RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCER.

Do Your Best.

Do not worry, do not fret, "T will not help your case one bit ; Work till tired and then rest-Always do your level best.

Life can not be always bright In this world. We need the night That we may, when day we see, All the brighter, happier be.

Clouds sometimes obscure the sun, Just as tears destroy our fun; But the clouds soon disappears, Just as joys dry up our tears.

Do your best. 'Twill not be long ; Time sweeps swiftly, so be strong ; To the right your powers bend,

And if one more score be given, Soon they'll fly, and then to heaven You'll be taken, ever blest, If you truly do your best.

The Lottery Ticket.

It would be utterly impossible for any one living outside the State of Louisiana to estimate the extent of the evil brought upon it by the legalized gambling corporation known as the Louisiana Lottery Company.

the distinctive power in our midst.

It is not on the rich and prosper-

A sad little story has just come

told you. Wait and see if Eldridge is the better for that money." "I wish I had it," she cried, de-

than she."

chance.'

place in Linda. She continued to appeared in that awful flood.

"Then I'm afraid you won't rest, gotten that vacillation in regard to

he said, sternly provoked at her in- beginning the Christian service is

sistence. "Haven't I told you what as unworthy, if not more so, than

or form? And neither you nor any so, my brother, you owe it to your

one else will ever tempt me to do manhood to begin a decided Chris-

left the room. It was altogether a all tell you so. You not only owe

visits she paid to the new house of own self to take this step, if you

The Young Christian.

the Eldridges only added to her have not, and to do so at once .--

and glory. And let it not be for-

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY.

The Great Blood and Nerve

Remedy.

Remarkable Conversion of a

Roman Catholic.

A young man belonging to

Roman Catholic Monastry, and

holding the highest testimonal from

to suppress, but in vain. He was

sent to a retreat and underwent the

the most rigid mortification, but he

was in such deep soul distress that

he got no peace or satisfaction, and

tears, not knowing where to go for

relief. He put himself into com-

munication with several well-know

Ritualistic clergyman, who not

merely advised him to go back into

believe without scruple what the

church believed, but actually wrote

him back. This testimony is borne

out by most incriminating letters

Being in Portsmouth on Thurs

day evening, June 1, he was direct-

ed to a certain Ritualistic clergy.

God's providence, as he now sees it,

he called at the manse of the Pres-

byterian minister, Rev. A. Halliday,

National Protestant Congress).

Mr. Halliday was engaged at

terian manse the next morning.

Mr. Young did so, and after open-

ing up from the word of Truth, the

now in his possession.

sometimes passed the night in bitter

work, but sullenly, and as it were

fantly; "I'd take the risk. If you

sick to death of this life !"

Three score years will have an end.

I've asked you one before, and you not a manly course. musn't say no. harmony.

The wise action of Congress and the trend of popular opinion, both North and South, has probably given this vile monopoly its coup de grace; but for many years it has been

ous that the evil falls. The hardworking artisan whose gains are insufficient for his needs, the farmer whose crops fail to meet his debts, the poor widow who toils over her sewing-machine, are the ones who are tempted by the plausible inducements held out by the lottery.

to me which I transcribe for my

the light and liberty of Gospel sal-Are You Drifting? vation, and they feel that the circumstances are so remarkable that Some years ago there was a vessel coming down the Niagara River, it was the work of the Holy Ghost

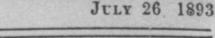
wasn't so full of ridiculous old-fash- which, when a few miles above the throughout. A touching scene occurred in St, ioned notions, we would have a falls, took fire. It was soon found chance of getting rich, too. I'm there could be no particle of hope John's Church, Portsea, on Sunday for saving her, so the crew and evening, at the prayer-meeting, She flung out of the room, leav- passengers were taken ashore in after service, which was attended ing her husband too stunned to boats, and the vessel abandoned to by the Rev. Mr. Halliday and the answer her. Rarely before thought her fate. It was night, and the convert from Romanism. The lattheir happy married life had there scene is said to have been grand ter, coming forward to the lectern, been a harsh or recriminating word. beyond description. The banks earnestly thanked God in prayer "Poor little woman," through were lined with people who waited that he could now call Him Father, Tom, after a few minutes, "I reckon in breathless suspense for the inev- and for having revealed Jesus Christ she's nervous and overworked, and itable moment as she swept toward to him as a personal Saviour. He it does seem hard those people the awful verge. At length, with then gave an impressive address, should be so much more favoured a frightful plunge and hissing sound telling the narrative of his past life amid flashing fire and gleaming and his recent conversion; and what From that day a change took spray, she made the bound, and dis- peace and joy he now experienced, and how there was an end to all the How sad it is, but it is none the years of weariness and longing to under protest, and became harsh to less true, that there are hundreds of know the peace of God. "He said: the children. One night when she young men in our cities and villages "I could not get it in the Church and Tom were sitting silently by just as hopelessly on fire with evil of Rome, for there is no living the fire, for she had lost her chatty habit; and through the dark night Christ there. I could not get it ways, she turned suddenly to him. of temptation they are floating down from the Ritulistic clergymen, for "I'm goin' to ask you a favour, with the current toward a more they don't know Christ; but now,

Tom," she said ; " and I don't think awful plunge. Bnt surely this is thank God, only a few days ago Christ found me, and while rejoice-There can be no glory in mere ing in him, I press His salvation on "What is it you dear?" Tom ask- drifting-going with the current. your present acceptance who have ed, rejoiced, at this restoration of Floating is essertial weakness. A had the privilege of bearing about cork can do that. Going against it all your lives. "I warn you of the Ritualists, "I want you to buy a lottery the current is strength. Surely no they are more deceptive than Roman ticket or let me buy one. I dream- manly young man needs ever to be

ed of a winning number last night, | convinced that moral weakness is a | Catholic; I warn you against Romanand I can't rest until I have my disgrace, and moral strength is pride ism, you don't know what it is, the wearisomeness of the different ceremonies which can never satisfy the soul. Oh! pity and pray for the poor Romanists and Ritualists and I think of gambling in every shape any other. If you have not done try to lead them to Christ."

The address was most impressive and solemn, and moved many to tain life. You know it. Your tears of joy over the marvellous She turned from him angrily and reason, your heart, your conscience, grace of God.

miserable state of affairs, and the it to him-but you owe it to your USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY The Great Blood and Nerve Remedy.

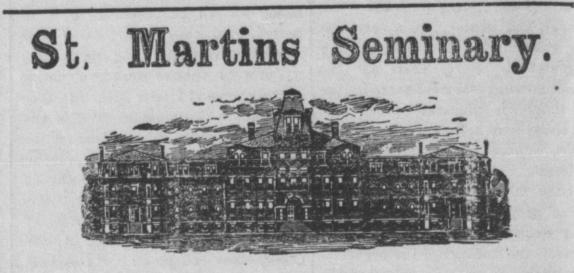


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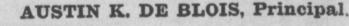
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"Well, looking u bright Sun son came table, "w Lame aga: suspicious; twinkle in "Now,

solemnly, look, "I'v rible; I h just 'count Tom wa tripped ov he often was a bit e "Never laugh; "

readers, though it is only one among thousands far more tragical in their ending.

Tom Armstrong, an intelligent, industrious young mechanic, married, at twenty-two, a girl in his own class of life, very pretty, with some little education, and a burning ambition to rise in life.

"She ain't going to be satisfied till we own a nice house and lot. and have money in the bank, and I am at the top of the ladder," Tom would say laughing. "She is always at work. I tell her she's in too great a hurry to be rich; but she says if she don't have money when she young enough to enjoy it, she don't want it at a'l.'

"Well I suppose you are laying up something," the friend to whom he was speaking answered.

"Oh, yes, I get good wages, and I'm never sick, and Linda keeps the purse. I don't really know ow much we have, for Linda will not tell me for fear I might want to borrow some," he said, laughing.

"Well, it is a good thing when a woman is so saving and industrious as Linda," his friend said. "The purse is saftest in her hands."

Several years rolled on, and two children came to the Armstrong household. Tom had had one or two attacks of illness, and was not as strong as he used to be. The doctor said there was valvular trouble with his heart, but by avoiding all excitement he would probably live to a good old age. So he worked on steadily, and continued to lay up money every year. Neither he nor his wife had any confidence in banks or investments, so the money accumulated and was kept in the home.

* They had enough to buy a modest cottage, but that did not suit Linda's ambition. "Well hold on, Tom, till we can buy real valuable pro perty," she said, "and then when Mary and Elward are grown, they'll have a home to be proud of. I don't want any half-way house, but a roomy. nice home, with gardens back, and flowers in front."

So she worked on cheerfully till one evil day, when Tom found her in the greatest excitement. "Oh, Tom!' she cried, "what do you think ! Harry Eldridge has drawn win at last, and I took it, and took

"Why don't you buy a lottery ticket !" Mrs. Eldridge drawled. 'You'll have as good a chance as we had."

"Tom won't listen to it," she answered gloomingly.

what I know is wrong,'

"Well, I wouldn't ask him. You keep the money, and goodness knows it's as much yours as his, for you've worked hard enough for it. Buy a lottery ticket, and don't tell him that you have it. If it turns up a prize, I bet he won't fuss about your gettin it."

Linda made no answer, but her mind was made up. She thought of the anger of her husband if he ever found out that she had disobeyed him, but her mania was too strong upon her for her to weigh it in the balance. Of course the ticket she bought came up a blank, but the gambling demon had taken possession of her, and month after month the hoard diminished, and the grew fiercely eager to redeem her losses and prevent discovery. One morning her husband came

in smiling and jubilant.

"I've just been paid for Ross's big house I've been building," he cried, laughing. "That's \$300 clear, little woman, and I want you to come back to your old self, and give up pouting. Thought I had forgotten you, didn't you, and all the time I've been working and planning to give you a surprise ?

"You remember Lawson's beautiful house you used to long for Well, I bought it this morning, and with this three hundred and the money we've saved up we've got very nearly enough to pay for it cash down. Get out the pocketbook deary; I'm in a hurry to go about Christ as the great need of back and get the bill of sale made out. My God! What is the matter with you, Linda?"

White-faced and wild-eyed, Linda had thrown off her husband's hand, and stood there trembling in every limb and grasping for breath. I've been too sudden with my

good news, dear," he said, tenderly, trying to take her in his arms.

But she struggled from his grasp, and covered her face with her hands. "There's no money left !" she cried, wildly. "I spent it all for lottery tickets. I thought I must

A Mother's Resolutions.

A loving and pious mother framed for herself the following which may serve as a hint to other nothers:

"That the first duty of the day performed by me shall be prayer to God, especially for strength and wisdom to properly instruct, guide and govern my child.

"That I will never permit my the superior of his order, began to child to willfully disobey me, or to entertain doubts as to the papal intreat me with disrespect. fallibility and the immaculate conception, which he tried his utmost

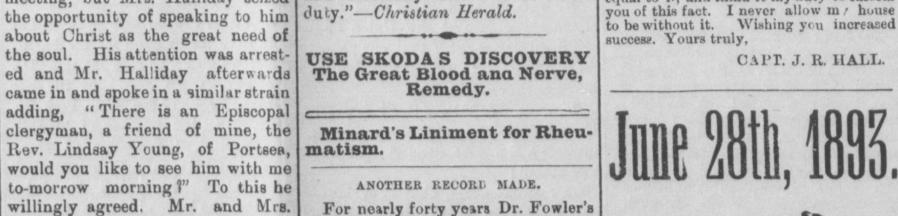
"That I will earnestly strive never to act from an impulse of passion or resentment, but will endeavor to preserve my judgment cool and my feelings calm, that] may clearly see and truly perform my duty to my child.

FRIENDS THOUGHT I COULD NOT "That I will devote a certain portion of my time each day to selfinstruction, in order to be able to GAINED 30LBS. IN FLESH. properly instruct my child.

"That I will watch over my temthe Roman Catholic Church and to per at all times, cultivate a habit of cheerfulness, and interest myself in the little matters of my child, that I to Roman Catholic bishops to get may thereby gain his love. "That I will devote my time es- live long. In April last I took about six

pecially to those pursuits which will Invigatoring Syrup. My appetite soon reincrease the comfort and happiness of my home and forward the best over thisty pounds heavier than when I interests of my child.

"That I will study the health of able to do my work and feel altogether like another man. I intend taki g some more man, but by mistake, or rather by my child, reading on the subject of it now, at d believe there is none as good in the market to day. and asking the advice of those who are more experienced than myself. "That I will not yield to discour-(one of the secretaries of the late agements from failure, but w'll persevere, putting faith in the promise able Life of Man Bitters & No. 1 Iavigorof God to all those who earnestly ating Syrup for Indigestion, etc., since meeting, but Mrs. Halliday seized and faithfully strive to do their equal to it, and think it my duty to inform



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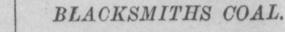
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