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THE BROOKLYN DIVINE'S SUNDAY SERMON.

Subject: "From Conquest to Conquest."

Text: "Behold the days come, saith the Lord, that the plowman shall overtaken the reaper."—Amos ix, 13.

Picture of a tropical clime, with a season so prosperous that the harvest reaches clear over to the planting time...

I know that many declare that Christianity has collapsed; that the Bible is an obsolete book...

An Arab guide was leading a French infidel across a desert, and ever and anon the Arab guide would get down in the sand and pray to the Lord...

Do you think that such a scene could be enacted now as was enacted in the days of Robespierre, when a shameless woman was elevated as a goddess...

Now let us see whether the Bible is a lost year's almanac...

Poor Christianity! What a pity it has no friends! How lonesome it must be! Who will take it out of the poorhouse?

There is not a saccot on the planet but the battery of the gospel is planted and ready to march on—north, south, east, west.

So Christianity is falling back, and the Bible, they say, is becoming an obsolete book...

How many colors woven into the light? Seven, says Isaac Newton. Three, says David Brewster. How high is the aurora borealis?

Could you get 400,000,000 people to go out and risk their lives in defense of Shakespeare's tragedies or Gladstone's tracts or Macaulay's "History of England"?

It is the most popular book of the century. How do I know it? I know it just as I know in regard to other books...

What is the most popular? Why, of course the one that has 10,000,000 circulation. And if this book has more copies published than any other book in the world...

tears raining down their cheeks. The whole story is told.

You may talk about the church being a collection of hypocrites, but when the diphtheria sweeps your children off whom do you send for? The postmaster, the attorney-general, the hotel-keeper, the barber?

The infidels say, "Infidelity shows its successes from the fact that it is everywhere accepted, and it can say what it will."

Do you think that such a scene could be enacted now as was enacted in the days of Robespierre...

I know infidelity makes a good deal of talk in our day. It is on the principle that if a man jumps overboard on a Guano steamer...

They say, these men, that science is overtaking religion in our day. They look through the spectacles of the infidel scientists, and they say: "It is impossible that this book can be true."

People used to say, "There are so many different denominations of Christians—that shows there is nothing in religion."

They do not agree about anything. They do not agree on embryology, do not agree on the gradation of the species...

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have utterly exhausted their ammunition in the battle against the church and against the sword of the Lord Almighty...

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IN A DOG NURSERY.

A QUEER BUT THRIVING BUSINESS IN CHICAGO.

How Canines are Cared for While Their Owners Go Shopping--Treatment for the Ill--Baths and Manicure.

Day nurseries for dogs are recent innovations. They were wholly unknown, until fashion prescribed pugs and poodles for street companions and parlor ornamentation.

Whitman's dog nursery. Every pleasant morning carriages drive down the avenue and stop at the door. From each an elegantly dressed lady alights with a dog in her arms.

Whitman locks it in and promises four or five times that it will be well treated. When the lady has bid the poodle an affectionate farewell she goes on downtown to do her shopping.

Big dogs are also brought to the nursery every day, many by young sporting men, and on a busy day the little room presents a lively appearance.

Mr. Whitman is a dog physician. He does nothing but treat canine diseases, and he is well paid for it, too.

Then there are hives, mange and all sorts of fever. Mr. Whitman lays his two fingers on the dog's nose and looks at its eyes and tells promptly what the matter is.

The nursery is also a hair-cutting and manicuring establishment, and Mrs. Whitman has a complete dog bath house in the rear of the nursery.

One of the commonest and most ludicrously pitiful sights at the nursery is a dog with the toothache. Usually one eye is swelled to a perpetual wink, and the little fellow howls dimly with the pain.

The spritz, or bundle of reed pipes, is the prototype of the bagpipe.

Take no Substitute for Royal Baking Powder. It is Absolutely Pure. All others contain alum or ammonia.

Visual Telegraphy.

An inventor of this city is wrestling with the problem of visual telegraphy, Mr. N. S. Amstutz, of this city is confident that with a series of small mirrors, arranged with the proper appliances, one cannot only hear the person to whom he is talking over the telephone wire, but can receive a transmitted reflection of his face.

Montenegrin Priests.

Montenegro was one of the few countries where until recently clergymen wore the national costume and bore weapons. Prince Nicholas, however, has decided that the custom shall be discontinued, and has ordered the priests to adopt a clerical costume similar to that worn in other Greek Catholic countries.

Your wife can buy several articles for \$10 you need \$5 worth of valuable articles in the drug line; you mail the order to E. A. Hall, Charleston, S. C., and save \$1.00 on it. Catalogue free.

Dr. Kilmer's SWAMY-ROOT cures all Kidney and Bladder troubles. Patent and Consultation free. Laboratory Binghamton, N. Y.

Found a \$500,000 Treasure Box.

A few weeks ago a Spaniard named Francisco Perez arrived at Amapa, Mexico, from Spain. He had with him documents and drawings showing the location of hidden treasure amounting to \$1,500,000.

A Big Nugget of Silver.

Supt. Read sent down from the Diamond Company's mine last Monday a nugget of ore weighing 2,280 pounds, which was shipped Wednesday to the Midwinter Fair in San Francisco.

In olden times the Egyptians had a cemetery which was considered sacred.

Malaria cured and eradicated from the system by Brown's Iron Bitters, which enriches the blood, tones the nerves, aids digestion.

Greek sculptors often used eyes of glass or crystal in the faces of their statues.

For THROAT DISEASES, COUGHS, COLDS, etc., effectual relief is found in the use of "Brown's Bronchial Troches." Price 25 cents. Sold only in bottles.

When the wife of a man in Germany stands six to six the prisoner is acquitted.

Shiloh's Cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures Incontinent Consumption; it is the Best Cough Cure; 25c. (No. 1)

Liverpool, Eng., has an electric elevator railroad.

Japanese Teeth Powder. Genuine. A large box mailed for 30 cents. Lepp Drug Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

A silk worm's thread is one-thousandth of an inch thick.

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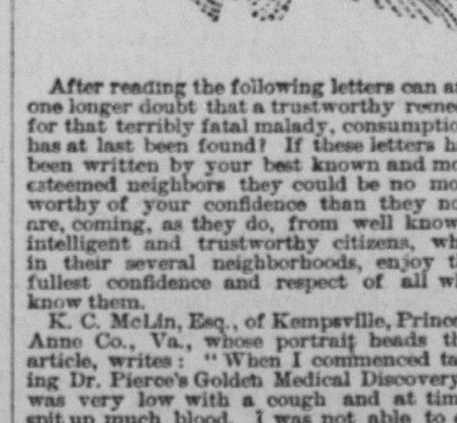
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Mrs. H. S. Vancekeli

When I commenced the use of your medicines, six years ago, I weighed but 130 pounds and was sinking rapidly. I now weigh 155, and my health continues perfect.

"Golden Medical Discovery" cures consumption (which is scrofula of the lungs), by its wonderful blood-purifying, invigorating and nutritive properties.

"Golden Medical Discovery" does not make fat people more corpulent, but for thin, pale, runny children, as well as for adults reduced in flesh, from any cause, it is the greatest flesh-builder known to medical science.

Nasty cod liver oil and its "emulsions," are not to be compared with it in efficacy. It rapidly builds up the system, and increases the solid flesh and weight of those reduced below the usual standard of health by "wasting diseases."

To brace up the entire system after the grip, pneumonia, fevers, and other prostrating acute diseases; to build up wasted flesh and strength, and to restore health and vigor when you feel "run-down" and "used-up" the best thing in the world is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It promotes all the bodily functions, rouses every organ into healthy action, purifies and enriches the blood, and through it cleanses, repairs, and invigorates the entire system.

A Treatise on Consumption, giving numerous testimonials with photographs, or half-dozen portraits of those cured, numerous references, also containing successful Home Treatment for chronic nasal catarrh, bronchitis, asthma, and kindred diseases, will be mailed by the World's Dispensary Medical Association of Buffalo, N. Y., on receipt of six cents in stamps, to pay postage. Or The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, 1,000 pages, 300 Illustrations, mailed for \$1.50.

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