-The heaviest rain of the season at to nine o'clock the rainfall was 41

-Two earthquake shocks were felt at Columbia, South Carolina, on the morning of the 27th, the first shortly after 12 o'clock, and the second at 56 minutes past 4. They were accomundulatory. Similar shocks, but much slighter, were felt at Somerville and and a more distinct shock at four o'clock in the morning.

-Samuel Sparks, once wealthy, committed suicide in Indianapolis, on the 26th, by swallowing poison, because of his loss of fortune. His wife tried to conceal the fact of the suicide, but the Cornoner, hearing of it, stopped the ceremonies at the grave, and held an inquest before the body was buried on

on the evening of the 26th. Loss, Stover sucpects incendiarism.

of Womelsdorf, Berks county, Penna., recently bought a number of car loads of cattle at Buffalo, and sold them to different farmers at Reading. Some of the steers showed symptoms of sickness, and on the morning of the 29th ult., ten of them were found dead in their stalls. Others were driven to the South Mountain to die. Dr. Bridge, the State Veterinarian, says their disease is Texas fever.

-The official report of a fight between Colorado Militia and Colorows' Indians, received at the War Department through General Terry, shows that on the side of the Indians (who were surprised) "one child was killed and one man and one woman were slightly wounded." The Indians returned the fire, killing one cowboy, wounding three others, and mortally wounding three militiamen. It is believed by the United States authori-Glenwood Springs says: "F. H. Swingler has just sworn out a warrant for Colorow on the charge of murder. first one was for simple misdemeanor, This being for resisting an officer. felony it will make it difficult for authorities, Federal and State, to settle matters without the surrender of Colorow."

-A sharp earthquake, lasting about portions of the city. Mr. Connery, Secretary of the United States Legation, noted the shock at 6.45 o'clock, at Castle Chapultepec, where President Diaz resides. The earthquake was felt in the interior, at various points, and square were thrown down.

-As a freight train on the Cleveland and Marietta Railroad approached Oldtrain men jumped off and were severely injured, one of them, a fireman named Adams, perhaps fatally. All the train cars, which dropped with the bridge.

-Robert Martin was killed and five other miners were badly injured by an explosion of dualin at the bottom of the Draper colliery slope, at Gilberton, Penna., on the 29th ult. The dualin was ignited by a spark from a lamp. One of the injured, George Lawson, 18 not expected to recover.

was robbed of \$1200 in valuables on the evening of the 29th ult. The burgstole his clothes, thus securing the key

ult., four horses came into collision at | to Canada to compel him to disgorge." the head of the stretch and all fell. A jockey named Penny and another in session at Allentown, Pennsylvania, named West were injured, the latter so badly that his recovery was considered

-It is efficially reported that Colomain on their reservation. Agent Byrnes reports that "Major Lesley, who fired on these Indians on the border of the reservation, took possession and run off about 300 head of the Indian horses that were grazing on the public lands near the reservation line,"

goats, which should also be recovered &c., to secure an issue of \$16,000,000 with their contents, were swept down attacked in Colorado were on a peace- years from October 1st, 1886. The bridges, including three iron ones, lieved that they had a right under the is that \$10,000,000 of bonds were authem and the Commission, to hunt Raleigh, North Carolina. fell there on | upon these lands in Colorado." Orders the morning of the 27th. From three | were on the 30th ult., sent from Washington, by direction of the President, inches. Great damage was done to all to Agent Byrnes, to prevent all unlawthe crops on the low grounds, and ful encroachments upon the reservawashouts occurred on the North Caro- tion, and to recover the horses and lina and Raleigh and Augusta Rail- other animals for the Indians, and he was promised military assistance, if needed, to carry out the instructions.

-Joseph McLaughlin and Patrick O'Brien, arrested in Brockton, Massachusetts, on the 27th ult., on the of \$31,000 is missing from the treasury. charge of conspiring to injure the panied by the usual sound, lasted sev- business of Douglass' shoe factory, by eral seconds, and the second shock was inducing lasters to stay away, were heavier than the first. The motion was held on the 30th ult. in \$1000 ball each for their appearance at court. -It is reported from Cincinnati Charleston. A slight tremor was felt that Receiver Armstrong, of the Fiat Augusta, Georgia, about midnight, delity National Bank, has prepared a petition against the late directors of that bank, Eugene Zimmerman, Henry Pogue, W. H. Chatfield and Briggs Swift, for a sum aggregating between two and three million dollars. They will be charged with having betrayed their trusts as directors, and having become individually liable for the losses of depositors. Directors Gahr and Harper are also defendants in the action.

-The Secretary of the State Board -Tue Herald Building in Montreal, of Agriculture of Illinois, has received occupied by the Herald newspaper of from Professor Forbes, the State Entothat city and several firms, was burned | mologist, a discouraging report in reference to the distribution of the chinch \$125,000; insured. The grist mill, saw | bug throughout the State. The Promill and lumber yard of Albert Stover, fessor says: "It is very destructive in at Kintnersville, Bucks county, Penna., | thirty counties; it occurs in large numwas destroyed by fire on the morning bers in sixteen others, in moderate of the 27th; insurance, \$15,000. Mr. numbers in seventeen, and in numbers not especially injurious, but sufficient to threaten harm another year, in -John G. Seltzer and C. P. Moyer, twenty-five, while from thirteen counties it is reported as practically absent.'

-The Boyd Manufacturing Company's mill and more than twenty dwellings, in Levanna, Ohio, were destroyed by fire on the 29th. Loss. \$100,000.

-Samuel Bremer, a boss mason in Hoboken, New Jersey, several weeks ago discharged one of his employes for incompetency. The man belonged to the mason's union, and a boycott was declared against Bremer. Recently he contracted to put in the stone work of a large building on Jersey Heights, and the boycott was renewed, he being told that he must reinstate the discharged hand before the boycott would be recalled. All work on the building was stopped, Bremer declaring that he would not submit to the demand. On the morning of the 30th ult., he caused ties that the trouble is over, though it Donelson, Joseph Herrigan and James the arrest of William Bender, Samuel may be renewed by the action of the Gately, masons, for conspiracy, and they were held to answer.

favorable account of the crops and room. business prospects of that section. "The corn crop of the South is unprecedently large, exceeding the yield, of 1886 by over fifty million bushels, the yield of 1885 by seventy million bushels and the yield of 1884 by one hundred 30 seconds, was felt in the City of and seven million bushels. The South Mexico about 7 o'clock on the morning | will this year be nearly self-supporting of the 29th ult. In some of the streets in the matter of corn, and many milthe people ran out of their houses. The lions of dollars that have heretofore shock was felt most in the outlying gone west for corn will this season be saved to Southern fartners. While recent unfavorable weather has damaged to some extent the cotton prospects and at the same time it was sharply felt | which, a month ago, promised such an enormous yield, the crop will still be a large one. Advanced prices for tobacco will, it is claimed counterbalance at the capital of the State of Guerrero to the farmers the decrease in yield, two arches of the arcade in the main due mainly to decreased acreage. Other crops have with few exceptions, been very good.

-Frank C. McNeilley, 19 years of ham trestle, near Cambridge, Ohio, on lage, who had been employed for one the morning of the 29th ult., the bridge | year in the Saco and Biddeford Savings was seen to be on fire. Several of the Institution at Saco, Maine, disappeared on the afternoon of the 29th ult., and took with him \$3500 in cash, United States registered 4 per cent. passed over safely except the last three | bonds payable in 1907, amounting to \$185,000, and railroad, municipal and other bonds amounting as near as can now be determined to about \$91,000. McNeilley had the utmost confidence reposed in him by all the officers of the bank, and he knew the combination of every lock in the bank vaults. He took the opportunity to rob the bank while left in charge for a short time by the cashier. The President of the bank -Albert Howell, 30 years of age, a says "the loss is so much less than the letter carrier, was held in \$1500 bail surplus that the bank will be perfectly in Boston on the 29th ult, on the safe, even if the amount taken by the charge of stealing letters. It is al- absconding clerk is never recovered." leged that he took letters from the The \$185,000 in United States regisboxes of other carriers before they had | tered bonds cannot be used by the been put in the pouches, and he is be- thief. The State Bank Examiner also lieved to have been stealing for six says that, "if the statement given of months. He was ostentatiously plous, the amount stolen from the safe is corkeeping a Bible in his desk and read- rect, the bank will still be able to pay ing it at noontime. The safe of Lo- all its depositors and creditors, and renz & Eck, jewellers, in Milwaukee, then have a surplus of about \$400,000."

-A telegram from Pittsburg says that C. W. Wilkins, the lumber dealer lars first got into Mr. Eck's house and and boat builder of Kittanning, who recently made an assignment, has fled to Canada. He writes "that he is now John Golden, aged 44 years, was in Toronto, and will not return unless killed on the morning of the 29th ult., a proposition for a compromise which in Dayton's nut and bolt works, at he has made to his creditors is ac-Newport Kentucky. His arm caught cepted." His liabilities are said to be in a belt and dashed a heavy pair of about \$100,000. It is supposed that he shears, which he held in his hand, has \$50,000 in cash with him, and one against his head, causing instant death. of the creditors on the morning of the During a race at Saratogo on the 29th | 31st ult. "announced that he was going

-The Democratic State Convention concluded its labors on the 31st ult., and adjourned sine die. J. Ross Thompson, of Erie, was nominated for Justice of the Supreme Court, and B. row and all his followers are at Ouray J. McGrann, of Lancaster, for State Agency, and show a disposition to re- Treasurer. The platform, which was unanimously adopted, endorses President Cleveland's administration and contains the tariff plank desired by the Randall section.

-Documents were filed on the 31st ult., in the Recorder's office at San Francisco, mortgaging the entire pro-The Indians, when pursued by Sheriff | perty of the Central Pacific Railroad | are badly damaged, and will be unable | passengers to get off, and had not ob-Kendall, were compelled to abandon Company, including land grants, rail- to move trains for some days. A num-

with the horses. "These Indians when six per cent. bonds, payable in fifty the Bosque river. A number of ful hunting expedition, and they be- main fact revealed by the transaction were destroyed. treaty of '74, and as understood with thorized to be usued in January. 1885,

to pay floating debts of the company. -A slight fire occurred in a drug store in Brooklyn, on the evening of house in Cincinnati on the evening the 30th ult., and George F. Ringler, a of the 31st ult. Henry Pietcher, 23 clerk, suffering from heart disease, years of age, was blowh to pieces by an dropped dead from the excitement.

-Israel Lucas, Treasurer of Auglaize county, Ohio, left Wapoketta the county seat, on the evening of the 27th ult., with his wife, and has not yet returned. Meantime, it has been discovered that money to the amount

-A scaffold at the new Catholic Church of the Annunciation, in Williamsport, fell to the ground, sixty feet below, on the morning of the 31st ult. Raphael Boka and Charles Norbert were killed. John Winner and Thos. Raibley were mortally injured, and died in the afternoon.

-The 1st, was the great day of the Grangers' Picnic, at Williams' Grove, Penna., the attendance being estimated at 40,000. In the morning, W. A. King, of the Agricultural Department at Washington, explained the system of seed distribution, and Colonel Victor E. Piolett made an address. The speakers in the afternoon were D. H. Thing, of Maine; C. C. Kaufman, of Lancaster county; W. A. Armstrong, Master of the New York Grange, and State Senator Brown, of York county. In the evening, Miss Emma Brewer, of Philadelphia, gave an elocutionary entertainment, and remarks were made by Richman Coles, of New Jersey.

-The-eleventh biennial reunion of the Empire State Association of Deal Mutes was held on the 31st ult., in Syracuse, New York. About 150 delegates were present. President E. A. Hodgson, of the Deaf Mutes' Journal, delivered an address. There are now 1200 pupils and eight institutions . in New York State. There are 5000 deaf mutes in that State, and 38,000 in the country.

-An attempt was made on the evening of the 31st ult. to wreck a passenger train on the Indiana, Bloomington and Western Railroad, at Leslie Station, near Pekin, Illinois. A large stone, weighing about 200 pounds, had been placed between the rails of the main track. The train, which left Pekin at eight o'clock, was fortunately signalled at Leslie to take on a passenger, and the slowing up for this purpose prevented a wreck.

-A passenger on the steamer Knickerbocker which arrived at New Orleans from New York on the 31st ult., several days overdue, says the steamer enthree hundred miles out of her course. -The Baltimore Manufacturer's During the cyclone the water broke shot gun and revo ver. Peter Green Record prints five pages of special re- over the ship, and at one time there was killed, and Henderson Green morports from the entire South, giving a was considerable water in the engine tally wounded.

-The public debt statement, issued on the 1st, shows a reduction of \$4,-809,475. Cash in the Treasury, \$459,-991,729.

-The total coinage executed at the U. S. Mints during August amounted in value to \$3,303,300, of which \$60,000 was in gold. 2,970,000 standard dollars were turned out.

-The officers of the Hudson Bullding and Loan Association, of Hudson, Wisconsin, have discovered a shortage of \$10,000 in the accounts of the late the association.

-A gang of lawless men in Spencer calling themselves "White Caps," took lief of the deputy sheriffs. John Hildebrandt, a Justice of, the Peace, from his bed on the evening of the 30th ult., tied him to a tree and beat him with hickory switches. They decisions and charged him with cruelty to his wife. At Depauw they warned a saloon keeper to stop selling liquor. They also warned a widow, named Dougherty, that she must not marry a young man to whom she is engaged. protection.

-The Railway Age says it now oscill seems probable that the number of east, miles of new road constructed in the railway construction.

-Thomas Joyce on the 1st fatally time. When arrested he said that "as it is believed, caused the epidemic. he could not sell bis horse and wagon ing of the 31st ult., and threatened clean wells. down the street, Policeman Foote joining in the pursuit, and firing a shot or two at the Chinaman, Suddenly Chow Lam wheeled round and returned the through the breast and abdomen. Chow Lam, unhurt, was captured by a patrol wagon. A despatch received from Flag Staff says that Sheriff Mulvernon, who left Prescott, Arizona, recently, with a posse to arrest the parties implicated in the fight in the Tewksbury feud, was killed by the Graham faction. Tonts Basin is an isolated district, and all news must be sent to Holbrook, 70 miles distant, by courier, before it can be telegraphed. to have been a man in disguise, and is growing out of the feud.

-A despatch from Morgan, Texas, Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railways 2000 sheep, besides large herds of roads, rolling stock, piers, water front, ber of business houses and dwe!lings, damaged,

-Henry King, a prominent merchant of Georgetown, Ohlo, was fatally injured by falling from a secondstory window of his brother-in-law's explosion of dynamite, while blasting stumps, near Logansport, Indiana, on the 31st ult. Three boys, whose ages range from 9 to 14 years, were drowned near Wood Island, New Hampshire, on the afternoon of the 1st. Oak Grove Seminary at Vassalboro', Maine, was burned on the 1st. A son of Stephen Jones, aged 16 years, perished in the flames. A despatch from Mercer, Penna., says that, while cutting timber on the 1st, Frederick Smith was crushed to death by a falling tree, and Hutchinson Singledecker seriously

-An excursion train on the Kansas City and Pacific Railroad was thrown into a ditch, near Moran, Kansas, on the 1st. A number of persons were injured, one, it is thought, fatally.

-A despatch from Koehler, Michigan, says terrible forest fires are raging in that vicinity. The prevailing drouth is the worst known for years. There has been no rain since July 4th. All vegetation is scorched and late crops are a total failure.

-Later reports of the great storm in Texas say that all the bridges in Hill county were washed away, and the damage to crops and farms will reach \$100,000. In Basque county and along the line of the Santa Fe railroad much damage was also done. The Missouri Pacific railroad have nearly one thousand men at work on repairs near Grand View. A train on the road was de tained on the prairie between Itasca and Grand View from Monday night until the morning of the 1st, and many of the passengers suffered severely for want of food.

-"Frank" Hammond and "Lizzie" Tate were found dead in English's woods, near Cincinnati, on the morning of the 2d. A letter was found on Hammond, saying: "Frank Hammond and Lizzie Tate are both willing to die, and it don't make any difference to us what they say of us." Hammond was a married man, and some time ago took \$1200 of the joint earnings of himseif and wife and eloped with the widow Tate. It is not known whether they agreed to kill themselves or whether Hammond killed the woman in anger and then killed himself. Peter and Henderson Green, of Lancaster, Kentucky, passed the house of Ebenezer Cooley, about five miles from town, on the evening of the 1st, half drunk, and firing their pistols. countered a cyclone and was blown They shouted to Cooley to get out of the way, but he said nothing to them. Then a pipe burst and she was further Presently they returned and fired at delayed 48 hours, going under sail. Cooley, who returned the fire with a

> -During August there was a decrease of \$737,870 in the total circulation and an increase of \$10.216,200 in the Treasury.

-A despatch from Flag Staff, Arizona, says reports received on the 21 reiterate the report that Sheriff Mulvenon was shot in the encounter with the Tewksbury-Graham outlaws in Tonto Basin. He died soon after the fight and five of the deputy sheriffs with him were wounded in the same fight. Eleven of the outlaws are reported killed. Mulvenon and his posse left Prescott a week ago with warrants T. H. Harvey, who was secretary of for the arrest of ten men who were implicated in the killing of three cowboys. Wild reports are now in circulation, township, Harrison county, Indiana, and an armed posse has gone to the re-

-Thomas Foster and George Miller, prominent grocers of Cincinnati, were arrested on the 2d, for selling oleomartold him they were not pleased with his garine for pure butter. The substance, on being analyzed, was found to contain 2 per cent, of butter and 98 of tallow, lard and salt. It was sold for 25 cents a pound.

-A despatch from Tucson, Arizona, says a heavy earthquake shock was felt Her friends have organized for her there at 9 o'clock on the morning of the 1st. It lasted seven seconds. The oscillations were northwest to south-

-An epidemic of black diphtheria is 12,000. These figures have never been about 200 inhabitants. Nearly half of total was 11,568 miles. Kansas still the disease, and thirteen deaths have The victims are seized with black vomit | his arms. and usually die w.thin two or three shot his wife and dangerously wounded days. Recently an old viaduct which his eighteen-year-old daughter, in formed part of the State Canal was and had been drinking hard for a long leaving stagnant pools of water which,

-A typhoid fever epidemic prevails he had determined to exterminate his at Robertsdale, Huntingdon county, family and then kill bimself." Chow Penna. There are about fifty cases, Lam quarrelied with two white men in and there have been nine deaths. The his laundry, in Chicago, on the even- physicians attribute the disease to un-

-Richard Emerson, 16 years of age, died at Kenosha, Wisconsin, on the evening of the 1st, of hydrophobia. He was bitten about two months ago by a fire, fatally shooting the Policeman through the breast and shoomen "Before death came to his relief the mattress and bedding were literally torn up and scattered about the room."

-A telegram from Buffalo says: "A tall, well dressed young woman, with face veiled, arrived here on the train from the East on the evening of the 30th ult., and left on the first Michigan Central train for Canada. While at the depot she attracted attention by smoking a pipe. The party is believed Four deaths had already occurred, now thought by some to have been the

missing Saco bank robber." -On the morning of the 2d says that a heavy rain, which began to as a train of eleven cars, with 500 fall on the evening of the 30th ult., has passengers, from Cincinnati, reached a caused the farmers in the low valley point about a mile from Lebanon, an lands in every portion of the county to obstruction, made of railroad ties and suffer damage estimated at thousands fence rails, was encountered. Fortuof dollars. The Texas Central and the nately the train had stopped only a short distance before it to allow some tained sufficient speed to be seriously

UNITED BY FIRE.

How Colonel Desmond Won His Wife

Mrs. Raynor was the envy of the country. Her dresses were copied by ber less fortunate neighbors, and her country place was a dream of pastoral beauty. About her past little was known, except that she had been an old man's darling who had died and left her in possession of a great estate.

She was cold as she was beautiful, and it was said by ner admirers that she had no more heart than a stone. A guest at the Hall during the summer was Colonel Desmond, an old friend of her father's. He was not a young man, but he had a fine face, and she liked him because he was accomplished and congenial.

Colonel Desmond was very attentive to the young widow, but while she was touched at the wistful loneliness in his eyes and his lameness, it was hard for her to think of resigning her widowhood.

There lay the contradiction of this pretty woman's character. She liked him well enough and would have been glad of his gentle attentions all her life, but to marry him was quite another

They were both spending a week with a party of guests at Merton Hall, a neighboring estate. Pretty little Mrs. Merton was something of a matchmaker, and she thought she would lend her aid in bringing them together.

The visit had been a very enjoyable ne for Colonal Desmond, and it was with regret that he looked forward to his departure. As for Edith Raynor, she had made up her mind that it was best to let him go back to India alone; that she would not say a word to keep him. Yet it troubled her that he must

On the day before Desmond was to leave Merton Hall he came upon Mrs. Raynor reading in the library. She started up as if to leave the room, her

face flushed, her eyes bright.
"Edith," he said, stopping before her with pleading eyes, "I am going away to-morrow. Give me some encouragement before I go! Tell me whether I am to hope or despair! Am I to go back to India or not? Or will you go with me-will you marry me? Edith, I have waited for you so many years! You have been the one motive of my life, and but for the thought of one day seeing you again I should have made myself food for tigers long ago.'

"That would have been very foolish," she said, speaking quietly, at random. "The world is a charming place, if only we keep our affections well in hand,

"Do not send me away with a refusal. Let the rest of my life be spent by your side. I have not led a happy life, as you know, and I long for love and the ties that other men own." She took the knot of roses from her

shoulder and held it out to him. "Give me till to-morrow to think it leave till : now good night. I am very tired."

As she passed him he bent forward to take her in his arms, but she avoided him by a swift turn and looked back at him from the doorway with a smile

that made his heart beat flercely. There was no sleep for him that night. The morrow was to decide his destiny. He sat up long over his papers, laying his plans for exchange into the home service if -- Hark! What noise was that? People running through the house! Cries, frightened questionings, the slamming of doors, the tramping of feet in the distance then hoarse shouts without. He heard the word "fire" caught up from one echo to another. He rushed out into the corridor and down to the ground floor, through the main building of the hall. Meeting a frightened servant he

Inquired where the fire was. "On the other wing. It's Mrs. Raynor's rooms are on fire!"

Quick as thought he dashed out of the house to where the flames were bursting from an upper window. Horrified groups stood below. The men servants and male guests were playing the water on to the building in valn. "Colonel Desmond," shrieked Mrs. Merton, coming toward him, with a ghastly face, "save her! Edith Raynor

is up there among the flames!" A ladder had been placed against the burning building, and Colonel Desmond sprang up the rounds with a lightness United States during 1887 will be about raging at Lockport, Penna., a town of that was miraculous, in view of his lameness. Those below saw his tall approached, except in 1882, when the the population are reported down with figure outlined darkly against the flames, saw it disappear in the burning leads the other States in the work of occurred within the past five days, room, reappear with a white shape in

"Edith!" groaned Mrs. Merton. Then there was a fearful burst of smoke from within, and when it cleared Pittsburg. He was a vegetable peddler, destroyed by dynamite at that point, away the two figures were gone. That was the turning-point of the fire, which was soon under control and extinguished in the course of an hour.

In the morning Guy Desmond was found clasping in his arms the woman he loved. They had died of suffocation. And to-day they sleep in the same grave. Young Mrs. Merton would hav

"Parted in life, in dying they ar side by side," said good Laura Merton months afterward. "Ah, well, perhap they are happier than if they had lived and married and quarreled, like othe people. There are things in life har der to bear than death!"

OMAHA MAN .- "You New Yor hotel keepers must be positively in human. I hear you are all oppose to the idea of giving guests an chance to escape in case of fire."

Hotel keeper-"Nonsence." "But the papers say the suggestio that there should be a rope in ever bedroom has met with nothing bu opposition.

-An Arkansas lad, 10 years of age who sought to spite his mother for "dreadful wrong" she had done him climbed a tree and declared his inten tion of remaining there during th night. After an hour's vainful tempt on the part of the mother persuade the lad to descend, she calle on the town marshal, who lowered th refractory youngster to terra firm

## FOOD FOR THOUGHT.

Economy is of itself a great revenue. There must ever be a place for virtue. The more you say the less people re-

An open countenance, but close thoughts.

A man's folly ought to be his great est secret.

What makes life dreary is the want of motive.

A good man cares not for the reproofs It is easier to be wise for otherstil an

for ourselves. Our sorrow is the inverted image of

our nobleness. Ingratitude and misfortune make

men imperious. On life's highway slander takes toll

from reputations. Solitude dulls thought; too much so-

ciety dissipates it. Admiration, when not guided by

reason is ridiculous. The greatest business is that which

has the longest countenance. No man is more severely punished than he who is subject to the whip of

his own remorse. The bands that were silken once are apt to become iron fetters when we de-

sire to shake them off. It is the easiest business in the world to do a thing. The learning how is

where the difficulty exists. Good sense and good nature are never separated, though the ignorant

world has thought otherwise. Contentment is a good thing until it reaches the point where it sits in the

shade and lets the weeds grow. Whatever become of my body or my estate I will ever labor to find somewhat

added to the stature of my soul. All the crimes on earth do not destroy

so many of the human race, nor alienate so much property, as intemperance. The one who will be found in trial

capable of great acts of love is ever the one who is doing considerate small ones. Praise is what we generally get for doing that which ought to mortify us. A really good deed is seldom recognized even by common civility.

Teach self-denial, and make its pracice pleasurable, and you create for the world a destiny more sublime than ever issued from the brain of the wildest dreamer.

Those men who destroy a healthful constitution of body by intemperance, do as manifestly kill themselves, as those who hang, or poison, or drown Spurious silver of speech is current,

but base gold of silence is not unknown. A man may transgress as truly by holding his tongue as by speaking unadvisedly with his lips.

He that provides for this life, but takes no care for eternity, is wise for a but a fool forever, and acts as untowardly and crossly to the reasons of things as can be imagined.

Do to-day's duty, fight to-day's temptations, and do not weaken and distract yourself by looking forward to things which you cannot see, and could not understand if you saw them.

"God giveth grace to the humble." He pours it out plentifully on humble hearts. His sweet dews and showers slide off the mountains, and fall on the low valley of humble hearts, and make them pleasant and fertile.

Eternity is crying out to you louder and louder as you near its brink. Rise, be going! Count your resources; learn what you are fit for, and give up wishing for it; learn what you can do, and

do it with all the energy of a man. Every man who builds should remem. ber that everything which commonly goes under the name of sewage is dangerous to the health of his household, and should be removed as quickly and completely, and to as great a distance from his home, as possible.

Nature only tells of hard, pitiless, remorseless law. The fire burns, though there be a saintly martyr in the flame. The tide surges in, though a Christian maid is bound to a stake in its course. Leap over the precipice, and you are dashed to pieces. There is no mercy in the electric cloud, in the ocean or the land. Everywhere you see wisdom and power in creation and providence, but

Difficulty is a severe instructor, set over us by the supreme ordinance of a parental Guardian and Legislator, who knows us better than we know ourselves. And he loves us better, too. He that wrestles with us strengthens our nerves and sharpens our skill. Our antagonist is our helper. This amiable conflict with difficulty helps us to an intimate acquaintance with our object, and compels us to consider it in all its relations. It will not suffer us to be superficial.

## THE MARKETS.

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