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REV. DR. TALMAGE SAYS HE finds arbitration is everywhere being substituted for war...

THE most interesting home newspapers were "beaten" by their esteemed English contemporaries in accounts of the recent storm on the Atlantic coast...

WHY don't the Navy Department and marine architects speak in "miles" instead of "knots" when telling the public the distance a warship makes within a hour?

A LEADER in this—It is a national complaint that Paris has given in awards to Johns Hopkins University for its publications...

THE fanatical faith-curer should take a lesson from the practitioner he most strongly resembles, the medicine man of the Indian tribes...

THE CITY of Paris, of the Inman Line of transatlantic steamers, has come nearer to making a five days' trip than any other vessel that has ever made the run between Fastnet and Fire Island...

DEATH CLOSED THE BOOK.—The great-hearted liberator of poor Frank Blair, of the Inter-Ocean, who died recently at his home in Hyde Park, was demonstrated in a final request which he made...

A GORILLA'S BRIDE. Remarkable Adventure of an African Woman in the Congo Territory.

"The natives of Africa are cowards in war," said Carl Steckelman, an explorer. "They never take prisoners, and comparatively few of their enemies are killed outright..."

Parental Mismanagement. There are many mothers who never had any divine call to be such. They have no tact in management...

Queer Ways of Choosing a Minister. The Mennonites of the Hammer Creek district held a special meeting recently to select a minister according to the usual custom...

Carving on Peach Stones. Propertio di Rossi, a maiden of rare beauty, great refinement and unusual education, gave herself very early in life to the study of art...

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NEWS IN BRIEF. A sagacious canine at Johnston, Pa., is not going to get caught in another hood...

An old church in Chabokia, Ill., that was built in 1854 of cedar logs, was torn down recently to make way for a more modern building...

Sir William Harcourt made a rather amusing slip of the tongue in his speech at the Eighty Club at Home recently...

Owners of orange groves in Southern California have, it is said, reaped a bonanza this season...

A colored man had a lively time of it in Williamsport, recently. He attempted to remove some honey from the heart of an elm tree...