

BETTER THOUGHTS.

The world is the harvest field of man's hopes and fears. Fear is the beginning of wisdom, love is its consummation.

The dignity of man is seen in the length of time that is allotted for his maturity. A brave man will never underrate a danger, nor overestimate his own powers.

A good act, that is not performed for the sake of itself, loses its character, being robbed of its honor and merit.

When you are sure that you are right, let no obstacles prevent you from accomplishment of your undertakings. The more you will have to contend against the greater will be your merit.

Why feel hurt at the judgments of the world when you labor for God? Even if your labors are misinterpreted and distorted to your temporal injury, you should not murmur, nor rather rejoice that you have placed your labors on a level too high to be affected by the strife and turmoil of the world.

What shall children read?—Are teachers and parents asking daily this question? The power of reading? Is it possible to estimate its force? All the pupils above the age of nine years, and many, especially girls, of a younger age, are not able to read, but are hungry for reading matter.

DEATH. Take the sunny side of death. Sooner or later it must come to all, and at the latest it is only a few swiftly passing days distant.

"Don't Give up the Ship" were the memorable words of Commodore Perry. We repeat, "Don't give up the ship," poor, despairing invalid, try Burdock Blood Bitters. It cures others, why not you? It renovates, regulates and tones all the organs of secretion, and restores lost vitality.

No more Hard Times.

If you will stop spending so much on fine clothes, rich food and style, buy good healthy food, cheaper and better clothing, get more real and substantial things of life every way, and especially stop the foolish habit of employing expensive, quack doctors or using so much of the vile humbug medicine that does you only harm, and put your trust in that simple, pure remedy, Hop Bitters, that cures always at a trifling cost, you will see good times and have good health.—Chronicle.

Little Dora, three years old, in her father's absence at business, happened to find a china plate fall. Her mother was very sorry for the accident, as it broke her eye. At night she told her husband about it, and he said, "Why, Dora, how did you do such a careless thing?" "This way, papa," said she, "quick as a flash, taking another plate from the tea-table and dropping it on the floor."

A man stepped into a milliner's shop the other day on business, and accidentally sat down on a bonnet that some one had lain on the chair. He remained there until no one was looking in that direction, and then quietly got up and stepped to one side.

A Boston book-dealer was thrown into convulsions on receiving, from an upper-city school district, the following order: Many people make drug shops of their stomachs. In an attempt to relieve a simple attack of liver complaint, when with a dose or two of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil the complaint might be easily and pleasantly obviated.

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Der sur: if you've got a book called Daniel Webster on a bridge please to send me a copy by Pysers express c. o. d.—I want to get it tomorrow if I kin, cause my spin teacher says I oughter hev it.

Head Suffered Many Physicians and grew no better but rather worse. Mr. D. H. Howard, of Geneva, N. Y., after dismissing his physicians, tried nearly half a gross of the various blood and liver remedies advertised, with no benefit; when one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters cured him of Paralysis and General Debility.

F. H. East, West Sheffield, P. Q., writes: "I have been troubled with Liver Complaint for several years, and have tried different medicines with little or no benefit, until I tried Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, which gave me immediate relief, and I would say that I have used it since with the best effect. No one should be without it. I have tried it on my horse in cases of Cuts, Wounds, etc., and I think it equally as good for horses as for man."

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