SEVEN SPRINGS LETTER.

GOLDSBORO, Aug. 23, 1886. Editor Messenger: On Sunday, Aug. 22d, in company with Mr. George D. Bennett, Col. James Stackhouse, of whom I found to be avery genial and Marion, S. C., with two of my daughters, according to previous arrangement, I paid a visit to the fast becoming famous Seven Springs, near the village of Whitehall in this county. As early as 7 o'clock a. m., Mr. Bennett, with Col. Stackhouse, drove up to my front gate, in a handsome carsplendid bay horses, well caparisoned Saturday the 21st, we had a splendid with harness, and our little party of pic-nic. The day being bright and the famous freshet of 1867—judging Springs school gave us a few of her also of the number visited. from the depth of the water, which sweet and soul-stirring notes, which ran over the seats of our vehicle. Our showed that her Officers and Teachers length thereof, about one-fourth of a school, (Zion,) at which the pic-nic mile, while our team was driven was held, were I to omit saying, that they were this time last year.

On arriving at the Springs, we drove ness. Dinner being over, the audience | He suddenly stepped before Lashelle, directly to the large Springs Hotel, now kept by that courteous young gentleman, Mr. Thomas A. Whitfield.

Here our party put up for the day, and I wish to say, for the benefit of grand theme of improvement, showing shelle's skull was fractured and sevthe proprietor, that, if the dinner to which we were treated to-day was a fair sample of his manner of attend
W. Starling, from Providence Sabis critical, with the chances against ing to the wants of the inner-man, bath school, ably addressed the people then there can be no just grounds of upon the noble work that was before tried for Reddington's murder at the complaint on account of this depart- us. He spoke in such a way as that coming term. ment of his hotel, and I trust none as his school and community ought to be to the comforts of his house. It was proud of such a youth. The writer, as good a dinner as I have ever seen for forty minutes, next spoke upon spread in any small village hotel of the origin and extent of the Sabbath North Carolina, and would compare school. Some pieces especially prefavorably with the dinners usually spread in hotels of large cities—at least cities as large as Goldsboro. Which reflected much credit upon these Every article on that table was well young ladies. A beautiful scene next prepared, and the commodities just such as to suit the appetites of a hungry party, after a long and somewhat tedious ride. The hotel I found much enlarged, and the spring much better fitted up than they were three years Indian Springs, Maeon Academy and Indian Springs, Maeon Academy a ago, the occasion of my last visit. the Union school, at Byrd's School They are now well housed in with a House. After the entire congregation houses. W. S. Hall's house was surlatticed shingle-roof house. We spent sang, "When Our Work is Ended," the day most pleasantly. The crowd and prayer being offered by Brother and was swept against the stable WAGON HARNESS, HALTERS, CUR present was much smaller than usual, Starling, the benediction was delivered where his mule was. He got on the owing in part to the swollen condition by the writer and all dismissed. After back of the mule and was carried of all streams in Eastern Carolina. refreshing up, with a plenty of "ice Yet we met here people from many of cold lemonade," we went to our rethe surrounding counties and a few spective places of abode. Thus passed from other States. Among the latter off another delightful time which will Capt. Day, of Florence, S. C., we found long live in the minds of the present generation.

JUDSON VERNON. ing health-had only been here a few days, and yet in this short time the PRINCETON COLLEGE. water of the sulphur spring had done Those who think of Princeton Colhim a great deal of good. He very highly praised the water of this spring as a curative for his disease, as the best he had ever tried, saying he did not believe better could be found in notably the Episcopalians, have had eter. our entire country. So they come, both in the college and among its dissome to seek pleasure, others health. I have never yet seen any one male or female, who has tried these waters, So were Bishop McIlvaine, of Ohio, of water fell all at once that great Best, in their parlor in the Gregory House. many medicinal properties. These Springs are situated near the banks of old Neuse, a short distance above White Hall, surrounded by a romantic country, consisting of hills and dales, there he had been determined by the strength of the str

there being a chain of Seven Hills namely: The Rev. John Rodney,

section, and my county pride induces

for the affliction with which our com-

mon humanity are cursed. All that is

is that they become known, and the

familiar hymns:

ture:-

"Nearer my God to Thee."

"Jesus, lover of my soul."

to minister in holy things.

necessary to make them famous given. A HYDROPHOBIA CASE.

way for them to become known is for them to be tried. When once tried. CINCINNATI, August 27 .- On the all who make the trial, even the most skeptical, will be convinced that these waters will accomplish all claimed for them. By all means in the world, and by every consideration a Railroad ought to be run via Seven Springs to Jacksonville, in Onslow county, from this city. Such a road would help Goldsboro and Seven Springs immensely. This, at all events, is my opinion. When at Seven Springs I attended Divine Worship in the Presbyterall who make the trial, even the most 12th of last month, while visiting the of Divine Worship in the Presbyterian church, and heard a sermon from my old friend, Rev. J. D. Stanford, of Duplin county, from the text: "How long halt ye between two opinions!" which I enjoyed greatly. It was a good, plain, pointed, practical sermon, well delivered, in the style of a preachwell delivered, in the style of a preachwell delivered, in the style of a preacher, more so than I had imagined my ferer was removed to the hospital, for any great length of time. The most old friend could assume, after nearly where she was only quieted by the liberal use of chloroform. The physical speaking. The congregation was small-smaller than usual, I am informed, owing to cians pronounce it a clear case of hy- that we have been foolish enough to ensickness among some of the flock, and drophobia. the swollen condition of Neuse, which

MEXICO.

kept back most of the people on the north side of the river. The singing was good, after the good old fashioned CITY OF MEXICO, August 28.—Carlos use with regularity and persistence Hosstyle, without instrument, and my Telix & Co's. extensive factory near heart was made glad as I heard them this city was burned yesterday and thus singing—making melody to the seven operatives perished while try-Lord from soul song, in those good old ing to extinguish the flames. Two of the victims were Americans, John and Alfred Dubel, who belonged at Richand that other that always stirs up mond (Va.) Several others were badly the best emotions in my spiritual na- injured.

FOR THE NURSERY.

Our Little Ones, pure and fresh as received with due credence, is an absolute THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR songs that will never die out, this side of the gate of the Eternal City, the spring, is again at hand. As we specific for the complaint. while there are human tongues to make Him known, or lips to sing His publication and there is nothing which can yield more of mingled pleasure May God's richest blessings ever and profit to the juvenile mind. The rest on friend Stanford in his efforts September number, now before us, is replete with good matter and beauti- column. We left the springs at 5½ o'clock p. ful illustrations. Russell Publishing m., and arrived at home at 9½ at night. Company, 36 Bromfield street, Bos-Tumblers at Fuchtler & Kern's. Get Thus ended my first Sabbath visit to ton.

FEARFUL EARTHQUAKE. A Terrible Upheaval in Greece, in Which Three Hundred People are Killed.

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and accommodating quiet man, Mr.

George D. Bennett, and my new

formed friend Col. James Stackhouse,

Yours respectfully, E. A. WRIGHT.

AUGUST 26, 1886.

may both of them hve and prosper."

CHURCH PIC-NIC.

ATHENS. August 28.—Greece has Editor Messenger :- At the Methodist Philiatra, both situated on the western riage, to which was hitched a span of church in this county, called Zion, on coast of Morea, were the chief suffive, started on our journey for the Seven Springs—17 miles distant. over, perhaps, the sandiest road in Wayner ferers, and these furnish, it is believed, Seven Springs—17 miles distant. over, perhaps, the sandiest road in Wayne county, and arrived at our destination county, and arrived at our destination county. The opening exercises were a county and schools that were represented. The opening exercises were a county and arrived at our destination county. at 10:30 a. m. When we arrived at song by the entire congregation and the edge of the low-grounds, just this prayer by the writer—after which the side of Whitehall bridge across Neuse opening address was given by Prof. every house was damaged, and the inflown, owing to the large freshet now flown, owing to the large freshet now to the great Sabbath school work, and flown, owing to the large freshet now to the great Sabbath school work, and country. Several towns in Italy were nown, owing to the large freshet now to the great Sabbath school work, and country. Several towns in Italy were showed to the audience that his mind also visited by the earthquake, but not to be the largest, with one exception. to be the largest, with one exception, was well stored with useful and bene- to any serious extent. Naples, Brindisi, that has prevailed in said river since ficial knowledge. Afterward, Indian Foggia, Casterta and Taranta being

party here dismounted and walked had, not labored in vain, but were MURDERER AND MADMAN.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—A special dis- LAYSON & Co. through by a young gentleman we they too, reflected much honor upon met with at this point, who very kind- themselves, and their earnest co-work- Charles Lashelle, who is confined in for the new firm. J. B. EDGERTON. ly tendered his services for this pur- ers; their songs were sweet as the Carroll county jail, at Mount Carroll, ly tendered his services for this purpose, and right here, in behalf of our party, I wish to tender to this young gentleman our heartfelt thanks for this act of kindness, with our politest bow. We found all the crops on either side of our road, where they have had proper cultivation, splendid, the best I have seen on this road in many years—at least much better than they were this time last year.

I L. FINLAYSON.

Goldsboro, N. C., June 22, 1886.

Goldsboro, N. C., June 22, 1886.

From the foregoing it will be seen that I have purchased an interest in the business of Messrs. Edgerton & Finlayson. The two men were occupying the same trook plentifully and if any failed to took plentifully and if any failed to the west as the morning air, while the bright eyes and clusters and the public generally to give us a trial when they were this time last year.

THESE LETTERS STAND FOR get enough it was their own careless- the attack Mayer was reading a Bible. when in want of anything in our line.

WATER-SPOUT IN NORTH Send for Circular. CAROLINA.

RALEIGH, N. C., August 26.—News has just been received here of a water spout in Wilkes county on Sunday night. The people living on North Lewis Fork river were awakened by loud noises and were thrown into a deep, while enormous drifts of timber rounded. He sprung from the door safely down the stream until the island was reached. His house was swept Franklin Parsons and family went into the woods, fleeing from the waters and leaving their wrecked house. Such devastation was never seen by the oldest residents. Spruce pines, with the bark peeled and shining white, are lege as strictly Presbyterian will be surprised to find by statistics recently given to the public what a large representation other denominations, and trees are three and four feet in diam-

The cloudburst occurred in a field tinguished sons. Bishop Johns, of of H. H. Church, on the side of the Virginia, was a Princeton graduate. Blue Ridge Mountains. Such a body

there being a chain of Seven Hills running parallel with the South bank of Neuse river. Seven Hills and Seven Springs, and it is thought that perhaps each hill furnishes a spring, all of which are concentrated in this cluster. In the entire scope of Eastern North Carolina, from the foot of the hill country to the seashore, there can be found no more picturesque and romantic country than the Seven, or Sapona, Hills of the White Hall section of Wayne county. Nature seems the series of '16, Germantown, Penn.; the Rev. John B. Clemson, D. D., Class of '21, Alexandria, Va.: the Rev. John B. Clemson, D. D., Class of '22, West Chester, Penn. The Episcopal Church is represented in the Board of Trustees. An Episcopal religious society—the St. Paul's—exists among the students and has its place in the college catalogue, and Episcopal students are permitted to attend services in their own church instead of the college which Wells and the troubles culminated yesterday afternoon, during which wells and the troubles culminated yesterday afternoon, during which Wells and the troubles culminated yesterday afternoon, during which wells and the troubles culminated yesterday afternoon, during which wells and the troubles culminated to attend services in their own church instead of the college which wells and the troubles culminated to attend services in their own church instead of the college which wells are the services and the troubles culminated to attend services in their own church instead of the college which wells are the services and the troubles culminated to attend services in their own church instead of the college which wells are the services that the services are the services and the trouble attendance the services are the services and the services are the services and the services are the services ar tion of Wayne county. Nature seems own church instead of the college which Wells cut his wife's threat from to have been lavish in her gifts to this Chapel, where the exercises are under ear to ear. Their little children found Presbyterian guidance. It is a mis- the body of their mother reeking in me to hope that the day is not remote when these springs, so beautifully surrounded, shall become famous, far and near, for their healing properties

Tresbyterian guidance. It is a hist take to suppose that the college is formally a Presbyterian institution. It is under the direction of Presbyterian institution. It is under the direction of Presbyterian institution. It is a hist blood in the doorway when they result is under the direction of Presbyterian institution. It is a hist blood in the doorway when they reduced the blood in the doorway when they reduced the blood in the doorway are structured from school. Wells was arrested and brought to this city and jailed. He is about 30 years old and is playspirit prevail—a fact very decidedly ing the insane racket. attested by the few illustrations just

DESTITUTION IN TEXAS.

DALLAS, TEX., August 27.-E. L. Walker, county judge of Stevens county, arrived here to-day seeking

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