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of Montgomery.

CONCORD, N. C., SEPT. 8 1900.

SUPERSTITION; ITS BASIS.

It seems that the Sacred City in Peking was entered by the allied forces largely as an object lesson to the Chinese who labored under the delusion, expressed at least, that their gods would strike down any foreigner who dared to enter the gates. It is needless to say that it was a delusion. But have not all superstitions their bases on the miraculous exercise of Divine power that separated from faith in the Divine would seem as absurd. For instance, when Uzzah attempted to steady the ark at Nachon's threshing floor he was stricken dead. When Nadab and Abihu wickedly presumed on that which was sacred a fire proceeded from God and devoured them. Probably enough instances of Divine manifestations of power above natural laws as seen by man have been recorded or passed down the generations of men to form a basis for all the superstitions in the minds of men and it is not probable that man ever conceived an idea called superstition that is not surpassed in reality by Divine exercise and to minds untrammelled by the flesh will seem as plain as the ordinary events of life.

MR. DUVAL ON TRAVIS.

Elsewhere will be seen Mr. L. D. Duval's reply to those reflections of the Rev. J. Mont Travis on "Child Labor in the South" in which Concord, especially, comes in as a victim of that reverend gentleman's statement founded on misinformation or an innate "I am holier than thou" weakness, badly mixed with indifference to truth and justice in his representation of others. Mr. Duval can speak on the subject from absolute knowledge and it

is to be hoped that his reply will be read by most of those who have read the biased article that brought it out. A gentleman speaking of Mr. Travis' stigmatizing ours as a suitable field for missionary work said if that man coming only from Pennsylvania down here makes such egregious exaggerations what sort of a tale would he send back if he were to go to China or to the islands of the Pacific.

Professorship Accepted.

Professor Nathan E. Aull, of Newberry, S. C., has accepted the chair of Mathematics in North Carolina College, to take the place in the faculty made vacant by the death of Prof. H. T. J. Ludwig. Prof. Aull is an alumnus of Newberry College, class of 1888, and since his graduation has devoted his time to the work in the school room, having filled responsible positions in his native State and Texas. Prof. Aull was happily married to Miss Louise Kirkpatrick, at Gastonia, N. C., on August 30th, and went thence with his bride to Mt. Pleasant, N. C., to begin his duties at the college when the fall term opened on September 4th.—Lutheran Visitor.

Says Exposition is a Success.

A letter from Paris informs us that Dr. Bittle C. Keister is still in that city diligently employing his time in bacteriology at the Pasteur Institute. He will spend a few weeks in the mountains of Switzerland and then go to Berlin, reaching Roanoke in November.

The congress on medicine and surgery has adjourned after an instructive session. It had representatives from every nation. Dr. Keister pronounces the Paris Exposition a success.—Our Church Paper.

English Cotton Mills to Close.

The cotton milling business in England is depressed according to a London dispatch of the 7th. At a meeting of the cotton spinners at Manchester, it was almost unanimously resolved to buy no American spot cotton during this month which means the closing down of many mills for the time.

Want to Come Back.

A lot of female cooks went to New York last spring and winter. Now some of them want to come back, but can't. A case was laid before Mayor Taylor today where a woman writes that she wants to come, but the people keep her from doing so. Her employes first wrote that she was no account, and then when she secured another place they refused to let her depart. Fortunately for Mayor Taylor, but perhaps unfortunately for these people, his jurisdiction extends only to the corporate limits of Greensboro.—Greensboro Record.

WITH THE CHURCHES TOMORROW.

The Pews are Open and Welcome to all.

"Oh that men would praise the Lord for his goodness and for his wonder works to the children of me." Ps. 107:8.

St. James E. L. church.—Sunday School at 4 p. m. Services at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m., by Rev. R. C. Holland D. D.

First Presbyterian church.—Sunday School at 4 p. m. Services at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m., by Rev. S. R. Hope.

McKinnon Presbyterian church.—Sunday School at 9:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 11 a. m. Preaching at 8 p. m., by Rev. A. Shorter Caldwell.

Cannonville Presbyterian church.—Sunday School at 9 a. m. Services at 11 a. m., by Rev. A. Shorter Caldwell. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m.

Forest Hill M. E. church.—Sunday School at 9 a. m. Services at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m., by the pastor, Rev. R. M. Hoyle.

Episcopal church.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. No services.

Central M. E. church.—Sunday School at 4 p. m. Services at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m., by the pastor, Rev. J. A. B. Fry.

Trinity Reformed church.—Sunday School at 10 a. m. Services at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m., by the pastor, Rev. W. H. McNairy.

St. Andrews E. L. church.—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Services at 7:30 p. m., by the pastor, Rev. C. A. Brown.

Baptist church.—Sunday School at 9 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. B. Lacy Hoge. Subjects: 11 a. m., "Renewing of the Holy Ghost." Subject for 8 p. m., "The Children," fourth in series of sermons on Home.

Masonic Notice.

Special communication of Stokes Lodge No. 32 A F & A M on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, Sept. 10, 1900, to confer the 2nd degree.

Visiting craftsmen are cordially invited.
R. H. GRIFFIN, Sec.
Sept. 8, 1900.

Dr. Holland on the Century Movement.

Dr. R. C. Holland, the chairman of the Century Movement in the United Synod of the South, will fill the pulpit at St. James church tomorrow and will present the Century Movement. It is not the object to begin the work of gathering the contributions but to open the campaign as it were for the grand movement. Dr. Holland comes with much zeal in the work and is especially eloquent and forceful as a speaker.

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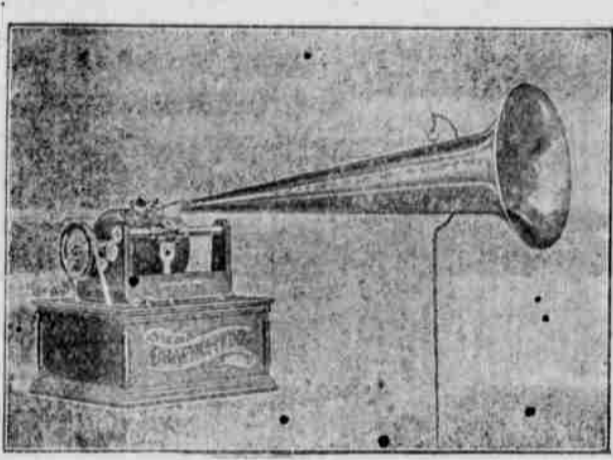
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North Carolina Baptist Sunday school convention, colored, Raleigh, Sept. 18-23. Sale tickets Sept. 17 and 18, final limit Sept. 25th. Round trip \$6.70.

Annual Convention and Tournament of the N. C. State (col.) Fireman's Association, Salisbury, Sept. 11-13. First-class fare 70 cents for round trip. Tickets on sale Sept. 10 and 11; final limit Sept. 15. Firemen in uniform, ten or more on one ticket, 65 cents for round trip.

Annual Session Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F., Richmond, Va., Sept. 17-22. Tickets on sale Sept. 16, 16 and 17; final limit Sept. 25. Round trip \$8.00.

Sixth Annual Holiness convention, Raleigh, Sept. 9-16. Round trip \$6.70. Tickets on sale Sept. 7-10; final limit Sept. 18th.

During last May an infant child of our neighbor was suffering from cholera infantum. The doctors had given up all hopes of recovery. I took a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy to the house telling them I felt sure it would do good if used according to directions. In two days time the child had fully recovered. The child is now vigorous and healthy. I have recommended this remedy frequently and have never known it to fail.—Mrs. Curtis Baker, Bookwater, Ohio. For sale at Marsh's drug store.

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All persons are notified to clean up their premises at once, those keeping hogs are especially warned.
The commissioners have taken strong action in the matter and the mayor has given strict orders. A word to the wise is sufficient. Clean up and stay clean and save yourself of fine and cost.
JAS. F. HARRIS,
Chief of Police.