

THE INERRANT BIBLE Will Be the Title of the First Lecture in Reply to Dr. Briggs.

DR. BURRELL TO START THE BATTLE With an address in Behalf of Orthodoxy, This Evening.

INTERESTING COMPARISONS AHEAD

THE FIRST LECTURE TO-NIGHT The first lecture is to be delivered to-morrow evening, on "The Inerrant Bible" by Dr. Burrell himself.

Dr. Joseph G. Monfort, of Cincinnati, said recently regarding these lectures: "I believe the influence of the action of the New York Presbytery and the current lectures will increase the number of his disciples."

THE COURSE OF LECTURES now in progress in New York will do more harm in other sections of the church. Its effect upon the students of Union will be damaging.

THE LECTURE OF Dr. Lyman Abbott in the course especially disturbed a large number in the church, and this is what the New York correspondent of the Herald and Presbyter had to say about it last week:

I fear that the lectures delivered in the church of the Covenant are to be solidified. But it is safe to say that Dr. Lyman Abbott's disquisitions that such a lecture as his, delivered there two weeks ago, should be listened to by a Presbyterian minister in the presence of the pastor and a number of the New York clergy.

There is abundant supply of everything in the line of groceries, no famine, no scarcity, but, dear reader, get out your pencil and figure how ridiculous low-priced those goods are when you consider that all goods must be first-class or your money will be cheerfully refunded.

I will give with all regular (\$10) orders and upward the benefit of the following prices: 25 lbs Boston baked beans, \$1.00; 25 lbs granulated sugar, 1.00; 20-lb box London layer raisins, 1.25; 20-lb box Mission raisins, 1.20; 10-lb box cooking raisins, 1.00; 17 lbs non-stick codfish, 1.00; 7 lbs roasted coffee (fresh ground), 1.00; 8 lbs white clover honey (strained), 1.00; 20 bars family soap, 1.00; 20 bars your good family soaps, 1.00; 20 bars soap (6 cents value), 1.00; 15 lbs tea (in all varieties), 1.00; 3 lbs tea (all varieties), 1.00; 4 sacks good grade family flour, 5.00; 4 sacks best Minnesota flour, 5.00; 25 lbs rolled oats, 1.00; 6 lbs dried Lima beans, 25; 1 gallon New Orleans molasses, 25; 5 lbs currants, 25; 2 lbs Rio coffee, 50; 1 foot step ladder, complete, 85; 1 cloth horse (4 wags, 6 feet), 85; 2-lb can best baking powder in United States for, 20; 1 box moist toffee, 69; 1 lb good smoking tobacco, 25; 1 lb choice chewing tobacco, 19; Tomatoes, per can, 7; Apples, per can, 5; Pumpkins, per can, 7; California white cherries, per can, 14; California Bartlett pears, per can, 17; California black cherries, per can, 13; Finest sugar ham, per pound, 8 1/2.

Goods delivered to all parts of two cities. To parties living out of the city will prepay freight on all orders of \$10 and upward.

ONE-Cent-a-Word will secure a situation in THE DISPATCH want columns. Going! Going! 200 chenille covers 1 1/2 yards square, 60c this week at the cash store.

A SWELL CHURCH SCORCHED, BUT NOT TOO BADLY FOR THE PRESIDENT TO WORSHIP TO-DAY.

Dr. Hamlin's Sacred Edifice in Washington Damaged to the Extent of \$10,000.—The Auditorium Uninjured Except by Water.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—While Dr. Hamlin, the pastor of the Church of the Covenant, was engaged in his study in the church this afternoon he noticed a smell of smoke coming apparently from the direction of the basement of the chapel immediately adjoining the church in the rear. He found a fire had broken out in the basement.

It was not very long before the fact that the church was on fire was generally known, and the streets and doorsteps in the vicinity were crowded with people. These included the President and Vice President, who witnessed the progress of the fire from a position of advantage near the burning church. This is the second time in three years that the Church of the Covenant has suffered misfortune.

EMPLOYED people can easiest secure situations by advertising in THE DISPATCH'S cent-a-word column.

For the Children. "In buying a cough medicine for children," says H. A. Walker, a prominent druggist of Ogden, Utah, "never be afraid to buy Chamberlain's Cough Remedy."

Prior to Annual Stock-Taking. Immense bargains in ladies, gents and children's winter underwear during the next 20 days, to close remaining stock, at H. J. Lynch's, 438-440 Market street.

A SWEEPING REDUCTION. The course of lectures now in progress in New York will do more harm in other sections of the church. Its effect upon the students of Union will be damaging.

THIS WEEK. 200 Gold Filled-Case Elgin Watches, for Ladies and Gents, \$10.50, \$11.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00, \$30.00, \$35.00, \$40.00, \$45.00, \$50.00, \$55.00, \$60.00, \$65.00, \$70.00, \$75.00, \$80.00, \$85.00, \$90.00, \$95.00, \$100.00. Every watch warranted.

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Via the Pennsylvania Railroad, Will leave Union station Thursday, January 21. This will give an elegant opportunity of visiting the National Capital, at a time when all departments are open to visitors, when Congress is in session, and the city in its most beautiful season.

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OUR CELEBRATED Best \$1.00 Spectacle on Earth is very popular, and deserves especial attention.

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That old Rheumatism that has been troubling you for years past will entirely disappear after you have taken a few doses of the medicine.

RHEUMATICURA CO., 616 Penn Ave., PITTSBURG, PA. Price, \$2.00 per bottle. For sale by all druggists.

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We are determined not to carry over a single one of this season's winter garments, and in order to clean them out quickly the final cut on prices has been made.

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Astrakhan Trimmed Jackets, \$3.75, formerly \$5.45; Seal Plush Jackets, \$4.50, formerly \$7.25; Heavy Cloth Newmarkets, \$4.50, formerly \$7.25; Fine Fur-trimmed Reefers, full shawl, \$7.75, formerly \$12.50; Extra fine full Montion Reefers, full shawl, \$8.00, formerly \$12.50; Real Seal Plush Scaques, \$9.00, formerly \$12.50; Real Mink-trimmed Reefers, extra quality, \$9.00, formerly \$12.50.

TAKE NOTICE—All our Ladies' Suits will be closed out immediately at Half Price and less in order to make room for Spring Goods now arriving.

Mackintosh Bargains. 112 Cloth Mackintoshes, \$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50, \$6, \$6.50, \$7, \$7.50, \$8, \$8.50, \$9, \$9.50, \$10, \$10.50, \$11, \$11.50, \$12, \$12.50, \$13, \$13.50, \$14, \$14.50, \$15, \$15.50, \$16, \$16.50, \$17, \$17.50, \$18, \$18.50, \$19, \$19.50, \$20, \$20.50, \$21, \$21.50, \$22, \$22.50, \$23, \$23.50, \$24, \$24.50, \$25, \$25.50, \$26, \$26.50, \$27, \$27.50, \$28, \$28.50, \$29, \$29.50, \$30, \$30.50, \$31, \$31.50, \$32, \$32.50, \$33, \$33.50, \$34, \$34.50, \$35, \$35.50, \$36, \$36.50, \$37, \$37.50, \$38, \$38.50, \$39, \$39.50, \$40, \$40.50, \$41, \$41.50, \$42, \$42.50, \$43, \$43.50, \$44, \$44.50, \$45, \$45.50, \$46, \$46.50, \$47, \$47.50, \$48, \$48.50, \$49, \$49.50, \$50, \$50.50, \$51, \$51.50, \$52, \$52.50, \$53, \$53.50, \$54, \$54.50, \$55, \$55.50, \$56, \$56.50, \$57, \$57.50, \$58, \$58.50, \$59, \$59.50, \$60, \$60.50, \$61, \$61.50, \$62, \$62.50, \$63, \$63.50, \$64, \$64.50, \$65, \$65.50, \$66, \$66.50, \$67, \$67.50, \$68, \$68.50, \$69, \$69.50, \$70, \$70.50, \$71, \$71.50, \$72, \$72.50, \$73, \$73.50, \$74, \$74.50, \$75, \$75.50, \$76, \$76.50, \$77, \$77.50, \$78, \$78.50, \$79, \$79.50, \$80, \$80.50, \$81, \$81.50, \$82, \$82.50, \$83, \$83.50, \$84, \$84.50, \$85, \$85.50, \$86, \$86.50, \$87, \$87.50, \$88, \$88.50, \$89, \$89.50, \$90, \$90.50, \$91, \$91.50, \$92, \$92.50, \$93, \$93.50, \$94, \$94.50, \$95, \$95.50, \$96, \$96.50, \$97, \$97.50, \$98, \$98.50, \$99, \$99.50, \$100, \$100.50.

Ladies' Hose. Black Ribbed Wool, 19c, were 25c; Fleecy-lined Bulbrigan, 19c, were 25c; Gray Wool Ribbed, 25c, were 35c; All our Cape Newmarkets, in navy, black, tan and gray, at greatly reduced prices.

Corsets and Underwear. Cardinal C. F. Corsets, \$1, were \$3; Odds and ends, \$2, were \$5; Ladies' Ribbed French Women Corsets, \$2, were \$5; Gray Ribbed Vests, 25c, were 50c; Roman Vests, 25c, were 50c; White Merino Vests, 30c, were 60c; Gray Ribbed Wool Vests, 50c, were \$1; Children's Ribbed Gray Vests, 25c, were 50c; Ladies' Ribbed Skirts, 50c, were 75c; All Muslin Underwear at special bargain prices.

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