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Twelve Pages.

Bits of Wisdom.

A young girl once heard a bit of wisdom from the lips of a very aged woman-a woman who had rounded the full term of ninty years, and with eyes still bright and clear looked out upon the inrolling waters of eternity. The girl was impressed by the empha-sis with which the venerable dame nent the pleasure of this coveted concluding thrust and yet placidly retain her own opinion, and in the homely brother-in-law's residence, he confessliving together in great peace with the most pronounced diversity of characteristics, "do as he is a mind to which had occasioned the sin. As the

densed into a pithy sentence : Avoid infidel said within himself, "There is a is taken for granted. Every action, every decision, every new departure, every acceptance or rejection of in invitation, must be endlessly talked and fussed over, explained and reex-plained. In that way lie all sorts of stumbling blocks. As a rule, beyond your parents or your husband, there is nobody who has a right to demand of you explanatious at each step of your onward path. Don't give them. your onward path. Don't give them. Establish a reputation for keeping your own counsel. It will serve you well in many a crisis, and be no end of comfort. Bishop Smythies, in Central Africa says: "A danger which has to be avoided in an uncivilized country by a mission-assured him that farther south they would meet with green fields and

even ten minutes, we would save oursel-ves many a quarrel, many a heartburn,

brilliancy of gold.

Candied Fruits - Preserve the fruit then dip it in sugar boiled to candy thickness, afterwards dry it. Grapes

A physician says that a boil should not be allowed to progress, if it can be stopped at the outset, as the system is more likely to be poisoned than relieved by the gathering matter. The boil should be painted with iodine, and will not amount to anything if policy is to drive out as many as possi taken in the first stages.

Molasses Cookies. - One cup butter. two cups molasses, one teaspoon cloves, one tablespoon ginger. Flour to make a batter. Mould into small cakes, and bake in a slow and steady oven.

America First Discovered by a Boy Speaking Unadvisedly.

Dr. A. Manan. The celebrated preacher and theo logian, Dr. Hopkins, was afflicted wegian boy named Biorn, son of Herhad a brother-in-law, a member of the for in those days sons did not share legal profession, who was an infidel. the father's name. This man was accustomed to say to his

family, "Dr. Hopkins is, at heart, no better than I am, and I will prove it to you some day." One evening Dr. land settlement, and placed one of

The infidel, knowing well the weak tails of his profession by the time that the influence we exert, whether we he arrived at an age when other boys will or not is most powerfully feit. A the most unjust claims for the purpose of exciting his anger. The attempt was a success. Dr. Hopkins left the When near the southern coast of usually commence their apprenticehouse in a rage, closing the door be-bind him with much violence. "There " exclaimed the infidel to his said to her, "Bessie never insist on having the last word." The determi-nation to have the final word leads to there in prayer to God. As the morn-ing dawned an ineffable peace pervaded his whole beiug. Hastening to his the sin which he had committed which had occasioned the sin. As the man of God retired from the house the

Russian Jews.

Not only is Russia terribly persecut-ing the poor peaceful Stundists, but

Greenlaud Biorn's ship encountered a heavy northeasterly gale, which last-

more quarrels and more bitterness of feelings at home than almost any-thing in domestic life. The fact is, that one may control her tongue and her eyes that she may allow her oppo-nent the pleasure of this coveted confar to the south and west. The storm his closet and spent the entire night large bay, into which he steered and an appeal to the Church Extension vegetation and the streams swarming with fiue salmou. Trees of large coloquial parlence of the up country, ed with tears to him and his family back from the shore, and the climate back from the shore, and the climate was balmy and delightful. Of natives

land uninhabited. Rejoiced over his important discovery, Biorn returned to Iceland, and communicated the news to his friend at that time, but he was so attracted by the devotion, zeal and faith of his

When our houses take fire, the first impulse is to go after a bucket of throw on more fuel. Now the best to throw on more fuel. Now the best strate to gatter bucket for aroused temper is resolute silence, If, whenever an irritating act were done, or an injury struck is specified to the world, that which we call clumps of small trees, they gave the who are so disheartened by a small we have the to the world, that which we call clumps of small trees, they gave the who are so disheartened by a small we have the to the world, that which we call clumps of small trees, they gave the who are so disheartened by a small we have the to the world, that which we call clumps of small trees, they gave the who are so disheartened by a small we have the to the structure who has the structure who have the to the world, that which we call clumps of small trees, they gave the who are so disheartened by a small we have the to the structure who have the to the world, that which we call the structure who have the tow powers which God has the structure the tow power the tow power the tow power the tow the tow the best placed in the world, that which we call the tow the the tow the the tow the tow the tow the tow the the tow t ting act were done, or an injury struck us, we should firmly seal our lips for even ten minutes, we would save oursel-the sword, and he has always to take they fell in with a new line of coast, ves many a quarrel, many a heartburn, many a mortification, many a disgrace to our religious profession. Speech is often explosive and shattering. Si-

ounce of alum to a pint of water; will be sure to recoil upon him here-when dry, rub with leather and fine after and spoil-all his work, if he goes tripoli. This will give to brass the out of his sphere and snatches a power of the ship returned to her first anwhich God has not committed to him. chorage, where the explorers passed We are careful to teach our people that the winter.

even heathen chiefs have their power In the account of this remarkable from God, and that they are to be voyage, made five centuries before obeyed as holding a power from God. King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella eight hours. This proves conclusively that this Vinland of theirs was no farther north than Newfoundland, otherwise the length of the day would

she is also harrying the Jews on a People. Give the Boys a Chauce. ble and to mass the rest in the frontier I think we need to study our chilprovinces bordering on Austria or Ger-

setting them an example.

Mother in Detroit Free Press.

War is enormously prolific of vices

Unconscious Influence

Almost four hundred and fifty years It is a curious fact that the persons who exert the most influence in the hard work; and if I am to be any-world are those who are the least thing above a circuit preacher, it is before Christopher Columbus was born America was discovered by a Norlogian, Dr. Hopkins, was afflicted wegian boy named Biorn, son of Her-with a very ungovernable temper. He golf. He was known by no other title, impressions we make upon others are These were the we impressions we make upon others are made when we have the least thought preacher who had given a dozen years of impressing any one.

In the year 1002 Hergolf, an Ice-It is when we are off guard, in those thinking. moments when the soul lifts the curland colonist fitted out two small velmoments when the soul lifts the curtain which shuts it off from the out- a circuit preacher, it is time for me to to you some day." One evening Dr. Hopkins called upon his brother-in-law biot day upon his brother-in-law biot hese under the command of his son which they were mutually concerned. The infidel, knowing well the weak tails of his profession by the time that the infidence of the barrets of his conference can keep will or not, is most powerfulfy feit. A

striking example of this quiet influ-ence comes up in the case of the late circuit or station, if he is where God in Charles Pathgate Beck, who left such a magnificent gift to the cause of

Home Missions. Some years ago the Presbyterian church of West Farms, New York, where Mr. Beck made his home, was in great financial trouble, and with-out a pastor, The congregation made agement. The moderator of the church who was himself the pastor of a struggling church, advised them to make every effort to keep the Church alive. Acting upon his suggestion twentyfive members united in pledging them they saw nothing, and believed the support of the church, and so they

struggled on until help came. Mr. Beck was not a member of the church

I Assisted by my Presence.

The French "saying," when rightly considered and acted on, is a good one. It is applied by the French to

to address a thin house knows the control of mere conventional standards.

who are so disheartened by a small audience that they not infrequently make a spiritless affair out of what would have been a brilliant and effect-

is often explosive and shattering. Si-lence is cooling. It cools us off, and cools other people. Brass ornaments should be first washed with a strong lye made of Tock-alum, in the proportion of one ownee of alum to a sint of automation for the power of force; for this is unable to the power of the power of force; for this is a talent committed to our that it is a talent committed to our stewardship, a stewardship for which we are accountable. Consequently the babit of attending on preaching, and on sabbath school, and 'on week evenings services is one well worth forming; if for no other reason, than we may stay up the hands of those "who stand for us on holy ground," The one who is present, but is either listless or who is whispering or restless. turning the head when the door opens to see who is coming in, or to see what some one is wearing, would assist more by absence than by pres-abode. The battle still rages. Let u-not therefore be termined to think that have been shorter .- Harper's Young

The good example of prompt, atten-

He Wants to Go Up.

"I think I have done my share of

to the itinerancy. They set me to

man is God's no couference can keep him out of the place God chooses for

wants him. Jonah took a notion to "go up," but did he?

"My share of hard work did minister of Christ say that? Let us compare the Master and His servant. Christ said, "I must work the works of Him who sent Me while it is day; the night cometh when no man can

His servant said, "I think I have done my share of hard work." Christ said, 'I must work while it is day. The servant said, "I have done my share of hard work" before the sun had

reached the zenith. Christ worked one day until amid the agouies of Calvery He cried out, 'It

is finished !" "Let us concider Him that endureth such contradictions of sinners against Himself," lest we be worried and faint in our minds.

"We have not yet resisted unto blood

striving against sin." Work in station or on circuit while it is day. Soon the night will curtain us about, and the stars of eternity will gleam in our sky. May the last rays of life's setting sun illuminate our loving, cheerful toil for human weal !-- Methodist Protestant.

Personal Faith.

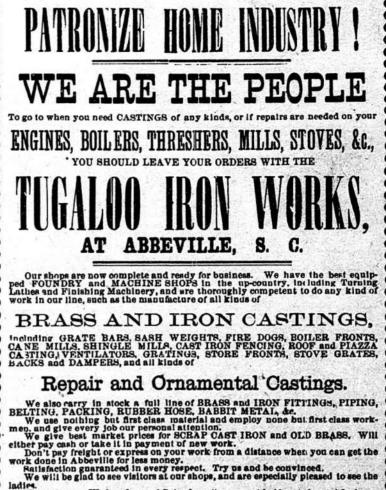
What a change would come over our whole lives were we-from this hour to the final close-men and women of faith in the highest sense! Vast possibilities of usefulness, hitherto un

known, would open before us. We would then live no longer under the

Efforts for God and humanity would no more be paralyzed by depression and fitful impulse. Divine promises would continually come to us with all the force of a fresh spiritual revelation. Though immersed in the details of ordinary life, we should feel every moment that we were on our way to a higher destiny. Crosses and losses would be to us the means of a more intimate fellowshp with God, and our conviction of the reality of the Gospel would he to us an ever-growing stimulus in the path of duty.

comfort. But let us not make any mistake at A warm bath with an ounce of sea this point ! Such a faith would not always insure an eyen path for our feet. The victory of faith can only be where there is something to overcome, some struggle, some combat, some tempta-tion, some burden to lift for the Mas-ter. The assurance that we shall have tribulation in this this world is not fully understood by many. Our faith does not annihilate our foes; it only makes us conquerors over them. Enemies will still rise up along life's pathway before us, plotting evil against us, seeking in every possible way to de stroy our trust, and leaving no stone untrued to hinder our progress. "The devil goeth about like a roaring lion." tion.

abode. The battle still rages. Let us not, therefore be tempted to think that because there is struggle we are not tive presence is a power for good on hearers as well as the speaker. The the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith.'



ladies. We cast every Wednesday and Saturday afternoon at half-past three o'clock. The country people are especially invited to call whenever they are in town.

W. P. BEARD. } Proprietors . Tugaloo Iron Works Abbbeville, May 8, 1893.

Tired Feet.

Walking heats the feet, standing uses them to swell, and both are tiresome and exhaustive when pro-

in time, cure a nervious headache, and

salt is almost as restful as a nap. Pad- way through college, or women who sait is almost as restful as a nap. Pad-dle in the water until it cools, dry with a rough towels, put on fresh stockings, have a change of shoes; and the wo-man who was "ready to drop" will have a very good understanding in ten minutes. The quickest relief from fa-tigue is to plunge the foot in ice-cold water and keen it immersed until there water and keep it immersed until there but they are also expected to encourage is a sensation of warmth. Another tonic for the sole is a handful of al-they buy, they load their shelves with cohol. This is a sure way of drying the feet after being out in the storm. Spirit baths are used by professional pedestrians to keep the feet in condi-

their influence. If they do not buy, An Elephant's Self-Denial. While in England Captain Marryat, they are regarded as mean, disympathe public, and generally n a larg teen them from the cracks and crannies of able to the agent. We have determin-his thick hide. His persecutors were ed for ourselves that we will never buy still annoying him greatly, as was This he laid down before the animal, competition, let it die, as it ought. waying: "Watch it!" and walked away. The elephant immediately

longeil. There are various kinds of foot baths, and authorities differ as to their value. Hot water enlarges the feet by drawing the blood to them; when used they should be rubbed or

are trashy and useless. They are always sold at exorbitant prices. The profits of the agents-usually forty

high price. The agents are often seminarians, who are trying to work their

to others, who may be cheated through the novelist, was intensely interested in the devotion and self-denial of a huge elephant. The beast was de-fending himself from swarms of mosevident from his motions, when his another book sold by subscription. If keeper appeared with a little child it cannot enter the market in a fair

What Others Say.

Methodist Protestant. As a rule, books sold by subscriptions

exercised before attempting to put on a per cent.—are added to the full retail tight boot. Mustard and hot water in price of the book. It is usually bound foot bath will sidetrack a fever if taken in a cheap, but showy form and well per cent .- are added to the full retail iu a cheap, but showy form, and well nduce sleep. Bunions, corns, and calcu ated to create the impression of callousness are nature's protection a- great intrinsic value. To this is added gainst bad shoe leather. Two hot foot baths a week and a little pedi-curing will remove the cause of much dis-high price. The agents are often and poor victim buys a worthless book at a

weigh the apple. Put pound to pound thus escape go to Hamburg, and thence about their pastimes and annusements of pine apple and sugar. Boil it in a to England, America, or Baron when out of your sight, and of their Pine Apple Jam.-Peel, grate, and reserving kettle thirty or forty Hirsch's Argentine settlements. The minutes

To Clean Gold .- Powder some whiting, and make it into a moist paste with some salvolatile. Cover over the gold ornaments and surface with a soft brush: let it dry, and then brush it off with a moderately hard brush.

Tomato Butter .- Nine pounds tomatoes after they are peeled, three pounds sugar, one pint good vinegar, all the cinnamon necessary to flavor. Boil four or five hours.

Charcoal is reccomended as an ab orber of gases in the milk room where foul gases are present. It should be freshly powdered and kept there continually

Turkey Patties.—Mince some of the white part, and with grated lemon, salt, a very little white pepper, cream and a very little bit of butter warmed, fill the patties.

Crullers .- One pound of sugar, onespoon soda, one nutmeg. Flour to by a foreign Government.

Silverware may be kept bright and clean by coating the articles (warmed) with a solution of collodion diluted with alcohol.

To restore frost-bitten vegetables lay them in cold water an hour before boiling and put a piece of saltpetre in the saucepan when set on the fire.

When orange or lemons are used for juice, chop down the peel, put them in small pots and tie them down

Salt water, as a lotion for weak eyes, is highly recommended by many and gives much relief physicians. when eyes have been strained by overwork.

Soak isinglass in water until soft, then dissolve it in proof spirits, and add a little resin; good for china and glass.

"Mereblank submission to what we cannot help is a very bitter thing, but with loving acceptance comes peace."

Knowledge, like religion, must be experienced in order to be truly known.

God sometimes keeps a Caleb and a Joshua waiting, but he always gets them into the Promised Land.

Faith without love is omnipotence on her sour pucker !"" without a heart. It is the power of we with the blindness of a bat.

Call the devil by his right name and there are men in every crowd who will claim that you have insulted them.

Grape juice has killed more than grapeshot.

Culture never made a saint. Life is not measured by the time we live.

-Do you love little children? Then scatter more smiles among them.

If all loved "as brethren" there would be no unsanctified strife of ton- seeks him with a bottle in his coat-tail pocket, gues.

vigorously pursued. Its natural effect may be to each other it is essential that equality of treatment be used. is to drive over the frontier all who can afford to avoid the misery of the life Give the boys a chance. Let them afford to avoid the misery of the fire feel that they have a warm place in provided for them in the frontier feel that they have a warm place in sour mother heart. Wish to know

owns and provinces. All those who Russian treatment of these unhappy people is simply barbarism of the worst type. Here is an instance of

their experience :--"While the Jews constitute only 3.65 per cent. of the population of European Russia, the army conscriptions for a series of twelve years-1875-1886-

show the average proportion of Jewish soldiers to be 5.97 per cent. Yet there is no lie of which Russian writers and

to them.

Ireland is no parallel to this. It will

the Germans in Russia are a communfourth pound of butter, six eggs, one ity of hard-working, honest citizens, tablespoon sweet milk, one small tea- whose only crime is that they are ruled ----

The Sour Packer.

and crimes. Cruelty, drunkenness "Was it as pleasant as you thought and licentiousness thrive in camp and it would be? asked mother, as Mabel field, and spread like a contagious disease through communities that are incame in from a school exhibition.

"Ob, yes, it was splendid said the title girl; "I should like to see it all Long after armies are disbanded the little girl : over again." The mother listened attentively as

itself. Always the morality of civil Mabel described all she had seen. life is lowered by a war, and at its Then, looking tenderly at her, she said: close and long after, criminal statistics "But I am very sorry, my dear, that show a marked increase. Millitary you had so poor a seat."

"Why mother what do you mean? of human life and great disregard of Why mother what do you mean i rights in property. Often the forager becomes a thief. Unquestionably there

seat?" "Oh, I heard about it. A great has been vast improvement in military many who were there knew it." "I nerty and lives of non-combatants are "Mother I don't understand. I perty and lives of non-combatants are never spoke to a single person from much safer now than in former times. the time I went in till the time I came But the best that can be said is that

out-not one. To be sure I didnot there has been a reduction of the evils have a good seat at all, but I didn't incident to war. Those evils cannot complain. I got along the best I could be wholly abated while war continues and managed to see it all. Who could to be the means of settling internahave told you such a thing ?" "Our tongues don't tell all the tales tional differences.

As long as men in uniform are licensthat are told, Mabel dear. Our faces talk some times, you know." will there be a baleful overflow of de-

not get at you; when I asked him paigns. how he knew it, he said: 'Oh, any In or In one word, then, let it be said plainly, that war contradicts the funone could read it in her face; she had

damental principles of morality, often "The face talks indeed it does ! stunts or destroys the noblest virtues, Many a secret thought is revealed by promotes the worst vices, and retards

the moral progress of the species this mischevious little telltale." It is the beautiful work of Christian-

How to Preserve Eggs.

desired.

To each pailful of water add two ity everywhere to adjust the burden pints of fresh slacked lime and one of life to those who bear it, and them pint of common salt; mix well. Fill to it. It has a perfectly miraculous your barrel half full with this fluid, gift of healing.

put your eggs down in it any time after June, and they will keep two years if - Faith sees worlds that are not open to any other eye. It has been well said: "The Holy Spirit can put an eye of faith into the soul, and thus,

God is hard to find for the man who make the things of God manifest to

it, as He did to the Old Testament saints, who saw things afar off."

dren, and however dissimilar they tive. d atten striving t and present in good time. is powerful for good in character-building on all concerned, especially in the character of one practicing it. There is no one about their pastimes and anusements you assist by such presence more than yourself .- George May Powel in Sun-

day-school Journal.

The Science of Home Making.

It is a comforting fact and one of temper and disposition and give them timely counsel. Let them enjoy the the indications of a higer culture that the press dispatches showed it the land. refinements of home that are so often homekeeping is gradually becoming When she realized her, awful fate "she only reserved for the girls. In attendelevated to the level of a science. In gave an agonizing wail, and then her ing to their wants be prompt, thus pioneer times homekeeping was a

cordial feminine virtue. It was woven tyr's strength. 'I can die; O, yes, I Occasionally allow a room entirely out of industry, cleanliness and conat their service for an evening to en- tent with the warp of necesity. There to the strong men who were weeping tertain their companious. A boy likes were fewer diversions than during reis no lie of which Russian writers and apologists are more foud than that the Jews continually evade their military duties. The truth is that by a device of counting dead men they are called upon for much more than theis proper to the strick is made a reproach to them."

ing in October, 1892, will have seen tot an and solveness ratios practices. This result was that grandianer's clock The closing minute was a pathetic not less than 225,000 human beings bond of sympathy between our natures driven from their homes and the land being strongly established, there will where it for years stood, usurped by a was the flesh that fought and not the being strongly ended of preaching against the index of their structure in the spirit. The white face of the woman cigar habit and saloons and their at- spinning-wheel was dusted up and Ireland is no parallel to this. It will be that evils. A son who loves his draped in a crushed-rasherry scarf and be the turn of the German next, and mother when he marries will be most group in a most conspicuous corner. stood in a most conspicuous corner. likely to make a good husband .- A The capets were thrown out and pol

ished floors, in alleged imitation of

the sand-scoured floors of our ancestors, took their place. The marble manuel was suppressed by the old-time fire-place made of brick and tiles, the his own. ruder the better sometimes, and the fire-dogs of long ago came to light, or tation to refer to military instances in the brass andirons were polished up to preaching. We therefore here note do service. All these innovations the action of Miss Jane Williamson, appeared in the light of a fad, but few who shared with her brother the bad product survives and perpetuates fads have for a foundation such a real blessings and dangers of the pioneer ly an acknowledgement that the suits ninety years of age, and has been for and trappings of our modern homes do not bring with them home atmosphere. The idea was that the dear old things from the garret could convey to the interior of the modern and trappings of our modern homes atmosphere. The idea was that the dear old things from the garret could convey to the interior of the modern and trappings of our modern homes atmosphere. The idea was that the dear old things from the garret could convey to the interior of the modern and the modern homes the dear of the context the took off her own skirt to wrap about her, and thus caught the cold which palace some of the contentment that caused her loss of sight. belongs to their time. They faild, but She certainly is a heroine, but withthey furnished later on the keynote of an idea for domestic science. an idea for domestic science.

If every Christian who trims his

who once visited a light-house in the aspect, but grows in lovliness and that are told, Madel dear. Our laces with and not and told in so long, who once visited a light-house in the aspect, but grows in loviness and ders that he was not again to be dis-talk some times, you know." The child was speechless, and mother went on; "Uncle George was in just now, and told me that he was sorry you had so poor a seat, but he could rest at very when L asked him. world. If to-night my burner went out, in a few days I might hear from ease, poverty, death, sorrow, all come

me. Go out ! - burn dim !- never, sir,

never !"-Theodore L. Cuyler, D. D.

get rid of them.

who is nearest consistency steers the crookedest course.

known of him.



The saddest of the many sad deaths at the fearful railroad wreck at Battle Creek, Mich., was that of a lady who, uninjured but pinioned beneath the wreckage, was burned to death in the away. presence of strong men unable to save broke off a small whisk from the large her. Even in her dire agony she showed how a Christian can die, and woman's weakness gave way to a martion can die if I must,' she said soothingly imitated.

in their impotent strength. Again they struggled to rescue her, but the flames were encircling the party, and the blaze claimed the victim that the crash had spared. 'I am a Christian,' she said, resignedly, and a moment later her voice was raised in prayer. The flames now completely enveloped By the lowest estimate the year end-or in October, 1892, will have seen for all kinds of vicious practices. This result was that grandfather's clock The closing minute was a pathetic

try to oil all the various wheels of busy life with an implicit belief that gazed heavenward and her lips moved there are a brain and a heart to this in prayer." -Mid Continent. great universe, and that I can trust hem both."

We often hear in sermons the account of the soldier in Napolian's Russian war, who gave his overcoat to save the life of his general, and lost

There seems always to be a temp purpose as this one had. It was mere- mission among the Sioux, who is over would if he performed a similar acro- one of the worst. batic feat? The skull, when we shall

One or the prime differences belamp and keeps the oil of grace up to tween "prosperity and "adversity" is

France or Spain, or from Scotland or to us with unbenign countenances; America, that on such a night the but from one after another the masks wrecked. Ah, sir, I sometimes feel, ing looked in the face of God." Afflickind of prosperity .- S. S. Times.

The best universities cannot teach

The best universities cannot teach have took it down to the visitor, and she, statis squarley in the face will never get rid of them. No man is perfectly consistent. He who is userest toosistency steers the struggle ourselves and then we can be idle, wandering about from house to well, and allow it to cool slowly. touched, and can give help to others house ; and not only idle, but tattlers When the articles are taken out and If any man love God the same is in life's sore stress and poignant also and busybodies, speaking things washed, they will resist any sudden which they ought not."

bough, and, instead of fanning him- discussing the question of "Criminals self, directed his attention to driving and Heredity," says: "I am able, away every mosquito from the infant. after an experience of more than forty turned two hours after, thus setting, years with nearly 20,000 juveniledelinthough a brute, an example of devo- quents, to endorse Wm. M. F. Round's which few men would have views touching the power of heredity in criminals as a predisposing cause to crime. Among this large number of young offenders I can state with entire A happy and vigorous old lady in New Hampshire give these rules for the secret of success of eighty years' children born of criminal parents; living on this planet, which brings so and with equal confidence I am able much care and worry to many of her sisters: "I never allow myself to fret over things I cannot help. I take a nap, and sometimes two, every day of training, in bad companionship and in my life. I never take my washing, ironing, or baking to bed with me, and associations and influences."

A writer in the New York Observer,

Nashville Christian Advocate

Regularity of habits is not only one of the prime conditions of success in secular life, but is also one of the great

Why a Cat Falls With Impunity .- safeguards of character. The man who It is quite wonderful to see a cat jump from a height. It never seems to hurt itself, or to get giddy with the fall. wrong. Fixed hours for work, for eat-It always lands on its feet, and these ing and sleeping, for reading and are so beautifully padded that they writing, and for praying, should be seldom or never get broken. Why does not the animal get a headache after its jump! Why does it not re-habit is one of the best friends that ceive a concussion as a man or dog any man eyer had; and a bad one is

Raleigh Advocate.

see that it has a regular partition wall Perfectly Legitimate.-For members projecting from its sides, a good way inward toward the center, so as to preof a Conference to speak with each vent the brain from suffering from other about the fitness and qualificaconcussion, explains it. This is inleed a beautiful contrivance, and tions of brethren to represent the Conshows an admirable internal structure ference in the General Conference is made in wonderful conformity with perfectly legitimate; but for any one external form and nocturnal habit. to set out to secure the election of a

Rev. Brooke Hereford, formerly of brother, and seek to influence others Boston, does not like to be interrupted in his behalf, is wholly inconsistent so, not long since, finding himself somewhat behindhand with his prepa-liable to great abuse. Every man lamp and keeps the oil of grace up to tween prosperity and adversity is when he is busy writing a sermon, and its full supply is such a blessed bene-factor to others, what a terrible thing and grows inside with familiarity; ration for the coming Sunday, he re-the source of the supposed competent to make the supposed competent to make source of the supposed competent to make the supposed competence to the supposed competence tothere tothe supposed cothere to the supposed competenc low or go out entirely! A traveler the second comes with a forbidding tired to his study, giving explicit or- up his own mind in such matters and turbed by visitors, no matter who cast his vote without voluntary assist-

An Old Lady's Way.

Paul thought when he came back ble object. She was so importunate from the third heaven that he would that Mrs. Hereford at last went to the "Brooke?" never have any more trouble; but he "Yes." "There is a lady down stairs, and"-"But my, dear"- "I know, a thorn in the flesh, which never came America, that on such a hight the out with and we behold faces which lighthouse in the channel gave no falls off, and we behold faces which warning, and some vessel had been retain the glory and the calm of hav-Brooke, but she only wishes your au-out. I have been preaching forty tograph and favorite text, for dear when I look at my lights, as if the tion of this sort are not messengers of every sort the whole world were fixed on adversity, but of a higher and better and dashed down his name and the again, I would prefer to live at the botreference, 1 Tim. v. 13, on a sheet of tom, as men call it. paper. There was a grim smile ou his face as he handed it to his wife. She

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