

Publisher's Department.

TRUTH, WEEKLY, 28 PAGES, issued every Saturday, 7 cents per single copy, \$2.00 per year. Advertising rates:—30 cents per line, single insertion; one month, \$1.00 per line; three months, \$2.50 per line; six months, \$4.00 per line; twelve months, \$7 per line.

TRUTH is sent to subscribers until an explicit order is received by the Publisher for its discontinuance, and all payment of arrears is made, as required by law.

PAYMENT FOR TRUTH, when sent by mail, should be made in Money Orders or Registered Letter. All postmasters are required to register letters whenever requested to do so.

DISCONTINUANCE—Remember that the Publisher must be notified by letter when a subscriber wishes his paper stopped. All arrears must be paid.

ALWAYS GIVE THE NAME of the Post-Office to which your paper is sent. Your name cannot be found on our books unless this is done.

THE DATE AGAINST YOUR NAME on the address label shows to what time your subscription is paid.

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LADIES' JOURNAL, monthly, 20 pages, issued about the 25th of each month, for following month, 50 cents per year, 6 cents per single copy. A limited number of advertisements will be taken at low rates.

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Advertisements inserted in any paper published in Canada at publisher's lowest rates. As we pay "spot" cash for all orders sent to publishers, and the ease of advertising we handle is all of the best, publishers much prefer dealing with our establishment to any other.

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Proprietor—Auxiliary Advertising Agency,
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BOOK NOTICES.

A second edition of that valuable little volume by Mr. J. D. Warde, "The Joint Stock Companies Manual," has been issued. The work contains practical information for those interested in the formation, incorporation and management of Joint Stock Companies, and is very valuable as a reference book for persons wishing to make application for charters under the Joint Stock Companies Act.

THE MENTOR.—This is a little book by Alfred Ayres, the author of "The Orthopedist" and "The Verbalist," two works that are widely known to persons who are interested in the study of English. Mr. Ayres tells us that his last book is intended for "such men and boys as would appear to advantage in the society of persons of the better sort." In other words, it is a book for the use of such men and boys, as would acquaint themselves with the usages that obtain in the more refined circles of society, for such men and boys as are ambitious to have their manners proclaim them to be persons of culture and refinement and worthy of being admitted to the society of ladies and gentlemen. The publishers are Funk & Wagnalls, 10 & 12 Dey St., New York.

Where there is a will there is a way; where there is much in the will the lawyers have a knack of getting away with it.

Important.

When you visit or leave New York City, save baggage, Expressage and 43 Carriage Hire, and stop at the Grand Union Hotel, opposite Grand Central Depot. 600 elegant rooms fitted up at a cost of one million dollars, \$1 and upwards per day. European plan. Elevators. Restaurant supplied with the best. Horse cars, stages and elevated railroads to all depots. Families can live better for less money at the Grand Union Hotel than at any other first-class hotel in the city.

\$43,535.00

A NEW PLAN.

FINE CITY RESIDENCE GIVEN AWAY

FOR ONE DOLLAR ONLY.

"TRUTH" BIBLE COMPETITION NO. 14.

About two years ago the publisher of **TRUTH** resolved to make a great effort to extend the circulation and influence of his paper to the fullest possible extent, and hit on the expedient of offering a large number of splendid premiums for correct answers to Bible questions. As the effort met with fair encouragement he has ever since continued, from time to time, similar offers, carrying out every promise to the very letter, and promptly paying every prize offered. As his publication is a permanent institution, an old-established and widely-circulated journal, and he has staked his all in its success, he is fully alive to the fact that the scheme must be carried out fairly and honorably without favor or partiality to any one.

This has been done in the past, and it will be done in the future. Within the last two years he has, among other rewards, given out about \$3,000 in cash, 25 pianos, 25 organs, 500 gold watches, 500 silver tea sets, 500 silver watches, besides many other valuable articles too numerous to enumerate here.

No other publisher in America, if in the world, has ever paid out anything approaching this in the same manner, and few others have ever so extensively advertised.

The result is that full confidence has now been established in the honorableness of the scheme, and the reliability of the publisher. **TRUTH** now circulates in every Province in the Dominion of Canada and in nearly every State of the American Union, besides having a large circulation across the Atlantic.

READ THIS CAREFULLY.

You can compete any number of times in this competition. Send one dollar now, don't delay, with answers to these questions, and you will stand a good chance among the SECOND and THIRD, and more particularly for the GREAT MIDDLE reward, the residence, as the advertisement has been out some time. Then send one dollar, say one month hence, and another in competition for the Consolation Rewards, and among the lot you are almost certain to strike something well worth having, perhaps even a prize for each dollar sent. Of course your answers to the Bible questions must be correct to secure any reward. Don't lose an hour now in sending off the first dollar. Read the full particulars. For each dollar sent your term of subscription will be extended four months.

Among former competitors are the leading citizens of the country—the most respected ministers, public officers, professional men, ladies of every station, and people of nearly all classes. Large lists of these successful in former competitions have appeared and are still appearing each week in **TRUTH**. Any of these names may be referred to in regard to what has been done.

A GOOD GUARANTEE.

Reader, you need not have any misgivings about this offer. Mr. Wilson has been in business for nine years as a publisher, and has honorably met every engagement and fulfilled all promises. Though money has been actually lost on this scheme, in order to carry it out squarely, yet he is not dissatisfied with the result, as **TRUTH** has been splendidly established and his own business reputation well built up. This will, however, positively be the last competition this year, and perhaps altogether, so don't lose the present opportunity of securing a valuable prize with **TRUTH**. A good guarantee for the future now lies in the fact that the publisher cannot now afford to do otherwise than honorably carry out his promises, as to fail at all would forfeit the result of the efforts of nearly a whole business life time.

THE BIBLE QUESTIONS.

1. Give first reference to the word **MAKING** in the Bible.

2. Give first reference to the word **DIVORCE** in the Bible.

THE REWARDS.

In order to give every one, living anywhere, a fair chance to obtain one of these rewards, they have been distributed equally over the whole time of the competition, in seven lots as follows:—

FIRST REWARDS
1.—Two Hundred Dollars in Gold Coin.....\$200
2, 3 and 4.—Three grand upright rosewood pianos, by Mason & Rice, Toronto.....1,500
5, 6, 7 and 8.—Four fine ten-stop cabinet organs.....800
9, 10, 11, 12 and 13.—Five elegant solid quadruple silver-plated tea services.....500
14 to 18.—Six ladies' fine solid gold hunting-case watches.....540
20 to 20.—Eleven solid coin silver hunting-case or open-face watches.....280
31 to 70.—Forty-five nickel silver case watches, good movements.....400
71.—One Hundred Dollars in Gold.....100
72 to 300.—One hundred and twenty-nine solid gold rings, elegant designs.....780
301 to 600.—Three hundred fine solid rolled gold brooches, newest designs.....900
601.—Fifty Dollars in Gold.....50

SECOND REWARDS.
1.—Two Hundred Dollars in Gold.....\$200
2, 3 and 4.—Three magnificent grand square pianos.....1,500
5, 6 and 7.—Three fine-toned 10-stop Cabinet Organs.....800
8 to 15.—Eight gentlemen's solid gold watches.....750
16 to 28.—Thirteen ladies' solid gold watches.....170
29 to 40.—Twelve solid quadruple plate silver tea sets.....780
41 to 70.—Thirty gentlemen's solid coin silver hunting case watches.....900
71 to 90.—Twenty-nine solid gold gem rings.....600
100.—Seventy-five Dollars in Gold.....75
101 to 121.—Thirty-one solid quadruple plate cake baskets, new and elegant patterns.....585
122 to 300.—One hundred and seventy-eight solid sets of heavy solid silver-plated tea spoons.....850
301 to 600.—Two hundred and four well-bound volumes of Chambers' Etymological Dictionaries.....510
610 to 715.—Two hundred and six fine butter knives.....300
716.—One Hundred Dollars in Gold.....100

THIRD REWARDS.
1, 2 and 3.—Three elegant rosewood square pianos.....\$1,500
4, 5, 6 and 7.—Four gentlemen's solid gold watches.....400
8, 9, 10 and 11.—Four ladies' solid gold, beautifully engraved watches.....400
12 to 17.—Six solid quadruple silver plate tea services.....540
18 to 28.—Eleven sets Chambers' encyclopedias (10 vols. to set).....500
30 to 38.—Nine solid coin silver hunting case or open face watches.....300
39.—Seventy-five Dollars in Gold.....75
40 to 50.—Fifty one solid gold gem rings.....600
51 to 131.—Thirty-one solid quadruple silver plate cake baskets, elegant designs.....450
132 to 300.—Eighty-one half-dozen solid silver-plated tea spoons.....445
301 to 400.—Two hundred volumes, well-bound, Chambers' Etymological Dictionaries.....450
401.—One Hundred and Fifty Dollars in Gold.....150

THE GREAT MIDDLE REWARD OF THE WHOLE COMPETITION.

"TRUTH" VILLA,
a fine, well-situated dwelling house, No. 12 Ross Street, in the City of Toronto. The house is a new one, semi-detached, fine mantles, grates, bath-room, marble washstand, water closet and bath, and all modern conveniences. It now rents for \$22 per month, so you can judge of its value from the rental. The winner must consent to allow the name "**TRUTH** Villa" to remain on the house, as a memento of the enterprise of **TRUTH**.

FOURTH REWARDS
1.—Two Hundred Dollars in Gold Coin.....\$200
2, 3 and 4.—Three fine upright pianos, by Mason & Rice, Toronto.....1,500
5 and 6.—Two fine-toned, 10-stop cabinet organs, by a celebrated firm.....500
7, 8 and 9.—Two fine quadruple plate silver tea services.....900
10 to 18.—Six gentlemen's solid gold watches.....800
19 to 20.—Five ladies' solid gold watches.....450
21 to 22.—Nine renowned sewing machines.....800
23.—Ten Dollars in Gold.....10

24 to 40.—Ten gentlemen's solid hunting-case or open-faced, coin-silver watches.....800
41 to 50.—Ten solid quadruple silver plate cake baskets, elegant designs.....900
51 to 100.—Fifty half-dozen sets of heavy silver-plated tea spoons.....400
101 to 310.—One hundred and thirty volumes of Chambers' Etymological Dictionaries.....800
311 to 610.—Two hundred copies of a most fascinating novel, bound in paper.....60
611.—One Hundred Dollars in Gold.....10

FIFTH REWARDS.
1.—One hundred dollars in Gold Coin.....\$100
2, 3, 4 and 5.—Four fine upright pianos.....2,100
10 to 20.—Ten gentlemen's fine solid gold watches.....1,000
21 to 32.—Ten ladies' fine solid gold watches.....1,000
33 to 50.—Eighteen solid quadruple silver plated tea services.....1,440
51 to 70.—Thirty double-barrel, 7-shot, breech loading shot guns.....2,700
71 to 110.—Forty sets (10 vols. to set), complete Chambers' Encyclopedias.....2,000
111 to 132.—Twenty-two Gentlemen's solid coin silver hunting case or open face watches.....600
133.—Twenty Dollars in Gold.....20
134.—One Hundred Dollars in Gold.....100
135 to 152.—Twenty-seven Solid Nickel watches.....540
153 to 260.—One hundred and eighty-eight half-dozen sets of heavy silver-plated Tea Spoons.....900
261 to 600.—Three hundred and fifty volumes of a most fascinating novel, (bound in paper).....100

After these follow the Consolation Rewards, when, to the sender of the very last correct answer received in this Competition will be given number one of these Consolation Rewards named below. To the next to the last correct answer will be given number two, and so on till all these are given away.

CONSOLATION REWARDS.
1.—Two Hundred Dollars in Gold Coin.....\$200
2, 3 and 4.—Three fine grand upright pianos, 1,500
5, 6 and 7.—Three elegant cabinet organs, by a celebrated maker.....750
8 to 10.—Three fine quadruple plate tea services—five pieces.....280
11 to 18.—Eight ladies' solid gold hunting-case watches.....900
19 to 28.—Eleven heavy black silk dress patterns.....580
30 to 90.—Forty-one fine black cashmere dress patterns.....410
91 to 150.—Sixty half-dozen sets silver-plated tea spoons.....300
151.—One Hundred Dollars in Gold.....100
152 to 290.—One hundred and thirty-nine fine German Oleographs.....580
291 to 351.—One hundred and eleven volumes of a most fascinating novel, by a celebrated author.....50

METHOD OF MAKING AWARDS.
As fast as the answers come to hand they are carefully numbered in the order they are received, and at the close of the competition (Sept. 30th) the letters will be divided into six equal quantities, and to the sender of the middle correct answer of the whole competition from first to last, including the consolation rewards, will be given the residence referred to above. Then to the sender of the first correct answers up to number 501 in the FIRST REWARDS, and up to number 716 in the SECOND REWARDS, and up to number 401 in the THIRD REWARDS, and up to 511 in the FOURTH REWARDS, and up to 600 in the FIFTH REWARDS, and up to 401 in the SIXTH and last, or CONSOLATION REWARDS, will be given the prizes as stated in each of the lists. Fifteen days only will be allowed after date of closing for answers in competition for consolation rewards to reach **TRUTH** Office from distant points.

Each person competing must become a subscriber to **TRUTH** for at least four months for which one dollar must be sent with their answers. As this is the regular subscription price, you therefore pay nothing extra for the privilege of competing for these costly rewards.

HOW TO SEND.
Don't lose a day about looking up these bible questions and sending them in, although your chance is equally good any time between now and 30th September next. Send in each case a money order for one dollar, or registered letter with the money enclosed, and the answer written out clearly and plainly, with your full name and correct address. Bear in mind, every one must send one dollar, for which **TRUTH** will be sent for four months. Present subscribers competing will have their term extended, or the magazine will be sent to any other desired address.

The competition is advertised only in Canada, and Canadians therefore have a better opportunity than residents of other countries. The rewards, however, are so distributed over the whole term of the competition that anyone, living anywhere, may be successful.

TRUTH is a 24-page weekly magazine, well printed and carefully edited. A full size page of newest music each week, two or three fascinating serial and one or two short stories, Poet's Page, Young Folks, Health, Temperance, and Ladies' Fashion De-