

TIMELY TOPICS.

A prized novelty in English table decoration is the new old gold glass, which shades upon a brownish yellow, faintly tinged with red.

LIEUTENANT Powell and party have returned to San Francisco from Point Barrow. He found Lieutenant Ray in excellent condition and only one man unfit for duty.

RESIGNATION to the allotments of life is a matter of difficult attainment. And yet, when attained, it robs human woes of half their stings.

To be resigned when illness befalls, Patient when favors are denied, And pleased with favors given;

A certain preacher in an Eastern city in a late sermon full of unctious homilies and complacent platitudes, presented a roseate view of the world's present condition and claimed that it is growing better and far exceeds in morality and virtue its condition a few generations ago.

As has already been announced, the Archbishop of Canterbury died on the morning of Dec. 3, at his residence in London. His illness was a severe one, and his death had been anticipated for several days.

THE MEN of greatest wealth are not, as a rule, the most public spirited, the most liberal, the most philanthropic helpers of humanity.

ly seen, and generally in company of his son, George, or of some masculine friend. I don't recall ever seeing him with his wife or family.

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Lord Byron chose but poorly when he selected Thomas Moore for his biographer. They were brother poets and the closest friends in the later years of their lives.

A hotel booster, who was vaunting his knowledge of the world before a crowd of new comers, was asked by a wag at his elbow if he had ever been in Algeria.

Thomas Charlton hooked his chin over the prisoner's bar at the police court and regarded his honor with a bland smile.

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never be known in the absence of the memoir prepared by his own hand. His choice friend and trusted vindicator of his name and fame, must be held largely responsible by his act of treachery in the destruction of the memoir, for the cloud that rests upon the true cause of the separation of Byron and his wife, Byron, at least, ought to have been permitted the poor and sorry privilege of putting on record his own vindictive tale and not been handed over to the uncontradicted assaults of his enemies.

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Astronomers have discovered a red spot on the face of Jupiter. Prohibitionists will please take notice. A Harlem boy attempted to tie a knot in a man's tail. He was a good boy, but he has gone to meet his grandmother.

Venus possesses modern ideas. She will make a rapid transit on her elevated road traveling the 60,000 miles across the sun in six hours. Oscar Wilde, probably owing to his patent medicine hair, has been taken on the streets for Buda Bill. Mr. Bill, it is said, intends to suit him on sight.

A cable dispatch that "a mine was discovered in a street in Moscow, Russia," was headed by an innocent journalist head-writer as "A bonanza in Moscow."

Lightning recently struck a telegraph pole and ran along a wire into the office at Coatsville, Ind., when the clerk seated at the instrument excitedly telegraphed back, "Don't send so fast!"

Mr. Spurgeon, when asked to support a certain school-board candidate on the ground that the man belonged to the Blue Ribbon army, replied: "Do you think I am going to support a donkey just because he has a piece of blue ribbon on him?"

A young gentleman home for the holidays was talking with an old laborer in his father's grounds, when the old man said: "Ay, sir, 'tis a fine thing is larmin'. There was no such when I was a boy; I was a big fellow, broke the family, when all at once school helped out."

Rev. Joseph Cook, like his namesake of the long past, was circumnavigating the globe. He found things very different from what the famous sailor found them. For one thing, he says he was greatly astonished to find how widely the English language is spoken in the East.

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SUNDAY GLOBELETS.

There is a great demand for residences in the city of Washington. Moody and Sankey are in Bristol, England, and are having great success. In Russian Poland twelve Christian missionaries are now at work.

The recent revivals in the Cincinnati Methodist churches resulted in 2,000 conversions. The First Presbyterian church in New Albany, Indiana, has elected a board of eight deacons.

The religious census of Victoria, B. C., three persons are credited with holding to the religion of E. s. d.

The New Testament has just been translated into the Korean language by Rev. J. Ross, a Presbyterian clergyman. The Rev. George O. Barnes, the Kentucky evangelist, anointer and lecturer, is conducting a revival in Waterford, N. Y.

The revision of the authorized version of the English Bible was commenced in May, 1870, and it is now approaching its completion. Missionaries in Greece preach as much by print as by voice. The people all read, and their moral and evangelical literature is supplied by Protestants.

A colored preacher has discovered that his race is mentioned in the New Testament in the interview between the Lord and the "Nigger Demas," and he is happy. The Rev. Dr. Jeffrey, the most popular preacher in Denver, some time ago accepted the presidency of a mining company and is said to have made a large sum of money.

The members and friends of the churches of this country contribute annually \$108,962,000, \$75,352,866 of which is used for church purposes and \$31,339,140 for benevolent purposes. Of the ten Baptist "Divinity Colleges," or theological institutes, in Great Britain, only four are of the regular or strict communion type, namely, the three in Wales and that in Manchester, England.

A very pretty and new design for dinner cards is a fringed and folded napkin of white gros grain silk, having one corner painted with a spray or cluster of delicate blossoms, as corn flowers, honeysuckle, fuchsias, etc., and across the stem is fastened the little card for the guest's name. The menu, a plain card with beveled edge, is folded within the napkin.

A new sect is gaining ground in Finland, having for its fundamental principle the reversal of all ordinary ideas of government and establishing all or more than the most enthusiastic advocates of "woman's rights" ever pleaded for. With them the woman is the priest of the family, and the husband undertakes to confess to her once a week. A similar sect, called the Purists, exists in Siberia.

A Syrian convert to Christianity was urged by his employer to work on the Sabbath, but he declined. "But," said the master, "does not your Bible say that if a man has an ox or an ass that falls into a pit on the Sabbath day he may pull him out?" "Yes," answered the convert, "but if the ass has a habit of falling into the same pit every Sabbath day the man should either fill up the pit or sell the ass."

The New York association for improving the condition of the poor has opened an agency where tenants will apply to compel their landlords to make repairs which are essential to decency and health. The society will investigate any tenement house in which defects are reported, and the communications will be treated confidentially. In the past six weeks over 300 houses have been reported. Most of the complaints related to bad sewerage, wet cellars, defective plumbing, leaky roofs, lack of water and dangerous roofs.

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