

PREFACE.

THE "Baptist Year Book" again goes forth from the hands of the Compiler full of facts and information of great service to those interested in our work as a denomination. It should be regarded as something more than a historical record. The information it contains may be used by Pastors in speaking to their congregations, and should give inspiration and enthusiasm to all who earnestly desire the true progress of the Kingdom.

Again would the Compiler acknowledge the courtesy and kindness of all who have assisted in gathering the material together.

It will be noted that the official list of the B. Y. P. U. and matter pertaining to the same does not appear in its usual place. Copy was promised, but did not come to hand.

The list of Associational Secretaries for Home Missions is also omitted, as the names were not forwarded.

May the blessing of Father, Son and Holy Spirit rest upon every department of the work, for which we, as Baptists, are responsible.

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