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## Select Poetry.

Trust to the future, tho' gloomy and cheerless, Prowls the dark past, like a ghost at thy back. Look not behind thee; be hopeful and fearless. Steer for the right way, and keep to the track. Fling off despair—'tis but a weakling's ailment. Shouldst thou purpose, and boldly defiant, Save to the right, stand unmoved and unpliant, Faith and the Lord's promise the brave never lack.

## Miscellaneous.

### The Surprise Party, AND WHAT BECAME OF IT.

I wish somebody would give us a surprise party, for Lizzie Torrence had one last week, and you don't know what a delightful time they all had, to be sure; there was dancing, and music by a band, and such a supper—well I can't describe it, but Lizzie says it was so nice.

## Death Warrant of Jesus Christ.

Of the many interesting relics and fragments of antiquity which have been brought to light by the persevering researches of modern philosophy, none could have more interest to the philanthropist and the believer, than the one which we publish below.

## The Indiana Divorce Laws.

Here is a specimen of the operation of the divorce laws in Indiana—demonstrated in the person of one not quite a "model wife" and an outraged husband.

## Printer's Devil.

We have so frequently been asked by friends and others, why the boy in the printing office is called the "devil," that we conclude to give what little we know upon the subject.

## From Utah.

Insolence of the Mormons—The Federal Authorities Powerless. [Correspondence of the St. Louis Republican.] GREAT LAKES CITY, January 14, 1859.

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