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POETIC FOLKS CORNER.

OUR DAILY RECKONING.

If you sit down at set of sun
And count the acts that you have done,
And counting, find,
One self-denying act, one word
That eased the heart of him who heard;
One glance most kind,
That fell like sunshine where it went,
Then you may count *that* day well spent.

But, if through all the livelong day
You've cheered no heart by yea or nay;
If, through it all,
You've nothing done, that you can trace,
That brought the sunshine to one face;
No act most small,
That helped some soul, and nothing cost,
Then count *that* day as worse than lost!

The Victory.

One day Robert's uncle gave him a penny. His mother asked him what use he would make of this penny. "Why, I want sugar candy very badly," he said, and he put on his cap and ran off in great haste. His mother was sitting at the window, and saw him running along, but he stopped. She thought he had dropped his penny, but he started off again and soon reached the door of a grocer's shop. Then he stood there awhile with his hand on the latch and his eye on the sugar candy. His mother was wondering what he was waiting for, but she was more surprised still to see him come off the step and run home again without going in.

In a minute he rushed into the parlor with a bright glow on his cheek and a brighter glance in his eye, and exclaimed:

"Mother, the heathen have beat! the heathen have beat!"

"What do you mean, Robert?"

"Why, mother, as I went along I kept hearing the heathen say, 'Give us your penny to help to send us good missionaries. We want Bibles and tracts. Help us.'"

Don't Loaf in the Streets.

Men are known by the company they keep. Boys should remember this one fact, that you cannot associate with bad boys without being considered in the same class. Be careful to choose for companions none but those who do not use profane and vulgar language, and you will not regret it in after life. Another thing—keep off the streets. If you have business to see too, transact it at once and go home. There are more boys who are ruined running the streets at night than in any other way.

Five-Year-Old Sayings.

The family were telling riddles one evening, and the five-year-old told this:

"Four little hopper-toads set on a tree
Two hopped off and then there were three."

Nobody could guess it. "Well," she replied, "one of them hopped right back again."

"Who told you that riddle?" asked mamma.

Nobody, replied the little one. "I thunk it up myself."

Try the Velvet.

A churlish man once gave a surly answer to a question, and a neighbor came smiling by, having heard the rough speech.

"Aye, lad," said he, "a man's tongue is like a cat's, either a piece of velvet or a sheet of sand paper, just as he chooses to make it, and you always seem to be using the sand paper. Try the velvet, man! try the velvet."

The Electrical Girl Who Lives Again.

(London (Can.) Advertiser.)

It is now about three years since the ADVERTISER published the story of the Electrical Girl in the township of Romney. The tale passed through nearly all of our exchanges, and occasionally re appears now. The story in brief was that the girl was so highly charged with electricity that she could not handle any article of steel. She was a veritable magnet, and needles, knives, etc, would cling to any part of her person. The publication excited a good deal of curiosity concerning the girl, and many people called upon her at her home. Recently she was taken ill, and the local physicians were called in. She described her peculiar sensations. In her knee joints severe pains were felt shooting at intervals, as though a battery were at work and giving her intermittent shocks. The knee began to swell, and the pains spread to other parts of her body, generally becoming permanent in the joints. All the doctors could do was of very little avail. Occasionally slight relief would be obtained, but in wet or murky weather the pains would redouble in violence. Finally when the doctors had given up treating her, and regarded her simply as a physiological wonder, a tramp called one day at the house. While he was being given a meal, he was told about and asked permission to see the girl. He had been a soldier in the Crimean army, and while working in the trenches around St. Petersburg he contracted rheumatism in its most severe form, and noticing that the girl's symptoms agreed with his, he pronounced her to be suffering from rheumatism. The parents of the girl were overjoyed, but were again cast down as they recalled the fact that the doctors had said they could do nothing for her. "Why," said the tramp, "do you want to bother the doctors about rheumatism? Get a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil. It cured me, and will cure any case. I know plenty of old soldiers who have been cured of chronic rheumatism by the use of St. Jacobs Oil." The advice was taken, and the so-called Electrical Girl is to-day prepared to add her testimony to the thousands of others who bear witness to the efficacy of the Great German Remedy.

To the Editor of London (Can.) Advertiser.

DEAR SIR:—As you have given me a good deal of notoriety by writing of me as the Electrical Girl, I thought I would write to tell you of my condition. * * * (Here follows the recital which is summarized above.) My parents obtained a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, and to its effects I owe the fact that I am now able to walk without pain, and the swellings in the joints have all disappeared.

Yours very truly,
SUSAN J. HOFFMAN.

MRS. W. J. LANG, Bethany, Ont., writes:—"I was one of the greatest sufferers for about fifteen months with a disease of my ear similar to ulcers, causing entire deafness. I tried everything that could be done through medical skill, but without relief. As a last resource, I tried Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, and in ten minutes found relief. I continued using it, and in a short time my ear was cured and hearing completely restored. I have used this wonderful healer successfully in cases of inflammation of the lungs, sore throat, coughs and colds, cuts and bruises, &c., in fact it is our family medicine."

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