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**THE JOURNAL.**

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**Agricultural Department.**

The House of Representatives, in passing the bill placing the Commissioner of Agriculture in the Cabinet, makes a long stride in recognizing the demands of the greatest of American industries.

The Agricultural Department heretofore has been a dreadful humbug. The distribution of common seeds and stale agricultural literature has been its chief occupation in the past, and whether the elevation of the Department will make much change remains to be seen.

**Tobacco—Whiskey.**

In the Methodist Conference at Nashville on Friday, the Committee on Temperance submitted a report touching the use of tobacco. They recognized the fact that it was a great evil and contrary to the doctrine of Temperance, yet they recommended no special legislation on the subject.

It is not temperance, why not crusade against it as against whiskey? Is it not because the majority of the members of all churches use it, and because its effects are not so apparent to the world as those from liquor?

**Mecklenburg.**

There is a great deal of nonsense uttered about the 20th of May, 1775. That there was a "Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence" we think is indisputable, but that the State of North Carolina can lay any claim to it as a matter of State interest we think cannot be established.

The fact is that on the 19th of May 1775 there was a local gathering at Charlotte, and just at that time a courier arrived and recounted the news of the battle of Lexington which had taken place just one month before. The assemblage of men then took fire and very patriotically declared themselves free and independent of British rule.

But what had the State of North Carolina to do with it? Where were Richard Caswell, John Harvey, Willie Jones, Samuel Johnston, Howes, Hopton, Howes, Harnett, Moore, Ashe, Allington and hosts of other prominent and patriotic North Carolinians? Absent—and their absence takes away the claim that North Carolina had anything to do with a Declaration of Independence at that time.

All honor to the men of Mecklenburg for their acts, but there is no use to falsify history in order to make North Carolina appear in the lead in the Grand Declaration. It was a mere local outburst, and was so little thought of that even its friends lost sight of it for a long time, and it had required a good deal of skill and historical research to establish it as authentic.

**Missionary Work.**

At the Baptist Convention in Greenville, South Carolina, the question of missionary work in China brought Senator Brown of Georgia to the floor. By invitation from the convention he delivered an address urging the great importance of missionary work among the "heathen Chinese."

Did it ever occur to Senator Brown that perhaps Washington City stands in need of missionary work as sadly as heathen China? And in every prominent city in the United States sin and crime walk abroad unbuked, and sinners go untought and uncaared for, so that civilization blushes for very shame at the record presented.

It is very easy (and it is right to so act) to contribute money for foreign missions and send the gospel to heathen lands, but Christianity owes its home heathens a greater care than they have been receiving. This cannot be done with money alone, and there is where the trouble comes in. Building churches and hiring preachers can never christianize the great cities and business centres of this country.

**The Methodist General Conference.**

NASHVILLE, TENN., May 8, 1882. The first Sunday of the General Conference makes up in itself an interesting chapter in the history of the body and church here. More than sixty appointments were made for preaching by members of the Conference in and around the city.

The new McKendree church is one of the finest structures in the South. It replaces the former house destroyed by fire about two years ago. The promptness in rebuilding characterizes every movement of the Methodists here, and furnishes a lesson to churches in this regard elsewhere.

Dr. Summers was born near Corfe Castle, Dorsetshire, England, October 11th, 1812. He came to the United States in 1820, and entered the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1835, in the Baltimore Conference. In 1839 he moved to Texas, and was one of the nine ministers who constituted the first conference of that State.

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ces to the Church were more varied and extensive than any other of its ministers. He was thoroughly practical as a man of business, as all his work attests. He had broad, liberal views, and was a Christian of deep piety. The large concourse at his funeral gave evidence of his personal popularity. It is said of him that such was his devotion to his Church work, his ardent desire was that his active labors should extend to the end of life, so that he might "cease at once to work and live."

Rev. Dr. John S. Martin, of the Baltimore Conference, was elected secretary of the Conference, to supply the vacancy in that office. The committee having in charge the publication of the Quarterly Review, a periodical published in the interest of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, reported the successful prosecution of their work.

Numerous papers are being introduced for reference to committees, and no legislation of special interest, of a legislative character, has engaged the attention of the Conference to day.

**HOG ORDINANCE.**

BE IT ORDAINED: That no hog shall be kept within the city limits between the first day of May and the first day of November. Any violation of this Ordinance shall subject the offender to a fine of \$10 for each and every offence, to go into effect August 25th, 1881.

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