars satisfied hearer: "My trouble with days be few, and let better men highest to the lowest, let each seek than our fears. They have been willing to give for a weekly paper, and when he's done and through stimulated from the beginning by If you can reduce the price to two and sot down, I can't tell what in ter than a pound of cure," therestimulated from the beginning by a commendable emulating zeal to dollars, there will be no want of only he's kept a good kind of noise posed to the Sunday law. end will be—if it is not already—to say to these facts? Your love achieved. Shaw & Blaylock are entitled to the admiration and the entitled to the entitled to the entitled to the admiration and the entitled to the private note from these gentlemen says: "We are ambitious to make the Texas Christian Advocate the Texas Christian brated. We think, however, that it must be conceded that Mr. Baikes deserves the credit of the paper of the South. We shall will make our church organ all thet," or burying it in a mass of vited, as we hear, into the State to date, and resolutely insist that he sense will warrant to that end." reasonably desire.

in fact, the beginning of our great system of it circulates all over the State, amendment to the State constitushould inspire its agents and friends and sale of intoxicating liquors, with confidence and zeal in pre- including ale and beer, in the State.

The Pacific Methodist favors a Western General Conference, to live preacher in the Southern live preacher in the Southern senting its claims and increasing After a sharp struggle in both the its circulation. It should be placed senate and lower house, the bill of archbishop; also the sending of missionaries of the megro victims of "exodus."

The 23d quadrennial session of the M. E. lay. Unless the hands of the public passed and will be submitted to the people in November of the present year. Powerful combinations are being formed for its delishers are strengthened and held feat. It is said that the liquor

First, a church organ of which we ent day in Texas.

religiously proud. Secondly, the Church, North, of New Orleans, in a letter to the New York Methtistics, I am only able to give them for the M. E.
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the masses to a higher plain of the editors of their church papers

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The convenience of the editors of the Church, south, and the M. E. Church. And in the masses to a higher plain of in the South. He says: "Let men and adjourned on the 29th at 9 thought and action; thereby pro- who shall conduct our official press o'clock P. M., to meet in the city of so. Now, we sincerely hope it will moting virtue, morality and relig- in the interest of Methodism and Austin on the last Tuesday in April, admit of some modification, and ion. A power, the history of which solfsh ends he as an experiment. 1881. Considering that it was a yet there is a strong suspicion in with bad fortune last week, or and the Methodist Protestant Church. It will lon. A power, the history of which be seen from the following table, that it was a least in placed in our editorial chairs." State convention, the attendance of the selfish ends, be, as an experiment, be seen from the following table, that sethers is worthy to be penciled in light placed in our editorial chairs." State convention, the attendance of the selfish ends, be, as an experiment, be seen from the following table, that sethers is worthy to be penciled in light placed in our editorial chairs." and sung down the ages to the end When such a verdict is pro- was small, but the working capacifour conferences of the M. E. Church report 272 of time. The Texas Christian nounced on the politico-religious ties of the delegates, and the great men who rarely ever attend them, fell upon me and used me very power in Texas.

be the panic; but the power of is too much given to politics—too little to religion. TRUTH is more than the earthquake. The latter only shakes dead matter, while the former deals | ment?" which make up and constitute the ing committees, should consider the question directed to them. A mmortality of man. Are we claim- county fair, at which fine stock ant officials, have quaked in dread needs encouragement. The teacher needs encouragement. apprehensions of the loss of place of censure is sure to reach them. and spoils, under the fearless Any error in judgment, any de-At the meeting of the "College," sledge-hammer blows of truth from fect in their administration, either Bishop Pierce was to-day appointed this engine of power—fearful of a from patrons and foes. It is but to the Fourth District. He will hold the conferences in his district side of virtue, law and morality. The moral support of those who The venal portion of the secular share the benefit of their labors. press has modified its scurrility at No light excuse can relieve parents North Texas, Nov. 6, 1880.

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North Texas, Nov. 17, 1880, Bishop Kavanaugh, appointed time, been skillfully applied by the teachers, who amid many perto the Third District, will hold the ADVOCATE. Its modest though au- plexities are striving to fulfill their Texas conferences in said district thoritative voice, has been weekly trusts. Those who are due by heard along the lines of the em- official appointment on such ocbattled host, whose ensign is a if their absence from commencecross, and whose weapons are not ment can be justified. Full text of proceedings of "Col- carnal, urging on to conquest and

laggard in the five conferences. twelve years distant from the pres-

ADVOCATE is a representative of that press of the Northern church by ters, our friends will not think us school cause, made amends for the why. The reason given by some diligence. We were ordered out. one of its most prominent minis-"The seas may roar, the mour. harsh in saying the suggestion is a tains shake," under the tread of good one. The Northern Meththe earthquake, and terrible may odist press, both North and South,

"ARE you going to commence-We wish to give special stress to the above inquiry, which with mind and morals, shaking appeared over the name of Dr. the foundations of error and vice, Mood in our last weekly issue. and transforming and imparting Parents and guardians of the stucolor and caste to the elements dents, as well as trustees and visitng too much for the ADVOCATE is placed on exhibition, will be when we assert that all these ef- the talk of the county; and will choicest and best development of umns have been both the herald man and character often fails to and the exponent? The gilded command the presence of those naunts of vice, outlawry and crime, most deeply interested in the welambling hells and bloated recre- fair of the scholars and the proscasions must have good reasons

bring up the Texas Christian AD- subscribers. That has been done, agoin' for about five and forty minhalf what it ought to be, and what a united, continuous effort on the part of its friends could make it.

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take in Texas, California, Missouri, Louisiana, Arkansas, Kansas, and tory, and cause it to sweep over Francisco.—Nashville Advocate. Mexico, South America, and the islands of the sea and Asia.

on February 25.

VENTION.

zeal they evinced in the Sunday- and we have sought to ascertain paucity of their number.

The catholicity of the body, the subjects which were ably discussed, the stirring music which from scene anecdote so frequently in-one side of my hat. Soon after time to time toned up the religious sentiment to prayer and praise, made it an occasion of more than ordinary interest to all who gave it their presence and their sympa-

It did many good things, and did nothing which was liable to the political atmosphere. We do criticism by good people. It adopted a preamble and resolutions on the Sunday law of the Six- if they are, we think it is time the teenth legislature of Texas which was all that the friends of law, orfects have been produced by the gather crowds from every neigh-freuth of which her weekly colto the paper. Palestine had spoken triotic voters ignore their work enon a former occasion, when one of tirely. the largest churches in the city was full to overflowing. It said unanimously-one only excepted, and he not voting against it-we endorse the Sunday law. Now the county mass convention, held by convention, with its representa- one of the great political parties of tives from various portions of the the country at the country site of State, reiterate with emphasis the one of the most populous counties same language.

A gentleman who had been wide awake on this subject said that the action of the convention was only one of at least one hundred similar actions by deliberative bodies in the State since the opposition had shown itself.

The people are for the law, excepting of course much of the foreign element, the vendors of alcoholic liquors, gamblers, and the
hord swearing than did the other,
Oh, when will our people awake dregs of human society, whose and strange to say, he received the lives are a leprous blotch upon the body politic

THE self-constituted guardians of sweets of this law-lessening crime that all that smut and profanity the colored race in the North have a and taxation, and removing scenes drew long and continued demon-But, hark! These publishers very troublesome elephant on their of vulgarity, profanity and vice strations of applause from a large branches of Methodism, and yet can't make brick without straw. They hands in the shape of cadet Whit- from the streets and highways number of those in attendance. THE TEXAS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE must be invested with the sinews of financial strength, ere they can of financial strength, ere they can climed and his ears slit. The white necently enjoyed on Sunday—any clipped and his ears slit. The white nocently enjoyed on Sunday-any public place in order that he may Its new dress, clear type, increased Shall they have it, and how long them of this colored worth, and to weaken its force, will raise a negroes, ruffians, and dram-sellers? size and mechanical execution, first? Answer ye agents and co- hence this outrage. The authori- storm of indignation which will We are driven to one of two conmust challenge the admiration of workers of the five Texas Conferties, in their examination, have sweep from place and power any clusions: either profanity, vulgarrich in its resources and grand in the religious newspaper. Its cir- this would have been had it hap- Let the people remember that THEY course in order to drive the moral

"An ounce of prevention is bet-

The bonafide citizens of Texas most of the Advocate family; and, and other improvements of the pa- ers seem to have no definite pur- this matter. It is too deeply imend will be-if it is not already- to say to these facts? Your love sight of their mission to win sculs, of society? or shall the State be gratitude of the entire Methodist which you "count all things but touches, and rhetorical flourishes. vice and virtue-between the good family in Texas. Let this be shown loss," indites the answer and in-family in Texas. Let this be shown loss," indites the answer and in-sists of more word painting, or lettle modern preaching con-blamed." Texas is an Episcopal in deeds rather than words. A spires courage and confidence in sists of mere word painting, or battle waxes warmer every day brated. We think, however, that it must be conceded that Mr. Raikes deserves the credit of having originated the Sunday-school in the having originated the Sunday-school in the having originated the Sunday-school in the strain every sinew that business that its most ardent friends can a vague impression on the hearer's him come! It will openly iden-F. a vague impression of the some tify, under the eyes of the people, not be found stumping the conven-No one will doubt the integrity, Twelve years ago a law was en- sort of a semi-religious, literary, or the motley herd who form the or- tions and baiting the secular press; fidelity and business capacity of acted in Kansas that no license dramatic entertainment, and heard ganized whisky, gambling, and but the people know where to find these publishers. There is, indeed, should be granted for the sale of "a good kind of a noise for about anti-Sunday ring—whose fell dethem and they should be sought. but one question which enters into applicant bore the signatures of a often do we hear it said of a dearest interests of society—with ple long enough. It is time the peoand forms an important and essen- applicant bore the signatures of a dearest interest of society open-mouthed infidelity where it ple were hunting candidates. They In the factories during the week spent the Holy should be choice about who they sabbath on the streets, acquiring dissipated tial factor in the bright future of the city, county or township in speaker; that his composition is belongs. They are "joined together should be choice about who they our loved church organ, viz: the which the proposed liquor saloon exceedingly artistic, and his ser- and let no man put them asunder." select and not seize upon those that material support it may or may should be located. The result was mons literary models." And this Infidelity is the name of this ring cry in the market and stand upon material support it may or may should be located. The result was mount and stand upon the liquor interest carried the day of a minister of the cross, called the liquor interest carried the day of a minister of the cross, called the liquor interest carried the day of a minister of the cross, called the liquor interest carried the day of a minister of the cross, called the liquor interest. If the liquor selling, forehand by saying, that I would sabbath-breaking, and lawless elements and stand upon the streets. If the liquor selling, forehand by saying, that I would sabbath-breaking, and lawless elements and stand upon the streets. If the liquor selling, forehand by saying, that I would sabbath-breaking, and lawless elements are standard upon the streets. If the liquor selling, forehand by saying, that I would sabbath-breaking, and lawless elements are standard upon the streets. subscribers is not more than one- communities it was excluded. One eousness, temperance, and a judg- the fire of the wrath of an in- ment succeed in giving laws to the

Methodist church on the evils of a Miss., estimates that \$20,000 will corrupt literature, and on the duty be required to provide for the peo- A. Wood and wife-together with the territories. The editor thinks of supporting a pure literature, ple made destitute by the recent several other persons (ministers this would give an impulse to would work wonders. Such talks tornado at that place. are needed from Baltimore to San

incentives to the full measure of distillers and wholesale dealers of hath not himself, and which he more closely, though the way be Isase S. Bingham, George Mathern, James P. duty on the part of agents are so St. Louis, Chicago, and other large that runs into runs not into a sin-never so dark; so shall thy faith Magee, H. B. Heacock, and Lewis E. Davidson. On sunday all the protestant pulpits in Cincil were filled by different members of the conference. At the Union services in Pike's conference. At the Union services in Pike's conferences. The Master says. "Have and add needed improvements to about which he writes — New York."

The Methodists in Bombay, South India.

may be justly, Methodistically and REV. DR. BRISTOR, of the M. E. THE SUNDAY-SCHOOL STATE CON- THE POLITICAL ASPECT OF THE Country.

> late, and begin to wonder if it is some political circles. We know some good and pure

is not very complimentary to the average politician of the day. A modest man does not like to be re- me down. As I rallied and rose, galed with the vulgar wit and obdulged in by those who stump the this I received another lick with conventions. A moral and relig- the gun which brought me down ious man does not like to hear so again. There I lay, bleeding promuch profane swearing as frequently crops out in political har- the diligence, then rode forty miles, rangues. A sober man does not like to endure the scent of bad! whisky that frequently burdens hind, and the second on the side not suppose that all conventions are annoyed with these evils, and people—the sober element—were eousness," or that the mass of pa-

Having a desire to witness the modus operandi of these conventions, we attended one some time since. We believe it was denominated a in the State.

We endured the scent of the speeches by politicians of some notoriety, both of whom are officeholders, and we have not for two we heard in that short time. One greatest amount of applause. We cannot describe our disgust and Since the people have tasted the mortification when we observed

What plea can a man have for your vote that will insult you in a successfully win the approval of

people are growing restless under the present mangement of State politics. Why should it be re- bishops set the example. Let them garded as a presumption that the good people of this country insist VOCATE abreast with the very fore- and now follows the enlargement utes." It is true that some preach- cannot afford to run any risks in It is due this great commonwealth upon good and pure men in office? most of the Advocate family; and, faithful to the cherished design, per. But we are sorry to say, that faithful to the cherished design, per. But we are sorry to say, that They aim at nothing and hit it more linearies. Home and society sional politician has lorded it over this last stride of skill and liberality to date, the increase has not met with magnificent precision. This are alike involved in the issue. is an inspiring pledge to the Meth- expectation. Brothers of the five pointless style of preaching is Shall we maintain a decent respect time has come when it will be deodism of Texas that the desired Texas Conferences, what have you characteristic of those who lose for God—His law and the morals manded of every aspirant that he

THE Women's Presbyterian self to maintain the Sunday-law. r. and and four missionaries in the friends have to whitewash them field.

THE relief committee at Macon,

ence of the Austin district will be

An Atlanta, Georgia, Methodist opened their first church for the worship of God on February 25.

THE Methodists in Bombay, South India, men. The Master says, "Have and add needed improvements to about which he writes.—New York faith in God."—Holston Methodist. the church.

SAN DIEGO, Texas, April 24, 1880. I have just received from our fellow Mexican Missionary, Rev. W. M. Patterson, a letter dated three weeks ago to-day, in which heard this assertion frequently of he says: "You must pardon me if I do not write a very pretty letter in answer this evening, as my eyes are dazzling very much. I met one of my trips, pretty hard on my roughly. I was at the time in the As I reached the ground I received a stroke with a gun which brought I received a shot which took off fusely, till I was helped back into still bleeding. The first lick I received was on the neck, from beof the face and nose, from behind, breaking the bone of my nose. I have recovered rapidly from my injuries; but of course my face is still in a bad condition, affecting my eyes somewhat. I lost my watch and two or three dollars, which is the second time I have been robbed on this road." * Now, we feel that it is due the

cause of Christ that such sacrifice

and suffering should be known by

the church at large, and in particular that branch that sends out Bro. Patterson. May God bless our dear brother, and sustain him in the midst of such numerous and severe trials, and may the church sustain him and his work by fervent prayer and large appropriawhisky, looked and listened for tions. He is doing a great work, perhaps two hours. We heard two and with marvelous success. How mortifying and trying it is to be set down, as Bro. P. is, in the center of so much opportunity and yet years past been forced to hear so be so limited in possibilities! Permuch vulgarity and profanity as haps no other in our church is and roll away the stone of reproach from their church? It is not only a denominational reproach, but a sectional one also. Duly appointed commissions may declare us one and equal with the other that does not make it so. The scriptures teach us to "judge trees by their fruits." We may laud our section as possessing an equal or superior civilization, and resent a contrary intimation as an insult and calumny; but with all this, the rest of the world looks at "the figures" and smiles pity or contempt. Nothing but facts will ever do us any good, or prove anything in our favor. Let our "ADVOCATES" his place and fearlessly and faithfully do his own work. Let the STAY in their several fields of labor and do the work assigned them. They are under appointment and authority, as much so as the humblest "circuit rider." They are ing God is older still and more venerable, and no harm must be done its interests. "Woo unto the world because of offenses-woe unto the man by whom the offense cometh." "Giving no offense in district in itself. Who can calculate the good to all our interests by the successive annual labors of these able "overseers of the flock. which God hath purchased with His own blood!" In the older States their labors are surely not so much needed, for there everywhere is found great talent among the ministry, and their preaching must be mediocre, while out in Texas it would be superb-just the thing we need.

Now, Mr. Editor, I expect some one to administer a reproof for this expression of my mind, and to be advised to "remain at Jericho," rather live in Jericho forever, in A. H. SUTHERLAND. ness.

Most of the political dark horses turn out to be night mares .- Quero Quill A good many black horses are trotted into office. Too often their before they trot out.

REV. J. S. INSKIP and wife; Rev. Wm. McDonald and wife; Rev. J. and laymen) of the M. E. Church, Notice. — The District Confer-around the world," June 20.

> The fact is becoming as common as it is reprehensible that ministers and churches are in these days subjected to the misrepresentations, and published to the world in one or more of our secular jour-

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FHERE are eight complete translations of the Bible in the languages of the South Sea islands and New Zealand. Rev. J. H. Polhemus writes from Mexico: "In

ery city in Mexico you can see evidence of MRS. JULIA A. TEVIS, founder of Science Hill

Academy, Shelbyville, Ky., died'April 21, of par-DR. SUMMERS reports the gain in the Southern Methodist Church for 1879, as 26,000 communi-

A CONVENTION of the Southern Baptist Church the United States met at Lexington, Ken weky, May 5th.

A PARTY spirit that ignores morality in its lers, is but the spirit of the devil distributedas in the heard of swine. - Christian Keighbor. THE various branches of the Methodist

Tharch in England and Wales provide for the sparitual wants of 3,138,000, or about one-eighth of the population. Mey. Wm. Arthur, A. M., and Rev. F. W. Mac-

REV. THOMAS WALLACE died of pneumonia at Pink Hill, Mo., April 22. Rev. H. W. Webster

kind published, and is meeting with universal outstanding, \$15,601,587. THE best candidate, in our opinion, is the man of cultured mind and Christian integrity,

util then.-Raleigh Christian Advocate. THE St. Louis Advocate contains the engraving tits new office -"the Advocate Publishing House." The new building is at 913 Pine street. This grand paper will no longer inhabit a "hired prosperity-because the more of the article they

have the more of good can they accomplish. REV. E. E. CONDO, pastor of Northern Methodkilled by the tornado reported two weeks since. His wife and two of his children were seriously hart. Rev. W. McCutchen, pastor of the coloved M. E. Church, was also seriously injured.

week-not the seventh,"

now, at the end of fourscore years, I find myself more than ever nothing, and Him more than everything. Never was Jesus so dear to me. happy, and so full, as since he has stripped me glorious garments of his salvation."

a brick building, was struck on the head with a publican. brick thrown by a negro, which proved fatal in a few hours. The negro fled, but was captured and lodged in jail. There was nothing about his person that gave the slightest trace of his residence or relatives. Any further information may be obtained by writing to C. H. Irwin, of this place.-M. K. LITTLE.

THE Pacific Methodist hopes the discussion of politics and religion by the Southern Church velope to the Rev. Joseph T. Inman, Station D. papers may not lead to evil results. This does not trouble us much. We want to see all the church papers in line on this question, and our hope is that we may all be sufficiently indiscreet Political corruption is a desperate evil, that conservatism won't remedy. The best evidence notice. It is a paper made of straw, used in the we have that the Texas Advocate is making a place of celling or common wall paper on the good fight is that our friends are uneasy lest we cellings and walls of rooms. It is handsomely go too far.

lieved that the first Sunday-school of which comes offensive and unhealthy. It can be there is any record was founded by Robert placed on the walls with but little work, and is most reliable sources of information within our tion, to Edward Thompson, 112 Poydras street reach, we learn that the first Sunday school, of New Orleans. He can also supply tarred roof Standard Fruit Syrups, which we have any account, was organized and ing paper, roofing pitch and paint, plaster paris, conducted by Rev. John Wesley, at Savannah, cut glass for doors, and other articles, in that Georgia, in 1736. Mr. Raikes established his line. He is agent for James Rowland & Co., first Sunday-school in Gloucester, England, in Iron Works, the Home Corn Sheller, the Mon Mr. Raikes in the Sunday-school work 45 years. carpeting, rugs, etc. If you would do your own See Bishop Stevens' History of Georgia, vol. i, | painting, send for circulars respecting his Kalipage 341.-Thos. J. Wickline, in N. Y. Advocate. da colore.

AT Elkhart, Indiana, is a colt which at five days old was 151/4 hands high.

FIVE Chinamen are applicants for naturaliza on papers in New York city.

MANY of the expelled French Jesuits propose o establish themselves in Egypt and Spain. The United States postoffice appropriation bill

recommends \$38,600,000.

killing nobody.

Russian provincial newspapers report deaths from starvation among the peasantry in various parts of the empire.

At the opening of the English parliament, April 29, Rt. Hon. H. B. W. Brand was re-elected speaker of the House of Commons.

DURING April, 47,000 European emigrants ar rived at Now York-the largest number on re

Mr. Ralph Waldo Emerson sees but few people nowadays, and is engaged in revising his papers for publication after death. THE Democrats in congress will support the

oint rule that requires the concurrent action of both houses to reject or receive the electoral Six thousand persons were released from im-

prisonment or delivered from police supervis ion in Russia, April 29th, it being the sixty second anniversary of the czar's birth.

THE home-rulers of the British parliament have decided to introduce as soon as possible a bill for the suspension of ejectments for the non payment of rent.

LONDON, May 4.-The Daily Telegraph's Berlin dispatch says: A well-informed St. Peters burg correspondent writes that war between Russia and China is nearly certain.

A DEMAND on the part of the Italian ministry for a vote of confidence, April 29th, resulted in the defeat of the government. The premier asked the chamber to suspend its sittings until the cabinet had taken orders of the king.

THE St. Louis merchants' exchange relief committee issues an appeal to the charitably disposed people of the United States for contributions for the relief of sufferers by the recent cyclones in Missouri.

TELEGRAMS from Colorado show that prospec tors are moving on the Gunnison country, in the vicinity of the White river Utes, in large num bers, and that trouble may occur at any me moment. Ouray advises that troops be sent out dimaid, fraternal delegates to the M. E. General at once to keep the peace, as he fears that blood-conference, arrived in New York last week from shed at this time would cause the repudiation of the agreement recently entered into at Wash-

THE debt statement shows a decrease of the died near Neesho, Mo., April 20. Both were public debt during April of \$12,078,070,50; cash members of the Southwest Missouri Conference. in the treasury, \$19,946,439.38 gold; certificates, Rev. Wm. Codville is the author, and Phillips certificates of deposit outstanding, \$8,760,000 Hunt publishers of a concordance to the refunding certificates, \$4,524,950; legal tenders Methodist Hymnal. It is the first work of the outstanding, \$346.681.919; fractional currency

THE house committee on foreign affairs has prepared a bill authorizing the appointment of a commission to confer with a similar body act our people realize the importance of ing on the part of Canada, with a view to arriautting such men in authority we will have a ving at an understanding relative to reciproclentiful and permanent prosperity, and not ity between the two countries. In its report the committee shows that the policy of protection, recently adopted in the dominion, is having a most injurious effect on the United States.

SEVERAL West Point professors testify that the negro Whittaker, about whom so much is now house," We congratulate our friends on their being written because some of the cadets maltreated him, has a good memory, but is devoid of reasoning faculties; that he makes little or United States, as well as a full line of materials. REV. E. E. CONDO, pastor of Northern Method-isd Church at Marshfield, Mo., was among those had been shown him; that if a white cadet had such as sulphuric acid, marble dust, block isd Church at Marshfield, Mo., was among those had been shown him; that if a white cadet had tin pipes of all sizes, pure fruit juices, ex-

AMERICANS are wont to congratulate them selves on their free republican government-for corks, wire fasteners, etc. These goods Mr. and by the people. The late complete revolu- Waterman is enabled to offer to the trade at the portions of Texas our people are tion of politics in England, which places Mr. lowest factory prices, his facilities for obtaining plagued with the Seventh-day Adventists. Any Gladstone as Prime Minister, and a cabinet his supplies being equaled by few, and unsur-make the supplies being equaled by few, and unsur-make the formed by him in control of the government. who have doubt on this stock & Walden, Cintwenty-five cents to Hitchcock & Walden, Cintwenty-five cents to Hit Day, the Christian Sabbath, the first day of the forty days to accomplish it. What will a comparative statement show? We spend at least suring the most perfect purity of their contents one-fourth of our time in this country president. Mr. Waterman makes the sale of second-hand The venerable Dr. S. H. Tyng, Sr., during the week of prayer at St. Paul's M. E. Church, New to do less than our friends over the water ac-York, said: "To-day I rejoice to testify that complish in forty days. The comparison is not very full assortment, which he guarantees to be creditable to us.

THE ADVOCATE has not reported the proceed-Never was his salvation so precious to my soul. ings of the different State Democratic and Re-Never did my pilgrim way seem so smooth, so publican conventions, because it did not deem the information worthy the space it required. happy, and so full, as since he has stripped me with the dost of them have been theaters of contest beglarious carments of his salvation."

I tween individuals; many of them have been as through the south and southwest, to write tween individuals; many of them have been for the same. THORNTON, Limestone Co., April 30.—On the in many respects dominant in the two great par morning of the 28th, our beloved brother, Rev. ties. But noting the names of the delegates thus H. B. Price, fell asleep in Jesus. Like a faithful far elected to the two national bodies, we may His. By the names of the delegates thus his business in person, a method of doing by since we may be soldier, the last enemy did not surprise him, but he was ready, watching and waiting. God but he was ready, watching and waiting. God to be an improvement on like bodies that have bless the bereaved family. A very sad event assembled in the past. The political pulse in occurred here this week: A stranger, who said dicate that the friends of Tilden will control the his name was Joseph Nelson, while at work on Democratic convention; those of Grant the Re-

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from nervous weakness, early decay and loss of vitality, the errors and indiscretions of youth, I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE, This great remedy was discovered by a missionary 'in South America. Send a self-addressed en

Improved Building Paper.

This new improvement is coming rapidly into printed and makes a beautiful finish to a room. It is placed on the walls with tacks. The paste It is generally asserted and as commonly be- used in ordinary wall paper often sours and be-But this is clearly an error. From the durable. Address orders, or write for informa-Thus we see that Mr. Wesley preceded arch Corn Mils, has on hand Japanese paper

SODA WATER

APPARATUS and MATERIALS.

WATERMAN,

THERE is terrible distress in Asia Minor, even within fifty miles of Constantinople. Cattle, sheep, and Angora goats are carried off in large numbers by disease. Brigandage, which is al. | ties were residents in Houston, and came to Gal. most necessitated by hunger, is on the increase. The country between Angora and Ismidt is be-Moussoul district have emigrated to Bagdad.

In last week's ADVOCATE appeared a news item to the effect that if the opposition of Rep-A TORNADO passed over Columbia, S. C., April resentative Garfield were withdrawn, the restoration of wood-pulp to the free list would be ac-29, destroying a number of small buildings, but ration of wood-pulp to the free list would be accomplished in a short time. The papers of the country have at last made it interesting for Mr. Garfield. He made a statement in Congress Saturday. He said he was one of a minority of five, in a committee of thirteen. Can such a minority prevent a committee's report for six or eight weeks? He claims the statement that he prevents action on the question is untrue; and furthermore, that by his vote in the committee he has several times shown his willingness that this subject should by itselfcome before the vacant Tennessee judgship.

LATER.—Mr. Hayes has tendered the Tennes-

A SOLVENT and prosperous savings bank at acramento, Cal., is going out of business, as its managers believe that the new Kearney constitution and revenue law will crapple it by imposing unjust and unusual taxes.

way arrives on the spot.

The exploration of the Saraha desert with a view to the construction of a railway across it has now fairly begun. Col. Flatter's expedition left Wargla on the 5th ult., on their Southward march. In addition to the leader, the party comprises nine sciendific officers and twelve French soldiers, besides numerous camel drivers, chiefly belonging to the Chambaas tribe.

It is discovered that the Nashville and Chat tanooga railroad company owes the government \$160,000 for arrears of interest due on first mortgage bonds, which matured in 1868. The fact that the detached coupons have laid in the treasury twelve years, no effort being made to realize on them, seems to confirm the charges so persistently made by Senator Davis, of West Virginia, of loose book-keeping and irresponsibility in that branch of the public service.

THE United States minister to Colombia, who

in that branch of the public service.

The United States minister to Colombia, who recently left for his post, has special instructions on the subject of the canal project. He will explain to the President of the Colombia confederation that this Government exercises a protectorate over certain portions of the isthmus, and that the concessions recently granted be Lesseps by the Colombian authorities compel the Americans to look after their own interests.

Our readers will do well to notice the advertisement of Hermon W. Ladd, XX Cot, in our paper this week. Here is a good bed for little money, and it is appreciated, as the ernomous sales of the past year fully proves.

Apparatus and Materials.—A House that was Eatablished in 1830. ers has of late years become so general, so ex-

tensive, and so essential the world over, as to have assumed a character in the art and in business of extraordinary importance. The advantages which recent improvements in soda water apparatus presented to the public have wonderfully advanced the business of the manufacture of all carbonated waters or beviness of all grant water apparatus presented to the public have o'clock Saturday night. They visited the value ons offices and took the names of all grant water that hour. Prints are generally tired enough to go to bed at erages, and done more towards the develop ment of the trade, than all previous efforts in this line. As the time is at hand when these beverages will be in general demand, we have been collecting some facts bearing upon the subject, and especially with reference to the question of where the apparatus and materials question of where the apparatus and materials

such as sulphuric acid, marble dust, block shown as great duliness, he would have been tracts for syrups, Bowker's gum, syrup bottles, soda tumblers, tumbler holders, ice planes and bottlers' supplies, such as bottles. in perfect order, and which he offers to the trade at figures so much below the original cost nicate with him when purchasing supplies Prices and catalogues are sent to any desired

> Mr. Waterman is one of those enterprising practical men, that looks after every detail of

ORGANS.

We take pleasure in referring to the Chester-field Organ, manufactured by Churchill & Co., 206 Broadway. New York, which was advertised in the Congreyational Methodest some time since. One of these instruments was purchased by Mrs. Todd, a hear relative, who resides near Hickory, Miss., who writes us that it gives perfect satisfaction. Another of these instruments purchased by Rev. O. P. Ritch, of Floyd county, Ga., we have had the opportunity of examining, and what is more satisfactory, we have the opinion of an expert performer, that it is all that could be desired in a parlor organ. Upon this instrument a daughter of ours is at this time instructing a class. She expresses the most perfect satisfaction with the instrument. Another attracting feature to those desiring to purchase a handsome parlor organ, is its price, only \$15. The promptitude of this firm in filling all the orders that we have heard from to the letter, is gaining for them the prestige of fair deal ers. Address Churchill & Co., 26 Broadway, New York.—Congregational (Georgia) Methodist.

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A Mr. Frank McGowan and a Mr. George | Last year twelve persons in the United States Turley, had a difficulty in Galveston last Sun- and Europe gave an aggregate of \$3,000,000 to day, in which the latter was killed. Both par- the cause of foreign missions. veston's Sunday Mai-Fest so extensively adver-

enforce the Sunday law. KEARNEY is not roaming around the country now seeking what he may devour, and inflictprison walls of a San Francisco work house. missionaries have had their work suspended, or Once an orator, now a convict.

will be finished this summer.

been accepted with thanks. The Terrell district conference will convene

at Wills Point, on Thursday before the fourth THE British in Afghanistan are confronted by a hostile native force of about twelve thousand. Some of the chieffains are said to favor an attack on the English at once, but others advise the postponement of aggressive operations until a detatchment of six thousand sepoys now under way arrives on the spot.

at Wills Point, on Thursday before the fourth Sunday in June, at 10 o'clock A. M. Opening sermon at 8 o'clock P. M., by Rev. James MeDougald.

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Rev. Wm. Vaughan. J. K. Lane, P. E.

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case Mr. Tilden is nominated at Cincinnati.

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GREENVILLE, S. C., and Charlotte, N. C., 110 miles apart, are connected by telephones.

MR. SETH B. HENT, one of the founders and original proprietors of the New York. Independent, died April 21, in New York.

The president vetoed the immediate defi-ciency bill, assigning as reason the provisions in regard to elections.

Two blocks of business houses in Jackson-ville, Illinois, were destroyed by fire April 30. The loss is about \$75,000. BATTLE CREEK, Michigan, suffered severels by fire, April 20. The Potter House, an addi-tion to the American House, and one or two barns, were destroyed, causing a loss of about \$50,000.

A GERMAN newspaper sees in the presence SODA and MINERAL WATERS,
Apparatus and Materials.—A House that was Eatablished in 1830.

The manufacture of Soda and Mineral Waters has of late years become so general, so expenses the second so general, so expenses the second so general so expenses the presence of Austrian envoys at the Czar's birthday reception, an in-dication that the alliance of the three temperors is to be renewed.

John Best, the oldest Mason in the United States is dead. He was in his 98th or 100th year (there was an uncertainty as to his exact age), and had been for seventy-seven years a Mason.

P. M. Mr. Bradlaugh, a member of the new Bri

ish parliament, refuses to take the oath of off as it implies a religious belief, and binds the

question of where the apparatus and materials can best be procured.

The oldest and most extensive establishment of this character in New Orleans is that of T. s. Washington, May 4.—The committee on commerce reported the river and harbor bill to the house to-day. It contains about 500 items, and aggregates about \$8.001000. The appropriations for Texas are: Aransas pass and bay, up to Rockport and Corpus Christi, \$65,000; Neches river, \$600: pass Cavallo, inlet into Matagorda bay, \$50,000; ship channel, Galveston bay, \$50,000; channel at the mouth and narrows of the sable river, above Orange, \$500.00; Sabine pass and Blue Beck bar, \$50,000; Sabine pass and Blue Beck bar, \$50,000; Trinity river, \$1000; channel over the bar at the mouth of Brazos faurel over the bar at the mouth of Brazos fa



Rev. C. W. Miller, D. D., of Frankfort, Ky., has

tised, and in regard to which it was known in been selected to represent the Methodist Episcoming a desert. Four thousand people of the advance Galveston county officials would not copal Church South, at the meeting of the com mittees in Cincinnati, in May, to arrange for an Ecumenical Council of Methodism.

Missionary work in Austria is carried on unthey carried it on only in private, persons only Work on the great Brooklyn bridge is now veillance of police and by cards of invitation. being pushed rapidly; but it cannot be com- No paster of any church whatever can absent reduced prices. We also make to order, on the shortest notice, any style of vehicle. Also dealers pleted this year. The approaches, however, himself from his parish for more than fortyeight hours without special permission. No in Harness, Whips, Dusters, Children's Carriages, at lowest prices. Livery trade particularly so-POSTMASTER JAMES, of New York, is men-fourteen can leave the Romish for the Protesttioned as the probable successor of Mr. Key, if ant church. In all private and public schools the latter retires from the cabinet to take the the government school books must be used. All the religious bodies Greek, Jew, Roman, or Luthsee Judgship to Postmaster Gen. Key, and it has must not openly proselyte. The hope is expressthat the permission to meet in may amount to something; yet when sixty-eight persons from two congregations were recently fined 1,400 lorins for praying and reading the Bible together, the largest liberty is not yet at hand.

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tee, loss of smell, loss of taste, partial or complete deafness, the formation of scabs in
throat and nose, bad smell of the breath and nose, RINGING in the ears, dizziness,
ak, faint feelings, costiveness, irregular appetite, and a sense of restless, nervous
akness, with more or less loss of memory. These symptoms may all exist, or only a

weakiness, with more or less loss of memory. These symptoms may all exist, or only a part of them, in any one case.

CATARRH is produced by specific GERMS or PARASITES lodging on the parts when debilitated by cold or other causes. Catarrh of the Stomach, Bowels, Liver, Bladter, Kidness and Womb is also very common, producing Billousness, DYS-PEPSIA, CONSTIPATION, or Diarrhoa, BLADDER and KIDNEY Affections, WOMB bisease, Leucorrhoa, CANCER, and other fatal maladies. When it locates in the throat and lungs it produces BRONCHITIS AND CONSUMPTION. In all cases the parasites exist in the BLOOD, and produce every conceivable form of blood poisoning. Some forms of the Catarrh germs produce ASTHMA, HAY FEVER, Neuralgia and violent fits of coughing; while others cause Bilious Fever, Inflammation of the Langs, Pleurisy, Erysipelas, Skin Diseases, Falling of the Hair and Premature Grayness.

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berlain is in charge of Pecan circuit and doing a good work, trymuch afflicted, is doing a noble baptized seven little babes. The meeting was, no doubt, a great blessing to the community where it was held. Bro. L. H. Trimble, in charge of Eastland circuit, is trying to do his whole duty preacher and pastor. Bro. G. W. Riley, on Bell Plains mission, is moving along in that way that will secure success both to himself and the church. Phantom Hill mission is supplied by Bro. S. B. Jones, a local preacher, who went to the work immediately after conference, and is enlarging his field. Bro. W. C. Brodie, on Fort Griffin mission, seems to be doing well had a fine report at his second quarterly conference. Bro, J. G. Warren was appointed to Buffalo Gap mission, seventy-five miles west of Breckenridge, and although he was prevented from going to his appointment immediately after conference. I found him at his that does meet the difficulties of the frontier this year to preach, surely loves the church. I have wept with gratitude to God while thinking of the noble band in the bounds of this district. The preachers love the church and their people, while the church is wondering. At Davilla the Sunday-school has been in successful operation for the last twelve years, and the sacred influence of its work is felt wanted us to keen the memory. had neither bread nor meat and had to depend on killing wild game to live. It is said, "preachers ride fat horses," but some in this district have had to walk, and still! they preach. Owing to the hard three exhorters, a number of live thing and at another something else, for you e self-supporting. I hope the preachers all over the Northwest Texas Conference will think of our present condition while raising their domestic mission fund. If

A. K. MILLER. BRECKENRIDOE, Texas, April 21, 1880. Report No. 1 of Providence Board of rible as an army with banners." Stewards.

tier fields of labor?

Mr. Editor, as yourself and Dr. Mood nominated the above board, I presume, according to Methodist usage, you are jointly "preachers in charge" of this work, and Bros. Shaw & Blaylock the recording stewards.

Waxahachie, sent by Rev. C. E. Brown...
Sims' station, by Rev. W. D. Rebinson...
Fairfield, sent by capt, Peek...
Georgetown, Prof. S. G. Sanders, supplies
A. S. Howren, flour.
Capt. Brown, wood.
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Rev. J. H. Hodges, supplies...
J. W. Hodges, wood.
Mr. Hemphill...
Miss Lucy Harper...
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Will S. Ryan... Hutto, N. Jacobson. Hutto, Mrs. Warner... Hutto, Mrs. Sa Le Tisdale, Liberty Hill, Jno. Bryson. Liberty Hill, T. S. Snyder, Liberty Hill, Capt, Grant... Galveston, cash.... Galveston, unknown brother.

— Rev. H. C. Trammell.

— S. W. Hollinsworth. Waco, sent by J. D. Shaw Fairfield, a brother. Rev. W. R. D. Stockton.... Corn Hill, J. C. Landrum Corn Hill, J. C. Landrum
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Live Oak, by H. M. Glass
Bagdad, Bro. Heinatz
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Caddo Greve circuit
Near Salado, W. A. Pace
Near Salado, Jr. Addison
Near Salado, Mr. A. J. E. A. (goods).
Near Salado, W. H. Stinr ett

say that four or five of the first all our works become acceptable to amounts named were sent me be- God and approved of men. fore the public calls by Drs. John and Mood were made. I am under many obligations to Bro. T. W. Hines, who first learning of my April 22. - Query: How are we to situation by private letter, in check the terrible ravages of intemformed the friends at Waxahachie, perance? Answer: By making the hence their early response. And spirit-vendor responsible for all now, Mr. Editor, who ever had damage done by liquors sold or such a board of stewards? And given away by him or his estabshall I fear temporal want while lishment. Should any person by all these noble, generous brethren drunkenness cause damage to his and sisters, and many more are family or any one else, or suffer it

DAVILLA, Milam County, April, doubled the membership since con- 1880.—We had a week of special

ship of nearly five hundred in the ETT. year about one hundred and fifty LET us not forget sacramental ocbounds of the work. During last precious souls were gathered into casions and that every follower of the church by conversion and coverant, only three of whom have re-celebration. "This do in remembrace turned to the path of ruin. The cf me," is a sentence which may be church reveals a solidity of piety and an earnest zeal in the prosecuwork and the family altars, on upon the sins and failings that which the fires of living devotion mar our worthiness, of course we post. A man that is willing, or that does meet the difficulties of that does meet the difficulties of that does meet the difficulties of the points they send their life inspired fear shall take hold upon us, lest,

people, while the church is won-dering how the bishop knew so well the man they wanted. It is havelessed in the people of its work is felt in every household, and its scions of salvation have been transplanted. His own sake also did He want barells around to say that times hardly enough to say that times living and fruitful, into the church. His oblations to be held in tender are hard out here, for while a few have plenty for their own use, oth-sults from the attentive toil of Proseems to say, "that I may be ers have but little and do not know how the next is to be obtained, while some are destitute. I learned while at Buffalo Gap, that Some families in Nolan county.

Chicken was the attentive toil of Professor Milton Ragsdale, president of the Davilla Masonic Institute, and his estimable wife, whose tunited culture, elevated taste, and this will comfort me in that some families in Nolan county. that some families in Nolan county, Christian work have done much to hearts, and this will comfort me in nity into forms of intelligence and full work of your redemption."christianity, to bless the human Eschange.

opropriation, I have ing class-leaders, and a board of can be blindly decired by fradulent medicine failed a preacher for Nolan mission. Notwithstanding the hard times, the church is prospering; and if the farmers can raise one or two good crops, this district will be self-supporting. I hope the ing degree, and all will be met in a lifetime has been spent in securing this repu due time, and also arrears, should a tation which will last for generations. The submunificent Providence crown the stitutes having no reputation to lose will be year with an average harvest. A made of the cheapest and poorest materials to we had the means, we could extend the work by taking in, or farming, two or three new missions which are now begging for the Gospel. Will all those who read this sketch pray for us in the frontier fields of labor?

Wear with an average harvest. A church unwilling to repudiate her obligations to God and man, but meet them honestly and faithfully, is indeed the salt of the earth and the light of the world, and these elements of salvation in harmonic our splay places her in a posture in the fields of labor?

Wear with an average harvest. A church unwilling to repudiate her obligations to God and man, but meet them honestly and faithfully, is indeed the salt of the earth and the light of the world, and these elements of salvation in harmonic our splay places her in a posture in the cheapest and poorest materials to enable the dealer to buy what is cheap.

For no men or women that live to-day. Ever would dare to leave In faintest pendle to beldest ins. All they truly and really think. What they have done. What they have lived, and what they have done. What they have lived, and what they have felt. Under the stars or under the sun. ous play, places her in a posture in which she becomes as "fair as the moon, clear as the sun, and as ter-

and Davilla circuit nearly eight symptoms. thousand persons live, and only 16 per cent. of whom are united with the most aggressive and effective beer gardens and play-houses, from church on the continent, and the the idler's promenade, from every most spiritual, and the most wisely adapted in her appliances for the spread of the gospel in the world. There are prizes there for every lought surely to satisfy the most successful worker; crowns there skeptical. overwhelm us with the spacious for every honorable head; happiness and preciousness of the ripe ness there for this world and the fields ready for the seythe of salva- world to come. - Bulletin. tion, to gather the priceless grain into Henvenly garners. We trust Public squares are a great blessing to the conthe church compasses her work, and that she will wisely and timely Baby Syrup; it is the best remedy for the cure.

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results satisfactory to her Savior. We need more houses of worship; hope to build two this year; also another parsonage, as the accumulating size and importance of call on the lady when she least over the charge will necessitate its division next year. We need a wider circulation of the TEXAS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE. It will instruct our children, implant correct principles in its readers, give right views of duty to the country as well as to

the church. We need a committee in every community to aid the paster in Christian visits and induce the non-attendants at church to come to the house of God. We need the union of hands and hearts that love the Savior's cause, to plan, to sacrifice, and work for Him, and above all and upon all, we need an enduement of power from on high in \$295 45 the indwelling presence and full-It is right and proper here to ness of the Holy Spirit, by whom

H. M. GLASS.

Honey Grove, Fannin County, caring and praying for me? But himself, as loss of time, doctors'

the messages of salvation delivered but we have no such law, and how the character. The number and cuit and doing a good work, try-by our presiding elder, Rev. J. can we get it? By working to-ferocity of the hateful brood depending every day to be not only bet-but a more useful man. Bro. Fred. Cox, and the visiting minis-gether. Let every preacher, or other on the measure of the soul's iniqui-Georgetown district, if Salado and dred names, and at the next sit- shall be "beaten with few stri work. At his second quarterly Davilla work be an average speciting of the legislature forward the But the same sting shall stin, both meeting, only a few days since, we men, is becoming a volume of petition, asking the legislature to -Zion Herald.

We have an intelligent member- cation, as members of the roll of workers. More anon.—L. L. Pick-

mould the elements of this commu- carrying on to its completion the

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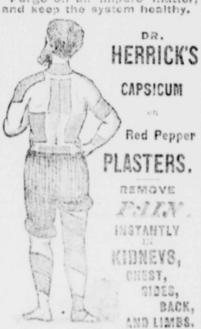
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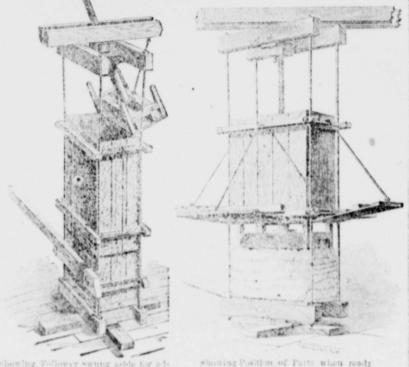
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would seem to be abrupt and peror in the ministry among those who meet her "beyond the river." - J. D. Shaw. HAT THE BLIND SEE.-Mr. have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the wood, wife of Bro. Franklin J. Greenwood, of H. S. T.

The White Pebble Pit.

sound windows, etc., and this miners have discovered curious century, died in perfect peace, April 10th, 1880 ther the doors be shut or open. traces of former workings, hun- good works would present a picture of moral en a window consists of one re sheet of glass it is more diffito discover than one composed number of small panes. From the control of the co it would appear that glass is a relies. A singular discovery was be praised:

The heart of her husband doth safely trust in conductor of sensation, or at made a few years since by some rate of the sensation specially workmen engaged in the Spanish she will do him good and not cyll, all the day rate of the sensation specially and sense to the sensation specially sensation seems to come in an subterranean passages they sudoblique line from the objects to denly found a series of apartments, she stretches out her hand to the poortin which were a quantity of minwalking with a friend in Forest ing tools, left there from a very reI ne. Stratford, I said, pointing mote period, but still in such good

And let her own works praise her in the gates to a fence which separated the road preservation that there were hatch- and heartless fashion "rule or ruin" so many from a field, "Those rails are not ets, and sieves for sifting the ore, a households of our land, it is rare, but refreshgu te as high as my shoulder." smelting furnace and two anvils, ing to meet with such a character as our de-He looked at them, and said they which proved that the earliest were higher. They however measured about three inches lower their operations. In one of the cavers there was a ranged building. th 1 my shoulder. When I made caverns there was a round building, "Let not your adorning be the outward adornobservation I was about four with niches, in which were three ing of plaining the hair, and wearing of gold, from the rails. Certainly in statues, one sitting down, and half the size of life; the other two were hidden man of the heart in that which is not corruptible, even the ornament of a meek and b accurate than sight. When in a standing position, and about ower part of a fence is brick- three feet in height. This building price-for after this manner in the old time the and the upper part rails, the can be detected, and the line ple of the God who was believed, in pagan times, to preside over in pagan times, to preside over and trusting heart, she accepted the vicissitudes Irregularities in height, pro- mines. Several objects of art, and incident to a pioneer life in her adopted home. ons and indentations in walls some remarkable instruments, were and exemplified a fixed purpose to honor God. also be discovered. A similar also found, which have led scien- bless mankind, and prepare for Heaven. creation, and especially in bats, ings might have been made by the who have been known to fly about ithout stricking against anything fter the cruel experiment has been Solomon, famous for their manus.

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In 1854, a discovery was also made by some miners excavating on the other side of the mountain on which the White Pebble Pit is sit. an can do a good job of work, preach a sermon, try a law suit well, doctor a to which the White Pebble Pit is situated; this was a fine figure of the heathen God Hercules, which was found in an old working. In dignard cheaply removed by a little Hopters. See "Truths" and "Proverbs" in er column.

other side of the mountain of the shores of time and with way-worn steps pursues his lonely pilgrimage. And may the same good spirit in accents of love repeat, "gome home!" until the tears and prayers of their now sainted mother and grand-mother shall be answered, and there shall not be found an unconverted one in all her numerous household.

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A little brother and sister were talking about their home, and their love for it. "I wouldn't swap may hope for any other in the world, brother McCullough, said the sister. "Oh! I don't crutch in thorough mental so," was the boy's response. "I think Willy A —'s home is a pretty as ours. It's bigger; and is like to swap ours for that, would you like to give up were world and grief in his world, brother McCullough was pretty as ours. It's bigger; and is like to swap ours for that, would you like to give up were world and grief in his world, brother McCullough was pretty as ours. It's bigger; and is like to swap ours for that, would you like to give up were and your mother for his "ed the sister. "And would you like to give a cordial and grief in his and rest." "No. I wouldn't want a present that they might let the sisters than res?" "No. I wouldn't want as well as a strength of the world in the world. I wouldn't want as well as a strength of the world in the world in the world with the world would you like to give a cordial and grief in his law world with the world with th would swap his home for a neighbor's? — Sunday-School is no will die and go to hell."

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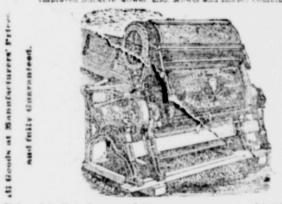
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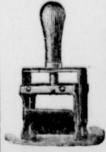
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firm of M. T. Quimby & Co., of personal intercourse: Mr. M. Cul-Boston, Mass., that advertise the lum and Mr. Ridenaur live about man government; but each time he was without excuse. \$4 watch in the ADVOCATE, reliable? seven miles from Midway. Madi- He hoists them on their own V. 13. "Then said the King to Wheat crop is a complete failure. son county. McCullum was in the petard. Then, as though uncon-Corn crop looks very flattering habit of bringing the mail to the scious of the issues at stake, He foot and take him away and cast The moral and temperate elements settlement near Carber's school-deliberately arraigns the hierarchy him into outer darkness: there in society in this county fully en- house. Ridenaur accused McCul- and makes plain to the people the shall be weeping and gnashing of dorse the Advocate and Car Toon lum of opening his mail and radical difference between them in their attacks upon wickedness thought McCulium was a detective. in high places. Continue to lay From that McCullum omitted on, McDuff .- J. W. Coker. [Quim-| bringing his mail and he got enbo & Co. are reported by the com raged at it. On April 18th, they mercial agencies as good. They had some words about it in the conduct an extensive establishment field, but parted peaceably. Riand we believe them reliable. We denaur spent a good deal of time have seen two of their \$4 watches. on Sunday, sharpening his knife and they keep good time. Write and made many threats. On Wed-

Word. Sunday-schools and prayer- in the temple, and in the stomach rather than to the words of those many ways, by His life, His mesmeetings doing well.—M. A. Black. as he fell. It was done very who sought to arrest Him, but de-sage, His sufferings, death and res-

PLUK CREEK, Coryell Co., April quickly. McCullum is a sober, West Falls, Falls County, April 24.—We, as Methodists, are alive here. Built a church 24x40; will not ceil it till fall. We laid the corner-stone the 9th of March. The property of the peaceable man. He told me he had no time to think, and he felt to the disciples but aimed at the corner-stone the 9th of March. Noth-Point we were met by Bro. Ed. L. Our preacher in charge, P. W. ing is known of Ridenaur; he was parables wherein they recognized the espousal of the Son of God to Barcroft and George A. LeClere, Gravis, officiating last Sunday, (the a stranger in the county. McCulthemselves as condemned. While His church, the spiritual bride. pastor in charge. A waggon and sad); he dedicated it by giving us lum has been here about eighteen they did not always listen to Him, of His guests. He invites them in out eight miles in the county. We were soon on the road. What a scene! Beautiful prairie; countscene! Beautiful prairie; countThey were much interested; some act.—G. H. Phair.

Mental from their of His guests. He invites them in the spies all that He said against them. time to prepare, and then notifies be generally justify him in the scene; like unto a certain king, which fuse an invitation to a wedding; less flowers; herds of cattle; droves laughed, some cried and some got

Mrs. B., and was enjoyed by all Sunday-school, best perhaps ever parties. The kindness of the family, known in this vicinity; seventyand their devotion to the church, five regular scholars in attendance. will long be remembered by the Through the indefatigable effort of writer. Quarterly conference next Dr. T. H. Hall and the co-operaday, well attended. Pastor in tion of other good brethren, as well charge's report told how well as the community, our own literahis work had been performed, ture has been introduced, and The church is growing under everything is working harmoni-his management, and he is in ously. We anticipate a bright fu-

WIMBERLY P. O., Hays County, T. and P. R. R., constitute the April 26 .- A sad accident occurabove circuit. Quarterly confer- red a short time since. Mrs. Wilence at the latter place. Only two liam Stapleton of this vicinity left church organizations. But few offi- her babe, less than two years old, cial members present. The report asleep and walked out for a few of the pastor in charge, Rev. D. M. minutes and returned to find the Stovall, gave us a very clear idea child had got up, climbed the yard of what he is doing. He is the fence and gone a short distance to of a genuine Christian magnanimichampion church-builder of the the Blanco; went in and was ty by the people of his charge. Inconference. He began at Mineola drowned when found by the mo- stead of mouthing and grumbling with scarcely an organization; ther. Terribly hard times finan- because he does not do the amount Methodist people disheartened. cially, and worse spiritually. God Work was his motto: result, about bless the Advocate. May we all \$800.00 collected; church-building realize that one cannot only chase up, covered, floored, weather a thousand, but put to silence the boarded iled, spire running high enemies of morality and religion. it more than if he had not been -A. F. BRIDGES.

The church is growing 26 .- St. Joe circuit is in a prospering condition. Spiritual interest perverted views of moral and reing support of the pastor in cha. 'e expect by the close of the year to report the Mineola circuit above missionary ground, have been added to our number perfect deviews of moral and resignation. Spiritual interest increasing, prayer-meetings well ligious obligation. We write this attended, with good results. Church membership increasing. Fifteen have been added to our number people of Bro. White's charge will be present to believe that the good people of Bro. White's charge will the present quarter. Expect to fail to do their duty, but to let it lous to be sent to the work.—R.

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Where Creative Palo Pinto Co.

Where Creative Palo Pinto Co. WHIT CIRCUIT, Palo Pinto Co., ably well; cotton not up; too dry; this effect if necessary. Bro. White April 24 .- Millsay Valley is a de- it will not come till it rains; wheat will be able to fill his appointsirable location on account of its is trying to head out-some of it ments, but not to do that amount being tolerably level, a rich pro- from six to ten inches high, and is of pastoral work that it is in his ductive soil (sandy mesquite), falling down; crop thought to be heart to do. We hope that, with healthy, plenty of good pure water an entire failure. Stock water is proper care and under skillful

splendid, and timber sufficient for April 23.—I was sorry that I could farm use; and several good Meth | not be at the missionary meeting odist families are living here, with at Gainesville to hear Dr. Wilson to a friend, stating that he has become a strong room for more. We have a class and the Circuit Rider, but as I was convert to the use of Liver Pads for all diseases of forty to forty-five members, on the move from there to this many of whom are truly pious and devoted. We have a good school devoted. We have a good school devoted. The move from there to this place, I could not. We are now comfortably domiciled at Forest-this great Absorption Remedy. Dr. Chaplin's but they which were bidden are community now ready for organization. Taken all in all, I consider this to be a desirable neighborhood my family more so when they may family more so when they carried a verywhere, both to prevent and cure diseases. It was prevent and cure diseases of they who accept them are worthy. The Jews refused, and now He for those contemplating a move. came. You will please say to all Land may be obtained on easy whom it may concern, that my terms, and while I will extend en- post-office address is changed from couragement to all good citizens Gainesville, Cook county, to Forto come among us, I will take much restburgh, Montague county.-W.

SAN MARCOS, Hays Co., April 27. -In publishing the card to which "come and see."-Thos. B. SMITH, my good Brother Harris refers in your issue of the 24th instant, and which was true in every respect, I DESDEMONIA, Erath Co., April 26. did not intend to pluck a single -Second quarterly meeting on laurel from his placed brow; much Desdemonia mission just over. Our less did I intend either to criticise presiding elder, Bro. J. K. Lane, his administration or to laud my failed to be with us on account of own. Bro. Harris did turn over sickness. While we were sadly to me \$25 for repairs, but it cost disappointed in not meeting with \$271, which was in no sense provi-Bro. Lane, we were not disappoint- ded for when I took charge. I also ed in having "the witness of the found in the hands of one of the Bethany He raises Lazarus from Spirit." The pulpit was very ably brethren an assessment; not a "sub- the dead; and He spends most of came in to see the guests. He found filled Sunday at 11 o'clock by scription"--an arbitrary assessment winter and early spring in and there a man which had not on a Bro. J. M. Brading, local elder. I against the church for an amount near Jerusalem, preaching and wedding garment." Here the preached forty-three times during sufficient to cover the indebted-teaching. The parable that fur-Speaker passes from the invitation the last quarter; received six into ness at the time it was made, but nishes us our lesson to-day was to the Gentiles to the judgment the church; dismissed one by let- which, when I came to collect, was ter; two by church conference. repudiated more than one-third. We will soon have a Methodist and I could get the rest only by Sunday-school at Desdemonia, so promising to refund it if the whole soon as we receive the literature. amount was not raised. I did not the hypocrisy of the Pharisees; We expect to have three or four think it important to state all these He had overthrown the heresies of It was the custom then at feasts of before the year is out. Wheat not facts in my first card. I had supso promising as it was a few weeks posed that Bro. II. was content to it is dying in places. Pros- know that his record is on high pects otherwise for crops are good, but I have thus incidentally learn- of truth; and all unite for His Friend, how camest thou in hither, The Sunday law is strictly observed ed that he is not wholly oblivious at Mr. Colt's camp on the Texas to the delights of earthly glory.—Pacific Railroad. The ADVOCAAE JOHN S. GILLETT.

COMANCHE Co., April 23.—Is the these as near as I could learn from failing in this, they try to cajole regarded the honor of his host. them, and they will give you evinesday, 21st, McCullum was rethwarted all their schemes to acterrible.

v. 14. TEXANA, Jackson Co., April 26 Sloan. Ridenaur came up with -The crop prospect is very good. the time to settle the difficulty. and the stock interest is prosper- and attacked McCullum, cutting ous. Great numbers of cattle have the breast of his coat about five been driven this spring. Our con- inches in length. McCullum sprang gregations at church are good and back, drew his pistol, and shot him attentive to the preaching of the in the breast near the throat, and

NEW YORK, Henderson Co., April that the moral forces of this country supper was waiting us, prepared by prosperous schools on the work. At descree to lose our heritage.—L. M. Savior. the hand of our good little friend, New York we have a very fine Lewis.

SULPHUR SPRINGS, Hopkins Co., April 27 .- It is already known to your readers that Rev. J. H. White, in charge of White Rock circuit, North Texas Conference, has had the misfortune to lose his wife. Her long affliction before the Lord took her home prevented our good brother from giving that time and attention to his work that he would have done otherwise. Since her death he had entered vigorously into the work; but now he is afflicted with sore eyes, and Dr. Beeton, of this place, an eminent oculist, tells him he will have to stay indoors as much as possible, or the result will be serious. Now, here is a fine opportunity for the display afflicted. A people who withhold St. Joe, Montague County, April er is afflicted and disabled from doing full work, certainly have in hope.-M. H. NEELY.

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SECOND QUARTER-SEVENTH LESSON, May 16, '80 Matt. xxii: 1-14; The Marriage Feast: Time-April 4, A. D. 30-Place-The Temple in Jeru-

GOLDEN TEXT.

Go ye, therefore, into the highways, and as

ourneys on towards Jerusalem. At seated, meaning guests. fearlessly attacked and exposed had felt the keen edge of His sword the temple with flatteries and guile. And he was speechless." into a controversy that would A MAN KILLED IN MADISON cause Him to encounter the prejucomplish His rain; but tact and duty did not then harmonize. His hour had come. He had fully replains the call rejected by the Jews. vealed Himself in His true char-

spake unto them again by para-bles and said." "Answered:" re-

is like unto a certain king, which made a marriage for his son." "The kingdom of Heaven: "Christ's wedding feast prepared for us is spiritual kingdom. The likeness more unreasonable and unnatural down, but left the moon high in 26.—The people are alive to the need to be aroused, and if we do ding jeast; "marriage:" a wedding wedding of an esteemed friend. the heavens; our pleasure was in-creased; our cup was full. But a good of the Athens (circuit. Several of a Christian commonwealth, we Heaven, and His "Son" is our expense of a wedding garment, or

V. 3, "And He sent forth His 4. God's bounty is ready, and bidden to the wedding, and they would not come." "His servants:" 5. 1 would not come:" the invited guests, contrary to all usage, refuse all offers of life, but others are vinto go. The Jews were the invited dictive and meetall offers of mercy

V. 4. "Again, He sent forth 7. Such unjustifiable conduct, in likely those who went out preach- tions heaps of ruins. vitation is renewed; "my oxen and fatlings are killed," is an allusion to the preparations for the sacrifi
9. Go ye into the highways, where message is repeated as though they robe them that they may come.

10. We can see the glad messen-

and went their ways, one to his startled at the generous message. farm, another to his merchandise." 'Made light of it:" disregarded; the farmer and merchant disre garded the invitation alike.

V. 6. "And the remnant took his servants, and entreated them spitefully, and slew them." remnant:" representing the others, not included in the farmers and merchants-the Pharisees; "took: seized; "entreated them spitefully:"

outraged them or beat them.
V. 7. "But when the king heard
thereof, he was wroth: and he sen forth his armies, and destroyed those murderers, and burned up their city." Here is an allusion to the coming destruction of Jerusalem, which was fulfilled to the letter. "Sent forth his armies:' the armies of the Romans forty years afterwards; "destroyed those murderers and burned up the'r city:" destroyed the Jews and burned Jerusalem; "their city: no longer God's city

The Jews refused, and now He calls the Gentiles.

V. 9. "Go ye, therefore, into the highways, and as many as ye shall find, bid to the marriage." highways:" the squares or crossings of the principal streets. The call now is to invite all they find to the wedding or gospel feast.

V. 10. "So those servants went out into the highways and gathsalem: Rulers-Tiberius Cæsar, Emperor of Rome: Pontius Pilate. Governor of Judea: they found, both bad and good, Herod Antipas, of Galilee; and Herod Philip, and the wedding was furnished with guests." "Those servants: the evangelists to the gentile world; many as ye shall find bid to the marriage.-V. 9. the good :" all were invited ; "with "highways:" ways; "the bad and After blessing the children, Jesus guests:" with those reclining or

V. 11. "And when the King given in the temple, and forms a day. The allusion of the King part of His last public service. coming in is to a custom then fa-Wherever He had gone He had miliar to all. The King came in when the guests were seated. Had not on a wedding garment: the proud Sadducees; nor had the kings for all the guests to be furwordly Herodians escaped. All nished with wedding garments.

V. 12. "And He saith to him, overthrow; and they greet Him in not having a wedding garment? They endeavor to inveigle Him ident from the narrative, that the guest could have had a wedding garment. "How camest thou" in-County. - The circumstances are dices of the common people; and, dicates that in thus coming he dis-Him into a collision with the Ro- "Was speechless:" was muzzled;

deliberately arraigns the hierarchy him into outer darkness; there and Him; between their doctrine same word as servants before used; and His; and between their prac-tices and His. He thus barbed him hand and foot:"having bound them to the quick, and then and his feet and hands; "take him there they—the Pharisees, Saddu- away:" take him; "cast him into cees and Herodians—cemented by outer darkness:" hurl him into a common hatred, determine that the darkness without; "there:" He must and shall die. It is evident without. The figure, expressing that with tact He could have the anguish of those cast out, is

Here it will be seen, that the call acter, and His work was complete.
V. 1. "And Jesus answered and after the calling. after the calling.

APPLICATION.

1. Jesus has spoken to us in plying to; perhaps to the thoughts rather than to the words of those many ways, by His life, His mes-

is not to the king, but to his wed- than would be a refusal to attend a to command our time.

servants to call them that were He calls us again and again to His

5. How many make light of the John and the apostle; "to call call to a feast of life, and go their them:" to notify the invited guests; ways to their gains, preferring "bidden to the wedding:" previ-ously invited to the wedding; "they the treasure of Heaven.

with persecution and death.

other servants, saying: Tell them returning evil for good, is enough which are bidden, Behold, I have to arouse the wrath of the King of prepared my dinner: my oxen and kings. God's armies of divine judgmy fatlings are killed, and all ment are destroying continually things are ready: come unto the murderers of His truth, and are marriage." "Other servants:" leaving the cities of the wicked na-

ing after the day of Pentecost; "tell 8. The Jews reject and are unthem which are bidden:" the in- worthy, and the Gentiles accept

cial feasts; "all things are now flows the fullest stream of human-ready:" the Gospel feast is ready; the "come unto the marriage:" the them to a royal feast; call them and

had never rejected the invitation.
V. 5 "But they made light of it, gergoing, and the hurrying throngs

for the feast as they required, but one unfortunate Pharisee thought his own robe of righteousness sufficient, estimating lightly the grand entertainment.

12. His self-assurance fails him when the king enters in his gran-serted one week in Three Hundred deur. He is dumb; he needs no condemnation; he condemns himself by his silence

13. All are called, but those only come with the proper preparation of heart for the feast of Heaven. are chosen who accept the call and



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