

A CHEAP CHRISTMAS PRESENT.

Gold and Silver Watches Given Free to Those Sending Correct Answers to Bible Questions.

What a Toronto Newspaper is doing to Encourage Bible Study.

Here is what appeared in a recent issue of Toronto Truth:

"Some little interest was manifested in the Bible Questions given some weeks ago and a great deal of satisfaction expressed by the recipients of a handsome gold watch and other prizes we gave. We want more of our readers, and every one else, to study up the Bible, the best of all books; and in order to encourage this study, we offer the following valuable prizes for correct answers to the subjoined questions:

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2.—The shortest verse in the New Testament.
3.—The number of Books in the Bible.
4.—The number of Chapters in the Bible.
5.—The number of Verses in the Bible.

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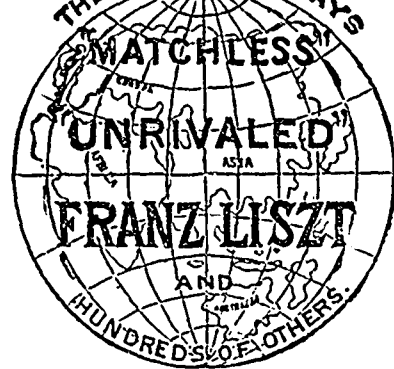
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