

Children's Department.

A LITTLE BOY'S LETTER TO JESUS.

A POSTMAN stood with puzzled brow, And in his hand turned o'er and o'er A letter with the address so strange...

The postman paused; full well he knew No mail on earth this note could take; And yet 't was writ in childish faith...

"My Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, I've lately lost my father dear; Mother is very, very poor, And life to her is sad and drear...

"So I am writing in His Name To ask that Thou wilt kindly send Some money down—that thou canst spare, And what is right for us to spend...

"I do not know how long 't will be Ere this can reach the golden gate; But I will try and patient be, And for the answer gladly wait...

Off to his mother he would say "I know the Lord would answer make When he had read my letter through Which I had sent for Jesus' sake..."

MADRAS.

THERE is a Christian in Kariady, who is a ploughman in the employ of some heathen landholders. He became a Christian in the time of the Rev. Thomas Brotherton. Both he and his wife came for the Holy Communion to Kadianodi...

We hope some of our little readers will try and get all their friends to subscribe for the DOMINION CHURCHMAN.

"GOD IS LOVE."

THE QUEEN'S WREATH.

It cross'd the seas, it reached the shore, And gave the message, which it bore, Of sympathy with widow's grief; It pray'd a prayer in whispers brief, To send the widow's soul relief.

What did it see, this Royal wreath, In witness of the march of Death? What did it see? a nation bow'd With stricken hearts; a serried crowd Of citizens in reverence bent...

All seem'd as if the spirit hover'd Over their heads, imparting grace Of wisdom nothing could efface. A scene to melt the hardest heart And give the Atheist a smart...

THREE FAULTS.

It is a great shame to see men professing religion, carried away with every company, and with the vanities and fashions of the world; whereas they should rather draw even the worst men that be to the fellowship of those graces of God which they have received.

This point must every one of us mark with great diligence. For if we enter into our hearts and make a thorough search, we shall find that this is the root and fountain of all our offences.

This fruit of repentance springs and grows very thin among us, for few there be who do seriously condemn themselves for their own sins. The manner of men is to condemn others, and to cry out that the world was never so bad; but bring them home to themselves, and you will find that they have many excuses and defences...

A WORLD OF GOOD.—One of the most popular medicines now before the American public, is Hop Bitters. You see it everywhere. People take it with good effect. It builds them up. It is not as pleasant to the taste as some other Bitters as it is not a whiskey drink.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, & DEATHS

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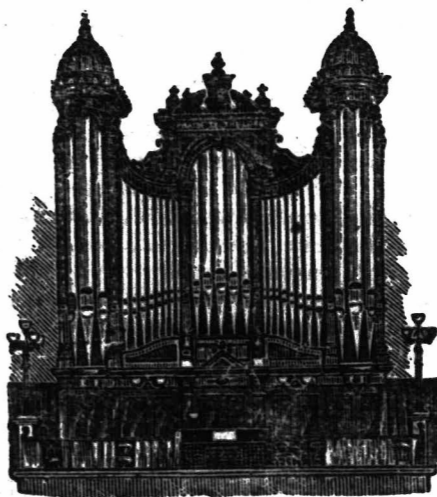
PRODUCE MARKET.

Table with 3 columns: Commodity, Price per bush/ton, etc. Includes items like Wheat, Barley, Oats, Peas, Rye, Flour, Beef, Mutton, Lamb, Veal, Hogs, Potatoes, Carrots, Beets, Turnips, Onions, Greens, Cabbage, Beans, Parsnips, Parsley, Radishes, Cauliflower, Apples, Chickens, Fowls, Ducks, Partridge, Geese, Turkeys, Butter, Eggs, Wool, Hay, Straw.

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THEN I WON'T COME!

A VERY COMMON fault is noticed in all Sunday-schools. Teachers are sometimes absent. In many cases it cannot be helped. And when boys and girls hear that their teacher is not to be at school on a certain day, they say to one another, and sometimes they even venture to say to their teacher, "Then I won't come!"

Now, of course, there is a great deal to say for those who speak thus. We do not expect every one always to think of the best and highest motive for doing a good thing. And the affection that young people have for their teachers in many cases is a very good thing in itself.

Indeed, I do not intend to go any further, or to offer any other plea for regular attendance. If you are tempted any day to say, "I won't come," listen to what I am going to say. I want to tell you a secret. It ought not to be a secret, but in the case of many it may be; yet it is true, that the best way of shewing your affection for your teacher is by coming to class very regularly during the teacher's absence.

Some grown-up children would do well to take this lesson home: then they will not stay at home or wander about in an idle way, whenever the preacher they like is not at church. We should not go to church to honour any man and be pleased with his speaking, but to worship God and hear His Most Holy Word.

- Children of all ages ought to think twice before they say once: "Then I won't come!" They should first think to whom they speak, and then think who will suffer if they keep their word. 1. God gives us all good things—Church, School, and all the rest. And He knows when we "won't" have what is good for us. 2. Even if we "won't" come, all goes on just as usual. The same things are done: the same blessings are received. We are the only losers.

We hope all our lady friends will use their influence in getting subscribers.

HUMBUGGED AGAIN.—I saw so much said about the merits of Hop Bitters, and my wife who was always doctering, and never well, teased me so urgently to get her some I concluded to be humbugged again; and I am glad I did, for in less than two months use of the Bitters my wife was cured and has remained so for eighteen months since. I like such humbugging.—H. T., St. Paul.—Pioneer Press.

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