

Wednesday, October 27, 1875.

The X.—We adopt the usual custom of notifying subscribers of the expiration of their subscription...

We hope none will be offended at having the paper stopped when they fail to pay up...

THE LITTLE GIRLS' CONCERT.—We failed to notice, in the last issue of the Friend, the Concert given by the little girls of Oxford...

This is the third concert these little girls have gotten up this season for the benefit of the Asylum...

THOSE BAGS.—As soon as brother Ellis of the Tolson Transcript shall notify us that it is time...

ZERO CHRISTIANS.—The Christian at Work strikes vigorously: One half the professed Christians amount of nothing...

FABLE ON DISCONTENTMENT.—A canary and a gold-fish had their lot thrown together in the same room...

How the nation has been thrilled for the last two years over the loss of little Charlie Ross...

"When that splendid steamship went to pieces off the coast of Newfoundland a few years ago, there was a young business man on board from Chicago..."

Croup can be cured in one minute, and the remedy is simply alum and sugar.

ALL IS NOT LOST.—When Jeremy Taylor had lost all, he could still write thus:

"I have fallen into the hands of publicans and sequestrators, and they have taken all from me; what now? Let me look about me..."

They call him crazy Jack; he's a negro that lives in a certain town in North Carolina, and though perfectly harmless, he goes about the town mumbling to himself...

TOM EVANS.

The real Origin of Mary's Lamb. Mary's little lamb was one of a pair of twins, and was thrust out of the pen by its unnatural mother...

The 'flowery beds of ease' on which some of our Christian ministers seem to be 'carried to the skies,' contain many a thorn that we know not of...

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ORPHAN ASYLUM FROM OCTOBER 20th TO OCTOBER 25th INCLUSIVE.

- Mrs Dr Debnam 1 pr socks, 1 pr stockings. Mrs Holmes " " " Mrs Phelps 1 Dress. Mrs Wm Hopper 1 Dress.

Fashion Termina; a Ride.

Mohammedanism, which always degrades rather than exalts women, seems to do its utmost to make marriage a nardroom to them.

We stopped at the house below, a cording to custom, and sent word we were coming. The bride's return answer was that she would be glad to salute us.

The parents of the girl were very poor, and much of the finery of this painful show was borrowed for the occasion. But fashion must be obeyed.

Resolutions of the Grand Lodge.

- Adopted Dec 3d, 1875. Resolved, 1. That St. John's College shall be made an asylum for the protection, training and education of indigent orphan children.

tutions for its support from all classes of our people. 4. That orphan children in the said Asylum shall be fed and clothed...

A opted Dec 5th 1872: Resolved, That the Superintendent of the said Orphan Asylum shall report each at Annual Communication...

Resolved, That the Master of each subordinate Lodge appoint a Standing Committee upon raising funds for the Orphan Asylum...

4. All churches and benevolent organizations are requested to cooperate with us in the orphan work and to collect and forward contributions...

Resolved, That the sincere thanks of this Grand Lodge are hereby tendered to many benevolent ladies and gentlemen...

Resolved, That all benevolent societies and individuals are hereby cordially invited and requested to cooperate with us in providing funds and supplies for feeding clothing, and educating indigent and promising orphan children...

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