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POETICAL.



NO GOD:

'No God! No God!' The simplest flower...

The solemn forest lifts its head, The Almighty to proclaim...

The palm tree, with its princely crest, The cocoa's leafy shade...

'No God!' with indignation light The freest sun is stirred...

MAY.

The grass on the hillside is springing, The cowslips are shining like gold...

The wind from the blossoming orchards Brings up the low hum of the bees...

MISCELLANY.

THE BOY AND THE WOLF.

About forty years ago, when I was a little boy of seven years...

FROM HON. G. W. WOODWARD, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania...

FROM REV. JOSEPH J. KENNARD, D.D., Pastor of the Tenth Baptist Church, Philadelphia...

FROM HON. JAMES THOMPSON, Judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania...

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arate us. The bright sun shone in upon us, with its dazzling light on the one side...

A Romance in Colorado.

A letter from Denver says: A very pretty romance, in which a woman is not mixed up...

TWO MEALS A DAY.—If any man or woman of forty-five or over, not engaged in hard manual labor...

HINTS TO WRITERS.—1. Be brief This is the age of telegraphs and stenography...

A QUAKER'S HORSE.—When the Second Indiana Cavalry Regiment was originally recruited...

On a recent occasion an Irishman listening to F. Douglass, who was expatiating on Government and freedom...

There are persons in Illinois who have the proper reverence for places of public worship...

Reader when you die it will be I trust in the sabbath calm of your hushed chamber...

A new-made widow went recently to a life insurance office to receive the amount of a policy on her husband's life...

Sudden Destruction.

A man whose name need not be mentioned, attended divine service, not long since, in one of the middle counties of Virginia...

The next morning the profane man was at a railroad station, but a mile or two from the church where he had received the solemn warning...

Beware how you trifle with sacred things. Be careful how you insult and grieve God's Holy Spirit...

A Wish and a Want.

There is a great deal of wise economy and prudent management embodied in the proper application of a wish and a want...

Two darkies of Augusta, Ga., went out to fight a duel the other day, but while they were shaking with pistols in their hands...

A DUET THAT DIDN'T COME OFF.—Two darkies of Augusta, Ga., went out to fight a duel the other day...

A new-made widow went recently to a life insurance office to receive the amount of a policy on her husband's life...

Smith and Brown running opposite ways the other day came in contact with each other...

'O, deigh, how you make my head ring,' said Smith. 'That's a sign it's hollow,' said Brown...

'That's a sign it's cracked,' replied his friend—and then they parted.

THE LUNAR MOUNTAINS.—It is reported that the German astronomer, Madler, has measured the height of 1,093 mountains in the moon...

'Won't you cut open a penny for me, father?' said a little girl, when she came home from school one day...

In one of the rural towns in Rhode Island, through which swept a recent revival, there dwells a father and three sons...

'I am come for my umbrella,' said the lender of it, on a rainy day to a friend. 'Can't help that,' said the borrower...

It is a fact not generally known, perhaps, that Washington drew his last breath in the last hour of the last week, in the last month of the year, and the last year of the century...

SEA AND LAND.

FROM NEW YORK TO SAN FRANCISCO. NUMBER SEVEN.

Passing the West Indies—The Barbadoes—Beautiful Scenery—Ranges of Mountains in the Sea—What the volcano done—Death of a Sailor—Buried at Sea—A Sailor's Life—Capture of a Shark—How disposed of.

For a whole day after leaving St. Thomas we glided along under the shores and among these isles of perpetual summer...

On the third day after leaving St. Thomas an occurrence took place which may not prove uninteresting. One of the crew had not been very well since we left Hampton Roads...

The deep-toned call, 'All hands bury the dead' went like a knell through our ship. The body, wrapped in that hammock in which he had so often swung...

Reader when you die it will be I trust in the sabbath calm of your hushed chamber; but the poor sailor dies at sea between the narrow decks of his rolling vessel...

We were approaching the region of dolphins, porpoises, sharks and small whales, and our sailors had their harpoons and hooks all rigged...

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A schoolmaster in a Lancaster county public school was drilling a class of youngsters in arithmetic. He said to them: 'If I cut an apple in two what will the parts be?'

No person ever got stung by hornets who kept away from where they were.—It is just so with habits.

A Good Story.

A very amusing anecdote is told of an Irishman who happened to be in Paris a short time ago, while three crowned heads of Europe were there on a visit to his Imperial Majesty Napoleon...

'Faith and that I will, my boys,' says Pat, at the same time taking a mental photograph of the three 'boys.' 'This way, my hearties,' and so they were conducted to the gates of the Royal Palace...

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