

OUR RELIGIOUS COLUMN.

A FEW MORE YEARS. A few more years shall roll, A few more seasons come, And we shall be with those that rest Asleep within the tomb.

PRAYING AND PREACHING. Few things appear less reasonable than the words which have been said to show that praying is more important than preaching.

SUMMARY OF CHURCH NEWS. The celebrated appeal case of Shepherd vs. Bennett, in which the 'legality of the doctrine of the real presence' in the Church of England is involved, has been again postponed.

coming together to ask for prayers." At present upwards of four hundred have been converted. The Eastern Congregational Church of Montreal was organized lately with about forty members transferred from Zion Church.

THE PRESBYTERIAN. The Presbytery of the Church of Scotland had an interesting discussion on Mr. Gladstone's letter to the Pope. A resolution was finally carried, by fourteen to seven, that the Prime Minister's explanation to Mr. Kinsair was such as to warrant the Presbytery in believing that he contemplated no action inconsistent with the Protestantism of the country.

—Mr. Spurgeon, in the February Sermon and Tract, remarks:—"We have been called to account in several papers for calling the Church of England an apostate Church."

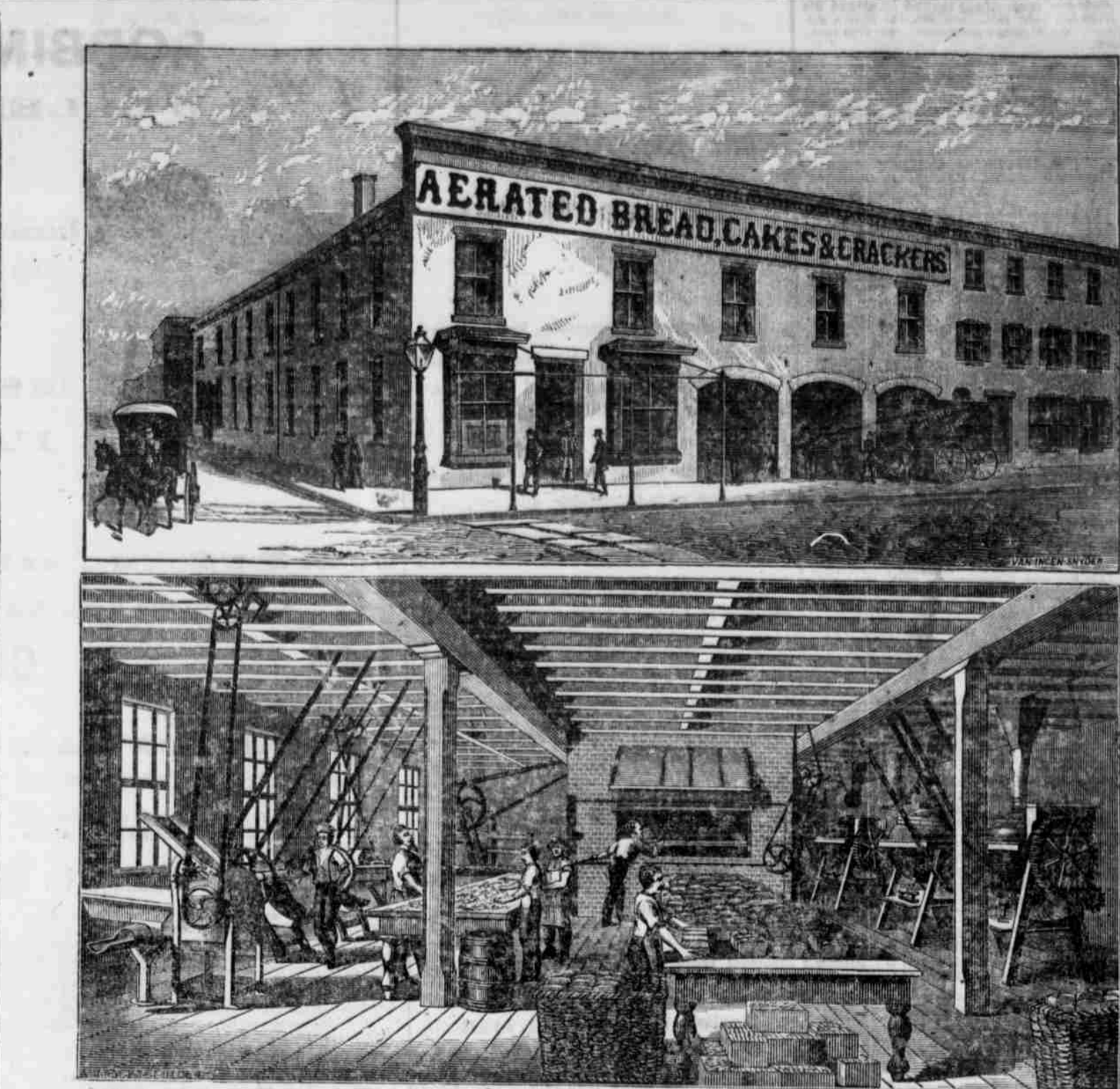
—The Rev. W. H. Miles and Rev. R. H. Vanderhorst, colored ministers in the Methodist Episcopal Church, were recently ordained as Bishops.

—Within ten months the Methodists of the State of New York have raised half a million of dollars to found a university at Syracuse.

—The Rev. A. Holland, late associate editor of the Baltimore Christian Advocate (Methodist), has become a candidate for orders in the Protestant Episcopal Church.

DIAMONDS IN GEORGIA. Reported Discovery of Brillants Superior to Any Found in Africa.

—The proposition to place on the Andrew statue his familiar assertion that he never was mean enough to despise any man because he was poor, because he was ignorant, or because he was black, is disapproved by the Boston Advertiser, as it seems calculated to suggest to all not knowing the circumstances under which it was uttered an erroneous not at all charitable view of the man.



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NOTICE. In accordance with the provisions of an Ordinance of Councils, approved April 24, 1868, notice is hereby given that the final estimate for the construction of the sewer on North College Avenue will be paid March 6, 1871.

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