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HENRY BARRINGTON PRATT,

Son of the Rev. Dr. Nathaniel Alpheus and Catherine Barrington (King) Pratt, was born May 26, 1832, near Darien, Ga. He made a public confession of his faith in the Presbyterian church of Roswell, Ga., at the age of thirteen. His preparatory studies were pursued in Roswell, under Rev. C. S. Dod, and he graduated from Oglethorpe University, Ga., in 1851. He spent the greater part of the next year in teaching in his father's school at Roswell. Entering the Seminary at Princeton in 1852, he took the full three years' course there, graduating in 1855. He was licensed by the Presbytery of New Brunswick, April 25, 1854, and ordained an evangelist by the Presbytery of Cherokee, Sept. 27, 1855. He engaged in work as a missionary at Bogota, Colombia, S. A., from June 1856 to September 1859. Returning to this country he supplied the church at Hillsboro, N. C., from August 1861 to February 1863. The war interrupting his church labors, he became chaplain in the confederate army, 1863-64. He was stated supply of the church at Sugar Creek, N. C., from December 1864 to December 1866 and of the church at Hillsboro, N. C., from January 1867 to December 1869. At this time he returned as a missionary to Colombia, S. A., remaining from 1869 to 1877. Returning once more to this country he supplied the church at Winnsboro, S. C., from 1878 to 1882, and then was pastor of the church at Lancaster, S. C., from 1883 to 1886. At this time he became a Spanish translator of the American Bible Society with his residence at Staunton, Va., from 1886 to 1888. After this he resided in Tlalpam, Mexico, engaging in the same work from 1888 to 1890, and in New York City, from 1801 to 1803. During the years 1803-99 he engaged in evangelistic work in Mexico, Cuba, and southwestern Texas. He was pastor of the Spanish-American Congregational Church of Brooklyn, N. Y., from January 1900 to October 1902, and

after this resided in Hackensack, N. J., until his death, which occurred Dec. 11, 1912, in Hackensack, of a disease of the liver connected with a general breaking down of his whole system, in the 81st year of his age. He was buried in Hackensack. In 1881 the degree of D.D. was conferred upon him by Hampden Sidney College, but declined for conscientious reasons. He published a Spanish translation of "Seymour's Evenings with the Romanists" in 1860, as well as a number of controversial and other pamphlets in Spanish, among these "La biblia y sus Oppositores", "La Transubstanciacion", thirteen articles on Romanism, and "Libro de Orden Eclesiastico". He published also a Spanish translation of the shorter catechism, and commentaries in Spanish on the books of Genesis and Exodus, the former being, at the time of its publication, 1902, the only Protestant Old Testament commentary in the Spanish language, but his greatest work was his Spanish version of the Bible, "La Versión moderna", the labor of many years.

He was married Nov. 7, 1860, in Richmond, Va., to Joanna Frances Gildersleeve, who died Aug. 15, 1904. Three sons and two daughters survive him.

ISAAC NORTON RENDALL, D.D.,

Son of Hugh and Harriet (Watson) Rendall, was born Sept. 30, 1825, in Utica, N. Y. He made a public confession of his faith in the Westminster Presbyterian Church of Utica, N. Y., at the age of seventeen. He studied privately in Utica, under the Rev. Joshua Hall McIlvaine, and he graduated from Princeton University in 1852. Entering the Seminary at Princeton in the fall of the same year, he took the full three years' course there, graduating in 1855. He was licensed by the Presbytery of Mohawk, Oct. 7, 1858, and ordained an evangelist by the same Presbytery, Oct. 10, 1860. From