THE NORTHWESTERN.

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The jewels which the duchess of Cornwall takes with her to Australia are insured against all risks for £75,-000. Those of the duke are insured for £2,000.

Nazareth has now its telegraph office, where an Armenian operator, in ordinary European dress, keeps the village community in touch with the great world.

A Roman chariot has been found near Philippopolis, Bulgaria, in a tumulus. All the metal parts of the chariot and the harness were found, as well as arms and human remains.

The largest tree in the state of New Jersey is a white oak, situated three miles north of Mickelton, Gloucester county. Its dimensions are: Height, 95 feet; diameter of trunk, three feet above the ground, 7 feet 10 inches, and spread of branches, 118 feet. This tree antedates the settlement of the colony.

Since the supply of brains is not equal to the demand, the price of brains has gone up. The president of the new steel corporation is reported to receive a million-dollar salary. Twenty years ago he began work for Mr. Carnegie at thirty dollars a month. Today, at the age of 39, he has outstripped every other wage-worker in the world.

Material from the excavations at Copan, in Honduras, is steadily accumulating at the Peabody museum, Cambridge, Mass. The museum has been able to complete in this prehistoric city its investigations of the great hieroglyphic stairway on the face of the pyramid. Molds have been made of all of the steps, with their carvings and inscriptions.

The German papers state that during the last year the exports from the United States to the Argetine Republic have increased 39 per cent, as compared with the figures of the preceding year. This gives America second place among the countries which do export business into Argentine, while the German Empire has passed down to the fourth place. England stands first.

Cremation is becoming increasingly popular in Paris, and the crematorium erected at the cemetery of Pere La Chaise has already been found to be too small. Additions are being made, and a third furnace, a large hall, and a columbarium will soon be ready for use. The last-named will contain 10.-000 receptacles for ashes. niches are closed with slabs of marble. on which inscriptions may be cut.

It is said that a telephone system, using common barbwire fences as a conductor of the voice of its patrons, has been placed in use in Pullman, Wash., conversation being held over this as easily as any long-distance telephone line. The line runs from a hotel in Pullman to a farm nine miles south of the town and it was placed in operation by several farmers for their private use. The entire line, nine miles in length, with four telephones, cost less than \$100.

The forestry division of the agricultural department is engaged in drafting a working plan looking to the conservation of the timber on a tract of 300,000 acres in the neighborhood of Millinocket, Me., belonging to a private paper corporation. It is a part of a general policy to be inaugurated by the department for the conservation of timber land throughout the United States to secure a perpetual crop of timber in the various areas under consideration. The private concern will pay all expenses of the work save the salaries of the government experts, who are directed by Prof. Gifford Pinchot, chief of the division.

An incident which reflects great credit on the labor organization of the country occurred at the late convention of the American Federation of Labor in Louisville, Ky. The National Liquor Dealers' association came before the convention with a formal proposal that the two bodies form an offensive and defensive alliance. The liquor dealers were ready to agree, in the event of this coalition, to employ only union bartenders and waiters, and to sell union-made beer. For a time it looked as if they might persuade the labor men, but a delegate from Illinois arose, and in a stirring speech recalled the influence of Miss Frances E. Willard on behalf of organized labor, and urged the convention in her name to reject the proposition. When the vote was taken its was almost unanimously against the alliance. The Knights of Labor have also taken the same ground -a course which will add more strength to the organization than would be a million dollars in its treas-

To abate the advertising nuisanceadvertisements which are in themselves obnoxious or which are displayed in unsuitable places-legislation is not always necessary. Such action as that recently taken by the Bill-Posters' association of England is quite as effective. A theatrical manager perpetrated a sensational and vulgar poster. The bill-posters refused to put it up. Here is foundation for the hope that one day all public- spirited citizens will decline to use paintpot and brush to disfigure the beauties of nature.

TALMAGE'S

SEEKERS FOR WISDOM" THE SUBJECT LAST SUNDAY.

Go to the Ant, Thou Sluggard, Consider Her Ways and Be Wise, Having No Guide, Overseer or Rulez, She Provideth Her Meet * * -Prov. 6: 6-8.

Washington, April 28.-In this discourse Dr. Talmage draws his illustraharvest."

The most of Solomon's writings have perished. They have gone out of exist-Pliny and most of the books of Aesvoluminous productions. He was a work logist, an ornithologist, an ichthyolo-Kings, iv., 33, "He spake of trees, from the cedar tree that is in Lebanon even unto the hyssop that springeth out of the wall; he spake also of beasts and of fowl and of creeping things and of fishes." Besides all these scientific works, he composed 3,000 proverbs and 1,005 songs.

Although Solomon lived long before the microscope was constructed, he was also an insectologist and watched and described the spider build its suspension bridge of silk from tree to tree, calling it the spider's web, and he notices its skillful foothold in climbing the smooth wall of the throne room in Jerusalem, saying, "The spider taketh hold with her hands and is in kings' palaces." But he is especially interested in the ant and recommends its habits as worthy of study and imitation, saying, "Go to the ant, thou sluggard, consider her ways and seer or ruler, provideth her meat in the summer and gathereth her food in the harvest."

Not Altogether Commendable.

But Solomon would not commend all the habits of the ant, for some of them are as had as some of the habits of the human race. Some of these small creatures are desperadoes and murderers. Now and then they marshal themselves into hosts and march in straight line and come upon an encampment of their own race and destroy its occupants, except the young, whom they carry into captivity, and if the army come back without any such captives they are not permitted to enter, but are sent forth to make more successful conquest, Solomen gives no commendation to such any more than he would have commended sanguinary behavior among schemes of usefulness and our plans men. These little creatures have some- of work fail, why sit down in discourtimes wrought fearful damage, and they have undermined a town in New Granada, which in time may drop into the abyss they have dug for it.

But what are the habits which Solomon would enjoin when he says, "Conall, providence, forethought, anticipation of coming necessities. I am sorry teristic of all the ants. These creatures of God are divided into granivorous and carnivorous. The latter are not frugal, but the former are frugal. While the air is warm and moving about is not hindered by ice or snowbank they import their cargoes of food. They bring in their caravan of provisions; they haul in their long train of wheat or corn or oats. The farmers are not more busy in July and August in reaping their harvest than are the ants busy in July and August reaping their harvest. They stack them away; they pile them up. They question when they have enough. They aggregate a sufficient amount to last them until the next warm season. When winter opens they are ready. Blow, ye wintry blasts! Hang your icicles from the tree branches! Imbed all the highways under snowdrifts! Enough for all the denizens of the hills. Hunger shut out and plenty sits within. God, who feedeth every living thing, has blessed the

Wrecked by Extravagance. There are women who at the first increase of their husband's resources wreck all on an extravagant wardrobe. There are men who at the prospect of larger prosperity build houses they will never be able to pay for. There are people with \$4,000 a year income who have not one dollar laid up for a rainy day. It is a ghastly dishonesty practiced on the next generation. Such men deserve bankruptcy and impoverishment. In almost every man's life there comes a winter of cold misfortune. Prepare for it while you may. Whose thermometer has not sometimes stood below zero? What ship has never been caught in a storm? What regiment at the front never got into a battle? Have at least as much foresight as the insectile world. Examine the pantries of the ant hills in this April weather, and you will find that last summer's supply is not yet exhausted. Examine them next July, and you will find them being replenished. "Go to the ant, thou sluggard, consider her food in the harvest."

business purposes and the door acci- ation, and his name was Henry Bergh. dentally shut and they were suffocated, In my text the ant is not impaled, is their corpse not discovered until the not dead, but alive, and in the warm next day. But every day and all up fields providing her meat in the sumand down the streets of our cities there | mer and gathering her food in the harare men, body, mind and soul, forever fast in their own money vaults. Accumulation of bonds, mortgages and government securities and town lots and big farms just for the pleasure of accumulation is despicable, but the put-(Copyright, 1901, by Louis Klopsch, N. Y.) ting aside of a surplus for your selfdefense when your brain has halted or your right hand has forgotten its tions from a realm seldom utilized for cunning or your old age needs a man moral and religious purposes; text, servant or for the support of others Proverbs, vi., 6-8, "Go to the ant, thou when you can no more be a breadwinsluggard, consider her ways and be ner for your household-that is right wise, which, having no guide, overseer that is beautiful, that is Christian, or ruler, provideth her meat in the that is divinely approved. That shows summer and gathereth her food in the that you have taken Solomon's ant hill for an object lesson.

Does Nut Decline Work. Furthermore, go to the ant and conence as thoroughly as the 20 books of sider that it does not decline work because it is insignificant. The fragchylus and Euripides and Varro and ment of seed it hauls into its habita-Quintilian. Solomon's Song and Ec- tion may be so small that the unaided clesiastes and Proverbs, preserved by eye cannot see it, but the insectile inspiration, are a small part of his work goes on, the carpenter ant at above ground, the magreat scientist. One verse in the Bible son ant at work under ground, suggests that he was a botanist, a zoo- | Some of these creatures mix the leaves of the fir and the catgist, and knew all about reptilia. I. kins of the pine for the roof or wall of their tiny abode, and others go out as hunters looking for food, while others in domestic duties stay at home. Twenty specks of the food they are moving toward their granary put upon a balance would hardly make the scales quiver. All of it work on a small scale. There is no use in our refusing a mission because it is insignificant. Anything that God in his providence puts before us to do is important. The needle has its office as certainly as the telescope and the parable of the talents who buried the one talent instead of putting it to practical and accumulative use. His apology was of no avail.

There is no need of our wasting time and energy in longing for some other sphere. There are plenty of people to do the big and resounding work of the church and the world. No lack of be wise, which, having no guide, over- brigadier generals or master builders or engineers for bridging Niagaras or tunneling Rocky mountains. For every big enterprise of the world a dozen candidates. What we want is private soldiers in the common ranks, masons not ashamed to wield a trowel, candidates for ordinary work to be done in ordinary ways in ordinary places. Right where we are there is something that God would have us do. Let us do it, though it may seem to be as unimportant as the rolling of a grain

of corn into an ant hill. removal of a timber the cities of the insectile world are destroyed, instantly | the valleys, and on their way 800 of they go to rebuilding. They do not sit around moping. At it again in a secway to their industry. And if our agement? As large ant hills as have ever been constructed will be constructed again. Put your trust in God and do your duty, and your best days are vet to come. You have never heard such songs as you will yet hear, nor sider her ways and be wise." First of have you ever lived in such grand abode as you will yet occupy, and all the worldly treasures you have lost to say these qualities are not charac- are nothing compared with the opulence that you will yet own. If you love and trust the Lord, Paul looks you in the face and then waves his and thrones, saying, "All are yours!" So that what you fail to get in this life. Go to work right away and rethat what the trowels of earthly inant hill. Waste not a moment in useless regrets or unhealthy repining.

Imparts Useful Lessons. Furthermore, go to the ant and consider that if God honors an insect by making it our instructor in important lessons we ought not to abuse the lower orders of creation. It has been found by scientists that insects transfixed in the case of a museum have been alive and in torture for years. How much the insect and the fowl and the brute may be rightly called to suffer for the advancement of human knowledge and the betterment of the condition of the human race I do not now stop to discuss, but he who uselessly harms any of God's living creation insults the Creator. Alas, for the horrors of vivisection! I have no confidence in the morality of a man or woman who would harm a horse or dog or a cat or a pigeon. Such men and women, under affront, if they dared would take the life of a human being. You cannot make me believe that God looks down indifferently upon the galled neck of the ox or the cruelly curbed bit of the horse or the unsheltered cattle in the snowstorm or the pigeon shooting or the laceration honors it. In the great college of the universe it has been appointed your vices. We have heard of those who he chose his thirteenth apostle, who him and worship him forever!"

SERMON. entered their iron money vault for wrought for the relief of the brute cre- THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Furthermore, go to the ant and learn the lesson of God appointed order. The being who taught the insect how to build was geometer as well as architect. The paths inside that little home radiate from the door with as complete arrangement as ever the boulevards of a city radiated from a triumphal arch or a flowered circle. shiped him; but some doubted. And when they march they keep perfect order, moving in straight lines, them, saying, All power is given unto me turning out for nothing. If a timber in heaven and in earth. lie in the way, they climb over it. If there to a house or barn in the way, of the Father and of the Son and of the they march through it. Order in ar- Holy Ghost expecition. So let us all observe this God appointed rule and take satisfaction in the fact that things are of them is forgotten before God? Are rows?" Let there be order in our in- truth, is treated with pity or scorn, der in the church, order in the state.

God's Care of Small Things.

Huber have told us concerning these sionary effort must not be confined to the living mites of the natural world are living mites of the natural world, are tem and the vaster wheel of thoroughly its own field. But the wider the universe regulates the beehive and our mortal lives are under divine man- ing interest in the foreign work. agement? When some one asked a grandeur of this work exaits the indihermit on the top of a mountain in Italy if he did not feel it dangerous the missionary work of the church. dence is my very next door neighbor." He who became Sir Thomas Gres-

by his mother in the fields. Did it dies, and it ought to die. The engine that just happen so that the chirping of a where the babe lay and his life was existence saved? Not so, thought Sir Thomas | Men gain spiritual life by imparting it Gresham, who, having arrived at great They gain clearer views of truth by wealth and power, chose a grasshopper for his crest and had money God gives them the figure of a grasshopper im- The fountain that gives what it repressed on the wall of the Royal ceives is fresh and clear and beautiful. Furthermore, go to the ant and con- Exchange and had at the top a weather is malarious, foul, reptile-haunted, "Love sider its indefatigableness. If by the vane in the figure of a grasshopper, exhausts not itself by loving, but, after accidental stroke of your foot or the | The Waldensian Christians in the sev- all its outgoings upon others, abides itself enteenth century were expelled from them were starving to death. Did it just happen so that one night the deep ing forth. It is a focus of comperce. sanguinary behavior among insects, ond. Their fright immediately gives snow suddenly thawed and showed a desert neither receives nor gives, and it large amount of wheat which had been always remains barren and poor. Every covered by the untimely snow and was rich in holiness and love and everything suddenly uncovered so that the hun- that belongs to its commerce. ger was satisfied and the 800 lives were saved? Did it just happen so? Near I am, not I will be. Jesus, with his love, Port Royal, Jamaica, is a tomb with this inscription: "Here lieth the body of Louis Caldy, Esq., a native of Mont- Teacher; Jesus the Omniscient, the Ompellier, in France, which country he left on account of the revocations. He was swallowed up by the earthquake, which is promised, not a fitful coming which occurred at this place in 1692, and going, but an abiding presence (John but, by the great providence of God, 15:0; a presence, too, in all days, and was by a second shock flung into the sea, where he continued swimming till rescued by a boat and lived forty years of the gospel dispensation, when hand toward a heaven full of palaces afterward." Was the release of that dom shall have fully come. He is with man from the jaws of the earthquake a "just happen so?" When during the present life you will get in the coming | plague in London, at the risk of his life and under the protest of his in relating the story of the federal conbuild as well as you can, knowing friends, Rev. Thomas Vincent spent his vention for the forming of the Constitutime preaching the gospel to the suf- of the greatest difficulty and importance, dustry fail to rear the scepters of ferers and 68,596 people perished, seven says that, on the back of the president's heavenly reward will more than make fatalities in the house where he lived, quaint, black armchair there was emup. Persistence is the lesson of every | did it just happen so that he came through unhurt?

All Under God's Care.

many clashings. There seems almost universal unrest. Large fortunes swallow up small fortunes. Civilized na- said. tions trying to gobble up barbaric na- yonder sun was rising or setting. But tions. Upheaval of creeds and people who once believed everything now be- rapidly moving on to the perfect day. lieving nothing. The old book that Moses began and St. John ended bombarded from scientific observatories and college classrooms. Amid all this disturbance and uncertainty that which many good people need is not a stimulus, but a sedative, and in my text I find it-divine observation and guidance of minutest affairs. And nothing his delerium, he refused to take. His is to God large or small-planet or ant hill-the God who easily made the worlds employing his infinity in the wondrous construction of a spider's

Before we leave this subject let us the cockpit or the bear baiting or hardship and poverty and suffering and it. In this way the patient's strength of fish that are not used. Go to the employed it for important discovery! subsided and he became convalescent. ant, thou miscreant, and see how God | It would tell of the blinded eyes of M. - Youth's Companion. Strauss, of the Hubers and of scores of those who, after inspecting the professor. All over the land and all | minute objects of God's creation, stagover the world there are over-driven gered out from their cabinets with horses that ought to be unharnessed, vision destroyed. This hour in many question of how best to conduct the caged birds that ought to be put on a professor's study the work of put- service of praise in the church will no guide, overseer or ruler, provideth to be watered and crustacea being sight, unless it be loss of reason? how it should be sung. This differher meat in the summer and gathereth | broiled alive that ought to be lifted | While the telescope is reaching farther ence will continue to the end of time; out of the fire. Christ chose twelve up and the microscope is reaching far- but of one thing we are quite sure This is no argument for miserliness. apostles for the human race in the ther down, both are exclaiming: that only when our service of praise

LESSON VI. MAY 12, MATT. XXVIII:16-20.

Golden Text: Lo I Am with Ye Always Even Unto the End of the World, Matt. xxviii-20.-The Great Commission to Preach the Gospel.

16. Then the eleven disciples went into Galilee, unto the mountain where Jesus had appointed them. 17. And when they saw him, they wor

18. And Jesus came and spake unto

19. Go ve. therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name

chitectural structure, order in gov- 20. Teaching them to observe all things ernment, order of movement, order of whatsoever I commanded you; and lo, I

faction in the fact that things are tianity to want to spread the news of not at loose ends in this world. If salvation. Love to Christ and love to there is a divine regulation in a colony man both compel it. "The very soul of our religion is missionary, progressive, or republic of insects, is there not a world embracing; it would cease to exist divine regulation in the lives of im- if it ceased to be missionary, if it disremortal men and women? If God cares garded the parting words of its Founder, for the least of his creatures and shows 'Go ye, therefore, and teach all nations, for the least of his creatures and shows them how to provide their meat in the of all religion; and where it exists, it summer and gather their food in the must manifest itself, it must plead, it harvest, will he not be interested in must persuade, it must convince and conmatters of human livelihood and in vert. There may be times when silence the guidance of human affairs? I is gold, and speech the death, and times also when silence is death, and preach the doctrine of a particular speech is life-the very life of Pentecost. providence. "Are not two sparrows Look at the religions in which the missold for a farthing, and yet not one sionary spirit has been at work, and compare them with those in which any attempt to convince others by argument ye not of more value than many spar- to save souls, to bear witness to the dividual lives, order in the family, or- former are alive; the latter are dying or dead."-Max Muller.

This command includes home missions as well as foreign; our own neighborhood After what Linnaeus and Pierre as well as more distant places. But misspade as a parliamentarian scroll. You we not ready to believe that the God spirit impels to all forms of effort to know what became of the man in the who turns the wheel of the solar sys- reach men. Every church should know outlook and interest increases the true spirit. Nothing has done more for the the ant hill and that all the affairs of churches at home than a great and abidvidual Christians who give and labor.

It is a great privilege to be engaged in to live so many miles from human work is so arranged that every one, even habitation, he replied: "No. Provi- the poorest, can have some part in it. every person can have some of the shares. The church is not a club for its memham and built the Royal Exchange in bers only, but is an army, an organized London when an infant was abandoned industry. The church that lives for itself has force enough merely to move itself. and can draw no freight or passenger grasshopper brought a boy to the spot cars, is left on a side track to rust out its

> teaching others. They grow richer in all that is best in life by giving freely of the

> far richer than it would have for the multiplying which there ever is in a true dispensing."-Trench.

A city grows rich by receiving and giv-

"Lo, I am with you alway." with his power, with his wisdom, with his willingness to help; Jesus the Saviour the Guide, the Inspirer, the King, the nipresent, the Omnipotent, is with everywhere, all the days. Aiway: literaly, all the days. It is a daily presence never, even in the darkest, to be forgot en. Unto the end of the world. Literalthe consummation of the age, the end them. ' He comes again and abides with them, till his final manifestation and revelation in the new kingdom.

A Rising or a Setting Sun, John Fiske, tion of the United States of 1789, a work blazoned a half sun, brilliant with gilded rays. At the close of the session of several months, during which the Constitution was adopted, as the meeting was We live in times when there are so breaking up, and Washington arose Franklin pointed to the chair and made it the text for a prophecy. "As I have been sitting here all these weeks,' "I have often wondered whether now I know that it is a rising sun." sun of Christianity is a rising sun, and is

Life-Saving Politoness.

Patriotism and politeness are great virtues, and a Japanese physician, Dr. Aoyama, owes his life to the fact that he possessed them both in high degree. He had caught the plague, and was dying for need of the food which, in nurse was in despair, but finally conceived the idea of playing upon his patriotism by filling a glass with liquid nourishment and then offering to drink to the health of the mikado. thank God for those who were willing This was repeated until, ardent patriot to endure the fatigues and self-sacri- as he was, the doctor felt that he had fices necessary to make revelation of honored his sovereign enough. Then the natural world, so re-enforcing the his politeness was appealed to, the Scriptures. If the microscope could nurse proposing a toast and reproachspeak, what a story it could tell of ing the sick man for not joining in perseverance on the part of those who was maintained until the delerium

Praise in Prayerful Spirit.

Ira D. Sankey says: "The whole their wings in the free air of heaven, ting eyesight on the altar of science never be settled to the satisfaction of droves of cattle agonized of thirst on is going on. And what greater loss every one. The tastes of good men her ways and be wise, which, having the freight trains where they ought can one suffer than the loss of eye- differ as to what should be sung and Avarice and penuriousness destroy a first century, and you know their "There is a God, and he is infinitely is offered in the spirit of prayer can man about as soon as any of the other names, but in the nineteenth century wise and infinitely good! Worship it reach the ear of the Almighty, and bring down a blessing upon our souls."

Copenhagen's Jubilee.

Copenhagen has just celebrated a sert of jubilee, the 700th anniversary of the death of her founder, Bishop Absalon. Where 700 years ago there only existed some poor fishermen's huts, the Danish capital at that time being Roskilde, there is now situated a modern capital city, with about 500 inhabitants. During many centuries Copenhagen increased slowly, and 100 years ago it had only 100,000 inhabitants; but the growth of the last thirty years has been enormous. A great monument in copper of Absalon, raised by public subscription, and placed in front of the new town hall, has been unveiled.

Julian Ralph's Theory.

Julian Ralph explains the philosophy of the latest gorgeous pageant in London by remarking that the English people are so suffocated and chilled by fogs and depressing climatic conditions that they hunger for relief in color and merriment. That is why they have the most gorgeous army in Europe; that is why they drink more than any two nations on earth; that is why they wear more red on the streets and keep up their medieval pageants longer than their neighbors, and are the greatest patrons of the theater, the most ardent lovers of pantomime and ballet on earth.

FROM DEATH'S DOOR.

Hillsdale, Ill., April 29th,-Much interest has been aroused here over the case of William Marks, who has been in a dying condition for several months with an apparently incurable Kidney Disease.

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