

## APPENDIX.

THE PRESS.—In mentioning the instruments as well as the agents employed by the Divine Being in running the machinery of Providence, we should not overlook the press. It has been a powerful engine for good. It has been extensively used in multiplying the copies of the scriptures, and that in over 300 languages; this divine revelation being the means in the hands of the Holy Spirit, in the renovation of fallen, corrupt, human nature. The press has wonderfully aided in disseminating the principles of truth He employs in the overthrow of evil and error. The Book, other books and religious periodicals as far as the two latter embody the sentiments and doctrines of the former, are, through the press, scattering the leaves of the Tree of Life for the healing of the moral maladies of the nations; all the resources of the universe are at the command of Jehovah to carry forward His design, and teaches us that He is the great invisible actor in the government of this as well as all worlds.

Satan and his myrmidons, the evil principalities and powers we have to contend with, no doubt pervert the press to base purposes, yet what has been said is nevertheless true.—*Eph. 6 : 12.*

It is conjectured by some that these fallen angels once occupied this planet, from which they were expelled for misconduct. Milton supposed they were occupants of heaven, which heaven he does not say; and that man

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