## THE BURGVILLE BOYCOTT. FR AL THE BEGINNING AND ENDING OF A FUNNY MINISTERIAL STRIKE.

the Reverend T. DeWitt Jepkyns Was Turned Over the Couls by Sha Parishioners-Nothing to Equal M

Name '57. dunday dawned bright and clear in the fittle village of Burgville. The bonest, hardy villagers, acquatomed to early rising wold days, believed they were entitled to a little rest on Sunday, and they took it. But they were not slothful, and at an hour that would have been deemed unreasonably early in cities—though late for them—signs of file began to appear. Did you ever see a village wake up on Sunday morning? Well, neither did I, so let that pass. But Burgville had its breakfast, and later Burgville wat to Church. Little did this

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Burgville went to Church. Little did this quiet hamlet reck the exciting scenes that were in store for it this peaceful Sabbath; little did it think that ere nightfall a struggle would be commenced within its elbept domain that would decide one of the greatest questions of the age. It would its way silently to its pews, and at half-past ten o'clock it was seated, patiently await-ing the commencement of devotional exer-

Time flow by, but the pastor appeared not. Quarter to 11, 11 o'clock, quarter past 11, and still the Reverend T. DeWitt Jenkyns had not made known his presence.

Jonkyns had not made known his presence. Burgville locked impatiently at its various watches and began to have misgiving. Perhaps the paster was ill. At half past 11 Burgville could wait in suspense no longer, so G. Jonnthan Gibbs, John Brown and Xerxes Smith were ap-pointed a committee to wait upon the reversed gentleman and learn the cause of his detention.

reversion is commission to wait upon not provide an end learn the cause of his detention. Slowly they wanded their way to the parson's little brown frame house at the end of the street, discussing meanwhile the probable result of their errand. Arrived at the index of the street, discussing meanwhile the probable result of their errand. Arrived at the street, discussing meanwhile the probable result of their errand. Arrived at the street, discussing meanwhile the probable result of their errand. Arrived at the street, discussing meanwhile the probable result of their errand. Arrived at the street, discussion of the probable result of their errand. Arrived at the railing in front of him. What could be the meaning of it? "Sir," said Mr. G. Jonathan Gibbs, the spokeman, very respectfully, "we were requested by the citizens of Bargville to inquire of you why you are absent from your pulpit this morning." "Quite right," said the Rev. T. De Witt foitizens have a right to know. Gentlemen, I am on a strike." The committee was thunderstruck. ""Yes," continued the Rev. Jenkyns, as he took a whilf from his pipe, "I am on strike. Tell the citizens that I consider my salary of \$500 per annum insufficient; and thas I shall refuse to work until it is taised. If necessary I shall resort to the poyott and refuse returned to the Church and reported these words : The excitement states the sono stree's wood-shed burned down in '57, John Brown, Xerzes Smith, Aunt Maris Studies at once, and the effect was indescribably bewildering. The afternoon a mass meeting was held in the School House. Xerxes Smith was in held in the School House.



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The to speak as once, and the should was indescribely bewildering. That afternoon a mass meeting was held in the School House. Xerxes Smith was in the chair, and, in calling the meeting to erder, he spoke as follows: "Fellow Ladies and Gentlemen: We have met this afternoon to decide a matter of great importance. The question is this: Shall we permit the rights of the fair-minded Capital to be srodden under foot by the horny hand of Toli?" "No," continued Mr. Smith eloquently, "we shall not. Let us here and now raise our strong right arms in selom exhortation against this unlawful usurpation." At this juncture Aunt Maris Stublins raised her green gingham umbrella above the heads of the crowd, and crisd shrilly: "Them's my sentiments! Down with strikes, asy I!" The result of the conference was that Burgville decided not to yield to the

The result of the conference was that Burgville decided not to yield to the Reverend T. DeWitt Jenkyns' demand, but to import a rival pastor from the neighbor-ing hamlet of Pugtown. Accordingly G. Jonathan Gibbs and Xerxes Smith were dispatched to secure the services of the Reverend Henry Ward Drauller and to bring him to Burgville in time for evening service.

bring him to Burgville in time for evening service. New, this plan might have worked very well had not the Reverend T. DeWitt Jen-kyns learned of his enemies' projected meve, and immediately made up his mind to thwart it. He left his house late in the afternoon and strolled leisurely along the road that led to Pugtown. Burgville was Mastantly on the qui vive. What did he in-tend to do? "Some mischlef surely," Burg-ville thought, and so followed him, although at a respectful distance. Presently the eart containing the Rever-end Henry Ward Drauller and the commit-tee was seen approaching. T. DeWitt Jenkyns paused, and Mrs. Abijah Homespun stepped up to him. 1

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to jdn the strike. I will not fill the vacant pulpit." Throughout the entire week the citizens of Bargville endured all the horrors of s strike. The Rev. T. DeWitt Jenkyns refused to officiate at any services or to peform any other of his clerical duties snd before the following Sunday it was cfficially announced that all the clergymen for miles around had formed an alliance and decided to upheld the strike at Burg-ville.

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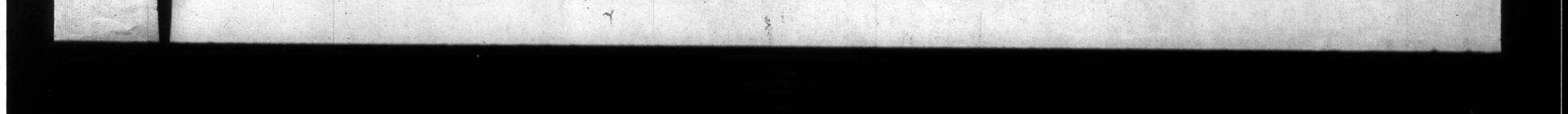
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