

A PRAYER FOR THE ROGATION DAYS.



RISE, O Lord of hosts !
 Be jealous for Thy Name,
 And drive from out our coasts
 The sins that put to shame.
 O Lord, stretch forth Thy mighty hand,
 And guard and bless our Fatherland.

Thy best gifts from on high
 In rich abundance pour,
 That we may magnify
 And praise Thee more and more.
 O Lord, stretch forth Thy mighty hand,
 And guard and bless our Fatherland.

Bishop Walsham How.

OUR PUZZLE CORNER.

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The Answers to the Puzzles, July to December inclusive, are as follows :—

19. DOUBLE ACROSTIC.—Pin : Mow.

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20. CHARADE.—Bay-o-net.

21. REBUS.—

(1) I see you are after me.

(2) You overrate my undertaking above what is right.

22. PROVERB.—Many hands make light work.

23. ACROSTIC.—Watch.

W o r d s
A c t i o n s
T h o u g h t s
C o m p a n y
H e a r t

24. A BOTANICAL STUDY.—

(1) Daisy, (2) Lily, (3) May, (4) Olive, (5) Rose, (6) Lily.

25. DECAPITATION.—Grace, race, ace, C.E., E.

26. PUZZLE.—Wall.

(1) Tail, (2) jail, (3) bail, (4) nail, (5) mail, (6) pail, (7) rail, (8) sail.

27.—PIE.—

They sin who tell us love can die ;

With life all other passions fly,

All others are but vanity :

In Heaven Ambition cannot dwell,

Nor Avarice in the vaults of Hell ;

Earthly, these passions of the earth,

They perish where they have their birth,

But Love is indestructible.

28. SQUARE WORDS.—

(1) P O L L (2) S E A L
O B E Y E T T A
L E A R A T O M
L Y R E L A M B

29. CONUNDRUMS.—(1) Lo(u)nger, (2) Short(er).

30. DOUBLE ACROSTIC.—Darwin : Edison.

D a t E
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31. GARDEN PRODUCE.—

(1) Sage, (2) Mint, (3) Stocks, (4) Iris, (5) Apple, (6) Pears.

32. MISSING LETTERS.—

(1) All is not gold that glitters.
 (2) A stitch in time saves nine.

33. ELIMINATION.—Chain, Cain, can, an, A.

34. REVERSI.—

(1) Mart, tram ; (2) rats, star ; (3) leek, keel ;
 (4) liar, rail ; (5) top, pot.

35. DOUBLE ACROSTIC.—Mad : Dig.

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