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RELIGIOUS READING

"We Are My Witnesses." Tell me, pilgrim, faint and weary, Traveling over this pathway dim, Are you shedding light around you, Are you witnessing for Him?

A God's Home. A little boy, three years old, whose father was careless, prayerless and irreligious spent several months in the dwelling of a godly family, where he was taught in the simple elements of divine truth.

The Faithful Laborer. I see a young man devoting himself to the service of the Redeemer. I see him taking his stand as the firm advocate of every good cause, and lending his efficient co-operation to all measures which look to the promotion of virtue and happiness among his fellow-creatures.

Praying with Children. The loving instruction of a mother may seem to have been thrown away, but it will appear after many days.

A Celebrated Bible. In the congressional library at Washington there is one book which amid the myriad tomes of bibliographical lore that adorns the walls of the celebrated gathering, commands and receives the attention and admiration of those who pass through its sacred aisles.

The Fear. The fear grows wild over the whole of temperate Europe and western Asia and far south as the north of Persia. Its cultivation in India is of no very long standing.

A Fatal Error Prevented. Fond Mother—"I am very glad you are so happily married, my son. What are you going into this store for?"

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FIRING ON CHARLESTON.

AN EXCITING BOMBARDMENT OF THE CIVIL WAR. How the Doomed People Fared While General Gilmore's Swamp Angels Shelled the City.

The shell came from a masked battery which General Gilmore had erected in the marsh at the extreme south end of Morris Island, and on the southern border of the creek which separates Morris from Folly Island.

The battery was the famous Swamp Angel. It consisted of a single 8-inch Parrott rifle, mounted in the marsh and surrounded by an earthwork of circular shape.

General Gilmore's gunners soon attained a wonderful accuracy in firing their guns. It was said that the Swamp Angel shells were loaded with "Greek fire," but this was never verified.

The boom of the alarm bell and the bright glare of the fire invariably caused the Swamp Angels to wake up and redouble their attentions to the "doomed city."

While the men were getting the dust out of their eyes and trying to lift up "Old Betsy" the "who" which signified the advent of another messenger from the Swamp Angel was heard.

A Curious Creature. A curious creature was brought to San Francisco by a ship which arrived there the other day. It has some characteristics of the crocodile, but is covered with a coat of short bristles, or hair, which gives it a most peculiar appearance.

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL.

A French workman has succeeded in producing artificial silk. A repeating cannon invented by Gruson has been tried at Brasschat, in Belgium.

A new war vessel has been ordered by the British Admiralty, which is to be named the Blake, of 9000 tons burden and 26,000 horse power.

A Vienna engineer named Fisher has just taken out a patent for a new smoking pipe. He proposes, by means of electricity, to condense the solid part of the smoke as it arises from the pipe.

It is found that, besides gas, a ton of ordinary gas coal will yield 1500 pounds of coke, 50 gallons of ammonia water, and 140 pounds of coal tar.

Heavy machinery is now run by artesian well power in many parts of France, and the experience of the French show that the deeper the well the greater the pressure and the higher the temperature.

"Then let the moon usurp the rule of day, And winking tapers show the sun his way; For what my senses can perceive, I feel no reluctance to believe."

THE FOUNDATION OF ALL HAPPINESS IS HEALTH. A man with an imperfect digestion may be a millionaire, but he is the husband of an angel and the father of half a dozen cherubs.

Imperfections in Saxon Houses.

Many of the houses in Saxon villages bear the inscription of some motto or sentiment. Often, says the Youth's Companion, these sentences show great originality, seeming to reflect the characteristics of the house-owner.

Another has a more serious ring: "Within this house a guest to-day, So long the Lardship led me live; But when he bids, I must away, Against his will I cannot strive."

One of the best publications for the rising generation to be found anywhere is the Youth's Companion, an illustrated weekly paper published by Perry, Mason & Co., of Boston.

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