











Selected Miscellany.

LEAVE IT WITH HIM.

Yes, leave it with him; The lilies all do, And they grow! They grow in the rain, And they grow in the dew, Yes, they grow!

A DAUGHTER WORTH HAVING.

"Harvey Mills has failed!" said Mrs. Smithson, one chilly spring evening, as she ran in to see her next door neighbor and intimate friend, Mrs. James.

"I heard all about it last evening," said Mrs. James, adjusting the pink ribbons at the throat of her black silk dinner-dress, "and this morning I presumed upon our cousinship so far as to drive over and see how they were getting along."

"Our comfortable and cosy appearance is all due to Helena," said she. "That dear child has taken the helm. I never dreamed she had so much executive ability."

"There was a great deal of talk at first among the bigbugs about Helena's pots and kettles," and they used to say she had found her true level.

LIVE STOCK FOR THE SOUTH.

Experience has shown that certain breeds of domestic animals succeed admirably in the South, and become acclimated without difficulty. The Jersey, Ayrshire and Devon, among cattle; the South Down, Merino and Scotch Cheviot, among sheep; the Berkshire swine, and the Hambletonian-Morgan strains of horses, all do well there, and serve their purposes in the best manner.

As regards sheep, the main purpose is at present, wool but before long mutton will become valuable, and the markets for this meat are close at hand.

"I know I'm all wrong," Returning from preaching the gospel in Glasgow, a few nights ago, I found two young men the only occupants of the compartment of the train I was in.

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Popular Science.

THERMOMETERS undergo a gradual change during the first three years made, the zero point rising. This has been overcome by instruments in a bath of oil, heated above the highest point it is intended to indicate, for three weeks before or fixing its zero point.

THE "WORK" IN GOING. The Mechanical News, gives the following particulars of a man mounting long flights of stairs, and failing before their time.

A NEW STEAM CARRIAGE. Motion by steam has just made in the domain of practice have been accustomed to see, hauling carriages at a speed that of the horse, and resembling for crushing stones more than now, Messrs. Dion, Bouton have succeeded in manufacturing a carriage of all sorts and of from the tricycle up to the es and merchandise vans.

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The Sabbath School.

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FIRST QUARTER.

- Jan. 2. Josiah and the Book of the Law. 2 Kings 22: 1-18. Jer. 36: 1-23; 37: 1-15.
Jan. 9. Jeremiah Predicting the Captivity. Jer. 23: 20-22; 24: 1-10.
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Jan. 23. Captivity of Judah. 2 Kings 25: 1-12.
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LESSON XIII.—QUARTERLY REVIEW.

BY JOHN M. MOSHER. For Sabbath-day, March 27th.

I. Title.—"Josiah and the Book of the Law." Scripture Lesson.—2 Kings 22: 1-18. Golden Text.—"He did that which was right in the sight of the Lord."—2 Kings 22: 2.

II. Title.—"Jeremiah Predicting the Captivity." Scripture Lesson.—Jer. 23: 20-22; 24: 1-10. Golden Text.—"The harvest is past, the Summer is ended, and we are not saved."—Jer. 8: 20.

III. Title.—"The Faithful Rechabites." Scripture Lesson.—Jer. 35: 1-19. Golden Text.—"For unto this day they drink wine, but obey their father's commandment."—Jer. 35: 14.

IV. Title.—"Captivity of Judah." Scripture Lesson.—2 Kings 25: 1-12. Golden Text.—"By the rivers of Babylon, there we sat down: yea, we wept when we remembered Zion."—Psa. 137: 1.

V. Title.—"Daniel and Babylon." Scripture Lesson.—Dan. 1: 8-21. Golden Text.—"Wheretof shall a young man cleanse his way? by taking heed thereto according to thy word."—Psa. 119: 9.

Babylon, being only about fourteen years of age. Nebuchadnezzar at once took to Daniel and his companions, and desired that they should eat from his table. Daniel, being a Jew, and being taught that certain kinds of food were not wholesome, he refused to eat of the king's meat, and asked for vegetables and water.

VI. Title.—"The Fiery Furnace." Scripture Lesson.—Dan. 3: 16-28. Golden Text.—"Our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace."—Dan. 3: 17.

VII. Title.—"The Handwriting on the Wall." Scripture Lesson.—Dan. 5: 1-12, 25-28. Golden Text.—"Thou art weighed in the balances, and art found wanting."—Dan. 5: 27.

VIII. Title.—"The Second Temple." Scripture Lesson.—Ezra 1: 1-4; 3: 8-13. Golden Text.—"They praised the Lord, because the foundation of the house of the Lord was laid."—Ezra 3: 11.

IX. Title.—"Nehemiah's Prayer." Scripture Lesson.—Neh. 1: 1-11. Golden Text.—"Give us help from trouble: for vain is the help of man."—Psa. 108: 12.

X. Title.—"Reading the Law." Scripture Lesson.—Neh. 8: 1-12. Golden Text.—"So they read in the book, in the law of God, distinctly, and gave the sense, and caused them to understand the reading."—Neh. 8: 8.

XI. Title.—"Esther's Petition." Scripture Lesson.—Esther 4: 10-17; 5: 1-3. Golden Text.—"So will I go in unto the king, which is not according to law; and if I perish, I perish."—Esther 4: 16.

XII. Title.—"Messiah's Messenger." Scripture Lesson.—Mal. 3: 1-6; 4: 1-6. Golden Text.—"Behold, I will send my messenger, and he shall prepare the way before me."—Mal. 3: 1.

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The Needles, Cal., a place sharp mountain peaks, we view the valley of the Colorado elevation of only 483 feet.

Daggett, Cal., is the rail road silver mines of Calico, some of the product of which shape of three heavy silver was also being shipped from a long distance in immense drawn by several pairs of what we witnessed at Daggett.

Waterman is also a silver and at the junction of the Corn with the Atlantic & Pacific former being the last railroad Boston and San Diego, by route.

The wood of the Luca furnish material for paper manufacture of which an English engaged.

We were a passenger from Waterman to San Diego connections with the through East. The Cajon Pass is in San Bernardino, originally named, we were told, and among the prosperous towns.

The city of San Diego, on the Missouri river, has a beautiful situation on the bay. About half a mile from the rises to the height of 1500 feet. Diego was settled as a town in 1769. Its modern growth 1867, when it expected the terminus of a trans-continental the valley of the Mississippi parallel, which expectation not fulfilled. The population 5,000, and there is reason to believe that it will be a city of the future.