American Presbyterian and Genesee Evangelist. FEB. 20, 98 against him. It is well that good men are trying on railroads, and those of the "Young Men's a gentle refreshing last spring. Some hearts are to evangelize our soldies in their present condi- Mercantile Library Association," to take the stirring themselves to take hold on God now. held in Sweden on the 4th inst., the Rey. John OUR NEED OF A REVIVAL. The second and last volume of this work has American Bresbyterian G. Taylor was ordained and installed as the Pas- just been published by Sheldon and Co. New TEE manifestations of the Spirit are various tor of the Presbyterian congregation in that Work, and is for sale by J. B. Lippincott and Co., GENESEE EVANGELIST. Religious influences may be active and pervadplace. It is a remarkable fact that although the of this city. 800 pp. 558. Hanover College.-In Hanover College, eightheir hores and mingle with the people again. ing when we scarcely suspect it. While longing all loyal teachers and ministers of the gospel Church in Sweden has been in existence from Professor-Ellicott's Commentary on the Epheteen-persons have-made a profession of religio It me require salt which has not lost its savor, should take, and *full* their oath of allegiance, that during the past year. One of the Faculty writes: A Christianity which has not parted with its life, they might be easily and permanently distinguished "The religions, interest commenced, in connecand crying to God for a revival, we may be overforty to fifty years, Mr. Taylor is their first Pas-THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1862. sians has been published in a thin octavo in very looking an actually existing revival, different in tor ! They have always been furnished with handsome style, by Warren F. Draper, of Andofrom others? We know some ministers that will tion with the week of prayer in January, 1861. its mode, yet just as real as the one we seeking. We shall greatly err, for instance, if and aggressiveness, to counteract the demoralistated supplies.-Evangelist. ver. We are pleased with the evidences of the JOHN W. MEARS. Editor. hasten to place their names on that seroll of ho- became more decided after the day of prayer for zing tendencies of war. Dedication .- The church in Montrose. Pa. popularity of the works of Prof. Ellicott with we fail to trace the great and unation up-rising of the loyal people of the nation, to the comparative prevalence religious principle, and the influence of evangelical pulpit in the norand we know some that we think will not And deeply do we need in the community the have just completed a new, commodious, and at-Colleges. the last Thursday of February, and our theologians, as shown by repeated issues-THE Union Prayer-Meeting of our Churches influence of a revived, vigorous, evangelical ele-How strange it seems to realize that this city tractive house of worship, at a cost of about continued till April. There is no special seri this being the third of his excellent volumes rewill be held in Buttonwood street church, (below ment, to fasten, upon the people the conviction \$14, 000. This amount having been provided is under martial law. Yet I enter it at midnight usness at present, but prayer meetings are held published in this country. The general charac-Sixth) Rev. Mr. Shepherd's, to-day, Thursday, never more safe, never less distuited, and slept, daily by the students, and good order prevails in that our national welfare depends upon the pracfor, so that the church could own the house and land, as a leading cause. If the personal history ter of the Commentary on the Ephesians resemat 4 o'clock, P. M. Notice.—The annual concert of prayer for Colleges, and other Institutions of learning, will be held on Thursday, Eld tical recognition of God, of his law, and of the honestly dedicate it to the Lord, that interesting securely. Verily, "the law was made for the bles that on the Galatians before published. We a remarkable degree. , Over twenty undergrad obligation of Christian principle in the managelawless and the disobedient," and some of them are uates are in the army, six of whom are professor service was attended to on Wednesday, the 5th have the same painstaking research into the ment of our public affairs. That sense of depenfeeling its rigornee , the pound your guildees inst. The Sermon was preached by Rev. T. S of religion." of the theoly an allow glouw grammatical meaning of the sacred writer, the dence and of responsibility, brought out so vivid-Ward of Carbondale, and the dedicatory prayer I spent a day in camp Benton and the hospibe held on Thursday, February 27th, in the 1st ism. nerving the individual to a true, martyr same brevity, the same earnest grappling with Kenyon College.-There have been a few Presbyterian church, (Rev. Mr. Barnes,) fterian o'clock, A. M., and in the Western Barty fterian church, (Rev. Dr. Smith's,) at 4 wrock P. M. was offered by the Rev. Henry A. Riley, who ly on the national East, needs to be kept near the tals. Two brethren of our Church-Brothers difficulties, the same thoroughly devout and beonversions in this College during the past national heart. Our crisis has given the Church has for twenty-one years been pastor of the Babb and Kennedy, were laboring faithfully and lieving spirit. Such a blending of profound and a new calling ; it is to bring the unworldly prin-Vear is the different with any main that he will church. Its location and arrangements are such acceptably in their respective regiments, where comprehensive scholarship, with Anglo-Saxon ciples of the Gospel into contact with our politi-Lawrence University, Appleton, Wis. Two as to make it one of the very best village churchare the sick and the dying to be ministered to, clear good sense, and a fervent evangelical spi-WE learn that the church at BAY CITY, putting on, as he never did before the whole prayer meetings each week, well attended. cal and social and commercial life as a controlling es in the State.-Ibid. saints to be strengthened and sinners warned, all of rit is one of the truly hopeful signs of the times. armor of God, and has gone forth to wrestle with WE learn that the on the 2d inst.; MICHIGAN, was described by fire on the 2d inst.; there being nursurance. \$700 have been sub-there being nursurance. power, and so to save the country. The lessons of The general religious interest is good. There THE WEST CHURCH, of N. Y., city, under the which one can hardly realize till he goes among He confesses with a frankness that does him hoprincipalities and powers, and the rulers of the the time have given us peculiar advantages in have been two conversions during the past care of Rev. Thos. S. Hastings, has secured a site them. Our armies, by the blessing of God will nor, the inadequacy of human methods for satisdarkness of this world, as embodied in the armed this work, it is true. The sanctity of the Sabbath for the erection of a church on Forty-second crush out this rebellion ; but war alone cannot year. soribed at friends here and in other parts of the hosts of rebels and traitors to our government to vice off si at hos restord factorily solving the problems presented in the street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, opposite for instance, can now be insisted upon with illussave this country. If it is to be saved in the hoper will assist. Marietta College .-- One of the officers of thi sublimely and mystically involved sentences of It has been as performing a religious duty of the trations drawn from Bull's Run and Big Bethel to the open ground on which the Crystal Palace best sense of that term, Mr. Editor, you in your institution writes: ""There are class prave the First Chapter, which he eloquently compares very highest import, that he has gone; and not a on the one side, and Somerset on the other. But it once stood, and which has now been made into a sphere, and I in mine, have much to do, for our meetings held weekly, and two general meetings few, in the very act of giving themselves to their to the enwreathed smoke of some sweet-smelling THE CONSUMPTION DETERMINED. will need all the energy and zeal and love for tasteful and attractive Park. The position is one country can be saved only by the Gospel of our one of which is on Sabbath morning. Many Lord Jesus, Christ. sacrifice, mounting upward to the very heaven of country, have found grace to give themselves to souls of a revived Church, to enforce these lesof the best which could have been chosen. It is The wicked generally have their day of restudents also attend a young people's meeting a heavens. "The most exact language and the their Saviour. We claim, as one of the element sons, upon the unthinking minds and hard hearts on a broad street, and between two avenues. It prieve. Providence mercifully waits for them. 3 P.M.: at the lecture room of the Congregations most discriminating analysis seem, as they truly of this uprising, a true and extensive revival of of the impenitent multitude. is designed to proceed at once with the erection His vengeance is not immediate or regular. Few H. KENDALL. are, too poor and too weak to convey the force or Church ... During the year there have been si religion. This hitherto untaxed nation must now go of a chapel and a Sabbath school room on the liars arc struck down like Ananias and Sapphira. conversions. There has also been a healthy re connection of expressions so august, and thoughts This revival has been extended to our views under the voke and, for a generation to come, rear of the lots, which the congregation hope to Few seditious ones are swallowed up like Korah. ligious tone, and the meetings have been pretty so unspeakably profound." A peculiarity of the THE STATE OF BELIGION IN WESTERN of the Scriptures and of doctrinal truths. We have ready by the first of May. We rejoice in for aught we can see, carry a great financial bur-Dathan and Abiram. And often their hearts are work is its systematic reference to the sermons well attended. In the winter and spring ther COLLEGES. have been elevated and enlightened to see, as we the prospects of this church, which under several den. All will feel it, down to the poorest citimiserably hardened by delay. "Because sentence was unusual interest, manifesting itself chiefly and treatises of the best English divines. "From have never seen before, the meaning and import-THE Committee of the Society of Inquiry of faithful pastors, has had a very useful history, ngainst an evil work is not executed speedily. zen. It will reach every source from which the n connection with the young people's meeting these alone," Prof. E. thinks, "we can provide ance of passages like the 13th of Romans, in and which, with its present active, working mem-Lane Seminary, have sent us valuable statistics therefore the heart of the sons of men is fully streams of Christian beneficence can flow. We n Sabbath afternoon." ourselves with preservatives against the unwhich the sanctity and divinity of the ordinance know that a patriotic people will endure these on the above subject, which are very seasonable, bership, and its popular and laborious pastor, we set in them to do evil." They say in their sound, vaunting and humanitarian theosophy Miami University .- "The average attendance of human government are taught. Our low views sacrifices cheerfully for the "good" cause. But in yiew of the approaching day of prayer, for Coldoubt not, has before it a long and prosperous heart; "God hath forgotten ; he hideth his face ; that is such a melancholy and yet such a popular t-our weekly prayer meeting is about twenty. have been corrected. The importance of main-Future, manufact finance ich for a mant al Ibid .he will never see it." They delude themselves into how will the enterprises of the church be af leges; to be held next. Thursday. They have characteristic of our times." The work is for We have reason for gratitude to God that the taining rightful authority in the family, the fected? 'How will pastors' salaries, newspaper also attached some items of information, from PLAN OF HOME MISSIONS IN THE CRAWFORDS a godless and reckless security. They scoff and sale by Smith, English & Co. Price \$1 50. University has suffered so little in consequence Church, and the State has been realized as never ask "where is the promise of his coming ?" They subscriptions, the necessary funds for our Miswhich we select such as we judge will prove in-VILLE PRESBYTERY .- We have been much inbefore: and the excellence of the divine law The memoirs of the Dutchess Orleans by the f the war, either in numbers or good order." despise the riches of the divine "goodness and sionary, Bible, Tract and Education causes be teresting to the reader. Though there is cause terested says the Herald and Recorder, in the same publisher. Scribner, have also reached a and the majesty of an inexorable justice which. Oberlin College .- " There is a weekly praye forbearance and long suffering; not knowing that raised? The gold and silver are the Lord's, and for thankfulness, the exhibition is not as gratifyreport of the Treasurer of the Missionary Fund out of Christ, will forever punish the guilty econd "edition. They describe the inner and ing as could be wished, and 'it' should stimulate meeting for each class, attended by one of th the goodness of God leadeth to repentance ; but as heretofore he has done, so henceforth we may of this Presbytery, Rev. J. Hawks, and we inouter life of a noble lady, whose hopes for this have filled us with new awe, and built us up in us to be the more earnest in our petitions in be-Professors, and a general weekly meeting for all after their hardness and impenitent heart treabe sure he will provide for these objects; so dear cline to think that Crawfordsville must be the our evangelical faith as only a true revival can. life were blasted in the Revolution of 1848, and to him. But not without a revived state of the half of the institutions of learning, where her students. Both have been well attended throughsure up wrath against the day of wrath and rebanner Presbytery. A Presbytery which a few Only in the light of the Holy Spirit and of Prowho seems to have been sustained in the great out the year, and of unusual interest." There velation of the righteous judgement of God, who Church: Not without a higher style of piety, a future teachers, guides and leaders of our land. years ago, received four or five hundred dollars vidence together, could the meaning of the have been frequent conversions. We have not and trying vicissitudes through which she passed. more complete self-consecration, a deeper gratiat last will render to every man according to his are now in course of training. . a year from abroad, to sustain its Missionaries, by a sincere piety. As the mother of the French tude to the Redeemer; an abounding win this deeds." had a general revival since a year ago, but the Indiated the second from and now supports them all without any foreign aid; press, in vehement language, the exhibition of princes, the Count de Paris and the Duke de grace also." as the culmination of a character al-And thus we might go on, quoting sentence blessing of God has been with us, and Christians not because it is so much more able than before, Summary of the Reports for the last Four. the divine justice-become so clear and so accept-Chartres, now serving as volunteers on the staff after sentence out of the Great Statute Book of have been built up in the faith. The religious ready abundant "in faith, and utterance; and wy when have been the state of the second but because by systematic efforts every member of Gen. McClellan, her memoirs will be read able. Wondrous things have been shown to us Justice, applicable to the events now transpiring condition of the classes improves very manifestly knowledge, and in all diligence, and in love.' of all the Churches is called upon to do something. out of God's law. ANTIOCH COLLEGE, YELLOW SPRINGS, OHIO. as they advance; the proportion of professors to in our country. For nearly a year, the authors The Church must needs be toned up to endure

As part of this revival, we reckon the imand promoters of the Crime against our country, proved tone of our people on the subject of have gone on with comparatively little rebuke. Long preparation, promptness and unanimity of slavery. Without at all joining in the cry for counsels gave them the advantage in the out- the immediate, indiscriminate and extra-Constistart. On two or three occasions, they have tutional emancipation of the slaves, the eyes of beaten back ignominiously the armed hosts sent the people have been opened to the violent. Christianized. From neophytes in her missionforth as representatives of the laws to subdue dangerous nd anti-Christian character of an ary churches, she is learning a lesson of primithem, and their pirate flag has waved beside not institution, which would sooner invoke all the tive devotedness to the cause of Christ. . Taxed a few of our captured and burning merchantmen. horrors of civil war, and put in extreme jeopardy and burdened, and even crushed beneath the op-Outrage and murderous violence have been the best of human governments, than resign its pressions of heathen customs and heathen desheaped upon the friends of justice and of right- dominant position in the policy of the country. ful authority within their borders, or with un. Perhaps the special illumination of a divine dance of their joy and their deep poverty bounded insolence and abuse they have expelled Agent was not needed to arouse the people to abounded unto the riches of their liberality; to them beggared and almost naked from their the real animus of an institution which called their power and beyond their power, they were homes. The delay which has providentially been freedom-loving Americans to choose between the willing of themselves, praving us with much engranted them, while the repulses of the just rule of slavery or no rule at all. But that percause were repairing and the preparations for a manent, healthful impression now being made. decisive demonstration were becoming complete, which will remain as a standing protest against has apparently but hardened their hearts, and slavery in the national mind, and which will fulness, the spontaneousness, the holy joy-of arepuffed up their pride, and strengthened their constitute a part of the world's moral progress purpose to persevere. Even the good have gained in this struggle, may be regarded as one grown impatient and anxious while judgment of the great works of the Spirit, who is leading ty as stewards of the Great Proprietor, and to aniwaited, and sympathisers with anarchy and rebel. on the nation through this baptism of sorrows mate us with a similar spirit of unreserved conlion sbroad have repeated, over and over again. and blood, in its progress towards holiness. And from the beginning of this conflict, the

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nation has given proofs of humiliation before of successfully coping with this great wrong. The delay is over-the delay that seemed so God and dependence upon his arm for strength, long-that was long enough for disgraceful de- as clearly genuine, as they were unparalleled in feats, for the loss of some of our bravest and best, extent and universality since the days of the Refor foul corruption to gather upon our public volution. As the nation arose unanimously to transactions, for treason more rank and more hurl back its proud defiance to traitors and foes murderous than Arnold's to develope itself in of flesh and blood, thus unanimously it bowed our army, for the European Continent to be filled and wept, and repented and plead before the Alwith angry threatenings of intervention-the mighty One, the acknowledged arbiter of its desdelay. that after all has been so short and that tinies. If ever there was proof of a palpable and only seemed so long, because the great issue of great revival, it is found in the serious and ex-'national life and death trembled in the balance- tensive observance of the National Fast. And it is over: and thick and fast, and overwhelming from the same revived state of the people. doubtfall the strokes of justice at last; the consump- less, has sprung that readiness of men in high tion determined is begun; the ministers of God's station, ever since our troubles commenced, pubprovidence are ready, and short work will he licly to acknowledge their dependence on God, make in righteousness. Within the brief space of and together with the evident gratification with a single month, a rebellion as deeply and treach- which such expressions are everywhere received. erously contrived, as unjustifiable, and as barba The prayer of Major Anderson's Chaplain at the rous in its ultimate aims, as it was vast, violent raising of the Stars and Stripes on Fort Sumpter, and powerful, has been brought to the verge of and the devout and Christian language and beardestruction. On the 19th of January, General ing of the hero ever since; the solemn appeal of Zollikoffer's army was routed in Southern Ken- the President-elect to his fellow-townsmen of tucky and himself killed. On the 6th of Feb- Springfield for their prayers, when about to leave ruary. Fort Henry, a stronghold on the Ten- them for Washington, and the tearful response nessee river, surrendered with its forty guns and | "We will pray for you," of the multitude; the mortars, and the commanding General. Tilghman. interview of our youthful General with his pastor, before starting to assume the grave respon-On the 8th, two days after, Roanoke Island, bilities he has been enabled to bear so well; and with a succession of batteries and twenty-five hundred prisoners, was captured; and on the finally, the very recent request of the new Secre-16th. an immense stronghold on the Cumbercretary of War for the prayers of all God's peoland river, named Fort Donelson, defended by ple; these are facts in the religious history of an army of 15,000 men, after having resisted our the nation that will never die out of our memoforces for three days and part of a fourth, and ries; and we must not, we dare not, be so blind having crippled and driven away our gunboats, as to overlook the special pervading influence of was surrendered with all its garrison, comprising the Holy Spirit in producing them. Recurring so some of the ablest leaders of the army of the re- frequently and in places where we do not usually bellion, to the brave soldiers of the Union, under | expect to find them, are they not proofs of truly revived state of religious feeling in the General Grant.

Was there ever a month's history more crowded nation? with great and glorious deeds, or fuller of pro-We have made these remarks in connection mise to the cause of human freedom. of republiwith the subject named at the head of this artican institutions and of lawful government the cle, because we think that in proceeding to ask world over? We are not yet ready for the grand for further favors from the Divine Spirit, we Te deum of the loyal people-but we do call upon ought to be sensible of what he has already acall most devoutly to praise and give thanks for complished for us. It is with no teeling of deep. the progress now making to the wished-for end. desertion or painful and prolonged withdrawal of

his influences, that we should ask Him for his WESTERN RESERVE COLLEGE, HUDSON, OHIO. sed the means, and after, a few days the obstacles Wr are pleased to find that a new edition of turn to us so naturally that we are sure to need all No. of Students in four College special, reviving presence now: We should, Prof. Smith of Union Seminary, the American Count Gasparin's remarkable book, the Uprising began to be removed and the high way of the 62 / 50 "with thanksgiving, make known our requests we can possibly raise during the year, though classes. editor, scarcely less known, and respected among of a Great People, has been called for. When Profs. of Religion in four Lord to be cast up. Never did I witness deeper unto God." "He hath blessed us, he will bless the churches are contributing much more generus for his attainments in the same department, 25 21 34 30 studying for the Minisone observes the date of the preface to the 1st feeling in a church, and more humble and penius." That our churches generally need to be ally and liberally than we expected; but it is wise has not only presented it to us, in a correct and edition. March 19th, 1861, one is astonished at tent confessions. The result of these meetings to revived, is only too true. Here and there over to anticipate the future. If the war shall termitry in 4 college classes, idiomatic version of the last German edition; but the far-sightedness of our Gallican friend who had the time. I left was the hopeful conversion of our field, and among the different denominations, nate in a few months we shall be called to estabhas made extensive and valuable additions, in WITTEMBERG COLLEGE, SPRINGFIELD, OHIO. then written of our grand rally to the defence of upwards of thirty persons, of whom eighteen had there are blessed indications of the divine prelish churches in places we never heard of, places to. of Students in four College the Constitution and Laws, while, from the been received into the Church. Of the converts sence, but the churches generally are but little 69 60- 72 106 selected as their future home, by men who are and especially in new sections upon topics not classes. President down, we were trembling with uncernearly half were young men. not this closer a moved, and in our own city the signs of a special Profs. of Religion in four taking observations as soldiers of the United tain hope, and feeling our way cautiously to a work of grace are almost entirely wanting. The college classes, 11 4 36 56 42 66 studying for the Minist PRESEVTERY, OF ROCHESTER.—The annual result, which, in his anticipations, was as clear season of effort is rapidly drawing to a close, and States. meeting of the Presbytery of Rochester was held Our friends in this city are very much pros as history. So, in his letter on the Trent affair, we begin to look one another doubtingly in the 32 29 44 try in 4 college classes, in the Central Church in the city of Rochester trated in business-indeed, all business in St. published in this second edition be anticipates, face as we ask: Shall we have a revival? ADDITIONAL ITEMS FOR THE PAST YEAR. on the 7th and 8th days of January last. The Louis, except that which thrives by war is utterly indensed view of the theological controversies ruined. Men but a little while ago, worth a hunwith the same sagacity, our acquiescence in the We deeply need a revival. War with its excitewhich have been so vigorously waged in the Con-Boston. demand of Great Britian. In fact, he has ments, its bloody work and hardening influences, dred thousand dollars, do not know now if they terest is less than it was before the breaking out the Rev. J. B. Shaw, D. D., and the Rev. F. F. gational and Presbyterian bodies of our own land as much, if not more, faith in us as a divinely its culture of ambition and of pride, its campare worth a dollar. And they are looking to of the war. Yet the attendance on our prayer Ellinwood, were chosen Commissioners to the THE Fort Pitt Works, Pittsburg, Penna. true wars, of giants which thus long have guarded nation than we often have ourselves. vices and restless spirit, unfriendly to domestic General Halleck with great expectations, and meetings shows a good and steadfast degree General Assembly, also Dr. Harry Allen and C. waited for the pen of the philosopher-historian, twelve mortars per week, each weighing eight De Gasparin is the prophet of our crisis. The translation is agood one, by Mary L. Booth. New vices and restless spirit, unfriendly to domestic quiet and the occupations of peace, even though longing for his success. Some of his late orders of interest, which is encouraging. There have K. Adams, Lay Commissioners. The Rev. C. to set them forth in their proper proportions, and a half tons. Large numbers of heavy translation is a good one, by mary 1. Dootn. New its purpose be most righteous—is no means of have given eminent satisfaction to Union men. been two conversions during the year." The references of Prof. Smith to our controversial Dahlgreens and Columbiads, and an immense cott and Co., Philadelphia. 12mo pp. 300 price grace. With it, rather, the enemy comes in like His summary dealings with Engler, his ordering Beloit College There have been three con- Theological Seminary for three years. grace. With it, rather, the enemy comes in like His summary dealings with Engler, his ordering Beloit Couege. Inser nave been since our increases were and personnel increase of the Presbytery coming down to our own time. At an adjourned meeting of the Presbytery coming down to our own time. The College enjoyed At an adjourned meeting of the Presbytery coming down to our own time. and periodical literature are copious and valuable, quantity of shells, are also being manufac-75 cents.

secration to our Saviour. We need a revival. The need is so clear that we can scarcely doubt the Lord's purpose to grant it. But, he will be inquired of for this thing, and we must stir ourselves up to take hold upon him in importunate prayer.

OUR CHURCH IN MISSOURI.

St. Louis, Mo. Jan. 28, 1862.

potisms, " in a great trial of affliction, the abun-

treaty, that we would receive the gift." These acts

of liberality have constituted a revival-have been

accompanied with all the phenomena-the prayer

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val, to enlighten us as to our relations to our proper

Mr. Editor .--- In looking after the interests of our church in the department of Home Missions, I am brought to this city. And though through: the unpresbyterial and very unwise act of the American Home Miss. Society, and this late atrocious rebellion, we have very little left in Mo., yet we have enough left for a "base of operations" in the future, which, after the war, and Missouri becomes substantially a free state, we trust will grow like the mustard seed, that is, like the kingdom of heaven. We have a fewvery few missionaries in this state laboring faith fully amidst secession and perils. They have faith in the future for Missouri. Nor are they alone. The "Union church" which cost nearly \$90,000 and was originally New School Presbyterian and went over to the Old, to get help to pay its debts, and failed, has just been sold for \$35-000 to the Methodist church North. Most of the Methodists in Missouri I am told belong to the Methodist church South. Those who sympathise with the North, in numbers, wealth and influence are probably less than our own church But such confidence have they that the day of Missouri's glory is about dawning-that this is the propitious moment to strike, for the existence of a church in the state, in which the prin-ciples, of freedom shall flourish and Northern men be at home-that they have made this purchase, depending on their brethren in the North and, East to help them pay the debt. So we must be ready for the close of the war. Many eves are turned towards Missouri. A great. Central State, abounding in resources, there will be room in it ere long for many free men-when the slaveholders have gone South and their slaves to Kansas or Canada-and they are preparing to enter in and possess it. Our Home Mission work is, much larger than, we had reason to expect. The feeble churches

and students, each week-both well attended. No. of Students in four College 60 classes, Profs. of Religion in four 64 There have been eight conversions during the 35 ,48 43 45 year. The religious interest has, been, in the college classes, studying for the Minismain, good. try in 4 college masses, 24 27 25 Wittemberg College.-There has been no spe

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is well attended. 16 12 As usual, many of the Colleges have failed to reply to the circular of the Committee. 11. Hu HANOVER COLLEGE, SOUTH HANOVER, IND., No. of Students in four Gollege Channess on your CONTRACTOR COMMITTEE SOCIETY OF INQUIRY. Lane Seminary, Feb. 7th, 1862.

90 95 79 Our Church News. **35 40 51**

20 20 34 REVIVALS.—A Correspondent of the Evange KENYON COLLEGE, GAMBIER, OHIO. list at Richland, Ill. says :---". In a time of general indifference to the cause of religion in this -127 118 140 110 region, in the latter part of December we commenced a series of public, services of evenings studying, for the Minis-55 46 which we keep up for several weeks, with social meetings in the afternoon. Many hinderances beset our way, yet the Lord granted us a preci-LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY APPLETON, WISCONSIN. ous season of refreshing. The church was great ly revived, and some fifteen souls were hopefully converted. Our Old School brethren followed 45 84 us with a similar effort, and had an interesting season. And our Methodist brethren are now in the midst of a precious work of grace. Indeed MARIETTA COLLEGA MARIETTA OHIO. various denominations all around us are waking up to efficient action, and the Lord is working 56 55 70 60 by them in the salvation of souls. So general a season of religious interest has not been witstudying for the Minis- four worther and nessed in this region for many years past. To God's name be all the praise."

Another writing from Wyoming, Iowa, says MIAMI UNIVERSITY. OXFORD. OHIO. It is four weeks to-day since we commenced having meetings every day. I have been alone until Tuesday (21st.). when Brother Atherton of Cedar, Rapids, came. | God is with us. | Twelve or thirteen are now rejoicing in the hope, and a good number are inquiring what they must do to be saved. A general seriousness seems to prevade the community. All is quiet; no exitement but a still small voice speaks in tones not to be mistaken. In our meeting last night (23d) a seriousness prevailed such as I think I never witnessed before. That have have the tarming but or 2000 305 22

Rev. G. C. Wood; writes to the same paper of Students in four College lasses 125 149 199 158 God in Chatham Ill., as follows: under date of Jan. 30th, in regard to the work of

"The Bev. Mr. Thayer, who is the stated 90 100 189 102 supply of the church, informed me that there had not been what might be called a revival 70 95 50 there for more than twenty years, and during WABASH COLLEGE: CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND. this long period the number of additions to the Church had not been equal to the decrease. Be 51 54 50 sides this I was informed that there were difficulties in the Church of long standing, so that 25 29 22 before any good results could be looked for 13 16 18 much time must be spent in preparing the way and removing the stumbling blocks. God bles-

of this fund, who will receive your contributions when due. J. HAWKS, Sec'y and Treas. -These Family Subscriptions are then called for quartely by collectors appointed for the purpose. The results fully sustain the resolution of the Presbytery, to provide the means to support all the Missionaries within their own bounds. Soon it is safe to presume we shall hear. of this Presbytery extending help to "parts beyond."

hands of every family.

Subscription Ticket.

COMMISSIONERS TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY .-Presbytery of Delaware.--Rev. Thomas Larcom and Rev. G. T. Everest, alternate. For Lay Commissioner, Philip Bassett, M. D., and Benja-

min Hathaway, alternate. Presbytery of Utica.—The following ministers were elected Commissioners to the next General Assembly : Rev. Messrs. S. W. Brace, J. B. Hubbard, and A. A. Corliss. Principals: and Rev. P. H. Fowler, D. D., and Rev. Messrs. W. H. McGiffert and T. B. Jervis, Alternates.

A deep sadness was thrown over the Presby tery by the news of the sudden death of Rev. H G. O. Dwight, D D., of Constantinople, which reached us at the opening session. At that very time a letter was in the hands of the Moderator. requesting his admission as a member of Presbytery! and the second states

INSTALLATION .- The Presbytery of Ononda ga, at its annual meeting, January 15th, installed Rev. Lewis H. Reid, pastor of the First Ward church, Syracuse, N. Y., The Moderator, Rev. G. S. Boardman, D. D., presided, and put the constitutional questions : the Rev. L. P. Ledoux, D. D., of the Presbytery of North River, preached the sermon; the Rev. S. B. Canfield, D. D., of Syracuse, gave the charge to the pastor, and Rev. A. B. Lambert, D. D., of the Presbytery of Troy,



alarmed at the issue of new books in their department. each successive one proclaimed indispen sable to a complete theological collection. Such books as that above announced, encyclopedialike, obviate the necessity of multitudinous pur chases, being the essence of a thousand books in one. Here is a careful, discriminating, and impartial statement of all the doctrinal views and controversies of any importance that have prevailed in the Christian church from the beginning to the present time, with apt citations from authors and church standards, all systematised and presented in a clear, philosophic manner. 21st. 1862. Since this work has been brought before the public, it may be maintained that no one can safely argue a theological point without first consulting it. Its author, Dr. Hagenbach, is a profound German scholar, genial and liberal-minded, one of the greater luminaries of the theological heavens.

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