

Matrimonial Epigram.
"Which is of greater value, pitthee, say,
The bride or bridegroom?" "Must the truth be
told?"
"Alas, it must!" "The bride is given away,
The bridegroom's often regularly sold."

AS THY DAYS, SO SHALL THY STRENGTH BE.—What we are to look for is, not grace for imaginary purposes, but for real; not grace for future difficulties, but present; or, as the apostle has it, grace to "help in time of need." It does not, therefore, follow that what is formidable in the prospect may be so in the event. You may fear death while living, and rejoice in it at last. "Is this," said Dr. Goodwin—"is this dying? Is this the enemy that dismayed me so long—now appearing so harmless—and even pleasant?"

A SLIP OF THE TONGUE.—On Saturday, a young lady entered one of our music stores, for the purpose of purchasing a piece of music entitled "When I sleep, I dream of thee," but, by one of those ludicrous mistakes which will sometimes happen in the best of families, she astonished the young gentleman of the store by inquiring if he had the music entitled "When I dream, I sleep with thee." The mistake brought a modest blush to the cheek of the fair inquirer—ditto to the young gentleman.—*Norfolk Argus.*

There is but a breath of air and a beat of the heart, between this world and the next. When the good and lovely die, then the memory of their deeds like the mousreams on the stormy sea, lights up our darkened heart and lends to the surrounding gloom a beauty so sad, so sweet, that we would not, if we could, dispel the darkness that environs it."

Who goes through a land and scatters roses, may be tracked next day by their withered petals that strew the ground; but he who goes through it and scatters rose-seeds, a hundred years after, leaves behind him a land full of fragrance and beauty for his monument, and as a heritage for his sons and daughters.—*Theodore Parker.*

A clergyman, while engaged in catechising a number of boys in a class, asked one of them for a definition of matrimony. The reply was, "A place of punishment, where some folks suffer for a time before they can go to heaven." "Good boy," said the clergyman, "take your seat!"

No subtlety is so real as that which makes itself deeply felt in union with beauty; just as the highest moral greatness is that which, whilst it avails unshaken constancy of principle, at the same time attracts us by the gentleness of love.

An exchange paper says "If you would keep your children in health, give them plenty of fresh air." This is all well enough; but now-a-days children put on so many airs of their own, that it is almost impossible to give them fresh ones every day.

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He who will eat a nut must crack it.

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