

DAY'S TRINITY.

MORNING.

A glory, breaking bonds of night, Pure crimson flame and pearl-shell hue, That filled with life and lucent blue Of eastern heaven—shone forth in might Of God the Father.

NOON.

Noon-splendor!—and in the market-place. Beside us hot with bickerings proud And breaking hearts, lo, 'mid the crowd, Thorn-crowned with a supernal grace Stood God the Son.

EVENING.

Night came; and o'er a sleeping sea Mist-veiled the air crept, breathing soft, Groves murmured, and the stars aloft Thrilled. In me thrilled a mystery— The Holy Ghost.

FOREVER.

So wrought the Word; and there was light. So each new day makes manifest The Three in One. Ah, soul thrice blest That knows forever by thought and sight The Trinity!

George Parsons Lathrop.

BREVITIES.

The second clause of the Irish Home Rule bill, conferring authority on the Irish Legislature to enact laws, was passed in committee of the House on Wednesday.

Members of the British cabinet are urging the selection of a new chairman for the House of Commons committee in order to expedite the home-rule bill.

One thousand women of Owensboro, Ky., have banded together to wage a continuous crusade against the liquor dealers and manufacturers. They will adopt the plan of operations followed by the famous temperance crusade fifty years ago—singing, praying and exhorting in front of the saloons.

A movement is said to be on foot in the Spanish Court, with strong prospects of success, to raise the degree of the Spanish representative at Washington from Minister Plenipotentiary to Ambassador Plenipotentiary and make the Duke of Veragua the Ambassador to Washington.

The autumn manoeuvres of the German army, which will be on the vastest scale ever attempted, will be held between Treves, Metz, and Strasburg. Emperor William has invited the Emperor of Austria, King of Italy, the Duke of York, the Duke of Connaught, and all the German princes to attend.

Christopher Columbus' twenty-foot statue, all of bronze, was mounted on its thirty foot marble pedestal, which stands on the lake front at the foot of Congress street, Chicago, recently. The figure is said to be the largest bronze figure in the United States, and, with its pedestal, represents an expenditure of \$40,000.

Dr. Charles Carroll Lee, President of the Medical Society of the County of New York, is dead. He was the great-grandson of Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, who signed the Declaration of Independence, and a graduate of Mount St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, Md., and the Medical college of the University of Pennsylvania.

SCRAPED WITH A RASP.

SIR,—I had such a severe cough that my throat felt as if scraped with a rasp. On taking Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup I found the first dose gave relief, and the second bottle completely cured me. Miss A. A. Downey, Manotick, Ont.

Some one says you might read all the books in the British museum, if you could live long enough, and remain an utterly illiterate, uneducated person. Then, again, if you read ten pages in a good book, letter by letter—that is to say, with real accuracy—you are for evermore, in some measure, an educated person.

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PROVISIONS. Pork, Lard &c.—We quote:— Canada short cut pork per bbl. \$22.50 @ 23.00 Canada clear mess, per bbl. 21.00 @ 21.50 Chicago short cut mess, per bbl. 00.00 @ 00.00 Mess pork, American, new, per bbl. 25.00 @ 25.50 India mess beef, per tierce. 00.00 @ 00.00 Extra mess beef, per bbl. 14.00 @ 15.50 Hams, city cured, per lb. 12c @ 13c Lard, pure in pairs, per lb. 12c @ 12c Lard, com. in pairs, per lb. 9c @ 11c Bacon, per lb. 11c @ 12c Shoulders, per lb. 10c @ 11c

DAIRY PRODUCE. Butter.—A fair quotation for creamery for this market is 18c to 20c and for dairy 18c to 18c. Of course 1c per lb. more might be got for single selected tubs. We quote prices as follows:— Creamery..... 18c to 20c Dairy..... 18c to 18c. Roll Butter.—It is in too large supply, and sales have been made of Western at 15c to 15c. Fancy in small packages might bring 17c. Cheese.—White and colored at 9c to 10c for shipment by this week's steamers, which is a decline of 1c for finest Western since this day week. French cheese at the boat sold at 9c to 9c.

COUNTRY PRODUCE. Eggs.—Sales at 11c to 11c, a few round lots having sold at 11c, and a few single cases of choice at 12c. Beans.—The market is quiet at \$1.00 to \$1.65 for Western hand picked and \$1.25 to \$1.50 for ordinary to good. Inferior \$1.00 to \$1.10. Honey.—The market is slow at 7c for extracted. Comb honey 9c to 18c as to quality. Hops.—We quote good to choice 17c to 18c. Poorer qualities 14c to 15c. Old hops 6c to 8c. Maple Products.—Syrup in wood has sold at 4c to 5c per lb., and in tin 50c. Sugar 6c to 7c. Baled Hay, &c.—Sales have been made of car lots of No. 2 on track at \$10.50, dealers selling at \$11.50 to \$12.00. No. 1 hay is very scarce, and is quoted at \$13.00 on track. Straw sells at \$5.00 to \$6.50 as to quality.

FRUITS, ETC. Apples.—Apples during the week are quoted at from \$2.25 to \$3.75 per barrel. Lemons.—We quote common \$1.10 to \$1.50; good, \$1.50 to \$2.25; fancy, \$2.25 to \$4.00. Oranges.—We quote:—Messina half-boxes \$1.50 to \$2.00; boxes \$1.50 to \$3.50. Dried Fruit.—Dried apples being quoted at 5c. Peaches and apricots 19c to 21c. Strawberries.—We quote 20c to 23c as being fair values, in lots of a dozen boxes or more. Coconuts.—Prices remain unchanged at \$4.00 to \$4.50 per bag of 100. Bananas.—Small bunches selling at 60c to 75c, while choice large lots meet with active sales at from \$2.00 to \$2.50. Figs.—At 9c to 10c per lb. Pine Apples.—At from 8c to 12c as to size and quality. Asparagus.—Canadian at \$1.20 to \$1.40 per dozen bunches. Onions.—Egyptian onions are selling at from 2c to 3c per lb. Potatoes.—We quote \$1.10 to \$1.20 as to kind and quality per bag of 90 lbs.

FISH AND OIL. Oils.—Refined seal oil at 45c does not seem to have had the effect of inducing further business of any importance, and we quote 45c to 46c as a fair quotation. Fresh Fish.—New Gaspe salmon is expected in a few days, and British Columbia salmon has sold at 17c to 18c. Haddock 3c to 3c per lb.

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