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EDITORIAL NOTES.

"Without holiness no man shall see the Lord," so says the scripture. But what is holiness? No crier and better answer to this question can be given than that of a little girl in a Sunday school: "Please, sir, it's to be clean inside."

The municipal council of the city of Paris has decided to adopt the new electric light for illuminating the Avenue de l'Opéra, Rue de la Paix, and Place de la Concorde. This will turn night into day in the central portion of the gay French capital.

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The Singer Manufacturing Company, in spite of hard times and the increase of competition, continues to take the lead in the manufacture and sale of sewing machines. Last year it sold 20,400 more machines than in any previous year since 1859, when the first Singer was turned out of the factory. The company has an invested capital of \$50,000,000, and stands at the head of similar companies in the world. The Singer remains the favorite labor-saver among the ladies. There are bogus Singers in the market; for protection against which see notice in another column.

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deadly influence, and his body is poisoned with the virus of hereticism.

According to the consigned customs of modern Christian social life, the slightest sin of a thoughtless girl makes her an object of scorn and reprobation. But a young "blood" may "soak his wild oats" with comparative impunity. And after becoming familiar with the lowest forms of vice, and throwing chastity to the winds or burning it in the fire of passion, an alliance with some spotless daughter of an unshamed family, is considered the correct thing, to settle him in society and keep him from further roving.

Our mothers should teach their daughters to detect and avoid the libertine and the rouse. He should have no passport into virtuous society. A man who is known to be stained with the sin of debauchery, or embezzled with the vices which are winked at in the world at large, is not a fit associate for the daughters of Zion, and the thought of marriage with such a being, should be regarded by all chaste women with horror.

Much of the blame which attaches to the unfiends that take place, belong to the masters who permit polluted but polite, vicious but handsome, scoundrels to enter freely into the sacred circle of virtuous homes, and who meet them as equals, and smile upon them as worthy, in the hall room and in secret social gatherings.

Not until hapes from purity are considered as disreputable and desiring in man as in woman, and justice is equally dealt out to both sexes will society be purged from the evils which permeate it, and sexual chastity be seated upon the throne and wear the regal crown to which it is entitled.

BY TELEGRAPH.

FROM WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH LINE.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, 25.—Sargent called up the concurrent resolution declaring that the provisions of the existing treaty between China and the United States, allowing unrestricted emigration to this country from China, might wisely be modified so as to subserve the best interests of both governments, and invited the attention of executive to the subject; passed.

HOUSES.

WASHINGTON, 25.—Goode reported a bill to apply the proceeds of the sale of public lands to the education of the people; referred.

Hastridge offered a resolution directing the committee on post roads to investigate the possibility of preventing frauds in the postal service.

The House then went into committee of the whole on the army appropriation bill.

Hewitt (N. Y.) withdrew his proposed amendment to the 14th section, and the bill was referred back to the committee of conference, reported unfit for service, and consented to the entire striking out of the section.

He then moved an amendment to the 15th section, embracing the same general provisions. In explaining it he said the corresponding provisions in the British convention of 1850, were more liberal, but they had been under points of order. The bill had not been undertaken by him of his own choice, it had been assigned to him, and he had found the army organized in such a manner as that no business man could continue to do business with such an organization without being taxed. He therefore suggested such a measure of reorganization and retrenchment as would effect economy.

Gardell said he was opposed to the amendment, but that he did not consider it liable to a point of order.

Without discussion the amendment was adopted.

A point of order was made and sustained against section 21, which prohibits the detail to the staff of the appointment of officers who have served less than five years, and the section was struck out.

THE BRITISH.

The Potter Investigation Committee.

New York, 25.—The Tribune, reviewing its Washington dispatches, says: It is now stated that the democrats of the Potter investigation committee are dissatisfied with the character of the evidence which has been adduced for and against the various persons. It is to be seen if more proof cannot be obtained.

The republicans expect to prove that the expense of the agent's trip will be borne by Tilden. The revolutionary spirit of this movement is more manifest than ever since the action of the nation at submitted.

Negotiating for Another Steamer.

The Times' Philadelphia special says: Russian agents are negotiating for the purchase of the new steamer City of Peru, for about half a million dollars.

As evidence of Russian Christian toleration, the Edinburgh Review states that "No minister of another faith than that of the Orthodox Church can even enter the Russian dominions without the express permission of the Emperor." Just before the late war the Anglican Bishop of Gibraltar wanted to proceed to Odessa to confirm the children of British subjects residing there, but the haughty vice of his passport was temporarily refused, although the British Ambassador at Constantinople personally interceded to obtain it. General Ignatoff said he had not the power to grant the visa necessary to enter Russia to a foreign clergyman." This is the government that smites Turkey to liberalize its institutions.

MASCULINE CHASTITY.

One of the most remarkable things in human nature is this willingness of women to sacrifice a girl's life for the chance of saving the morals of a profligate man. If a pious mother can only marry her son to some "good religious girl," the chance of his reformation is greatly increased. The girl is safer here than there, where one considers the probability of saving the dear Bachelor.

The above remarks are by Edward Eggleston, in Sunday Afternoon. They touch on a very important point. There is something truly revolting in the complacency and even approbation with which society regards the union of a pure, virtuous and honorable maiden with a tainted, dissolute male, who has dipped into the corrupt pool of fast life until his soul is steeped in its

the Eastern Question—The Present Situation.

CHICAGO, 25.—The Times' London special says: Public opinion is favorable to the foreign policy of the government. England is a wall against which the liberal party dashes itself to pieces. The only other party that can stand is the Conservative party, which will come when they realize this fact. The falsehoods of their policy is destroying, in the general estimation, the value of the constitutional truths they uttered in the great debate; yet, unless wise influences prevail between now and Monday, Hastings and Fawcett will be beaten. The Government on supplementary estimates for the Indian troops, Gladstone's party fear that Beaconsfield will win a splendid diplomatic triumph. They regard the neutralization of Germany as the chief policy. The Crown Prince of Germany is in London to promote increasing friendship among the people of France and England. Meanwhile, Schouvaloff is in active communication with Gladstone and Salisbury, with whom he has had a long interview. The result was long discussed at a cabinet council to-day. The telegraph is now actively at work between Schouvaloff and St. Petersburg. Though at present the English ministry are rather silent, the sailors, the opinion of the best informed circles is that the ground is already cleared for a congress, and that the prospects for peace are much improved. Though England is prepared for war, she may well hope for a peaceful issue of the present crisis, the outlook being gloomy, but not dark.

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