ER'S LONG TRANCE

A FEW HOURS BEFORE

r. Conn., April 25 .- At ng of the Science Society e Rev. Dr. H. N. Powers nt relating the experience . Emerson of Stratford, forty years ago, just es. buried alive. It was in igan, where Dr. Emerson

The doctor was taken g for the village physiormed that he had what ed "chill fever," which is after a few days of illmerson says: "I was ly for five days by a lady le experience in such this brief period I was as hopelessly beyond resunk so low that, to all fe was extinct. After to ascertain my condition pnounced me dead, and sick and dying in the it was arranged that my take place the next afnen night came-memorhers in my history-two re selected to sit up with and to all appearances it hese young men sat up yes were set, my teeth together, mouth firmly breathing perceptible. g was more acute than since, and so were all ulties. The excruciating on every breath preventstupor. Every word utoung men, who watched room, I heard distinctly, their words were not r. The conversation of on many accounts, unallied as were these to in, my condition would extremely uncomfortable t been for the consoling us. He, at least, never enabled me to see the nt, and the future. Darthe ribald young men with great impropriety. the interview I was imhe idea that I should not nd that in the morning I

> ist in the arrangements At 7 oc'lock another oor was heard, and inthe door was opened-I being made by my old ering, she anxiously ening my condition, and claimed: 'I don't bedead, and I'll try to Immediately she called ple to help her, collected an's, applied them all to different parts of my this accompanied by g of my whole body. were persisted in notome remonstrated, and s often made: 'You give it up.' But in nour my eyes resumed pearance, my teeth were mouth opened, I began to speak, and all saw as alive. The news of occurrence quickly flew lage and vicinity, and ed to see me, and among who, with them, praised r perseverance and sucrelated her remarkable

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family and the watch-

dream, 'that some one danger and she alone Disregarding it, she again awoke with the n, and in great alarm. d at the clock, aroused and both decided that, nothing respecting me d as she had taken care nmencement of my illrning she would visit eak she arose, provided alked two miles through the effect of a recent reaching the house was earing that I was dead. incredulous from the pression of her dream, lously upon me, confi-

the preceding night,

pelled her to visit me.

of the night she was

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HYDE PARK, Mass. Feb. 15, 1876.

M.1. H. R. STEVENS.

Dear Sir.—About ten years ago my health failed through the depleting effects of dyspepsia; nearly a year later I was attacked by typhoid-fever in its worst form. It settled in my back, and took the form of a large deep-seated abscess, which was fiften months in gathering. I had two surgical operations by the best skill in the State, but received no permanent cure. I suffered great pain at times, and was constantly weakened by a profuse discharge. I also lost small pieces of bone at different times.

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G LEANINGS IN METHODIST POLITY.

Matters and things Methodistically, are quite active just now, and are likely to be for some weeks to come. The General Conference is approaching, and as usual before the session of that body, numerous changes in the polity of the Church are considered and discussed-changes which in the estima. tion of many are essential to the greater efficiency and prosperity of the church, and should be considered by its highest ecclesiastical tribunal. Among the most important of these changes are the removal of the time-limit from the pastorate, the elective Presiding Eldership, and the increase of the number of Bishops to an extent rendering the probability that any of these changes, and many of the others which are being considered, will be made. The change, now quite earnestly called for, to admit laymen into the

ANNUAL CONFERENCE,

will probably be made, and would no doubt be approved by the church in its ministry and membership. The

ORDINATION OF WOMEN

is now assuming an importance, which will require the action of the coming General Conference. The ordination of women has never been practiced by the Methodist Episcopal Church, and the Bishops do not feel authorized to ordain them without some change in the law of the church on the subject. There will be a strong effort made to change the law in favor of such ordination, but it will be antagonized by a decided opposition. We have a number of women licensed preachers, and are quite successful, and they desire ordination. The subject is one that deserves careful consideration. Most of

SPRING CONFERENCES

have been held, and their reports show most gratifying results. Never was Methodism doing a better and more successful work. It is becoming more and more a power for good in the nation, and its power is becoming more generally understood and acknowledged.

FINANCIALLY

our prospects are most encouraging Business and trade have become quite active, and are conducted on a basis, which, if adhered to, will ensure great national prosperity. This financial change is most encouraging to the churches, especially to those burdened with debts. Already several of them have found financial relief. This increased business activity is having a most beneficial influence on our literature. Our

AUTHORS AND PUBLISHERS

are exceedingly active and their outlook for a large demand for their public actions is most encouraging. The pressing demand for cheap publications, has been met to some extent by our publishers, but we were not a little surprised that one of our large publishing houses, Messrs. I. K. Funk & Co., Messrs. Scott & Bowne: were issuing works of great value the different departments of literature, more or less for several years; I took two at a price below anything heretofore known for similar publications, in the literary world. Their issue of Farrar's Life of Christ and St. Paul, at fifty cents each bound in cora manila was a marvel for cheapness. They are now issuing Knight's celebrated History of England in eight volumes, on fine paper and in large type, for the small sum of two dollars and forty cents. The work has heretotore cost from eighteen to twenty-five dollars. The publishers of the "yellow-covered literature," so called, have scattered their publications broad cast in consequence of their cheapness, but they are outdone for cheepness, for it is said in truth that no publications of the country can compare in cheapness with those of Messrs. 1. K. Funk & Co., and they publish nothing but works of great excellence.

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December 10th, 1878.

Very truly J. SIMONAUD, M. D., New Orleans, La. December 10th, 1878.

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Very truly yours, HF SLOCUM, Lowell Mass.

About the 25th of last April I got a bottle of your EMULSION, and at that time I was so prostrated at no one who saw me thought I could live but a few days at most. I could retain nothing on my omach and was literary starving. I commenced the use of the EMULSION in small dose; it was the rst thing that would stay on my stomach; I continued its use, gradually increasing the dose; and om that hour I commenced mending, and now am able to ride and walk and am gaining flesh and strength rapidly. I have advised other parties to try it, and some two or three have already ried it. I am sure I shall entirely recover.

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