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EDITORIAL NOTES.

The *Christian Telescope* has removed from Watkinsville to Atlanta, Ga.

The annual coöperation of California begins August 3. See Bro. Kendrick's card.

Bro. G. P. Rich, of Damascus, reports two additions; one by relation and the other by obedience.

The new church building at Seattle will be ready for occupancy by the third Lord's day in August.

The Kentucky State Christian Convention will hold its next meeting at Cynthiana, beginning Aug. 28.

A new paper called the *Model Christian* has been started at Mineral Springs, Ark., J. R. Jones and S. R. Ezzell editors. We have not seen the paper; but we know the men, and wish it success.

We have on hand quite a number of catalogues containing the names, prices and a brief description of the books which can be had through this office. They are for free distribution to those wishing to buy books.

The *Christian at Work* says: "The *Christian Church* at Beloit, Wis., has secured Rev. Jennie Thompson, the evangelist, as a regular pastor, and she entered upon the duties of her new charge on July 1." What next?

The *Christian at Work*, Bells Depot, Tenn, merges into the *Gospel Advocate*, and Bro. Booth becomes West Tennessee editor of the *Advocate*. A good move. The *Advocate* gets better as it grows older. We wish it all success.

We have some queries on a card from San Jose, Cal., with no name accompanying them. If the writer will send us his name, we will attend to his questions. It is not necessary that the name be published, but we must know it as an evidence of good faith.

The *Signs of the Times* says: A writer in the *CHRISTIAN HERALD*, says: "I tell you that the party of the future must recognize God, the Sabbath, and the Bible." Did he mean the seventh day of the week or Jewish Sabbath, think ye, brother *Signs*?

We learn that the brethren at Albany are thinking something of making an effort soon to build a house of worship. We would be glad to see such a work commenced so soon as it is possible to carry it to completion. Let the matter be fully talked up and then the work begun, now that they have Bro. Morrison with them.

And so we are to have Henry Ward Beecher on this Coast sure enough. O. W. Pond, his agent, is now in Portland making arrangements for a series of lectures in that and other cities on the Coast. We do not enter into this series of lectures with the same enthusiasm that we took hold of the visit of Miss Willard. That Mr. Beecher is a great lecturer in one sense can not be doubted, but we can not indorse his treatment of the Bible, and hence think his lecturing calculated to do more harm than good.

A brother in London, England, writes to the *Christian Commonwealth*, advocating the publication of a "religious daily." We would rejoice to see such an enterprise started if the paper could only command a sufficient number of readers to sustain it. But when we see the great mass of people taking the same interest in a religious daily as they do in the great political dailies of the day, we will conclude that the millennium is at hand. For the present, most of us will have to be satisfied with weeklies, and that too, sometimes, in more than one sense.

We call special attention to the advertisement of the College of the Bible, Lexington, Ky., found in this issue. If there should be young men on this Coast who think of entering the ministry, they could not do better than attend this College. The work being done in that College from year to year is fully speaking for itself in all parts of the country; and if any doubt should remain, when it is remembered that it is under the control of such men as Graham, McGarvey and Grubbs, the student of the Bible will no longer hesitate. Read the advertisement.

Quite a number of eminent educators in the East are making war on the long drill in the Greek and Latin languages required in most of the colleges and universities. The main objections are, that it does not prepare the students for the more business and practical features of life, and that having no constant use of these languages they are very soon forgotten. Hence it is argued with a good degree of force that their study by every student in order to complete the college course, is practically a waste of time. We think these objections are strong ones, and need to be carefully studied by our educators.

It would seem that the effort on the part of the government to wipe out polygamy and thus practically destroy Mormonism in Utah Terri-

tory was not so effectual as was hoped. Not but a few days ago seven hundred Mormon immigrants under the special care of twenty-two Mormon missionaries landed in New York City and were hurried away to Utah. Thus their leaders, instead of being willing to abide the decision of the government under which they live, are continually strengthening their hands by a system of immigration in utter defiance of law and order. We think the proposal to follow up these missionaries in the Old country with a thorough exposure of their wicked and deceptive schemes is a good one. Let the government put a few men fully qualified for the work, on the track of these Mormon elders, and they will soon put an end to their diabolic imposition on the people. If we would destroy this evil we must strike at the root of it.

We have just examined and subscribed for a map of which we wish to make mention to our readers. It is a wall map of some 4 by 6 feet in size, and on one side is a beautiful map of the United States and Territories, while on the other is a map of the old world. The coloring is good so that the boundries of the counties and the location of the smallest towns and villages can be clearly seen. There is a large amount of other useful information printed on the map, serving as a kind of key to it. We consider the map a good one, and we heartily recommend it to our readers. The price is very reasonable. Bro. T. A. Lewis is canvassing Polk county and will call on you in due time. He is making Monmouth his head-quarters.

In a letter from Bro. McLean, Cincinnati, Ohio, he requests us to call the special attention of our readers to the fact that the treasury of the General Missionary Society is almost empty. They have a good supply on hand for heathen work, but very little for our general work. They need one thousand dollars at once to meet their present