

Family Circle.

YOUR MISSION. If you cannot on the ocean Fall among the swiftest billows, Rocking on the highest billows, Laughing at the storms you meet— You can stand among the sailors...

work. I would not like to go with them. "But," answered the father, "the good people work themselves warm. If it is to go cold children, the father finds an open place and builds a fire where they can get warm."

UNCLE ABEL AND LITTLE EDWARD.

Were any of you born in New England, in the good old catechizing, school-going, orderly times? If you were, you must remember my uncle Abel, the most perpendicular, upright, downright, good man that ever labored six days and rested on the Sabbath...

the setting sun pierced the checked curtains, and gleamed like an angel's smile across the face of the little sufferer. He awoke from a disturbed sleep. "O dear, O, I am so sick!" he gasped feebly. His father raised him in his arms...

Miscellaneous.

WASHINGTON'S LOVE AFFAIRS.

In one of these manuscript memorials of his practical studies and exercises, we have come upon some curious and interesting contrasts with all that we have just cited of his apparent unromantic character. In a word, there are evidences in his own hand-writing that, before he was fifteen years of age, he had conceived a passion for some girl...

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Little things—little things, Make up the sum of life. A word, a look, a single word, May lead to calm, or strife.

CHRISTIAN HAPPY HOMES.

It requires not the eye of the cold scrutintizer to discern that the moral world needs a thorough reformation. Even the glance of a casual observer will select such an amount of sin and misery as to make the heart sick and cry out for a source of purification.

AS A RELIGIOUS TEACHER.

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FROM THE GERMAN FOR THE AMERICAN PRESBYTERIAN.

ABOUT THE MONTHS—JANUARY.

As little Adolphus awoke one morning it was quite white through the windows. He quickly sprang from his little bed to see what it was out of doors that spread such a white light all around. But when he reached the window he clasped his little hands with delight, ran into the sitting room and cried out: "Father! Mother! Snow, snow! I see how much snow! The trees and hedges are almost covered up, and the road is not so much to be seen. Oh! oh! but where did all this snow come from in the night?"

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