

The Lord shall be to thee an everlasting light.
Isaiah lx. 19.

AFTER THE ATLANTA CONVENTION.



OUR friends will be interested in learning the results of the Atlanta Convention as revealed in the following letter from the Secretary of the Association there, Mr. F. De S. Helmer, to the Philadelphia Association :

"The results of the late Convention have been the most remarkable on record. A great revival is now in progress which is sweeping the city. Young men who were converted at the Men's meeting, on Sunday of the Convention, are among the most active workers. The place of meeting for the Union services is one of the largest cotton warehouses, the use of which is given rent free. Dr. L. W. Munhall is conducting the services. The attendance ranges from 2,000 to 5,000. Those who have been converted or reclaimed backsliders now number over 1,000, including all classes and grades in society. Fast young men, saloon-keepers and society people may be found among the number; Many have already united with the churches, and more will do so soon. We hold our Young Men's Meeting on Saturday nights, that of last Saturday being the largest ever held. Sixty-three were present, and the meeting was most intensely interesting about thirty taking part. A series of parlor conferences have also been held at the homes of several of our leading citizens and have been of a character never before known, being a blessing of the business and religion in such a manner that we have secured subscriptions amounting to nearly \$80,000, for the erection of a building. The spiritual awakening also has resulted in several conversions among our most prominent business men, as well as the reconsecration of many professing Christians. The subscriptions have been very general, about sixteen hundred having subscribed in amounts

varying from \$5.00 to \$1.00 Our membership roll is rapidly enlarging, and we are getting a large number of excellent workers."

GRATITUDE is a means of grace. Many a mortal would be consoled in his mere annoyances could he get a glimpse of the real trouble from which God saves him. Others, in comparatively light affliction would cease murmuring could they realize the heart-break that abides with some one else. There is always firm ground for thanksgiving to God for deliverance from that always possible greater trouble.

IN SPITE OF ALL MAN'S SIN, the world does prosper marvellously, miraculously; in spite of all, God is stronger than the devil, life stronger than death, wisdom stronger than folly, order stronger than disorder, fruitfulness stronger than destruction; and they will be so more, till the last great day, when Christ shall have put all enemies under His feet and death is swallowed up in victory, and all mankind in one fold, under one Shepherd Jesus Christ, the righteous King of all.—*Kingsley.*

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I will purely purge away thy dross.

Isaiah i. 25.