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The Boy Jesus—Luke 2: 40-52.

Commentary.—I. The growth and advancement of Jesus (vs. 40, 52). 40. The bill grew—From this verse and verse 2 we learn that Jesus had a human body and soul. He was a genuine boy and grew like other boys, but he was inless. Evil had no place in him. Waxid—An old English word for grew. Strong in spirit—"In spirit" is omitted in the Revised Version, but spiritual trength is meant. He became strong in mind and understanding. Filled with wisdom—He was eminent for wisdom wen when a child. Grace of God-Grace commonly means favor. God was pleased with him and showed him favor and blesed him.

52. In the natural man cannot feathom.

V. Jesus subject to His parents (v. 51).

31. Went down with them—If His heart drew Him to the temple, (the voice of duty called Him back to Galilee; and, perfect, even in childhood, He yielded implicit obedience to this voice.—Lange. To Nazareth—Here he remained eighteen years longer. These were years of growth and preparation for His great in the thought of Him unto them—There is something wonderful beyond measure in the thought of Him unto them—There is something wonderful beyond measure in the thought of Him unto whom all things are subject submitting to earthly parents. No such honor was ever done of many and hary.—Hom. Com. In her heart — Expecting that hereafter they would be angels as was done to Joseph and Mary.—Hom. Com. In her heart — Expecting that hereafter they would be angels as was done to Joseph and Mary.—Hom. Com. In her heart — Expecting that her natural man cannot fathom.

PRAVICAL APPLICATIONS.

Jesus is not only our substitute, He is our example, (John xiii. 15.) "On the lonely road and in the crowded street:

strength in mind and understanding. Filled with its atom—He was eminat for wisdom—He was eminat for wisdom—wen who a child. Grace of God-Graced with him and showed him favor and bleed him.

52. Increased in wisdom—This refers to his spiritual and intellectual development. Some one has said that "wisdom is knowledge made our own and properly applied." And stature—There could be no increase in the perfection of his divine nature, but this is spoken of his human nature. His body increased in stature and his soul developed in divine things. Favor with God—Though his entire being was in the favor of God, yet as that being increased in amount, the amount of favor increased proprotionately—Wheelon. And man his character and life wase beautiful and the better direct and loved. The more he better direct and loved. The more he better direct and loved. The more he have been recommended.

11. Jesus at the Passover (x. 41, 42).

12. Usen as a place of twelve a Jewish boy became 'a son of the law, and came under the obligation of obeying all its precepts, including attendance of women was not required, but that deen recommended.

12. Passover. It is probable that this was the first time that Jesus had been in Jerusalem at this feast."

13. Jesus the Passover week (Exod. 12, 15). Tarried behind at Jerusalem unintentional It, nor that Joseph and Mary losits where were was one of the three great Jewish between the time and place of departure was mone and many proposed that Joseph and Mary losits of the spirit is life and peace" (Rom. Nather and the was among the younger ones. The mere had the was among the younger ones. The mere had the was among the younger ones. The mere had the was among the younger ones. The mere had the was among the younger ones. The mere had the was among the younger ones. The mere had the was among the younger ones. The mere had the was among the younger ones. The mere had the was among the younger ones. The mere had the was among the younger ones. The mere had the was among the younger ones. The mere h

# QUIET TIME IN IRELAND.

No Electoral Excitement Over the Coming Elections.

Many Constituencies Without Any Opposition Candidates.

Two Reasons Given for Unwonted State of Affairs.

Dublin, Ireland, Jan. 8 .- "The only part of the kingdom where there is no electoral excitemnt, is Ireland. Hitherto the experience has been otherwise. The foregoing was William O'Brien's

comment yesterday on the strange situlation presented in Ireland which has no precedent in the history of parliamentry elections. The campaign organization is still incomplete, but the number of boroughs in which candidates have no opposition is without parallel. It is beleved that in the whole province of Munster, there will not be a single contest. Throughout the Nationalist districts the contests will be exceedingly few, the selection of candidates by the Nationalist convention being everywhere

Nationalist convention being everywhere accepted.

This phenomena is variously accounted for by the Nationalists as exhibiting the unchallenged influence of the Irish League, and by the Unionists as proving that the Nationalists have the fullest confidence that the Irish party holds Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman in its power. Whatever the cause it is certain that Ireland is extraordinarily placid for an election period both sides naving agreed to avoid contests between Nationalist candidates. Even in Ulster there is little excitement and the fight is less between the Nationalist faction than between the opposition sections of the Unionists.

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# THE BRITISH ARMY.

# Market Reports The Week.

Toronto Farmers' Market.

The offerings of grain to-day were at 38 to 38.2. State of the selling at 76 to 78c; and 200 bushels of goose at 70c, Barley unchanged. 200 bushels selling at 51c at

bushes.

Butter in fair supply, and prices steady for choice qualities at 24 to 27c per lb. New laid eggs, 40 to 45c per dozen.

Hay is unchanged, with sales of 30 loads at 35 to \$10.50 a ton for timothy, and at 55 to \$8 for mixed. Straw is easier, one load selling at \$10 a tot.

Dressed hogs are unchanged, with light quoted at \$9, and heavy at \$8.50.

Wheat, white, bushel .....\$0.75 \$0.78.

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	Timothy, bushel	1	50		0
	Dressed hogs	8	50		00
	Apples, per bbl	1	75		0
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	Geese, per lb	0	11		1
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	Cauliflower, per dozen				66
ı	Potatoes, per bag	0	75	0	90
ı	Celery, per dozen	0	35		46
ı	Onions, per bag	1	20	1	2
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ı	Do., forequarters	4	50	5	
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barrels selling; market very active. Green-ings, 21s 6d to 22s 6d; Baldwins, 21s to 24s 6d; Spies, 20s 6d to 22s 6d; Russets, 21s 6d to 25s; Ben Davis, 18s to 19s; special

British Cattle Markets.

ndon.—Cattle are quoted at 10 lb.; refrigerator, 8½c. Winnipeg Options.

The following were the closing quotations yesterday at this market; Jan. 75%c; May 79%; July, 80%c.

Bradstreet's on Trade.

Montreal-Wholesale trade in all lines

# Impoverished Soil

Impoverished soil, like impove erished blood, needs a proper fertilizer. A chemist by analysing the soil can tell you what fertilizer to use for different products.

If your blood is impoverished your doctor will tell you what you need to fertilize it and give it the rich, red corpuscles that are lacking in it. It may be you need a tonic, but more likely you need a concentrated fat food. and fat is the element lacking in your system.

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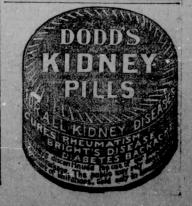
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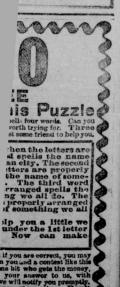
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