New Orleans, La., January 1st, 1870.

The friends of a higher Christian civilization will meet in Convention, in New Orleans, at the Chapel of the First Congregational Church, Calliope street, near Prytania street, on Wednesday, January 26th, at 10 *o'clock A. M.*

Subjects of practical interest to all Christian Churches, that desire a better condition of things, will be freely discussed. Colored Churches will be especially interested in these discussions. Each Church desiring to participate in the deliberations of the Convention is entitled to be represented by its pastor and two delegates. Those to whom this circular is sent are especially invited. *By calling upon Rev. John Turner, corner of Broad and Gasquet streets, members of the Convention will be provided with places of entertainment while in the city.*

J. W. HEALY,
JOHN TURNER,
ISAAC WILLIAMS, } *COMMITTEE.*

Bro Stevenson.

I hope, by all means, that you will be at our Convention. It is called by direction of the brethren at Chatanooga, and the representatives of our work are expected to be present.

We will arrange for your ordination, at that time. We shall have several ministers present.

Truly yours

J. W. Healy.

N.C. 1/12/70