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G. W. CLINTON. Editor of STAR OF ZION,

THE report of the Blue Ridge, Tenn., conference has just been received. It and our editorial observa tions will appear later.

Ar his grand rally during last month Rev. R. E. Wilson, of Cincin year or more will please hand the nati, Ohio, raised about \$250. He money to their pastors before they is pushing the work on all lines and leave for conference, and we will send meeting with success.

MINISTERS of the Central North Carolina conference will do well to will rest upon us. We must have keep a close watch on Rev. T. B. Mc Cain, of the Lillington circuit. He is beating the record on General

THE man who is a failure in a

Dr. SMALL wishes us to say that he has only received \$7 of the General Fund reported in Presiding Elder Daniel's sratement. Is it possible that the brethren collect and fail to send in the General Fund?

WE are pleased to note that Rev. S. J. Clemens, late of the Missouri conference, has taken charge of Mt. Pisgah church, Washington, D. C. He is pleased with his new charge and feels hopeful of success.

example of our preachers and teach. are fully awake to the duty ers are of a high character, the tone of the hour and determined to and social life of the people become correspondingly elevated. A little leaven leaveneth the whole lump.

the receipt of the \$6 sent us to aid wisdom of the cause taken by these in the purchase of a printing outfit ministers. We hope that it is the by the Daughters of Conference of dawn of an era in which the pulpit March 4, and if the legislature has Worcester, Mass., through Elder of the city, town, village and town-Bowens. We will say more about it ship throughout the earth will be as now seems almost certain both

loud profession of piety can convince as lynching or robbery in the shape in Tuesday's Republican "Slump" one that you are an exemplary chris of election frauds. All of these are and borne down before the united tian if you refuse to pay your just crimes against God and man and tide of coalition in favor of Mr

time both pleasantly and profitably, or later they will destroy the best The work shows much improvement, government known to the civilized A report also of Bishop Clinton's world terse and pointed address will appear in a subsequent issue.

WE take this opportunity to thank and literary society among its mer Dr. G. W. Officy and the members of bers. The historical departm the Philadelphia District conference should be devoted to the colle and Sunday-school convention for and compilation of all importan the sum of \$5 donated at their Dis- facts connected with the co trict conference. The report will from its organization, a brief history appear in next issue. Had the notice of all the important churches, the of said District conference reached us organization, etc., brief biog

Every pastor should see that a creat true record of the work and the con torical matter for the benefit of the dition of the church is left for his society could not fall to obtain much successor as well as for the benefit of that would be of both value and ineven the safety of the property and church. The literary department the perpetuation of the church some should provide a program that could to answer. times depend upon the records.

and his Conference and Conventio . equipped for pulpit and platform the conferences and by the personal contradiction, one case excepted. The report will appear next week,

one fourth salaries since June. It the one? Please report to us. people fail to pay the General Fund now they will have nothing to pay the themselves the accemaries of life for the winter that has already set in.

affoat and every interest is receiving coming to us through advertisements deserving attention. The High will be inadequate to pay up our debts school at Rutherfordton of which Prof. E. L. Watkins is principal has most promising outlook.

ALEXANDER III, Czar of Russia, needed every reader of our paper died last Thursday at the age of 49, is fully aware. Since the reputaafter a protracted and painful illness. tion of our great church is linked While he was honored among the with the character and quality of our nations of the earth for his peace- institutions and their productions we loving qualities in regard to other na- appeal to our bishops, ministers, laytions, the treatment received at his men and friends to vote for a new outhands by the Jews and many Catho lit of type for THE STAR on or before lies will cause an unenviable taint January 1st, 1895. One Hundred to cling to his name. He has been and Thirty-Five Dollars will get us succeeded by his son Nicholas II.

SUBSCRIBERS who owe us for one you a receipt. If you cannot pay the full amount pay at least the larger News comes from Salem and Ak- part of it, and thereby show that you ron. Ohio, bringing information that are honest and willing to pay for that Revs. Cypress and Strother the new which is of benefit to you. Positively pastors at these points were cordial- we shall cut off every subscriber ly received and started off grandly. whether layman or preacher after the close of the present year. The less subscribers we have the less expenses more money or less subscribers

EVERY preacher who finds on his work young men or women of prom ising talents should urge upon parents the necessity of placing them small charge should never be entrust in school, and if possible our own ed with a larger one. Only those school where they can receive that who are faithful in small things are training which will qualify them for worthy of being placed over larger any vocation in life they may desire to pursue. Urge upon the people the importance and value of education and talk up our schools. Representatives of other schools come among our people and secure students for their schools because our preachers sometimes manifest such little interest in talking, working and presenting the claims of our

schools. THE unanimous and earnest voice and Brooklyn pulpits last Sunday WHEREVER the life, teachings and that the ministers of those two cities form fame, the noted Springer, of Parkhurst against the most villian-We acknowledge with gratitude right thinking person will doubt the predict that there will not be more EVERY member of the church whether corruption in the city gov. should feel duty bound to pay all the claims of his church and pastor. No bridled lusts, and lawlessness, such lend profession of picts are such lend picts are such le should be handled with ungloved Shuford. The brainy and brilliant hands by ministers in their pulpits Settle, the gentlemany Pearson and WE visited the North Georgia con- and all other good citizens. Unless possibly our own Cheatham in the erence last week and put in a short they are handled and checked sooner second will go to Washington inference last week and put in a short they are handled and checked sooner

WE believe that each annual con ference should organize a historical in time we would have gladly published it. It was miscarried by laymen, statistics and such other some means and only reached us due facts and data as will be of importing the week the meeting was in sec. in the future, One as more

aization, appointed to gather histo the conference and general B. Small does the editor of THE STAR have given the whole financial report church. The literary department as injustice which he feels called upon of the church had the Dr. sent it or be rendered one evening during the We wish to thank the Presiding Elder preacher anxious to become well of the subscription money is raised at Dr. Small without fear of successful work. The reading of a well pre- canvasses of the editor need not be of our church desendent upon the structive and stimulating. What year, General Fund have received less than conference will organize the first

### WHO WILL VOTE FOR IT?

pounds of ne v primer type on or be-January 1st, 1895, so that when we and keep up current expenses much less purchase One Hundred and Thirty-Five Dollars worth of type

three hundred and fifty pounds of new type. Every one who wishes to see THE STAR have a clean, bold face appearance may manifest that wish by casting a vote in tavor of the above much needed outfit, provided each vote is accompanied by One Dollar, Every one casting a vote will see his name published in these columns and the money sent will be deposited until \$135 have been secured. Dear brethren; show your love and interest in Zion's welfare by voting as above directed. Send all votes and money to Geo. W. Clinton, Editor and Manager on or before Dec 20, 1895

# THE SOLID SOUTH BROKEN

election of Tuesday, the 6th inst., was the most interesting and hotly contested campaign ever witnessed in this country outside of a national campaign. Elections were neld in forty-one States. The fight in New York and the contest in congressional districts formed the theater of national interest. At this writing the returns show that the election has shown an overwhelming Republican gain throughout the North and great gains in the West and South. The Democrats concede that the Republicans have overturn ed the unmanageable Democratic majority of 88 in Congress and given a Republican majority of 102, reduced which rang out from the New York the divided North and West and broke the solid South. The defeat against Tammany and Hill shows of Congressman Wilson, of tariff re-Ill, the probable capture of North Carolina and Tennessee, strong gains carry on the crusade started by Dr. in Kentucky, Louisiana and some other points in the South are surous system of government ever un prises which astonish the most sancovered in a civilized land. No gerine Republicans. It is safe to than three Democrats from North Carolina in the next house after beeen captured by the coalitionists found ringing out in no uncertain senators from this state will be remanner against all forms of crime placed by one Republican and one stead of Democrats, Congressman Settle to succeed himself.

While we rejoice over the viciory gained throughout the natisn, we are especially pleased at the gains made

We will give our readers a more minute and accurate account in our next. Tom Reed for speaker and 1896 will be the outcome of this great victory, and the safety of American institutions, a return to prosperity all over the country are to

The indications all point kindly sid to us and the paper. While speaking.

The official count has fondest rememberance, we shall not where the point allow is to cause us to be remise in auch men of our race and hope to

DR. SMALL ANSWERED.

conf-rence to the great edification of of August when we left home to at- with those who claim that THE STAR

should and would be promptly an partial in his case. It is our desire to get at least 350 swered. Again our necessary absence That a new outfit of type is THE STAR. So much as has been said especially in public print, about the plaint against us on the above score. of having done bis duty in upholding dendum."

publifhes articles and references to

munication that has come from him

his work except one which went to closely examines the matter and Salisbury, Md, and remained four weighs all the facts he will find that nonths. We wish to say further be has not treated the editor justly has so far as the editor is c ncerned. However, we have become so secushe never excludes any article concern tomed to persons, including our ing any brother or his work that is friends, criticising us that we only worthy of a place in these columns We acknowledge that some artic'es are detained and sometim s remain better purpose, to notice such. We unpublished. T. is must ever be so as have answered Dr. Small because we long as there are more articles coming expected better of him under the cir to the office than there is space for them in the paper. While we are wil- fied we are ling to admit that Dr. Small is connectional, we are not unmindful that there are others equally connections and therefore entitled to space in THE STAR in their turn regardless of the character of another brother's article. We had heard the rumor about the so-called "split" in the church at York, and had published two strong articles respecting it from two of Dr. Sma'l's personal friends, and made editorial comment designed to counteract whatever evil influence the for all purposes \$42.70, rum ir would create and at the same time sustain Dr. Small whom we be- o'd wheel horse, who can always atlieved to be in the right. We are not tract a large congregation wherever responsible for what others thought it is announced that he will speak. or said concerning the matter or the was with u . and preached at 11 Or since they neither said it to us nor o'clock, a. m., and at 7:30 p. m. through these columns. All we ever Truly the Bish p was at his best. heard about the matter was either The whole congregation was electri from Dr. Small or his friends. If the fied; and the verdict is, that Bishop Dr. had read THE STAR which cou- Hood has very few equals, and no port from the ministry of the ferred here to fill places that could tained the articles from Elders Smith sup-riors in the pulpit. May be church While all our preachers and have been filled by him. But don't and Hill and the editorial comment on live long to blow the trumpet in certainly all our pastors should be think I am opposed to them where the matter and his Children's Day Zion. collection he would have seen tost any further comment from him or Elder Smith gould accomplish no other the funeral of Brother Charlie Leak fail to read it at al. The editor was some of the prominent places and purpose than advertise a matter which and wife Emma, who in their ife-once heard to say that there were men left him to grieve over a mission. had rassed from the thoughts of every time we e very faithful members of in our church high up in the ranks | Rev. W A. Backwell, an able pulperson except the Dr., those directly our church, and whose dying words who had not paid for THE TAR since pit orator, to d me that he joined the dividual who will continue to sgitate this service also, the standing room diagrate" we can acarcely expect a annual confe ence, met the ensuing and circulate the "rumor" despite any was well nigh taken up. Elder thing that the Dr. or his friends an Thomas is a power in the pulpit to do or say. We do not doubt the say the least. The mention of his singular colocidence of Elder Smith name is the signal for a large gathhappening" at York at the time re- sring. ferred to by Dr. Small, b.t we remember that he was there on a previous is growing in favor with the people, bership dependent on the eminuance address on reformation, said that occasion not "by a singular coinci- and especially with the members of of subscription to THE STAR and Zion must treat her young men betdence," but by the pestor's invitation our church. He is ackn wledged Quarte by these connectional organs ter if I am mistake not or they in connection with this same matter. by some to be in some respects, would soon become sett-ustaining would seek more promising fields. He was not only there, but, subse- more tran unequal for any of our Until we adopt some such meth d In my opinion too much prejudice quently he wrote an article which we former pastor; he is especially strict these organs will continue to suffer and jealousy exist in the ministerial supposed presented the case in all its in his adherence to the law of our and the editors be compeled to ne ranks in the Arkansas conference. phases in a correct light. We were church He is out late tryi g to gleet their literary work by running Conspiracies are frequently formed absent when the article of Bro. Smith collect general fund, and thinks the all over the connection to secure against one another. This state is came, and if we had been home we prospect bright, doubt whether it would have appeared as early, since there were many others, the best political speech of his life and some more urgent, such as notices in the court h use last Tuesday, which have never appeared b cause 15th, to a very enthusiastic crowd ference let us make i obligatory on another, but agai at the one common out of date, ahead of his article. In of both sex. He was accompanied every itinerant prescher in Zion con- enemy, which is the devil. If this view of the previous publications re by W. H. Quick and others and also specting the matter, we cannot agree to another county point where he vance his agreement to these wings of progress and her influence

believe that the Dr. would be so selfish as to require that of us. We have In his "Addendum to Breaktast told our many readers about the \$46 Table Talk," in our last issue Dr. J. raised on Children's Day and would had his friends do so for him The We wish to state that since the 31st Dr. should be the last man to join

There a e men in Zion who are and The constant travel and frequent as much for them, he ped the editor a newspager change of place cause us to miss our and TRE STAR and not a word has

his favor should have satisfied him or paper. The statement that "there are broth- any other man not over-sensitive and ren who complain that THE STAR uninfluenced by a cause other than that involved in the above case. No to suffer that the editor of a secular P. Thompson and last y ar he was certain brethren and excludes those of brave man, especially a godly man, paper escapes. The dising institution on ordained an eder. others"—cannot apply to Dr. Small should allow himself to be excited or the part of persons of a different faith member of the Art gansas conference since we have published every com. agitated by persons who are too to subscribe for this journal People about ten years. During this time cowardly to express themselves open- are very sensitive and uncharitable on the conference has never appointed or his friends concerning himself or ly. We think that when Dr Small

turn sside once and a while, and use precious space that could serve a far cumstarces. However, if he is sais-

## ROCKINGHAM NOTES.

BY JULIA STEELE,

Dear Editor :- The fourth quarterly meeting of this conference year, tober, and was a grand success.

Indeed, in some respects, it was meeting ever held h-re in the history of the church. Amount collected

Rt. Rev. J W Hood, D. D., Zien's

Rev. C W Simmons, our pastor,

The Hon. J C. Dancy delivered an able Republican for president in with the Dr. that the article in ques spoke again that night; it is said there were over two hundred present vistory, and the safety of the safety o these columns for his deep interest and ers can't get a crowd to attend their

THE PREACHER'S CO. UMN.

WHY THE STAR IS NOT BELF-SUPPORT ING-OUR DUTY.

EDITED BY PROF. G. L. BLACKWELL men and laymen Why is it THE STAR elder, and Rev. M Kankins, pastor. On account of it having teen sent its members and the good of all who rend the Fall Conferences and fill has treated them unfairly. Few men is not self-supporting? Some times I hey are worthy of the praise. When you see this paragraph to Charlotte, N. C., we have just re- might be favored to witness such ex- some lecture impagements, we have is Ziou church, whether bishops or attempt to give an answer and again they are the men for us. caired the report of the New Jersey eroises. A friendly criticism of the not spent one week at home counting ministers can say that all of their I remain neutral. The fact is tout spription has expired, and without re District Conference and Sunday language, style and method of pre- all the time. Those who know the articles have been published and what meny who, are curious to know why school Convention accompanied by senting one's self before an audience financial condition of the paper and others have written about them; but THE STAR cannot support itself are in \$3.75, which yet remain at Charlotte, would be of much benefit to suy are acquainted with the fact that most THE STAR can say this concerning fact doing but very little to help make it self-sustaining. Yet there are others who are its staunch supporters wh are anxious to know the same thingpared paper on some timely and ap- told of the necessity of our absence baye been just as loyal, men who A great many of us read newspapers This general officers and factitutions propriate theme would be both in- from the office at this season of the have labored as bard, loved the in-ti- but very few of us know anything tutions of our church as well and done about the work involved in publishing

> To the casual observer it appears mail for weeks, and we are thereby been said about their help. By this that the editing and publishing of a revented from answering letters that the Dr. can see that we have not been newspaper is one of the easiest jobs in the consection and be imagines that We fear that the Dr. has become if he sould get in presession of the prevents us from giving our personal frightened at a shedow. If there "quil" he could run it to perfection. oversight to communications and has been any harm done to the But hiend you never dreamed a dream versatile, loving and persevering WE spent Friday night of ast begin the publication of THE STAR thereby matters of little importance reputation of the Doctor outside of so contrary to what is actually the Bishop Alexander Walters which he reck with Rev. S. M. Pharr at Mari- in the Varick Memorial Publication and sometime of less interest find his own conference and by those who fact. Few persons possess the covered delivered to the Kentucky conference on and Sunday with Rev. S. D. Wat- House, Charlotte, N. C., we can turn place in our columns when other mat- would fit d some other cause to injure gift and ability of knowing how to ence. Having had the pleasure of kins at Rutherfordton and found of our paper in a new dress. We are ter should be published. As long as him, he and his friends are responsi- run a newspaper successfully. That hearing him I can say without any both of these energetic and exempla- satisfied that the income from sub- the editor is forced to do thribble duty bie for the burt, since they have not is why so many newspapers come into successful contradiction that he posry pastors keeping Zion's banner scriptions and the meagre amount this condition of affairs must continue. ceased to blez in the matter abroad, existence and pass away unknown, sesses great power and is blessed After an absence of two weeks in Since the Doctor has taken it upon "unwept and unsung." But in the with a winning sweetness of temper Tennessee and Georgia we returned himself to criticise us, we think turn case of THE STAR we have an edit it and a persuasive eloquence. Long home on the 1st inst, remained one about is fair play. It is our opinion who is capable of making eur connect may he live to do good for his God, night and left the next morning to file that Dr. Small has allowed himself tional organ an ideal religious pa- his race and his country. other engagements in the interest of and others to make too much ado, per were it not that he is hampered. It is with no degree of pleasure otherwise. Perhaps he is not as that I nform he many readers of aboved is published for the Benefit of whole affair. To our way of thinking, shrewd as the duties of the ffice de the TAR that Zion has lost one of Dr. Small and others who have com- the fact that he had the consciousness mands in the business department, her ablest men in the Arkausas conbut whatever may be said in that oi- ference. Rev. H. G. Harrison of What follows is intended as a reply the law of the church, and the further rection it must be conceded that Edi- Forrest City, has joined the A. M. E. to Dr. Small's "Breakfast Table Ad- fact that all which had been said was in tor Clinton otherwise gives us a good church. He says that "it seems as

editor of a denominational paper h s was ordained a deacon by B' shop J this point. They may be ignorantly him to a racuit ut kept him on very so, nevertheless they are stubbornly poor rassions which caused him to so, and neither editor nor his friends can help it The editor may plead non-a school to make a living for his can help it The editor may plead non-amily. Why has he been treated sectarishism but they are ironeide. a this way? Is it because he was imtheir notious about denomination on this way? Is it because he was imfellowship especially when is comes to We can produce a certificate of good

evangelical dear mination would not cause Bishop Harris, whom I recogmind subscribe og to a denominational nize as one of the most scholarly paper other than their own but the bishops it has been my privilege to thrughtful in this particular are so meet, who, not having the opportunfew compared with those .. bo appear ity to hear him pr ach at any of his

it has always had too much nursing convenient on his last round to call is not yet able to walk. I believe if writes back to hev. A. F. Goslen embraced the second Sunday of Octobe policy from its incipiency bad that Re . Harrison was an able the tenderness and weakness of its I st year one day before the confer perhaps the grandest quarterly birth, it would have been in a better ence convened, met Eld r Goslen with which its rusiness department with the voice of prais of the able

paying subscribers it is surprising to they are needed and when they are 3 p m., our beloved presiding find the large number who either de needed. They have even taken men elder, Rev J W Thomas, preached pend on borrowing it from another or from other churches and given them

### COMMENDING THE STAR

BY MR JAMES COON.

you that m wife is one of the six the breeze, having inscribed thereon subscribers that Mrs. N J Rankins, Love Equily and Union Now and For

rastor, sent up to you, and I say thank God we are much pleased with the paper, and I hope to ne er do without this grand STAR in our home again. Again I want to say that we have two worthy men to administer the gospe: to us in the per-I am often asked by both clergy. sons of Rev. J W Alstork, presiding those two men. May the Bishop send them to us again, as doubtless you know that we need such elevated men to lead these people in this part of the south We hope to send up more subscribers to help the connection of Zion

### PORTLAND (AKK.) NOTES.

BY REV. M. J. HARRISON.

THE STAR is a frequent visitor to my fireside which brings fresh news at every visit. I read with great delight the episcopal address of our

if the ministers are dead-lock ed There is one disadvantage which an against me in Zion church." He he!ping advance the insects of a morals wherever it has been his lot to sojourn. Is it because he was in-Of course the soughtful in any competent? It cannot be that, beto be unthoughtful. conferences—it being reported that In the case of THE STAR OF ZION he was a sorry preacher-made it

I has been crawling for 19 years and on him to preach and the Bishop bave been different, notwithstanding preacher He, going to arren on condition to-day. But the main thing there, was called on to p each that that has orippied THE STAR during night. When we arrived on the its whole existence is the slothnes, next night the air was still resonant has been conducted At over the sermon which he had preached Elshurch the people are fond of the past der Goslen wites immediately to his per and want it sent to them and they brother, G N Harrison, "I heard Rev would pay for it, but for its irregulari. H G Harrison preach last night; indeed he is a powerful preacher." Or But this and other imped morts is it because there was no work to would be removed provided THE STAR give him. his hardly can be the man could ge: a unanimous su. cause. there have been men trans-

concerned or some evil designing in- were very encouraging; and again at he has been editor. At such a poor local ca acity five months before the man to send the paper out regulary, con erence, was ordained deacon and If the rule wou'd obtain to make put on a good work, and the next the subscriptions to THE STAR and year he was ordained elder a d still Quarterly one of the requirements for given a good work. So we will have engibility to membership in our con to look for cause elsewhere The ferences and the continuance of mem sainted Bishop S. T. Jones, in his enough sid to keep these jurua's a promising one for Zion. One thing needful for the Arkansas con-Let us see to it that we pay our ference to do is to concentrate their sub-criptions and at the General Con. forces and not to fight against one nection to sutsetbe and pay to ad is done Zion will soon hitch on the for goo will b felt throughout this state, but if not the field will be given to somebody who will build up

> the waste places. I trust that the ensuing conference may solid fy itself in union and Dear Editor:- I want to say to start out with her banner floating to