

Publisher's Department.

TRUTH, WEEKLY, 28 PAGES, issued every Saturday, 7 cents per single copy, \$3.00 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.

THE COURTS have decided that all subscriber, so-named, are held responsible until arrears are paid and their papers are ordered to be discontinued.

LADIES' JOURNAL, monthly, 20 pages, issued about the 25th of each month, for following month, 50 cents per year, 5 cents per single copy. A limited number of advertisements will be taken at low rates.

THE AUXILIARY PUBLISHING CO., printing 100 Weekly Papers and Supplements for leading publishers in some of the largest as well as the smaller towns in Canada. Advertising space reserved in over 100 of these papers and supplements. Rates:—60 cents per single line; one month, \$1.85 per line; three months, \$5.25 per line; six months, \$9 per line; twelve months, \$16.00 per line. The largest and best advertising medium ever organized in Canada.

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S. FRANK WILSON, proprietor, 23 and 25 Adelaide St. West, Toronto, Ont.

BRANCH OFFICES.

MONTREAL, QUE.—No. 123 St. James St., C. E. Scott, Manager.
WINNIPEG, MAN.—No. 220 Main St., Wilson Bros., Managers.

"Business in connection with any of our publications, or the Auxiliary Publishing Company, can be as well transacted with either of our branch establishments as with the head office in Toronto.

THE AUXILIARY ADVERTISING AGENCY. Manufacturers, Wholesale Merchants and other large advertisers will place their own interests by getting our estimates, as advertising whether for long or short dates.

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 class of advertising we handle is all of the best, publishers much prefer dealing with our establishment to any other.

Publishers will kindly send their papers for filing regularly.

Do not advertise till you get our quotations.

S. FRANK WILSON,
Proprietor Auxiliary Advertising Agency,
23 & 25 Adelaide St. W. Toronto.

To Prize-Winners.

In the list of prize winners in competition No. 13 as published in the issues of June 6th and 13th, the printer has made a mistake in stating the prizes to be Milton or Tennyson's poems. The awards are butter-knives or sugar spoons, and were so given in the original announcement of the competition.

KNOW THYSELF, by reading the "Science of Life," the best medical work ever published, for young and middle-aged men.

If a man empties his purse into his head no man can take it away from him. An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest.

ERRA'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. Erffa 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.—*Orléans Service Gazette*. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Sold only in packets by grocers, labelled—"JAMES ERFFA & Co., Homoeopathic Chemists, London, Eng."

The guardian angel of life sometimes flies so high that man cannot see him; but he always is looking down upon us, and will soon hover nearer to us.

\$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 those 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 promise, 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 **MARRIAGE** 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 sets as follows:—

FIRST REWARDS

1.—Two Hundred Dollars in Gold Coin.....\$200
2, 3 and 4.—Three grand upright rosewood pianos, by Mason & Risch, 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 19.—Six ladies' fine solid gold hunting-case watches.....540
20 to 26.—Eleven solid coin silver hunting-case or open-face watches.....380
27 to 30.—Four fine nickel-silver case watches, good movements.....400
31.—One Hundred Dollars in Gold.....100
32 to 39.—One hundred and twenty-nine solid gold rings, elegant designs.....780
40 to 50.—Three hundred fine solid rolled gold brooches, newest designs.....900
50L.—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.....780
16 to 22.—Thirteen ladies' solid gold watches.....170
23 to 30.—Twelve solid quadruple plate silver tea sets.....740
31 to 39.—Twenty-nine solid gold gem rings.....800
40 to 50.—Seventy-five Dollars in Gold.....75
51 to 59.—Thirty-one solid quadruple plate cake baskets, new and elegant pattern.....825
60 to 65.—One hundred and seventy-five half-dozen sets of heavy solid silver-plated tea spoons.....850
66 to 69.—Two hundred and four well-bound volumes of Chambers' Etymological Dictionaries.....510
70 to 75.—Two hundred and six fine butter knives.....908
76.—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 22.—Eleven sets Chambers' encyclopedia (10 vols. to set).....500
23 to 30.—Nine solid coin silver hunting-case or open-face watches.....300
31.—Seventy-five Dollars in Gold.....75
32 to 39.—Fifty-one solid gold gem rings.....800
40 to 49.—Thirty-one solid quadruple silver plate cake baskets, elegant designs.....450
50 to 59.—Eighty-one half-dozen solid silver-plated tea spoons.....445
60 to 69.—Two hundred volumes, well-bound, Chambers' Etymological Dictionaries.....450
70.—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 wash-stand, 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 & Risch, 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.....300
10 to 15.—Six gentlemen's solid gold watches.....800
16 to 20.—Five ladies' solid gold watches.....450
21 to 29.—Nine renowned sewing machines.....800
30.—Ten Dollars in Gold.....10
31 to 40.—Ten gentlemen's solid hunting-case or open-faced coin-silver watches.....300

41 to 50.—Ten solid quadruple silver plate cake baskets, elegant designs.....200
51 to 100.—Fifty half-dozen sets of heavy silver-plated tea spoons.....400
101 to 210.—One hundred and thirty volumes of Chambers' Etymological Dictionaries.....300
211 to 310.—Two hundred copies of a most fascinating novel, bound in paper.....80
311.—One Hundred Dollars in Gold.....100

FIFTH REWARDS

1.—One hundred dollars in Gold Coin.....\$100
2, 3, 4 and 5.—Four fine upright pianos.....2,100
6 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, twist, breach loading shot guns.....2,700
71 to 110.—Forty sets (10 vols. to set) complete Chambers' Encyclopedia.....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 162.—Twenty-seven Solid Nickel watches.....540
163 to 260.—One hundred and eighty-eight half-dozen sets of heavy silver-plated Tea Spoons.....990
261 to 300.—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 grand upright pianos.....1,500
5, 6 and 7.—Three elegant cabinet organs, by a celebrated maker.....780
8 to 10.—Three fine quadruple plate tea services—15 pieces.....300
11 to 15.—Eight ladies' solid gold hunting-case watches.....800
16 to 23.—Eleven heavy black silk dress patterns.....580
24 to 30.—Forty-one fine black cashmere dress patterns.....442
31 to 150.—Sixty-half-dozen sets silver-plated tea spoons.....360
151.—One Hundred Dollars in Gold.....100
152 to 290.—One hundred and thirty-nine fine German Oleographs.....580
291 to 310.—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 anytime 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.

This 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 28-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 Department illustrated. In the contributors' pages may be found during the