III Not only is he God but he is the God of Hosts
1. Host \ Stars
2. " \ angels

IV Also 1 God of Jacob e.c. he is an individual God or a G. for each one \ us. Jacob here not to be taken as 1 representative head \ all \ his descendants alone but as an individual man. I am glad that I have heard the Dr. Dr. Jno. A. Broadus was around there also. It was accidental + Jim K. & myself went there

Apr. 30th B.W. Spilman
Stand at late war 1861
Go back one Cen. Wm. Carey & Jr. pre study our country.
Closing yrs v 15 Cen. 3 gt. things
Ger Luther, Eng. Henry VIII, Columbus 1 next in Amer.
Time \ Carey. Eng. speaking p. possess Eng. + a small part \ America
fr Niagara Falls to bottom \ Ala down 1 Alaghany all to 1 West to French.

Battle \ Quebec
1803 Napoleon Bonaparte sold a large strip v U.S.
1821 Fla. acquired

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May 1st Ps 67 read by Dr. Dargan after a song.
Remarks this sometimes called 1 O.T. "pater noster"
Prayer by Dr. Dargan.
Reading & minutes by Sec. Weaver
Report & Mission work by Lawton
" & Finance Com. by Chadwick..
Dr. Broadus then made some general remarks 1. Stay to the Commencement 2. Put as much time as possible in reading in the library.
Letters from Missionaries.
G.W. Greene from Canton China read by Bro W.R. Cullom of N.C.
Dr. Dargan mentioned + Bro G. had made 100 on Sys. Theol & N.T.
Notice + Bro Greene was not robust & many advised to stay at home. Worked for SS's for a month or two & then he worked as a real Mis^ry at home. & 1 Community in which he work was improved in every

way intellectually, morally, spiritually &c. Elected as a Prof. of Latin in Wake Forest & a few weeks after he went to his wife died. She a Mrs Mauldin fr Greenwich S.C.
Bro Bell told Bro Greene 1 a special work + 1 Board had for him & although "too old" as some wd. say & as he thought himself but + wd. not act as an excuse. Bro. G. has been in 1 field two yrs.
E.F. Tatum fr N.C. Shanghai letter read by Bro. D.D. Taylor. Spoke of the (100 cash = 16 2/3 cents or eaton) selling 1 tracts.
L.M. Chapel + F.M. Royal
Bro Chapel Ching Chiang fr. N.C. went out in 1888 letter read by Gilmore
Suggestion by Bro. C. is + Po. at home who want to preach to 1 heathen may write a short tract which can be translated into his country.

Miss Antonette Whitman near Tokeo in Japan sent out by Northern Board, letter sent to Bro Denman & read by Bro. McDermott. Gave an acct. v schools out there.

Z. C. Taylor of Brazil read by Boyce Taylor. Only one out of thirteen can read

Brazil

Pres. 1859 no 2000 & Con. 1858 no 350

Meth 1872 no 800

Bap 1881 no 800 each v sc & h. pr paper

5000 Prots in Brazil

Climate warm but nights are generally cool fr 60° to 90°

Bro. J. T. Creek Spoke on the subject of Brazil, but he did not speak as afterwards came out

Bro. Buchanan of Mo. spoke on this subject

Dis. 1499 Pop. Whites Blacks & Indians. Whites are some what v European Style

Brazil

Among 1 poor marriage is 1 exception

Pop. 15-500,000

20 States 1 which 16 are on 1 coast

In 1 state 1 Bahia the richest river in 1 world

Dom. Pedro I & II were 1 only Emperors Brazil has ever had

Drs Robinson, Whitsitt, Sampey & Brethren Sherman, Chambers & Hunt 1 22nd & Walkut.

Dr Dargan then closed by asking & we remember the following (1) Have Conviction (2) Become Informed (3) Keep yr people Instructed (4) Have Perseverance

May 3rd yesterday I arose at 4.15 studied over my Polemics notes & fifty pages in the book Moffats Comparisons of religion. Ruce went in & stood

the morning examination. Coming out at 10 o'clock studied notes again then at 1,30 went over with Chambers & took dinner with Dr. Pickard & family; came back & stood the latter part of the examination, getting out in one hour & half. In 1 evening James Chadwick & myself went over to Jeffersonville where Bro J.H.D. is pastor & held a Missionary meeting. This the first time I have talked across the Mason & Dixon line. The meeting was very pleasant.

Miss Nancy McCrackin has been with us to almost all of these meetings. Her cheerful disposition & true love for the work are encouragments to us.

The weather is so warm that we have not had to have any fire for almost a week. We are having it easy

May 13 Culbertson Ave. New Albany Ind where Bro Mentor Stergeon preaches is an active little church. I preached for them Sunday night. After the exercises we had quite a hand-shaking. I met a Miss Baines, an active worker among the B.Y.P.U. members.

Broadway Prayer meeting was lead by me on May 18th. Quite enjoyable. Profs Robinson, & Dargan had something to say to us also Dr Marvin.

Prosperity A.P. Turner pastor was visited May 20th. The weather was terrible. James Moorer, Clement, Turner & myself went. The rain

prevented our having services in the evenings. Sunday Morning there were nineteen out. We got up some subscribers to the Foreign Mission Journal and started a little band of workers which we hope will succeed. I staid at Bro Kerlin. There were four daughters & one son at home

May 27 All examinations are over I am happy to say I have made them all. I am to be one of the speakers. Kendrick Miller, Barrett, Foster, Gill Chadwick and myself are the seven selected. Broadway Bap. Ch. is the place Thursday ~~[illegible]~~ May 30th is the time.

June 21st Almost a month has passed since I last wrote. There have been quite a number of historical events taking place in that time First there was the commencement exercises. Quite a large audience - Broadway was packed. My piece "A Boy Again" seemed to take real well It was different from the rest. In coming home I stopped one day in Chattanooga. Went up on Lookout Mountain with Mr. & Mrs. Burriss & Mr Woodwood Then went around & staid with uncle Winnie Joe W. that night. I stopped over in Macon one day. Heard Dr Hawthorne preach the Mercer Commencement Sermon. In Macon I saw a great many of my relatives. Took dinner with cousin Caulder & Supper with

uncle Ben. I passed near Wesleyan Female College in Chattanooga. I neglected to speak of my ride, with cousin Carrie Willingham, through the National Cemetery where there are over 12,000 Unionists buried. The Cemetery is kept up real well, whereas they say our Confederate Cemetery is not near so well kept. She also drove me up to Mission Ridge, I passed right by where Bragg's head quarters were.

Since I've been home, I've been resting, & writing letters. Sis is now in Columbia on a little visit. We hear the terrible news that Josie W., that consecrated young girl, has gone blind. How sad. We cannot see through God's workings.

July 2nd Just back from a pleasant visit up to Allendale. Josie Willingham is still in Hartsville quite sick and entirely blind the Dr's says. Who by searching can find out God.

Cousin Belle Willingham, Herbert and myself had a very pleasant ride through the country from Allendale home. Old Reuben, the mule, tried to run away once or twice but did not hurt anything. Aunt Tellie Willingham is now up at Allendale. I enjoyed meeting her so much. She is interested in all the work that pertains to X^s cause.

Aunt Lizzie's devotion to that family of dear uncle Jno. C. Willingham's is beautiful and her work for them X like

I had the pleasure of spending the day with dear old grandmother Willingham's on her eightieth birthday. It was a treat to see this old lady who had reached her four score years receiving with so much appreciation the tokens of love from her children & grand-children. On the day after her birthday the godly old mother of Zion went out to hear me preach. Shall I ever forget how she had to be put in the buggy. Could hardly raise her arms just into the buggy

July 13th We are enjoying the Summer so much. The presence of friends & relatives makes life quite pleasant.

Aunt Issie Willingham and cousin Belle have just left for N.Y. I fell in love with both of them.

I have accepted work up at Beech Island for a short time. This is what I might call my first pastorate. It is a pleasant place and I hope that I may be the instrument in Gods hands of doing much good among them.

Cousin Josie Willingham returned from Augusta on the Monday morning's train that I came on. Aunt Lee was with her Josie is blind and the Dr says she cannot live more than two or three months How sad. "God moves in a mysterious way his wonders to perform

I conduced my first funeral exercises day before yesterday A little girl ten or twelve yrs. old who died at Mr Wilbur Davis' place.

Dear old Grand-ma is gradually sinking

July 31st The old lady passed away on last Thursday evening July 26 at about half post five in the afternoon. She was buried at Union Rev Holroyd & Rev. Morrison made very timely & touching talks. The pall-bearers were Bruton Lawton, Jos Maner Lawton (aunt Lizzie's son) Bub, Orry, Bury & myself. There were quite a number out How peacefully she passed away. Having lived her four score & four she passed into a better world.

I preached my first sermon to to the negroes the night the old lady died.

The company has all gone We have certainly had a delightful time

Aug 30 Another month has passed—how quickly has it rolled bye.

Cousin Josie Willingham died on the night of Aug the third Sunday in August. She was one of the finest of women. Few worked as she did for the cause of Christ. Her work for Foreign Missions was manifested by the zeal that the young people in the congregation took, for it was Josie who led them. She suffered a great deal for a day & a half before her death

She was blind for about three months before the end came. Through it all she was as cheerful as a well person, except when the pain became so great that she could not well endure it. We need not ask about her future state, for if any one will be saved I believe Josie Willingham will be, & now is safe.

Orry stood an examination for a scholarship in Furman a short time since. He was the only one from Hampton to try for it. I am confident that the fellow will get it. I hope so.

X The war between China & Japan still continues. I do not know what effect it will have on our leaving. The Board has taken no action in the matter. I do not think it will be best to go if the X war still continues.

I spent a week up in Beech Island this month. I hope it may have done good. They seem anxious for me to stay in America one year and get them in good working condition. I only wish I could stay yet if I can go I feel that it is my place to go, for if I am to work in China the sooner I get started the better it will be for me.

written up Sept 21th 1895

Josie's Death is spoken of in another place. Bro. Jno. G. Williams, Bro Jno. T. Morrison & Bro. W.D. Rice made appropriate & touching talks in 1 old allendale ch., then we took 1 remains to Smyrna & placed 1m near her father, her mother, Ben, & Jac & others & her brothers & sisters. I went with Mannie to Smyrna & had a good long talk with 1 deer boy. How I feel for him & for his younger brothers.

Sept 30. 1895 Childrens Missionary day. I met with 1 Denmark church. Staid with Bro. W.D. Rice. Such a pleasant & helpful time to be with 1 good father in Israel & his pleasant family. Miss Maggie was sick Miss Don Ella was well She & myself took a short drive together. Mr. Rice 1 brother & Bro W.D. was pleasant company.

From Denmark I went to Blackville stayed with Bro. Gnaskens met Bro Haynesworth. thence to Barnwell, ~~stayed~~ with cousin Lula

Cousin Shelly Paples was there Met Bro. Lyde Sr & many 1 good people. B. Had a good meeting & may it help 1 cause. From Barnwell went to Williston. Staid at Prof J.N.K. Bailey's to dinner Met Mrs. Watson & 1 noble young lady who has since gone to her reward Miss Grace Watson. Went over to school & saw 1 boys & girls in chapel - gave 1m a short talk. That evening had a long talk with cousin Ned Paples about his son Irwin staying at school. At eight oclock we had 1 missionary meeting. Bro B.W. Whilden & Bro Lide Sr. were both 1m - meeting was held in schoolhouse as ch. was being repaired.

From there went on to Augusta. Was met by Wm Davant. Went thro' country to B.I. Held services 1 night with church 1m went on back home. Capt. Jinkins wd. not take pay for my last trip on P.R. & A.

From that time I was busy preparing to leave. Getting things packed & telling friends good bye &c. The time flew away rapidly