THE PRESBYTERIAN BANNER AND ADVOCATE.

of a fine Preserved in Counce and Advisored Ordination.

On the little of August, the Presbytery of Allegheny ordained Mr. J. R. Cculter to the work of the Gospel ministry, and installed the paster over the congregation of theological learning. In the end, the Screbgiess. Rev. R. B. Walker preached churches will have abundant reason to bless the section; Bev. Lovel Young presided, God for the new Seminary. Such is the proposed the constitutional questions, and delivered the charge to the minister; and Rev. Alex. Cunninghum gave the charge to the people. The audience was large, and the occasion was sciemn and interesting. This congregation have now their fifth pastor. The church was organized about fifty-five Tears 220 The Rev. Robert Johnson, now and somewhat successful efforts to obtain a aged and infirm, was the first pastor; the late Rev. Cyrus Riggs was the second: the churches located in Chicago, and at various Rev. J. R Agnew the third, and the Rev. other points in Illinois. Wisconsin, and Ebenezer Henry the fourth

This church, it is believed, bas furnished a larger number of ministers than any other in this part of the country. The Rev. Messrs. John Redick and Thomas Kerr who rest from their labors; and, also, the Rev. Messrs: John Coulter, C. C. Riggs, T. S. Leason, William Stewart, Samuel Anderson and Samuel Williams, who are still laborers in the field, were from this church. Walter Lowrie, Esq., Secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions was born and re-red in this congregation. Mr. James Craig, who recently departed this life at the Western Theological Seminary was from the same church; and Mr. Thomas C. Anderson, now at Princeton Seminary, is a member of the hurch of Scrubgrass. N. B.

For the Presbyterian Banner and Advocate. The Chicago Theological Seminary.—Dr.

for the North-West, in connexion with our Church. This may be taken as "a fixed fact." On many accounts, we should rejoice that it is so. Let all bye-gones, then, be bye-children. gones; and let there be a hearty and united effort to promote the success of the new Inthat is, it will be anti-slavery and anti-aboliet al Assembly of 1818, and also to that of do these things present to all true lovers of 1845. At any rate, thus its position is re- Bible truth and Evangelical Christianity to

Anxious to promote its success, many of its friends will probably think of the name of Dr. Rice, for one of its vacant Chairs. This no mination may, perhaps, take some by to accomplish much by all their efforts, of surprise, in view of certain newspaper discussions; but it is here made, nevertheless, place. As to all that has been unpleasant, the gentleman now named for a third Chair, and Swedenborgian dreamers are not wantare all men of eminent qualifications for the ing to contribute a sort of temporary sypwork-men of acknowledged standing among port to their cause; but still you can not

The chief objection to the plan of putting these brethren in the same Faculty, will probably be the apprehension that the subject of slavery would be a disturbing element of "liberal Christianity" upon which these amongst them. But this may well be doubted; for, in the first place, they unquestionably agree, in the main, as to this vexed subject. Dr. Rice avows his concurrence with the action of the General Assembly in 1818; Drs. McMaster and Thomas also concur with it; and if they do not fully approve of the action of the General Assembly of 1845, it pation 's gone." Old School Presbyterians is not because they hold the sin per se dogma, nor any opinion that would excommunicate all slave holders. They no doubt sented by our Church in her unflinching, agree with Dr. Rice, and our ministers generally, in cherishing a hearty sympathy for our brethren in the South, and in deprecating useless agitation of the subject of slavery. to abandon our "creeds," and do as they do, These remarks are penned from no private and as the Campbellites and Christians, so or personal knowledge of the brethren, but yet from a full persuasion that they would "creed," what a glorious time we would all regard the discussion of this subject in have! All would then be Universalists. or our Church Courts as inexpedient, until some | what is about the same, Unitarians or Swepractical solution of the slavery problem can denborgians. be generally agreed upon. Do we not consider it useless to be discussing this matter, so long as we do not know what practical remedy to propose for the evil? In the next place, this question of slavery need the nerves of certain delicate persons. not be a disturbing element in a theological faculty, any more than in the Church itself. even on the admission of some diversity of views. We must tolerate some disagreement among ourselves on this difficult sub- way of treating those who are suspected of ject; we are in fact doing so. One of the heresy. They inquire after their preachers Professors in a Southern Seminary has published to the world his belief in the monstrous opinion, that slavery is "the only itinerants in good standing, when they are good there is in the whole affair of negro really Swedenborgians, Unitarians, or Uniexistence in America." We had supposed versalists. Indeed, it is a pity that Presbythat the experience of Divine grace was terians and Methodists will not take the the greatest good to the negroes, and that advice of The New Covenant, and lend it is the Christianity of the South, and not | themselves as instruments to propagate the slavery, that has civilized them. We doubt most soul-destroying heresies. The perpenot, indeed, that the worthy Professor tuity of true Christianity in the midst of would heartily agree with this, while he all these efforts, depends, under God, upon would contend that slavery was necessary the firm and unyielding adherence of Evanto their becoming acquainted with that gelical Christians to the Word of God. grace; and we would rejoin that be Brethren of all denominations, in this way, cause God overrules evil, and brings good out of it, no argument is to be therefore in- the Devil and he will flee from you. ferred to justify the evil itself. But let the reasoning be what it may, the fact is not the laboring to build up true religion in the less certain that views are publicly avowed West, that these errorists are changing some on this subject, which the great mass of our of their old notions." Modern Spiritualism ministers and people, North and South, do not | is exerting an influence upon them, and they agree to differ, as to certain abstractions, on they are to be met, and their errors refuted.

in due time a fourth in the worthy Modera- the Church, and recently twenty more were tor of the General Assembly, or some other added to the Lord; and Bro. Wilson, the equally good, and our Chicago Seminary pastor elect, reports the good work as conwill be an institution worthy of our Church, tinuing. Much seriousness still prevails, and full of blessing to the country. Let and it is hoped others may be brought in. not by-gone discussions, nor any private or We read, also, in the religious journals, of personal alienations, if such unhappily ex- similar outpourings of the Spirit upon other ist, of which we are thankful to have no Churches, in other connexions, notwithinformation, nor any preferences for par- standing the seemingly unfavorableness of ticular places, stand in the way. The the Summer season. Let us learn not to Church holds all her sons in a loving em- limit the Lord in his gracious operations to brace, and wishes them to work together as times and seasons, but trust him ever. brethren; and the country, nay the world, needs their united services.

These remarks have been suggested by post, and is expected to enter immediately the notice in the newspapers, of Dr. Rice's upon his work in connexion with that being called to a church in Chicago. Institution. Its friends are expecting for it While serving that congregation, he could a bright future. May they not be disapdoubtless fill to great advantage, a Chair in pointed. the Seminary. Dr. Thomas might also be-

come a popular bishop of some new congregation, while continuing in his present post; and Dr. M'Master's pen, like those of two of the Professors at our oldest Seminary, may yet give us valuable books of prayer of A PRESBYTER. August 24, 1857.

Western Correspondence.

DR. McKinney: -- Unitarianism and Universalism have been making vigorous foothold in the West. They have several Iowa. At Chicago, the Universalists have sustained, for some time past a most thorough sectarian paper, called The New Covenant, devoted to the interests of their sect. As an evidence of the affiliation of these two sects we often see sermons, written by the Unitarian clergymen of the West, in this New Covenant, and notices of exchanges between the two classes in the Sabbath exercises. The Universalists have a college, called the Lombard University, founded by a munificent donation of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, made by a Mr. Lombard. The institution is located at Galesburg, where is Knox College, which is at present attracting such attention by its unfortunate contests. To the Presidency of Lombard, Rev. O. A. Skinner, one of the editors of The New Covenant has recently been called, and he is expected to enter upon his duties this Fall. There is no doubt but this institution will concentrate the educational efforts of both Unitarians MR. EDITOR:-There is to be a Seminary and Universalists, and will no doubt draw to itself those young men whose parents may wish to avoid all influences of a religious character in the education of their

Here, then, we have these forms of error somewhat thoroughly organized and equipped stitution. It has a noble field of influence for action. With churches established, with before it, and it will be sustained by as true- a press sending out its weekly stream of hearted men as there are in the Church. It poison, and with a College well endowed, will stand on the common ground occupied and just ready to enter upon its work of by our body, as to all things, slavery included; imparting an education from which every particle of sound, positive, religious truth. tion. It will hold to the action of the Gen- has been carefully eliminated. What a call garded by your present correspondent; and, | gird on their armor with new determination, he believes, by the brethren generally in the leave their bickerings and contentions and go forth, in the name of Christ, gaining new victories over every form of error! I do not, however, apprehend that

Universalism and Unitarianism will be able permanent advantage to themselves. These systems want vitality. They lack Christ; after some reflection upon what has taken and without him they can not long sustain themselves. There is a sort of freedom of let it all pass away. The facts remain, that thinking in the West, a liberalism, which is the present Professors in the Seminary, and | regarded as favorable to those forms of error; their brethren, and men of undoubted loyalty build unless you have a foundation; you to our mother, the Old School Church. can not have a solar system without a They may differ, in some respects, in their central sun. It only takes a few months to views of slavery; but not in their views of freeze up a community, and thoroughly dis-Gospel doctrine and Church order, nor in gust those who are disposed to think, when their devotedness to the extension of the left to the negations of those creeds. Peo-Gospel in all parts of the land, and of the ple of the present day have acquired no world. facility of living upon husks, and like the prodigal son, will be found bethinking themselves of the table in their Father's house, where is "enough and to spare." The cry sects seek to sustain themselves, is already suspected. The intelligent discover that beneath all this talk of charity and liberality, there is just as strong an under current sectarianism and exclusiveness, as that which they condemn; and when that cry will no longer avail them, "Othelo's occuseem to be the special horror of these men. They dislike the firm, unbroken front preoutspoken testimony against them. Our Church Standards trouble them. If they could only prevail upon us to give those up, called, do, take the Bible alone as our

> Next to Old School Presbyterians, the Methodists are objects of their commiseration. These last have an unfeeling way of talking right out, exceedingly shocking to Although they are quite certain that "hell" always means the "grave," they are still very anxious that the word be tabooed. The Methodists, too, have a somewhat rigid every year, and do not give them freedom to corrupt the Church, in the character of depending upon God for the blessing, resist

It should be known to those who are entertain; while yet, being regarded as specu- now mostly admit the doctrine of future lative, they are allowed to pass for what they punishment for a limited period. They are are worth. The practical result is, that we now nearly all restorationists. In this form this, as on other subjects; and it may very | In the midst of these forms of error, we well be the case, that this agreement to live rejoice in being able still to record God's in non-agreement on these abstractions, approbation of the administration of Gospel should be exemplified in the Faculties of our ordinances, and his willingness still to bless Seminaries, without any serious harm. Let his people in their efforts to save souls. A there be agreement in cordially receiving | Presbyterian church, located at Scotch Grove, our Standards, and in receiving and manifest in connexion with the Presbytery of Duing the same mind that was also in Christ buque, has been in the enjoyment of a

Jesus, and then all will come out right in pleasant revival of religion. The work has continued for several weeks. In April last, Now, give us these three good men, and as the first fruits, twelve were received into

> Alexander M. Gow, Esq , President elect of the Dixon Collegiate Institute, is at his

> > NORTH-WEST.

Reports. For the Presbyterian Banner and Advocate. Report of J. D. Williams,

TREASURER OF THE BOARDS OF DOMESTIC MIS-SIONS, EDUCATION, L'UBLICATION, CHURCH EX-TENSION COMMITTEE, AND FUND FOR SUPER-ANNUATED MINISTERS AND THEIR FAMILIES, FOR AUGUST, 1857.

DOMESTIC MISSIONS. Syvod of Pittsburgh—Ohio Presbytery: Hopewell church SYND OF PRISSURGH—Ohio Presbytery: Hopewest church, \$14.40.

SYNOD OF ALLEGUENY—Allegheny City Presbytery: Allegheny City Ist ch., Ladies' Miss. Soc., to con. Mrs. Eliza D. Swift Hon Mem. 50.00. Eris P'by: Sturgeouville ch. 7.00.

SYNOD OF WHEELING—Washington Presbytery: Cove ch., 7.00; Three Springs ch. 6 00; Lower Ten Mile cb., 24.00; West Alexander ch., 37.00; Elizabethtown ch., 6 25; Allen Grove ch., 8.75. St. Clairsville Presbytery: Martinsville ch., 19.46; Beach Springs ch., 33.35; Concord ch., 13.10; Woodsfield ch., 5.00; Cadiz ch., 24.66; Resisville ch., 22.00.

MYCCELLANGUS—Rev Sauned Caldwell, 2.50.

EDBIGATION.

EDUCATION. SYNOD OF PITTSBURGH-Blairsville Presbylery: Beulah ch. \$34.07; Unity ch., 32.00.
SYNOD OF ALLEGHENY—Allegheny Presbytery: Butler ch. 83.00.
Synod of Wheeling—Washington Presbytery: Frankfort cn., 1150.

Sinon of Ohio-Coshocton Presbytery: Apple Creek ch., 15,00. Richland Phy: Chesterville ch., 5 00; Waterford ch., 3 00; Harmony ch., 2.00; Bladensburg ch., 9.43; Ashland ch., 24.31.

PUBLICATION. SYNOD OF WHEELING-Washington Presbytery: West Lib-rty ch., 7.00; Lower Buffalo ch., 3 00. OHURCH EXTENSION. of Wheeling-Washington Presbytery: Westh., 8.00; Lower Buffalo ch., 4.00. SUPERANNUATED MINISTERS' FUND.

SYNOD OF PITTSBURGH—Redstone Presbytery: Dunlap's beek ch., 10,60
Total—Domestic Missions. \$282 47. Fanation n., 10,00 .—Domestic Missions, \$282.47; Education, \$170.31; tion, \$10.00; Church Extension, \$12.00; Superan-Ministers' Fund, \$10.60. J. D. WILLIAMS, Rec. Agt ,
Pittsburgh. Pa., Aug. 31, 1857. 114 Smithfield Street.

For the Presbyterian Banner and Advocate Report of J. D. Williams,

Receiving Agent of Pennsylvania Colonization Society A Ashmun Institute, from July 25 to August 25. OHIO P'BY—East Liberty ch., in part, BLAIRSVILLE P'BY—New Alexandria ch.,

SALTSBURG P'BY—Ebenezer ch.,

ALLEG'Y CITY P'BY—Sewickley ch.,

BEAVER P'BY—Little Beaver ch.,

INDIVIDUALS—Cash,

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 25.

Hews Pepartment.

Minnesota.

The two Conventions, Democratic and Republican, have been endeavoring to unite on a State Constitution, to be submitted to the popular vote. Their efforts are likely to fail.

School at Oakland. Attention is requested to the advertisement of Mr. and Mrs. Kerr. Their enterprise adds to the facilities afforded to our citizens, for obtaining a good education for their children.

Missouri Election. The election for Governor, in Missouri, has een very close. The official result is-Rollins, American, 47,641; Stewart, 47,975; Stewart's mouth, England. majority, 334. Rollins was the candidate of the Emancipationists.

Church Bells. The advertisement of Messrs. Meneely's Sons, will direct churches where to obtain an ex-cellent article wherewith to be admonished of the arrival of the hour of worship. It is unwise

The Potato Crop.

Potatoes are very abundant this season, but we regret to see notices of the Ror occurring in some parts of the country, in consequence of the rainy nature of the season, and the very limited quantity of warm, dry weather. In Burlington County, N. J. Lancaster County, Pa., and in Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Frederick County, Maryland, and various sections of Indiana, and in' some parts of New York it has appeared, and the crops have suffered badly.

Washington.

August 27 .- The Secretary of War has organ ized an expedition for the exploration and survey of the River Colorado of the West, traversing an almost unexplored region. The command has been assigned to First Lieut. J. G. Ives, of the corps of Topographic Engineers.

August 31 .- The Treasury Department have inst naid between two and three hundred thousand dollars to the State of Maryland, with interest on half a million of dollars, to which the United States became indebted to that State durring the war of 1812; the principal part of was paid between the years 1818 and 1822. The Secretary of the Interior has instructed V. S. Marshall, of Minnesota, to take the census of that territory whenever he is informed that it is the wish of the people to form a Constitution and State Government, preparatory to admission into the Union.

Agricultural Products.

The Patent Office report gives an estimate of the vegetable products of the United States for

856, the leading items of which are as followed	
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Indian Corn,	\$360,000,000
Wheat,	247,500,000
Hay and Fodder,	160,000,000
Pasturage,	143,000,000
Cotton,	186,000,000
Oats.	68,000,000
Garden Products,	50,000,000
Potutoes.	41,250,000
Sugar,	35,000,000
Orchard Products,	25,500,000

Items.

The Alabama Legislature, just elected, is divided politically as follows: The Senate stands twenty-eight Democrats to five Americans, and the House eighty-five Democrats to fifteen Americans. Democratic majority on joint ballot,

Adams, by Randolph Rogers, the distinguished American Sculptor, has been completed at Rome, Indore. Peshawur is disturbed, and three regi-STATUE OF JOHN ADAMS. - The statue of John and shipped for Boston, where it may be expect ed in the course of a few weeks, to be placed in

Mount Auburn Cemetery. The physician of the House of Correction, at awrence, Mass., says it is almost impossible to treat delirium tremens successfully now, in con-sequence of the utter prostration of the nervous The native portion of the troops had proved treat delirium tremens successfully now, in consystem of drunkards by the strychnine so generlly used in the manufacture of liquors.

THE HEALTHIEST COUNTRY. —De Bow's mortal ity statistics show that the people of the United States are the healthiest on the globe. The deaths are three hundred and twenty thousand per year, or $1\frac{1}{3}$ per cent., of the population. In Eugland the ratio is over two per cent., and a France nearly three per cent. Virginia and lorth Carolina are the healthiest of the States, and have six hundred and thirty-eight inhabitants

ver one hundred years of age. EPISCOPALIANS IN TEXAS.—From the last annual report made by the Convention of the killed."
Protestant Episcopal Church on the diocese of Calcu lexas, it appears that there are five hundred and thirty-three communicants therein, of whom nine-ty are in Galveston, and fifty-two in San Antonio, here being no report from Houston.

The greatest preservation of beauty known to modern science, is Professor Wood's Hair Restorative and Cosmetic. Among the most mportant features of female beauty, are a luxuiant head of hair and a fine complexion; both of which should be guarded as sacred treasures, for either may be lost by neglect, or preserved by the use of the above named article; delay is dangerous. . We seldom undertake, editorially, to in. dorse what are called "Hair Restoratives," as knowing full well that the great majority of such preparations are entirely worthless. Exceptions REV. D. J. YERKES, will preach in the Fifth Presbyte there are, nevertheless, and among these we have risn church, Smithfeld Street, on Sabbath next, (6th inst.) never hesitated to express our conviction that at 2 o'duck P. M.

the article known as "Wood's Hair Restorative." is entitled to a proud pre-eminence. This article has fold its own story in numberless instances of prematurely gray and hald heads, and the cer-tificates in regard to its amazing efficacy have been alike numerous, unsolicited, and emphatic. When Senators of the United States and others, (of the highest standing socially and politically) openly declare that "Wood's Hair Restorative" is all, and more than all, it pretends to be, we cannot do otherwise them believe them. The ar-

ticle can be had at all our Druggists. See notice elsewhere .- Rahway Republican. Sold by all Druggists.

[ADVERTISEMENT.] Strength and Health Restored.

Mr. John Davidson, living ten miles above Pittsburgh, on the Pennsylvania Canal, says: When I commenced taking Borhave's Holland Bitters, I could hardly walk. Now, I enjoy excellent health."

HEADACHE AND DEBILITY. Mr. Silas J. Liscomb, of Birmingham, says: "I have found Borhave's Holland Bitters of emedy for Headache and Debility. My wife has also used it with the greatest benefit." Mr. A. S. Nicholson, of Pittsburgh, also remarks that he has experienced much relief from

its use, for headache.

generally.

CAUTION !- Be careful to ask for Bærhave's Holland Bitters. Sold at \$1.00 per bottle; or, six bottles for \$5.00, by the sole proprietors, BENJAMIN PAGE, JR., & CO., Pittsburgh; and Druggists

Foreign Intelligence.

The America arrived at Halifax, Aug. 27th, with Foreign news to the 15th. The Atlantic Telegraph is broken, and opera

tions for the present are suspended. The British steamer Cyclops had returned to Valentia, with Mr. Field on board. That gentleman immediatey repaired to London, to confer with the Direc ors as to future movements. He telegraphed the following to Mr. Stuart, the Agent of the Associated Press at Liverpool:
"London, Saturday, Aug. 15, A. M.—Her
Majesty's steamer Leopard arrived at Portsmouth

on Friday evening, the 14th inst., and reports that the Atlantic Cable was lost, at a quarter before four o'clock, on Tuesday morning, the 11th inst., after having paid out successfully, three hundred and thirty-five nautical miles, and the last hundred miles of it in water over two miles in depth, and the greater part of this at the rate of more than four knots an hour.

"At the time the accident occurred there was a heavy swell on. The Niagara was going at the rate of four knots per hour, and as the engineer

found that the cable was running out in too great a proportion to the speed of the ship, he considered it necessary to direct the breaks to be ap-plied more firmly, when, unfortunately, the cable parted at some distance from the stern of the

"The Agamemnon, Niagara, and Susquehanna are to remain a short time where the cable parted, to try some experiments in the deep water of that part of the Atlantic (two thousand fathoms) which it is considered will be of great value to the Telegraph Company, and then all go to Ply-

"Although the unfortunate accident will postpone the completion of this great undertaking for a short time, the result of the experiment has been to convince all that took part in it of the entire practicability of the enterprise, for with some slight alterations in the paying out machinproved that you can telegraph successfully through twenty five hundred miles of the cable, and know that its submersion at a great depth had no perceptible influence in the electric cur-

"There is no obstacle to laying it down at the rate of five miles per hour, in the greatest depth of water, on the plateau between Ireland and Newfoundland." The experience now obtained must be of great

value to the Company, and it is understood that the Directors will decide whether it is best to have more cable made, and try again immediately after the equinoctial gales are over, or wait until another Summer. In Liverpool an impression prevails that another trial will take place in Oc-

The Commons were engaged in protracted de-bates on the Divorce Bill, its opponents fighting against it step by step. The government was equally determined in pressing it forward. On Friday, the affairs of India were debated in the House of Lords, without any important developments being made. In the House of Commons the subject of railways to India attracted attention, but the government refused to mix

itself up in these projects.

Mr. Gladstone censured Lord Palmerston for his political opposition to the Suez Canal; but the latter reiterated his objections to the scheme. Ledru Rollin has written another letter to the London papers, about the charge of conspiracy against him. He is very severe upon Napoleon. Rumor says that it was decided at the recent imperial visit to Osborne that in the event of Lord Elgin and Baron Gros not attaining the object of their mission to China, a more decided action in common should be adopted. The East India Company have dispatched, or are on the eve of of dispatching to India, in all,

seventy two vessels, carrying about twenty-seven thousand troops. The overland mail arrived at Trieste on the 12th inst., and the telegraph dispatch from there states that the Bombay dates are to July 14th,

and Calcutta to July 5. Delhi had not fallen up to the 27th of June. The rebels had made several desperate sorties, but each time were repulsed with great slaughter. The city was reported full of sick and wounded, and the cholera prevailed. Reinforcements continue reaching the British camp.

There are floating rumors, as there were in the receipt of the last mail, of the capture of Delhi, but they are wholly unreliable. Further victories in several districts had been The Bombay and Madras armies remained loy-

al. The Puojaub continued quiet.
At Sirza, Gen. Van Cortlandt had attacked and completely defeated the insurgents, inflicting a Gen. Woodburn's column had completely crush

ed the rebellion in Aurnugsebad.

Intelligence had been received of the mutiny of the troops at Mossanderbad, Tyabad Soctope ments had beed disarmed there. Sir Colin Campbell arrived at Aden on the 28th

The first batch of the China corps had arrived at Calcutta.

The British force before Delhi is stated to be trustworthy.

The rebels had been dispersed at Allahabad,

The barracks at Cawopore were closely besieged by the insurgents, but held out bravely, and rein-orcements were marching to their relief. The whole of the kingdom of Oude had risen but Sir Henry Lawrence, with his small force, kept the enemy in check.

The Bengal Burkara says: "We have received

letters to say that the government had got a tele-graph message from Nangpore, that Delhi had fallen on the 27th of June; describing the battle, and saying that upwards of 7000 rebels were Calcutta was more tranquil, and the native bankers were gaining confidence. The papers say that we have seen the worst of it, for there

is no reason to suspect.

The correspondent of the Times gives the deails of the new outbreaks, which appear to have early ones. He thinks the flood of the insurrection has been passed.

Hotices.

The BOARD OF TRUSTEES of Washington College, Pa. will meet on Tuesday, 15th of September, at 2 o'clock P. M. The examination of the students will begin on Monday the 7th of September, at 2 o'clock P. M., and continue du

Washington College.

ing the week. The Committee of Examination for the Synod of Wheeling, are, Rev. Wm. J. Brugh, Rev. A. S. McMaster, Rev. The Committee of Examination for the Board of Trustees arc, Rev. Samuel M. McClung, Rev. C. V. McKaig, Rev. John Stockton, D. D., and George Baird, Esq.

The Commencement will take place on Wednesday, Sept. 16th, commencing at 9 o'clock A. M. A. W. ACHESON, Sec'y. Washington College.

Subscribers to the College Funds of the Synod of Wheeling, will be expected to make payment, so far as their subscriptions, or notes, or interest thereon may be due, at the approaching meetings of their respective Presbyteries: viz.. In the Presbytery of St. Clairsville, to Rev. John Moffat. Stenbenville, to Rev. A. Swaney. Washington, to Rev Dr. Scott.

Those whose subscriptions or notes mature in October will find a Receiver at Synod in Wheeling. Subscribers in Synod of Ohio can have payment made to the undersigned, or in case of his absence, to a Deputy, at the meeting of the Richland Presbytery, in Savanuah, or

Synod in Wooster Steubenville, Aug. 20 JNO. M. FARIS, Ag't. of Syn. T P. S.—R. Sherrard, Jr., Esq., Treasurer at Steubenville, is ready at any time to receive payments for the Endowmend Fund.

Presbyterial. The PRESBYTERY OF K-ASKASKIA will meet at Salem

Marion County, Ill., on Friday, the 2d of October, 1857, at 7 o'clock, P. M. THOS. W. HYNES, Stated Clerk. The PRESBYTERY OF COSHOCTON will meet in Nash ille, on the First Tuesday of October, at 2 o'clock P. M. P. M. SEMPLE, Stated Clerk. The PRESBYTERY OF ALLEGHENY CITY will meet at Freedom, on the Fourth Monday of September, at 10 o'clock A. M. JAMES ALLISON, Stated Clerk. The PRESBYTERY OF ZANESVILLE will meet in the Pleasant Hill church, on the Third Tuesday (15th day) of September, at 2 o'clock P. M. WM. M. ROBINSON,
Stated Clerk.

The PRESBYTERY OF GENESEE RIVER will hold its stated Fall meeting in the Presbyterian church of Moscow N. Y., on the Fourth Tuesday (22d) of September, at 2 o'. clock P. M. GEO. D. STEWART, Stated Clerk. The PRESBYTERY OF NEW LISBON will meet in the church of Pleasant Valley, on the third Tuesday of September, at 12 oclock M. ROBERT DICKSON, S. C.

The PRESBYTERY OF LOGANSPORT stands adjourned to meet at Rock Creek on the first Thresday of September, at 3 o'clock P. M. Written statements of settlements with ministers will be required from all the churches.

P. S.—An assessment of two cents to each member has been laid upon all the churches, and will be expected to be paid in at this meeting.

E. W. WRIGHE, S. C. The PRESBYTERY OF DES MOINES will hold its next stated meeting at Ottumwa, on the first Tuesday (6th) of October, at 1 o'clock P. M.

JOHN M. McELROY, S. C.

The PRESBYTERY OF MARION will meet at Iberia on the third Tuesday (15th) of September next, at 7 % clock P: M.

The PRESBYTERY OF PEORIA will meet in Metamora, Woodford County, on the third Tuesday (15th) of September, 1857, at 7% clock P. M.

ROBERT P. FARRIS. Stated Clock ROBERT P. FARRIS, Stated Clerk. The PRESBYTERY OF PALESTINE stands adjourned to eet in Newton, Jasper County, Ill., on the last Thursday September next, at 7 o'clock P M. All Sessional Records

September next, at 1 occurrence of the sent up for examination.

R. H. LILLY, Stated Clerk. The PRESBYTERY OF BEAVER will meet in the church of Westfield, on the second Tuesday of September, at 11 o'clock A.M.

D. C. REED, S. C. The PRESBYTERY OF ROOK RIVER will hold its stat ed Fall meeting at Ful'on city, on Tuesday, October 18th at 715 o'clock P. M. The semi annual assessment of five center per member, for contingent and Commissioner's funds, will be called for.

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The PRESBYTERY OF RICHLAND will meet in Savan nah, on the second Tuesday of September, (8th.) at 7 o'c'ock P. M. J. P. CALDWELL, S. C. The PRESBYTERY OF WOOSTER stands adjourned to meet in North field, on Tuesday, the 1st of September, a 11 o'clock A. M. J. W. HANNA, S. C. The PRESBYTERY OF SCHUYLER will hold its next regular meeting at Galesburg, Knox Co., Ili., on Monda October 12th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Fifty eight members ar expected. T. S. VAILL, S. C.

Synodical.

The SYNOD OF ILLINOIS will meet at Hillsboro', on the second Thursday of October next, at 7.0'clock P. M.
ROBERT JOHNSTON, Stated Clerk. The SYNOD OF IOWA will meet in Dubuque, on the irst Thursday of October next, at 7 october P. M.

J. D. MASON, Stated Clerk. The (new) SYNOD OF SOUTHERN IOWA will hold its first meeting in Pairfield, on the Second Thursday of October, 1857, at 7 o'clock P. M.; the Rev. Salmon Cowles the preach the opening serimon and preside till a Moderator behosen; or in case of his absence or inability, then the oldes minister present.

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The SYNOD OF ALLEGHENY will meet, agreeably to adjournment, in the City of Eric, on the Fourth Thursday of September, (24th.) at 71/2 o'clock P. M.

By a resolution alopted at the last meeting, the Stated Clerks of Presbyteries are directed to send their respective Narrative of the State of Religion; previous to the first of September in each year. The Chairman of this Committee is the Rev. Loyal Young, Butler, Pa.

ELLIOT E. SWIFT, Stated Clerk.

Married.

In Pittsburgh, on Thursday, August 27th, by Rev. David M'Kinney, Mr. Uzziah Somerville to Miss Elizabete Mitchell, both of New Texas, Allegheny County, Pa. In Florence, on the evening of July 23, by Rev. A. S. Billingsley, Mr. ALVEED SAYDER (Presbyterian elder.) to Miss Mary P. Taylor, both of Florence, Nebraska Territory. On the 19th inst, at Rosemount, by Rev. Wm. Hunter, Mr. James A. Fsacuson, of Story County, Iowa, to Miss Agnes J. Slopes of Allegheny County, Pa. On the 2d inst., by Rev. George Marshall, Mr. ALPRED BEITS, of Allegheny City, to Miss Mary Jane, daughter of Harrison Hultz, Esq., of Snowden Township, Allegheny County.

On the 25th of August, by Rev. C. A. Munn, WILLIAM SHELDS, Esq., to Miss Susanna J. M'Lean, both of Pitts-At Lightstreet, on the 19th inst, by Rev. G. W. Newell, Mr. Isaac Evland to Miss Ediza Ann Betz. On the 20th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Joun C. Lemon to Miss Sanah C., youngest daughter of Mr. Joseph R. and Sarah Patton. all of Greenwood, Columbia Co., Pa. At Orangeville, on the 22d inst., Mr. Elisha Knoer, of Mt. Pleasaut, to Miss Sanah Margaret Thurston, of Benton, Columbia County, Pa.

Obituary.

DIED-In Blairsville, Indiana County, Pa., or Friday, August 7th, after a lingering illness, Miss Susan Frizell, in the 91st year of her age.

Dieb-In Clinton City, Iowa, on the morning of the 31st July, in the 64th year of her age, Mrs. Elizabeth Maclay, widow of Mr. Samuel Maclay, formerly of Kishacoquillas Valley, Pa. Dren-Of measles and pnuemonia, on the 6th

of August, David Mc. Lyons, aged 3 years, son of Rev. David W. and Sarah A. Lyons. He was lovely in life, and in death his spirit rests with God.

DIED-On May 5th, near Murraysville, Pa. Mrs. MARGARET DUER, consort of Mr. Jonathan Duer, in the 71st year of her age.

Mrs. Duer, with her husband and family, emigrated from Fayette County, Pa., to this place some years ago. She was called away suddenly without much warning, by an affection of the heart. She has left a large number of friends, children, and grand children, to mourn her loss DIED-At her residence, in Murraysville, Pa.

Col. John Davis, a soldier in the Revolutionary war, aged about 96 years. Mrs. Davis was a native of Ireland, and emi grated to this country a short time before the revolution. She was united in marriage with Mr. Davis when but 16 years of age. She was

May 5th, Mrs. SARAH DAVIS, reliet of the late

the mother of a large family, and lived to a good old age. She endured many toils, cares and trials, in a long life of activity. She bore her are no more regiments to mutiny, except those of last illness, which was long and severe, with Bombay and Madras, the fidelity of which there great patience and resignation, "having a desire o depart and be with Christ, which is far better.' She has left many friends, children, grand-chilbeen less serious in their consequence than the dren, and great-grand-children to mourn her loss DIED-At his late residence, in the vicinity of

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Dien-In Murraysville, Pa., August 20th, Mrs. SARAH JANE TRUXAL, wife of Mr. Benjamin Truxal, in the 35th year of her age.

DIED-At Fruit Hill, Clearfield County, Pa. June 22d, MARK L. JOHNSTON, son of Mr. John

Johnston, aged 13 years and 9 days. He was killed by the side of his two brothers, while they were felling trees. A branch having lodged on a tree, fell on his head, and caused instant death. He left his father only a few moments before, and he scarcely missed him until he heard a shrick and exclamation, "Mark is dead!" He was a promising youth, delighted in committing to memory Scripture and Hymns, to recite at Sabbath School, and took great pleasure in singing. He had also expressed an earnest wish that his father should educate him for the

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Dren-On the 7th inst., at the residence of his father, John Armstrong, Esq., in Mill Creek Hundred, Del., Mr. NATHANIES ARMSTRONG, in

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While we bow submissively to the providence that has removed Mr. Armstrong to his rest, we cannot but mourn that our Zion has lost a laborer of so much promise. But God sees not as man sees. His will be done.

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