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Lady (who had a sick husband)—"Don't you think, doctor, that you ought to bleed my husband?" Doctor (absent-mindedly)—"No, madam, not until he gets well."

Men talk of its being hard times for the poor and yet a poor man can to-day buy a locomotive for \$9,000 which would have cost him \$30,000 ten years ago.

United States Marshal Gordon has appointed his daughter, Alphonsine M. Gordon, as his deputy. The Marshal has been too ill for several months to attend to the duties of the office, and his daughter has full power. She is but just out of her teens. A similar case exists in Louisiana.

The New Jersey State Board of Agriculture has received seventy-seven applications from foreign countries and experimental stations for copies of its last annual report. The requests came from Great Britain, British Guiana, Austro-Hungary, France, Italy, Russia, Canada, Germany, New Zealand, Sweden and Switzerland.

Captain William Kimble after an absence of sixteen years, has returned to his family at Tuckahoe. He was a sea-captain and in wandering around lost all interest in home affairs. He was living at Cabin Point, in Virginia, for several years. He recently took a notion to hunt up the family, and found his wife and two sons living in Millville, trying to make both ends meet. The old captain was cordially received by the family.

The State Board of Education reports that during the past year, in New Jersey fifty new school houses were erected. The amount expended for the support of schools was \$2,678,186. There are 1,603 school buildings in the state. The property under control of the Board is valued at \$7,263,039, an increase of \$438,113 over that of last year. The number of male teachers is 826, and female, 3,069. The school census shows a decrease of 2,161 children between the ages of five and eighteen years.

It is charged against the piece-price system now in vogue at the State Prison that one-third of the goods are placed on the market at one-third less the cost of production than under the contract system. This is the second year of the new plan, and it has been in operation long enough to be thoroughly tested. The production this year will be larger than during 1886, but the average will be the same. Under the old contract system the State received fifty cents a day, and the earnings of the convicts amounted to \$81,898. Under the piece-price system the state receives only thirty-nine cents. The loss by the change is \$10,412.

Grand Master Workman Powderly has had two hemorrhages from the lungs this week, and is in a very-critical condition.

The man who attends to his own business and lets the business of others alone, is an anti-poverty society by himself, and a good one.

The United States mints coined \$57,703,412 during the past fiscal year.

Professor Caesar Andrew Augustus Taylor, a New England genius, has figured it out that sheol is in the earth, just fifty-two miles beneath the surface. Those who question the accuracy of the Professor's information have full permission to dig down and see for themselves.

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WIVES AND WIDOWS.

A Variety of Incidents and Items Concerning Eve's Daughters.

There is a decided opposition in France to regard those who marry in second nuptials as hardened sinners or as imbeciles deserving of sympathy. The popular sentiment on the subject is to the effect that a person has only the right to be born once, to marry once and to die once. Those who show a wish to undergo any of these operations twice are suspected of gourmandize. It must be admitted, however, that public opinion respecting second marriages is much more generous with regard to the man than with regard to the woman. There is a social and religious prejudice against second marriage of women, especially when they have reached middle age and have children. There are certain rules of good taste and etiquette with regard to second marriages in France which are usually observed by the educated classes. The whole ceremonial must be quiet and unostentatious. The festive preparations must be on a modest scale. It is not considered becoming for the bridegroom and bride to appear very happy. They must be sedate and calm, with an expression of recollection in their faces. Something is due to the memory of the dear departed. This is especially the case if a lady be a widow. She does not take from her finger the ring placed there by her first husband. Her second spouse would be considered a man of bad feeling and bad taste if he objected to this mark of respect paid to his predecessor. Moreover, if the lady have children the first ring must be retained out of regard for the memory of their father, and she would be passing a slight upon them by taking it off. If these children are grown up they must not keep aloof from the wedding party, but must be present at the ceremony. They are not expected to look joyful, but their absence would give rise to scandal. The religious services must be very simple—without floral decorations or singing. The widow at her second marriage must not wear gray or mauve, for such colors would be suggestive of half-mourning, which her second husband might not take to be a delicate allusion to himself. Rose color is also forbidden, on the ground that it is too gay. The head-dress should be a black or white mantilla, with a few flowers scattered over it—certainly not orange flowers, which can only be worn once on any occasion. The ornaments should be simple and unobtrusive. A breakfast or a dinner follows the religious ceremony, but no ball is given in the case of a second marriage.

The Beginning of a Balloon Voyage

The last bag is set upon the edge of the car. Over it goes. An "Ave" is said, the men release the car. Let a huge bird, or a ship, at 4.28 P. M., rise from the ground—so quickly, indeed, that amid the tumultuousness of the crowd, it is not clearly the exact moment. As we clear the park fence our ship dips before the strong wind. There is, for the instant, extreme peril. Moore shouts, "Throw out sand! quick!" Hazen and Doughty each dumps overboard a bag of sand. The car springs under the one bag, and the leafy tops of some trees brush its sides as we glide over them. The car backs away by a few feet only, then sails away toward the blue vault overhead.

The Park Begins to Sink Away Beneath Us

We have no sense of going up—no, not at all. All things else go down, down. The crowds as they cheer and swing their hats, and wave handkerchiefs, and parade—oh, it is they who fall away below us, and fast fade into tiny specks of life and color, until ere long the whole city is but a spot upon the wide view of the earth.

Railways and Food.

One of the most momentous, and what may be called humanitarian, results of the recent great extension and cheapening of the railway system and service, is that there is now no longer any occasion for the people of any country to fear the results of any particular harvest, inasmuch as the failure of crops in any one country is no longer, as it was no later than twenty years ago, identical with high prices of grain; the prices of cereals being at present regulated, not within any particular country, but by the combined production and consumption of all countries made mutually accessible by railroads and steamships. Hence it is that, since 1870, the prices of locally raised crops in Europe have generally witnessed considerably lower prices than when local crops were good and there was a local surplus for export.

If you wish to obtain the color in strawberries do not allow them to come in contact with pebble or tin. The world could not go on if people gave up labor whenever it became irksome.

THE MISSION OF THE CIRCUS.

An Educator in Athletics, Ethnology, and Practical Science.

Every one in these enlightened days concedes that human nature imperatively demands amusement and recreation. The childish mind to which the world is first introduced, and the adult brain of the adult, call for a "something new and strange." Granted the necessity of amusement and the desirability of their being morally clean and beautiful and instructive, the provider of such entertainments is a public benefactor and may reasonably ask for his wages the contenance of the church.

The so-called circus of to-day, which I regret to say, some exceptions, is a lunatic different affair from that of the past. When under proper management it is decorous and orderly in operation and composed of features which appeal to all ages, classes and conditions. While modestly submitting to bear the generic title of circus, a genuine tent exhibition under that name must comprise a menagerie and museum, the accumulating of which is necessitated by an incredible pecuniary loss. In the proper circus of to-day the athlete demonstrates the perfection of training of which the human body is capable. His feats of strength and gracefulness please the understanding as well as the eye, and if the average boy does stand on his head and practice turning "hand-springs" and "flip-flaps" with exasperating persistence for three weeks running after going to the circus, his physique will be all the better for it. The juggler shows the marvellous precision and the nicety of touch which can be acquired by patient practice. In the real circus of to-day the intelligent lover of horse-flesh will find the finest specimens of the equine race trained to do almost anything but talk.

Then the scientific mind is attracted by such strange examples of mechanism as the talking-machine, an ingenious duplicate of the structure of the human brain, giving forth the articulation a veritable human if not a sweet voice. The ethnologist finds gathered together for his leisurely inspection representative specimens of notable and peculiar tribes civilized and savage, from far distant lands—types which otherwise he would never see, as they can only be seen in their native countries. He can see the risk of life and at an expenditure of time and money possible for him. The menageries of wild beasts, birds and reptiles comprising every curious specimen of animal life from the jungles of the torrid African jungle to those of the Polar regions—form a study that will impart more valuable information in two hours than can be obtained from reading books on zoology in a year.

California's Wettest Year.

In the season of 1881-2 no less than 49.27 inches of rain fell in San Francisco. The downpour increased northward and diminished south of it. It was the wettest season reported since the American occupation. The Sacramento Valley was flooded to a great depth. The present season, so far, bears some resemblance to that of 1861-2. In the last mentioned period a long drought preceded the drenching rains. There was no rain in July or August. There was a little sprinkle in September to the extent of the one-hundredth part of an inch. There was no rain in October. But in November the long spell of dry weather was broken. The rain was not heavy at first. It took 12 days to drop 4.10 inches. In December the flood gates were opened and 9.64 inches fell in 16 days. This was followed by the unprecedented fall of 24.30 inches in 18 days in January. There were afterwards 7.35 inches in much longer rain will have to come in 10 days of February and 2.20 inches in 11 days of March. The rains of the early part of the season came from the south in heavy showers. The great rains of January were cold and partly from the northwest. They were continuous and steady rather than heavy. The resemblance to 1861-62 so far is that there has been no rain in July and August. There was a small shower in September, but none since. What there is in such resemblances cannot, of course, be determined in the present state of our meteorological knowledge. But if it is in this case to come pretty soon, for we have passed beyond the middle of November.

That Terrible Disease, the Divers.

Governor Taylor, of Tennessee, recently told of a colored clergyman who preached a sermon on the text, "And the multitudes came to Him and healed them of divers diseases." Said he: "My dying congregation, this is a terrible text. Disease is in the world. The small-pox slays its hundreds, the cholera its thousands and the yellow fever its tens of thousands, but, in the language of the text, if you take the divers you are gone. These earthly doctors can cure the small-pox, cholera and yellow fever if they get there in time, but nobody but the good Lord can cure the divers."

Born in a Coffin.

An extraordinary occurrence is reported from Summertown, Clarendon county, S. C., and is told in a special despatch to the Cincinnati Enquirer, as follows: "A colored girl, 17 years of age, who has been ill several days, died recently. The body was properly prepared and dressed for burial and placed in a coffin, the negroes of the neighborhood holding their customary noisy 'wake' over the corpse all through the following night. The funeral services were held in the colored church the next day, and the body was to be interred in a graveyard about two miles distant. When the cortege had reached a point within fifty yards of the cemetery, the pall-bearers were started by a crying noise, somewhat resembling the moaning of a cat, apparently emanating from the coffin. The procession was halted, and, after considerable discussion, it was resolved that the coffin should be opened. Upon removing the lid it was found, to the great consternation of the funeral party, that the woman was alive, but unconscious, and that a new born babe shared with her the narrow bed. Several of the pall-bearers and mourners were terrified, struck and fled. Those who remained, however, administered to the wants of the woman and her infant, and in a short time both were taken to a neighboring house where they received kindly and necessary attention. At last accounts the mother was doing well, there being every indication of her complete recovery, whilst the infant is hearty and robust and is flourishing as well as any relation born under ordinary conditions and circumstances."

Changes in Parisian Habits.

It is curious to remark how greatly Parisian habits have changed within even the past few years. That, too, not a little owing to Anglomaniac. Our dear exercise is all the rage nowadays, particular riding and driving, and from 9 to 11 in the morning the Bois de Boulogne is the rendezvous of the prancers and pluffers, who, after their morning bob (Anglican tub), take after their in their boots (Anglican, buggy) or in their spurs, which we pronounce spider. But that is a detail. The grave thing is that these gentlemen and ladies get up early and go to bed early, and the consequence is that they do not go to the theatre so much as formerly, and above all, they do not care any longer about first nights. For that matter managers of the fashionable theatres are now much exercised to know how to arrange their programmes, for the Parisian dinner hour is getting later and later and the bed hour earlier and earlier. A some few people dine before 7.30; the dinner hour is getting later and later, and to table much before 8 o'clock, what time remains for the theatre? Either one must dine exceptionally early or else arrive in the middle of the fourth act. At the Opera things are managed better. By tacit agreement some old opera is performed for the benefit of the foreigners and country cousins, and the toward 11 o'clock the ballet begins for the benefit of the subscribers, and many of them leave never to be seen, and even the first two acts of any opera at the repertory. "Nor are they any prouder or happier on that account. But still this state of affairs is unsatisfactory and the theatrical managers feel uneasy in consequence.

Where Woman is Queen.

In Ohio, a married woman's rights are co-equal with her husband's. What ever a man may do a wife may do also. If she owns separate real estate she can sell and convey it with the consulting of her husband. If she wants to mortgage or lease her farm or house or lot she is at perfect liberty to do so. If she possesses personal property it is her own, and she may buy and sell and use and bequeath it as she pleases, without any intervention of her husband or "next friend." If she is in debt when she marries, the husband is not bound to pay the indebtedness unless he consents. The creditor must collect from the real debtor. In other words, the rights of man and wife are made exactly identical. The husband is not to be consulted under the marriage relation, the sunright is possessed by the wife without modification or abridgement. According to the law of Ohio to-day, husband and wife are not one person, but two separate and distinct individuals as far as their independent right to the law of Ohio is concerned. If she calls her next-door neighbor an unquipped parricid and no better than the hypothesis of a right-angle triangle, the husband is not to be consulted to go into the court and be bound to thousands of dollars, more or less, for slander. Some of the most complicated and vexatious litigation which has ever taken place in the courts of the Ohio courts, and which has impoverished widows and orphans, will be prevented and hereafter rendered impossible by this law.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

SUNDAY, DEC. 18, 1887.

Other Parables.

LESSON TEXT. (Matt. 13: 31-35, 41-43. Memory verses, 41-43.)

LESSON PLAN.

TOPIC OF THE QUARTER: Jesus the King to Go.

GOLDEN TEXT FOR THE QUARTER. Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty; for all that is in the heaven, and in the earth, and things that are in the kingdom, O Lord, and thine are all. —1 Chron. 29: 11.

LESSON TOPIC: The King's Declarations Concerning His Kingdom.

Lesson 1. Its pervasive value, vs. 31-35. Outline: 1. Its pervasive value, vs. 31-35. Golden Text: So shall it be at the end of the world: the angels shall come forth, and sever the wicked from among the just. —Matt. 13: 49.

DAILY HOME READINGS: M.—Matt. 13: 31-33, 44-52. Declarations concerning his kingdom. T.—Mark 4: 20-34. Mark's parables. W.—Luke 13: 18-22. Luke's parallel narrative. R.—Phil. 3: 1-14. The supreme assembly. F.—Matt. 22: 1-10. The gathered assembly. S.—Matt. 25: 31-46. The nations separated. S.—Matt. 13: 10-17. The use of parables.

LESSON ANALYSIS.

I. ITS PERSVASIVE POWER.

A. A Grain of Mustard Seed. — which indeed is less than all seeds (31, 32). My speech shall distill as the dew (Deut. 32: 2).

A still smaller voice (1 Kings 19: 12). It is as a grain of mustard seed (Mark 4: 31).

A little leaven leaveneth the whole lump (1 Cor. 5: 6).

II. An Amazing Progression: The stone, became a great mountain. — (Dan. 2: 35).

Leaven, ... hid in ... meal, till it was all leavened (Matt. 13: 33).

It ... putteth out great branches (Mark 4: 32).

The Lord added to them their day by day (Acts 2: 47).

III. A Grand Result: Birds ... come and lodge in the branches thereof. — (Dan. 2: 35).

Birds ... can lodge under the shadow thereof (Mark 4: 32).

In the name of Jesus every knee should bow (Phil. 2: 10).

The kingdom of the world is become the kingdom of our Lord (Rev. 11: 15).

I. A Grain of Mustard Seed, which the Son of the Philistines sowed in the field. (1) The field and its owner; (2) The seed and its sower; (3) The sowing and its result.

2. "The birds ... come and lodge in the branches thereof. (1) The shelter of the kingdom; (2) The refugees in the kingdom; — A shelter in God's kingdom (1) Ample; (2) Secure; (3) Accessible.

3. "Like unto leaven, (1) The properties of leaven; (2) The symbolism of leaven.

II. ITS SUPERSASSIVE VALUE.

A. A HINT TO THE SEEKER.

Like unto a treasure hidden in the field (44).

And search for her as for hid treasures (Prov. 2: 4).

The fear of the Lord is his treasure (Isa. 33: 6).

I will give thee the ... hidden riches (Isa. 45: 3).

In whom are all the treasures of wisdom (Col. 2: 3).

II. A Marches Jewel:

One pearl of great price (46). She is more precious than rubies (Prov. 3: 15). My fruit is better than gold (Prov. 8: 19).

There is precious treasure ... in the dwelling of the wise (Prov. 21: 20). A treasure in the heavens that faileth not (Luke 12: 33).

III. A Supreme Possession:

He went and sold all that he had, and bought it (46).

Lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven (Matt. 6: 20).

Go to the gold mine, and thou shalt have treasure (Mark 10: 21).

These have I counted loss for Christ (Phil. 3: 7).

Buy of me gold, ... that thou mayest not fail (Rev. 3: 18).

1. "Treasure hidden in the field." (1) The treasure; (2) The hiding-place; (3) The hiding.—(1) By whom hidden; (2) By whom found. 2. "Fine pearl of great price." (1) The ideal of purity; (2) The embodiment of preclusiveness; (3) The reward of search. 3. "Sold all that he had, and bought it." (1) All the secondary; (2) This gem supreme.

III. ITS COMPREHENSIVE SCOPE.

I. The Great Gathering:

A net, that ... gathereth of every kind (47).

He saw many of the Pharisees and Sadducees coming (Matt. 23: 7). Gathered, ... as many as they found, both bad and good (Matt. 22: 10). Simon also preached (Acts 13: 16). Some indeed preached ... of envy; some also of good will (Phil. 1: 15).

II. The Final Assorting:

Gathered the good into vessels, but the bad they cast away (48). They shall separate the wheat from the tares, and the good they will bind in bundles, and the bad they will burn (Matt. 3: 12). He will gather his wheat, ... but the chaff he will burn (Matt. 3: 12). They shall gather out of his kingdom ... the angels, ... shall cast them into the furnace of fire (Matt. 13: 41). He shall separate them one from another (Matt. 25: 32).

III. The Fiery Doom:

The angels ... shall cast them into the furnace of fire (Matt. 13: 42). The day cometh, it burneth as a furnace (Mal. 4: 1). The chaff he will burn up with unquenchable fire (Matt. 3: 12). And shall cast them into the furnace of fire (Matt. 13: 42). They ... cast them into the fire, and they are burned (John 15: 6).

1. "The kingdom of heaven is like unto a net." (1) Where the net is cast; (2) What the net catches.—(1) The net; (2) The casting; (3) The catch.

2. "The angels shall ... sever the wicked from among the righteous." The final separation: (1) By whom effected; (2) Among whom effected; (3) On what principles; (4) For what purposes.

3. "The place of doom; (2) The object of dread; (3) The means of destruction.

LESSON BIBLE READING.

WHAT THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN IS LIKE.

Tares among the wheat (Matt. 13: 24-30, 32). A grain of mustard seed growing (Matt. 13: 31, 32; Mark 4: 30-32; Luke 13: 18, 19).

Leaven in meal (Matt. 13: 33; Luke 13: 20, 21). Treasure hid in a field (Matt. 13: 44). A net cast into the sea (Matt. 13: 47-50).

A little leavening account of his servants (Matt. 18: 23-35). A household hiring laborers (Matt. 20: 1-16). The King's marriage-feast (Matt. 22: 1-14).

The ten virgins (Matt. 25: 1-13). The absent master (Matt. 25: 14-30).

THE CAVE OF ADULLAM.

Perhaps, in his boyhood days, he had played "hide-and-seek" with his comrades all about the old cave; and though others might not have known it, David well knew the secret. It was only one way of getting into that cave, and that by a very narrow path; but David was stout and steady-headed and steady-nerved; and so, with his three brave staff-officers, he managed to find his way into the cave, sits down, looks around at the roof and the dark passages of the mountain, feels very much at home, and, as he looks around, he must have, or die.

I do not know but there may have been drops trickling down the side of the cavern, or that there may have been some water in the water in the cave; but he did not know that. He wanted a deep, cold, drink, such as a man gets only out of an old well with a moss-covered bucket. David remembered that very near that cave of Adullam there was such a well as that, a well to which he used to go in boyhood—the well of Bethlehem; and he almost immediately thought of it. He went into the well, and he heard the liquid splash of that well, and his parched tongue moves through his hot lips as he says, "Oh, that one would give me drink of the well of Bethlehem, which is by the gate!"

It was no sooner said than done. The three brave staff-officers moved to their feet and start. Brave soldiers will take even

TAKEN FROM LIFE.

An instructive conversation overheard in a Photograph Gallery.

"Do I look all right, Maime?" "Yes, splendid!" "Yes, splendid!" "No, you mustn't, that would spoil every thing."

"I think I horrid to have one's photo taken! I'd rather have a tooth pulled any day."

"So would I."

"I never do take a good picture."

"For I, mine are horrid always."

"If these are not good, I'll never sit again. How does my hair look?"

"Ever so nice."

"I'm so nervous. I just know I'll spoil every thing."

"No, you mustn't; you'd just have to sit again."

"Don't you dare to look at me, Maime, or I'll giggle right out."

"O, I'm going to get behind the screen and point my finger at you all the time."

"O, if I do!"

"You shan't even stay in the room."

"I will too. It'll be such fun."

"O, you mean thing! Do you think this dress will take well?"

"Yes, indeed, but I would like to see how it looks on you."

"I do hope the fit trimmings will show well. I can't decide what position to assume."

"I'll have a side view."

"Would you? But I'm so long-faced."

"No, you're not."

"O, but I am; and—oh, they're ready for me."

"Ishawl! I wouldn't mind it a bit."

"Yes, you would. Now don't you dare look at me."

"I'll laugh right out, sure."

"And she does. She spoils two or three plates every time she gets up, and she goes away declaring that she 'just knows' she'll look 'too perfectly awful for anything in the picture.'"

It is living through photographs, to these daily that causes most of us to have a worn and faded look, and makes them old before their time. Many of them break down under the strain and the young.

An unknown person stole a horse and carriage on the evening of the 11th of November. The horse was found near Sunbury, Penna. The horse was a young one and had never been driven before. In driving down the road the horse was seen to jump into the canal, taking the driver with him. He was found on the morning of the 8th drowned. On the evening of the 8th a body of a man was found in the canal near where the horse was discovered. There is no clue to his identity.

DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON.

Thirst in a Cave.

"Oh that one would give me drink of the well of Bethlehem, which is by the gate." —Matt. 25: 15.

W. H. always distressing, is especially ruinous to the health of the body. The crops are all ready for the sickle, to have them trodden down by cavalry horses, and heavy supplies gully-splunged, in consequence of making a man's back sick. When the last great war broke out in Europe, and France and Germany were coming into border collision, I rode past their golden harvest-fields and saw tents pitched and the trenches dug in the very midst of the ripe fields, the long scythe of battle sharpening to mow down harvests of men in great wisdom of the desert. It was at this season of harvest that the army of the Philistines came down upon Bethlehem. Hark to the clamor of their voices, the neighing of their chargers, the blare of their trumpets and the clash of their shields!

Let David and his men fall back! The Lord's host sometimes loses the day. But David came to the health of earth and heaven, as they cried, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, sometimes in our modern times, when the water is brought through the pipes of the city to the very nostrils of the horses or cattle; but this well in the Bethlehem barn was not so much for the beasts that perish as for

OUR THIRST-SMITTEN RACE, desert-travelled and simoon-struck. Oh, my soul, weary with sin, stoop off thyself, and take to-day out of that Bethlehem well!

David said: "As the hart panteth after the water-brooks, so my soul panteth after thee, O God." "Can you give me a better understanding of this amidst the Adirondacks in summer-time. Here comes a swift-footed deer. The hounds are close on the track; it has leaped through the bushes, and is fagged out; its eyes are rolling in foam; its tongue is lolling from its foaming mouth. Faster the deer, the dogs, until it plunges into Schrono Lake, and the hounds can follow it no farther, and it puts down its head and mouth until the nostrils are clean submerged in the cool water, and it understands "As the hart panteth for the water-brook, so panteth my soul after thee, O God." Oh, bring me water from that well! Little child, who has been crying, "Can you give me a drink of that living water, Old man, who fifty year ago didst find the well, bring me some of that water. Stranger in a strange land, who used to hear the liquid splash of that well, and his parched tongue moves through his hot lips as he says, "Oh, that one would give me drink of the well of Bethlehem, which is by the gate!"

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A HINT FROM THE COMMANDER.

But between them and the well lay the three men of the Philistines, and the three men do with a great army? Yet where there is a will there is a way, and with their swords slashing this way and that, they cut their way to the well. While the Philistines are amazed at the seeming fool-hardiness of these three men, and cannot make up their minds exactly what it means, the three men have come to the well. They drop the bucket. They bring up the water. They pour it in the pail, and then start for the cave. "Stop them, cry the Philistines. "Oh, these men with your spears! Stop these men!" Too late! They have got around the hill. The hot rocks are splashed with the overflowing water from the vessel to which they are clinging. The three men go along

THE DANGEROUS PATH.

and with checks flushed with the excitement, and all out of breath in their haste, they fling their swords red with the skirmish, to the side of the cave, and cry out to David: "There, captain of the host, is what you wanted, a drink of the well of Bethlehem which is by the gate!"

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It is not an unusual thing to see people gather

AROUND A WELL.

In summer-time. The husbandman puts down his cradle at the well curb. The builder puts down his wheel. The traveler puts down his pack. Then one draws the water for all the rest, himself taking the very last. The cup is passed around, and the dies of thirst are put out; the traveler starts on his journey, and the workman takes up his burden.

My friends, we come to-day around the Gospel well, and the sweetest-harvest pack of burdens, and our implements of toil. One man must draw the water

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Side-spring Buggies with fine finish, 75 00
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In an interview with a correspondent
of the *Tribune*, Mr. Blaine expressed
sentiments that are endorsed by a great
majority of Americans. As to tariff, he
believes in maintaining it for protection,
not for revenue only. While agreeing
that it is important to increase our ex-
port trade, he considers it "vastly more
important to close our own great
market for our own people in the vain
effort to reach the impossible." "It is
not the foreign trade that has caused the
wonderful growth and expansion of this
republic; it is the vast domestic trade
between thirty-eight states and eight
territories, which will this year reach
the enormous aggregate of fifty billion
dollars. Says Mr. Blaine: "It is into
this illimitable trade, even now in its
infancy, and destined to attain a mag-
nitude not dreamed of twenty years ago,
that the Europeans are struggling to
enter. It is the heritage of the American
people. It gives an absolutely free
trade over a territory nearly as large
as all Europe, and the profit is all our
own. President Cleveland now plainly
proposes a policy that will admit Europe
to a share of this trade."

A man may wear the wings of an
angel, but he doesn't know how to
fly them.

A man without self-restraint is like a
barrel without hoops, and tumbles to
pieces.

If you don't educate your child it will
educate itself.

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Garments made in the best manner.
Scouring and Repairing promptly done.
Rates reasonable. Satisfaction guaran-
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**Yes; we Advertise
Because it is Popular!**

Yet it pays to let you know about our
goods. Still, our best advertisements
are the goods themselves. This is
shown by the packages sold of our
Unexcelled Japan, Carlton's, Oolong,
Formosa, and English Breakfast Tea,
Marschall, and Rio Coffee, and cus-
tomers calling again to remark, "That is
splendid tea! elegant coffee! so fresh,
etc. Yes, coffee ground to order, while
you wait."

What is said of our tea and coffee is
re-echoed in regard to our Pork, Lard,
Hams, Shoulders, and Bacon. Our
Butter is hard to find better, and as to
Cheese, why, we always keep "full
cream."

We have a good line of Dry Goods
and Notions, Confectionery, Tobacco
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Load Lime and Canada Ashes in car
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We expect to do a large business in
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Call and see us; try our goods, and
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Geo. A. Rogers,
Of Elm, will sell.

The Republican.

(Entered as second class matter.)
HAMMONTON, ATLANTIC CO., N. J.
SATURDAY, DEC. 17, 1887.

Newspaper Doctions.

Any person who takes a paper regularly
from an office, whether directed to his name
or another's, or whether he has subscribed or
not, is responsible for the paper delivered to him.
If a person orders a paper delivered to him,
he must pay all arrears, or the publisher may
continue to send until payment is made, and
collect the whole amount, whether the paper
be taken from the office or not.

The courts have decided that retaining
in the newspapers and periodicals from the
office or removing and leaving them un-
collected for, is prima facie evidence of fraud.

Ten days before Christmas, the
ground still open enough for plowing.

Those railroad safety gates are to
be both massive and elaborate,—at least
we judge so from the time required to
make them,—that is, counting from the
time when our Town Council were notified
by the Superintendent that work upon
them had been commenced.

That driven well at Clementon
—or rather, the attempt to drive pipes
down to good water—has been aban-
doned. Although the "internal heat"
was not reached, the pipes would not
stand the force required to drive them
to so great a depth.

See here, my friend, if you would
wish the Editor a "Merry Christmas,"
and convince him of your sincerity, just
look up your last subscription receipt,
and see it it would not be in order to
contribute something toward his enjoy-
ment of the festival.

We have made arrangements by
which we may be able to benefit our
subscribers occasionally. That is, we
will receive subscriptions for almost any
paper or magazine published at club
rates. For example, we can furnish
Harper's Weekly, or *Monthly*, *Frank
Leslie's Puck*, or *Judge* (each of them
\$4 per year) at \$3.50 each. There are
thousands of papers on our list; week-
lies and semi-weeklies. On most of the
weeklies we cannot make any reduction, but we
can save your postage and the expense
of forwarding money.

If every person had to carry the toil
of his own mistakes, how tiresome some
pursues would be.

A sound discretion is not so much
indicated by never making a mistake as
by never repeating it.

He who sows weeds and cultivates an
appetite for strong drink need not ex-
pect to be remembered as a good ex-
ample.

Measure not men by Sundays, with-
out regarding what they do all the week
after.

FARMS FOR SALE.
Two adjoining farms at Pettstown,
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Don't get any other.

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SATURDAY, DEC. 17, 1887.

LOCAL MISCELLANY.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Until Christmas, I will be in my office
(over the Post Office) every Monday,
Wednesday, and Friday evening, for the
receipt of taxes or other business. As
usual, the office will be open during every
business day. **OKVILLE E. HOYT,**
Collector and Treasurer.

Post meeting to-night.

All taxes are due next Tuesday.

No uncollected letters in the
post-office this week.

A fine display of Christmas goods
at Fruit Growers' Union.

Atlantic City has twenty-one
prisoners in the State Prison.

Rain began falling at daylight,
Thursday morn, soft and warm.

There are some pretty things in
John A. Saxton's show windows.

Eight days before Christmas, and
the ground not yet whitened by snow.

P. H. Jacobs, Esq., attended the
poultry show in New York City, this
week.

Two young Hammonton sports-
men killed a gray fox, Wednesday, near
New Germany.

Furniture, hardware, wood-
ware, stoves, and tinware, at C. E.
Hall's new store.

Don't forget the matches, jewelry,
toys, etc., at Mr. Woolley's, when shop-
ping for Christmas.

Work in the shoe shops is slack-
ing up, preparatory to the annual shut-
down during the holidays.

An electro-plating factory, 30x60
feet in size, is about to be erected in
Pleasantville by a city firm.

Christmas Presents! suitable for
all ages and conditions in life—cheap—
at Fruit Growers' Union Store.

George H. Long has bought Mr.
Albri's milk route, and is delivering the
lactical fluid to his customers.

According to published state-
ments, the national banks of Atlantic
City show a total deposit of \$648,550.

Wanted, at once, a good reliable
girl for general housework, in family of
four. Inquire at *REPUBLICAN* office.

Mr. Sturtevant expects to have
Mr. Cooper's house in its new location to-
day. It was a difficult job, quickly
done.

The Camden & Atlantic Railroad
Company expect to erect a large freight
station at Atlantic City before next
season opens.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the
Baptist Church will have a dime soci-
able, in their sociable room, on Friday
evening, Dec. 30th.

George A. Elvins went to Wash-
ington, D. C., on Monday, as delegate
to a national convention of Third and
Fourth Class Postmasters.

Henry E. Andrews is building a
neat fence around his property, on
Pleasant Street, and further improving
his surroundings by grading.

The plate-glass was put in the
windows of C. E. Hall's new store, on
Tuesday; or, rather, part of them were,
one large pane unfortunately breaking
while being set.

Mrs. R. Warrington's lease of the
"Warrington House," Atlantic City,
having expired, she has taken another
(the "Continental," if we remember
correctly), and will accommodate winter
guests.

A teacher is wanted for the Main
Road School, Clarence Whitney having
resigned. An interested party bids us
say: "a teacher is wanted who is able
and willing to *thrust* a few who study
need it."

A son-in-law of Charles Myroso,
of this place, died on Sunday morning,
after a protracted illness. The gentle-
man being an Odd Fellow, the brethren
in this vicinity assisted in caring for him
during his sickness.

St. Mark's Church, Fourth Sun-
day in Advent, Dec. 18th. Holy Com-
munion (at Rectory), 8:00 A. M. Morn-
ing Prayer, Litany, and Sermon, 10:30.
Evening Prayer and Sermon, 3:30 P. M.
Sunday School, 2:30.

C. E. Hall will be ready for busi-
ness in his new store about the 20th of
this month, where he will be pleased to
have his friends and the public in general
call and examine his stock of furniture,
hardware, wood-ware, stoves, and
tinware.

On Thursday evening, as Hon.
George Elvins was nearing home, his
horse was frightened and started to run.
When the driver had regained control,
Mr. Elvins was missing, and he was
found lying in the road, apparently
lifeless. He was taken home, where
examination proved that life was not
extinct, but he was unconscious and so
remained at seven o'clock Friday morn-
ing. Evidently, he had been thrown
from the wagon as it passed over the
drain recently put in near Main Road,
and falling upon his back and head,
remained motionless until found.

Friday noon.—As we go to press, Mr.
Elvins still lies in a semi-conscious con-
dition, evidently suffering intensely. It
is impossible to foretell the result.

We have long listened to the
harshly-worded criticisms of Mr. Pass-
more, who owns a large tract of land
near the station, because he does not
sell it. While we think the price he has
put upon these lots is entirely too high,
we recognize his right to hold them as
long as he sees fit; and we can point to
several others who have done, and are
now doing the same thing on a smaller
scale,—holding one or more lots vacant
until surrounding improvements cause a
satisfactory rise in value. The worst of
it is, some of these men shout loud and
long about the "Passmore desert."

Prof. George Little, of Washing-
ton, D. C., gave some exercises in out-
line drawing at the Allegheny County
Teachers' Institute, held recently at
Pittsburg, Penna. As he quickly drew
the outline sketch of a squirrel on a
seeming run for home; then, by a sim-
ple change in the position of a curved
line, he had Mr. Squirrel eating a nut
out of his paws, the following was very
often heard: "Oh, if I could only draw
like that!" yet Prof. Little thinks any
one can do such work by practice.

This same Prof. Little is to give the
next lecture in the Star Course, and will
doubtless make it instructive as well as
entertaining.

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better than ever, and should be in the
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tificate good for ten cents' worth of
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your order.

Christmas pleasures are not con-
fined to the day upon which we celebrate
the Saviour's birth. The merriment
during a week ago, when preparations
for the festival were made, and the
work commenced. The happiest com-
pany we have seen this year were mem-
bers of a Sunday School, with hands and
brains occupied with Christmas greens.
May the day bring every desire to each
of our readers, and the love of Christ
comfort every heart.

Some weeks ago, a stranger was
in town canvassing for a certain fashion
magazine. We only know of one lady
who paid him a subscription, and she
has not received a copy of the magazine
yet, and other promises made have not
been fulfilled. Moral: don't pay your
money to a stranger. If you want any
paper or magazine, call at the *SOUTH
JERSEY REPUBLICAN* office, and we will
give you better terms than any traveller,
and you run no risk.

Before mail-time, Tuesday eve-
ning, Mr. P. H. Jacobs hung over one
hundred Grand Army Post hand bills
by the Post-Office door, with the leg-
end "Take One." At eight o'clock, every
one of these bills was torn down and
thrown into the street. If you want to
earn five dollars reward, give Mr. J.
evidence to convict the person who
destroyed the bills.

Don't you know that the very
best place to buy holiday goods,—fancy
articles, millinery and lace, wools and
zephyrs, ladies' and children's furnish-
ing goods, perfumery, etc., is at the
"Ladies' Store"? If you don't, call at
the "Young People's Business Block,"
and examine goods and prices.

CORA E. NEWTON.
It is not always safe to accept the
statements of even eye-witnesses. For
example, last week we stated that A. H.
Simons' horse ran away, and damaged
the bread-wagon; but our reporter was
mistaken.—It was Charlie Simons' horse
that ran, and his double carriage lost a
wheel.

Mr. Stockwell has lately added many
new and handsome goods lately, espe-
cially in the dry-goods department. Call
and see if there is not something suitable
for Holiday presents.

SCHOOL REPORT.

The following pupils of the Hamm

The Watcher.

The sheep are smothered in the snow. The child-eyed stars are glowing keen. The frozen air, and falling snow. The white moon sails across the moon.

Luciferous dark eyes, and a dark moustache; a face to attract any woman.

And Lucia knew how good and true he was. And she knew that she was the only one who kept of this man whose only fault was poverty.

Stuart Harland, and the two passed on down the tangled garden path.

At last Stuart Harland turned, and his dark eyes met Lucia's with a silent question in their depths. She shook her head, and said, "It is useless, sweetheart," she said softly.

"Good God! don't you see she is alive?"

"Well, look for yourself!" They drew back and I went up and bent over her. The eyes did open and she looked at me with a gasp.

FASHION NOTES.

—Bedford cord is a handsome women's material, resembling corduroy without the velvet finish. —Scotch plaid plush is a novelty in dress fabrics, destined to have a certain popularity with dressy young women.

CHANGE OF PASTURE.—There is more good soil expressed in the fact of saying that "A change of pasture makes fat calves."

—Single fowls of velvet arranged at certain carefully spaced distances on ball dresses of white tulle add to their charming effect. —Plain velvet and plush are less fashionable than the changeable or fobbed velvets in two colors, like the "shot" silks.

HOUSEHOLD.

—A SOUP FIT FOR A KING.—First cut four onions into small dice, and fry them in a little lard. —JELLIED APPLE PUDDING.—Put a teaspoon of tapioca and a teaspoonful of salt into one and a half cups of water.

FARM NOTES.

—An autumn short dress of brown tulle, or net, made with short gathered body and trimmed with autumnal foliage and clusters of hazel nuts nestling in the folds, is pretty and becoming. —"Summer" may be carried out in a graceful draped dress of poppy red crepe, trimmed with trails of wild hops and wild roses.

FACETIAE.

—WELL, HAVE WE THE EMPRESS? parodied by the Emperor William. —"I have we the Emperor?" "Yes, sir, we have them all."

SCIENTIFIC.

The prospectus of the new system of instruction by correspondence has been issued. It is to be known as the "Continental University," and consists of an association of eminent instructors in various institutions of learning.

TRIED BY FIRE.

"Marry Mr. Dyzart? That old man? Mamma, you are jesting. In the window of the shop, a little sitting-room—a tall, straight young figure in a sleek black gown. A girl with a fair, sweet smile, eyes—gold—gold—gold—Lucia Danelle.

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Philadelphia	8 00	9 40	2 00	2 15	2 50	4 00	4 30	5 00	7 00	7 15	8 00	8 30	4 00
Camden	8 10	9 50	2 10	2 25	3 00	4 10	4 40	5 10	7 10	7 25	8 10	8 40	4 15
Haddonfield	8 20	10 00	2 20	2 35	3 10	4 20	4 50	5 20	7 20	7 35	8 20	8 50	4 20
Berlin	8 30	10 10	2 30	2 45	3 20	4 30	5 00	5 30	7 30	7 45	8 30	9 00	4 30
Atco	8 40	10 20	2 40	2 55	3 30	4 40	5 10	5 40	7 40	7 55	8 40	9 10	4 40
Waterford	8 50	10 30	2 50	3 05	3 40	4 50	5 20	5 50	7 50	8 05	8 50	9 20	4 50
Winslow	9 00	10 40	3 00	3 15	3 50	5 00	5 30	6 00	8 00	8 15	9 00	9 30	5 00
Hammononton	9 10	10 50	3 10	3 25	4 00	5 10	5 40	6 10	8 10	8 25	9 10	9 40	5 10
Da Costa	9 20	11 00	3 20	3 35	4 10	5 20	5 50	6 20	8 20	8 35	9 20	9 50	5 20
Egg Harbor City	9 30	11 10	3 30	3 45	4 20	5 30	6 00	6 30	8 30	8 45	9 30	10 00	5 30
Atlantic City	9 40	11 20	3 40	3 55	4 30	5 40	6 10	6 40	8 40	8 55	9 40	10 10	5 40

UP TRAINS.

STATIONS.	At. A. a.m.	Exp. a.m.	Exp. a.m.	Acco. p.m.	Exp. p.m.	Exp. p.m.	Exp. p.m.	Su. Ex. a.m.					
Philadelphia	9 05	9 50	12 00	6 20	7 20	11 20	11 50	5 50	6 00	7 05	8 00	9 00	11 00
Camden	9 15	10 00	12 10	6 30	7 30	11 30	12 00	6 00	6 10	7 15	8 10	9 10	11 10
Haddonfield	9 25	10 10	12 20	6 40	7 40	11 40	12 10	6 10	6 20	7 25	8 20	9 20	11 20
Berlin	9 35	10 20	12 30	6 50	7 50	11 50	12 20	6 20	6 30	7 35	8 30	9 30	11 30
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