Poetru.

There surely must be something wrong.

But I. a worried little boy.

Can get no rest to-night.

I cannot sleep-the night is long:

My downy bed, for which I feel

So thankful every night.

is hard, and restlessly I turn,

And wish for morning light,

I have not sung my good-night song.

The silver moon looks down on the

Whose light I love so well,

But when I look at her I feel

She's something sad to tell.

It seems my comforts all are gone;

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Arthe kind old housekeeper looked into

the room her face took on an auxious ex-

pression as she saw the bowed young head

and heard the smothered sobs of the mis

tress of whom she was so queditishly found.

"We'll soon be without a home, Mrs.

Willard! The money that pape left me is

"Well, Miss Agnes, you have you

A crimson flush chased away the girl's

"Husb, Mrs. Willard, don't speak of him

"Bad luck to him! and he engaged to

"No, Mrs. Willard, he's only fickle and

with the pretty young thing he has mar-

ried, and they have made a runaway

match. I am glad be found out the nature

of his liking for me before instead of after

our union had taken place. He had a

consinty fondness for me. That was all."

Agnes spoke with a quiet dignity which

"Well, come and have your lunch now

I broiled a bit of chicken for you and I hope

advertisement, and learn what kind of

liveried footman ran up the steps and gave

a tremendous peal at the bell, glaucing at

A servant came to the door. Agues gave

im her card, and he moved noiselessly

"Please, Miss, walk into the library."

A gentleman was seated at the table

writing. He turned his head as Agnes en-

tered, and looked at her carelessly at first;

and bright, and their expression was one of

"Are you the lady who answered my ad

"Yes, sir," said Agnes, timidly, feeling

Agnes tried to make her voice steady as

"I pever had any trouble with our own

my opinions upon you. But why, may

of employment? Would not the occupa-

tion of a teacher be more suited to the sta-

"It was a sudden impulse which led me

to answer your notice. Poor papa less been

It was invested in a Fire Insurance Com-

pany, which has failed. I must carn my

"And so you pluckily seized the first

chance that seemed to present itself. Good!

I like your spirit. The taking of such s

trying and responsible place as that of the

lirecting spirit of my household machinery

would not be feasible; but I have an in-

valid annt who is about to part with her

making a favorable impression upon the

living some way."

tion to which you evidently belong?"

she answered, but, in spite of her efforts, it

to me again; he is married. The news

Courin Ernest to look to. He will take

all lost. That letter is to tell me."

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it will taste good. Sitting here and fret-STOCK-TAKING ting won't mend things a bit."

her plate, and then left her alone. Agnes sipped the coffee and tasted the chicken. Then she glanced over the col umns of the newspaper. **Boots and Shoes** 

An advertisement attracted her attention "WANTED-A housekeeper. She must have decided to give 109 e active and good-tempered, as well as

duties are required."

the name of the street.

Agnes cariously as he did so.

way, returning soon to say:

unmistakable surprise.

vertisement?" he asked.

ent for the position.

your youth is against you."

for the "I will have to earn my living now," -NEXT THIRTY DAYSthought Agnes, with a sigh, "and I kept house for pape; so why can't I for some one else! At any rate, I will answer this

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to her, and see how the plan is likely to

SOMETHING WRONG. I know my pillow's light and soft take the place the following week. And smoothed with care aright;

care-taker that at first it put all other love. thoughts out of her mind. Then she awoke Nor said my prayers-for something's wrong to the knowledge that she must leave the hospitable home that had sheltered her. When she broached the matter to Mr.

Durant, however, he would not listen to i

and, to her great surprise, supplemented And something whispers I am wrong. his refusal by an offer of marriage. "I never thought to put trust in woman "Ah! little boy!" ('tis conscieuce speaks) "The lie you told to-day. again," he said; "but I have learned to Still unrepented, brings curest... like to see you about this lonesome old And drives your sleep away. house. You are still on the sunny side of fall now on bended knee, be strong. life, and I am forty. But I will try to And tell your Sariour you are wrong." .-Child's Paper. make you happy. Do not answer me now.

> Surprised and bewildered at the sudden proposition, Agues withdrew from Mr. Darant's presence. "Was there such a thing as true fove in

my reply to morrow at this time."

the world!" she questioned herself; "that ie, tu & meu's heart!" Her own sad experience taught her to an "Conie, Miss Agnes, or your lonch'il be

> She did not love Mr. Durant, but she was conscious of a feeling of respect and of admiration for lam. He had not professed to love her. It would be a purely friendly union, and was it not the truest kind of marriage, after all?

"What is it honey! did the letter bring Thus the ressored down her conscienbad news? . Tell me all about it, and may tions scruples, and at last made up her be the telling of your trouble'll make I mind to tell Mr. Durant that if he would take her for his wife knowing that her Agnes raised her head and looked at Mrs. heart had once received a blow which had Willard in a dated sort of way for an ingiven love its death wound, and to accept stant. Then with an effort she controlled riendthip and respect in-tead, she would Hamilton, will receive by return mail full par-ticulars, certificate of membership, etc. Testibe to him a true and faithful companion her mind of the sad truth which pressed so throughout life's journey.

Mr. Durant was pleased with ber candor and after a brief delay they were married. The young wife proved like a ray of sunshine in the grand old house. Every room showed tokens of the change that had been inaugurated with its new mistress; and best of all, Agues learned to love her husband; got with the romantic devotion which had characterized the first love, that had ended so dieastroasly, but with calm, enduing affection, which was far

better calculated to make its object happy One morning, while looking over some old-fashioned daguerrectypes packed away n the drawer of an old cabinet, Agnes came upon an exquisitely painted minis ture of a young girl. The artist had depicted the sweet face with a smile curving the delicate lips, dimpling the pink cheeks, and laughing roguishly out of the eyes, as

bice as the far-blossom. Agree hastened with her new-found treasure to the library-her husband's favorite heunt.

She held the picture toward him. "See what I have found! What a shame for such a beautiful face to be hidden away in a place which is so seldom visited."

She succeeded in coaxing Agues into the Mr. Durant glanced up with a pre-occudining-room, and poured her a cup of fragpied look, but as his eyes rested upon the rant Mocha, laid the morning paper beside picture, with a sudden darkening of his usually calm face, and with a lowering brow, he caught it from Agnes and threw t across the room. Then, seeing by his wite's pallor that he had startled her, he calmed himself by a supreme effort, and

"It is through your ignorance of my past, Agres, that you have given me such a competent to direct the domestics under her particular charge. Address E., Box wound. That picture represents my daughter, Grace. Her very existence cost the life of her fair young mother; and when at last forgave her that debt, and gave her your love and sympathy. Do not dissi

The following day brought a reply from Agnes stood for an instant in mute surwriter's house, and giving its number and prise, lodging, but not daring to plead for forgiveness for the discarded child of whose After a long walk she reached the place. existence she had now heard for the first It was an imposing-looking mansion. A time.

carriage was drawn up before it, and a It seemed so cruel for her to be eujoying the beautiful home of her noble-hearted husband, while his daughter was an exile But Agues had the rare gift of patience So she said nothing, until she could see th

way clear not to injure the cause of the absent one. But from the time when her husband first disclosed to her the carefully guarded secret at his heart, she determine to eventually effect a reconciliation. By inquiries she learned the whole b

then cariously. His eyes were very dark ter truth. Grace Durant had fallen in love with the son of Mr. Darant's bitter enemy, and hopeless of gaining her father's cousen to their marrisge, had yielded to the en treaties of her young lover and had made for the first time that she had done a very a clandestine match with him. He ha foolish thing in imagining herself competlived but a few years, and then had left his darling to battle with the world, and to tr "I was struck with the business-like conand wrest a living from it for herself an ciseness of your note, Miss Belfout, and

hoped to find myself spited in obtaining a Surely Agnes had something to work of substitute for the faithful person who is on. Who could resist the thrught of leaving me. But," with a half smile, "I little grandson. hope you will pardon me for saying that

She put berself at once in communic tion with her step-daughter, and succeeded a obtaining the child's picture. 'Arain she went to her husband with likeness; but this time of a dimpled, dar

servants, sir, and so I thought I might He received it from her carelessly; loc manage other people's; but I see my mised at it at first in a listless way, the roused into sudden intentress: "I must again ask pardon for intruding "Who is this, Agnes!" The young wife trembled; but she ask, have you selected this particular line

wered bravely: "It is your grandson, and name-chile His father is dead, and his mother, your you love me, forgive and forget the past! gone from me a whole year, and now I have Take your dear ones into your heart and just heard that all the money be left is lost.

> his dark eyes. Then he said slowly : will cost you -that is, if I secode to your | ought to tell you, so you'll know and then | quarrel, and fight and scratch, Now I'll | time !

request? Agues, think well of what you you wen't take wine. I wish some one had begin. These stones are mine!" are doing. My will is made, and it is in | told poor cousin Phil." the position any longer. If you succeed in est beseeching gesture.

will be a much caster employment than | face when I first saw you. Be it as you say. | erings as this. that of housekeeping. I will conduct you I have enough for all."

Thus Agnes made peace between the young lady who had filled his plate for him, father and daughter, and when the sweet | "you didn't know-'course you didn't, or Agnes's modest face at once attracted gift of a young soul clad in mortal guise you wouldn't have wine on your pretty the invalid's fancy, and she was engaged to: came to her own arms a few months later, table-that it's wrong to give it to folks; he was received with a joy which was not | but if you'll go to the baud of hope they'll She fulfilled her duties satisfactorily, and dimmed by the feeling that her own little tell you all about it." after a few months she became fondly at- son was an Interloper-taking the inheri- "Oh, Johnoy !" Miss May pht her arm tarbed to the feeble old lady, and found all tance from the rightful heir; and the bless- around the little speaker, and there were

real pleasure in trying to make her life as | ing which is promised to all "peacemakers" | tears in her eyes. "I did know, but I happy as it could be, while enduring soil descended upon the happy home, making | didn't think about it as I ought. I'm glad much pain. Her death came suddenly, it like a foretaste of heaven to live within | you came, for I shall never do it again." and was such a shock to the kind young its boundaries. For all was harmony and Johnny sat down and finished his lunch A RED RIBBON BOY.

morning greeting to his grandfather. "Happy New Year, my boy. How much bigger have you grown since last New Year's | Christ, though he can't lead a prayermeeting or be a church officer or a preach-"I don't know yet. I haven't measured Think of what I have said, and give me

"Happy New Year! Happy New Year!

The first sun of the year did not shine

brighter than Johnnie's eyes, nor was the

pink it had painted on the sky any deeper

than the glow Jack Frost had brought to

his cheeks, and he took a brisk walk to give

but there's a mark on a door at home, and for a boy. He need not cease to be a boy I'll see as soon se I get back." "And how much better have you because he is a Christian. He ought to

"Somebody has it marked, Johnny. You will have to meet the record some day. It's horror of intoxicating drinks. He ought . The price of longevity would redeem a bad thing to be growing older and bigger without growing wiser and better, isn't it?" He ought to take the part of small boys it can be prolonged and should be, with day, and try how much better I can grow conrege fighting. He ought to refese to be right time. ceit. And, above all things, he ought now

that marked anywhere, you know !"

and then to show his colors. He need not dear boy, to ask for help where help is found always be suferrupting a game to say that What is this bit of ribbon !" he is a Christiad, but he ought not be "That? Why, grandfather, that is my sahamed to say that he refuses to do sometemperance badge, I'm a red ribbon boy

"If you live you mean. And don't forget

thing because it is wrong and wicked, or Don't you know that?" because he fears God or is a Christiau. 'And what are red ribbon boys good He ought to take no part in the ridicule of sacred things, but meet the ridicule of "Why, sir, they're an army to figh

against old King Alcohol." Johnny doub led up his fists and walked up and down the room with big steps. "You'd hear about it at the band of hope, if you go there. They're going to fight all their lives against wine, and beer, and whiskey. And some of us take the tobacco pledge too. We're never going to put the nasty stuff in our mouths a long as we live."

"Don't forget it, Johnny. It's a long fight you have before you, but you will win one day, though your grandfather will not live to see it, and the victory will be as is a regular keeper. glorious as the world will ever see. Stand by your colors wherever you go.

John went out and walked home with single night near his dooreten, measured Disease. hiz eyes and ears full of pleasant sights and sounds. Bells were jingling and sleigh runners crunching 'over the crisp snow, while horses pracoed gayly, and faces filled with the merriment of the New | when a baby has been made into a coffin Year beamed on every side.

"Come here, Johnny. Come and take a knocking a little way off. ride," some one shouted to him. A big sleigh load of young men was passing, terial for dental plates. It is light, has among whom was one whom he had often | neither odor nor taste, is not affected by seen at his father's house. The sleigh food or the secretions of the mouth and made a dash towards him, and he was costs about one sixth as much as silver. seized and swung in among them almost before he knew it, and then flying like the wind through the sharp sir.

"We're making calls, Johnny, and we on mad-berry. I didn't shoot him," so want a nice young fellow like you along, said our little stable-boy, John Henry. for we're a jolly set, you see!" Johnny We examined the beautiful blue jay." thought it very nice indeed, and was well It was lying in the boy's hand, with a pleased when they soon drove up before a sort of contented dolce far niente expression flight of marble steps, at seeing that the on its face. Its sancy eyes were elated and house was one where he had often been [carless. Its head wagged ridicalously in

And it was still nicer to go into the hall | North American drunk, nothing less. . The where one might almost think he had hap- I bird was intoxicated on the berries of the pened into fairyland itself. Brightly bloom- | Pride of China, known throughout the ing flowers and evergreens were on every | South as the poison or mad-berry. side, brilliant in the gaslight which shut out the sober color of the morning. And Northern robins, that would blush to do it then under silken curtains they walked in . at home, are found lying about in the state beart, the descried me for a stranger, and to a room more beautiful still in Johnny's of grossest drunkenness from the same again I was left desolate. She proved an eyes. For there was a table shining with cause. We woodered if some blue ribbon ingrate. Never mention her to me again, glass and china and silver, made prettier society might not be profitably started She wrote a note and sent it to the given Agnes. I have learned to depend upon by the dainty things they held. Johnny's among these poor birds. But they do not eyes took in admirably the great fruit in know any better. stands in the centre of the table, with its beautiful arragement of color, while the know the mad-berry when we see it. It frosted cakes and the sandwitches made to our disgrace if we do bot letet alone.

> him realize how very soon after breakfast a boy's appetite can revive on a winter's morning. "Happy New Year; Happy New Year!" There was a wonderful amount of cherry greeting and merry clatter. The pretty young lady of the house and two or three friends with her, seemed glad to see them all, Johnny, too, who was soon settled on a

sofa with a plate liberally filled with the good things from the table. But just as he was holding up a cluster of grapes, something else caught his eye, and he set it down without tasting. He looked again and then put his plate of good. ies on the sofa and walked into the gay

"Mr .--- , well, I don't know what your name is-but did you ever know my cousin,

Phil. Murry?" His clear childish voice cut through the ham of conversation, and every one was listening when he stopped. But no one answered his question. He had spoken name which for months had been unheard among those who knew it well. or spoken only as we speak in hushed tones the name of one who is dead -or far worse.

"Did you?" he repeated. "Did you

know my cousin, Phil. Morray !" "Yes, I did, my little fellow." "I thought perhaps you didn't. Any way, I don't think you' know something know about him. Mother cries about him yet. He drank some whisky, and it made him angry and cross-pot a bit like himself -and then he began to quarrel with another young man. They said he didn't know what he wardoing, but he took a pistol and shot. And they thought the young man

wasn't hurt very bad, but he died-yes he did sir! And then they put my cousin Phil. only daughter, is supporting herself by in prison, and when they let hin out after about it?" giving music lessons. Ob, my husband, uf | a great while, 'cause they said he didn's mean to, he came to our house just once, ber one; "two-legged people fall out, why and his face was white and his eyes looked | should not we?" strange, and we don't know where he is. | So they tried all sorts of ways but it Mr. Durant looked at the fair young My mother says" (he spoke slowly, accent- could not be done, because each one would my friend. " Tell them to get you somepleader coriously. A suspicion moisture ing with the little forefinger) "that my give away. At last number one fetched thing." dimmed for an instant the brightness of cousin Phil. began drinking wine and then two stones. got to drinking. Just that you have in that . "There," said he, "you say they're pleted, and dropped saleep upon their "Do you know what your intercession little glass. I'm a red ribbon boy, so I yours and I'll say they're mine, and we will mate. East stapified with sleep all the

There was a tremor in his voice. No | welcome to them." "Burn it ! destroy it ! it is ubjust. Here one interrupted him as he thus uncovered | "But we shall never quarret at this rate !" mpanion-a lady who has come into a is your rightful heir," and Agues pointed the picture of a family sorrow, as only a cried the other, jumping and licking his nothing about. small property lately, and so does not need to the blooming childish face with an earn- child could have done, but the glasses were face. quietly set down. Every she remembered "You old simpleton, don't you know "You are a good little thing. Agues. I | well the bright young fellow who, only a takes two to make a quarrel?" old lady, who is rather set in her way, it am not deceived in you. I read it m your year before, had been the life of such gath. So they gave it up as a bad job, au

never tried to play this silly game again .-" Miss May," Johnny turned to the Selected.

PRICE THREE CENTS

LIFES TALE MERRILY TOLD A little girl. A social whirl. And she's a woman.

A man will bring A dainty ring: Their troth is plighter A mamma's tear. A tronsseau deer. Papa's delighted.

with great satisfaction, after which he took

" I'm glad I told them." he said to him:

self as he breathed the sweet breath of the

outside air, and felt the the sunlight pleas-

ant to his eyes after the glare of the gas,

touch it again."- New York Observer.

" cause now they'll know and they'll never

A BOY'S RELIGION:

If a boy is a lover of the Lord Jeeus

party to mischief, to persecution to de-

others with a bold statement that for the

things of God he feels the deepest reverence.

only about 5,000 are hatched naturally.

twenty-four juches in circumference and

cessfully batched.

weighed 14 pounds.

By the artifical method, 98,000 are suc-

his leave.

A little while.

A glance, a smile-

How very human.

A little fat, A turn at that, Courtship extended A little whirl. A little girl-

The story's ended. THE VALUE OF LONGEVITY. .

Dr. Falt L. Cawald, if writing of the value of longevity, says: "Can there be a doubt that Burns and ... Keats foresaw the issue of thein strugele against bigotry, or that Corvantes, in the

gloom of his misery could read the signs of

er, be can be a godly boy, in a boy's place. the sawn presaging a sunburst of postbu-He ought not to be too solemn or too quiet | mous fame ? "Spinoza and Schillor died at the threehold of their goal : Pascal, Harvey, Macauran, jamp, play, climb, and yell like a real ley. Buckle and Bichat left their inimitable "Oh, I can't iell that. L haven't got boy. But in it all he ought to be free from | works half fluished; Raphael, Mozart and vulgarity and profanity. He ought to es- Byron died at the verge of a summit which chew tobacco in every from, and have a perhaps no other foot shall ever approach. to be peaceable, gentle merciful, generous. the mortgage of our earthly paradise"-and

"Yes, sir, I'm going to begin this very sgainst large ones. He ought to dis- care and the use of proper medicine at the Owing to the stress, the worry, and the annovance of every day life, there is no doubt but that tees of thousands of men and women yearly fill premature graves. Especially after middle life should a careful watch be kept over one sphyrical conditom. . The symptoms of kidney disease, sach as becoming easily tired, headache, neuralgia, feeble heart action, fickle appetite, a splendid feeling one day and an allcope one the next, persistent cough, trouble in arinating, etc., should be diligently look-

> cured tens of thousands of such troubles A single shad produces 100,000 eggs, and | and will care yours. Experiencing no Dain in the region of the kidneys is no evidence that they are not diseased, as those Beat popilying organs Of the \$43 swant on the Thames 178 be- have very few nerges of sensation, and long to the Crown, 94 to the Vitner's Com. oftentimes the kideson are positively rot pany and 71 to the Dyers' Company. There | ting and being pasted away through the grine before the victim is sware that he is A mushroom described by a physician of anffering from advanced kidney discusp. Portland, Ore., as baving sprung up in a | which is only another name for Bright's

> > SURPRISING DRUMMERS.

that contribute much to his success. 'He

has none of the outward signs of his cleri-

cal calling, but looks more like a business

man. He travels nearly all the time, and

he says that in the cars be generally passes

number of the boys will be there."

ed into and at once stopped through a faith

fal use of Warner's Safe Cure, which has .

The cherry-wood cradle in which Mrs. The Rev. A E. Dunning, D. D., the Ruth Hull of Willingford, Ct., was rocked manager of the Congregationalist publishing house and Sabbath school work, and one of for that good lady, who at 74 hears Death the busiest men in Boston; is an off band, approachable man, with a bright winning face casy manner, and personal magnetism Alaminam is coming into use as a ma-

BLUE JAYON A SPREE as a drummer and is resognized by the fraternity as one of their domber. On going " Naw, sir, I ran him down. He's drunk to Minneapolis one Saturday evening, a

smart young fellow approached him in free and easy way. " Going to stop over Sanday ? " Yes." replied the doctor. "Stop at the Blank hotel, I suppose !" "No. I am going to stop with a friend." "Come round to the hotel to-morrow the effort to hold it up. It was a common afternoon and we'll have a racket. Quite a

"But to-morrow is Bauday!" "I know it, and that's why we have such In Florida thousands of respectable a good time. "O. I think that we fellows who are travelling all the time ought to keep Sunday," said the doctor.' "Yes," assented the drummer, goodnatoredly : " but I'll be: you won't!"

"I'll tell you what I'll do; I'll go to " I'll do it ! Where shall we go." We have this advantage over them, we "To the First Congregational. It's the

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WHAT A BOY SHOULD LEARN.

To run.

To swim.

To carve.

To be nest.

To be honest.

l'o make a fire.

To cu: kindlings.

To be punctual.

To do an errand.

To sing if he can.

To hang up his hat.

To hold his head erect.

To button his mother's boots.

To help his mother or sister.

To read aloud whom requested.

To wipe his boots on the mat.

there is a sick person in the house.

hold it for half an hour.

wish be was their brother.

To respect his teacher.

the politest for language:

"Let's quarrel."

To help the boy smaller than himself.

To sperk pleasantly to an old woman.

To remove his hat on entering anybody's

To put every garment in its proper place.

To close the door quietly, especially if

To lift the baby out of the cradie, and

To treat the girls so well that they wil

THE POOLISH FRIENDS.

In the depth of the forest there lived two

oxes who had never had a cross word with

each other. One of them said one day, in

"Oh! it cannot be difficult;" said num:

"Very well," answered the other you are

To sew on a button.

est charell in town." "All right. I'll be there, but I'll bet you The drammer was there according to his .. promise, and could hardly believe his eyes

when he haw his friend of the night before

ascend to the pulpit. Dr. Dunning tried to

find him after the service, but he had fied -Lexiston Journal.

- SOUND SLEEPERS. Mr. Boyle says that it is one of the smusements of West Africa Toshow strangers how a Fautee boy can step. A friend of his wishing to arouse some servants and send them to close the shatters and lock the doors, said to him, "I'll show you

something which you wouldn't believe ou

hearsay." Thereon he grasped a boy by the heels, dragged him a yard or so, turned him over, and roughly lifted him to a sitting posture; the vonth sat up, rabbed his eyes, scratched his head, and went to sleep again as he lay. To keep his finger mails from wearing | To another he did the same, with a like re-

Having thus got the two alongside, fast asleep, he dragged one on top the other, and left them a moment; they slumbered placidly in that position. He than ran's. muck at them, being in slippers, and upset the pair and ordered them aloud to close the shutters. They both got up, eyes wide open, and apparently conscious; one walked gravely down-stairs, the other retired, with all semblance of reason, to the pantry

The one who went down came up again in two minutes, still with his eyes 'wide open, and leisurely lay down to sleep again ; the other we found fast encozing in the "Very well," said the other; "as you pantry on a stool. We took them up, and please, dear friend. But how shall we set shook them tiolently; they rubbed them selves, and went to sleep again.

> without a word, they silently set about their work, fastening shutters and doors. "Do you think they are awake !" asked They quietly went back, their work com

Dragging them into the dining-room,

A man of honor respects his word as he

Do not meddle with business you know Help others when you can, but never, give what you cannot afford because it is

Learn to say No. No necessity for shap-

fashionables ping it out dog fashion, but say it firmly . and respectfully.

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