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"Now tell me," said the officer, "if there were to be war—which God forbid—between Russia and England, what part would you and your people take? Whom would you side with?"

"Do you wish me to tell you what would please you or to tell you the real truth?" was the naive reply.

"I adjure you to tell me what is the 'white word.'"

"Then," said the old graybeard, "we would just sit up here on our mountain tops watching you both fight, until we saw one or the other defeated. Then we would come down and loot the vanquished till the last man! God is great! What a time that would be for us!"

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**Had an Object Lesson.**

The happy mother of a seven-months-old-baby, whose chief business seems to be making a noise in the world, was paying her sister a visit, and the other evening young Master Harry, aged seven years, was delegated to care for the baby while his elders were at dinner. So he wheeled it back and forth, the length of the library, giving vent to his sentiments by singing, much to the amusement of the family:

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**Her Observation.**

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**DOOM FAMOUS DANCE HALL.**

Beloved Bal Bullier in Paris is to be Replaced by a Modern Building.

Paris.—There is mourning in the Latin quarter, for the beloved Bal Bullier will soon cease to exist.

One by one the old landmarks of this famous quarter, the home of the students and the intellectual center of Paris, are disappearing. Old resorts are being obliterated to make room for the pretentious upstart, modern buildings that are now so apparent in this section of Paris, so dear to the



the Bal Bullier.

hearts of the artists for generations past. Old mansions with quaint and charming facades, old houses which are surrounded by happy memories of once noted men, fragments of history all are quietly vanishing from sight under the stern hand of progress.

The Bullier was above all others the ball of the students.

Through its vast doors passed many generations. Grave and dignified doctors, famous lawyers, celebrated artists and inspired poets did not disdain to give themselves to the joyous entertainments of this dancing hall during their student days in Paris. The erratic and fastidious Whistler, Bougereau, Constant, Thackeray and endless numbers of men whose works are living monuments, have all participated in the gayeties that occurred weekly at this brilliant dancing hall, where the little grisettes, the pretty, saucy models and the dainty little sewing girls created an atmosphere of light-hearted beauty and effervescent youth—the period where dull care has no foothold.

The Bal Bullier has outlived the famous little restaurant, the "Hole in the Wall," where these famous men, then unknown students, gathered for their evening repast. Then there was the other cafe on the Boulevard St. Michel—the "Boul' Mich," in student parlance, that stuffy little place where Verlaine, the Bohemian poet, drank absinthe sitting at a table surrounded by boon companions and composing his masterpieces.

The Bal Bullier was first called "Le Prado," and later "La Closerie des Lilas," and under these names is often spoken of in the romances of the 1850-60 period. It has outlived its rival establishments, such as the famous Valentino and Mabelle. The invasion of English and American families in this sacred domain of the "Four Arts" scattered the Bohemian students. The long-haired, careless fellows, so numerous a few years ago, are now seldom seen. The picturesque is vanishing. The charm is giving way to commonplace, everyday life.

**LAST OF WAR GOVERNORS**

William Sprague of Rhode Island is Sole Survivor of State Executives of '60s.

Providence, R. I.—William Sprague of Rhode Island, by the death of ex-Gov. Frederick Holbrook of Vermont, has become the only survivor of the state governors upon whom fell the brunt of preparation for the civil war.

Ex-Gov. Sprague was 79 years old September 12. Elected governor early



Mr. Sprague.

In 1860, he answered President Lincoln's first call for troops with a regiment of 1,500 men and a battery, which were equipped at an outlay of \$100,000 by the firm of A. W. Sprague & Co. He himself rode to the front at the head of the outfit at the first battle of Bull Run.

The ex-governor married Miss Kate Chase, daughter of Lincoln's secretary of state, in November, 1863, but was subsequently divorced and remarried in 1873 his firm failed for \$17,000,000 with liabilities of \$9,000,000.

**GREAT LOVE STORIES OF HISTORY**  
By ALBERT PAYSON TERHUNE  
**Henry V and Catherine of France**

A reckless, daredevil boy chanced to meet—and to fall in love with—a half-starved, ill-dressed girl about five hundred years ago. Because the boy happened to be a prince and the girl a princess that same love affair led to a series of terrible wars and to the conquering and final losing of a great nation. The boy was "Mad Prince Hal," son of King Henry IV. of England. The girl was Princess Catherine, daughter of insane King Charles of France. Unlike most royal marriages, theirs was a genuine love match. Nor did "the course of true love" run smooth.

"Mad Prince Hal's" wild pranks had led the English to tremble for their kingdom's welfare in the event of his coming to the throne. Yet when, in 1413, he succeeded his father as king, he sobered down as by magic and proved himself a wise, able ruler. Almost his first act after becoming King Henry V. was to ask the hand of Princess Catherine in marriage. He had seen but little of the princess; yet he had learned to love her, and he proposed for her at once to share his crown. But by his counselors' advice

he also asked that he receive the provinces in France that had in bygone years been captured by England and that were now French territory once more. The French government angrily refused to grant these terms. Not at all discouraged, Henry resolved to win the princess and the provinces as well. So, declaring he had a hereditary right to the French throne, he declared war on France, and in 1415 invaded that country.

He could not have chosen a better time for his attack. The king of France was insane (playing cards are said to have been invented to amuse this crazy monarch), and the kingdom was rent by two warring factions. Princess Catherine had been sadly neglected and had had a wretched childhood. Her father being insane, the care of the girl had been left to her mother, an idle, wicked woman, who did not give Catherine enough food nor clothing. Ragged, hungry, ill-treated, the poor child was an object of pity until her father, in a lucid interval, removed her from her mother's

**Henry VIII and Anne Boleyn**

A girl who was so beautiful that people overlooked the deformity of her having two thumbs on each hand changed the religion and history of England by means of a silly flirtation. The girl with the double set of thumbs was Anne Boleyn, daughter of a sixteenth century politician. The man with whom she undertook to flirt was his (more or less) gracious majesty King Henry VIII. of England.

Henry was great-grandson of Owen Tudor. He found England a third-rate European power. By his personal genius and statecraft he made it one of the foremost nations of the earth. As a mere boy he had been married, for reasons of state, to his elder brother's widow, Catherine of Aragon. She was many years older than he, and was an invalid and of a melancholy, pious nature. Henry was athletic, jolly and not much given to piety. There was nothing about such a woman as Catherine to interest him. Moreover, they had no living children except one sickly daughter, Mary. And Henry longed for a son to carry on his fame. Yet he would probably have remained true to Catherine to the end of her days if he had not chanced to meet Anne Boleyn.

Anne was one of a wily, "Maid of Honor," Catherine's maids of honor. She managed to attract Henry's attention and started a violent flirtation with him. That she at first dared expect the affair to go further is doubtful. But Henry, who hitherto had paid little heed to such temptations, fell violently in love with her. She had the beauty, youth and gaiety his wife lacked. Anne quite easily won him from the poor, gentle old queen. The latter had no charms wherewith to combat the younger woman's art.

As soon as she saw Henry was seriously interested in her Anne set all her wits to work to make herself queen. The upshot of the matter was that Henry decided to get rid of Catherine of Aragon. But this was not easily done. The Catholic church did not recognize divorce. Moreover, Catherine's nephew, Charles V. of Germany, was too powerful a sovereign for the pope to offend. Henry solved the problem by wrenching England away from its Catholic allegiance and proclaiming himself the head of the English church. In this new capacity he arranged that the marriage with his brother's widow be pronounced null and void. Then, freed from Catherine, he at once married Anne. The wedding occurred early in 1533. Anne, who had earlier received from the king the title of countess of Pembroke, was solemnly crowned queen of England.

Her ambition was at last gratified. She had turned Henry's heart from his faithful old wife and had raised herself to the highest position in the land. Incidentally, she had changed

charge and sent her to a convent to be educated.

It was largely on account of this 19-year-old girl that France, in 1415, was invaded by an English army. Henry swept all before him. The French opposed him at Agincourt and are said to have outnumbered his army by ten to one. Yet he won a great victory, crushing the national pride of France. A second invasion ended even more triumphantly. The French, utterly overwhelmed, begged for peace. The terms Henry granted were unheard of in their exorbitance. First and foremost he demanded the hand of Catherine. Then he compelled his beaten foes to agree that he should succeed crazy King Charles at the latter's death as ruler of France. In the meantime he was to govern the realm as regent.

He married Catherine and took her back to England with him in triumph. Her fatherland's fall was the price of her hand. And her husband had brought about that fall. She and Henry were married, and early in 1421 she was crowned queen of England. The next December the couple's

A Queen's only son (known as the "Princes in the Tower") was born. Few children have started life with such prospects. For he was heir to the combined thrones of France and England. A few months later Henry V. and Catherine went again to France. There, when only 35 years old, Henry died. Catherine brought her little son back to England. There, on crazy King Charles' death, the boy was crowned, while still in his cradle, king of England and of France. But he lacked his father's genius and inherited some of his grandfather's, old King Charles', insanity. As a result, he was destined to lose both kingdoms and to die in prison.

Catherine, though she had apparently returned her husband's adoring love, was quickly consoled for his death. She secretly married a Welshman, Owen Tudor. The anger of the court over this marriage caused her to pine away and die at the age of 36. She and Owen Tudor had two sons. The elder of these (the earl of Richmond) became later the father of Henry VII., who founded the Tudor line of kings in England.

England's creed, and in so doing started an almost endless chain of religious persecution, murders, executions, etc. Not that this troubled her at all. For three years she and Henry governed England together. They had one daughter, Elizabeth, who was destined one day to become her country's greatest queen. Anne herself showed little gift for ruling.

At the end of three years Henry's fickle fancy wandered from Anne to one of her young maids of honor, Jane Seymour. Here retribution set in. Anne was made to pay bitterly for her past misdeeds. As she, while maid of honor, had stolen Henry's love from his first wife, so now the younger, prettier Jane Seymour won Henry from Anne, and by much the same methods. Henry, infatuated with Jane, discovered he was heartily tired of Anne. Those double thumbs at last began to outweigh her good looks. He sought some plausible way to get rid of her. Courtiers helped him out by trumping up accusations against Anne. Among other crimes she was accused of treason. There is no reason for believing her guilty on any of the

charges. But she was condemned to death. Plucky to the last, she wrote mockingly to the king, thanking him for all he had done for her, and ending with the words:

"You made me a marchioness, then a queen. And as you can raise me no higher in the world, you are now sending me to be a saint in heaven."

Whether or not she was accurate in this prophecy as to her destination, she was beheaded on May 19, 1536. Henry took great credit to himself for mercifully allowing her to be thus executed, instead of burning her at the stake. The next day he married Jane Seymour.

Jane did not live long to enjoy her triumph. After she died Henry married in quick succession three more wives. His good luck, his health, his personality—some think even his sanity as well—had deserted him from the day he cast aside Catherine of Aragon to marry Anne Boleyn.

**Dr. Hale Abolished the Calendar.**

I doubt if he ever became quite conscious that he was an old man. What Lowell wrote of Emerson was emphatically true of Edward Everett Hale: "He has that privilege of soul which abolishes the calendar and presents him to us always the unwaged contemporary of his own prime."

In 1906, when he was over 84 years old, I said to him: "How is your eyesight?"

"Good," he replied; "I read as often without my glasses as with them."—William M. McElroy in Woman's Home Companion.

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