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THE ELDER BOOTH AND THE PIRATE.

How the Tragedian Saved His Money and His Life and Made a Friend.

One night in Louisville a number of people called on Edwin Booth, among them a doctor of local celebrity, who wanted to place in his hands a valuable relic that had once belonged to the elder Booth.

The doctor told us this story of the skull, which proved romantic and interesting. Many years before Ted's visit the elder Booth had played an engagement in Natchez.

Booth had \$1,000 in his money belt, and from motives of policy he invited the ruffians to take several drinks, which only served to increase their peculiar looks in his direction.

Selecting the roughest and toughest man in the crowd, old Booth called him outside to say a few words.

The fellow looked earnestly at the old man, and then reached out for the belt. Booth never expected to see a dollar of the money again, but was glad to insure his personal safety.

"Get up," said he; "here's your money. The boat's in sight." Booth was thoroughly surprised, but of course delighted.

A year later Morrill was sentenced to the penitentiary for life. When Booth visited Natchez again he visited the prison and took Morrill some money and delicacies.

When on a visit to his mother in Baltimore, she unpacked Ted's trunk while he was out, and came across the skull.

Walpole, the prime minister of the Georges, is misquoted in the expression, "All men have their price." He never said so, and entertained no such narrow views of mankind.

After all is said and done at the fire proper, come the insurance adjusters peering about the ruins.

Teddy Was Surprised. Teddy, a little three-year-old, was one day following his father about the farm, when he saw a terrapin for the first time.

"Oh, papa," he called, "come and help me catch the bug with a shell on his back."

"Just cut his head off," his father replied, "and you have him."

"Well, is his head off?" asked his father.

"Oh, no," cried the astonished little fellow; "he has swallowed his head!"

Diphtheria Taken from a Kitten. P. C. Coleman, of Colorado, Tex., states that after a residence of five years at Colorado he saw the first case of diphtheria.

Timely Times. "That was an appropriate bit of music they had at the cattlemen's annual dinner."

"What was it?" "The band played Beethoven's 'Concerto in G.'"

AFTER ALL BIG FIRES.

MEN WHO MAY BE SEEN IN THE RUINS OF A CONFLAGRATION

Strange Things Happen That Ordinary People Would Never Dream About.

After the fire is over, what then? The average citizen sees only a heap of smoking ruins and thinks that nothing remains to be done but to clear them away and build anew.

First, the firemen. They distrust the red dragon. He may be lurking under any of the heaps of bricks, ready for a fresh outbreak.

Second, the police. They protect the firemen from the crowds of citizens who come to look on and the property rescued from the rubble who come to loot.

Third, the fire patrol. This is a professional band of property rescuers, maintained by the insurance companies.

The men of the fire patrol go out with trucks, one truck from each station. Each truck carries eleven men and axes, ladders, brooms, shovels, crowbars and twenty-four immense tarpaulin coverings, with which the fire patrol rushes into a building comparatively safe from fire.

The hermit never speaks to anybody. Early in the winter, before there is danger of a big fall of snow, a lot of provisions is taken up to him, for fear that a heavy snowfall will prevent any one from reaching the top.

"There, he's gone. I just caught a glimpse of him. He's up so high he didn't look bigger'n a speck, any way."

"Remarkable," said the Englishman, as he lapsed into a seat. He rolled it all over in his mind for a couple of hours.

"Now, look-a-here," he said, "honest, is that really all true about the hermit?"

"Certainly, it's true," said the commercial traveler. "Most all tourists know it, and any one who lives in this country can tell you all about it."

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"I want to give you a piece of advice," "All right, let me give you one first—follow it."—New York Epoch.

AN ENGLISH TOURIST.

HE HEARS A STORY OF HOW HERMIT MOUNTAIN WAS NAMED.

An American Commercial Traveler Tells a Strange Varn About the Lonely, Loveliest Miner of the Selkirk—The Mountain Was Named for Him.

The train had stopped near the heart of the Selkirks, under the shadow of a great bare crag, which the guide book said was the Hermit mountain.

"Follow the edge of the mountain from its front to the rear," he said, "Right where the edge breaks off you see a solitary pyramid.

"Beg pardon, did I hear you say something about a hermit?"

"Well, I'll tell you the story," said the drummer. "It's a remarkable one, and every traveler ought to know it."

"So he came to this mountain, and he clambered up that brush that you see alongside, and he built him a hut of stones and branches, and there he began his new life."

"By this time the English tourist was all eyes and ears. "You don't mean to tell me," he said, "How on earth does he live now?"

"Well, once a week the people who live in this little hamlet you see here fill a basket with provisions and one of them takes it up to the top of the mountain."

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