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A NOBLE LIFE.

A telegram from Clinton, Miss., announces the death of Miss Sarah Dickey, the founder of Mt. Hermon Seminary, and for almost thirty years its honored president. A rarer life of self-sacrifice it would be difficult to find. After completing her course of study at Mt. Holyoke she left her Alma Mater to enter immediately upon the work in which her heart was centered, that of teaching and uplifting the dark-browed girls of the South. Her pupils have gone throughout the State as teachers, or in little home of their own have sought to carry out in life the noble principles instilled into their hearts at Mt. Hermon Seminary. Miss Dickey will be sorely missed, not alone in Clinton and the Seminary, but throughout the South, where her influence and her work have been so truly a blessing. A triumphant death closed the noble life. "All is finished, and all is well," were her last words. Dr. Wordworth, of Tougaloo College, led the memorial service, and spoke feelingly of the self-sacrificing work and the crowned life.

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