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Wake not a sleeping wolf.—Shakespeare.

Sleep is sweet to the laboring man.—Bunyan.

Good manners never can intrude.—E. Moore.

Art is a perfection of nature.—Sir T. Browne.

Alms are but the vehicles of prayer.—Dryden.

When the sun shineth, make hay.—J. Heywood.

An artful woman makes a modern saint.—Prior.

Beggars should be no choosers.—J. Heywood.

Life's a long tragedy; this globe the stage.—Watts.

Life is too short for mean anxieties.—C. Kingley.

Sin let loose speaks punishment at hand.—Cowper.

Where boasting ends, there dignity begins.—Young,

The universe is but one vast symbol of God.—Carlyle.

Angels from friendship gather half their joys.—Young.

It is only to the happy that tears are a luxury.—Moore.

Nothing emboldens sin so much as mercy.—Shakespeare.

Virtue best loves those children that she beats.—Herrick.

Fashion wears out more apparel than the man.—Shakespeare.

Ambition makes more trusty slayes than need.—Ben Johnson.

General notions are generally wrong.—Lady M. Montagu.

In the multitude of counsellors there is safety.—Proverbs.

When things are helpless, patience must be used.—W. Houghton.

Heroism is active genius; genius contemplative heroism.—J. C. Hare.

An injury is much sooner forgotten than an insult.—Lord Chesterfield.

How a good meaning may be corrupted by a misconstruction!—Middleton.

The very truth hath a color from the disposition of the utterer.—George Eliot.

Women are most fools when they think they'er wisest.—Beaumont and Fletcher.

Not our logical, measurative faculty, but our imaginative one is king over us.—Carlyle.

It is the folly of the world constantly which confounds its wisdom.—O. W. Holmes.

Animals are such agreeable friends—they ask no questions, they pass no criticisms.—George Eliot.

Whenever the faculties of men are at their fulness, they must express themselves by art.—Ruskin.

Life is at best but a forward child, which must be coaxed and played with until the end comes,—Sir William Temple.

Revised Form of Prayer.

Bishop Coleman has issued the following revised form of prayer for use in the Episcopal churches of the diocese (in Delaware) at the present time.

"O God, our Refuge and Strength, the Protector of all that trust in Thee, we commend to Thy merciful Providence our brethren—whether they be missionaries or soldiers and sailors—who are now in peril of death from heathen persecutors.

"Restrain the hatred and fury of their enemies, and turn their hearts by the power of the Cross.

"Comfort those who are already bereaved. Give to such as are still tempted and tried, courage, gentleness and charity. Maintain them in their loyality to Truth and to Thee. Endue our officials and their allies with wisdom, prudence and skill.

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Fair lady, whosoe'r thou art
Turn this poor leaf with tenderest care,
And hush, O! hush thy beating heart—
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