

day Baptists, who of all others ought to be the first to repudiate the evil tendency of religio-political views, are ready to respond to the demand to urge it as offering a field for promoting Christian work.

ORDINATION AT MARLBORO, N. J.

Two weeks ago the church held an election of deacons. Henry L. was chosen. After four or five weeks of prayerful consideration, he accepted the office, and Sabbath afternoon, at four o'clock, July 21st, was ordained.

FROM J. P. LANDOW.

In my last letter from Ulaszkowce, I tried to give some account of my work as soon as I should leave that place and return to this place; and therefore I now sit to fulfill my promise.

gather. It is next to that of Ulaszkowce. I hope to write about it in time.

FROM EAST TO WEST.

Let's see, where were we at our last writing? Still at the Centre of Alfred, where we soon finished our brief, but enjoyable visit. Many improvements were noted during the past three years: new streets; new houses; new flag-stone walks; new school-buildings; new combined, or compound library; two New York City ladies classifying and indexing books in new library; new Prohibition party or club; new Prohibition tent pitched for three or four days, where solid and well-arranged and well-delivered argument was presented for that cause; a new and strong impetus or feeling also along old political party lines.

IN MEMORIAM.

Resolutions passed by the Woman's Missionary and Benevolent Society of Nortonville, Kansas, June 3, 1888. During the past year, death has entered our ranks and called away Mrs. LUCY C. RANDOLPH, one highly esteemed and greatly beloved by all for her kind and loving nature, as well as the interest she always manifested in our work.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Aug. 5, 1888. The Government did not come to a standstill, as was feared. The President was careful to return to Washington from his yachting trip, on Monday night, and sign in time the new appropriation bills, over which has been so much talk and anxiety relative to complications that might arise in case of his continued absence.

The last of July finds us steaming back across the continent. A half day's stop in Cincinnati allows us a visit at their Exposition, which makes an excellent showing. The Western grain and corn fields give promise of large harvests in most places. The great fields of corn with their tasseled tops from seven to ten feet high make a pretty sight. The steam thrasher has also commenced its work. And now as we near our home we realize the difference in temperature.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY AND BENEVOLENT SOCIETY OF NORTONVILLE, KANSAS, JUNE 3, 1888.

Mrs. S. E. R. BABCOCK, Com. M. P. STILLMAN. Resolved, As a society, that while we miss her, we thank God that she lived so long to be a blessing by her prayers and example, and we will ever cherish her memory; and as the days and years go by strive to live and labor, that at last with her we may have a place among the redeemed to go no more out forever.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Table with columns for Missionary Society, Receipts in July, and various names and amounts.

The President's autograph signature is necessary to make a law. No proxy can sign a bill for him; and without the law the heads of departments cannot take a dollar out of the Treasury, or incur liability for five cents.

HOME NEWS.

New York. ALFRED CENTRE. A number of families are spending the summer vacation here, having their homes principally in the Ladies' Hall.

residence, one of the most attractive in the city because of its simple elegance, is offered for sale. The Senator's wife is not strong enough to endure the strain of the Capital's official social life, and both prefer to return to their Western home.

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Milkmaids' Festival, at the dining-room of the Ladies' Hall, on Wednesday evening, Aug. 1st. It was gotten up by the young people of the church and society, and consisted of refreshments, mainly the products of the dairy, music, and a general social.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Domestic. Eight cases of yellow fever were reported at Manatee, Fla., Aug. 2d. The new grape vine pest, scientifically named Anomala lucicola, has appeared in the southern part of Orange county, N. Y.

At Allegheny City, Pa., Frederick Brandes, a saloon keeper, whose business was closed out by the Brooks' license law, committed suicide last week, because he was to be arrested for selling liquor without license.

Advices from the Choctaw nation, Indian Territory, say that Charles Perkins, a noted horse thief and murderer, shot and killed two deputy marshals and one citizen on Friday last at Marshall's Ferry, while resisting arrest.

FOREIGN.

The centennial exhibition has been formally opened at Melbourne, Australia. King Milan has asked the Consistory to grant him a legal separation from Queen Natalie.

The Czsr refused to receive the Abyssinian mission. Emperor William will visit Queen Victoria at the earliest opportunity, probably at Baden. The Emperor will visit the Pope immediately upon his arrival at Rome, before going to the quirinal, in order not to offend the Pope.

MARRIED.

In Hebron, Pa., July 19, 1888, by L. R. Burdick, Esq., Wm. S. Burdick, of Roulette, and Mrs. Caroline Chamberlain, of Hebron.

DIED.

In Wellsville, N. Y., July 30, 1888, of complication of diseases, Isaac Stout, in the 70th year of his age. Mr. Stout was a successful business man, and leaves a good home for his wife and five children. His funeral was largely attended at his late residence. In Wellsville, N. Y., August 1, 1888, NATHAN ROBINSON, in the 49 year of his age. This death was a very sad one, caused by his horses running away and throwing him from his wagon. In falling, one foot was caught by a chain fastened to the wagon and he was dragged for more than one-half of a mile.

