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tion, and to make the man equal te ais

own support by awakening in him the

spirit and the powers of a man. - Lend

-The value of coins to collectors

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structions how to run the paper.

on Saturday or he would quit."

op owes us four dollars in trade."

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is headed 'A Social Earthquake in

he copy of the editorial in my desk.

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Suppose Miss Pegasus calls to see

about publishing her poem on 'Autum-

Don't do it under two dollars, Johnny.'

"Go for the Czar of Russia.

call him when I want him to give me a

pass to get back home on."

who owe us money."

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PITH AND POINT. -The great trouble with man is not

a lack of opportunity, it is the need of "I'll do it." a disposition to improve the opportu-"And don't forget, if Banker Peternities he has. son returns from New York, to call at--The great secret of getting on in tention to him editorially. You might the world-a secret which few have sling in some poetry-'Home from a learned-is to know when to speak, Foreign Shore.' If you don't do it he and especially when to keep still.

will order his business card out, and we -Men suppose that their reason has need that ten dollars a year." command over their words; still it hap-"How about my grub while you are

ad. out."

pens that words in return exercise au- gone?" thority on reason.—Lord Bacon. "Bring out Pete Jackson of the Cros--Don't say that a man is bow-legged byville Hotel for Congress, and he will even if he has that eccentricity of gait. let you have all the meal tickets you Just say that he doesn't obstruct the need. If he don't reciprocate, publish

view of the scenery when he is walk- that item about his uncle being in the Illinois penitentiary." ing .- Western Plowman. "That ain't going to feed me." -Unless a man has trained himself "Johnny," replied the Colonel, sefor his chance, the chance will only verely, "it don't seem to me that you make him ridiculous. A great occahave any talent for journalism.' sion is worth to a man exactly what

"Yes, but I've got to eat." his antecedents have enabled him to "You ought to have established make of it .- William Matthews. -Most of the very rich men of this proprietor of the Crosbyville Hotel re- witted .- Quiver. country were once poor. But unfortunately their change from one condition to another has been effected very largely, in ways that left them little sympathy for those of their fellow-

men who have less of pluck and luck. "Is that all, Colonel?" -"I love you for yourself alone," as Remember that if any money comes the blackbird said when he swallowed the gooseberry. This is the commonplace expression of false friends, who, while they make the utmost use of us even to abuse, profess the most unpay out money. Understand?"

bounded admiration of, and regard for Yes, I understand. What else?" "If any bottles of wine from wedding us .- Quiver. -True economy consists in a proper parties come in, turn 'em over to the adjustment of time, strength and rinters if they show signs of quitting money. It does not consist solely in work. It will put them in good humor, saving money; it may consist in spendand make them feel they are identified ing it. It does not always consist in with the paper." saving bread crumbs for bread pud-"I'll do it."

"There is a ham sandwich in my dings which frequently prove to be nothing more than flavored and sweetdesk. It's yours, Johnny." "Thank you, Colonel." "Don't forget to feed the bull pup in -Sometimes it is a positive injury

to another to respect his prejudices. the back yard." "Yes, I'll give him that sandwich, if But, if you must cross them, do so as gently as possible. He who has learned he can bite it. "That's right, Johnny. Look on the humorous side of life. Good-bye, Johnhow to combine gentleness and firmness has mastered one of the greatest ny," and Colonel Snort started on a run lessons of life. He has learned how to to catch the train. - Texas Siftings. govern and to read .- Morning Star.

#### As To His Expectations.

"To put this business on a cash basis, Mr. Peduncle," said the father of the young lady, "in case you should marry Irene you must have something to live

What are your expectations?" "Why, as to that, sir," replied the somewhat embarrassed young man, "I shouldn't expect much, of course, at May I inquire the amount of life-insurance you carry?"-Chicago Tribune.

-A Birmingham man sat in a restaurant where another man was eating genuine American silver dollar of 1804 mad that he hit him with a chair and petually nearly killed him.

NELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

Colonel Snort Instructs His Assistant How -Be of good cheer about death, and The Texas Press Association recently happen to a good man, either in life or went on an excursion. Of course, the after death. - Socrates.

distinguished journalist, Colonel Bill -In France there are 22,313 national Snort, of the Crosby County Clarion schools for girls and 37,924 for boys, the translation "Adam and Eve made and Farmers' Vindicator, was one of The first named are conducted by fe- themselves breeches," etc. For this the excursionists. He was obliged to male teachers and the last by males. leave his journal in charge of his as--There is no talent so pernicious as sistant. Johnny Fizzletop. As Johnny eloquence to those who have it not un-

to give him copious and minute in- liberally gifted by nature in this partic- as the regular family Bible, its popuular, ought to study the rules of female | larity being mainly due to the Calvin-"Now, Johnny, I want you to re- oratory. - Addison. member what I tell you, and carry out -At one of the colored schools in the my instructions to the letter," said South, the girls learn housekeeping by being placed four at a time for a month

how about paying the printers on Sat- complete control, under the oversight

Just tell them to wait until I get of their expenditures, practice econoback. They are used to that sort of my, sweep, cook, wash and iron. -Cornell University has made an ad-"But I heard the foreman say he had dition to its entomological department to have money for a new pair of pants in the shape of a large two-story frame structure designed exclusively for "Well, if he gets ugly you give him breeding and studying insects. Every in order on some of the advertisers known variety will be secured, and sp cial attention will be given to the study "There isn't any clothing store ow- of insects destructive to vegetables and

of a matron. They keep strict account

plants. "No; but Higgins, who has the tin -"The religious consciousness," says "What good will that do the foreof human nature. Chritianty is the supreme form in which the religious con-"Give him an order on the tin shop sciousness has been interpreted and cind. That will keep him in good hubeing true to himself, he will continue "Suppose old Major Smith calls for Christian.

was all at sea on the subject of religion. "Read the Bible and believe what it in Gilead?" rendered, "Is there no says, and then you will find out what to treacle in Gilead?" and the Douty, (R. believe," replied the friend to whom the C.) version has been described as the remark was addressed. Every one Rosin Bible, because the same passage needs a religious faith, and this is just has the word rosin instead of treacle.

properly use it .- N. Y. Independent. "Tell her that if she pays in advance for seventy-five copies of the paper you Christians are seldom tempted. He ward the Sixth, took the coronation will publish it, and for two dollars says that the man that has something to oath, with a huge brazen crucifix, more you will mention it favorably as a do has less temptation to doubt than which the monarchs kissed on its cover. work of genius in the editorial column. the man who has nothing else to do but The binding was of ponderous oak to doubt. Heresies in the Christian boards an inch or so in thickness, 24 Church come never from the city mis- tened by hugs leather thongs. The "Don't expose the mayor and city sionary, never from the intense evange- Printers' Bible makes David patheticalcouncil unless they give the city print- list, but always from the gentleman at ly complain that printers in place of ease, who takes no actual part in our princes have "persecuted him without

holy war. -God requires of us the same qualties that men demand in those to whom they commit great and important interests. They ask diligence, faithful-Bismarck or old Zweibeer, the saloonness, loyalty and the highest exercise keeper on the corner, will take his of one's powers to produce the best results. God tests us all, and oftenest "Yes, give Andy Faulkner, of the perhaps when we are least conscious of t. How can we expect Him to bestow the higher places on us when we have ing very little; but when put on water set route, favorable personal notices. not met the demands of the lower?-Be sure and say Gibbs is a genial pas-Standard. senger agent. That's what I always

#### WIT AND WISDOM.

-"Seek the good of other men," says Lord Bacon, "but be not in bondage to their taces or fancies."

often of more vital good than a whole volume of good counsel.

when seen in company with malice,

ing their vague, uneasy longings, some-

-"Oh, you swindler, you have a when he ate into the plum. Few people are more virtuously indignant than free lunch route long ago. Well, if the the cheat when he finds himself out-

ses to ante up, call attention to the | -It is not until a man becomes rich Napoleonic mind and massive intellect in money-and mean for the sake of of the proprietor of the American House getting money riches—that he finds out across the way. He sets a pretty fair 'thow little comfort and pleasure and him. - N. O. Picayune.

you are to freeze on to it. Collect count it. If you have a bad habit that all you can, but don't pay bills. You absorbs moral or physical energy, disare my agent while I am absent, but count it. When a politician makes the you are only an agent to take in, not to istatement that his party has a monopoly of all wise principles, discount it .-Western Plowman.

ness, and health and happiness be the

Hartford Religious Herald. -Let us remember that in our best achievements lie hid the seeds of danger; and beware lest the dethronement of custom to make place for right should displace along with it that principle of reverence which bestows a discipline absolutely invaluable in the

-How many bitter thoughts does the cheerfulness are his portion. Hope is continually pouring its balm into his the start, though its kind of you to ask. soul. His heart is at rest, whilst others are goaded and tortured by the stings of a wounded conscience, the remonstrances and risings up of principles which they can not forget; perpetually teased by returning temptations, perlimburger cheese, and it made him so petually lamenting defeated resolutions.

SOME CURIOUS BIBLES.

know this of a truth—that no evil can Peculiar Sobriquets Applied to Various Editions of the Scriptures We have the Breeches Bible, which is indebted for its strange sobriquet to

quarto form, we are indebted to the is young and flighty Colonel Snort had der command; women, who are so during the reign of Elizabeth it served

Bug Bible, from the fifth verse of the ninety-first Psalm being translated, "so that thou shalt not nede to be afraid for any Bugges by nighte." The original idea of the word-terror-is still to be traced in bugbear, bugaboo. The Wicked Bible was printed in London in 1631, and was so called from the fact that the negation was omitted in certain of the commandments, the result being that the edition was suppressed the Christian World, "is a supreme fact and the printer fined £300 by Archbishop Laud, the money being, it is said, devoted to the purchase of a supor a force-pump or something of the bodied forth. Therefore if a man is to University of Oxford. The Whig or obey the grand Shakspearian cannon of Placemaker's Bible obtained its name from an error occurring in St. Matthew, v. 9. where "Blessed are the -"I do wish that I knew what to be- Placemakers" is substituted for "peacelieve," said an aged woman whose mind makers." The Treacle Bible has the

what the Bible gives to those who Many years ago there existed in the Stowe library, the Book of Gospels, on -Spurgeon thinks that working which the English Kings, down to Ed-

a cause."-Murray's Magazine.

-The silent pressure of the hand is -Wit loses its respect with the good

and to smile at the jest which plants a thorn in another's breast is to become a principal in the mischief. - Sheridan. -Men and women make sad mistakes about their own symptoms-tak-

times for genius, sometimes for relove. stone inside you!" as the wasp said

how few real friends money will bring -If you have a note outstanding, dis-

-People are much happier for the full exercise of their powers in a regular and methodical manner. Economy, thrift and beauty can be commanded by persistent, patient effort and cleanli-

result. - Mrs. M. J. Gorton. -There is a difference between energy, force and vigor. Energy is connected with the idea of acting, force with that of capability, and vigor with that of health. Energy lies only in the mind, while force and vigor are the property of either body or mind .-

edition, which first appeared 1560 in English reformers exiled at Geneva; istic comments which appeared freely on the margin. Then we have an edition, printed in 1717 at the Clarendon Press, known as the Vinegar Bible, be-"Colonel, you can rely on ne; but in a cottage, where they live and have cause the parable of the Vineyard in the title to the twentieth chapter of St. Luke is printed "parable of the Vinegar." Matthew's Bible, printed in London in 1551, was nicknamed the passage in Jeremiah, "Is there no balm

## A SCIENTIFIC FACT.

An Instructive Talk About Oil, Water and Air.

It is a curious fact that if a drop of oil is put on a highly polished marble table or a large plate glass that lies horizontally, the drop remains in place, spreadit spreads instantly many feet around, becoming so thin as to produce the prismatic colors for a considerables space. and beyond them so much thinner as be invisible. It would appear that a uatural repulsion takes place as soon as it touches the water, a repulsion so strong as to act upon other bodies swimming on the surface, as straw, leaves, chips, etc., forcing them to recede every way from the drop, as from a center, leaving a large, clear area. There seems, however, to be no repulsion between water and air to keep them from coming in contact with each other. Air in motion or wind in passing over the smooth surface of water may rub it, as it were, upon the surface and the water, seems to slide with and pre- bed. vent friction. When the wind blows fresh there are continually rising on oiled, the wind in passing over it may rather in some degree press it down, and contribute to prevent its rising again, instead of promoting it.-N. Y.

#### Positive Cure for Corns.

Any number of people-in fact, nearly every one we meet-are troubled with these painful growths. Thousands of dollars worth of "corn cures," "salves," "plasters," etc., are annually purchased by victims, who usually find such articles to be of little or no value. A few years ago, a plan of treatment (not original with me) came under my observation, which, I find, if persecure. The growth or growths will be completely cradicated and this removal will be accompanied with but little formation of character. - Wm. E. Glad- pain. Buy a little liquor potassæ at your druggist's and keep it well corked and in a cool place. Twice each day innocent man avoid! Serenity and (once upon arising from and upon retiring to bed) dip a piece of soft paper, rolled into a wad, into this liquid and touch the corn or corns with it. Then with a dull knife gently scrape the surface of the morbid growth a few times. Repeat this procedure as directed during a period of a week or ten days and the corns will soon have disappeared. Caution: Don't allow this liquid to touch any part of your skin except the | has go! corn itself .- American Home.

LULLABY. Close your eye-lids, baby, darling, Like soft c ouds o'er skies of blue! All unseen the holy angels Keep their watch, dear, over you. To his couch in golden splendor Sinks, at last, the summer sun; While the twilight, soft and tender. Tells the day is done! Lullaby! sleep and rest, Cradled on this faithful breast! Safe from life's storms, flerce and wild, Sleep and rest, my little child!

Slumber! Lullaby! Like a pird, that, tired of roaming. Seeks as ere its downy nest,
So my birdling, in the gloaming,
Sweetly sieeps upon my breast!
Off to dream-land baby's going—
Slumber's silken sails unfuried— While night winds are softly blowing Oe r the silent world! Lullaby! Sleep and rest, Cradled on this faithful breast Safe from life's storms, flerce and wild, Sleep and rest, my little child!

Lullaby!

-Eea Beat, in Detroit Free Press.

MRS. CLEVELAND'S RING. e Engagement Circlet Which Was Pre-Mrs. Cleveland's engagement ring is not, as is generally supposed, the beautiful diamond which she wears just above her wedding-ring, but is a large, old-fashioned seal ring, which now adorns the President's finger. There is quite a little Listory attached to this

ring and the way it came to be bestowed upon Mrs. Cleveland. A few days before the cparture of Mrs. Folsom and ber daughter for Europe, it will be remembered that the President went on to New York for the purpose of seeing and bidding them good-bye. It was upon this occasion that the President first definitely asked Mrs. Cleveland to become his wife and fixed the date of their marriage immediately upon her return to this country. Taking from his finger the seal ring which he had worn for years, and which had been originally a gift from Mr. Folsom, the President placed it upon her finger, intending, almost immediately thereafter, to forward her the handsomest diamond that could be found. This plan Mrs. Cleveland herself ultimately changed, as she decided, it would be less likely to attract attention if, during her stay abroad, she wore the old seal ring which had benged to her dead father.

On the day of her marriage, as is well known, Mrs. Cleveland received a magnificent ring and necklace of solitaires from the President, diamond pins for the hair and breast from Secretary Whitney and Mrs. Whitney, in addition to numerous other small gifts pated in space. of a similar nature from others. But, which she wore upon the little finger of the right hand on the occasion of of a friend in New York, who had known Mrs. Cleveland from early childhood, and who, hearing her mention the fact that she had never owned a diamond, sent the little glittering star from Tiffany's the day before he departure for Washington when she came on to be married, This friend was among the number of those who came on in the same train, and was present at the ceremony .- Washington

AN ALABAMA DIANA. A Young Lady Who Can Shoot, Row,

She is a girl, not a girl of the period, nor a typical girl of the South, but rise it in wrinkles, which, if the just our own Diana, who can drive like wind continues, are the elements of fu- Jehu, ride and shoot like a cowboy, ligion, and, oftener still, for a mighty ture waves. If there be a mutual re-run like a professional, and swim like a pulsion between the particles of oil, duck. She will go rowing with no comand no attraction between oil and wa- pany but her dog and gun, and she can ter, oil dropped on water will not be drop her oars, spring to her feet with held together-it will be at liberty to her gun, and shoot a marsh hen or grosexpand itself. The wind blowing over beak, without rocking the boat, or the water thus covered by a film of oil misplacing the oars. She sleeps on can not easily catch upon it so as to pillows of down from birds and ducks, raises the first wrinkles, but slides over killed by her own hand, and expects it and leaves it smooth; it moves the by next spring to have enough feathers oil a little, which, being between it and of the same kind to make a feather

I neglected to mention what, perhaps, is more remarkable than her the back of every great wave a number other accomplishments, that she can father."-Life. of smaller ones, which roughen its drive a nail without mashing her finsurface and give the wind hold, as it gers. Once, indeed, she drove a nail were, to push it with greater force; this to good purpose. While studying for daughters say that 'marriage is a hold is diminished by preventing the a prize at school, she was taken with a failure." Citizen-"Well, sir, when pain, and there was no dentist nearer marriage is a positive bankruptey."than Mobile. So, with a sudden re- Lowell Citizen. won the prize. She has kindly taught sea than ever were caught. Semehow me how to row with a good stroke, and the finest fish always manage to drop

my fingers are so occupied with stop- should put a tax on our raw materials, ping my ears I can not pull the trigger. what would be the consequence?" "All the community. She owns quite a home," shouted a voice from the rear number of sheep and cows, and can of the house. - Georgia Cracker. tell at a glance if one is missing. - Fannie-"So you are married, vered in, will give not only relief but At present Diana's most devoted ad- Hattie, and have wealth and possibilimirer is a man who can neither ride, ties?" Hattie-"Yes, my husband is drive, row or swim, shoot a gun or very rich." Fannie-"And you enjoy smoke a cigar. This may be the irony it all very much?" Hattie-"Very of fate, but I suspect it is fate, never- much, indeed." Fannie-"And your theless, for she imagines now that she husband?" Hattie-"O, well, you detests him, and that is usually one of know in this world we have to take the the shadows cast before the coming bitter with the sweet."- Washington event .- Cor. Philadelphia Times.

#### A Successful Starter.

Mr. Bump has been calling for nearly two hours. They are talking music, first class try to give the impression

languidly. The young lady (suddenly brighten ing up)-O, I like French opera; it has class act as though the aristocracy be-

He goes .- Life.

#### THE TELEPHONE.

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## SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY.

- Cabbage and saw-grass palmetto is the material that a Florida gentleman is desirous of turning into fiber.

-Cedarwood pulp is now made into paper for underlaying carpets, wrapping up wool, etc., and preservative against moths. The wood used is the heretofore wasted chips of the pencil manufactory.

-Among the products which science has put to valuable service is the nettle, a wood which is now even being cultivated in some parts of Europe, its fiber proving useful for a variety of textile fabries. In Dresden a thread is produced from it so fine that a length of sixty miles weighs only 21 pounds. -Sheep are now being successfully

sheared by machinery in Australia. The wool mower can be run by either steam or horse power. There is now very little poetry left in farm operations-if there ever was any poetry in the hard work that prematurely wore out the old-time husbandman.

-Building blocks made of corncobs form the object of a new Italian patent. The cobs are pressed by machinery into forms similar to bricks and held together by wire. They are made water-tight by soaking with tar. These molds are very hard and strong. Their weight is less than onethird of that of a hollow brick, and

they can never get damp. -Some physicians have warmly indorsed the suggestion that "massage," as an employment is peculiarly suited to the capabilities of the blind, in whom the tactile sense is so strongly developed. Indeed, in Japan massage has, for a long period of time, been practiced by blind men, who go about the streets with a flageolet, drawing attention to themselves and their occupation. It is thought that superintendents of blind-asylums will find this a possible avenue to employment for

their pupils. -It has been estimated that an average of five feet of water falls annually over the whole earth. Supposing that condensation takes place at an average height of 3,000 feet, remarks General Strackey, the force of evaporation to supply such rainfall must equal the lifting of 322,000,000 pounds of water 3,000 feet in every minute, or about 300,000,000,000-horse power constantly exerted. Of this great energy a very small part is transferred to the waters that run back through rivers to the sea, and a still smaller fraction is utilized by man; the remainder is dissi-

show that the ocean teems with life at curiously enough, the first diamond a depth of more than one thousand ring which Mrs. Cleveland possessed fathoms. At north latitude fifty dewas a tiny little star of diamonds, grees thirty-two seconds, west longiude twelve degrees two seconds, there were brought from twelve bundred and her marriage. This ring was the gift twenty fathoms a perfectly black fish. with white eyes, specimens of that strange genus of echinoderms, calveria, and a few silicious sponges and rare, beautiful cassideria, tyrhena, and some large and exquisitely colored sea anemones, and also a quantity of carinaria and pteropoda, which were cap-

#### tured in surface nets.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS. -It is a wise child that knows what kind of a man its own father is when away from home. -N. O. Picayune.

-Many men give a too literal interpretation to Scripture maxims. They shun the appearance of evil more than they do the evil itself. - Boston Budget. -The old bachelor cynic says that

there are some leading ladies on the

stage whose chief claim to that title lie in the fact that they lead their husbands a pretty dance. - N. Y. Tribune. -The latest remedy for snake bites is a wash of carbolic acid solution. There are not so many cases now as

when it was fashionable to administer

spirit framenti by the quart. -"I hope you appreciate the fact, sir, that in marrying my daughter you marry a large-hearted, generous girl." "I do, sir (with emotion); and I hope she inherits those qualities from her -"Parson--"I am astonished, sir, to

hear a man with three married

production of these smaller waves, and violent toothache. Her mother for you have three families beside your possibly, too, when a wave's surface is bade her going to school in such violent own to support you will learn that solve, she got a nail, and, holding it -- It is all right to say that there are against the tooth, she drove it out (or as good fish in the sea as ever were more likely in), with one blow of the caught; but if the fishermen are to be hammer; then she went to school and believed, there are better fish in the

> how to swim with an inflated pillow off before they can be landed .- Puck. case. Now she would teach me how -"Gentleman and fellow-citizens," to shoot. I can make ready and take exclaimed an impassioned orator: aim, but when the time comes to fire, "what if all the European countries Diana knows every cattle mark in of our dudes would have to stay at

Critic. - There are two classes of American toucists in Europe who reflect no credit on this country. The members of the that they belong to the aristocracy, and those who compose the second such a go to it! I like any thing that longed to them. Their equivalents in English society are known respectively as snobs and cals