

PROGRESS!

"LADIES' JOURNAL"

BIBLE COMPETITION

NO. 19

This time the proprietor of the **LADIES' JOURNAL** exceeds any of his previous offers. The rewards are far better arranged, and spread over the whole time of the Competition than the opportunity for each competitor is better than ever before. In fact there is a valuable reward FOR EVERYBODY correctly answering the following BIBLE QUESTIONS.

1. Give first reference to the word **LAZARUS** in the Bible.
 2. Give first reference to the word **DEATH** in the Bible.
- Rewards will be given the senders of correct answers in the order they are received at the **LADIES' JOURNAL** office as follows:—

THE REWARDS.

FIRST SERIES.

- 1.—Fifty dollars in gold.
- 2 to 5.—Four Ladies' Solid Gold Watches.
- 6 to 12.—Eight Ladies' Coin Silver Watches, very neat.
- 13 to 499.—Three hundred and eighty-seven Fine Solid Gold Gem Rings.

SECOND SERIES.

- 500.—A Fine Grand Square Rosewood Piano.
- 501.—Seventy-five dollars in Gold.
- 502, 3, and 4.—Three Ladies' Solid Gold Hunting Case Watches.
- 503, and up to the Middle correct answer of the whole Competition, will be given a Fine German Oleograph Picture, 14x20.

THIRD SERIES.

- For the middle correct answer will be given ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN GOLD COIN.
- From and after the middle, and up to number 499, will be given a volume of fiction, very interesting, bound in paper.

FOURTH SERIES.

- 491 to 900.—A volume of Poems richly bound in cloth and gilt, worth at retail about \$2.25.
- 901.—A Fine Cabinet Organ, 10 Stops.
- 902, and up to LAST CORRECT ANSWER received, another of those Beautiful German Oleograph Pictures, an exact copy of a famous oil painting.

CONSOLATION REWARD.

To the last correct answer received in this Competition (which closes on July 15th) will be given \$50 in Gold Coin. Fifteen days after date of closing will be allowed for letters to reach the **LADIES' JOURNAL** Office from distant points. The letters must not be post-marked where mailed later than the 15th July. So if you live almost anywhere on the other side of the Atlantic, or in distant places in the States, you will stand a good chance for this consolation reward. All persons competing must become subscribers for at least one year to the **LADIES' JOURNAL**, for which they must enclose, with their answers, FIFTY CENTS, the regular yearly subscription price. Those who are already subscribers will have their term extended one year for the half dollar sent. Those who cannot easily obtain scrip or post-office order for fifty cents, may remit one dollar for two years' subscription, and the **JOURNAL** will be sent them for that time; or for the extra money the **JOURNAL** will be mailed to any friend's address they may indicate.

OUR PLAN.

As fast as answers are received they are numbered in the order they come to hand. A letter containing one dollar will be given two numbers—for instance, numbers 499 and 500. The sender will therefore have a double opportunity to gain a reward. If in doubt about one answer being correct, those sending a dollar may give two answers, and their letter will be given two numbers as above stated, and will therefore have a double opportunity of gaining a handsome reward.

AN INTERESTING MAGAZINE.

The **LADIES' JOURNAL** contains 20 large and well-filled pages of choice reading matter, interesting to everyone, but specially so to the ladies. One or two pages of new music, (full size), large illustrations of latest fashions, Review of Fashions for the Month, Short and Serial Stories, Household Hints, &c. &c., and is well worth double the small subscription fee asked. It is only because we have such a large (52,000) and well established circulation that we can afford to place the subscription at this low

price. You will not regret your investment, as in any case you are sure to get the **LADIES' JOURNAL** for one year and one of those elegant volumes of poems, or one of those beautiful oleographs, or an interesting volume of fiction, or an elegant solid gold gem ring, as well as a chance of securing one of the other still more valuable and costly rewards referred to above. Everything will positively be given exactly as stated, and no favoritism will be shown anyone. The **LADIES' JOURNAL** has been established nearly five years, and the proprietor of it has been in business nine years. He can therefore be depended upon to carry out all his promises. He has always done so in the past, and cannot afford to do again in the future. Address, EDITOR, "**LADIES' JOURNAL**," Toronto, Canada.

Sure to Conquer.

The most troublesome cough is sure to yield if timely treated with Hagyard's Pectoral Balm. Pleasant to take and safe for young or old.

Did you ever see an ink stand?

EPPE'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Eppe has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—*Civil Service Gazette*. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Sold only in packets by grocers, labelled—"JAMES EPPE & Co., Homoeopathic Chemists, London, Eng."

How can a man who gets left feel all right?

Consumption Cured

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all throat and Lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men suffering. I will send, free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French, or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 149 FOWLER'S BLOCK, ROYALSTER, N. Y.

He laughs best who laughs last. But how about the fellow who laughs all the time?

A Good Guarantee.

H. B. Cochran, druggist, Lancaster, Pa., writes that he has guaranteed over 300 bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters for dyspepsia, bilious attacks and liver and kidney troubles. In no cases has it disappointed those who used it. In Canada it gives the same general satisfaction.

We know to-day who is who, but shall we know to-morrow what is what?

A CURE FOR DRUNKENNESS.—I will send a Recipe, free to any person desiring the same, that has cured hundreds of cases of drunkenness. It can be given in a cup of tea, coffee, or even in the drunkard's much-loved whiskey, and without the knowledge of the person taking it if so desired. Enclose stamp for particulars. Address: M. V. LUBON, 123 State street, Albany, N. Y.

"Silence is golden." Whoever saw a chunk of gold on a woman's tongue?

By lack of open air exercise, and the want of sufficient care in the matter of diet, the whole physical mechanism often becomes impaired during the winter. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the proper remedy to take in the spring of the year to purify the blood, invigorate the system, excite the liver to action, and restore the healthy tone and vigor.

It is not always the best author who writes the most burning sketches.

A Princely Fortune.

A man may possess the fortune of a prince but can never possess happiness without good health; to secure which the blood must be kept pure and every organ in proper action. Burdock Blood Bitters purify the blood and regulate all the organs.

Home Items and Topics.

"—All your own fault. If you remain sick when you can Get hop bitters that never—Fall.

—The weakest woman, smallest child, and sickest invalid can use hop bitters with safety and great good.

—Old men tottering around with Rheumatism, kidney trouble or any weakness will be made almost new by using hop bitters.

—My wife and daughter were made healthy by the use of hop bitters and I recommend them to my people—Methodist Clergyman.

Ask any good doctor if Hop

Bitters are not the best family medicine on earth!!!

Malarial fever, Ague and Biliousness will leave every neighborhood as soon as hop bitters arrive.

"My mother drove the paralysis and neuralgia all out of her system with hop bitters."—*Ed. Onwego Sun*.

—Keep the kidneys healthy with hop bitters and you need not fear sickness."

—Ice water is rendered harmless and more refreshing and reviving with hop bitters in each draught.

—The vigor of youth for the aged and infirm in hop bitters!!!

"At the change of life nothing equals Hop bitters to allay troubles incident thereto."

"The best periodical for ladies to take monthly, and from which they will receive the greatest benefit is hop bitters."

—Mothers with sickly, fretful, nursing children, will cure the children and benefit themselves by taking hop bitters daily.

—Thousands die annually from some form of kidney disease that might have been prevented by a timely use of hop bitters.

—Indigestion, weak stomach, irregularities of the bowels, cannot exist when hop bitters are used.

A timely use of hop

Bitters will keep a whole family

In robust health a year at a little cost

—To produce real genuine sleep and child-like repose all night, take a little hop-bitters on retiring.

None genuine without a bunch of green Hops on the white label. Shun all the vile, poisonous stuff with "Hop" or "Hops" in their name.

What is the difference between the Peruvian bark and that of the dogs in this country?

The Cheapest and Best.

On account of its purity and concentrated strength and great power over disease, Burdock Blood Bitters is the cheapest and best blood cleansing tonic known for all disordered conditions of the blood.

A good joke in some papers looks far more lonely than does the solitary india-rubber oyster in church fair soap.

Holloway's Corn Cure is the medicine to remove all kinds of corns and warts, and only costs the small sum of twenty-five cents.

A thief finds no difficulty in looking his friend straight in the face when he knows his friend is a thief also.

Mrs. D. Morrison, Farnham Centre, P. Q., writing about Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, says: George Bell used it on his son, and it cured him of rheumatism with only a few applications. The balance of the bottle was used by an old gentleman for Asthma, with the best results. It acts like a charm.

For a man to shine in society it is not necessary for him to have his character blackened.

Where to Keep It.

Keep it in your family. The best remedy for accidents and emergencies, for Burns, Scalds, Bruises, Soreness, Sore Throat, Croup, Rheumatism, Chills and Pain or Soreness of all kinds, is that marvellous healing remedy, Hagyard's Yellow Oil.

A great difference exists between getting well along in life and getting along well in life.

Faces as yellow as that of the "Heathen Chinee," in consequence of bile in the blood, grow fair and wholesome-looking again when Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and great blood purifier is used to relax constipated bowels and expel the bilious poison from the circulation. Rheumatic and blood impurities are also driven out by it, digestion restored, and the system benefited in every way by its use.

Home Amusement.

An excellent home entertainment is that of drawing together. In nearly every neighbourhood there is some one who knows something of this fine and valuable art. But if not, good prints abound, and much can be learned from them, if one only has sharp eyes. A good plan is for all the members of the family to try and draw a picture of some one thing—a chair, or a stove, a pile of books, a dog or cat. Or one may sit as a "model" and give the others twenty minutes in which to make a sketch. This often produces great merriment, and if persevered in, it sometimes happens that some member of the family develops real talent for drawing. The twilight hour may be improved by a recital of the events of the day. Each one should take his turn at this, and be obliged to make his description as possible. This exercise tends to accuracy, if you please, and develops the descriptive powers. Insist upon having the story duly embellished with details. Stirring ballads, fine poems, and choice bits of prose or verse chime in well at this hour, if recited. Choose specific subjects of conversation. Ask the children to tell all they know about mining, or painting, or new inventions. A pan of modelling clay, or of mud of the proper consistency, will entertain a group of youngsters for an evening, in modelling. The quick-witted boy, or girl, will make a rude framework of wire or wood, upon which to fashion or model his clay so it will not tumble down. In drawing and modelling young people observe a good many things not before thought of. Home talk and home occupations do much toward developing their minds and talents.

The Esteem of Others.

Just in proportion as we live upright, honourable, self-respecting lives do we earn the right to the esteem of others. The desire for esteem itself, when mingled with this, is good and wholesome; it is only when separated from it that it is weak and injurious. The desire for that to which we have no right leads to every species of meanness and wrong-doing, and the desire for esteem without the desire of deserving it is the foundation of all hypocrisy. It is true that the more we acquire the right to be esteemed, the less ardently shall we crave the esteem itself. The former becomes so much more gratifying that we sometimes feel almost strong enough and happy enough to do without the latter. Yet to him that we sometimes feel almost strong to do without the latter. Yet to him that hath shall be given; and he who enjoys the consciousness of deserving the esteem of his fellow-men will be the continual recipient of their esteem, although he of all others may have become best able to do without it.

Accidental.

A. Chard, of Sterling, in a recent letter, states that he met with an accident some time ago, by which one of his knees was severely injured. A few applications of Hagyard's Yellow Oil afforded immediate and complete relief.

Men's heads are something like omnibuses—the empty ones make the most noise.

For coughs, colds, bronchitis and all lung and throat troubles, there is no preparation of medicine can compare with Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It never fails to afford prompt and permanent relief. It removes all soreness, and heals the diseased parts. It immediately soothes the most troublesome cough, and by promoting expectoration, removes the mucus which stops up the air tubes which causes difficulty in breathing thereby gives relief to that depressing tightness experienced in the chest. Public speakers and singers will find Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup of inestimable value, as it speedily and effectually allays all irritation, and huskiness in the throat and bronchial tubes, and gives power to the vocal cords, rendering the voice clear and sonorous. If parents wish to save the lives of their children, and themselves from much anxiety, trouble and expense, let them procure a bottle of Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, and whenever a child has taken cold, has a cough or hoarseness, give the Syrup according to directions.