













RELIGIOUS DEPARTMENT.

IN STORM AND CALM.

My God, on seas of storm and calm. I pass the ocean o'er, And sing to Thee my thankful psalm.

THE DIVINE GOVERNMENT.

The Encouragement and Hope Growing Out of the Assurance of "The Lord God Omnipotent Reigneth."

There is no half-bushel that can certify the value of a man or the value of what he does.

There could be very little encouragement for any without the assurance that God reigns.

Everything else may be discouraging, but the Government of God is encouraging.

RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

Ulm Cathedral, one of the largest sacred edifices in Germany, will be completed, after having been unfinished for over four hundred years.

In Western New York, says the Standard of the Cross, there is a town of 5,000 inhabitants, 3,500 of whom are Protestants.

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Besides, we know, or think we know, our own ill, but we do not know another man's half so well, and often thoroughly mistake in the matter.

SIGHT DRAFTS.

See a Detroit Bank Influenced to Do a Banking Business.

"You see, Captain, my son vhas in Milwaukee. He goes oafder dere last week to see his uncle."

A Candid Wife. Colonel Witherspoon is probably the homeliest man in the State of Texas, if we except Dan McGary, of the Houston Age.

Bleeding Nostrils. I have been afflicted with catarrh for over ten years.

CANCER CURED. I have had a cancer on my face for many years.

Of Interest to Property Owners.

The following letter from the State Superintendent of Insurance, showing the standing of the Burlington Insurance Company in Kansas:

"What is there in a mince pie?" asks a household journal. By the way, we have always been rather curious to know ourselves.

PERSONAL paragraphs in the Dutch newspapers are put under the heading of "Meaneher Matters."

CREAM BALM. I have been afflicted with catarrh for over ten years.

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WIT AND WISDOM.

The great difference between virtue and vice is this—for virtue you have a price to receive; for vice you have a price to pay.

"Pa, they ain't going to have lamp-posts any longer." "Why not?" "Cause they are long enough now."

"Can I make a trade with you for your daughter?" "Well, I don't know but you might. You'd make a pretty good son-in-law, I guess.

"What is the preventive?" Only the most constant watchfulness, only the most earnest care.

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"LIFE" asks: "Did you ever see a salad dressing?" "Oh, yes, and a turkey stuffing, too."

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