













RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL

Japan now has in round numbers 70,000 common schools, 3,000,000 pupils and 84,700 teachers.
-Out of the last graduating class in Princeton Theological Seminary eight go to the foreign missionary field.
-Piano-tuning has been added to the course of instruction for women in the New England Conservatory of Music.
-President Eliot, of Harvard, holds that the ability of people to handle their mother tongue is a very good test of their education.

Texas has set apart thirty million acres of land to provide for general education. This is as large as the whole of England.
-Miss Alice E. Freeman, the President of the Wellesley College for Women, was graduated there in 1878, and is only twenty-eight years of age.
-There is a glacier in Alaska moving along at the rate of a quarter of a mile a year. It acts very much like the average small boy on his way to school.

It is certainly indicative of the prevalence of a true American spirit among those who control the policies of the colleges of the land that twenty-three of the members of the Senate are college graduates.
-The Journal de Home says that a mistake has been made in announcing the present year as the semi-centennial of Pope Leo's ordination to the priesthood. The half century will not be completed till 1887.

The rector of a certain London parish has not been seen within the limits of the parish within seven years. His income from the parish is £1,100 a year, while his duties are delegated to a curate at a salary of £175 a year.
-A minister recently made the following announcement to his congregation: "Next Saturday morning the Bishop will be with us and will deliver the sermon. May the Lord help and strengthen us all."

White haired old Dr. Curry, of the Methodist Review, has a characteristic word to say on the vexed question whether the minister should read the hymn through to the congregation or content himself with announcing the number and reading the first two or three lines.
-As a result of a contest extending over several years the San Francisco Board of Education has decided that the position of any female school-teacher who marries becomes vacant. Another rule adopted by the board abolishes corporal punishment in grammar and primary schools except by the principal, and he is forbidden to chastise pupils on the same day that the offense is committed.

Wild oats that are sown in the hey-days of life are often reaped in the shades of eternity.
-It is as much the duty of good men to protect and defend the reputation of all worthy public servants as to detect public rascals.

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"Good morning, sir, good morning," said a well appearing man, entering the Welcome Call saloon, and addressing the proprietor.

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