

LIFE AND DEATH.

On parent knees, a naked, now born child, Weeping thou sat'st, while all around thee smiled...

PARDON'S GOOD LUCK.

Philosophers say that there is no such thing as luck. Asa Darwin thought differently. "My luck exactly," said he despairingly...

breakfast dishes the next day in the temporary absence of Mr. Darwin, who had strolled off toward the postoffice to see if the mail was in...

A CHAPTER ON DREAMS.

Little Do We Know of Them—Dyspepsia a Prime Factor. Many have discoursed learnedly upon dreams, propounding wise theories and making plausible suggestions...

An Explosive More Destructive Yet.

W. T. Chamberlain, an American engineer residing in London, paid a visit to Woolwich in connection with a new explosive which he is introducing to the war department...

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THE "TOWERS OF SILENCE."

Sir Jamsajid Jijibhai, a Persian banker, has sent a model of a "Tower of Silence" to the Anthropological museum at Berlin.

Crafty London Shopkeepers.

The other evening a native born Londoner, during a discussion of the mysterious Whitechapel murders, fell to talking of Petticoat Lane.

A New Calculating Machine.

A resident of Chicago, Mr. D. C. Feit, has invented a machine which will add, subtract, multiply or divide without error.

The "Blue Black" Salmon.

According to The Walla Walla Journal, the red fish have for the first time in sixteen years disappeared from Wallowa lake.

The Paris Exhibition Train.

An endless railway train, consisting of 400 platform cars, is to be one of the attractions at the Paris exhibition.

Culture Leads to Simple Dress.

A marked feature of our times is the increased simplicity in dress. In spite of an occasional monstrous whim that gets embodied in style...

Affection for Dumb Animals.

A sentimental young couple were passing through a graveyard, when the man, rather than understand, said to the woman...

A Curious Coincidence.

Fond Mother—My dear, are you feeling any better? Dolly—I dunno; am the jell all gone!

Thought It a Disgrace.

The Rev. Leonard Gaetz, of Alberta, who had a fine exhibit at the industrial fair, was once pastor of the Queen's Avenue Methodist church at London.

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