REV. DR. TALMAGE, ing, he does not care what school the fish belong to, whether it is a Presbyterian macker of an Episcopalian salmon. Amidst the thunder crash of Sinai, God said: "Thou shell not be a false without the false without the said as within the said as well as

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Again: taking the suggestion of the fact, drive out the vulture form your soul. Got would not allow the Jews to eat it. It lives on carcasses; if attons among the dead; with leaden wing it circles about battles, and the second of the carcanal second of the second of the

the fiesh, and the devil are after us; and our wisest course is to go ahead at swiftest speed.

When the Church of God gets to advancing too fast, it will be time enough to use caution. No need of putting on the brakes while going up hill. Do not let us sit down waiting for something "to turn up," but go ahead in the name of God, and turn it up. The great danger to the church now is not sensation, but stagnation. Oh that the Lord God would send a host of aroused and consecrated men to set the Church on fire, and to turn the world upside down. Let us go to work and catch the last snail in our souls. With Divine vehemence let us stamp its life out; for my text declares: "These also shall be unclean to you among the creeping things that creep upon the earth; the chameleon and the snail." I have thus tried to prejudice these Christian men and women against gloominess, and slander, and half-and-half experiences, and changeableness, and sloth. Our opportunities for getting better are being rapidly swallowed up in the remorseless past. This golden Sabbath is about to drop out of the calendar. This moment we may drive out all the unclean things from our souls—the vulture, and the bat, and the owl, and the chameleon, and the snail; and in place thereof bring in the Lamb of God, and the Dove of the Spirit! The case is urgent. Arouse! before it be eternally too late! "Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it!"

James Watson, one of the largest land owners of Victoria, Australia, having over thirty thousand acres under fence, has arrived at San Francisco. He says jack rabbits are so formidable that the as arrived at San Tradesco. He says jack rabbits are so formidable that the Australian Government is building a fence of wire netting eight thousand miles long to divide New South Wales from Queensland and bar the pests out. They have not yet got into Queensland, and the government is moving heaven and earth to get this check on them. Prior to this hundreds of methods have been tried. Apples impregnated with arsenic have been cut and scattered over the country. In this way the increase in some portions has been stopped, but it is not radical enough. Besides, the cost is too great. It takes ten bushels of apples for every six hundred rabbits. There are millions and billions of the pests, and there are not apples enough to feed to them. Phosphate of oats succeeds for a while, but the phosphate soon loses its effect.

Australia is paying no less than \$125,-000 per year to keep the rabbits down on what is known as crown lands. The on what is known as crown lands. The government pays ten cents a pair for all that are killed, and expert men make from \$30 to \$40 per week at it. The government still keeps standing its offer of \$100,000 to any man who will hit on something to effectually eradicate the

something to effectually eradicate the pests.

Lands out in the rabbit districts have greatly deteriorated in price. Many places where three or four years ago land was worth \$50 an acre won't bring five. Watson says he started a cannery, killing and canning rabbits and sending them to England. The first rabbits were taken over from England only ten years ago and were introduced for sporting purposes, nobody having any idea they would spread so rapidly.

A man from South America a couple of months ago brought two dozen skunks that he thought would settle the rabbits, but people are dubious about them, for skunks increase very rapidly too, and if allowed to gain a foothold probably the last state will be worse than the first.

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The Australians are anxiously looking for some invention or remedy that will put a quietus on rabbits. It must come soon or many of the great industries in the colony will be paralyzed. The eight thousand mile fence which is being made to keep the rabbits out of Queensland is the greatest enterprise of the kind ever begun in the world. Its construction is attended to with great cost, but it is deemed wiser to undergo cost, but it is deemed wiser to undergo this expense than let the pests override the entire country.—New York Herald.

A Uniquely Patched Picture.

A New York picture dealer has a very handsomely framed photogroph of the Mosque of St. Sophia, in Constantinople. Outside of its value as a picture, it is worth much as a curiosity, as it was taken in five sections and put together so neatly that the places where it is joined are indistinguishable.

The dealer said that the phot graph was taken by a gentleman who had just returned from a tour through Turkey. He was in Constantinople, and he thought that such a picture would be a great curiosity in New York.

The mosque was originally built as a

great curiosity in New York.

The mosque was originally built as a Christian church by Justinian, between 531 and 538. It was after ward converted into a mosque by Mohammed in 1453.

The building is in the shape of a Greek cross, 209 feet in length and 134 feet broad. It is surmounted by a flattened dome 189 feet in height and by minor cupolas and four minarets.

The photograph on exhibition in this city shows the rich interior decorations, and it is a handsome picture, indeed.

New York World.

An Equalizing Betting System.

Four clerks in an office in the jewelry district of New York decided in October, 1880, to keep a record of a system of betting for drinks of coffee which they had established. They matched coins each morning and the loser had to foot the bills for the day. The result, as shown in the following table, affords abundant room for thought:

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An 1888 Bladed Knife

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George Littlewood, the pedestrian, and his friend, Jake Hyams, the pugilist, are good story tellers. Littlewood's relatives are the proprietors of many public houses in Sheffield, England, and more they are noted throughout the countryside for their sporting proclivities. The latter, however, do not so thoroughly engage their thoughts as to make them indifferent to the manufacturing industries of their native place. Littlewood was commenting on these industries in the presence of a group of friends, and after he had refreshed himself thoroughly he said:

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