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Several Western papers have given long accounts of the extensive outpouring of the Holy Spirit in connection with Mr. Hammond's labors in Indianapolis. It would appear that the influence of the work has been felt all through the State.

During, at least, four weeks " The Ingiven a daily report of the meetings from one to three columns in length.

No doubt these reports, as was the case during the great awakening in 1858, moved the hearts of Christians in many to drawbacks on exported goods, because places to pray and labor for the salvation of sinners. The *Journal*, of May 17th, says: says:

"The Academy of Music was filled last evening long before the hour of meeting as it was never filled before, parquette, dress circle, galleries, stage, aisles, and every available foot of standing room being occupied. It was estimated that there were quite three thousand five hundred crowded into the building last night, and great crowds of people were compelled to go away, failing to get into the building."

At one of the meetings in the above mentioned place between six and seven hundred at the close of Mr. Hammond's sermon are spoken of as requesting the prayers of God's people. "Professor Bell, of the High School,

gave a report of the condition of that institution, so far as it had been influenced by the revival now in progress. The Professor said that seventy five of the scholars had professed conversion; that the attention the pupils were necessarily compelled to give these meetings, it was thought by a great many, would inter fere with their studies; but he said that while the scholars had not as much time to study, yet their attention and good behavior more than made up this defi ciency, and the school was never in as good condition as now; nor were the lessons as well recited."

At the close of the second week it was reported that about seven hundred were indulging the hope that their sins were forgiven Mr. H. remained four weeks, and as we learn that the work has gone on from that time to the present, the number must be now much larger.

The fact that about twenty ministers have been in constant attendance at the meetings, speaking and praying with anxious souls, indicates that the work must continue.

The Journal of May 24th, one week

Presbyterian church, and was led by the Rev. Dr. Holliday. After spending about fifteen minutes in singing some of the soul-stirring hymns in the "New Praises of Jesus," the Rev. Dr. read the beautiful and instructive lesson from the Old Testament, of Elisha's prayer for fire to fall upon the sacrifices, and his prayer for rain. He then made a few earnest and pertinent remarks upon the power of fervent prayer. Dr. Holliday was followed by several gentlemen, who spoke of the efficiency of prayer, and instanced cases in which hardened cases had been reached by prayer. d been reached by prayer. One encouraging feature of the meet-of the Golden City, May 26th.—The Hick-site Yearly Meeting appointed a large comfound the Saviour, participated actively in the work These young converts possess more power and influence than they imagine. They can in five words contribute very much towards the comfort and encouragement of God's people and the advancement of the cause of Christ in the hearts of sinful men. One young convert mentioned the fact that great joy of her heart at his conversion. of which she had just heard. Another asks prayer for an anxious friend. Another young convert, in whom a great reformation has taken place, spoke earnestly for Jesus. Another requested prayer that he might be strengthened to follow Christ, but felt like a little child in strength. He closed by asking prayer for four companions. Dr. Holliday read a request that all Christ's people unite in prayer for the President of the United States.

News of the Week. June 3-June 10.

The President has appointed C. C. An-drews (Minn.) Minister to Sweden.

The Departments .- The public debt, During, at least, four weeks "The In-dianapolis Journal," one of the most in-fluential secular papers in the State has given a decider papers in the state has 05,646.89 since Grant's inauguration. The real reduction, however, is still greater, as during the past month \$2,197,197.50 of interest due March 1st was paid.-It is impossible to carry out the laws in regard orders -The special treasury agents, after securing their offices by great trouble, find that there is no law of Congress authorizing them to draw on the Treasury for their combined salaries of \$381,000 per annum. wealthy Englishman, a staunch friend of the nation, refuses to take more than three per cent. interest on the U.S. bonds, and has transmitted the balance to the Treasury. No home patriot has got so far. Col. Parker has had no intelligence of the Indian outrages reported by the newspapers, but the military posts along the fron-

tier are to be increased in number. Army .-... Gen. Thomas succeeds Gen. Halleck in the command of the division of the Pacific and fixes his head-quarters at San Francisco. Halleck will soon take command of the Division of the South. A court-martial in Texas has sentenced Jas. Weaver to be hung for murder. Att. Gen: Hoare opines that the sentence is legal, as the war is to all intents and purposes not vet at an end in that State.

New England.-Gov. Stearns in his inauguration message, says that the debt of New Hampshire has been reduced \$350,-000 within a year, and recommends the taxation of Foreign Insurance Companies. The Mass. Senate has rejected Female Suffrage by a vote of 22 to 9. The Legislature is discussing bills to subsidize State R. roads and to establish a Metropolitan Police for Boston. Richard H. Dana withdraws his suit against Cambridge for

the rejection of his vote. Middle States.—Only 17,000 persons want places in the New York Custom House. Many rumors of filibuster expeditions come to the ears of the U.S. Mar-shall, but he is very cautious about taking steps. N.Y. Temperance men are going to run a State tick.t. Small pox is very rife in the metropolis. A clipper ship with 800 filibusters, is believed to have sailed for Cuba on Saturday.

-The brewers have been holding a Convention at Newark, and adopting resolutions declaring that beer is a friend of temperance, and that puritanic legislation must be stopped. The city votes to let the street cars run on Sunday, by 1200 ma-

after Mr. Hammond left, in speaking of the morning prayer meeting says: This meeting was held in the Second Presbyterian church and was led by the Ring want the city and other delegates to offer Geary a unanimous nomination on conditions. The Penna. Reserves held their annual meeting at West Chester. City.—The death rate rose six last week; twenty-four deaths from scarlet fever. The Board of Health reports the streets of nine of the eighteen districts in good sanitary condition, three improving, two nearly cleansed and two very filthy. These last two occupy most of the city, we should judge. Capt. Wm. H. West, a well known citizen, who served both in the navy and the merchant service, and saved the life of the crew and passengers of a vessel burned off Cape Hatteras in 1867, died in command

sions in Havana, and great successes of the insurgents. He denies that the Spaniards evince any spirit of discourtesy towards Americans.

G. eat Britain.-The Irish Church Bill has passed the first reading in the House of Lords. The Tory peers, who count on 80 majority, resolved in caucus to oppose the Bill on its second reading, June 14th and rejected a proposal to merely adopt material amendments in Committee. Mi Motley gives great satisfaction to the British public, who had supposed that Mr. Sumner knew the force of his own big words, but are agreeably disappointed to earn that Grant's policy is peace. Lord Clarendon, in the Lords, pointed out the fact that the Senate does not endorse Mr. Sumner's rhetorical effort in allowing it to be printed, and believed that good teeling would ultimately prevail. The Times is inclued to congratulate England on the rejection of the Alabama Treaty, as it con-ceeded too much to the United States. The Lords have passed the Lite Peerage Bill in Committee, with an amendment limiting their number to ten annually. The Irish Orangemen continue their agitation against the disestablishment of the Church. ministry announce that their colonial policy is to require each colony to contribute to its own defence, and to consolidate all British North America in the Dominion. Ocean penny postage gets the go by for three years more. The Manchester cotton men are trying to establish the cultivation of that staple in Morocco.

-Latest .- The Times warns the House of Lords that the Irish Church Bill must pass, and that its delay now, will only make its coming passage a humiliation. Gladstone (it is said) will secure a majority in the peers by raising all the Liberal eldest sons of peers to the Peerage at once. The Lairds of Birkenhead defend their

building of the Alabama as legal. Their defence mostly rests on the inadequacy of the municipal law, and is variously received by the papers. Much rain has fallen re-cently... The Tories still agitate against the disestablishment of the Irish Church. Gladstone refuses to abolish, but promises to reform, the Irish National School System. It is proposed to abolish the present patent laws, and The Times favors the plan. The copper coinage is to be withdrawn and a bronze currency takes its place. Tory landlords in Wales are ejecting their dissenting tenants for supporting Gladstone. Since August 1862,480 British joint stock companies have failed.

France -Gen. Dix, at a parting ban-quet in his honor, assured France that the policy of the U.S. was one of peace. France has sent a Commissioner (Ernest Burdet) to look after French interests in Mexico but he is to hold no communication with the Mexican Government. Mr. Washburne goes for a time to Homburg for his health. Nine out of every ten of our newspapers sent to France are confiscated.

-Latest.-The vote by ballot in Paris elects Jules Favre, Thiers, Ferry and Garnier Pajes, all Liberals. The Red Republican Rochefort of La Lanterne, was the opponent of Favre, and the Government influence was used in favor of the latter. In Paris the opposition had 210,000 votes, and the government 55,000.

Belgium abolishes imprisonment for

South America.-Gen. M'Mahon, our minister to Paraguay, has not been heard from for some time. The allies continue their threats of an immediate advance upon Lopez, but some say that it is not known where he is. The Isthmus Canal Treaty is still under discussion in the Coumbian Senate,

Germany.—A North Polar Expedition sails June 7th for the Island of Jan Mayen, and, if not successful in finding an opening in the ice, will winter at Spitzbergen and try again in 1870. The school teachers are trying co-operative emigration. The Zollverein or Castoms-Parliament, has elected Prince Hohenlohe. Vice President. He is the leader of the Union party in Bavaria, his election has a political bearing. Bills of exchange, malt and sugar are to be tax-ed. The Federal Budget, as adopted, esti-mates the expenditures and receipts at 76,-000,000 thalers. Dr. Hengstenberg, the leader of the High Lutheran party in the National Union Church, is dead. -Mr. Jay has reached Vienna. The coinage of the Empire is to be conformed to that of France. The Vice-Roy of Egypt has reached Vienna on a tour through Europe. The President of the Reichsrath, at its adjournment, May 16th, made a speech ascribing the prosperity of Austria to the new reforms, the settlement of the finances and the reorganization of the army. Bishop Lenz has been arrested for contempt of a secular court, before which he refused to appear.

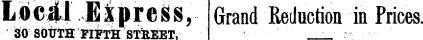


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THE MEETING YESTEBDAY.

Meetings were held in all the churches yesterday morning. In all of them an unusual interest in divine things was manifested. One hundred persons were received into the communion of the Second Presbyterian Church.

Late in the afternoon, open-air meetings were held in the State House yard, the old Cemetery and the Hospital. These meetings were appointed by the executive committee of the Gospel Regiment, which has recently been organized by the Young Men's Christian Association. These meetings were all of an interesting character, and it is hoped much good is done.

The meeting at the Academy of Music was an immense one. The vast hall was well filled, and a very deep interest was exhibited. The opening exercises consisted of singing and prayer. The Rev. Mr. Edson, after invoking

the Divine blessing, then addressed the great congregation, founding his remarks upon the 15th verse of the 13th chapter of Proverbs: "The way of the transgressor is hard."

The whole assembly then united in singing the hymn "Come to Jesus just now," during which a large number rose for the prayers of God's people.

Would that the secular papers in all our cities could give such reports of the command, and then await events. Admi-Lord's work in salvation of sinners.

ing was that those who have recently | mittee to co-operate with their new Indian agents, and authorized them to draw on the Treasurer.—The Jews are trying to consolidate their various Benevolent organizations.

The South .- The Freedmen of Maryland thank Grant for his appointments, and de-mand equal rights in Trades' Unions. The Printers' Union of Washington having refused admission to a son of Fred. Douglas, the bricklayers are agitating for the exhe had just received a letter from an aged mother, in which she expressed the ted at Baltimore and Richmond, May 29th. Hon. Reverdy Johnson has reached home. A lottery ticket dealer has been fined \$500 and committed to prison till he pay that and \$100 U.S. tax. Women suffrage is rejected by the assessors of Washington. They assess 18,032 voters ; 5,200 less than last year. Gen. Canby refuses to interfere in the exclusion of colored people from R. R. cars and steamboats. The first divorce ever granted in S. C. was at Greenville, May 21st, for desertion and ill-treatment. A new University for the Freedman has been begun at Atlanta, Ga., under the auspices of the Bureau. A plot to burn down Augus'a and massacre the whites, has been either found out or devised as an excuse for shooting negroes. The Florida Legislature and the Governor having quarrelled, the latter orders the Treasurer to pay no more interest on the State Bonde. Latest.—The Republicans carried nine

wards of Washington, on Monday; the Democrats one. -Alabama has been holding an Immigration Convention, which has adopted an address to the people of the North and of

Europe, inviting them to come. Texas has 55 postmistresses.

The Interior.—Commodore James P. Foster, U. S. N., died at Indianapolis. W. A. Pile, of Missouri, has been appointed Governor of New Mexico.

Canada.—The representatives of New-foundland have agreed on terms of admission to the Confederate, and they will-be submitted to the people. A new banking scheme is engaging the attention of Parliament.

Mexico .- The Congress is going to try the efficacy of an issue of green backs, to relieve its financial needs. Many of the States refuse to execute the law for the suppression of partizan demonstrations. Several Generals had been exculpated by Congress from the blame of the rebellion, but Gen. Minafentas was degraded.

Cuba.-The horses of eight districts are to be seized and paid for to keep them out of the hands of the rebels. Dulce is reported dangerously ill of cancer. The rebels are elate at recent successes, and threaten active measures. Dulce sailed, June 5, for Spain. The insurgents will remain inactive till De Rodas has taken ral Hoff discredits the reports of dissen-

-Mr. Jay was introduced, June 1st, to the Premier and the Emperor. The army [800,000 strong] costs the Empire \$5,000,-000 more this year than last.

-In Hungary the parties in the Diet are quarrelling over the reply to the Emperor's speech-the opposition urging constitutional reform.

-A Protestant Congress met, May 31st, at Worms and voted to reject the papal profers of permission to return; also to condemn the Papal Encyclical and Syllabus against civilization.

Italy .- Col. Grenville-an Englishman -was dangerously wounded and his companion-the Austrian Consul-killed by an assassin recently, in revenge for his conduct at the siege of Rome in 1849. Fourteen persons have been arrested in consequence. Changes in the Cabinet con-

Spain .- In the debate on the clauses of Constitution in legard to the Colonies Prof. Castellar urged the adoption towards Cuba of England's generous policy towards Canada. Serrano [alsely] replied that Dulce had adopted that very policy, and claimed that the rebellion had been suppressed while admitting that order had not been restored. The debates on the Consti-tution have closed. Caballero de Rosa sails June 15th to supersede Dulce in Cuba. Disturbances have occurred in Malaga and Seville.

-The new Constitution was adopted, June 1st, by a vote of 214 to 55. The Re-publicans then gave in their adherence to They moved to reduce the army from 85. 000 to 25,000 men, and while Marshall O'Donnell was speaking in opposition, he was seized of apoplexy and died. The motion was rejected. Dulce's resignation has caused great excitement. It is announced that Queen Isabella's birth-day is to be celebrated as usual."



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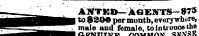
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