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### The Cynic's View of Life

A little gall and a little gas grass

That's all! A little love and a kiss or two . And then you're gone, tra ia loo; • That's it!

Sometimes the knave, some- + times the dupe.

soup-That's so! · Work and play sandwiched ·

with sleep. you creep-

That's life!

#### .......... "FROM THE HAND OF GOD."

Repeatedly John D. Rockefeller has said, under the mellowing influences of song and service in his home church in Cleveland, that he considers and believes that God has made him the custodian of great wealth. bonds." With a wealth of illustration on every hand of how Rockefeller accumulated the greatest fortune in the world, Rockefeller's estimate of God's responsibility toward the mankind which he created is evident. The conception of the character of God, it should be remembered, is not by absolute standards, but by the standards of the race or individual.

The reader's attention is called to the following:

Edgar Brown died August 7 at a hospital at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. Newspaper disposition my that this man died penniless and was buried gold production as one of the vital tha tall elergymen ought to take up at the expense of a few old friends, facts of the financial situation. It Spiritualism as part of their theolog-This is a common occurrence, but discussed this subject from this point leaf studies, and they should treat it in tracted to the death of Edgar Brown was born. It is not, therefore, a not for scotlers, for wondermongers, While Brown had no estate, he left ness in the days of his prosperity and the story of how John D. Rockefeller deprived him of the fortune he found and developed, and gained control of the property which made the United States Steel corporation possible,"

Brown's life story is vouched for by Dr. John M. Goltra, who attended him during his last illness. According to Dr. Goltra's story, as told by the Chicago Record-Herald correspendent. Edgar Brown was born in Warren, Pa. 64 years ago. Associating himself with C. C. Merritt, the two tramped the great northern burrons and located what afterwards proved to be the richest iron mine in the country. Brown was discouraged by capitalists, but he persevered until finally he interested John D. Rockefelier and borrowed from him \$1 .-\$00,000; giving his mining claims as security. The Record-Herald correspondent says:

"Then Brown set about bringing his mines out of the wilderness. He been peopled for about 9000 years. planned the Duluth & Iron Range railroad, now the greatest ore carrier in the world, to carry his ore to a deep water harbor. Ralls were laid and soon development had gone far property really was worth. Negotia- the eld union labor movement, aftertions were begun with James J. Hill ward the independent farmers' moveand several associates for the sale of ment and then the populists, the docthe property, and a deal practically trine has never had a baker's dozen

Morritt millionaires several times

fatal mistake. He never suspected out voluntarily as did Teller of Colotreachery, and told of the deal to a rado, when the republican convention man who was closely associated with of 1896 turned down the demands of Rockefeller. For what followed the free silver advocates. Brown always put the blame directly on the shoulders of the oil magnate. 125 He declared, over and over, that
50 Rockefeller put the screws on Hill feller became due, the mortgage was Chicago Bureau, 909 Security building. Washington, D. C., Bureau. 501 Four teenth street, N. W. ble ore property fell into the hands made. No wonder these great corpo-

"Millions of dollars have been taken out of the mines since that time, ere worth millions more is in sight, and dations at Boise during the session of no one can compute the value that the National Irrigation congress, to full development will give the prop- be held at that place September 3 to erty in the future. For years fleets s. The citizens have opened their of steamers carrying thousands of homes, and 2000 visitors can secure hearted, and within five weeks was visitors are expected. carried to his grave. Brown always ◆ And then you rest beneath the ◆ maintained that it was the oil king's ARCHDEACON COLLEY ON SPIRITtrickery that killed him."

### NOW THEY QUARREL ABOUT IT.

While some republican editorial writers are sneering at "the quantita-♣ tive theory" here we have the editor ◆ And in the end quite in the ◆ of Moody's Magazine and the editor • of the Wall Street Journal actually the matter of psychic phenomena bequarreling-good naturedly, of course fore the congress and insist that + is the original "quantitative man." ◆ Then with the worms to bed ◆ The editor of Moody's Magazine · wrote:

> "If there is one thing more than Moody's Magazine may fecilitate himself, it is the conversion of that able and thoroughly practical financial to the theory that a superfluity of cluded two bishops, gold, instead of making money cheap and the prices of bonds high, as many suppose, operates to cause higher interest rates and lower prices for

Street Journal retorts:

"For the benefit of Moody's Magahas always accepted the quantitative so lengthy and hazy an account. theory of money. It has always believed that the great production of gold had a powerful influence on death?" prices, tending to advance the prices of commodities and stocks, and tending to depress the prices of bonds having fixed rates of interest. It has for those who are believers in the frequently, during the past few years' Christian faith, but for those who are given expression to this belief and has unbelievers, and it proves to them therefore devoted much space to the that there is an after life. I consider of view long before Moody's Magazine a scientific manner. Spiritualism is

'convert." democratic dectrine, harry to plant themselves upon the Chicago plat-

Mondy's Magazine claiming the credit for the conversion of the Wall Street Journal to the bimetalism foundation argument! And the Jourquantitative theory of money!

Weil! Weil!!! Weil!!!-Commoner, The real author of the quantitative theory of money was the first man with brains who was at the same time honest with himself and did not mistake sophistry for reasoning, and who sat bimself down to look into the relations of a circulating medium to the products which could be bought with

it. That particular man might have lived in the city of Nur, the rulns of which now lie beneath the ruins of ancient Babylon and which has not

But speaking in the modern sense the authors of the old greenback movement, which sprang up after the civil war, originated the quantitative theory, and they alone adhered to its enough to show financiers what the advocacy for many years. Outside of was closed for its transfer at a pr'ce of public adherents in either of the which would have made Brown and old parties, and they had no influ-

## ONLY 30 PER CENT! Stockholders of the Wells Farge and his associates so that they could Express company are quarreling, and 1.50 not get the ready money to complete the public has been treated to the rev-

fell through, Brown's notes to Rocke- ings last year amounted to 30 per cent on it scapital stock. That's a ble ore property fell into the hands made. No wonder these great corpoenough alone" slogan.

ence in determining their parties' pol

cles. If they had had, they would

There will be no lack of accommotons at a load have been taking the rooms after the hotels are filled. Thu ore away, yet the surface is barely railroad company has provided a spescratched. The loss of the fortune cial track and will keep the sleeping almost within his grasp proved too cars there during the congress for the much for Merritt. He was broken- use of the delegates. Five thousand

## UALISM

Archdeacon Colley .of Stockton. England, has certainly succeeded in creating an amazing sensation at the Church of England congress. Some weeks ago the cierical dignitary gave grave notice that he intended to bring -as to the question, which of the two Spiritualism should be discussed as an article of faith.

This program, however, the congress refused to consider, nor would it listen to the recital of his Spiritanother on which the editor of malistic experiences, which the archdeacon had prepared. The clergyman was not daunted, however, and delivered his prohibited lecture on the outpublication, the Wall Street Journal, side of a crowded audience, which in-

> It certainly was one of the most remarkable papers ever presented by an Episcopal minister.

He was quite frank in his replies to subsequent questions put to him by To this the editor of the Wall clergymen. One of these clergymen asked him what was the good of all these mysterious visitations from anzine, the Wall Street Journal says: It other world of which he had given us

> "Can you help us," said the clergyman, "to realize existence after

"Yea," replied the archdeacon, "I can, for that is the beginning and end of Spiritualism. Spiritualism is not or for those who want a 'tip' for the

against the Sadducesism of materialism, is the ally and not the enemy of everything that is good and true ulties to human nature, as any Bible reader or student of modern oriental life knows well.

"Spiritualism comes as a godsend to millions who are incapable of believing the Christian faith without its aid with no sleeping in the grave, for, as our beautiful burial service says, the souls of the faithful after they are delivered from the burden of the firsh are in joy and felicity. But it is even more hopeful to us in that it brings us into communication with our de parted friends."

### LONG SUBMARINE TRIP.

The new submarine torpedo boat Lake, the largest ever constructed in this country, recently completed an open sea voyage from Newport News Va., to Bridgeport, Conn., at an average speed of over seven knots. This performance is considered remarkable owing to the fact that the Lake was unconvoyed, a feat never before performed in this country.

After receiving her finishing touches at the yard of her builders the Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock company, the Lake began her long voyage on the afternoon of Monday, June 25. When Cape Henry was reached the engines were stoppe long enough to enable a communication to be sent to her owners. The en gines were then started again and never stopped until when off Barnegat, it being necessary to slow down to avoid a large school of whales, who evidently mistook the submarine for

About 2 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, the 27th, the Lake arrived safely "It was here that Brown made his have been fired, incontinently, or got at Sandy Hook and anchored inside. Later on the voyage was continued up New York harbor and through Hell Gate under her own power, into Long Island sound to Bridgeport, at which place she arrived without a mishap of any description.

> The submarine marvel consists of a steel capsule or cigar-shaped form within which is placed all the prope ling machinery, air compressors, crew's quarters, etc., and which is surmounted by a wooden superstructure and deck, which gives the boat an appearance not unlike that of hie original Monitor, but, on a smaller scale. The propelling power on the surface is supplied by gasoline engines turning twin screws; while submerged the screws are driven by electric motors from storage batteries of great capacity. Within the boat are comfortable quarters for the crew of 10 persons, including a galley in which the meals are cooked by means of electricity. Sufficient air may be stored in the air tanks to allow the boat to be submerged several days without causing distress to the crew.

She is equipped with three torpedo tubes, which can be reloaded and fired several times without coming to the surface, the commanding officer in the meanwhile keeping his eye on his prev by means of a sighting instrument which projects above the surface of the water, and even if discovered, offers a target too small to be struck except by a chance shot.

The boat is equipped with hydroplanes, or side rudders, which, when set at an angle by means of pneumatic power, cause the boat to descend on an even keel while going ahead thus actually possessing a feature which Jules Verne's imagination gave chantes.

#### THE BRIDE.

Ho, windy gossips, in your ear! When morning threw the casemen

The jilted sun, with eager face, Stole in and kissed the waking bride!

And, while she blushed, a bobolink That all he sees in music tells. Rang out the tidings to the world

With tinkling chimes of elfin bells She rose and donned her rich attire, The yearning bridesmaids led her

down, And she was wedded in the church Before the jostling, gaping town.

But think you that the stoled priest. With studied pomp and sacred rite. Hath wholly bound to one of earth This bride of the adoring light?

The grace of the elusive streams Is in that form his vows would bind.

For she has roamed, the summer world

free-foot follower of the wind And though you choired the hus

band's joy And mellow chimes have pulsed i

wide. The birds are singing to the flowers That she was trothed another? bride.

### QUEEN'S HEALTH RULES.

Her majesty, the Queen of Portugal, pins her faith, it is said, to the following mottos:

Keep out of doors all you can. Breathe outdoor air-live in it-revel in it. Don't shut yourself up.

Build your houses so that the air supply is good. Throw away your portiers and bric-a-brac. Don't have useless trifles around you.

Have a favorite form of exercise and make the most of it. Ride or horseback if you can, cycle if you cannot get a horse; do anything to get out into the open air.

O'Brien Moore, editor and owner of the Tucson, Arizona, Citizen, was found dead in his bed at his bome Sunday. He was 50 years old. He was at one time managing editor of the St. Louis Republic.



The digestive organs often need assistance. That's when the Bitters will prove its worth. It Flatulency. Heartburn. Poor Appetite,

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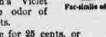
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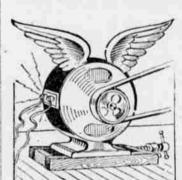


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