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THE ESTABLISHED AND DIESTABLISHED CHURCHES.—From statistics furnished by Whittaker's almanac...

FROM THE GALLOWS.—J. M. Wilson was executed, a few weeks ago, at Norristown, Pa., for a brutal murder...

MEMORIAL CHURCH.—Dr. Edward Judson is now issuing his appeal to Baptist churches and Sunday schools for ten cents...

POOR FELLOW!—He is the man who is most likely to be tempted to drink it. And what about the countries that license this traffic?

GOOD PLAN.—We commend a plan adopted by one of our two Sabbath Schools...

COMMUNITY A JEWEL.—There was a suggestive instance of the consistency of our Pedobaptist brethren...

WOMEN'S GROWTH.—The colored Baptist churches of Baltimore have had a wonderful growth.

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THE FIRST CHURCH.—The first church was organized in 1835 with eight or ten members.

THE LADENHAIN CHURCH.—The Ladenhain church was organized in 1873 with eight members.

IN every way to be in a prosperous condition. The Macedonia church began its work, 1874...

IN 1860 Rev. F. B. Williams, the pastor of Wayne Methodist Episcopal church, was baptised with twenty of his members...

THE EFFICIENCY of Dr. Judson's work has, recently led the Standard of Ohio, to style his church 'the Church of the Helping Hand'.

WHY NOT MAKE THE local church just such a live industry, as the busy life of the present demands?

POPE.—We are sure all our readers will read Dr. McKim's poems with great satisfaction.

GOOD PLAN.—We commend a plan adopted by one of our two Sabbath Schools...

THE PRACTICE of reading out the number of attendance at morning services...

MEXICAN MISSIONS.—The mission of the Southern Baptists in Mexico is meeting with wonderful success.

STRAON IMPROVEMENT.—Dr. Pentecost, in the Independent, puts into words what many think of the Week of Prayer.

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HEREDITY AGAIN.—The Church at Work, a Presbyterian paper, has the following on child membership.

"Do you know that you are a member of the church? Well, if your parents are Christians people and members of the church...

IT is by blood, after all, and in 1: 15 is wrong, if we are to believe this paper rather than the Bible.

IT also helps the church to a knowledge of its responsibilities in reference to the school, and the scholars...

BAPTIST DOCTRINE by M. G. Ballou, of Oswego, New York, has published some lectures on the beliefs of the various denominations.

Now summarise a little. A Baptist maintains that only believers are to be baptised; hence infant baptism is something a baptism by immersion...

THE reader will see that this gentleman admits that Pedobaptists could not act differently from us...

TO THE student musician, Leipzig must possess unusual interest. The great Bach was organist in one of its schools...

GERMAN CORRESPONDENCE.—To the student musician, Leipzig must possess unusual interest.

DAKOTA CORRESPONDENCE.—Well, the festivities of Christmas and the New Year have come and gone...

LEIPZIG has seen a great deal of the world. Since the days of the great Bar-

cross, when heathenism was driven out by moral and other sorts of suasion, Saxony has been the stage of many a dramatic event.

Dr. Kolbe in the Pleisensburg—famous not because Luther could be said to have won in the dispute, but famous because it proved a decisive moment in the reformer's own development...

There is a small German Baptist church in the city, or rather in the suburbs, for although the Protestants claim the liberty of the churches...

THE agitation in the temperance cause that has been so marked in the older and more eastern parts of this great country...

THE weak of prayer in our little city was observed by a goodly number, and apparently with helpful and quickening results...

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THEY should speak so; but, as we advance in years, we begin to comprehend and begin to speak to the wonder of our juniors...

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"I need be in no hurry, time enough yet." This is the will-of-the-wisp which is leading multitudes on farther and deeper into the morass of impotence...

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