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YOUNG FOLKS CORNER.

GRANTED WISHES.

"If this girls let loose from school
Or rest what each would be"
Said — "I'd be a queen and rule,"
Said one "The world I'd see."

And years went on. Again they met
And queried what had been;
"A poor man's wife am I, and yet,"
Said one, "I am a queen."

"My realm a happy household is,
My king a husband true;
I rule by loving services;
How has it been with you?"

One answered: "Still the great world lies
Beyond me as it lay;
O'er love's and duty's boundaries
My feet have never strayed."

"Faint murmurs of the wide world come
Unheeded to my ear;
My widowed mother's sick bed-room
Sufficeth for my sphere."

"They clasped each other's hands; with tears
Of solemn joy they cried;
God gave the wish of our young years,
And we are satisfied."

A Lesson in Spelling.

The following short sentence was dictated by the late Lord Palmerston to eleven British cabinet ministers, no one of whom it is said, spelled it correctly:

"It is disagreeable to witness the embarrassment of a harassed peddler gauging the symmetry of a peeled potato."

And Lord R. Cecil, in the House of Commons some time ago, quoted the following lines which he said were given as a dictation exercise by an assistant commissioner to the children of a school in Ipswich:

"While hewing yew, Hugh lost his ewe,
And put it in the *Hue* and *Cry*.
To name its face's dusky hues,
Was all the effort he could use,
Hugh brought the ewe back by-and-by
And only begged the hewer's ewer,
His hands to wash in water pure,
Less nice nosed ladies, not a few,
Should cry on coming near you, 'Ugh!'"

In regard to the last nine lines, the following is true:—A young man who had been working as a hired hand, on a farm, for some years, and had very little opportunity of getting an education, supposed himself called to the ministry, and applied for admission to a certain college. The person to whom he applied for a recommendation, being in doubt of his fitness for college, as a test in spelling, got him to write from dictation the above lines which were new to him. Every word was spelled correctly. We may add, that young man speedily graduated with honors, from one of our universities. He has secured three literary degrees and is now a pastor in a large city of the United States. Spelling is not a bad test of a boy's aptitude for learning.

Johnny's Reason.

A circus came to town, and every body knows how the music and the grand tent and horses set off the boy's eyes. Quarters and shillings are in great demand; and many a choice bit of money have the circus riders carried away which was meant for better purposes.

A little boy was seen looking around the premises with a great deal of curiosity. "Hallo, Johnny," said a man who knew him, "going to the circus?"

"No, sir," answered Johnny, "father don't like 'em."

"Oh, well, I'll give you money to go, Johnny," said the man.

"Father don't approve of them," answered Johnny.

"Well go in for once and I'll pay for you."

"No, sir," said Johnny, my father would give me the money if he thought twere best; besides, I've got twenty-five cents in my strong box, twice enough to go."

"I'd go, Johnny, for once; its wonderful the way the horses do," said the man. "Your father needn't know it."

"I can't," said the boy.

"Now why?" asked the man.

"Cause," said Johnny, twirling his bare toes in the sand, "after I've been I couldn't look my father right in the eye, but I can now."

Tidy and Neat.

As a general rule for living neatly and saving time, it is better to keep clean than make clean. If you are careful not to drop crumbs of bread and cake on the carpet, and take similar precautions, you will escape an untidy room and the trouble of cleaning it. In working, if you make a practice of putting all the ends of your thread into a division of your work-box made for the purpose, and never let one fall on the floor, the room will look very differently at the end of a morning from what it does when not attended to. A house is kept far cleaner when the members of the family are taught to wipe their feet thoroughly on coming from out of doors, than it can be if this is neglected. There are ways of keeping clean and saving labor and time which it is well worth while to practise.

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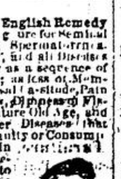

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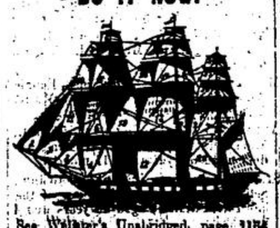

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