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a remedy for catarrh. I have never been opposed at any time to the regulations offered by the now opposed to the proposed amend. GIST FOR FREE PEide as to all therapeutic claims which may be made for a proprietary medicine. It is manifestly unjust to FOR 1913.

DISGRACED:



We dined out last evening. Pa disgraced us, as usual."

"How so. "Got to the end of the dinner with three forks and two spoons still

Problem in Physics.

A native of T., on the coast of Scotland, when the contract for the building of the first three steamers fitted with electric lights at the local shipyard was completed, formed one of the social party gathered to entertain the electricians, says Ideas. In a burst of candor and comradeship, he was heard to say to one of the wire-

on they boats, I believe I could put in thought that baby's face would surely the electric licht masel', but there's be only one thing that bates me."

"Aye, aye, Sandy, what is that?" quired his interested friend, willing to help him if it lay in his power. "Weel, mon," replied Sandy, "it's

Suist this: I dinna ken hoo yet get the ile tae rin alang the wires.

In the Night Editor's Room.
"Here's a long story about that
storm on the lake the other day. Want It cut down?'

"Does it begin, "The storm beggars description?"

"Well, run that, and cut out the description.

Which? "Have you had much experience in hooking up?"

"Horses or waists?" THE BEST TEACHER.

Old Experience Still Holds the Palm. For real practical reliability and something to swear by, experienceplain old experience-is able to carry

a big load yet without getting swaybacked. A So. Dak. woman found some things about food from Old Experience a good, reliable teacher.

"I think I have used almost every

breakfast food manufactured, but none equal Grape-Nuts in my estimation. 'I was greatly bothered with weak stomach and indigestion, with forma-

tion of gas after eating, and tried many remedies for it but did not find "Then I decided I must diet and see

if I could overcome the difficulty that way. My choice of food was Grape-Nuts because the doctor told me could not digest starchy food.

"Grape-Nuts food has been a great benefit to me for I feel like a different person since I begun to eat it. It is wonderful to me how strong my nerves have become. I advise everyone to try it, for experience is the best teacher.

"If you have any stomach trouble— can't digest your food, use Grape-Nuts food for breakfast at least, and you wen't be able to praise it enough when you see how different you feel." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

There's a Reason." er read the above letter? A new appears from time to time. They genuine, true, and full of human est. Adv.

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have on hand table theoretical grounds and upon thousands of irrefutable statistics. But I am quite unsolicited tes- willing to have our claims as to the composition of Peruna properly and people in all thoroughly investigated, and if found stations of life, who claim that be fixed. Or if I am making any after many statements concerning disease, as to years futile at the nature, symptoms or danger of to rid any disease, if I am making any such themselves of statements as to unnecessarily fright-chronic catarrh en the people by false assumptions, I by various forms of treatment they am willing to submit to any unbiased

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ASK YOUR DRUGments to give to a partisan board of physicians the unqualified authority to RUNA ALMANAC

> Shopper's Cramp. Simeon Ford, at a dinner of hotel men in New York, discussed a new disease.

> "There's a new disease called shopper's cramp," he said "It appears early in December, becomes violently epidemic about the middle of the month and ends suddenly on the evening of the 24th.

> "Women feel shopper's cramp in the arms, the limbs, everywhere; but it attacks the husband only in one place-the pocket."

SKIN ERUPTION ON CHEEK

Kingsley, Mich.—"Last May my thirteen-months-old baby had a sore come on her cheek. It started in four or five small pimples and in two or three hours' time spread to the size of a silver dollar. It spread to her eye. Then water would run from the pimples and wherever that touched it caused more sores until nearly all one cheek and up her nostrils were one solid sore. She was very fretful. She certainly was a terrible looking child,

and nothing seemed to be of any use. "Then I got some Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. She tried to rub off everything we put on so that we would sit and hold her hands for two hours at a time, trying to give the medicine a chance to help her, but after I washed it with Cuticura Soap and then put on the Cuticura Ointment they seemed to soothe her and she did not try to rub them off. It was only a few days before her face "Mon, Peter, efter workin' wi' you no return of the trouble since. We Mrs. W. J. Cleland, Jan. 5, 1912.

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Pleasing Sounds.
"What is more delightful than the careless prattle of a child?" asked the

fond father?" "Have you ever heard the rattle of a train for which you had been waiting nine hours at a lonely little station 750 miles from home?" replied the traveling man.

Their Cinch. "Guns have an easy job, haven't

they?" "How do you mean?" "They're employed only to fired."

The Condition. "Can your wife keep a secret?"
"Certainly, if there is nobody around for her to tell it to."

Unusual.

"A candlemaker combines extremes. "How so?" "His business is both cereous and

Crushing Rejoinder. A workman sat on a curb nursing an injured foot which had been struck

by an iron casting which had fallen from the top of a building. "Did that big thing hit you?" asked sympathizing bystander.

The workman nodded. "And is it solid iron?" "No," replied the victim, "half of it is only lead."

Appropriate. "Do you file your letters?

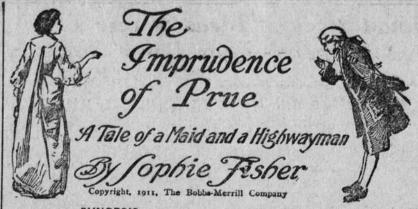
Its Class. "That was a raw deal." "What was?" "The plot they cooked up."

"I do the rasping ones."

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER





The two girls live with their grand-mother, Lady Drumloch, who, despite her reduced circumstances, maintains a gay social position in the court circle.

Prue is small, gay, delightful, daring, extravagant, and always in debt.

She is perpetually pursued by creditors and just now is in deep water for want of a few guineas with which to buy a new gowp by whose aid she hopes to win back the queen's favor, very recently lost by one of her mad pranks.

She decides to visit Aaron's a notorious money lender, and asks him to take care of her debts on the strength of her approaching marriage to Sir Geoffrey Beaudesert

Aaron informs her, however, that Beau-desert is himself head over heels in debt and while Prue is still in his office Sir Geoffrey arrives.

Prue at once secrets herself in a closet and to her astonishment overhears Sir Geoffrey ask for advances of money, also on the strength of their engagement.

Prue reads in a paper an account of the trial and sentence of Robin Freemantle, the highwayman who had kissed her on the moors, and that he is to be hanged at Tyburn the following Monday.

Suddenly she recalls that according to legal custom the debts of a widow "are buried in the coffin of her husband."

(CHAPTER XVI-(Continued.)

It must not be supposed that Lord Beachcombe was without curiosity as to the use Robin had made of the invitation and disguise he had borrowed so peremptorily. He questioned several people, but no one seemed to have observed the scarlet domino, and the one person who could have enlightened him, he did not dream of connecting with the exploits of a highwayman. He began to feel reassured, and a couple of bottles of wine helped to restore his damaged amour propre, though his temper was considerably ruffled. He followed Prue to the ballroom, but his invitation to dance was coldly declined and he retreated to the room, but his invitation to dance was coldly declined and he retreated to the card-room where Sir Geoffrey was already seated and hailed his coming with fierce joy. It would be strange, indeed, he argued, if means could not be found to fasten a quarrel upon a man who came to the card table with a naturally morose temper heated with wine and still further excited by the bitter-sweet arts of a coquette.

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That Beachcombe was still infatuated with his old love, Sir Geoffrey had not the slightest doubt, and that he had persuaded her to jilt him he had, as he firmly believed, the evidence of his own serves. of his own senses.

had, as he firmly believed, the evidence of his own senses.

The play was high, and Sir Geoffrey's luck had taken another turn. The pile of guineas in front of him grew apace and gradually the others dropped out, except Beachcombe, who had also been winning, though not so largely. His luck soon gave way before Sir Geoffrey's, and in a short time he had lost all his winnings and a considerable sum besides. Seeing him hesitate and half rise from the table, his opponent laughingly exclaimed, "Don't leave me, Beachcombe; I'm in the vein tonight—"

"Unlucky in love, lucky at cards," sneered Beachcombe, "I see the widow has filted you."

has filted you."
"That's a lie and you know it!"
cried Sir Geoffrey. Both the men

started to their feet and stood glaring at each other across the table. Most of the other games were suspended, and a breathless hush fell upon the assembly that intended for an insult?

said Beachcombe thickly. A laugh or two expressed the opinion of the on-lookers as to the propriety of such a question.

"You can take it any way you please," retorted Sir Geoffrey. "What I have said I am ready to repeat, if you require it, and uphold in any way-A gray-haired man in general's uni-

form came forward and laid a hand

form came forward and laid a hand on the arm of each. "Gentlemen," he said, "the duchess will be much offended, if this should go further under her roof, on such an occasion as this. If you wish to continue this discussion, my quarters, near by, are at your disposal after the ball. Until then, pray let us avoid any unpleasantness." any unpleasantness.

any unpleasantness."

Beachcombe turned on his heel and walked off to the other end of the room. Sir Geoffrey accepted the old general's invitation, and pocketing his winnings, repaired to the ballroom, his temper and spirits vastly improved.

There he had the good fortune to find Prue in a gracious mood, and willing to make up for her previous neglect by dancing with him and allowing him to linger at her side until the ball came to an end. Then he had the felicity of shawling her and handing her into her carriage, where she bade him good morrow and permitted him to press a kiss upon Robin's pearl-embroidered gloves.

CHAPTER XVII.

LADY BARBARA'S NEWS.

The sun was flushing the horizon when Prue and Peggle left off comparing notes about the ball and laid their weary heads on their respective pilows. Peggie, light of heart and easy of conscience, was very soon asleep, but Prue was less fortunate. The more tightly she cleared her eves the more tightly she cleared her eves the more out Frue was less fortunate. The more tightly she closed her eyes, the more distinctly she saw everything that had happened to her since yester morning's sun had looked coldly upon her grief and remorse. Could it be only yesterady that she had been awakened by the hideous thought that her husband was avaisable his correct ways the sale. was explaining his crimes upon the gal-lows? Only yesterday that she had bemoaned herself as the wickedest and bemoaned herself as the wickedest and cought to be pale and languishing, inhim dead; yet was ready to reproach him with perfidy when she saw him alive? Oh! it was impossible that only yesterday morning she had scorned herself for the folly that bound her to a malefactor. Why, last night she had treated him as an equal, had taken his work as a gentleman, had felt and acknowledged anxlety for his safety, and had permitted him to kiss her hands; not out of pity as when she married him, but just as if he had been of the same sho had waylaid her on Bleakmoor; the same who had lain in Newgate prison, a felon condain more daily yeu stayed in the north, wives could let their husbands run alone, even if they had been of the same who had lain in Newgate prison, a felon condain in Newgate prison, a felon condain in the days when Prue's mother had to be a valuable to a v

SYNOPSIS.

In the time of Queen Anne, Lady PrueJence Brook, widowed at 16 and still a
widow at two and twenty, while journeyng in a coach to London with her cousin
Peggy, is accosted by a highwayman who
lowever, takes nothing from her except a
tiss.

The shame to her! As to him,
his part in that ignoble contract was
blameless and even generous. With
which thought last in her mind, she
fell asleep.

When she opened her eyes, Peggie
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fell asleep.

When she opened her eyes, Peggie stood at her bedside, smiling over an armful of roses.

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"Guess what little bird sent these to you," she said.

Prue started up eagerly. "Is he here?" Peggie shook her head. "What, did he go away without seeing me?" cried Prue, her face falling and her lip drooping like a grieved child.
"No, he sent them by his lackey. You had better make haste to be up and

dressed, in case he comes thanked." Prue jumped out of bed and began dressing in a great hurry.

"How comes he with a lackey, forsooth!" she said presently, feigning to cavil so that Peggie would go on talking.

"Why, does not Sir Geoffrey always send his lackey with flowers for you-and grandmother?" laughed Peggie. "Sir Geoffrey!" cried Prue, starting

"Sir Geoffrey!" cried Prue, starting away from "roses as though she had suddenly encountered their thorns.
"Of course; who did you think had sent them?" inquired Peggie, blandly.
"Why—I thought—you said—" Oh!
Peggle, what did you mean by a little bird?" pouted Prue.

"Ha! ha!" Peggie screamed with laughter. "So the only bird yon can think of now is a Robin! Why, Prue, you foolish coz, what is the use of setting your heart on him? You know

you cannot have him." "And suppose I cannot; is not that

"And suppose I cannot; is not that enough to make any woman set her heart on a man?" cried Prue, "Take those nasty things out of the room, Peggy; the smell of them makes me quite sick."

Peggie started to go, sniffing them voluptuously. "Poor Robin," she murmured; "'tis well he cannot see how his roses are treated. Nasty things, indeed! I never knew the smell of roses to make you sick before."

Prue flew after her. "Margaret!" she exclaimed, with flashing eyes. "How dare you torment me like this? Tell me, this instant, who sent those flowers to me?"

ers to me?

ers to me?"

"Why, didn't I tell you they came from Robin?" asked Pergie, regarding her with suileless surprise,

"Give them to me this instant! Oh. Peggie, Peggie, you know you tried to make me think Sir Geoffrey sent them—"

I only said he always sent flowers

"I only said he always sent flowers by his lackey," Peggie interposed.
"Was there nothing with them? Not a letter, not a message?" Prue went on "Oh. Peggie, just a word—?"
"Not a word. But the day is not over yet, and mayhap Captain Scatterbrain will bring his own message. He is mad enough for anything. Now don't keep smelling those 'nasty things'—you know the snyell of roses makes you sick today—and make haste downstairs. Grandmother is feeling almost well today and will take her chocolate in the drawing room. She wishes you to join her anon, so that she can hear from your own lips all about your triumphs last night."

When Prue came down presently, she

when Prue came down presently, she wore a great cluster of red roses at her breast, and one or two nestled in the rich braids of her hair. It was a pity Robin could not see how well they became her, but they were not altogether wasted, as Sir Geoffrey, coming in a short time later, made them the occasion of some charming compliments.

Old Lady Drumloch, with no sign of

weakness about her except her deli-cate waxen pallor, reclined on a couch enveloped in her cashmeres, sipping chocolate and listening with great com-placency to her granddaughter's ac-count of the masquerade. She greeted Sir Geoffrey without enthusiasm, ac-cepted his congratulations upon her re-covery with resignation and remorse-lessly turned him over to Peggie for entertainment, while she kept Prue in close attendance upon herself. Other guests dropping in, Prue was kept so busy dispensing chocolate and sweetmeats that she hardly noticed the portentious gravity with which Sir men | weakness about her except her deli-

portentious gravity with which Sir Geoffrey drew Peggie apart and en-gaged her in a low voiced conversation, which at first amused, then surprised,

gaged her in a low voiced conversation, which at first amused, then surprised, and finally caused her to exhibit unmistakeable signs of uneasiness. Her efforts catch to Prue's eye being abortive, she was on her way across the room, when the door was thrown open, and with a great rustling of silks and clattering of fans, three ladies were announced. "Lady Limerick, Miss Warburton and Lady Barbara Sweeting."

Of the new-comers, the latter deserves a word of introduction, for Lady Barbara had been the sharer, and many thought, the instigator of half the frolics of Prue's lively widowhood. They were fast friends, and if the fading charms of Lady Barbara suffered by contrast with Prue's fresh loveliness, those who desired the friendship of either were usually wise enough to treat both with impartial gallantry.

A great favorite of Queen Anne and also a dangerous rival of Sarah Churchill, Lady Barbara owed her popularity chiefly to her skill in collecting and disseminating scandal. She knew everything long before any one else suspected it. Projected marriages, family jars, political intrigues supplied her with an ever-fresh stock of amusing anecdote. Mischievous but rarely malicious, she often pricked but seldom stabbed, and was as ready to turn the laugh against herself as to make fun out of her most cherished enemy.

"Dear Lady Drumloch, what a de-

enemy,
"Dear Lady Drumloch, what a delightful surprise, and how charming you look!" she cried, taking the old lady's delicate hand in hers and pressing upon it as reverential a kiss as though it had been Queen Anne's own chubby fingers. "You don't know how enchanted we are to have you arrest." enchanted we are to have you among us again! We have missed you so. Prue, you wicked witch, how dare you look so lovely? After last night you ought to be pale and languishing, instead of looking so shamelessly unconcerned and lighthearted." Prue, without knowing why he will be seen to have the second to the s

not emerged from the nursery and Prue's self was an unpropounded prob-lem of the distant future.

Not at all disturbed by the amuse-ment of her audience, Lady Barbara raised her quizzing-glass and ran her bright, sharp glance round the room.
"What! Sir Geoffrey Beaudesert!
how come you here? Why are you
not flying for safety to your Yorkshire castle? Or perhaps your parliamentary immunities extend to the

mentary immunities extend to the slaughter of the innocents as well as the spoiling of the Egyptians!"

Sir Geoffrey, very red in the face, came forward, bowing low. "Dear Lady Barbara, as you are strong, be merciful," he murmured imploringly. She gave him a look very unlike her ordinary merry defiance. "Merciful to you, who have no mercy even for the nursing mother and the suckling to you, who have no mercy even the nursing mother and the suckling the nursing mother and the suckling babe? Never! Lady Beachcombe is one of my ninety-and-nine dearest friends. I have just come from her. There was a sight to wring the heart of a monster! the weeping mother in one room and the wounded husband and father."

and father-"
"Oh, tush!" interrupted Sir Geoffrey,

"Oh, tush!" interrupted Sir Geoffrey, recovering his aplomb. "Twas the merest scratch. A strip torn from my lady's kerchief would have bound it up and left something to spare—"
"Don't quarrel, you two," interposed Prue's sweet, cooing voice. "Bab, come and sit beside granny and I'll give you a cup of chocolate, while you tell her the latest news."
"The latest news! There is so much, that the difficulty is to know where

give you a cup of chocolate, while you tell her the latest news."

"The latest news." There is so much, that the difficulty is to know where to begin. I went, this morning, to visit my interesting friend, Lady Beachcombe, and according to promise, to give her full description of the ball, including."—here she shook her finger at Prue—"all the doings and misdoings of her lord. I was prepared to be cautious with the dear creature, but instead of finding myself welcomed as a bearer of news, I heard so much that my poor head fairly swims with trying to remember it all."

"Begin with the least exciting and work up by easy stages to a climax." suggested Peggie, edging toward her cousin and trying to attract her attention. to be

No, begin with the most thrilling

"No, begin with the most thrilling while our nerves are strong enough to bear it." Prue proposed eagerly.
"First, then." Lady Barbara began, highly enjoying her anticipated triumph, "there was a robbery at Marlborough house last night; and sure no common thief would venture to steal her majesty's diamond necklace from the royal tiring-room."

The general chorus of incredulity and indignation realized her expectations and she looked around with a mysterious smile. "No common thief, indeed; but Robin Freemantle, the highwayman, is out of jail, and 'tis said—indeed my authority can not be questioned—that he was among the maskers."

Prue felt cold shivers trickling down her spine, but the consciousness that Sir Geoffrey was watching her, gave her strength to fix a smile upon her face and pour out the cup of chocolate with a steady hand.

"Why do they think he had anything to do with this?" some one inquired "Tell he everything aviolate.

thing to do with this?" some one in-quired. "Tell us everything quickly, Barbara, before we die of curiosity." "Why, now we come to the best story of all," cried the fair news-monger. "On his way to the ball, Lord Beachcombe was waylaid by Robin Freemantle and a band of ruf-flans, who carried him off—carriage, servants and all complete—to a secret cavern and left him there for sev-eral hours, having robbed him of his mask and domino and borrowed his

mask and domino and borrowed his invitation and his carriage!"
"The devil!" ejaculated Sir Geoffrey, suddenly very much enlightened.
"Fle, Sir Geoffrey; you should leave such remarks to our poor friend Beach-combe, when he discovered, this morning, the purpose for which his disguise had been taken."
"But he was there; I spoke with him," said Prue, feeling the color ebb from

"But he was there; I spoke with him," said Prue, feeling the color ebb from her cheeks and surreptitiously trying to pinch some of it back.

"Did I see you supping with him?" retorted Lady Barbara archly. "I refrained from dwelling upon this subject to my poor friend, Lady Beachcombe, but I saw what I saw! Before midnight his property was restored and he was set free. He hastened to the ball, and doubtless he would have done much better to go straight home, eh, Sir Geoffrey?"

"He seemed in a bad humor," said Prue reflectively, "but not more so than usual."

usual."
"He might-well be in a bad humor It appears that he was instrumental in getting Robin Freemantle pardoned when he was in Newgate, condemned to be hanged."

when he was in Newgate, condemned to be hanged."

"That is strange!" Peggie exclaimed.

"Tis the first time I ever heard tell of a charitable act of his!"

"Twill be the last, no doubt; the man is an ingrate. His first use of his liberty was to steal his benefactor's mask and domino, and under cover of them to rob the queen's majesty. Oh! 'tis outrageous!" Lady Barbara ran on volubly. "But he will be punished; and speedily." She became mysterious. "His retreat is known. When Beachcombe questioned his servants Beachcombe questioned his servants and added his own suspicion to theirs, he came upon important clues, and when I left he was going to place them in the hands of the authorities,

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from whom this miscreant will cer-tainly not be rescued a second time-

WALKED FROM CAPE TO CAIRO Record Feat Is Accomplished By An Englishman.

From the London Standard.

From the London Standard.

Emil Lund, a Rhodesian settler 36 years old, has just completed a walk from Capetown to Calro, not on a wager, or without money, or to test a system of diet or training, but simply from love of adventure. He has been a soldier and scout since he was 17 years old, serving in the Uganda rebellion and the South African war.

He started from Capetown and walked through the Cape Province and the Transvaal to Rhodesia. Thence he continued through the Congo State, the Sudan and the Nubian desert to Egypt, a distance of nearly 5,000 miles as the crow files. "My wish," he said, in telling the story of his walk, "was simply to be the first man to accomplish the feat. I am proudest of having walked across the Nubian desert. That was the hardest tramp of all."

Money Is Not Prosperity. By William Bourke Cockr

Nothong is more common than the mis-

******* DO YOUR LEVEL BEST.

********* By E. E. Lewis, Sioux City, Ia.

PRINCIPLES OF GENERAL AVER-AGE.

We may not be able to attain per-fection in this world, but unless we set before ourselves a high ideal, we will

never make much progress.

The fashion of measuring ourselves The fashion of measuring ourselves by ourselves and comparing ourselves among ourselves, which was in vogue when Paul wrote his letters to the Cor-inthians is still followed. We can never rise above our ideals and while these are modeled upon human characters we shall never arrive at perfect manhood—never reach "unto the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ."

Our food, our clothes, our style of living, our business, our benevolence are far too much shaped by comparing and averaging our own lives with those of other reasons.

and averaging our own lives with those of other people.

"I do not belong to the church, but I pay my debts, which is more than many of your church members do."

"I know I put only a quarter into the missionary collection, but Deacon Jones, who is rich, did no better."

"I suppose I might call upon that poor family and help them; but why doesn't Mrs. Searls, who has more time and money?" This "measuring ourselves by ourselves" crops out everywhere.

where. A farmer—a good, fair average Christian man, had a hired hand to whom he often talked of Christian life, recognizing his own shortcomings but consoling himself with the thought that

consoling himself with the thought that he compared favorably upon the whole with the rest of the people in the church and that in the great day of reckoning he would be found to average up very well with his fellow Christians.

The hired man listened to all this, but said nothing. One day the farmer sent him to build a fence about a pasture lot some distance from the house. At the end of a week the man reported the fence finished. "Is it good and strong and will it turn the cattle all right?" asked his employer. "It is a good average fence," replied the man, "better than many we see. It might not be able in every part to turn the cattle, but in some places I know it could turn a whole drove of them. In some places it may be a little weak, but in others it is doubly strong, and while possibly a little bit low here and there, other places are so high that no animal can jump over. Taking it right through other places are so high that no animal can jump over. Taking it right through it will average up as a more than or-

dinarily good fence. "But, man alive," said his employer,
"a fence that will not turn the cattle
and keep them from jumping over everywhere, is good for nothing any-

"I guess that's about right," said the I guess that's about right, said the hired man, "but I had heerd you saying so much about averaging up things with the Lord, that I thought perhaps it would be well to try your principles of general average with the fence."

THE BALM OF KINDLY EXPRESSED APPRECIATION.

No man is independent of the opinion ntertained of him by his fellowmen. hink of the United States senators, ailread magnates, life insurance presirailroad magnates, life insurance presidents and millionaires now skulking about, fearful of having even their matters mentioned. We all need the sympathy of our kind, and we can all do much in the way of enabling and ancouraring others to put forth the lest there is in them. We feel kindly toward people in general and especially toward people in general and especially toward people in general and especially toward people in general and woo and so and so, but we do not say it and say it heartly. Many a man and woman at whose functured we really mourn, whose coffin we over with flowers and over whose actions we prove the flowers and over whose actions we could have been helped, encouraged and spurred on to better and algher efforts, and had longer and certainly sweeter lives.

when the talm of the kindly ex-ressel appreciation of others, not e essarily of a multitude, but of a few those favorable estimation we prize. Yen Johnson wanted to be thought fell of by Boswell, insignificant as the fitter was, and Carlyle felt burt be-

atter was, and Carlyle felt hurt be-tuse Jeffrey did not seem to value him didnly, though he considered himself micesurably Jeffrey's superior. Jenny Lind, when the world was at er feet, said to a friend: "Mary, meet he in the side room after the concert s over and put your arms around me and tell me that I did well."

Ezekiel Wabster fairly worshiped his brother Daniel, and Daniel thought more of his brother's good opinion than he was willing to admit. Ezekiel died he was willing to admit. Ezewie the before the great expounder of the constitution delivered his immortal "Reply to Hayne." but when the huzzahs of a nation sounded in his ears. Daniel Waherer's exclamation was: "Oh, that Zeke were here!

Zeke were here!"

A merchant stood one evening in his store door on Lake street, Chicago, when a young man passed on the way to the lake. Noticing a peculiarly haggard and desperate appearance in the young man's face, our friend concluded after a minute's reflection to follow him, overtaking him just as he was about to jump from one of the wharfs into the water.

"My brother, what are you doing?" "My brother, what are you doing?"
Turing at the word "brother," the other asked: "Who calls me-brother?"
The spell was broken and the life

saved. It was the same old story—without work, without money, friend-less, forlorn—"Anywhere, anywhere out of the world!" Our storekeeper obtained a situation for him and kept track of him for a while, but finally lost sight of him. Twelve years afterwards he received a letter from a Des Moines lawyer enclosing another letter which he had been instructed to forward to our friend in Chicago upon the death of its writer, and stating that the writer of the letter had died a few days before. The young man's departure was accounted for. He had gone to lowa, and expecting to die without a family of his own, had willed a quarter section of Marion county land to the man who saved him from suicide. Our storekeeper obtained a situation

Unselfish Mother.

From the Denver News "Suppose that your mother baked an apple pie and there were seven of you—the parents, and five children. What part of the ple would you get for your

portion?"

"A sixth, ma'am," the boy answered.

"But there are seven of you," said
the teacher. "Don't you know anything
about fractions?"

"Yes, ma'am," said the boy, "I
know all about fractions, but I know
all about mother, too. Mother'd say
she didn't want no pie."

To Speeze or Not to Speeze. Sneeze on Monday, sneeze for danger; Sneeze on Tuesday, kiss a stranger; Sneeze of Wednesday, have a letter; Sneeze on Thursday, something better; Sneeze on Friday, expect sorrow; Sneeze on Saturday, gay tomorrow; Sneeze on Sunday, on Monday borrow; Sneeze on Sunday morning, fasting, Your love will love you everlasting.

Philadelphia Presbyterian clergymen say they don't want Billy Sunday to start in that city one of his "revival" campaigns. They object to his math-