

Banner and Advocate.

DAVID MCKINNEY, Editor. STEPHEN LITTLE, Proprietor.

PITTSBURGH, MAY 28, 1869.

TERMS: \$1.00, in advance, or in Clubs (Six) \$5.00, delivered at residence of Subscribers \$6.00. See Prospectus for other particulars. A large amount should be promptly paid, and the year expires, that we may make full arrangements for a steady supply.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA.—We are sorry to learn that the Presbyterian church of this place, erected at a cost of \$20,000, has been consumed by fire.

Another Minister Dead.—The Rev. William N. Mebane, of the Synod of North Carolina, fell asleep in Jesus, on the morning of the 8th instant.

Second Presbyterian Church.—The congregation of which Dr. Howard is pastor, took possession of the spacious lecture room of their new church, on Penn Street, last Sabbath.

General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church.—This body formed last year, in this city, by the coming together of the Associate and Associate Reformed Churches, or, as they are more commonly called, Union and Seceder Churches, held its first annual meeting at Xenia, Ohio, on the 18th inst.

Historical Want.—We desire, for the purpose of presenting the same to the Presbyterian Historical Society, the seventeen volumes of the Presbyterian Advocate; also the volumes of the paper under its previous names, back to the date of its inception by Rev. Mr. Andrews, in (we believe) 1814.

The American Theological Review, for May.—The second number of this able Quarterly, edited by Henry B. Smith and Joseph Troy, has reached us. It comprises four departments: I. Essays and Reviews; II. News of the Churches, and Missions; III. Theological and Literary Intelligence; IV. Criticisms of New Books.

New School General Assembly.—This body met in Wilmington, Delaware, on Thursday, the 19th inst., and was opened with a sermon by the Rev. Dr. Thompson, of Buffalo. His subject was the office and work of a bishop.

The report of the Committee of Publication presents a prosperous condition of affairs in that enterprise.

The report of the Committee on Church Extension shows that the fund for that purpose now amounts to \$108,000. The whole number of churches aided during the year, some thirty thousand dollars were appropriated. Two and one-half per cent. of the work voted from the Church, to aid this work in Kansas. This Assembly is gradually preparing the way for separate action in conducting its Foreign Missions.

Church Ability.—Three things, in addition to the spirit of people, are to be considered, when we would estimate their ecclesiastical ability. These are, their aggregate membership; the number of families to be supported, and the amount of their productive means.

The Assembly of 1869.—The meeting of the General Assembly is the great event of the year, in the Presbyterian Church. It may well be looked to with great interest.

Evangelical-Lutheran Synod.—This Synod was in session, in this city, in the Lutheran church, on Seventh Street, during the last week.

Eastern Summary.—Boston and New England.—This Old Puritan City has been honored with special demonstrations of favor from the banks of the Tiber.

North-Western Seminary.—The Board of Directors of the North-Western Theological Seminary, set on the 17th—20th, to receive proposals for site and endowment.

Organization of the House.—The General Assembly met in this city (Indianapolis) on the 19th. Dr. Wm. A. Scott, the late Moderator, not being present, Dr. N. L. Rice was invited to preach, and to preside till a Moderator should be chosen.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Ability.—Three things, in addition to the spirit of people, are to be considered, when we would estimate their ecclesiastical ability. These are, their aggregate membership; the number of families to be supported, and the amount of their productive means.

The Assembly of 1869.—The meeting of the General Assembly is the great event of the year, in the Presbyterian Church. It may well be looked to with great interest.

Evangelical-Lutheran Synod.—This Synod was in session, in this city, in the Lutheran church, on Seventh Street, during the last week.

Eastern Summary.—Boston and New England.—This Old Puritan City has been honored with special demonstrations of favor from the banks of the Tiber.

North-Western Seminary.—The Board of Directors of the North-Western Theological Seminary, set on the 17th—20th, to receive proposals for site and endowment.

Organization of the House.—The General Assembly met in this city (Indianapolis) on the 19th. Dr. Wm. A. Scott, the late Moderator, not being present, Dr. N. L. Rice was invited to preach, and to preside till a Moderator should be chosen.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Ability.—Three things, in addition to the spirit of people, are to be considered, when we would estimate their ecclesiastical ability. These are, their aggregate membership; the number of families to be supported, and the amount of their productive means.

The Assembly of 1869.—The meeting of the General Assembly is the great event of the year, in the Presbyterian Church. It may well be looked to with great interest.

Evangelical-Lutheran Synod.—This Synod was in session, in this city, in the Lutheran church, on Seventh Street, during the last week.

Eastern Summary.—Boston and New England.—This Old Puritan City has been honored with special demonstrations of favor from the banks of the Tiber.

North-Western Seminary.—The Board of Directors of the North-Western Theological Seminary, set on the 17th—20th, to receive proposals for site and endowment.

Organization of the House.—The General Assembly met in this city (Indianapolis) on the 19th. Dr. Wm. A. Scott, the late Moderator, not being present, Dr. N. L. Rice was invited to preach, and to preside till a Moderator should be chosen.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Ability.—Three things, in addition to the spirit of people, are to be considered, when we would estimate their ecclesiastical ability. These are, their aggregate membership; the number of families to be supported, and the amount of their productive means.

The Assembly of 1869.—The meeting of the General Assembly is the great event of the year, in the Presbyterian Church. It may well be looked to with great interest.

Evangelical-Lutheran Synod.—This Synod was in session, in this city, in the Lutheran church, on Seventh Street, during the last week.

Eastern Summary.—Boston and New England.—This Old Puritan City has been honored with special demonstrations of favor from the banks of the Tiber.

North-Western Seminary.—The Board of Directors of the North-Western Theological Seminary, set on the 17th—20th, to receive proposals for site and endowment.

Organization of the House.—The General Assembly met in this city (Indianapolis) on the 19th. Dr. Wm. A. Scott, the late Moderator, not being present, Dr. N. L. Rice was invited to preach, and to preside till a Moderator should be chosen.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Ability.—Three things, in addition to the spirit of people, are to be considered, when we would estimate their ecclesiastical ability. These are, their aggregate membership; the number of families to be supported, and the amount of their productive means.

The Assembly of 1869.—The meeting of the General Assembly is the great event of the year, in the Presbyterian Church. It may well be looked to with great interest.

Evangelical-Lutheran Synod.—This Synod was in session, in this city, in the Lutheran church, on Seventh Street, during the last week.

Eastern Summary.—Boston and New England.—This Old Puritan City has been honored with special demonstrations of favor from the banks of the Tiber.

North-Western Seminary.—The Board of Directors of the North-Western Theological Seminary, set on the 17th—20th, to receive proposals for site and endowment.

Organization of the House.—The General Assembly met in this city (Indianapolis) on the 19th. Dr. Wm. A. Scott, the late Moderator, not being present, Dr. N. L. Rice was invited to preach, and to preside till a Moderator should be chosen.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Ability.—Three things, in addition to the spirit of people, are to be considered, when we would estimate their ecclesiastical ability. These are, their aggregate membership; the number of families to be supported, and the amount of their productive means.

The Assembly of 1869.—The meeting of the General Assembly is the great event of the year, in the Presbyterian Church. It may well be looked to with great interest.

Evangelical-Lutheran Synod.—This Synod was in session, in this city, in the Lutheran church, on Seventh Street, during the last week.

Eastern Summary.—Boston and New England.—This Old Puritan City has been honored with special demonstrations of favor from the banks of the Tiber.

North-Western Seminary.—The Board of Directors of the North-Western Theological Seminary, set on the 17th—20th, to receive proposals for site and endowment.

Organization of the House.—The General Assembly met in this city (Indianapolis) on the 19th. Dr. Wm. A. Scott, the late Moderator, not being present, Dr. N. L. Rice was invited to preach, and to preside till a Moderator should be chosen.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.

Church Extension.—This subject was brought forward by the Committee on the Annual Report, with highly commendatory resolutions.