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Board of the Convention.

Below will be found a concise account of the doings of the Executive Board of the N. C. B. State Convention, which according to previous appointment, met on Saturday last at Wake Forest College.

The location of the Board at Wake Forest we regard as fortunate, being far more central and convenient than it formerly was.

BOARD OF THE PUBLICATION SOCIETY.

In the afternoon the Board of Managers of this Society also met; when various items of business were transacted. This Society has now a larger capital, and is more efficient than it has been heretofore.

Proceedings of the Board of the Baptist State Convention at their second Quarterly Meeting, held at Wake Forest College, April 28th, 1855.

The Board met in the recitation room of Prof. W. M. Wingate.

Present—Elders J. J. James, W. T. Brooks, W. T. Walters, W. M. Wingate, T. S. Yarbrough, J. S. Parry, T. H. Pritchard, and brethren S. H. Dana, W. M. Crenshaw, A. Hicks, Isaac Winston and R. P. Jones.

Eld. T. S. Yarbrough informed the Board that Elder H. Lennox, appointed at a previous meeting to preach once a month for the church in Lumberton, had accepted the appointment.

Eld. W. T. Walters and W. M. Wingate appointed to preach alternately in the town of Franklinton, reported (verbally) that they had preached there regularly two Sundays in the month, since their appointment.

Eld. W. T. Brooks appointed to preach in the town of Henderson, informed the Board that he had accepted the appointment and preached a few times by invitation, in the Methodist church, there being no Baptist church in the town.

He thinks the station an important one and the prospect of effecting good encouraging.

Association will occur in the appointment and provide for his support. The Faculty of Wake Forest College were requested to insert as an item in the quarterly reports of the beneficiaries, their convictions as to the propriety of their pursuing a regular or a partial course of studies.

We call attention to the publications of Sheldon, Lamport & Co. as found in our advertising columns. These Publishers, as we learn from them, have in press two or three valuable works, one of which "Spencer's Sermons" will be out very soon, and forwarded to us for examination and notice.

Southern Baptist Convention.

Inquiries having been made by sundry persons as to whether a reduction of fare would be allowed for delegates and visitors to the Southern Baptist Convention in Montgomery, beginning May 11th, the undersigned hereby gives notice that the South Carolina Railroad, has agreed to allow such parties to go and return for one fare, provided there be thirty or over, in South Carolina, and the States north of it, passing over the road.

How many of our brethren in this State can arrange to attend the S. B. Convention, which meets in Montgomery, Alabama, on the 11th inst.?

Catalogue.

We have received a Catalogue of the Officers and Students of Wake Forest College for the year 1854-55. The number of students now in attendance is greater than it has been for several sessions—total 116.

REV. W. M. WINGATE, A. M., Chairman of the Faculty, and Professor of Moral and Mental Philosophy.

REV. W. T. WALTERS, A. M., Professor of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy.

REV. WM. T. BROOKS, A. M., Adjunct Professor of Languages.

REV. W. M. WINGATE, A. M., Professor of Chemistry, Mineralogy, Geology, and Agricultural Chemistry.

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FAIRLAND, Pitt Co., N. C. REV. J. J. JAMES, Dear Sir:—Will you please send me by mail a copy of the "Discipline," and "Articles of Faith" of the Missionary Baptist Church.

In reply, we may say to our correspondent, that we have several copies in our office of the above work, but we keep them for reference, and would not like to part with them; beside there is no need for it, as he can procure a copy otherwise more conveniently and nearer to him.

Abolition Fever at the North. The abolition epidemic which prevailed so extensively some twelve or fifteen months since at the North has again, we regret to notice, made its appearance there.

DEAR BRETHREN:—According to your request, I commenced preaching in Charlotte in January last, and have continued my labors there, two Sabbaths in the month, up to the present time.

Here our cotemporary gives the extract, and then proceeds: "Here, then, we have another specimen of the means by which slavery is to be carried into free territories, against the wishes of the actual settlers."

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said school who are members of Baptist churches that attend the Baptist church here, but frequently they have to go unattended by either of their teachers, though this is a positive violation of the rules of the school.

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Book Table.

BURMAN'S GREAT MISSIONARY; or records of the Life, Character and Achievements of ABRAHAM JUDSON. Elegantly Illustrated with fine Steel Engravings, and a Map showing at a glance the field of Judson's labors, with his voyages and travels. By REV. R. T. MIDDLEBURY. In one handsome duodecimo volume. Price, one dollar.

This work has now reached its seventh edition, although it is not more, perhaps, than one year since it was first issued from the press. This shows that it has met an extensive demand, not supplied by a former larger Memoir of the same missionary.

CHRISTIAN REVIEW, April, 1855. James J. Woolsey, New York, 115 Nassau street. Price \$3 a year payable in advance. If not paid within the year \$3.50. To any one remitting \$5 in advance, one copy will be sent two years.

THE PARLOR VISITOR for April, 1855.—This excellent monthly edited by Dr. Wm. P. Jones, Nashville, Tenn., deserves a very wide circulation. It is designed to supply suitable reading matter for the ladies of the South and West.

ARTHUR'S HOME MAGAZINE for May with a beautiful engraving of the Lake of Como; illustrations of Fashions, Needle-work, &c. This is an interesting No. and well gotten up. T. S. Arthur & Co., Philadelphia.

GOODEY'S LADY'S BOOK.—The May No. of this pleasing and pictorial Magazine is well suited to introduce its readers to the flowers and beauties of the season. Goodey has certainly a taste to please the gay and fashionable. Address Lewis A. Goodey, Philadelphia.

NATIONAL MAGAZINE, Devoted to Literature, Art and Religion. Abel Stearns, Editor. Carlton & Phillips, 200 Mulberry street, N. York: Swinstead & Poe, Cincinnati, Tenn. Two dollars per annum. This is a large and useful monthly containing in each number 96 pages. The No. for May has a great variety of topics and illustrations which set forth strikingly some events in history.

PETERSON'S LADIES' NATIONAL MAGAZINE for May with a full variety of engravings and illustrations of fashions, needle-work, embroidery, &c.—Terms, two dollars per annum in advance. Address Mrs. Ann S. Stephens and Charles J. Peterson, Editors, Philadelphia, 102 Chestnut street.

THE CAROLINA CULTIVATOR.—Devoted to Agriculture, Horticulture, the Mechanics' Arts—Wm. D. Cook, Publisher, Raleigh, N. C. This is now decidedly the best periodical of the kind ever published in the State. The May No. has just been put on our table, which we find rich, both in the variety and value of the articles. Those interested in Agriculture, Horticulture, or the Mechanics' arts, will find it to their interests to subscribe for the Cultivator. The publisher has put in new, clear type, and on good substantial paper. He has also purchased a fine lot of electro-types, which not only give additional beauty to its appearance, but serve to illustrate important principles. This work is sent to subscribers at the very low price of \$1 per annum. Farmers, Mechanics, now is the time to subscribe for the Cultivator. It will return ten fold the cost.

Revival Intelligence. FIRST AFRICAN BAPTIST CHURCH.—An interesting revival of religion has been manifested in this church for several months. Rev. Mr. Adams, the pastor, baptized thirty-seven converts in the Ohio on Sabbath last. About fifty-one have been baptized since January. We also learn that there is an interesting revival in the Second Colored Baptist Church, Rev. Mr. Stethens, pastor. The Recorder and Register reports revivals at Raleigh, N. J., forty-four added within the last three months; at Troy, N. Y., the Third Street Church has received an addition of seventy-five. About sixty baptisms were reported at the New York Conference, which met on the 2d inst., for the preceding month. The Journal and Messenger reports the addition of thirty-two members by baptism, to Kendallville Church, Ohio; seventeen to Medina Church, do; and eleven to Constantia Church, do. The Western Watchman reports the addition of forty-four members to Peace Church, Jasper county, Missouri. The New York Chronicle reports the following additions: to Bloomfield Church, New York, thirty-four members. The German Baptist Church, Albany, during the past winter, has received an addition of sixty members.