Our next number will be issued very shortly, and will contain an excellent portrait of the late Principal W H. Huston, and a sketch of his life by Mr. N. S. McKechnie.

At the recent meeting of the American Society of Church History, in Washington, Rev. S. M. Jackson, the secretary of the Committee appointed to arrange for the preparation and publication of a series of denominational histories, submitted a report, of which we give the substance. The series is to be published by the Christian Literature Company, of New York. The following writers have been secured: Congregationalist, Prof. Williston Walker, Ph. D., of Hartford Seminary; Baptist, Prof. A. H. Newman; Lutheran, Prof. H. E. Jacobs, D.D., Philadelphia; Methodist, Rev. J. M. Buckley, D.D., LL.D., of The Christian Advocate. New York; Presbyterian, Prof. R. E. Thompson, D.D., University of Pennsylvania; Protestant Episcopal, Rev. Dr. C. C. Tiffany, of New York; Roman Catholic, Prof. Thomas O'Gorman, D.D., of the Catholic University, of Washington, D.C.; Unitarian, Prof. J. H. Allen, D.D., LL.D., editor of The Unitarian Review; Universalist, Rev R. Eddy, D.D., editor of The Universalist Quarterly; Reformed German, Prof. J. H. Pubbs, of Lancaster, Penn.; Reformed Dutch, Rev. E. T. Corwin. D.D., New Brunswick, N.J.; Moravian, Prof. J. T. Hamilton, of Bethlehem Penn.; Disciples, Rev. B. B. Tyler, of New York. The Editing Committee consists of Prof. Dr. Philip Schaff; Bishop Henry C. Potter; Bishop Hurst; Prof. Dr. G. P. Fisher; Prof. Dr. Wolff, and Rev. S. M. Jackson. The series will form about ten octavo volumes, of five hundred pages each, an entire volume being allowed for each of the larger denominations.

Sunday, January 31, 1892, is a date that Baptists have cause to remember for many a year. That afternoon many of us were engaged in the sad duty of paying our last tributes of respect to our beloved and honored brother, the late Principal Huston. The same evening, at 8.45 o'clock, Professor Manly, of the S. B. Seminary, Louisville, passed away; and before midnight Charles H. Spurgeon closed his earthly labors. To-day all these, we doubt not, are "present with the Lord." Of Principal Huston, something has already been said, and much will be said in our next issue; of Spurgeon's work we all know; the object of this note is to say a word about the man whom Southern Baptists mourn to-day.