On March 10th, Rev. Franklin Orr. Mr. Tuos.

March 3d, by Rev. W. L. Boyd, Mr. John LABH to Miss MARTHA ANN FAUK, all of South

On Wednesday, March 23d, by Rev. James A.

Reed, Mr. ISAAC C. CAMPBELL to Miss ELIZABETH

On Wednesday evening, March 16th, by Rev.

J. Y. M'Cartney, Mr. John J. Smith, of Co. G, 139th Reg't P. V., to Miss Margaret Dunn, of

Obitnary.

DIED-March 9th, at the residence of her

DIED-March 12th, at the residence of her

father, Mr. Cyrus Pore, of Westmoreland Co., Pa., Miss SARAH SAMANTHA PORE, in the

DIED-March 14th, at his residence in Tyrone,

Pa., of bronchial consumption, JOHN H. PAT-

father, Mr. Christian Bair, of South Huntingdon Tp., Westmoreland Co., Pa., Mrs. MARY GAUT, in the 83d year of her age.

Huntingdon Tp., Westmoreland County, Pa.

. Shaven, all of Wayne County, Ohio.

County, Pa.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

12th year of her age.

Church, aged 32 years.

Graham.

BOYD, aged about 98 years, and a

The flag of truce steamer New-York arrived at Annapolis, March 24th, with released prison-

ers, 500 of whom were sick. An expedition sent out from Fortress Monros into Matthew County, Va., returned March 23d, having captured a large amount of property, consisting of horses, cattle, mules, and three contrabands, all of which they brought away by direction of Gen. Butler. Several steam engines were also seized.

From Western Virginia, we learn that a whole company of our cavalry, 8d Va., were captured at Winfield, on the Kanawha, by a body of rebels: also that the steamer Victress, with Maj. Rucker on board, bearing important dispatches from Gen. Sigel, narrowly escaped capture. The escape was due to the presence of mind and promptitude of Major Rucker.

The President has issued a Proclamation, Proclamation of Dec. 8th, 1868," (known as the Amnesty Proclamation). That amnesty is not designed for persons who are in military, naval, or civil confinement, or under bonds, or on parol of the civil, military, or naval authorities of the United States, as prisoners of war, or persons detained for offences of any kind, either before or after conviction. On the contrary, it does apply only to those persons who, being at large and free from any arrest or confinement, shall voluntarily come forward and take the oath prescribed in the Proclamation of Dec. 8th, with the purpose of restoring peace and establishing the national authority. Persons excluded from this amnesty may nevertheless apply to the President for elemency, like all other offenders. A regis-ter will be kept in the Department of State, of all caths taken under the Proclamation of Dec. 8th; and all officers administering said oath, are required to report to the Department.

An investigation discloses the fact that when Pennsylvania is given credit for enlistments in the regular Army and Marine service, and Navy, her quota under the call for 500,000 men, instead of exhibiting a deficiency of 70,000, will be nearly if not quite full. Connecticut and Vermont have each furnished 2,000 more than their quotas In Iowa, instead of a deficiency as first reported there is a surplus of 780. In Ohio, the deficiency under the 500,000 call, is 8,000: and including the last call, the number to be raised, to avoid a draft, is 28,000.

Col. Frank Woolford, of Kentucky, has, by the President, been dishonorably discharged from the service for violation of the 5th Article

Richmond papers to the 21st have been received. A year ago the rebel papers threatened sudden slaughter to all black men who should be found in arms against the Confederacy, to be followed by the hanging of such officers of colored regiments as might survive and fall into their hands. Now, however, they propose that "a negro who will throw down the arms which have been placed in his hands, whenever he had an opportunity, and who comes to our lines for protection, should be received with that humanity which the poor African finds only in the Confederate States. We should let it he known among them that all such so escaping to our lines, will be received with kindness." Add to this the fact that three negroes, captured in the that an important change has come over the Southern mind upon this matter.

Congressional.—Congress has been engaged

The House has passed "enabling bills" which are the preliminaries to the admission of three more States—Nevada, Colorado, and Nebraska. These bills require of each territory an election of delegates to a convention, which shall submit a constitution agreed upon to the people for their ratification or rejection, to be held on the second Tuesday of October. The constitution shall be republican, and not repugnant to the Constitu-tion of the United States and the principles of the Declaration of Independence. Slavery shall be prohibited therein by an ordinance forever irrevocable without consent of Congress. When the constitution is ratified by the people, the President is to declare, by proclamation, the admission of these States on an equal footing with the original States, each of which is to be enti-tled to one member of the House until the next son. appointment, and two Senators in the Congress of the United States.

A bill is before Congress providing for the repeal of the duty on printing paper, and also for the discontinuance of the home tax upon it. True policy requires that it speedily become a law. Even Great Britain, with all her Burdensome taxes, puts no tax on printing paper. Let the tax be removed from printing paper, and laid with no sparing hand upon whisky.

Pennsylvania Legislature.—It seems quite probable that the United States appropriation for agricultural education in Pennsylvania will be divided among several institutions of learning. The late visit of the Legislature to the Farm School in Centre County, seems to have left a very unfavorable impression on the minds o the members with regard to the efficiency of the institution. The Bounty Bill which has passed both houses, gives authority to the County Commissioners to levy the tax necessary to secure the quota of recruits for each county. And in the event of their failure to do this, the School Directors of each School District are empowered to levy and collect such amount of tax as may be required to furnish the quota of the district.

General,-The Pennsylvania State Democratic Convention, which assembled at Harrisburg last week, expressed by Resolution their preference for the nomination of Gen. George B. M'Clellan, by the Chicago Convention, as the Democratic candidate for the Presidency.

The committee appointed by the Ohio House of Representatives to investigate the escape of John Morgan and party from the Penitentiary, have just reported. They find that the prisoners had no sid, and that none was required, since the escape could not have occurred if the air-chamber under the cell had not existed. They place all the blame on the military authorities for not making a regular examination of the cells.

The Governor of New-Jersey sent a message to the Legislature of that State, calling attention to the project before Congress to grant certain privileges to the Delaware Bay and Raritan Railroad route. The message was referred in both branches, and unanimously reported on, and the report adopted by both Houses, to the effect that the granting of such rights by Congress is an unwarrantable infringement on the rights of the State.

It has been proposed to incorporate a company to build an "underground railroad" under certain streets in the city of New-York. The Metro politan Railway Company applies to the Legislature for the privilege. They desire to tunnel Broadway and run a line of railroad from the Bowling Green to the Central Park. There is at present in London a tunnel road five miles long. Its success has been so decided that Parliament has chartered companies who intend to surround the city with tunnel roads, and connect all the railway stations. It is said that twenty millions sterling have already been subscribed toward this vast enterprise. The cost of tunneling and laying the track ready for operations, is about a

aillion of dollars per mile. The East Tennessee fund received by Mr. Everett, amounts to \$66,386.

A Paris letter in the Independence of Brussels, says that MM. de Rothschild & Co. have arranged with the Italian Government for the pur chase of its railways. The contract of sale has been signed by M. Minghetti on the one kand, and by MM. de Rothschild and Talabot on the other. The purchasers will take possession of the whole network of the Italian railways with the fixed and rolling plant on the 1st of October

The rebel Congress has recently given its sanction to two measures which deserve to be stated in connection. The first was an enactment that one-third of the value of the Confederate currenoy should be repudiated, the holders being compelled to suffer the loss. The second was a recommendation to Bresident Davis to appoint a day of fasting and prayer; in accordance with which the has designated the 8th of April.

European. The latest intelligence indicates

Adjutant General, or Chief of Staff of the Army, | but an exceedingly probable event. An intimate alliance is beli Austria, and Prussia, to put down the cause of constitutional liberty-or "revolution," as they term it. A report was also current that the British and French Governments-were almost agreed upon the principles upon which they would cooperate to put an end to the war in the North of Europe. Prussia is reported to be forming a corps of 150,000 men to operate against Sweden in the event of the latter State becoming an ally of England and France. Not-withstanding these indications of war, the London Times asserts that the hope of an early pa-elfic adjustment of the Danish question continued to gain strength. It is not prohable, how-ever, that England can maintain her present po-

sition of neutrality much longer. The New-York Times' Paris correspondent announces the important fact that Minister Dayton has served a written notification upon the French Emperor, that if the rebel cruiser Rappahanno now at Calais, is allowed to proceed to sea, the French Government will be held responsible for all the damage she may do to American con merce.

## Local Intelligence.

The Christian Commission has been doing March 26th, "to define the cases in which in. The Christian Commission has been doing surgent enemies are entitled to the benefits of an excellent work at Camp Copeland for some time. The station is under the charge of two efficient delegates, Rev. Samuel Lowrie and Rev N. S. Noyes, who devote their time to the care of N. S. Noyes, who devote their time to the care of both the temporal and spiritual welfare of the wayne County, Ohio, Mr. ZACCHEUS FLUsoldiers in the hospitals and camp. Services are HART, Sr., in the 64th year of his age. held during the week, and on Sunday there preaching by the ministers from the city.

Attached to the station is an extra diet kitchen, fitled up with a large cooking stove, plates, cups, and everything that would be useful in preparing a good warm meal for the sick. . The shelves are well stocked with stores. The kitchen is under the charge of the ladies of Swissvale, who have undertaken this department of the Commission's work. Too much praise cannot be given to these ladies, who have for the past five TERSON, a Ruling Elder of the Presbyterian weeks visited the camp every day, through rain and mud, carrying, for miles, the articles they have prepared for the sick. Their labors will be very much lightened by the erection of this

We may also state, in this connection, that the United States Christian Commission has had under advisement, for some time, the project of establishing diet kitchens in the Army of the Cumberland. After much deliberation the matter has been agreed upon, and a shipment was quaque Presbyterian church, in her 60th year. sent from Pittsburgh recently, consisting of twenty thousand feet of lumber and fifteen thousand ty thousand feet of lumber and fifteen thousand gheny County, Pa., on the morning of the 28th pounds of stoves. This is a most desirable step of February, 1864, JAS. H. NEEL, in the 79th toward the improvement of the sanitary condition of the army. Miss Moorhead, daughter of September 30th, 1785, and came with his fath-Gen. Moorhead, will go down to the Army of er's family, in the Fall of 1787, to the farm the Cumberland, for the purpose of superintend. where he died, when it was yet Westmoreland ing, in connection with Mrs. Whittemyer, agent | County. for the State of Towa, the operations of those or this work, having been for some time among 83d year of his age. "kitchens." Miss Moorhead is peculiarly fitted the hospitals of Fortress Monroe, and in the Army of the Potomac.

The Sanitary Committee have determined, after a full examination of all the different places schooner Julia Baker, were not slaughtered, but quietly handed over to their owner, and we may held in the Diamond, Allegheny City. The diagram of the proposed in the Diamond, Allegheny City. The diagram of the proposed in the Diamond, Allegheny City. held in the Diamond, Allegheny City. The dimensions of the buildings which the Committee now propose to erect, are as follows: Floral Hall, 100 by 120 feet; Ladies' Bazaar, 180 by 53 feet; Refectory, 188 by 53 feet; Exhibition and Lecture Hall, 180 by 93 feet: Mechanics' Hall, 208 in discussing the New-Jersey Railroad monopoly, a bill to prevent military interference in elections, the West Point Military Academy bill, the National Bank law, the Agricultural College by 98 feet—an aggregate of 67,164 feet. This, ture Hall, 180 by 93 feet; Mechanics' Hall, 208 an angel, to dwell and worship among the shining with the use of all the public halls in the city besides, is the smallest amount of space that can possibly answer for the requirements of the Fair.

The Allegheny Ladies' Tract Society has elected the following officers, to serve for the ensuing year: President-Mrs. F. R. Brunot; Vice President-Miss M. Herron; Secretary-Mrs. R. S. Hays; Treasurer-Miss A. Fleming; Managers-Miss Bryan, Mrs. Breading, Miss-Tassey, Mrs. Kay, Mrs. W. Bryant, Mrs. Trevor Mrs. Forrest, Miss Beck, Mrs. Orr, Miss Blackstock, Mrs. Dunlap, Miss Whitten, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Oudry, Miss E. Burnett, Miss Patter-

Messrs. Slater & South have opened a Shoe-Store, No. 54 Market Street, where can be had ket. Their assortment of Ladies' Shoes is very

Sewickley Academy, Rev. Joseph S. Travelli, Principal, is a long-established school, in every way worthy the confidence and liberal patronage of parents and guardians.

Edgeworth Seminary for Young Ladies, Rev. A. Williams, D.D., Principal, has had, for many years, a deservedly high reputation, which is well sustained; and we can confidently recommend it to all who desire a healthy location and a good school for their daughters and wards.

Sewing-Machines-See How they Go.-I is a real satisfaction to us to see sewing-machines traveling over the land, and especially to see them making their way into so many parsonages. How one lightens the labor and care of a patient, toiling mother. Many a poor minister's wife has been saved thereby from over-work, and so from consumption and an early grave. Hence, we rejoice to see them go, and are glad to speed them on their way. A clergyman from Minnssota, who called on us this week, could not leave New-York without taking back this invaluable gave an example of the patience of the saints; accompaniment. He went to Grover & Baker's, yet she sometimes feared lest she might not be and we believe picked out the best one he could find in the whole establishment. We are sure he got his money's worth. - New-York Evangelist.

Pittsburgh Markets. [Corrected Weekly for the Presenteriam Banner, by Little & Tringle, Wholefale Groces, 112 and 114 Second Street.]

Provisions.

APPLES—\$3.75@4.50 % bbl.

BACON.—Bhoulders. 101/@103/c.; Bides. 121/@131/c.;

Plain Hams, 14@141/c.; Sugar Cured do., 151/@160

BUTTER—The receipts are more liberal, without change in prices; sales at \$28.642c.

CHEENE—Scarce and firm, at 151/2@17c.

EGGS—The market is completely glutted; sales at 22 @25c.

ACGO-The marks is completely gutted, sales at 22 (22c. FLOUR.—There is an active local demand at unchanged prices. Extra. \$6.25; Extra Family, \$7.00@7.50.

GRAIN.—Whoat a shade firmer; sales from first hands at \$1.30@1.35. Corn unchanged; sales by car load at \$1.25 for shelled. Oats, \$56.967. Barley nominal at \$1.25 for shelled. Oats, \$56.967. Barley nominal at \$1.250 l.50.

GROCERIES.—We notice an active and excited market. We advance quotations on most articles. Sugar, 15@15/4c. for Oubs, and 15/40/17c. for N. O. Coffee, 40@41c. for prime and choice Rio. Molasses, 70@75c. for Old, and 85@90c. tor new. Spices: Pepper, 43c.; Cassia, 75c.; Nutmegs, \$1.50; Pimento, 35c.

HAY-\$33.00@85.00 per ton. I.ARD—1314@140. MESS PORK—\$23.50@24.00. mess furn—w22.50@24.00.
OIL—The market is quiet but firm at 22c. in bulk for Crude, and 54@55c. for Refined free.
FOTATOES—Quiet at 90c.@\$1.00.
REEDS—Dull. Clover, \$7.25@7.50. Flax, \$2.80. Timity, \$3.20@2.25.

## Special Hotices.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. C. SILL, No. 246 Penn Street, attends to all branches of the Deutal professi

COUCHS AND COLDS .- The sudden changes of our climate are sources of PULMONARY; BRONCHIAL one is in heaven, where she will be free from and ASTHMATIC AFFECTIONS. Experience having proved that simple remedies often act speedly when taken this single through the result of the district through the result of the result of the result of the district through the result of the resu in the carly stages of the disease, recourse should at once be led to "BEOWN'S BEONCHIAL TROCHES," or Lozenges, let the Cold, Cough, or Irritation of the Throat be ever so slight, as by this precaution a more serious attack may be effectually warded off. PUBLICSPEAKERS and SINGERS that celestial clime where all is bright will find them effectual for clearing and strengthening the and lovely. Look to God for comfort in this voice. Soldiers should have them, as they can be carried in the time of your affliction, and he will hear

Married. At East Waterford, by Rev. W. Prideaux, Mr. D. Scott, of Macomb, Ill., to Miss M. A. Rea, of Waterford, formerly of Bedford, Pa.

That Sallie sleeps—she is not dead.

SIMPSON to Miss LIZZIE LUCAS, all of Indiana DIED-At her residence in Lawrenceville March 15th, at the residence of the officiating minister, in Darlington, Pa., by Rev. A. W. Boyd, Mr. James K. Mitchel to Miss Mattle aged 79 years and 11 months. BARCLAY, all of Beaver County, Pa. On Tuesday, the 22d inst., by Rev. R. F. Sample, Mr. Samuel L. Wilson, of Ashland County, Ohio, to Miss Mary M. Craine, of Bedford, Pa.

DIED-On the 29th of February, at the residence of his son, near Butler, Pa., Mr. ROBERT DIED-Near Butler, Pa., on the 12th of March, Mrs. SARAH, wife of Mr. Robert DIED-On March 16th, near Pottsgrove, Mrs. - OGDEN, an humble member of the Chilas-

DIED-At his residence in Mifflin Tp., Alle-He was born in Lancaster County, Pa.,

DIED-March 14th, JOHN RUSSELL, of He was for many years a respected member of Glade Run church. A widow, one son, and a daughter, beside a large circle of relatives; mourn their loss, but, we trust, his infinite gain. - G. W. M.

\*\*\*DIED February 16th, in the 28th year of his age, Mr. JAMES ALLEN JOHNSTON, member of Co. F, 47th Reg't Ind. Vol. Inf. DIED-March 5th, in the hope of the Gospel, Mrs. MARY A. JOHNSTON, in the 79th year of her age. DIED-March 8th, in his 58th year, Mr.

SAMUEL B. JOHNSTON, of Wayne County, O., and for many years a consistent member of Unitv church.

DIED—On Monday evening, February 29th, LIDIE A., eldest daughter of J. McM. and Jane L. King, in the 7th year of her age. Funeral from the residence of her parents 557 Liberty Street, on Thursday morning, at 10

DIED-On Tuesday evening, March 15th, JENNIE McCULLY, second daughter of J. the best and neatest boots and shoes in the mar- McM. and Jane L. King, aged 2 years and 8 Funeral from the residence of her parents, No. 557 Liberty Street, on Thursday afternoon,

at 3 o'clock. " By cool Siloam's shady rill. How fair the lily grows ! How sweet the breath beneath the hill Of Sharon's dewy rose!

> "Lo! such the child whose early feet The paths of peace have trod; Whose secret heart, with influence sweet, Is upward drawn to God.

" By cool Siloam's shady rill, The lily must decay;
The rose that blooms beneath the hill Must shortly fade away."

DIED-On the 12th inst., at he mother's, Mrs.

Lowry, in Derry, Montour County, Pa., Mrs. ELIZABETH MILLER, of Morrison, Illinois, aged 36 years. The deceased was for several years called to suffer; but having in early life and in time of health professed faith in Christ, she knew where to look for support and consolation in times of affliction. She had learned obedience and sub-mission by the things which she suffered, and patient enough, when desiring to depart and be with Christ, and remembering how the poor mis-sionaries were called to endure. There was one evere trial still, but by the grace of God she was enabled to submit to dying away from her husband and children, who were still hoping to see her return. It will be comforting to them to learn that her end was peace. A little while MEDNESDAY, March 30.

Business for the week has been more active. The opening of canal navigation, together with the rapid advance in gold, have had a tendency to harden prices in Groceries and It is sweet to fall asleep in the arms of Jesus;" and thus passed away into the presence of her

"Oh! for the death of those Who slumber in the Lord;

Oh! be like theirs my last repose, Like theirs my last reward." DIED-Of diptheria, on the evening of the 16th of February, SALLIE HAYMAKER, aged 2 years and 10 months; daughter of Joseph and Mary Miller, of Westmoreland County, Pa. God in his all-wise providence, has cast his afflicting hand upon this beloved family. He has permitted, for the first time, the stern visage of death to enter in upon this unbroken circle, and claim for its victim this lovely little child. But two short years ago he blessed these pious parents with this cherished one. Not long she dwelt with them, until He who gave, called her to return. This disease, which calls so many little-ones to their eternal home, was laid upon her, and yielded not until her eyes were closed in death. Prayers were mingling around our Father's throne of grace, for the restoration of little Sallie. But soon 't was whispered, "She is dead." Her spirit has soured aloft to the Mighty God who gave it. The bright "Star of Bethlehem? has lighted her immortal spirit on its way down the dark "Valley of the Shadow of Death," to the celestial shore where the pearly gates are standing ajar, and the angelic hosts are rejoicing that another child of God has been gathered within the arms of its blessed Saviour. Then, brother and sister, fret not, for thy little a general European war as not only a possible, the pocket and taken as occasion requires. mary-im your petitions. He is a gracious God. He

doeth all things well. Put your trust in him. living so that when you are called to die, you may have the wedding garment ou, prepared to sit down at the "marriage supper of the Lamb."

There we will see our father, sister, brother, and little Sallie. Let us look to God and say, Thy will be done in earth as it is done in heaven. Then, mourn not, parents, God hath said

Thursday evening, November 11th, 1863, Mrs. STATIRA B. HATCH, wife of Ebenezer Hatch, After waiting for some time expecting to see an obituary of our aged friend prepared by others more capable, we feel it be our privilege, even at this late day, to offer this small tribute due to the memory of so kind and devoted a wife and mother, and so eminent a Christian. "The memory of the just is blessed."

She was a native of the State of Maine, from which she emigrated with her husband, to Pitts-burgh, in 1813, when it required six weeks to make the journey. Descended from the early "Pilgrim Fathers," she exhibited all their energy, perseverence, and untiving zeal in the va-ried and constant occupation of her willing hands, either for her own family or the needy around her. In her the suffering and afflicted found a generous, sympathizing friend. Possessing the most unselfish heart it has ever been our happy lot to know, she went about doing good. "Diligent in business, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord." Frequently did she remark, "I have no desire to outlive my usefulness"; and surely her desire was fulfilled. Her children found her house set in order throughout—from the most im-portant to the more trivial, all was completed by her own hands, even to her burial clothes each article was found neatly folded and marked designating its use, and placed in a particular drawer, in anticipation of the Bridegroom's call. Though suffering from the infirmities of age for several months previous to her death, her departure was sudden; she but stepped from time into eternity. After a few hours' illness she looked up, her face already glowing with indescribable happiness, as though she beheld the King in his beauty," and saw the pearly gates of the New Jerusalem open to receive her; then closed her dimmed eyes, folding her hands as peacefully as if lying down to quiet sleep. While we gazed on her gerene countenance, and remembered her self-denying love, her gentle admonitions and fervent prayers; we found it Though suffering from the infirmities of age for

admonitions and fervent prayers; we found it hard to say, "Thy will be done." This mother in Israel has left us a bright example. Her piey was of no ordinary character. Religion was er chief concern; it entered into all her em-loyments, and formed part of all her conversa-The scheme of redemption was her cherished theme. "I know that my Redeemen ives!" she exclaimed, with emotion, when con versing with a friend upon the probability that her earthly pilgrimage might soon terminate. No small matter could detain her from the house of God and the place of prayer, though she might have to go through the darkness unattended. She could rise before the dawn to be present at he early morning prayer-meeting; and we have heard ber earnest voice in supplication in the stillness of the midnight, when she thought none but God could hear. Yet she was no gloomy Christian—always cheerful, happy, and uncomplaining. Though her years were nearly our score, her heart and affections were young She loved society, and was interested in all the benevolent enterprises of the times. But she has left us: and we realize our loss every day more and more sensibly, as we miss her loving smile, sound advice, ready encouragement and sympathy. But we love to think of her, now in the presence of the Saviour she loved and served —not stooped with age and bending beneath in-firmities, but clothed in immortal youth and ' Write. Blessed are the dead

beauty, as she tunes her harp to the sweet melowhich die in the Lord, from henceforth; Yea saith the Spirlt, that they may rest from their abors, and their works do follow them.' Her aged and sorrowing partner, with whom she spent nearly sixty years of her carthly pilgrim ge, still survives, just waiting for the summons le, with her two daughters and three sons, and grand-children, followed her remains to their esting-place in Allegheny Cemetery, to await the resurrection morning, in hope of a glorious

DIED-In Washington, Pa., February 25th, 1864, CHARLES HAWKINS, in the 91st year of

The ancestors of Mr. Hawkins were pious Co

endured by this time, and the simultaneous prev

ment, may not now be accurately known. His new brethren soon came to recognize him as a

devout disciple, and to honor him with unusual

confidence. In 1827, with three others, he was made a Ruling Elder—the Rev. Obadiah Jen-

nings, D.D., being at the time pastor of the

church. His entrance upon this office was mark-

ed with a deep impression of responsibility, and as was his habit in all matters of importance,

was made the occasion of a renewed covenan-

with God, the record of which is a precious trea-

sure in the hands of his family. In the spirit of that covenant he was enabled to discharge the

duties of an Elder to the great edification of the church and advancement of religion, until disa-

bled by the infirmities of age. Even then his prayers for Zion were abundant, his words of counsel and comfort were profitable to many,

Self-dedication, humility, sincerity, gentle-ness, a consistent walk, cooperation in every

good work, and fervency in prayer were the dis

tinguishing traits of his religious life. They all combined to give him a character before his fel-

low men of remarkable force, especially consid-

ering the absence of most, if not all, the usual

elements of worldly prominence. The influence

of his piety at home may be inferred from the

fact that a large proportion of the apprentices thrown into his family, either then, or shortly

afterwards, were brought into the church and several of them into the ministry. He was

among the earliest teachers of the Presbyterian Sabbath-School of Washington, established in 1816—probably the first in all the West—and, for

a number of years, was its Superintendent. His sympathy with children and youth, and his hab-

itual zeal for their conversion, never ceased

The sick and sorrowful were comforted by his visits, inquirers sought his counsel upon the

question of their salvation, and not only care-less, but even wicked men, felt a sacred awe in

his presence. He was one of the very few of

whom a whole community could say, "Behold

an Israelite indeed, in whom there is no guile."

But the chief source of the power and influence of this good man must be found in his won-

derful gift of prayer. The severity of his own spiritual conflicts led him to a close communion

with God, and an earnest study of the Scriptures

or relief and help. Not only the plan of salva-

tion itself, but the language and spirit of inspir

ed devotion—its plaintive lamentations, its long-ings and triumphs—became most familiar to his

intense religious emotions were poured forth with a fluency and copiousness seldom equalled.

welcome to the hearts of God's people, as leaders

of their devotions in the praying circle. The writer well remembers the earnestness with which the venerable Dr. Brown, so long his pastor, during one of his last visits, at a prayer-

meeting, requested that Charles Hawkins be cal-led on to lead in prayer, adding, with deep feel-ing—"I want to hear him pray once more before I die; I have often felt, under the influence of his prayers, as if heaven itself were brought

His last sickness was protracted, disciplinary,

and fruitful of apiritual results. And more and

more, until the last, did he abase himself as an

ness of Christ, as his only hope and portion, de-

Farewell, terrors, sighing, grieving,
Praying, hearing and believing,

unworthy sinner, whilst he extelled the precious

and now "being dead he yet speaketh."

This aged and venerable man was born in Bal timore, Md., November 27, 1773, about six weeks after the arrival of his parents from Ireland. Portions of his boyhood were spent in Cecil Co., Md., Adams county, Pa., and Chambersburg, Pa., respectively, in the last of which he was married, May 18, 1797, to Miss Sarah Orr. From July, 1807, until his death he was a resident of Washington. His wife preceded him to the grave in 1861. They had seven children, five of whom yet survive.

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