

Bright Lad.

Ten years of age, but who declines to give his name to the public, makes this authorized, confidential statement to us:

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"When I was one year old, my mamma died of consumption. The doctor said that I, too, would soon die, and all our neighbors thought that even if I did not die, I would never be able to walk, because I was so weak and puny. A gathering formed and broke under my arm. I hurt my finger and it gathered and threw out pieces of bone. If I hurt myself so as to break the skin, it was sure to become a running sore. I had to take lots of medicine, but nothing has done me so much good as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It has made me well and strong."—

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Bits of Gotham Gossip Picked Up In Sacred Precincts and Whispered Outside.

I am requested to DENY in capital letters that any matrimonial engagement exists between Miss Odette Tyler and Mr. Howard Gould, and to assert that the \$9,000 ruby is a token of friend-

Howard Gould is engaged, but only in building a 20 rater to take abroad to try to retrieve the evil fortunes of Vigilant.

Mrs. Bradley-Martin's return home will be awaited with all the more impatience since it is known that she has bought the diamond crown of the unfortunate Marie Antoinette.

This is no evidence that Mrs. Bradley-Martin has lost her head, because the tiara industry had really become too common.

Almost every other woman in a grand tier box at the opera house has been wearing a tiara boom-de-ay, as these costly headpieces are irreverently called.

A crowned head will be a novelty. It is not often that we associate feats of strength with noblemen of continen-

tal Europe except in regard to their tenacity in holding on to American heir-Yet it seems that we have been onter-

taining a veritable Samson in the person of the very agreeable but by no means muscular looking Count Hadik, who spent the summer in Newport and is going to spend the winter in New York.

At an exhibition given at one of the clubs the other day he astonished the company by snapping chains as neatly as one breaks off an engagement these days, by "putting up" 150 pound dumbbells and by tearing in two three packs of cards held together.

I have seen some very peculiar tricks with cards performed by foreign noblemen, but never one that excelled this.

As Count Hadik is also said to be one of the best pistol shots in Europe, there seems to be every prospect that he will complete his American tour unmolested and unharmed.—Cholly Knickerbocker in New York Recorder.

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