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Foley's Honey and Tar children, safe, sure. No opiates.

NUMBERING OUR DAYS

Interesting Sketches from New Year's Sermon by Rev. Spear. "So Teach Us to Number our Days That we May Apply our Hearts Unto Wisdom."

But why number our days? Why be thinking of the brevity and uncertainty of life? It is that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom. It is that we may make the most of each day and its opportunities.

The days of the new year will soon be past. How short a time since last new year. Sometimes in early childhood the years seem to drag.

Days in their flight never look backward. Days that are passed never return. Day follows night but it is a new day. Time never waits or returns.

As I look into the new year, I see another certainty of incalculable importance. The new year is sure to see many habits of life become fixed and permanent.

It is possible, you probable, that some of us will take our first step in ways that may affect our eternal destiny. Oh the importance of the first step.

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but who knows what it may bring forth. Oh, the uncertainties of a single year! Who knows that this earth shall see the end of another year.

The new year will soon slip away. That great day of Christ's second coming is coming as a thing in the night. It is coming when we are least expecting it.

The new year comes freighted with many possibilities and some certainties that must be met. If we know that certain things are sure to come to pass it is the part of wisdom to so number our days and improve our opportunities.

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"What are the principal shots in billiards?" asked the fair young damsel of the wise young man. "The kiss, the follow, the bank and the draw," he replied.

Minute Parts of a Watch. The minuteness of the parts of a watch is shown by the following figures: It takes 150,000 of one certain kind of watch screws to make a pound.

An Ambidextrous Artist. Conrad Cook, son of E. W. Cook, R. A., told me that he used to hold the paper while Landseer drew one animal with his right hand and a different animal with his left.

A Lesson With His Autograph. An admirer once wrote to Lowell describing his autograph collection and concluding with the remark, "I would be much obliged for your autograph."

No Cause For Worry. Elderly Fiance—I hope you are not impressed by the silly sentimentalists who hold that because you've married once you ought not to marry again!

In Bed Four Weeks with Lagrippe. We have received the following letter from Mr. Roy Kemp, of Angola, La. "I was in bed four weeks with la grippe and I tried many remedies and spent considerable for treatment with physicians but I received no relief until I tried Foley's Honey and Tar."

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