

**HOW LINCOLN CLIMBED.**

**A Long, Hard Path to Reach a Good Fee Before the Supreme Court.**

The lawyer who works his way up from a five-dollar fee in a suit before a justice of the peace to a five-thousand-dollar fee before the Supreme Court of his State has a long and hard path to climb. Lincoln climbed this path for twenty-five years, with industry, perseverance, patience—above all, with that self-control and keen sense of right and wrong which always clearly traced the dividing line between his duty to his client and his duty to society and truth. His perfect frankness of statement assured him the confidence of judge and jury in every argument. His habit of fully admitting the weak points in his case gained him their close attention to his strong ones, and when clients brought him questionable cases his advice was always not to bring suit.

"Yes," he once said to a man who offered him such a case; "there is no reasonable doubt but that I can gain four cases for you. I can set a whole neighborhood at loggerheads; I can distress a widowed mother and her six fatherless children, and thereby gain for you six hundred dollars, which rightfully belongs, it appears to me, as much to them as it does to you. I shall not take your case, but I will give you a little advice for nothing. You seem a sprightly, energetic man. I would advise you to try your hand at making six hundred dollars in some other way."

He would have nothing to do with the "tricks" of the profession, though he met these readily enough when practiced by others. He never knowingly undertook a case in which justice was on the side of his opponent. That same inconvenient honesty which prompted him, in his store-keeping days, to close the shop and go in search of a woman he had innocently defrauded of a few ounces of tea while weighing out her groceries, made it impossible for him to do his best with a poor case. "Sweet," he once exclaimed, turning suddenly to his associate, "the man is guilty; you defend him—I can't," and gave up his share of a large fee.—St. Nicholas.

**THE HOME-STRETCH.**

There has probably never been a more homesick sojourner in a great city than Mrs. Homer Saunders was during her week's visit to New York. "Didn't you enjoy one namable thing?" asked one of her Bushby neighbors when Mrs. Saunders had been happily rattling the pots and kettles in her own kitchen for a few hours. "Didn't Homer take you round sightseeing or shopping?"

"Why, Homer would have been glad enough to," said Mrs. Saunders, as she began a fresh attack on one of her frying-pans which was not absolutely glittering. "He'd 'ave been pleased to tote me round with him and Lottie all the time, but what d'you suppose I care about sights o' brick and stone and rushing folks, and shops full o' things I'd never need in Bushby if I lived to be a hundred?"

"There's Central Park," offered the neighbor, mildly.

"Well enough for those that aren't used to a couple o' miles' stretch o' hill and wood and meadow whichever way they've a mind to look," admitted Mrs. Saunders. "But I tell you one thing I did enjoy—a little book I got hold of."

"Why, you never were a great hand to read," said her old friend, with surprise.

"Not works o' fiction," said Mrs. Saunders, "nor yet biography; but this little book had lists o' trains in it, and first day I got there I found the Bushby page. There was a great clock in Lottie's parlor, and I used to sit there and see what the time was and where the trains would be, how near the Junction and so on. I never had all those Junction trains firm fixed in my mind before, but now I have. And I kep' saying to myself, 'Well, now there's a train so and so. Let's play I'm going to take that,' and so on."

"I'd go through the whole performance, riding in the stage with Jake and all. And I tell you," said Mrs. Saunders, turning a radiant face to her visitor, "when I got fairly seated down in that old coach this morning and felt that place where the stuffing's begun to bust through the leather, and heard Jake cluck up those hosses, I said to myself, 'This is worth all I've endured in the last week, hard though 'twas to bear!'"

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