

IN THE WINDOW SEAT.

One evening in an autumn old
We in the cushioned window seat
Sat side by side in converse sweet
As that old tale our young lips told

CAPTAIN TREVOR'S GUIDE.

The bees-wax light in the wounded
soldier's room was flickering low;
still the quiet voices did not cease.

Woman who encouraged the honest love
of a poor man, when she had no thought
all the while but to sell herself to a rich one.

A quick and fatal revelation stunned
him.
'Is it Clayton Garrett or Clayton
Whitcomb?' he asked huskily, after a
moment's pause, while his heart stood
still for the answer.

SABBATH SCHOOL.

INTERNATIONAL LESSON FOR DECEMBER 16.

Lesson Text: "Death of Sampson."
Judg. xvi. 21-31—Golden Text:
Job xxvii. 9—Commentary.

Barak, Gideon or Jephthah, but rather by
acts of personal valor to avenge Israel. We
now see him in prayer, his last prayer, and
strange as such prayer may seem to us, God
answered it. We must see Samson here on
the side of the Lord desiring the overthrow
of the enemies of the Lord. Some one has
suggested that he had better sight now than
before he lost his eyes. It is not our natural
sight, but the degree in which we see God or
the measure of our faith which make us to
have power in His service.

NEWS AND NOTES FOR WOMEN.

Brown fur of all sorts is in high favor.
Bear's fur is a great favorite for winter
boas.
Red in all shades is more than ever in
vogue.
There is a tendency toward fancy silks
of every description.
Cloth wraps of blue, red, or green are
bordered with black fur.
French ladies wear bracelets on the
outside of the dress sleeves.
Afternoon gowns for brides are made
up in dull porcelain blue shades.
A favorite color is smoke gray made
up in combination with silver frost.
Braiding grows more and more the
rage for jackets, mantles, and gowns.
A woman in New York makes her living
preparing calf's-foot jelly for the sick.
Mrs. Cleveland now conspicuously
figures as a patron of and leader in church
work.
On stylish notepaper, the monogram
is very large, covering in some cases half
the page.
Among the rich ribbons now shown
are velvet stripes on peau de soie grounds
with an ottoman border.
Basket patterns are the correct thing in
silver waist belts. Thick cords of silver
rope are also worn as belts.
The Countess of Pellegrini Bay, one
of the last of the grand dames of the
18th century, has just died in Italy.
Mrs. Wordsworth, the daughter-in-law
of the poet and last survivor of the
occupants of Rydal Mount, is dead.
Most of the popular handkerchief
extracts are made by skillfully combining
the odors of several different flowers.
There is a decided tendency to revive
the use of laces as a finish for the neck,
the front of the corsage and the sleeves.
Double jabots of lace to be worn
with a dressy toilet are made wide at the
throat, tapering to a point at the waist
line.
Neapolitan red is now a reddish
brown similar to the old Bismarck brown.
As yet it is seen only in expensive fabrics.
Very large cravat bows of lace, made
with two great loops without ends, are
worn with tea gowns, jackets and blouse
waists.
Princess Sophie of Prussia, who has
been betrothed to the Crown Prince of
Greece, is eighteen and her fiance twenty.
Lady Colia Campbell is accused of
just enough eccentricity in dress to suggest
an ambition to be conspicuous in public.
Ruches of raveled silk, passed around
the back of the neck and pointed in V
shape in front, are a fashionable neck-
dressing.
Empire gowns for young ladies are
made of fine woolen and have a striped
seal or gay Persian bordered edge for
trimming.
Fraulein von Domming, who received
her training in Philadelphia, is now
a practicing dentist in Weissenau and has
a very large practice.
There are now four medical colleges
for women in the United States. They
are located at Chicago, New York, Phila-
delphia and Baltimore.
Fashionable Americans will avoid Lon-
don this season. By the express command
of the Queen there will be little gaiety
in court circles this winter.

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL.

Scientists say that the only article used as food from the mineral kingdom is common salt.

Dumb-bells weighing three or four pounds are more efficacious in improving the muscles than heavier ones.

It is stated that an alloy made from copper and a new metal called silicium has the malleability and color of virgin gold.

Petrified wood has been found in large quantities in the Hoosic Mountains, near Pisto, Eureka County, Nev. The specimens are oak and pitch pine.

Erreption of the Skin Cured.

BRIDGEVILLE, ONTARIO, CANADA, December 2, 1883.

I have used BRADY'S PILLS for the past fifteen years, and think them the best cathartic and anti-bilious remedy known.

From Republican Headquarters. MORAVIA, N. Y., May 5, 1883.

THE JAPANESE ARMY IS NOW 130,000 STRONG. IT WILL BE 80,000 BEFORE LONG.

Does the Earth Really Move?

Science says that it does, but we cannot help wondering sometimes if there isn't some mistake about it when we see how stubbornly certain old fogies cling to King's Balm and find it very effective in relieving a cough with which I have been afflicted of late.

THE TABLE OF NUTRIMENT.

A pint of white beans, weighing one pound, and costing seven cents, contains, according to the American Analyst, as much nutriment as three pounds and a half of roast beef, costing eighty-seven and a half cents.

Fantastic Canes of Rare Woods.

One of this week's steamships brought over more and prettier canes and umbrella novelties than have ever been imported in one lot before.

Should Women Be Allowed to Vote?

The question of female suffrage has agitated the tongues and pens of reformers for many years, and good arguments have been advanced for and against it.

Important Success Has Been Obtained in Beet Cultivation in Siberia.

Beet cultivation in Siberia has been successful, and the beet has been found to be a valuable food for the people of that region.

The Madeira Archipelago.

Though Madeira is the chief of the Madeira islands, it ought not to make one quite oblivious of the rest of the little archipelago.

The Pulse of Domesticated Animals.

The pulse in all animals varies somewhat even when in full health and at rest.

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