

LOST LITTLE ONES.

I sometimes look beyond the gateway golden,
When step comes silently,
And there within the harbor arms extend
The little ones I see.

THE EARTH AND THE SUN.

An eminent scientist addresses the following letter to the N. Y. Evening Post.

In your editorial article yesterday on "The Wrath of the Elements" you refer to the previous occurrence of the unusual phenomena experienced during the present summer...

For the benefit of the scientific reader it may be well to explain in a few words the nature of sunspots.

Our almanacs may hereafter be made out for general use, not for one year in advance, but for ten, and if there is any reliance to be placed upon Professor Zollner's theory...

THE SUN A VARIABLE STAR.

Here I quote from the interesting little astronomical work of J. Norman Lockyer, the editor of Nature.

EFFECTS OF SUNSPOTS UPON THE EARTH.

We have just seen that the variations of the sun's heat are accompanied by corresponding variations in the supplies of light and heat received at the earth from the sun.

But all these things happened eighty-nine years ago. The sun at that time was in the same condition in which it is now...

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Being sociable requires something more than ceaseless chattering and gauding about it. It requires the culture of expression in all proper and helpful ways of those thoughts and sentiments...

The Best Society.

"No company, or good company," was a motto given by a distinguished man to all his young friends.

Conscience is much more readily put at ease in the matter of church-going than they once were.

Hired Mourners.

All about London, says an English correspondent, you see advertised "cheap funerals."

THE VALUE OF TIME.—To show us the worth of time, God, most liberal of all other things, is exceedingly frugal in dispensing with it.

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The census returns for 1870 give valuable information in regard to this disease in our country.

The Meat Famine in England.

Food is the ultimate measure of population. Malthus holds that population, increasing geometrically, will always keep pace with the supply of food.

Since bread became cheap in England, the artisan classes have increased in geometrical ratio. Their wages have been sufficiently good to command for them a share in the luxuries of life.

As for the tinners and mutton-breeders, the English and the Scotch turn from it with something like disgust, in spite of the pious of the doctors, the superintendents of lunatic asylums, and the governors of convict-prisons.

The men, who have compelled their wages and to reduce their hours of work, now also endeavor to prevent the necessary operation of the law of scarcity.

The worst that will happen to England in consequence of it, is that it will induce a new class of workers to emigrate to America and Australia.

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AGRICULTURAL.

SHITLESS SYSTEMS.—The losses which most reduce the farmers' profits are those which arise from misused opportunities badly planned and executed.

Scientific farming in its best sense is neither more nor less than farming on the basis of the best possible plan.

Regarding barn basements, The Vermont Farmer expresses the opinion that when properly constructed they may be of great value for some purposes.

The Poisonmongers who advertise compounds of fluid fire and pungent alkalies as "balsamic medicines," safe and harmless tonics, and "genial invigorants," are worthy of being classed with the old barometer...

It is due to that conscientious and able physician, Dr. Joseph Walker, of California, to say that he has largely contributed to this desirable end, by providing the world with a Tonic, Cordic and Anti-Febrile Vegetable Preparation...

REMEDY FOR ASTHMA.

We are benefiting our readers when we inform them that a relief for Asthma can be found in using Jonas Whitcomb's Remedy.

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