## The Merald and Arus

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#### COLUMBIA FEMALE COLLEGE.

The agitation of the removal of this old and honored institution creates intense interest in the Conterence; it is discussed on the streets, around the church door and everywhere; and doubtless the discussion in the session of the Conference this morning at 10 o'clock will be spicy and exhaustive. It is a grave question, but one which might have been avoided It was, in our judgment, a mislake to have was introduced. ever attempted to auction a college to the highest bidder. The educa- Ky., and is secretary of the Genertion of the young is too sacred to al Board of Church Extension. He be brought into such an unenviable earnestly outlined the work of the position, and the manly, Christian | Board and presented the demands spirit of every follower of Christ, in upon the Board for funds and imthe way that John Wesley taught, pressed the importanne and the neought to repudiate the method by cessity of the preachers taking full which the removal of the college is collections for this fund. He stated sought to be accomplished. Where that his Board now had calls from would such a precedent lead to? three thousand churches for aid What institution of learning would from this fund. That there were be safe if such a precedent were also enough calls from foreign established? Really every incentive lands to exhaust all the money at to the upbuilding of great institu- the command of the Board. He, tions of learning would be nipped too, urged upon the preachers the in the bud, because there would be importance of the necessity of

But, as we understand the question, the effort to remove the college from Columbia is entirely without ground, and the bids are too insignificant to be considered for one moment by men who take a business view of the transaction. The present building occupied by the college could not be erected today for fifty thousand dollars; to force the property on the market it would not command more than twenty thousand dollars; the building is mortgaged for about fifteen thousand dollars; therefore it is probable that the sale of the property would do but little more than cuses and meeting galore. Another liquidate the debt. Then it follows that the Conference is called upon to sacrifice property really worth fifty thousand dollars for educational purposes for thirty-nine thousand dollars and throw into the bargain a most desirable lot in the center of the city of Columbia! That would be a bad trade-so it appears to us, to say nothing of the advantages of Columbia over the towns that are competing for the college.

There is, however, a moral side to the question. Columbia contributed the larger part of the money that went into the present structure. The money was contributed over half a century ago in good faith "for the maintainace of a Female College in Columbia.' The charter of the institution so declares. Are there no moral obligations involved on the part of the Conference? Can that body now break, with impunity, the compact made between the fathers and the city? It does not seem so to us. But many contributions were made to the Twentieth Cen tury Fund for Columbia Female College. Do not those contributions strengthen, if that be possible, the moral obligation already set forth?

It is a grave question, and in view of all that is involved the Conference ought to think very seriously before it acts. The matter, in our judgment, ought never to have been agitated.

Bishop Duncan is an excellent presiding officer, even if he does sometimes by his cutting remarks knock out some of the brethren. It is always done in a pleasant way and no one takes offense. The Bishop is very much of a dictator and very positive in his rulings. It is necessary to hold down and keep in control as large a body as the Conference; if he did not he would soon lose control of the body.

#### Both Re-elected.

At a meting of the County Board of Commissioners held on Saturday, Mr. Jno. A. Suber was re-elected keeper of the County Home, and Dr. J. H. McCullough was re-elected county physician.

#### Bread and Bread Making.

CHURCH EXTENSION ANNIVERSARY.

Address Last Night By Rev. P. H. Whisonant, Secretary of the General Board.

The anniversay exercises of the Church Extension Board were held last night. Devotional services were conducted by Dr. G. W. Walker.

After a few remarks by the secretary of the Board, Rev J. W. Elkin, in which he urged upon the preachers the necessity of taking full collections for the church extension fund the

REV. P. H. WHISONANT, D. D,

Dr. Whisonant is from Louisville, no pledge or assurance of perma- taking collections for this work.

THE FIGHT FOR THE COLLEGE.

Representatives from Greenwood and Laurens Very Active. The Contest Warming Up.

Large delegations have been in the city during the week from for their respective cities to secure the location of the Columbia Female College in case it is decided to move the college from Columbia.

warm, but of course all in a very friendly spirit. There were caudelegation arrived from Greenwood last night.

There was talk last night that the whole discussion might be cut short this morning by a motion to postpone the whole matter to the next session of Conference.

#### The Bachelor Maids.

A meeting of the Bachelor Maids will be held next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Miss Nellye McFall.

#### Another False Alarm.

Another false alarm of fire was sent in yesterday morning between 9 and 10 o'clock. The store of D. A. Livingston, on Main street, was supposed to be on fire, but it proved to be only a stove flue burning out. No damage.

#### The Carnival Company.

The Charleston Post has the following to say of the Carnival Company, which will be in Newberry for a week, beginning December 29th: "The Layton Company comes to Charleston highly recommended. The company carries fifteen shows and five free street attractions. Some of the shows are said to be the most wonderful known to the world of sensational specialty."

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#### The Junior Union.

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yard. The contest last night was very 200 White Bed Spreads to go

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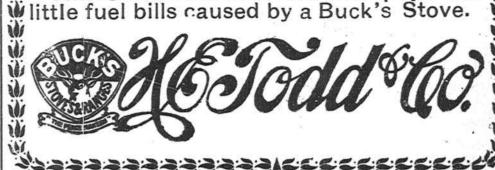
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