

The Weekly Star.

We are again sending bills to our subscribers. In the aggregate they amount to a very large sum.



A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS. All are sculptors, cutting character in living marble.

The hardest wound to heal is the one inflicted by a friend.

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ONE PUDDING 204 FEET LONG.

Baked in a trench, it was a Feast for Many Villages.

I had been ten years on Savage Island and meant to come to England on a visit.

The evening after our arrival there was a terrible commotion.

The men began digging a long shallow trench with their sharp pointed sticks.

There was no flour, suet, eggs, milk, plums or currants in it.

Some girls had brought heaps of leaves to lay over the top to keep the steam in.

The cooks and pudding makers all went to sleep and left the stars to watch their village.

It was soon uncovered and was found to be well done.

As soon as the old man got hold of the property he began to look around to find out where he could save a few dollars in the running expenses.

Why, yes; that is Tompkins, the exchange editor," said the manager.

"I hope you shall educate the people until a soul's inheritance as an immortal being, with the universe of God at his feet, shall count for more in the thought of his heart than all the gold and all the glory of the world."

Kind words do not cost much. They never blister the tongue or lips. We never have heard of any mental trouble arising from this quarter.

Irishman (at the telephone). Send me up three bales of yarn and wag bag of cats.

Fuddy—Fraser has the reputation of being a great wit, but for my part I can't see anything bright in his writings.

Dudley—That's queer. Why his jokes have been greeted by the greatest wits that ever lived.

He—She reminds me of a great deal of her first husband who is Lord knows where.

Elephant seized a wisp of hay, waved it in the air, and deftly inserted it in his mouth.

"Have you noticed," he said, turning to the camel, "that the style of Indian sleeves for 1896 is shaped exactly like my trunk?"

Benny Bloomer—Papa, can we eat time?

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