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#### SOME SHORT PERSONALITIES.

The queen of Roumania has received the honorary degree of doctor of philosophy from the University of Buda-Pesth by permission of Emperor Francis Joseph.

Mr. Septimus Winner, the composer of the popular song, "Listen to the Mocking Bird" (written in 1855), celebrated his golden wedding November 25.

The prince of Wales has inherited from his mother the faculty of really The Salvation Army, he says, gave him interesting himself, not feigning interest, in whatever is brought before his notice. It is said by those intimate with the queen that she never allows herself to look bored. Whoever may

be introduced to her has her very best attention for the time being.

#### PREACHES HAPPINESS.

**Oheerful Religion Expounded by** an Evangelist from India.

V. B. David, a Native of Asia, Meets with Unexpected Success in Conducting Revivals in the United States.

From India's coral strand comes the Apostle David to America to spread the Gospel of Christ. V. D. David, a brownskinned native of South India, began his evangelical work in Chicago the other day in Trinity Methodist church. Mr. David claims to be "the happiestman in the world" because he has received what he calls "the more abun dant life."

David was born in Tunnevelley, South India, in 1853. His parents were Christian agents in the Church of England mission field. He took himself that he constantly got into trouble because of his uncontrollable temper and mischief. Finally he left for Ceylon, where he spoke English to the masses and claims that he made the people believe he was a great preacher, when in fact he "felt himself to be a shell without a kernel." Although only 16 years of age he displayed unusual oratorical powers. But he shifted suddenly from preaching to sence from those benefited and cured, in all the liquor business. The proprietor of a big liquor store in Ceylon hired him to take custody of the money, and he also became proficient in games- bagatelle, billiards and cards. Next he started a liquor store of his own in Colombo in company with a Singalese. One day his mother entered the place and entreated him to come home. He did return and was married. His wife was a Christian and he soon quarreled with her. Once more he went to Ceylon, but again his mother pleaded with him and he consented to become a mis-

> sion worker. His conversion to Christianity is an interesting chapter of Mr. David's life. the first clew to a Christian life. He then went upon the highways and preached to all who would listen, but he was hooted and ejected from a num-



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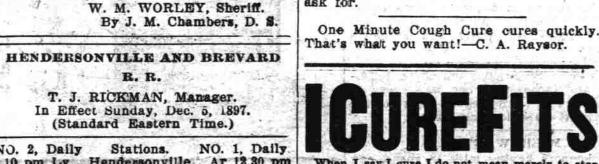
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V. D. DAVID. (An Orthodox Evangelist from India.)

ber of places of worship. He overcame this and soon made converts by the thousands among the Singalese near Colombo. Many gave up jewels and fancy dresses to devote themselves to the cause. From India he went to Australia, where he joined Rev. George Grubb. Afterward he pursued his work in England, Scotland and Ireland. At Kenwick his work was especially notable.

Soon after he returned to India, and one day, while addressing 25,000 Syrians on the open plain, the sky darkened ers of the Syrians present urged that it was a sign of God's disapproval, and advised the people to disperse. Mr. David prayed aloud that the clouds scatter harmlessly, and his prayer, he says, was multitude became loud in its assertion of faith.

Mr.' David's religion consists in resigning everything to Christ and being happy. No matter what happens he praises the Lord and takes no thought for the morrow. No contributions are solicited nor collections made at his meetings. Yet he has traveled all over the world and has wanted for nothing. In India Mr. David has made thousands of converts to Christianity, he says, some of his most effective work having been done among the native railwaymen and portmen. He has visited England and the Christian countries of Europe and Australia, and everywhere he goes he tries to diffuse the supreme happiness he enjoys among his fellowmen.

At all times and in all places, whether his audience is one or ten thousand, he earnestly preaches the doctrine of the abundant life found in a complete surrendering of self to the Lord. Mr. David came to America four months ago at the invitation of F. E. Clark-'Father Endeavor' Clark, the father of the Christian Endeavor movementand was first heard at the San Francisco convention



Since then he has been successful in conducting revival services in Portland, Ore., Sacramento, Northfield-Dwight L. Moody's home-Worcester, Glastonbury, Brookiyn and New York. He came to Chicago on the invitation of Rev. Frank Crane, pastor of the Trinity Methodist church. He was welcomed by large audiences.

Has No Sense of Pain. A curious and inexplicable case of paralysis that has attacked Uriah Shunk, of Lebanon, Pa., is causing considerable discussion among physicians in that part of the state. Last July Mr. Shunk drove into a stream three feet deep and stuck in the mud. He was pulled out by other bathers, but has never since been able to walk. Further, he has wasted away to a skeleton. although his appetite has been normal. Needles may be stuck into almost any part of his body without causing pain or sensation of any kind.