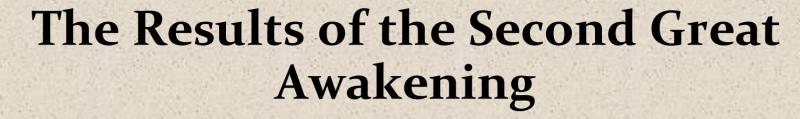
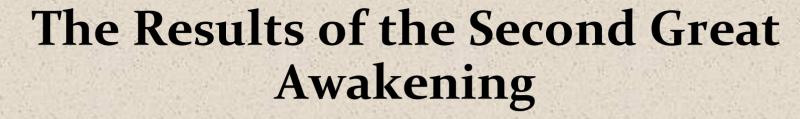
Ordinary People Extraordinary Things

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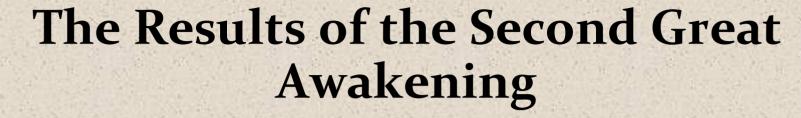
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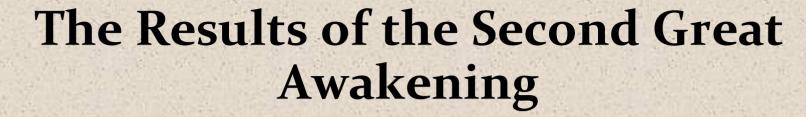
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1832 Finney in the East



Impact on the Church Schisms

New Lights vs. Old Lights Conservatives vs. Liberals (Unitarian Church)



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- Was: Awakening to guilt;
- Attempt to find peace—"time of being under trouble"
- Yielding



- New: Planning for revival
 - Preaching style
 - Prayer preceding
 - Quality of prayer
 - Role of women
 - House to house canvass by "Holy Bands"

- Inquiry Meeting
- Protracted Meeting



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Anti-Slavery
Moral Reform
Sunday School
Bible Society
Tract Society



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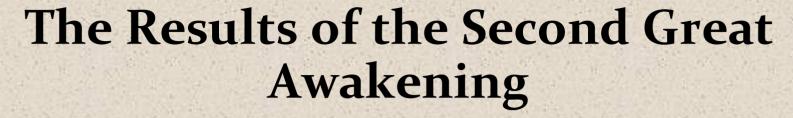
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In the United States the sovereign authority is religious, and consequently hypocrisy must be common; but there is no country in the world where the Christian religion retains a greater Influence over the souls of men than in America;

and there can be no greater proof of its utility and

of its conformity to human nature than that its influence is powerfully felt over the most enlightened and free nation of the earth.