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## LIFE THOUGHTS.

THE mother's heart is the child's school

God pardons like a mother, who kis the offence into everlasting forgetfulness.

Great powers and natural gifts do not bring privileges to their possessor, so as they bring duties.

We go to the grave of a friend, saying,—
"A man is dead;" but angels throng about him, saying,—"A man is born." No experience will ever reveal to us what chances are yet to come to us, or what new growth or prunning we shall have.

A man in the right, with God on his side is in the majority, though he be alone, for God is multitudinous above all populations

of the earth. Many men carry their conscience like a drawn sword, cutting this way and that, in the world, but sheathe it, and keep it very soft and quiet, when it is turned within, thinking that a sword should not be allowed to cut its own scabbard.

No man can go down into the dangeon of his experience, and hold the torch of God's word to all its dark chambers, and hidden cavities, and slimy recesses, and not come up with a shudder and a chill, and an earnest cry to God for divine mercy and cleansing.

When your mind and heart are in such a when your mind and heart are in such a state that praying is pushing a prayer through —like driving a wedge into a log, do you call it religion? It is as when your child, red-faced, and choking with passion, is held up by the servant to kiss you. He comes because he is pushed,—and do you call that

the sunlight has forgotten to find its way through, of what use can it be..... Now, the the church is God's window; and if it is so obscured by errors that its light is darkness, how great is that darkness!

God designed men to grow as trees grow, in open pastures, full-boughed all around; but men in society grow like trees in forests, tall and spindling, the lower ones overshadowed by the higher, with only a little branching, and that at the top. They borrow of each other the power to stand; and if the forest be cleared, and one be left alone, the first wind which comes uproots it.

Men think religion bears the same rela-Men think religion bears the same relation to life that flowers do to trees. The trees must grow through a long period before the blossoming time; so they think religion is to be a blossom just before death to secure heaven.....But the Bible represents religion, not as the latest fruit of life, but as the whole of it—beginning, middle, and end. It

The sun does not shine for a few trees and flowers, but for the wide world's joy.

"Eighty millions of liars in the bank!" said Mrs. Partington, as Ike read the amount of livres that Garibaldi had found at haples! "they are worse than they are in the hands this way, then, and a good many more of em."

'May it please your honor,' said a lawyer, addressing one of the city judges, 'I brought the prisoner from jail on a habeas corpus.' Well,' said a fellow in an undertone, who stood in the rear of the Court, 'these lawyers will say anything; I saw the man get out of a cab, at the Court door.'

CANADA AND THE COLONIES.

The bank of Montreal has declared a dividend of four per cent for the current half-year, payable 1st of December next.

The Quebee 'Chronicle' says:—"It is rumored that John Sheridan Hogan, Esq., M. P. P., for Grey, has been discovered in a lunantic asylum in Texas."

The small pox is very bad in Ottawa cit the disease having been spread by innoculation, a practice which although prohibited by law under a heavy penalty, is extremely revalent in Canada

Patrick Rafferty, a private in the Canadian Rifles, was run over and killed by a freight train on the Grand Trunk Railway at Toronto on Wednesday last, while in a state

MASSES FOR THE DEAD .- Yesterday morning requiem masses were chaunted in the St. Patrick's Church for the repose of the souls of those slain while fighting for the Pope against the Sandinian.

We understand that Mr. Demers, who we understand that Mr. Demers, who was recently robbed in this city of a considerable sum of money, received yesterday through the Post Office \$900 from one of

STRANGE SUICIDE. - The Mitchell (C.W)

WESTERN BAILWAY .- The magnitude of this trade can scarcely be appreciated, except by a visit to the Great Western Railway

A new island has been added to the ectively requested to pay to the under-pacific chart by a late discovery made by Chap. Green of the Agate, a brig in the employ of the Phenix Guano Company. It lies at the north east and of the Phenix group, in late. 2° 91 8., and long. 171° 40 W. The discoverers found a spacious lagoon inside, and some appearence of the island having been inhabited, although at a somete period. On the eastern side of the entrance to the lagoon there was a large pyramidal

UNITED STATES.

A BAD TELEGRAPH CABLE .- The Vicks burg (Miss.) Whig states that a portion of the great Atlantic Telegraph cable, which was taken there to be laid across the Missippi, which was found to be utterly worthless, and therefore could not be used. A new cable was ordered from New York.

From all accounts the effects of the frosts of the latter part of the week upon the tobacco crop of Kentucky have been most disastrous, involving the loss, perhaps, of about one-eighth of the crop of the tobacco growing region of the southern portion of the state. The Louisville Journal of the 17th says that the effect of a knowledge of this falling off is already apparent, and an advance of fully \$1 per hundred was sustained in that city on Tuesday upon all descriptions.

the house and yard with a pistol, not supposed to be loaded, took it from him, and while
examining it, it was accidentally discharged,
and the contents were received by Mr.
Ewell's daughter, a beautiful little girl of
nine summers, who was seated on the steps
getting her lesson. The little one at once
jumped up, exclaiming, "Oh! pa, you have
killed me!" As she said this, the blood
hurst from her nose and month. The Day burst from her nose and mouth. The Day

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Advocate says that a few days since Mr.
J. L. Mandigo, proprietor of the hotel known as "Campbell's Hotel," Drumbo, committed suicide by throwing himself from the gallery on the outside of the house—a distance of about thirty-five feet. He alighted on his head, which caused a fracture of the skull and broke his neck. Jealousy was the cause.

A Curious report on immigration, by a committee of the Legislative Assembly, has been recently published. It advocates encouraging the immigration to Canada of the Swiss mercenaries formerly in the service of Naples and other despotic powers, including of course the murderous rascals let loose by the Pope on Perugia. It is proposed to employ the Canadian steamers in bringing this villanous freight to Canada.

The Grain Trade At the Great Western Railway.—The magnitude of

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PATRIOT state that praying is pushing a prayer through while driving a wedge into a log, do you call it religion? It is as when your child, redfaced, and choking with passion, is held up by the servant to kiss you. He comes because he is pushed,—and do you call that love?

The clearest window that ever was fashioned, if it is barred with spider's webs, and hung over with eareasses of insects, so that Shipowners, must be reaping a rich harvest this fall, the quantities of grain on the move being immensely in excess of previous years, while at the same time freights are high.

At half past one on Saturday afternoon two poor men who had been paid a debt in bills of the Bank of Upper Canada which they found refused at the market, and other places where they tried to make purchases, tendered them at the Bank here for specie or other bills, when the demand was refused on the ground that the Bank was closed for the day, and they must return on Manday, in a rather impertinent manner by "a little fat chunk of a man behind the counter." It was in vain for the men to point out the hardship to themselves and families, the Bank officers were inexorable.

Although the Banks have agreed to alose on Saturdays they are not on that account relieved from their obligation to redeem their issue within the usual banking hours of other days; and the refusal to do so in this instance, the door being actually open, was a silegal as it was unwise in the delicate circumstances in which the Bank of Upper Canada stands.—Montreal Advertiser.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

cand dosers, but for the wide words a joy. The family pine on the mountain top waves its sombre boughs and crise, "Thou art my sun." As the grain in a thousand fields readed in the world, the history from the thousand fields readed in the world, and makes answer, "Thou art my sun." As the grain in a thousand fields readed in the world, and makes answer, "Thou art my sun." As the grain in a thousand fields readed in the world, and makes answer, "Thou art my sun." As the grain in a thousand fields readed in the world, and makes answer, "Thou art my sun." As the grain in a thousand fields readed in the world, and makes answer, "Thou art my sun." As the grain in a thousand field readed in the grain in an indigent field grain in the gra

MINUTES OF MONAB COUNCIL. Pursuant to adjournment, the Municipal Council of McNab met at the Town Hall, all the Councillors present, and the Reeve in the

The minutes of the preceding council we read, approved and signed by the Reeve.

The following communications and petions were presented and read:

An account of E. Harrington.

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An account of D. Mackie.
A petition from G. Rochester and others, praying for \$20 to repair 2nd con. line.
A plan of the township, from Mr McDonald, P. L. S.

Mr Robertson gave notice of a By-law to establish a highway through part of the 4th and 5th con., on or near the side-line between lots 18 and 19.

in the chair; and on the Reeve again resun-ing, the chair presented the following report: The accounts of F Harrington and David Machie, we recommend that they be paid. We recommend the following sums to be

Thirty dollars on Laverture's Hill, and Twenty dollars from the Burnstown bridge

Mr Lawrie's, on the 2d con. The By-law to establish a highway near the side-line between los 18 and 19, on the 4th and 5th con. We recommend that

The report of James Richey we recom-mend that it be taken up with the by-law to which it refers. We recommend that the sun of ten dollars be expended on the County line between Mc-Nab and Fitzroy.

On motion of Mr Robertson the foregoing eport was adopted,
On motion of Dr Church, the Reeve sign ed an order on the Treasurer for 20 dollars, in favor of Mr McDonald, PL.S., for a map

On motion of Mr Fisher, the sum on \$40 was appropriated for cutting and clearing out the road between lots 15 & 16 in the 1st

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was instructed to get legal advice on By-law No. 101, constituting a public highway through lot 18 in the 5th concession. favor of E. Harrington, for nails supplied at Balmer's Island Bridge.

On motion of Mr Robertson, the By-law constituting a road between lots 18 & 19 on 4th and 5th concessions, was read a second

On motion of Mr Robertson, the clerk was ordered to draw on the Treasurer for such amount as will pay the Councillors for the

A. H. DOWSWELL Town Clerk.

MINUTES OF LANARK COUNCIL. Town Hall. 29th Oct. 1860. Pursuant to adjournment the Council met this day, present the Reeve and all the

The Minutes of the last session were read, approved, and signed by the Reeve.

The following original document presented and read:

Report of Commissioner Magee of the expenditure of thirty dollars, on the 11th concession line. General directing the attention of the Reeve to the provisions of the 14th Section of the 22nd Victoria chap. 76, Moved by Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr.

Reports from 40 Pathmasters presented.

Moved by Mr. Mathew, seconded by Mr.

Campbell, that the Council adjourn for one hour,—Carried.

Council resumed.

George Graham, Commissioner, presented

George Graham, Commissioner, presented his Report of the expenditure of 18 dollars, on a bridge on the 6th concession line. Moved by Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr.

Campbell,

That the By-law providing for a Poor Rate, read a first time last session, be now

The By-law was accordingly read a third

That the Reports of Pathmasters, now before the Council in which the Report of Statute labour performed is satisfactory, be

That the Council do now adjourn, to meet on Tuesday, 28 November,

believe there is no planet, nor star, in the heights and depths of space so intensely interesting, or se worthy, notwithstanding all its apostacy, to last for ever, as this same carth as ours. What star has such brilliant antecedents, such magnificent associations? It is covered with Peniels, of the evidences that God has been here. Bethlebem Navel

ARRIVAL OF THE BOHEMIAN. FATHER POINT, Nov 1.

19th.

The Edinburg arrived at Queenstown on the morning of the 17th.

On the morning of the 18th, when the Behemian left Liverpool, great rejoiceings were going on in honor of the opening of a splendid tree library presented to the town.

by William Brown. The Queen and Consort had arrived at Windsor from Germany. The Queen had recovered from her indisposition.

The London Times had an editorial re-

defending Caption Salmon from the imputation cast upon him for surrenderin Walker, who, it asserts, forfeited by his owacts all assurence he ever received.

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The Paris Patrie says, as soon as the annexation of Naples and Sicily to Sardinia is proclaimed Garibaldi will resign political authority, and assume the title and functions of Commander-in-Chief of the Land and Sea forces. In Southern Italy he will these two points, the things taught.

eve of a settlement; the sum to be paid to Hanover is £460,000 stg.; England and Hamburg pays £153,000 each, and the remainder by the other States interested.

The human sacrifices at Dohomey have far exceeded the numbers reported. The victems are reckoned by thousands. The Times' Paris correspondent says that the Paple Nuncio to the Tuilleries has been the last of the Imperial Court in the charect-

er of the representative of the Holy Pather.
The Pimes says, that Lord John Russell is not authorized to premise that England will teach the King of Sardinia political morality, or defend treaties of a holy or any other alliance, against the natural interests of the Italian race. The Times urges on Victor Emmanuel the necessity of a speedy action at Naples, as Warsaw may take advantage of the delay to throw its protection around that dwindled sovereignty still existing on the Volturno. It is quite time that Victor Emanuel had scattered the Boarbon forces have driven away its King. Any further delay will be inexcusable. further delay will be inexcusable.

ARRIVAL OF THE EUROPA. The weather in England continued unset

A Gotha newspaper reports that the only daughter of the Duke of Saxe Meiningen, just turned 17, is the destined bride of the

Prince of Wales. The French Bishops and Clergy continued boldly and vigorously to defend the Papal cause. It was believed the Papal

Nuncio at Paris would not return.

It is reiterated that Austrian troo largely concentrated on the frontiers, and there was an unconfirmed rumor that 4,000 Austrians from Mantua had crossed the Po.

THE SWING AS A CURE FOR CONSUMPTION.—Dr. Long of Holyoke, in a letter to the Springfield Republican, recommends the gymnastic swing as a preventative and cure of pulmonary disease. He says:—"In the suspending of the body by the hands by the means of a strong rope or chain, fastened to a beam at one end, and at the other a stick three feet long, convenient to grasp with the hands. The rope should be fastened to the centre of the stick, which should hang six or eight inches above the head. Let a person grasp this stick, with the hands two or three feet apart, and swing very moderately at—perhaps only bear the weight, if very weak, and gradually increases as the muscles gain strength from the exercise, until it may be freely used from three to six times daily. The connection of the arms with the body (with the exception of the clavicle with the stenum or breastbone) being a muscular attachment to the ribs, the effect of this exercise is to elevate the ribs and enlarge the chest; and as nature allows no vacuum, the lungs expand to fill the cavity, increasing the volumn of air—the natural purifier of blood and preventing congestion or the deposit of tuberculeus matter. I have prescribed the above for all eases of hemorhage of the lungs and threatened consumption, for 35 years, and have been able to increase the measure of the chest from two to four inches within a few months, and always with good THE SWING AS A CURE FOR CONSUMP within a few months, and always with good results. But, especially, as a preventative, I would recommend this exercise."

BAD BREATH.—If when the face is brou near another's the lips are kept firmly clothere is no bad breath, that which co there is no bad breath, that which comes from the nose being not perceptibly disagreeable. Much of the disagreeable odor of a late meal may be avoided if the teeth and mouth are well rinsed with warm water, and the tooth-brush is passed across the back part of the tongue. Is some persons, a foctor of breath and of the feet alternate. In others, both are present at the same time. A facility a price panally of pat always, from antecedents, such magnificent associations? It is covered with Peniels, of the evidences that God has been here. Bethlehem, Nazareth, Galilee, Zion, Calvery, and Tabor—Oh! would there not be tears in heaven were these grand historic memorials of all that was greatest and most precious in the history of the universe to be expunged and effaced from the world for ever? I believe that you and I, subjects of that kingdom, will walk together, and I will tell you, or you will tell me, here the Prince of the kings of the earth lay in a manger, there he

My Reverend Brethren and Brethren:

Your resolution requesting me to lay before the Diocese the proofs upon which I have formed the opinion which I expressed, concerning the teaching of Trinity College, Toronto, has been placed in my hands. In compliance with your request, I now proceed to redeem the pledge which I gave in my pastoral, or making known to the clergy and laity of my Diocese, the grounds of my opinion, whence called upon to do so.

Some time after my return from England, in 1858, some gradentes in Trinity College applied to me for ordination, and it became my duty to examine them. I perceived that the views of some of these gentlemen, more particularly concerning the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome, were not making the character and doctrines of the Church of Rome the catechism on one or two occasions, and his notes on the catechism on one or two occasions, and his notes on the catechism on one or two occasions, and his notes on the catechism on one or two occasions, and his notes on the catechism on one or two occasions, and his notes on the catechism.

Ans. 4.—W

the cause of this, and after a good deal of examination and enquiry, I was led to the conclusion that the views held by these gentlemen, were traceable to the teaching to which they had been subjected, during their University course. The mode of teaching, as described to me, appeared to be highly objectionable, and the matter taught was in my

In order that I should not fall into any all Europe for volunteers.

A telegraph of the 16th says, the Prodictator had resigned, also the ministry. Great agitation and discontent prevailed, and strong partols of the National Guard paraded the streets. It is also stated that 14,000 Piedmontese troops had already reached Naples by sea, and that after Victor Emmanuel reviews them, they will mareh to Caserta to be joined by those entering by the Roman frontier.

Hanover abolition State dues are on the eve of a settlement; the sum to be paid to

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residing in the diocese of Toronto. The answers are numbered to correspond with the fully as compulsory as on any other lecture

Ans. 2 .- Yes, it is the Provost's regular mode of proceeding to dictate questions and

Ans. 3.—No; that would be impossible at the rate the Provost is accustomed to go on. One of the first things a student does after entering is, (on advice) to secure a copy of the manuscript, which invariably corresponds almost verbatim, with that which the Provost on the succeeding day, for their absence therefrom.

Ans. 1..—Yes; it was placed precisely on the same footing with other subjects. Students absenting themselves from Catechism, or any other lecture given by the Provost, were obliged to account satisfactorily to the Provost on the succeeding day, for their absence therefrom.

Ans. 2.—Yes; the Provost's mode of proalmost verbatim, with that which the Provost uses, except in some instances it may not, perhaps, be so full. As each student enters the lecture room, he brings his own or another's copy of the manuscript, which he places on the table before him, in the presence of the Provost, leaving it closed until the questions dictated on the last lecture day are answered or disposed of. Then he opens his manuscript, and follows the Provost as far as he goes, marking, at the same time, if he notices any error or mistake. Apart from this he writes neither questions nor answers, nor does he take notes, which must be quite apparent to the Provost.

Ans. 2.—Yes; the Provost's mode of procedure was as follows: At his first lecture to freshmen, he read to us about thirty questions, (the number varied afterwards.) The next Friday he questioned us on the matter of the preceding Friday, and reads to us fresh questions and answers sufficient to fill up the hour.

Ans. 3.—The students had copies of the questions and answers written, either by graduated at Trinity College, and as the Provost read his lecture, they compared their manuscripts with what he read, and made alterations in the references, (texts of Scrip-

nor does he take notes, which must be quite apparent to the Provost.

Ans. 4.—Yes; that is the plan pursued, and never, in my experience did I witness an answer as recorded in these manuscripts, prove to be correct; but I have known other answers refused, when they did not suit the Provost's views, or, as he said, 'were not the answers I gave.

Ans. 5.—No; but I have heard he did so, but whether he did or not, the perfect agreement of both proves that we have got a correct come.

rect copy.

Ans. 6.—The copies now in use are positively correct copies of the Provost's, as far as they go. They are handed down from class to class. The freshmen, for whose benfat the catechism is designed, either copies one for himself, or has one given him by

Ans. 8 .- I don't know. These statements are perfectly true, and can be proved in the most solemn manner.

I now proceed to give the answers of a clergyman in the Diocese of Huron:

Ans. 1.—Attendance was compulsory.

Ans. 2.—The Provost at each lecture asked questions, evidently form his own manuscript, upon the notes which he had dietated at the previous lecture, and, of course, the answers had to be taken from his notes.

Ans. 7.—Never that I knew of.

Ans. 8.—I have heard the students speakaf wishing to have the Catechism pub-

Ans. 3.—Some of them took notes; others would have their predecessor's books, and would only follow him while reading, and see that they were correct.

Ans. 4.—We generally answered in his own words, and if not, as nearly as possible.

Ans. 5.—He lent his questions on the cate-

copy of his questions, (as taken by Mr Wm Jones, now of Cambridge,) and the answers, as collected (answer No. 3) were handed down. When I entered in 1856, I procured a book from Mr W. Jones, from which to

ecture was compulsory.

Ans. 2.—The Provost read from his is proclaimed Garibaldi will resign political authority, and assume the title and functions of Commander-in-Chief of the Land and Sea forces. In Southern Italy he will exclusively occupy himself in preparing for war next spring and will make an appeal to all Europe for volunteers.

NAPLES.

view, most dangerous to all students, more especially to young men preparing for the ministry. I shall now direct attention to these two points, the mode of teaching, and the things taught.

In order that I should not fall into any error concerning the mode of teaching in the University, I addressed, by letter, several

Ans. 3.—The students had both questions and answers before us.

Ans. 7 .- I have never heard him say any-

3. Did the students write both questions and answers as he dictated them?

4. Were the students expected on the next lecture day to read the answers as the Provost had dictated them?

5. Did you ever know the Provost to lend his manuscript to a student to correct his notes taken down at lecture?

6. Are there any copies of the manuscript thus corrected, handed down from class to class? And is the book familiarly known Sardinia political among the students write both questions and answers as he dictated them?

Ans. 7.—I have never heard him say anything pro or con in the matter.

Ans. 8,—I never heard any proposition of the kind, though it might have been made without my knowledge.

The following is an extract from a note received from a lay gentleman, residing at some distance: "I do not think the Provost has ever given both questions and answers to any student to copy, but I heard when I was at college that he lent his questions on one coccasion and the students are sufficiently and the students write both questions and answers as he dictated them?

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Answer 1.—Attendance on the lectures in put copies for themselves."

The following answers are from a graduate of Trinity College, residing in the Dio-

cese of Toronto:
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Provost read his lecture, they compared their manuscripts with what he read, and made alterations in the references, (texts of Scripture) or anything else in which there might have been a discrepancy. They were thus assured of perfect accuracy.

Ans. 4.—Most assuredly they were; for I

collect that on one occasion, a student of my year expressed the answer in a manner which varied, by two important words, from that dictated by the Provost on the preceding Friday, and was corrected for it. I remember the more distinctly as every student who took pains with it, used to repeat it with literal accuracy.

Ans. 5.—I understood by report amo

did lend his manuscript to a student, and I always considered that this was the origin of the almost stereotyped accuracy of our manu-Ans. 6.—Yes; generally a student, after his previous examination in the second year, at which time he passes his third and last examination in the catechism, either gives, lends, or sells his manuscript catechism to junior students. In my case, I obtained the loan of a manuscript catechism, and copied it out. It is familiarly known among the students as 'The Provost's Catechism.'

Ans. 7.—Never to my knowledge.
Ans. 8.—No; but I often wished for my own convenience, that it had been printed and published, as the copying of it entailed a great deal of unnecessary labor upon me, and wasted much precious time, in fact, I thought it on the whole a very strange proceeding.

I have stated fully my objections to this mode of teaching in my pastoral; I need not here repeat them.

This manuscript known as 'The Provost's Catechism,' with the questions copied or corrected from his own manuscript, lent for that purpose, and the answers taken down from his own lips, and corrected from time to time, has been handed down from class to class, and has even been bought and sold by the students. I have not given the names of those gentlemen from whom I have received the above answers to my questions.