

Voices from the People.

INFORMATION ON VARIOUS SUBJECTS

The Christian's Creed.

I sit to the dreamy tone that dwells
In spilling waters and sighing trees
In hearken to the old church bells.

Whatever be man's faith or creed,
These precious words comprise itself.

The brave kneeling to the sin,
To give his thanks or ask a boon;

The general onslaught of bigotry against the name of Thomas Paine.

The above quotation favors very strongly one of the phases of modern Spiritualism.

There has been various vain attempts made to exorcise Dr. Franklin from the odium of denouncing Mesmer.

Franklin was a Spiritualist, no doubt, and it is no surprise that he should revolt at the first found of the ladder.

Our friends and we were invited abroad on a party of pleasure which is to last forever.

By the close of the present century, and perhaps earlier, there will not be an acre of the public domain upon which corn and wheat can be raised without irrigation.

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THE DEMONICAL THEORY.

That theory expounded by the Adventist preacher, H. W. C. Cleveland, Ohio.

VIEWES OF A SPIRIT.

Dr. Wells, who speaks from the spiritual side of life through the telegraphic mediumship of W. S. Rowley.

BIBLE SPIRITUALISM.

It seems extremely strange to a thinking man that those who base their conceptions of their Creator upon the Bible should deny the truth of inspiration through spiritual agency.

Later on we find St. Paul becoming entranced, so that he was carried into heaven and heard unspeakable words.

ANGELS AND SPIRITS

no the same. No such beings as angels that have never gone through a physical life exist; hence the two terms are, as I have stated, synonymous.

A low, degraded, lecherous, immoral spirit just released from the body is not transformed into a pure and holy angel of light.

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Buffalo N. Y., Sept. 5th, 1887.

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Excellent Physical Manifestations.

To the Editor of the Religio-Philosophical Journal: Spiritualism is slowly but surely and steadily gaining ground here.

During the latter part of last, and beginning of the present month, Prof. Geo. V. Cordingy, of St. Louis, paid a visit to his old home in Mount City, Ill.

The light sciences were also very interesting. The mediums hand was controlled automatically to write communications to the different ones in the circle.

It is curious how sometimes in a mixed company we often meet people, entire strangers to us.

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The Haunted Last--An Apparition.

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One evening when all the guests of the L. House were seated in the parlor, the question was put, "were there any haunted houses in the town?"

The Convulsionaries of Agosta.

To the Editor of the Religio-Philosophical Journal: The bi-monthly Revue Spirite of Paris, Aug. 1887.

There has been a great stir for some days over certain remarkable phenomena that have taken place in a small village in the vicinity of Rome, called Agosta.

These stupid suppositions were not long in being accepted as valid; further, they went so far as to say that the witches were in direct convivance with their satanic majesty.

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Profit-Sharing.

With all the limitations and cautions which a careful survey of the history of profit-sharing has far exceeded all other schemes that have been tried.

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A Sensible Aim.

The leading editorial in the Carrier Dove for the 3rd inst., starts off in the following sound and reasonable way:

Rev. Dr. Bacon and Rev. Henry Ward Beecher were once disputing on some religious subject, when the former accused the latter of using wit in his sermons.

The Practical Value of Spiritualism.

A writer in a recent number of the RELIGIO-PHILOSOPHICAL JOURNAL, very pertinently draws attention to the waning influence of physical mediumship.

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Hence Spiritualism is neither a religion, a philosophy, nor a science; it is neither a revelation nor an inspiration; it is simply the demonstration of a fact, and as such will necessarily no longer in itself interest those who have obtained demonstrable evidence of the truth of the fact.

The children of those whose attention was arrested by the first modern rapping of phenomena.

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Notes and Extracts on Miscellaneous Subjects.

A former member of the Georgia legislature, now living in Athens, has an autograph album with all the names of the members. Several of them made their "X."

"Uncle" Willis Blackwell, who was born a slave on the plantation of William Russell in Fauquier county, Virginia, Nov. 29, 1775, is still alive at Great Bend, Kan.

Vandille's food consisted of bread and milk, with the addition of a glass of sour wine on a Saturday; his religious mite was one farthing per week, and at his death he left \$1,000,000 to the kings of France.

Lieut. Henn says that though he has sailed 50,000 miles in the Galatea the Halifax course is the best he has ever seen.

An accident fell near the line of the Mexican National railway a few days ago between Mexico and Patzcuaro.

Abraham Burbank, of Pittsfield, Mass., aged 85 years, fell about thirty feet from a scaffold on one of his buildings two days ago, striking on his head and shoulders.

Cherokee county, Alabama, boasts of a negro who, at the age of 104 years, has been converted and baptized.

Mrs. James Ferguson, of Chester county, Pennsylvania, found her young chickens disappearing very fast, and could not imagine what became of them.

A desperate conflict took place in Mexico a few days ago between Capt. Cook, owner of the large Corralitos ranch, and a cinnamon bear.

Miss Wand McCord, assistant to the principal of the 9th ward school, Allegheny, while riding near Chandlersville, Ohio, was thrown from her horse and had her collar-bone and left ear broken.

Dahlbagna (G. L.) Signal says: "A good many people are accustomed to use peaches for tea when sick."

Andrew Carnegie will introduce to President Cleveland the twelve members of the house of nobles who are to visit this country in October.

Cornelius Vanderbilt is about 40 years of age and worth certainly \$75,000,000 perhaps \$125,000,000.

The Rev. Dr. C. A. Bartol has the reputation of being the richest clergyman in the Unitarian church.

A noted amateur photographer has rough manilla albums, each one devoted to one of his children.

Mrs. D. G. Orly ("Jenny June") has been made president of Mrs. L. E. Newby's Woman's Endowment Cattle Company.

Some church of England clergymen propose to introduce a bill into the house of commons next year providing for greater liberty for dissenting and non-conformist ministers to preach in their pulpits.

Missionary C. D. Tenney some time ago resigned his place in China under the American Board on account of his independent religious opinions.

An odd practice prevails in regard to mourning for deceased relatives in Korea. Any one who has suffered such a loss goes about for a year wearing a kind of pointed basket on his head.

"Ah," said an American one day to Mr. Edwin Arnold, "I have bitterly resented your wrongs in America."

The whole field of acres around the bridge over Little river, in Wilkes county, Georgia, is literally covered with fine arrow weed, and it is now in the height of its season.

Charles G. Leland has been folk-lore hunting in Florence. He writes to the new number of the Folk-Lore Journal to say that he finds it a land of promise of the most abundant fields that he has ever examined.

First there was a figure like that of a cock made of cotton, stuck full with feathers.

Some months since Col. Joseph S. Baughn, an Ohio sportsman, had a bachelor advertised for in the United States--in fact more than he could conveniently answer.

Cause and Effect. To the Editor of the Religio-Philosophical Journal: During the present time, when cranks and extremists are hobnobbing everywhere...

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Mental Gymnastics; OR, MEMORY CULTURE. BY ADAM MILLER, M. D. A practical and easy system by which any person, old or young, can train himself to memorize anything he may choose.

LIVER DISEASE AND HEART TROUBLE. Mrs. MARY A. McCLURE, Columbia, Kans., writes: "I addressed you in November, 1895, in regard to my health, being afflicted with liver disease, heart trouble, and indigestion... I was advised to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, Favorite Prescription and Pellets."

"THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE." Thoroughly cleanse the blood, which is the fountain of health, by using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and good digestion, fair skin, buoyant spirits, and bodily health and vigor will be established.

GENERAL DEBILITY. Mrs. PAMELIA BRIDGEMAN, of 451 Lock Street, Lehighport, N. J., writes: "I was troubled with chills, nervous and general debility, with frequent sore throat, and my mouth was badly cankered. My liver was inactive, and I suffered much from dyspepsia. I am pleased to say that your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets' have cured me of all these ailments and I cannot say enough in their praise."

Weather and Witchcraft. Inspired by the scriptural command: "Thou shalt not suffer a witch to live," Pope Innocent exhorted the clergy of Germany to leave no means untried to detect sorcerers, and especially those who by evil weather destroy vineyards, gardens, meadows, and growing crops.

MORAL EDUCATION: ITS LAWS AND METHODS. BY JOSEPH RODES BUCHANAN, M. D. Author of "System of Anthropology," Editor of Buchanan's Journal of Man, and Professor of Physiology and Hygiene in the University of Chicago.

LIVER DISEASE. Mrs. I. V. WEBBER, of Yorkville, Cattaraugus Co., N. Y., writes: "I wish to say a few words in praise of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Purgative Pellets' for five years previous to taking them, I was a great sufferer. I had a severe pain in my right side, continually; was unable to do my own work. I am happy to say I am now well and strong, thanks to your medicines."

INDIGESTION, BOILS, BLOTCHES. Rev. E. ASHBY HOWELL, Pastor of the M. E. Church, of Silverton, N. J., says: "I was afflicted with indigestion, boils, and blotches began to arise on the surface of the skin, and I experienced a tired feeling and dullness. I began the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and was cured by him for such complaints, and in one week's time I began to feel like a new man, and am now sound and well."

A TERRIBLE AFFLICTION. Mrs. ELIZABETH ANN POOLE, wife of Leonard Poole, of Williamsport, Dorchester Co., Md., has been afflicted with a bad case of Eczema by using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The disease appeared first in her feet, extended to the knees, covering the whole of the lower limbs from feet to knees, then attacked the elbows and became so severe as to preclude any after being treated by several physicians for a year or two she commenced the use of the medicine named above. She soon began to mend and is now well and hearty.

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GIVEN UP TO DIE. Mrs. EDNA M. STRONG, of Atsroh, Ind., writes: "My little boy had been troubled with hip-joint disease for two years. When he commenced the use of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets,' he was confined to his bed, and could not be moved without suffering great pain. But now, thanks to your 'Discovery,' he is able to be up all the time, and can walk with the help of crutches. He does not suffer any more, and is as well as any one I have ever known."

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BLEEDING FROM LUNGS. JOSEPH F. McFARLAND, Esq., Athens, La., writes: "My wife had frequent bleeding from the lungs before she commenced using 'Golden Medical Discovery.' She has not had any since its use. For some six months she has been feeling so well that she has discontinued it."

