

The Family Circle.

Shortness of Time. 'Time is short,' Christian, Years pass swift o'er thee; Night's fleeting, Christian, Day is before thee...

RELIGION IN A STORM.

One night, shortly after the passengers had gone on board, the stewardesses of which was a pious matron, the wind suddenly changed, dark clouds obscured the rising moon, and at length there was every appearance of a terrible gale.

Without a word, the young lady arose, and approaching a table, opened the Bible, and in a low, faltering voice, began the one hundred and seventh psalm.

stiff in death. Then she asked me if that was not a wonderful God who made every being upon earth—every man, woman and little child, and gave to each and every one beating hearts like mine, and kept them all in motion.

Which of these old men would you wish to be like?

"Choose ye to-day, Christ calls to-day: Oh, listen to him, whilst he is here, And make the Lord, without delay, Your early, only choice."

MISCELLANEOUS.

MOB LAW.

The papers which think that Mr. Wendell Phillips was served right when he was mobbed in Cincinnati are the same papers that thought the speech of Mr. Yancey at the Cooper Institute, just before the election of 1850, a very eloquent oration, and profoundly worth public attention.

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WASHINGTON'S ATTENTION TO REBELLIOUS DUTIES.

We may observe, also, that the absorbing cares of his high station were not allowed to interfere with his attention to the public and private duties of religion.

SEEK CHRIST IN YOUTH.

An old man, one day, took a child on his knees, and told him to seek Jesus by prayer, and to love him as the sinners' Friend.

cern, when, on going to the table, he began to eat the blessing himself. He uttered but a word or two, when, looking to me," says Dr. Green, "he requested me to proceed, which I accordingly did. I mention this," he continues, "because it shows that President Washington always asked a blessing himself, when a chaplain was not present.

THE POPULATION OF NEW YORK.

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