There are no sweets in family jars, Hope is the froth on life's ove After the break of day the hours are told

by time pieces.

Precocious statesmanship—Boy at table king a celery grab. The first thing a man takes in his life is his milk; the last is his bier. When a man falls down his temper gen-

really gets up before he does.

The Christianity of California does not avourably impress the heathens of China. If you make home too hot for your hildren, they will skip out into the cold

A man in Belleville has a hog fifty years old, yet he knows nothing of ancient Train a dress in the way it should go and it will never get under the feet of the

The gout is a sort of brake which a wise Providence puts on a man's legs when he is living too fast.

When a cat gives an entertainment from the top of a wall, it isn't the cat we object

; it's the waul. She certainly had a pretty foot, but after all it didn't make half so much impression n him as the old man's.

The tramp law of Ohio is working well. In this particular it differs very materially from the tramp himself The man who shrinks from responding to a sentiment offered at the festive board.

s a case of quail on toast. A lady on being joked about her nose, said: "I had nothing to do in shaping it, It was a birthday present." There are two ways of making a hot

cotch—by upsetting a Scotchman on a ed-hot stove and vice versa. The left-handed man hears best with his left ear, and sees best with his left eye, and is generally ready to take what is left. Rev. Mr. Dingwell preaches at Daniel-conville, Conn. He ought to be heard all over the village without the aid of a church

Beginning of a judge's charge in Iowa: "Gentlemen of the jury, you must now quit eating peanuts and attend to the Young man, a diamond pin glistens brightly, but when \$4 a week supports a man and pin both, one or the other cannot

be genuine,
A man never realizes how frail he is until he bursts a suspender button among a group of ladies and finds himself slowly falling apart. falling apart.

An exchange says:—"A Polish journal is to be published in St. Louis." If there is a particular thing needed by a St. Louis.

is a particular thing needed by a St. Louis journal it is polish.

"Freddy, how could you ever think of calling aunty stupid? Go and tell her you are sorry." Freddy—Aunty, I am sorry that you are so stupid.

The Popular Science Monthly asks: "Do

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animals resist temptation?" The man who tempted a mule with a straw is ready

The usefulness of Major Whistie, the revivalist, was impaired at Rochester, Minn., by the discovery that his musical aid was the man who had sung songs in that place from a patent medicine waggon.

The London Free Press says:—"The Rev. Wm. Brockman, formerly of that city, will be engaged in evangelistic work in Brantford for some time to come, and will probably not accept another appoint. will probably not accept another appoint-ment from the Bishop."

Rev. R. Warden, formerly of Bothwell. has received from the Colonial Committee of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland one hundred pounds sterling on behalf of the Manitoba College, and an additional grant of £10 towards the French Evangelization

The Rev. C. A. Daniel, assistant to the Rev. Edward Wood, rector of St. John the Evangelist's church, will leave on lay next for England, where he is t take charge os a parish. He has been for thirteen years with the Rev. Mr. Wood,— Montreal Star.

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The Pope has written an autograph let-ter to the Czar, congratulating him on his recent escape from assassination. In this communication the Supreme Pontiff ac-knowledges the tolerance enjoyed by the Roman Catholic Church under an Emperor whose rule is characterized by a benign solicitude for the welfare of his subjects, solicitude for the welfare of his subjects, irrespective of creed. The Vatican looks for important concessions from the Czar, who has relaxed the severe restrictions imposed by his predecessors upon the Roman Catholic Church. For the first time in the profound antagonism between the Greek and Latin Churches, the Roman Catholic Vicar Apostolic has been allowed to establish public schools for the children

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Father O'Haire, a Roman Catholic priest who has been twelve years a missionary in South Africa, is now in Eugland with the view of establishing an Irish colony in the morth of the Transvaal. About twelve months ago a Protestant gentleman, being in Natal, offered him 6,000 acres of land in the Transvaal for the purposes of a Catholic mission. He takes out with him on his return a considerable number of tradesmen and twenty or thirty families, in order to establish a white colony there. Father O'Haire describes the Zulus as standing in physical and intellectual capacity supreme among the savages of the earth, and believes that they may be highly civilized.

The Established Church in England is administered by 2 archbishops, 23 bishops, 4 suffragan bishops, 3C deans, 74 archdeacons, 610 rural deans, and 23,000 clergy of all classes, one-fifth of whom have no parochial charge. The yearly incomes range in the higher grades from £15,000, paid to the Archbishop of Canterbury, to £2,400, to the Bishop of Sodor and Man. One thousand pounds a year is the diaconai average. There are 16,000 churches. The gross income of the Established Church is £8,000,000 per annum, and the Church population 13,000,000. In Ireland there are 2 archbishops, 10 bishops, 1,238 benefices, and 2,000 clergy. The church-going population is 750,000.

Col. Ingersoll's infidel lectures have made much more stir in the West than elsewhere, and Rev. Dr. Curtiss, the young and enthusiastic professor of Hebrew in the Chicago Theological Seminary, has added a work entitled "Ingersoll and Moses" to the already numerous replies. Dr. Curtiss evidently writes with much teeling, but fortunately also with considerable erudition. He does not try to present a positive argument for Christianity, but merely to refute the statements of Ingersoll concerning the "Mistakes of Moses," either by proving them false in science or history or by suggesting other interpretations for quoted passages. This limited

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