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Religious Antelligence.

Church has successful missions in the foreign field, don.-Presbyterian.

Revival at Princeton College .- The Presbyterian of this city, states that a very unusual state of when we take into consideration the great influence fervent prayer.

the Church and world, there should be earnest which lay on his heart as a burden of desire, and prayer, on the part of Christians, that this may was followed by a stranger in the meeting, in prayer by J. P. McLear, Esq, 80 00



(Odd Fellows' Hall).

prove to be a genuine and thorough work of the | for the same object, praying with uncommon fervor. Divine Spirit.

Ordination and Installation.-The U.P. Presbytery of Philadelphia recently ordained and installed Rev. I. H. Hanna, pastor of the Fifth congregation in this city. The Moderator presided ; Rev. F. Church preached from Col. i. 27, Dr. Cooper charged the pastor, and Dr. Dales the people. The occasion was one of great interest.

Chanting in Presbytarian Churches A cor-respondent of the Pertushire Courier states that in the East church and in Kinnoul church the ancient practice of chanting the metrical version of the Psalms has been introduced, and that the change has been giving " extreme satisfaction."

Congregational.

Revivals in New England.-The New York Evangelist groups together the following facts as showing the development of a new spiritual life in New England.

Of the mission church at Stoddard N. H., a writer says, in The Congregationalist: "For some year or two past a few have given pleasing evidence of having "passed from death unto life," and have united with the Church. Five years ago there was no male member of the Church resident in the town. It had no officers. But one family in the town of 1,000 souls at that time was known to maintain family prayer. Now the male members of the church are six, from whom two devoted, efficient deacons have been chosen, and eight families are known to worship God by the daily reading of his Word and country. prayer. Since the present year came in the church has held prayer-meetings every evening but one,

when a severe storm prevented. They have been holden in families in different parts of the town, goodly numbers being in attendance and a readiness shown by all the brethren present to take part inprayer and remark."

At the present time a few of the churches in Wind ham county, Ct., are enjoying what all very much need, a season of refreshing from the presence of God. A work of grace has been in progress for some time in Westminster. For nearly a year the nastor has been laid aside from ministerial labor. During the warm season a little girl about ten years of age often visited him, bringing him a bouquet of flowers. He improved the opportunity afforded by what could be done for their relief. We hope that her visits to converse with her upon the subject of God is opening a way for their elevation.-Boston religion. Finally he wrote a letter upon the subject. Soon after this she came to him inquiring what she should do to be saved. Through his instructions she found the Saviour. Then he began to labor with her companions; and so the work has gone gradually forward. In West Woodstock, in both the Congregational and Baptist churches, God is renewing his work. Several are indulging the hope that they have passed from death unto life.

There is also an interesting work of grace in West Ashford, under the labors of Rev. Mr. Kinney, who is supplying the church at Westford,-Boston Recorder.

A New Church.-A new congregational church edifice, has recently been dedicated at Union city, Mich. The Independent thus speaks of the origin of the congregation -- "They trace their origin back to a farmer missionary, who, a quarter of a century ago, left his pleasant home in Central New ly deployed by his many admirers and friends York, and came into the wilds of the West with the same spirit and intent as the Pilgrim Fathers, to lay

foundations for Christ. He pitched his tent there, became a nucleus of a good church and society, seven thousand Southern prisoners in Chicago, through whose influence the community were moral were inaugurated on Sabbath afternoon, the 23d and prosperous, saw several precious revivals, and ult., by the Rev. James Pratt D. D., of Trinity a house built for the Lord, and then confirmed the Church. The service will be continued so long as value and sincerity of his faith by a triumphant the prisoners remain among us. - Chicago Record. death. He has been gone for more than twelve years, but his memory is still fragrant among the people where his bones repose as the memory of the

just. They love to speak of their new and beautiful house, long needed for their increasing congregation, as the matured fruit of the seed he planted.

Andover Seminary and Prof. Shedd .--- Con-

that God would be pleased to send them a man after his own heart, who should break to the men of this regiment the bread of life.

Ten Tracts for Soldiers .-- The Committee to award the premiums of ten dollars each, bequeathed to the American Tract Society by the widow of Col. Alexander R. Thompson, who fell in the Florida war, for ten short "religious tracts best adapted to the soldiers of the United States army,'

from which they have selected the following, as in their judgment best entitled to the award, namely:-

"Show your Colors," by Rev. William M. Thayer. Franklin Mass., "True Courage," by Henry L. Boltwood, Lawrence Mass.: "Sentinels for the

Soul," by Wm. R. Duryee, Newark, N.J.; "The Soldier's Best Friend," by a clergyman in Canada: "The Soldier's Trust," by A. M. Smith, Mauch Chunk, Penn.; "Take Care," by Rev. Dr. Tryon Edwards, New London, Ct.; "Halt," by George F. Davenport, Huntingdon, Penn. ; "Maj. Sanderson," by Rev. J. K. Lyle, Lexington, Ky.; "The Soldier's Talisman," by Mrs. E. N. Horton, West

Cambridge, Mass. : "The Dying Soldier," by Rev. Charles Hyde, Ellington, Ct. The Committee have been pleased to observe in all the manuscripts submitted to them a truly patriotic spirit, and a deep and tender interest in the welfare, temporal and spiritual, of the brave men now under arms in defence of the institutions of our

Teachers for the Contrabands.-About forty individuals have sailed from this city to Port Royal, to instruct the eight thousand contrabands at that place. Of this number twelve or fifteen are females who will become teachers in an industrial school. Agricultural implements to the amount of three

thousand dollars, articles of clothing, and various ecessaries have also been taken out. A door has now been opened for something prac

tical to be done for the colored race, a channel has been made for benevolent feelings towards the oppressed. Something can now be done for their elevation besides mere talk.

We have always had a deep sympathy for the oppressed, but the difficulty has been to ascertain Recorder.

Miscellaneous.

The Missionary Cause in England.-For foreign missions during the past year, 1,764,000 Church of England members gave \$575,000; 772, 000 Methodists gave \$406,000; 607,000 Indepen dents \$261,000; 380.000 Baptists \$90,000. This amounts to for each Baptist 24 cents; for each Churchman 30 cents; for each Independent 40 cents; for each Methodist 50 cents.

Death of President Felton.-We regret to announce the death of Dr. Cornelius C. Felton, the learned and distinguished President of Harvard University. He died on Wednesday of last week at the residence of his brother, S. M. Felton, Esc. near Chester, Pennsylvania. His loss will be deepthroughout the land. He was one of the Regents of the Smithsonian Institution

Southern Prisoners.-Religious services, for the

30 00 any hour of the day or night, and witness the method York. The Boston Recorder says in the course of the emancipation of the slaves of rebels, was to-day NEVER FADES OR WASHES Cairo, N.Y., Durham, N.Y., Presb'y of Erie, Pa., by D. S. Clark, Treas., Mrs. C. H. Case, Southold, N.J., Cairo, N.Y., "" 500 "Families will be by leaving their ad in their orders at a parts of the city. UPHAM'S Hair Dye, 38 cents a box, three boxes for \$1. The best in use. Try it. Sold only uPHAM'S, a strong protest : "Many particular friends of the before the Senate, Mr. Cowan of Penna., argued The work of rebuilding the Baltimore and Ohio 5 00 Families will be regulary supplied at their houses 12 00 by leaving their address at the Bakery, or by handing 70 00 in their orders at any of our Agencies in the different 2 00 the site of the Theological Seminary at Andover, regard his pres- earnstly against it. In the HOUSE, John P. Verree Ran Road, now entirely inside of our line, is proence in that Institution as highly important to its of this city, was declared entitled to his seat, in opceeding rapidly. No. 408 Chestnut Street. feb22 tf feb27 3m present prosperity and future growth and usefulness. position to the claims of John Kline. On Wednes-A despatch from Cairo to the Chicago Tribune, Total for January and February, . \$711 90 WAR TIMES.—A reduction of a Hundred Per Cent. Superior Colored Photographs for \$1. Ambrotypes at all prices. REIMER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY, From the time of his inauguration he has been day the 5th, Mr. Morrill, of Vermont, continued March 6th, states that our pickets at Columbus made in great quantity, and of superior quality, REIMER'S GALLERY, who MAY DESIRE to avail the unserves of their advantages. Catalogues may be obtained at the office of the AME-RICAN PRESEVTERIAN, or on application to nov21 WM. F. WYERS, A.M., Principal, gaining influence over his pupils and over the minis- the debate in the SENATE on the confiscation bill, WILLIAM L. HILDEBURN, were driven in by the rebel cavalry on the previous PHILADELPHIA, March 1, 1862. ters with whom he has come in contact, till he now | speaking earnestly in its favor. On Thursday the day. The woods in the vicinity of the town having atjan2 1y Second street, above Green. jan-2 1y Second street, above Green.

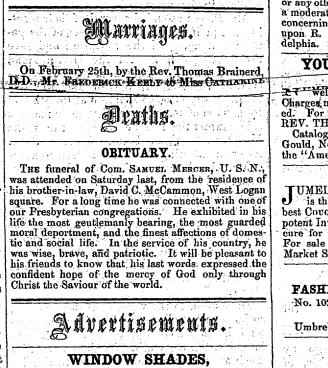
sons concerned than are the institution and property in it, in the present aspect of affairs. While it is true that the adoption of the proposed resolution would be merely initiatory, and not within itself a practical measure, it is recommended, in the hope that it would soon lead to important practical results. In full view of my responsibility to my God and to my country, I earnestly beg the attention of of Congress and the people to the subject. ABBAHAM LINCOLN.

restricting the press to the publication of news, which had received the approval of the Government, filled the public with anticipations of speedy and great movements, especially on the line of the Potomac, which were not at all realized. General Banks, it is true, crossed over on the 26th of February, with a view to permanent occupation, but he is not reported to have accomplished anything further. General Burnside's force is at Roanoke Island, and is view. Nashville, on the other hand, is quiet, peaceemployed mainly in reconnoitreing the waters of Alful, and orderly. "The rebels admit," says an bemarle Sound. General Viele is making slow apauthority, " that the Hessians have not committed proaches to Savannah, and at last accounts, had a single outrage, while the conduct of their own erected a battery on Bird Island, in the Sayannah troops was outrageous.") Thus it will always be. river above Fort Pulaski. He now has two batte- Wherever the flag of the Union floats, there will be rics or forts, constructed with the most extraordilaw, order, and protection. Wherever the rebels are in authority there must be disorder, anarchy, nary labor and pains, to command the river; one on Venus Point, Jones' Island, classically named Fort and rapine. Vulcan, and the other above mentioned, which was commenced February 20th in the night, and put in a more than defensible condition by daylight of the 21st. Savannah, however, is being strongly reinforced and fortified, though the cutting off, without a battle, of the great stronghold Fort Pulaski, must shake the confidence of the rebels in these defences. Indeed, it is said that the wealthier citizens are leaving Savannah as rapidly as possible. Reports place the number of armed forces collected for the defence of the city at from twelve to twenty thousand men, many of whom are raw recruits. We hear nothing of operations against Charleston, and the movements of our forces in the West since the surrender of Fort Donelson, have been apparently of very little consequence. The roads, probably, are even worse than they were, and the disabled condition of the gunboats may have prevented their affording the needed co-operation. Thus, from the 16th of February to the time of this writing, nearly three weeks, the movements of our army and navy, so far as heard from, have had no peculiar significance or brilliancy. The secondary results of those great and success-

ful movements have, however, been quite as great, indeed greater than the immediate. The surrender of Clarksville and Nashville, and finally the abandonment of Columbus, the rebel stronghold on the Mississippi river in Kentucky, are more important events than the fall of Forts Henry and Donelson, and may be regarded as parts of the latter events. and may be regarded as parts of the latter events. When Fort Donelson was surrendered, they were virtually included in the surrender. And the seem-troy, New York, 1st Presbyterian church, ing inaction and partial movements and slow approaches and mysterious orders of the War Department are, we opine, but a part of the grand strategy of the war; they are feints, like the reconnoissance of Columbus, which excited so much expectation before the expedition up the Tennessee and Cumberland rivers, and which was regarded as a silly and inexplicable movement by the North, when our trooms and gunboats came back to Cairo without striking a serious blow. The deep strategy of our leaders, culminating in such brilliant and vast successes, clearing one State entirely of rebel armies. laying the capital and half of another State at our feet, and opening the way for our gunboats to two others in less than thirty days-all this has given our military leaders a prestige in our eyes which makes it easy to trust them, and absolutely shames us out of any attempt at criticism. Enough may happen before this sees our readers' eves to fill their souls with a new burst of enthusiasm, and to give new occasion for praise to the God of battles and the Almighty Guardian of our Republic.

Position and Movements of our forces as known

who have hitherto regarded themselves as in sole possession of the bravery, strategy, military Total, . . \$2402 96 training and military qualities of this nation. Hear BOBERT ADAIR, what the Mobile Register says of their late reverses. CORRESPONDING SECRETARY. "We must make up our minds to bear a certain March 1st, 1862. amount of disaster. It is impossible that such a war as this should be a career of uninterrupted successes. We are engaged with an enemy who marshals the most majestic milliary strength that modern times have witnessed. He assails us along land and coast frontiers of near fike thousand miles in ex-Compare Richmond and Nashville says the Press, one a city in the hands of the rebels, the Praths. other a city in the hands of the Federal troops. "Drunken men reel and tumble into the gutters, sprawl over the sidewalks, brandish knives and pis-OBITUARY. tols, and oftentimes indulge in those deadly conflicts which fill our prisons with candidates for the gallows." This is Richmond from a rebel point of



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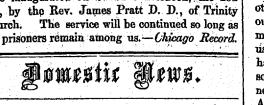
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