

MY CREED.

(From the Overseer)
Pay thee put the sermon by; my soul no more
with creeds;
They are only stones and husks to my hungry
spirit's needs...

The Lame-Backed Boy.

A boy went into a store the other
morning, limping, and seemed to be
up generally. The proprietor asked him
if he wouldn't sit down, and he said he
couldn't very well, as his back was lame.

SENSE AND SENTIMENT.

Try your skill first in gilt, then in
gold.
A hen to-morrow is better than an egg
to-day.
Publish your joys, but conceal your
sorrows.

Do not consider any virtue trivial and
so neglect it, or any vice trivial, and so
practice it.
The two great movers of the human
mind are the desire of good and the fear
of evil.

The woman and the soldier who do
not defend the first pass will never de-
fend the last.
To despise our own species is the price
we must two often pay for a knowledge
of it.

The innocent are photographed by the
angels, and their negatives preserved in
the gallery of heaven.
The difficulty with some sermons is,
as Rivalro says, that they are written in
laudandum on sheets of lead.

Nothing of worth or weight can be
achieved with half a mind, with a faint
heart and lame endeavor.
The best way to discipline one's heart
against scandal is to believe all stories
false which ought not to be true.

Instead of complaining of the thorns
among the roses, we should be thankful
there are roses among the thorns.
Employment for the mind is essential
to the cultivation of the powers of the
intellect. Inactivity tends toward enervation.

Prejudices and self-sufficiency proceed
naturally from experience of the world
and ignorance of mankind.
A sin without its punishment is as
impossible, and as complete a contradic-
tion in terms, as a cause without an ef-
fect.

The truly illustrious are they who do
not court the praise of the world, but
who perform the actions which most de-
serve it.
Those only who know little can be
said to know anything. The greater the
knowledge the greater the doubt.

It is a great deal easier to build castles
in the air when you are young than it
is to live in them when you are old.
True goodness is like the glow worm
in this—that it shines most when no
eyes but those of heaven are upon it.

Pride and epulence may kiss in the
morning as a married couple, but they
are likely to be divorced at sunset.
One should not dispute with a man
who, either through stupidity or shame-
lessness, denies plain and visible truths.

It is an admitted fact that men who
use their brains live longer, other things
being equal, than the men who do not.
An Illinois man, with a foresight wor-
thy of a better cause, popped the
question on a railroad train, and now
the maiden is at a loss to decide as to
which county she had better commence
proceedings in for a breach of promise.

OREGON TO MASSACHUSETTS.
Some time ago Messrs. Hodge, Davis & Co., of this
city, read in a Massachusetts paper that Hon.
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