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For the Christian Advocates DISTRICT CONFERENCES AGAINA

the work of our District Conferences, substantially her statement: that they may accomplish the "I was never at school. If I had a burden to others."

to sustain me in the unceasing A the Cherch its doctrines and pol- toil.

and policy of our beloved Methodism. Some of the best talent of our church, read my Bible, many a weary hour of

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to be found in the local ministry, : ow more or less non effective, could be again called into effectiveness, the tially to restore my health." tendency of which would be to more actively enlist, and more thoroughly identify their co operation and sym-

Itineraney. And now, Mr. Editor, attention has hope that these augs, allow may com-

A. A. Sentino. . Lenoir, N. C., June, 1871.

For the Charten Advante Aunt Shaw and Her Bible.

NUMBER H.

It was seldom Annt Shaw alluded to the family trials which she had encountered through life. On one ecca-Mr. Fart at I regard it as an en- sion she detailed to the triver the cirourseing has throof the times, that cumstances under which she had learnhas some tabe a general desire to ed to read, and necessarily introduced

ever learned my letters, I never had We have her dofore set forth some applied my knowledge so as to spell a day she received her pica Bible to de the day of her death no allusion to the Reid, and grand son of Rev. James I married young; my hus- vote some portion of every day to death of her son was ever made, either | Reid, and brother of Rev. F. L. Reid, the a lither to have been in the way of band and myself were both poor; my reading it. How often, when not aware by her or any member of the family. all of whom were present. And perthe full sace so and paramount use- first desire thereafter was to secure that any human being was near, has She regained her accustomed cheer- mit me just here to say, Mr. Editor, fulness of this meeting of our church, the comforts of life. This occupied my she been seen to clove her Bible, lay falness, quietly waiting for the day of they presented an instance in genea collect attention to these evils, be- thoughts continually to the exclusion it on her breast, and sometimes to her eternity to solve the inscrutible mys- alogical history not often found in any can be we believed they existed and of every thing else. Year after year lips, saying, Bless the Lord. She read | tery. my desires faded away and my hope very slowly and distinctly; and it is She lived several years after this; the Methodist preachers and members of In looking over the published pro- perished. My husband proved to be very remarkable, she never learned to saddest of all her trials. She prized the N. C. Conference; they commenced the lings of the District Conferences intemperate and improvident. Not divide a word into letters and sylla- her Bible more and more as long as their itinerancy upon the same circuit he the South-west, it will be seen that only his own earnings, but the pro- bles, but articulated them vocally or she lived, and requested that when with an interval of twenty years bethey have adopted the plan of ap- duct of my own labor, was taken from mentally, as if they were all monosylla- she was dead and to be buried that nting committees this year to re- me to satisfy executions obtained for port the next, this giving them a debts made at the grocery. When I abole year in which to gather facts, had, during the year, spun yarn to statistics and materials for their re- weave into winter clothes for my chilports. This plan commends itself at dren, the officer would come and take many as tauch superior to the plan it from the rack and energy it off. The badly, one of the Psalms full of pious her several years to his reward in Our committees hog which I had raised on what I are a smally made up out of the ma- could spare from the kitchen and garteriols on hand-and necessarily em- den until it was ready to be slaughtbranchrethren who, from inexperience, ered, would be seized and carried off, feel wholly incompetent to discharge Thus our affairs went on year titer the little assigned them. This, too, year, with increasing poverty and inmay be the load of their disqualifica- creasing demands, until the strength dormation in regard of maternal affection was all that I

and of appreciation of its ob- "At this time a revival of religion went to more appropriate work. Her so lovely and pure a character, will not ses, a lack of sympa- occurred, during which I became can- religion was without the least tineture admire the grace of our Lord Jesus that it's and co operation with its vinced that I had been all my life a of superstition, so common to unculti- Christ, who alone furnished the model These, all these, are de- thoughtless sinner. The intensity of vated minds. She fully believed what of such christian excellence. in bound in committee- my distress increased to agony, when she read in the Bible, as far as she no argument to prove, it pleased God to lift me out of the could understand it. If she had any must greatly im horrible pit, and to but a new seng imagination, she seldom in hilged it and hinder the use into my mouth. The change in my while reading her Bible. On one oc-District Conferences. condition was so great, a regiment of casion she remarked, that many peramiltees appoint soldiers could not have deterred me sons thought that the forbidden fruit stomize the basi- from praising God and telling all was the apple, but if she was allowed Conference, there around what great things the Lord to imagine, she would say it was a ced, suggestions had done for me. From that time cherry. Her doctrinal views on expe- ful privilege to attend, during the les to be met and there came over me a strong desire to rimental religion were as clear and week following, the Annual Comal, energy and ac- read, that I might be able to learn distinct as if they had been drawn up meacement of Thomasville Female I, that demands and more of the Lord that had bought me into well digested formulars. She College, and I desire to give you a est talent, skill and and raised me up from the death of would give them in her own way and short account of it. This is one of the In the selection sin to a life of rightcourses; but the in the words of the Bible. Of this we most beautiful and flourishing villages icse important posts wants of my family pressed so heavily give an example, viz: ad cary forward these important in- upon me as to deter me from making is not always a wise dis- any attempt to learn. Years passed on netency or disqualifica- trials of mind the afflictions of body. of our committee men My lungs became inflamed, my strength assigned them, offers failed, and I was confined to a bed of in vain to escape, until it hears of the Pepper pastor. nt which no Bishop or languishing, with but little hope of Lord Jesus, the Son of God and Sa- It is not Thomasville per se, howev-District Conference un- recovery. Then again, with greater at arrangement can fore. intensity, the desire to learn to read It might neverthe- the Bible took hold of mc. I requested entirely obviated by the Bible might be brought to me in committees a year bed. I opened it. My eyes rested on ad and adjusting them from the the words printed with capital letters,

condend by three competent, whose LORD GOD. I put the letters toa and well were in full sympathy gether and sounded the words. A the war of the church, light, as if from the face of God, broke then them from the in mean my soul like a new revelation. make a compet delegation. Compet Page after page was turned over to and delignes could be found on find these words, and to pronounce and their ap- them. I came to the words Jesus and Salmed as committee men would Christ, and found I could pronounce be same lined and carried out by the them. It is impossible for another to Conferences, and conceive the comfort it afforded me to at would be a strong turn over the leaves of the Bible and her nice perception of moral distincin-taking personally, for their at. find the words printed in large lefters. | tions, she was never known to equivosame all difficulties In this way I employed myself for hours at a time. At length my desire accommodate the views of others. On be delated by the plan of alternates to read settled on one chapter in the one occasion, her son who had come effort of the speaker was to show that the persons who made remittances did Bible. It told of the crucifixion. By in from the South, visited her and man's grand object is the seeking of not always specify the Conference Applier feature I are is being in request one of the children present spent the day. She had heard that happiness, and that genuine happiness from which the money was forwarded. assumated by the brethren of the found that chapter. I had often heard he had fallen into habits of gaming, can only be found in keeping the tes-Southewest, that I think we would do it read, and could repeat the greater Ac., and had been quite successful, timonics of God. The sermon was as will inform us. well die to to all at. A fermon or essay, part from memory. I called the letters The controllers in the parlor in by the burning fervor which characsel upon some of the leading doctrines, and then the next, and so on, until I do not b bridging documes, and then the next, and so on, and the length, her voice became more distinct was not a cold, heartless discourse sionary Debt, and nearly all of which chards The not only adds variety would have been impossible but for to those in the adjoining room. With common on such occasions, but a livto the regular order of business, but the aid of my memory in recalling the words which I had often heard before. Brill and good was for the church, I continued in the same way to read and the mandale design for our church over the chapter, very slowly, with to call from the local ministry men less and less difficulty. Encouraged whose takents, experience and obser- by these efforts, I turned to another by the said: Mother, do not be concerned, and the popular and the vation eminently fit them for the de- chapter, and was surprised to find dence of the truth, especially that sys- with how much greater case I could

God in bringing the evils and calutai she saw his face no more. pathies with the regular work of our ties of life to so happy a termination. When the messenger came with the known hereafter.

bles. When the Scriptures were read the Pica Bible Bro. Miller had brought m her hearing, she paid strict atten- to her from the American Bible Socition to the reader's manner. On one fety nearly twenty years before might occasion a minister prayed at the be laid on her breast as her dearest evening's devotion, who read, very treasure. Bro. Miller had preceded and devont sentiments. After prayers, heaven, where he saw in the light of she said, when we had retired into the eternity how much good a man of God,

"Sir, can that gentleman preach?" She replied: "I don't think any bedy can prouch much who reads the Bible so

vior of sinners. It struggles to be free er, of which I wish to write, but the from sin and misery, and finding no Commencement exercises of the Feoth r help it comes to Jesus and trust | male College located there. This Colin him alone. In the agony of prayer lege has been long known to the peoit gives up and cries, Lord Jesus, have ple of our State, and I am pleased to mercy on me. Then it is the soul is say it is at present in a most flourishborn again by the Spirit of God, and ing condition. It is now under the has such full and satisfactory evidence | care of the worthy and efficient female of the change as leaves no doubt or instructor, Rev. C. C. Andrews, of Ga.

own case, and to the day of her death | were the commencement exercises of never dcubted that God for Christ's | this place of learning. sake had at that hour pardoned all her sins. Her rules of duty were drawn from the Bible, and such was cate or to modify her convictions to heart seemed ready to break, she beggod her son to cease his way of living. and be a better man. To ward off as often seen of late years. The Presi- have seldom witnessed, and in a mamuch as possible her moving appeals, dent, aided by his assistants, showed never want. She replied, I hear you swers a thoroughness seldom seen. At gamble, and will never consent to re- night an entertainment was given, Board of Missions is upon us, and we

A small contribution to the American sad tidings, he was mounted on her Bible Society put the small Bible into son's horse. As he came down the been called to these additions to, or Aunt Shaw's hands; another brought lane, she recognized the horse at some variations of, the regular order of her the large pica Bible by the hands distance from the house. She immebusiness in our District Conferences, of that man of God, John A. Miller, a district arose from the place in which and an opinion offered in regard to youth all the way from Prince Edward she was then sitting under the shed the practical advantages their adoution | county, Virginia, and an entire stran- of the kitchen, and came to the steps might secure to our c'arrels, with the ger, who, believing he was called to on which I was standing with the note preach the Gospel of God, was ready in my hand which I had just read.mend this subject to the brethrea, and to go where, in the judgment of his Sir, said she, what is the matter? I be present exactly at 10 o'clock. That thereby subscrive the interests of our elder brethren, he could do good and replied, your son is dead. Under the hour found an intelligent and appresave sinners. How far the visit of shock her whole frame shivered, and brother Miller opened the way to the could scarcely support itself. But she | the College chapel. After praver by comfortable home and religious ad- opened not her mouth. She had no Rev. James Reid, the regular exercises vantages Aunt Shaw secured during word to utter. Silently and softly she the remainder of her life, will be repaired to her room, where, in bitter grief and tears, she spent several days, How ske appreciated them and im- telling to none but God the anguish proved them, her subsequent life of a mother's heart. For several days plainly expressed. For nearly twenty | she spoke not a word to any one, only | it to any institution. Miss Holiness years which preceded her death, she to salute the family as she came in to remained in the family with whom she morning prayers. At the end of the resided without one anxious thought period above named, one morning, as to what she should eat, or drink, earlier than usual, she came to the or wherewith she should be clothed, sitting room door and opened it .-"Sir," she said often to the writer, With an expression of meekness and enter of the profeders, and as far as a statement of the obstacles that were "I have but one single thought in re- submission which no artist could transprovided and systematize thrown in her way. What fellows is lation to this world that disturbs me. fer to his canvas, she said: Sir, I sub-I fear that I may become helpless, and mit to the justice of God; it would young ladies to deliver the Literary have been an easier task to have ac-It was her daily practice from the cepted his mercy. Thence forward to Reid is the oldest son of Rev. Dr.

> led by his spirit and aided by such a noble institution as the American Bi-"Why do you ask that question?" ble Society can accomplish with but a

small outlay of religious effort. Innumerable reflections crowd upon the mind of the writer. Who that In this instance she was correct in reads these simple annals of a poor her judgment, for he soon thereafter afflicted one, forming on such materials

MEMENTO.

For the Christian Advocate, homasville Female College Commencement.

Bao. Bererr:-It was my delightin our State. For morality and piety "The soul is by nature dead in it is unrivaled, and its people manifest trespasses and in sins. The word of a great church interest. The Methountil it pleased God to add to the God first quickens the soul before it dists have the predominance. They can be born again. The soul is awak- have a magnificent building and a ened and sees its dangers, and desires membership of 135, with Rev. C. M.

It has been rarely my privilege to at-All of this she had verified in her | tend a more interesting occasion than

On Monday, June 19th, the Annual Sermon was preached before the young ladies, by Rev. C. M. Pepper, of the N. C. Conference. His text was cxix Psalm, 2d verse-"Blessed are they that keep his testimonies and that seek him with the whole heart." The chief After the family had retired at night, strong, forcible and moving, warmed From the above statement it will be

Tuesday was taken up in public ex-

languishment on a bed of sickness money. That morning he left her, man, Sophomore and Junior Classes. was relieved, until it pleased God per- and although then in his usual good | The compositions were chaste and elebeaith, she had a presentiment she gant, and more than all, effectually Conferences, and we may The reader will not be displeased if would see him ne more. In a few read, An emulation seemed to crop we trace, in a few words, the hand of days after he died and was buried, and out among many of the readers which, if nobly cultivated, will lead to high perfection in this important part of female education The Thomasville Brass Band made 'sweet music,' and attached much interest to the occasion. Thomasville is peculiarly blessed in this respect; she has her own Band and makes her own music.

Wednesday was commencement day tice the night previous that all should ciative audience comfortably seated in commenced. There were on'y two graduates this year-Misses Julia C. Holiness, of Thomasville, and Mary E. Kirkman, of Greensboro. These young ladies read theses that would do credsubject was 'Our Country's Hope.' That of Miss Kirkman 'The Progress of Intellectual Power.' Each received a diploma with honor and distinction. The President's adieus to the class were touching and appropriate.

Mr. J. W. Reid, of Wentworth, N. C., who had been solicited by the Address, was then introduced. Mr. one family. The latter three are all tween each, while the former was the popular speaker of this commencement occasion. Mr. Reid's speech was good. and the young man displayed a clearness of thought, a command of rhetoric, and a beauty of language, which eminently show that he is possessed of first class talents, and promises to make one of the first men at the bar of our State.

The concert at night was of deep interest. A large array of beauty thronged the chapel, and especially gathered about the rostrum, which had been tastefully decorated. The music was fine, showing that the superior instructions given by Miss Carrie Thomas had accomplished its desired end. Following came the tet-tetet sociable, which closed the scene .-We bespeak for Thomasville College much success, and wish her a large patronage. J. T. H.

Carey, N. C.

OUR MISSIONARY DEBT.

In the Advocate of Feb. 4, we announced the apportionment of the 'old Missionary Debt,' between the several Annual Conferences, which was as

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Baltimore \$1,600	\$ 63.00	\$1,537.
Virginia 1,900	446.00	1,454.
West Virginia 300	315.00	
North Carolina 1,800	435.00	1,365.
South Carolina 900	1,074 65	- TENDA
North Georgia 1,700	131.15	1,568.
South Georgia 1,600		1.600.
Florida 300	128.25	171.
Alabama 1,600	1,517,00	83.0
North Alabama 1,200	820.95	
Louisiana 1,250	491.12	758.
Mississippi 1,450	751.70	699.
North Mississippi 1,200	738.25	461.
Memphis 1,650	1,237.70	412.
Tennessee 2,000	1,795.65	204.
Holston 750	762.80	-
Kentucky 1.500	1 066.00	434.0
Louisville 1,500	1,086,15	413.
St. Louis 750	247.50	502.
West St. Louis 750	750,00	
Missouri 1,300	1,305.00	-
Western* 150		_
Little Rock 900	786.40	114.
Arkansas 600	527.50	72
White River 650	282,50	367.
Indian Mission 100	100.00	-
Texas† 600	22.05	577.
Trinity 700	400.00	300.
East Texas 500	113.00	387.
North-west Texas 400	570.66	200
West Texas 400	184.60	215.
Columbia 400	96.00	304.
Pacific 500	72.15	427.
Los Angeles 150	42.00	108.
Illinois 300	40.00	260.0
833,355	18,399.73	15,180

*Alabama Conference assumed the amount apportioned to the Western. Some of the Conferences in Texas may not have the proper credits, as

seen that more than \$15,000 of the The several Annual Conferences, at their late sessions, resolved to liquidamination of classes, an exercise not ate this debt with a promptness we jority of the cases the pledges then made have been redeemed.

The necessity for a speedy settlement of the entire debt against the

We have made this promibasis of the subscription pundrequest our brethren who is remitted the amount they made to do so as early as possible.

A. H. B Treasurer Board I M

Selections.

From the N V. Man b -

THE SPLENDOR AND RALL OF BABYLON.

BY DR TALMAGE

"Thot art weighed in the tall wanting." - DAN. 5, 27. Bablyon was the paradiso itecture. Driven out from the man most elaborate structures of times are only the evidence of her After the site of Babylon hall selected, two million of men w ployed for the construction and principal works. The walls the city were sixty miles in change ence. They were surrounded trench out of which had been do material for the construction of

city. There were twenty-five solid brass on each side of the city. Between every two great watch tower sprang no seed heavens. From each of the land five gates, on either side a standard straight through to the gate out the other side, so that there were streets, each fifteen miles long, when gave to the city an appearance of the service of the whom no heals and fills the yound. wonderful regularity. The home said begreated about more stupid, was not join each other on the ground; to duct of edicale at school. A school and between them were gardens and the suffer worderful patience and shrubbery. From house top to ! top, bridges swung, over which inhabitants were accustomed A branch of the Euphente through the city, over which a of marvellous structure was 11 and under which a tunn keep the river from overflo city in times of freshet, a great was arranged to eatch the surplu which the water was kept reservoir, until times of dre

it was sent streaming down thirety land. A palace stor end of the Euphrates bridge palace a mile and three four compass, and the other pal and a half miles in circumfact The wife of Nebuchadue been brought up among the mound of Media, could not stand flat country of Bablyon, and please her, Nebuchadnezzar mountain, four hundred feet built in the midst of the city. mountain was surrounded by a for the support of which gre were lifted. On the top of arches, flat stones were laid. The layer of reeds and bitument two rows of bricks, closel Then thick sheets of lead, the soil was placed. The early deposited was so deep that a trees had room to anchor the All the glory of the flowers was spread out at that trans height, until it must have some one below as though the clouds and all in blossom, and the very sky had ed on the shoulder of the which drew the water from the

the top, an engine was phrates, far below, and mad up amid this garden of the skins. this to please his wife. I think must have been please 1. In the mic'st of this city the temple of Belus. One ers was one eighth of a mile blode. on the top of it an observatory, will gave the astronomers great advant as, being at so great a height, or could easily talk with the stars. The temple was full of cups, and staling and censers, all of gold. One in weighed a thousandBabylonish tal which would be equal to tifty-two lion dollars. But why enlarge city is besieged and doomed. provisioned for twenty years, it ala fall to-night. See the gold and

plate flash on the king's table out the rich wine from the taul into the cups. Drink, my locals the health of the king. Drink to glory of Babylon. Drink to the fenders of the city. Drink to a rious future. Startle not splashed wine on the table, as then it were blood. Turn not pale at the clash of the caps, as though is the clang of arms. On with the price A thousand lords reel on the and quarrel and curse. The beached king sags back on his chair, and somes vacantly on the wall. But that vacant look takes on intensity. It is no alfrighted look. As he gazes, the looks gaze. Every eye is turned to the wall. Darkness falls upon the room. The blaze of the gold plate goes out. Out of the black sleeve of the darkness a finger of fiery terror tramble. through the air and comes to the circling about as though it would the grave even with princes for bedwrite, and then, with sharp tip of follows.

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uttered by the death devoted Greek finds a deep response in every thoughtful soul. When about to yield his your g existence as a sa rifice to life. his beloved Clemantles asks If the shall not meet again, to which he rebearts. And now plies: I asked that decadful appeals at of the hills that seem elernal of the An ruseen balance clear streams that flow forever -of the stars among whose fields of azore my Schuchadnezzar's op- raised spirit had walked. As I look apon thy living face, I feel that there and of the balance. is something in thy love that cannot the the other. Down wholly perish. We shall meet again, Clemantha."

GEMS.

Sin taken into the soul is like honor poured into a vesse! so much of it as it fills it also seasons. The touch the land the tineture go logether --South,

is large nor raish for study. One day, When the thief cannot break in at had fledglid boy' of the school gave him the door bimself, he finds a child, and a libit in the attenuel, which caused puts him through the little window, the savere point. The insult stung and then the great door is speedily man Newton to the quick, and he opened. Thus do little sins open the I solved to make biaself felt and re- door for a great sin. Spargeon.

metant be larger word scholarship. He Give without gradging. It is not get I blue ell resolutely to study, enough that you simply give. You of sections shoul in his classes must do it beautifully. Your gener possessing face to an itend kicked him, osity must not be clownish. It must I must be noble. We are to be easy to be entreated .- Hereber.

allow grand his pre-eminence in As when the sea worm makes a hole in the shell of the pearl oyster the hole is filled up with a precious pearl, so margada a natural endow- when the heart is pained by an injury, forgiveness is the precious pearl that

It is very beautifu! to see how the God who has bound his world into a grand harmony by its very diversity has arranged for this same end in his church, by giving the members their different faculties of work.

As a seal leaves a mark of itself in the wax, whereby it is known, so it is with every one who has a readingso to forgive others; for by it the Chriswho made many fruitless of, tian may know that God bath sealed a his wits by her sharp the forgiveness of his sins upon his Her r latives, teachers and heart .- Cawdray.

I total him that he was You all know some true Christian. the look good hamoredly. Even who in everything comes up to the in produced the 'Traveller.' Divine ideal. There is, and always man farilie said to a friend, Sir. will be, in some points, a falling short; That Goldsmith wrote that yet you know that the Christian has a life within him which the world by

By the light of reason we east a

tificial brilliancy for a short distance

views both of earth and heaven.

WET THE ROPES. The property of

cords contracting their length became

Rowland Hill.

of Willer heaft was a dull boy, and, O wives and mothers! be wise be Low University at Edin- fore it is too late! Live so as to onand by the name of 'The joy coary day of your life. Ten yours

hence, or even to-merrow, you may the bound of hard to acquire die. Live so that your presence will I harring. His mother gladden the lives of your dear ones, duty to inform his teach- more than anything your hands can and bright to learn like win for them. the Clarke was pro- When we see men who are old and his lather to be 'a grievous infirm, we sometimes say, 'They look and the Chalmers was pro- like disbranched trees;' but if God is thacker as an 'incor- were to fouch our eyes, and reved to indication was dismiss- us the companies of angels that marand by kis master, who, find-round such venerable, waiting saints, no de to teach him any- we should never think that they were halve ary manner, settled solitary, or impoverished, or to be

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pitied. Beecher. ard put to become impa-Inli susuolars, and predict of and they will never come to any-selves; but if confided in, it tends only sort of glaring illusion around our-Such amealful for prophecies to obscure our vision of more exalted coarigo no scholar who glories. Illuminate a town,the strents Le do well. A certain Edinburgh are light, while the heavens are last or area pronounced upon a in darkness; but when the day breaks by severe opinion: Dunce forth, both the earth and the sky begrave, and dince you will ever re- come visible. So the sparks of one That similant was Sir Walter own kindling, while they shed an ar-

hoy he's an inspiration around us, involve the seenes above in shadows even darker than those of miss, or science, or art, let him night; but if the day-spring from on are no a flint toward his ob- high' dawn in the soul, we have clear him be patient, hopeful and , unhowed by laughter, unaged by evil prophecies.

LUGIST EXTRACT. g is sail to be one of known as a great mechanical power at

articles ever written the raising of the obelisk in the square monthal George D. Pren- facing St. Peter's, Rome. This was in

1586. It was a day of great solemnity which of mature is inexora- The Pope colebrated high mous and cappeal for relief from blessed the workmen. The blast of a which dooms us to the trumpet gave the signal, the enginess arish and fade as the were set in motion by an incredible to st, and the flowers number of horses. Fifty-two unsucto allier for a day have cessful trials were made before the up at life than the huge block of stone was lifted from relighatever shook the the earth. As it rose in the air the fooledeps. Generations ropes which held it became so stretchall appear as ed that the base of the column could catless multitudes not be lifted upon its pedestal, when a man in the crowd called out, Wet the Antisleps on the shore, the ropes.' This was done, and imion think of the great mediately the immense shaft, as if of and the shadow falls its own accord, and without further own paths, hiding from aid from the engines, rose to the rea contract of loved ones, quired hight, and rested on the spot ing maile was the sunlight of where it now stands. This was a alstence. Death is the great strong exemplification of what a word ist of life, and the cold thought in due season may do. this to the skelt fon of all feasts. been learning for six thousand years, man, we do not want to lie down in themselves.

FEUITLESS LEARNING. Mankin ! has and yet how few have learned that Pradise; and with Charles their fellow-beings are as good as

Over 1,000 Chinese imigrants arrivflame, engraves on the plastering the . "In the beautiful drama of Ion, the ed in San Francisco on Monday of last instinct of immortality, so eloquently week.