Why He Renewed His Youth.

Why He kenewed His Youth. "Why, Brother Dickey, I hardly knew you, you're looking so young and spry! What's up now?" "Well, suh, I's studyin' 'boat gittin' married ergin—dat's all." "Getting married?" "Yes, suh, I made de 'quaintance er a young gal t'er day, en' she 'lowed dat el I'd shave off my gray whiskers, en' chop off de hair what on my head, en' stop limpin' wid de rheumatism, en' wear cloze what come out de sto', en' smoke se-gars, 'stidder pipe, en' stop preachin' 'gin dancin', en' secure my life in her favor fer one hundred dollars, she'd marry me. Dat's how come I look so young!"

# Dont's for Anonymous Letter Writers.

Don't fail to tell the editor you are

Don't neglect to say you "know whereol you speak." Don't forget to declare that you ex-pect he "will be too cowardly to print this."

Don't waste time trying to disguise your handwriting. Nobody will bother

Don't let your conscience trouble you afterward. You have neither put gray hairs in the editor's head nor caused afterward.

Don't give up if your letter is not re-ferred to the next morning. Keep on buying the paper and watching for it.

## The Old Rabit.

"That's a new arrival in heaven," re-marked the shade of Sherlock Holmes; also he was accustomed to wearing a

"Marvelous!" exclaimed the other shade admiringly; "how do you know?" "Simple enough. Whenever he has occasion to tip his halo he tries to grab it by the crown."

## His Veracity Again Impeached.

"When we speak of the 'Father of Lies,' said the Sunday School teacher, "whom do we mean?"

"Herodotos,"promptly answered a lit-tle Boston boy who happened to be in the class.

Highest Award on Cocca and Chocolate The Judges of the Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, have awarded three gold medals to Walter Baker & Co., Limited, Dorchester, Mass., for the superiority of their Breakfast Cocoa and all of their cocoa and chocolate preparations, and the excellence of their exhibit. This is the thirty-seventh highest award received by them from the great expositions in Europe and America.

### Barely Experienced.

"So Floaters has at last got a job with the corporation, ch?" "Yes, and a good salary he gets,

too." "For doing nothing, of course?"

"Yes, but you mustn't forget that he brings a lifetime of experience in that line."-Richmond Dispatch.

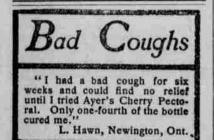
## Care of the 'omptexion.

Many persons with delicate skin suffer greatly in winter from chapping. Frequent-ly the trouble arises from the use of impure scaps and cheap salves. The face and hands should be washed only in clear, hot water with Ivory Soap. A little mutton-tallow or almond pil may be used after the bath to soften the skin. ELIZA B. PARKER.

Some people never attempt to look pleasant except when they are having their pictures taken.

A woman can't throw a stone, but she

It takes a pretty sharp fellow to flatter uccessfully.



THE SWEET INFLUENCES. Dr. Talmage Says We Are Affected for Good or Evil By Forces That We Seldom Recognize.

The Importance of Good Actions-God Helps Us to Live Right.

(Copyright, 180.) WASHINGTON, D. C.—In this discourse Dr. Talmage demonstrates that we are affected by forces that we seldom recog-nize and emlarges upon human accounta-bility. The text is Job xxxviii, 31, "Canst thou bind the sweet influences of Pleiades?"

constellation Taurus, and you can see for yourself. But it is impossible to point to influences far back that have affected our character and will affect our destiny. We know the influences near by pa-ternal, maternal, conjugal-but by the ime we have gone back two generations, or, at most, three, our investigations falter and fail. Through the modern, ind the ancestral tree we may find a long list of names, but they are only ment of some one 200 years ago was not recorded. It would not be so important if you and 1, by our good or bad be-mediately around us, but our goodness strongest ray of Aleyone-yea, eros she iternity. Under this consideration, what do you think of those who give iternity. Under this consideration, what do you think of those who give ind throw away fifty years of their exist-med throw away fifty years of the years of the years and throw away fifty years of the years and years and throw away fifty years of the years and years and throw away fifty years of the years and years and throw away fifty years of the years and years and throw away fifty years of the years and years and the years of the years and years and years the years and years and years and the years and years a

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joyed mother and pronouncing nine bene-dictions on the Mount of Bentitudes and doing deeds and speaking words which are filling the centuries with sweet in-fluences. fluences. Christ started every ambulance, kindled every electric ray, spread every soft hospital pillow and introduced all the alleviations and pacifications and rescues and mercies of all time. He was the loveliest being that ever trod our earth-more beauty in His eyes, more tenderness in His manner, more gentleness in His footateps, more music in His voice, more dignity in His brow, more gracefulness in the locks that rolled upon His shoulders, more compassion in His soul. Sweet influences of the Holy Ghost, not the shoulders, more compassion in His soul. Sweet influences of the Holy Ghost, with all His transforming and comforting and emancipating power. When that yower is fully felt there will be no more sins to pardon, and no more errors to correct, and no more bondage to break. But as the old-time ship captains watched the rising of the Pleiades for safe navi-gates and the relation of the relation of the port before the constellation Orion came into sight—the season of cyclone and nurricane—so there is a time to sail for huences are upon us and before the storms overtake and delay. Open all your fort and inspiration of that gospel which has already peopled heaven with millions of the ransomed and is helping other millions to that glorious destina-tion. Do not postpone the times of God and ternity until the storms of the woop and the caliations of a great futur-are upon us. Do not dare wait until Orion takes the place of the Pleiades. Weigh anchor now and with chart un-rouled and pilot on board head for the eugling and raptures that await all the oradle, neither light nor the sun, for the Lord God giveth them light, and they shall reign forever and ever."

# THE SABBATH SCHOOL.

nternational Lesson Comments For November 3,

abject: Death of Joseph, Gen. L, 15-26-Golden Text, Pan. xc., 12-Memory Verses, 18-21-Commentary on the Day's Lesson.

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and obtain a fresh assurance of his for-giveness. 17. "Forgive." etc. These words were wonderfully well chosen, and were spo-ken in a way to appent in the most forci-ble mainer to Joseph's piety and fillal af-fection. They cast themselves wholly on his mercy. "Joseph wept." How touch-ing! He wept out of sympathy with their deep sorrow of many years which nothing but forgiveness and reconciliation could alleviate.

alleviate. 18. "Fell down." Thus again and again do we see the fulfilment of Joseph's dreams in a remarkable manner. 37: 5.8. 19. "In the place of God." I have for-given you and the matter is now between you and God. I am not your judge to pun-ish you.

Just What he Told Him to ha In a Massachusetts town last winter James A. Riis was asked by a gaunt, fu-nereal sort of chap what he should say by way of introducing him to an as-semblage. "Oh," said Mr. Riis, in a spirit of

levity, "say anything you like. Say I am the most distinguished citizen in the country. They generally do." Whereupon his funereal friend march-

ed upon the stage and calmly announced to the audience that he did not know with introducing; never heard of him. "He tells me," he went on, with never a wink, "that he is the most distinguish-

ed citizen in the country. You can judge for yourselves when you have heard

"Injun Summer." Here is a Georgia boy's composition

on "Indian Summer:" "Iujun Summer is the best season of "Iujun Summer is the best season of the year, 'cept swimmin' time. The days are so still you kin hear Dad swearin' two miles off, as well as every lick Ma hits him with the broomstick. The rea-son it is called Injun Summer is because they ain't no injuns in it, 'cept them Dad sees when he comes home from the Store with two gallons of Apple Brandy an' says He reckons He knows who is boss of the Household, an' no Woman on Earth can rule him. Let us Woman on Earth can rule him. Let us All be Thankful for Injun Summer an be good till after Chris'mus.

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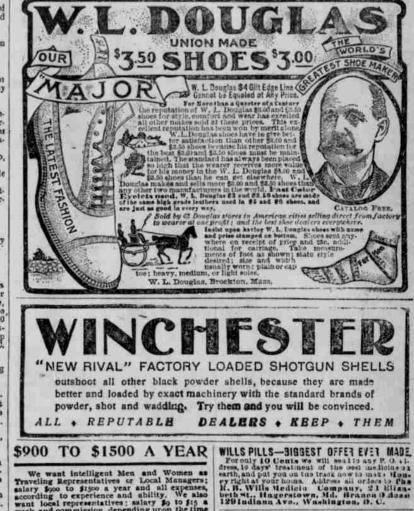
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atronomers can easily locate the Ple-s. They will take you into their ob-ratories on a clear night and aim their valing instrument toward the part in Leavens where these seven stars have

# Shocking Turkish Superstition

Hanan, a village on the borders of Anatolia, in Turkey, was the scene of a horrible tragedy a few days ago. There had been an epidemic in the district for some weeks, and, as its ravages ever became greater, the villagers finally felt satisfied that it was the work of sorcerers, and, after a thorough investigation, they arrested a man named Aslan and his sister and openly charged them with being the direct cause of the disease. The two prisoners avowed their innocence, but the mob insisted that they had been using incantations and other evil spells, and that their sole object in doing so was to invoke an epidemic. Without delay sentence was pro-nounced. Asian was burned alive on an improvised scaffold, and his sister

was mercilessly tortured with red hot

News of the shocking crime was at once taken to the local authorities and in a few hours the principal instiga-tors were arrested. It is not believed, however, that this step will aid much toward the extirpation of superstitious

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### TWENTY-FIVE DOLLAR LUNCHES.

It is pleasant to be able to teach even the Figaro its Parls history. 1 read the story of Emile, so long fam-ous as maitre d'hotel of Bignon's, and the mysterious diner who ato one shrimp, one radish, two or three spoonfuls of a soup especially pre-pared for him, a mouthful of sole, a slice from an entire chicken, a nibblo at a beefsteak, two leaves of lettuce. four grapes, one glass of the finest wine and a bottle of champagne that he simply used as the ordinary indi-vidual uses rose water. His lunch never cost less than \$25, and he always distributed \$10 in tips. The Figaro says no one knew who he was. Well, I can put the dots on the "i's" and the I can put the dots on the "Is" and the crosses on the "Us" to that story. He was an Englishman and was familiarly known as "Tubby" Morris. He lived at the Grand hotel and there he died some years ago. He was one of the rare men who made money out of bet-ting. He could never pull out a news-paper without finding several bank notes mixed up in its pages. His gen-erosity was proverbial among the poor.

Any transp will tell you that a dog in the manger is worth two in the front yard.

Singular people-Old maids and bache-

Social elements are queer things. Even the washerwoman must draw the line

somewhere.

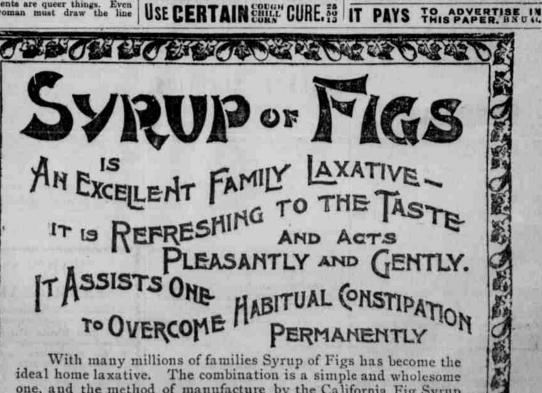
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