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South.

Union Sentiment Strong.

The spirit of Christian union and co-operation seems to be in the air of Bal-timore. Initial steps have already been taken looking toward the union of the Methodist Episcopal Church 'and the Methodist Protestant Church. I look for been issued in China, a spurious cure for the habit had been introduced from the West, which contained morphine and largely neutralized the effect of the edict. **Spread of Sunday Schools.** The report of the committee on pub-lication and Sabbath school work was submitted and adopted. Dr. Alexander Henry, secretary of the board, said that this, the 70th anniversary of the exist-ence of the board, was the best year the board had ever had. He said the hoard had received an in-rease of \$2240,000 in contributions for the work during the year, which amount was equal to the increased of the previous ive years. It stated that the union with the Cumberlang Church had opened a wide field for work for young people Contributions increased \$24,276, or 18 per ent. The board has at work 137 Sabbath school missionaries and 29 coloriteurs. There were 738 new Sabbath schools or-ganized and 277 revived making a total of 1017, into which were gathered 3361

ganized and 278 revived, making a total of 1017, into which were gathered 3366 ed and 278 revived, making a total 17, into which were gathered 3366 in one of the hotels of the city, listened with open-systed wonder to the Rev. J. Wesley Hill, pastor of the Metropolitian

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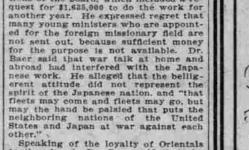
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deferred to and courted by the white members while the elections are pending.



the Standard American Revised Edition of the Bible as the best version before the American public and commending its widest usage among Presbyterians, aroused the general assembly of the Pres-byterian Church in the United States store the assembly met, and the at-tempt falled by a very narrow margin, fit to Stl. A spirit of unrest again manifested it-self when a resolution was introduced

four ministers and four elders he ap-pointed to make a report at the next general assembly on the subject of the general assembly in an effort to make the assembly in an effort to make the assembly a more deliberative body. Although the resolution was referred to the committee on policy, it is known that many commissioners feel that the general assembly is too great a burden on the churches and that the proceedings of the assembly is too great a burden on the churches and that the proceedings of the assembly do not permit of that general participation by members which is always desired in deliberative bodies. Dr. William H. Roberts, stated clerk for the general assembly, said that the seneral assembly cost each communicant of the church only seven cents a year. He said that the assembly had twice gone to the Pacific Coast, but was free from debt and he commended the admin-istration of its officers. NEGROES BADLY TREATED

of the most doggedly stolld. They are members while the elections are pending, but it is difficult for them to secure what is extravagantly promised them, as the favors have to come through a secret bal-lot. While the colored men who asso-ciaté in church relations with their white brethren who have had superior advan-tages, appear to better advantage than do their brethren of the same color who have no such association, it must be a great humiliation to them to meet with such duplicity as that with which they deal in this great religious body and in others like it. So far as one is able to judge the sentiment which is confidentially ex-pressed, the great mass of white people

sentiment which is confidentially ex-pressed, the great mass of white people who are members of this conference would be greatly pleased if all the negro Methodists would get together under one organization, and thus make it easy for the white Methodists to unite. This lat-ter will probably never be attained while the negroes remain members of the gen-eral conference of the Methodist Epis-copal Church. Their presence here is an effective barrier to the organic union between the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

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tions were \$20,993. The capital is now \$297,300.

Erection of New Churches.

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Assembly Criticised as Not Being

Deliberative - Foreign Missions Make Great Strides and Undermine Old Beliefs.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 27 .- An attempt to secure a record indersement of the Standard American Revised Edition

A spirit of unrest again manifested it-self when a resolution was introduced providing that a committee consisting of four ministers and four elders be ap-

Crisis in Foreign Missions.

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Discussing foreign missions, Dr. Stan-ley White said that the foreign mission board of the church never before faced such a orbits as now. This was because of the governmental unrest of some of the Eastern countries, especially China, Corea and India, and because the afforts of the American missionaries had under-mined many of the native religions and superstitions and the responsibility of completing the work of giving a Chris-tion substitute for heathen Worship was upon the church. America must have a share in the de-velopment of the Orient. The Eastern

velopment of the Orient. The Eastern mations yearn for the advantages we can give them, and we must give them the best of our religious and intellectual life. It was a disgrace, he said, that after an edict to stamp out the opium curse had been issued in China, a spurious cure for the habit had been introduced from the West, which contained morphine and incredy neutralized the after of the after

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velopment of the Orient.

The report of the committee on ohurch erection was read by Rev. Mark A. Matthews, of Seattle. The report states that the total number of applications was 295, amounting to \$300,160, as against 286 and \$287,820 in the previous year. Of these applications 24 were for church buildings and nine for manses from churches formerly Cumberland. The amount received from 261 churches was \$221,512 was \$233,613.

Dr. Matthews made a plea for the institutional church. He said the church should be open seven days in the week, and that churches should be erected with a view to the comfort of people who con-gregate in them. He said that the church should make a study of church architecture, as there are more poorly ventilated churches than there are poorly ventilated ildings of any other kind in the United

"House the minister properly and give him an attractive church," said the speaker. All of the officers of the women's

foreign missions were reelected today.

Spread of Foreign Missions.

The board of foreign missions re-The board of foreign missions re-ported that more money was contribut-ed this year for foreign missions through the board than during any previous year in its history, the total amount, including legacles, being more than \$1,300,000. The total expenses for the year amounted to \$1,455,000. The report says in part:

than \$1,300,000. The total expenses for the year amounted to \$1,455,000. The report mays in part: The year has been a successful one. Sixty-four new missionaries were suct out The receipts from all sources were \$1,847.-285.51, the largest amount ever received in a single year. Owing to the extra de-mands, however, on the foreign field, the year closed with a deficit of \$107,751. The board has 25 missions, located in Arriea, China, India, Japan, Corea, Mexico, Persia, Philippine Bilands, Silam, Laos, Bra-zil, Chile, Columbia, Gustemala, Syria, and among the Chinese, Japanese and Coreans in the United States. It has 148 principal stations, 2000 out-stations, Bod missionaries, over 2000 native workers, 1171 schools from the primary to the university. 7 printing presses which has year printed 109,261,463 pages, and about 120 hospitals and dispen-aries, which treated more than 400,000 pa-tients that year. There are 53,407 communicants, more than 10,060 being added during the year. The contribution on the field from mative sources in gold amounted to \$260,055,55, the argest sum ever received from the native christians in the more than 70 years his-tory of the board. The significant events of the year stre-found in the majoid development of self-sup-found in the majoid development of self-sup-

tory of the board. The significant events of the year are found in the rapid development of suff-sup-port. This is shown by the large offerings of the naive churches. In some missions, such as the Lace mission, and the Ceres, the mative churches are almost entirely welf-supporting. In other missions, as in Africa, cearly all the churches are self-supporting.

Converts Among Fillpinos.

In the Philippine Isands, neary 2100 adults have been received into the Presbyterian fold, which now has 50 churches, 190 congregations, between adults have been received into the Presbyterian fold, which now has 50 churches 190 congregations, between 200 and 300 native helpers and teachers and \$000 communicants. There is a growing spirit of unity. In China, all the Presbyterian churches have united

Wesley Hill, pastor of the Metropolitian Church, New York City, telling of his experience in holding a series of revival services in the Church of the Ascension, which is a Protestan Episcopal Church in the City of New York. Of this great church the Rev. Percy S. Grant is

Millenium Is Near.

the rector.

When asked how he got along, Dr. Hill replied, "Just like I would fn a Metho-dist Church: they are sinners just like we are, and have to repent and exercise faith just like we do, and the most of them have as much religion as the most of us have." Think of that: And yet some people say the millenium will never better to marry the woman he loves. This seems to be meeting the difficulty. Dr. Quayle's vote is growing steadily and it looks as if he would be elected before this letter is published.

CHINESE MISSION BOUNDARIES some people say the millienium will never some people say the millenium will never come. It must be almost in sight, when the Protestant Episcopal Church allows the common Methodist preacher to don its robes, enter the pulpit and conduct a revival service. What may happen next? Under the leadership of Dr. C. W. Baldwin, the General Conference sent the following message to the church the following message to the church, which indicates, that the church is be-siming to recognize its obligation to the helpless and the lost.

In the addresses which were provoked In the addresses which were provoked by this message the fact was brought forth very prominently that this white slave traffic is vasily more extensive than people have thought:

White Slave Traffic.

This General Conference entreais our nembers everywhere, in the name of wom-

THE LYRIC, Baltimore, Md., May 17, --(Special.)-The Methodist Episcopal general conference today provided for

The conference adjourned with the residences of the bishops under discussion. It is not probable that an effort will be made to take the episcopal committee's report, will be made to take the episcopal committee's report. Shanghal, China, has been abolished and residences are established at Foo chow and Pekin, a gain of one for that has been extansively reported with significant nods and winks and groans and the has no college and while still ensaged to a beautiful young woman when he was in college and while still ensaged to this young addy fell under the charms of a dashing young widow who captured his heart and caused him to the was a decided honor and great and to the source and the feat in the day the conference at the charms of a dashing young woman when he ad pledged his undying love.

opular man until his relation to this there, a bishop for that field exclusively atrimonial escapade was fully explained. was unnecessary at this time. matrimonial escapade was fully explained. I was unnecessary at this time. This great man is the Rev. W. A. Quayle, of Chicago. His friends have offset this accusation by asking whether it is better for a man to marry a woman to whom he was first engaged while he loves another better, or whether it is better to marry the woman he loves. This seems to be meeting the difficulty. This seems to be meeting the difficulty. Dr. Quayle's vote is growing steadily and Dr. Quayle's vote is growing steadily and

Extension. Dr. A. G. Wallace, of Sewickley, and Dr. James G. Carron, of Xenia, Ohio, are among the leaders in the cam-paign for election as moderator. Dr. T. B. Turnbull, of Philadelphia, and Rev. F. M. Spencer, president of Cooper Col-lege, Kansas, are also candidates. Concerning union of the United Presby-terior oburgh with the Presby-terior oburgh with the Presby-

Concerning union of the United Presby-terian church with the Presbyterian de-momination, Dr. J. D. Sands, of the Board of Publication, said today: "We do not contemplate organic union with, the Presbyterian church, except along sertain lines common to the two de-montinations for the benefit of the bodies." BALTIMORE, May 27.-A vast deal of argument marked today's session of the Methodist Episcopal General Conference and not a great deal of business was acomplished. The committee on boundaries

ENDS WITH DEBATE ON LIQUOR

Baptist Convention Warned of Cam-

paign Against Prohibition.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okia, May 77.--With a discussion of "The Present Frogress in Temperance Reform" and "A Reusonable Social Policy for a Christian Feople," the last session of the Northern Baptist convention came to an end tonight. Declaring that sentiment on the tem

end tonight. Declaring that sentiment on the tem-perance question had changed much dur-ing the past year and sounding a warn-ing of the tremendous campaign against profibition now, being curried on by "Hessians of the dastardly traffic." Rev. S. Z. Batten, of Nebraska, said that the coming year will see research unlass the

Methodist Conference Provides oming year will see reaction unless the hurches block the advance of the liquor

> The report of the committee on cre-dentials shows that over 1000 delegates representing 35 states and territories at-tended the convention, besides 1000 visitors from as many states.

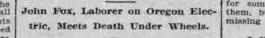
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Noted Texas Lawyer Murdered.

MINERAL WELLS, Tex. May 27 .- W. E. McConnell, one of the most prominent attorneys of this state and a former mem ber of the State Legislature, was shot and killed by J. Pearson, at the home home of the latter, here. The shooting courred when Judge McConnell admitted

making certain statements to Mrs. Pear-son, and it is alleged by members of the lamilies, made a move to draw a weapon. At the time of the shooting members of the family were gathered to strange some property matters.



SALEM, Or. May 27.—(Special.)— John Fox, aged about 50, employed as a laborer in the Oregon Electric hal-lasting gang, was run over and killed this afternoon by a construction train. While a flying switch was being mide. Fox leaged from the car that had been "kicked off" to the last car of the train. He lost his balance and fell backward in front of the cars. His head was crushed under the wheels. He leaves a wife and several children liv-ing in Salem. He formerly resided in Portland.

Fruitless Search for Burning Ship.

Fuilless Search for Burning Ship. SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 27.—The Brit-ish gunboat Shearwater, Captain Craw-ford, arrived this morning from the South, having been on a long and fruit-less search for the big British collier Sliberhorn, which is now supposed to have been lost with all on board in the South Pacific Ocean somewhere near Juan Fernandes Island (Crusoe's Island) off the coast of Northern Chile. The Sli-berhorn was loaded with coal, which she took on at Cardiff and which she was to discharge at "Guayaguil. She was re-

discharge at Guayaquil. She was re-ported several weeks ago as having been sighted near Fornandez Island on fire and the gunboat went out from Valparaiso

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compliance. The committee on boundaries heid fits final regular meeting to-day, during which it fixed the boundaries of the Pacific Coast Chinese Mission as embracing all the present missions except that now in existence at Portland, Or., which will re-main independent for the present. The committee on the sepisocopacy de-cided on a report exonerating Bishop Thomas B. Neely, of Buenos Ayres, of the charges of maiadministration laid against him. From an authoritative source comes the information that Bishop Neely will not be returned to South Neely will not be returned to South America, but that he will be given some other important post instead.

FUND FOR WORN-OUT PASTORS

Money.

a great denominational organization to a great denominational organization to secure funds by which proper support may be made for preachers who have worn themselves out in the itinerary, or who have been overtaken by dis-ease, and the families of those who

Methodists Leave Portland Independent of Other Citls.