

shall not he render to every man according to his works?" (Prov. xxiv. 11, 12.) On the other hand, "If any of you do err from the truth, and one convert him; let him know, that he which converteth the sinner from the error of his way shall save a soul from death, and shall hide a multitude of sins" (James v. 19, 20).

It would be useful and instructive, in the judgment of your Committee, if the expenses incurred for the maintenance of worship in the Churches, and the contributions collected by them for various objects, could be regularly reported from year to year, so that the results might be compared, estimates formed, and the capabilities of the Churches better ascertained. In order to this, it appears desirable that the Reports of the respective Associations should be constructed on some uniform scale.

In conclusion, the Committee repeat the recommendation of former years, that the first Thursday in December be observed by the Churches as a day of thanksgiving and prayer.

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