

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1891.

## The Young Folks.

**WHAT I WOULD DO.**

If I were a rose,  
On the garden wall,  
I'd look so fair,  
And grow so tall;  
I'd never let a wretched wife,  
Or the devils have the pebbles.  
That's what I'd do,  
If I were you.  
O little bird,  
With nest in a tree,  
I would sing a song,  
So glad and free!  
I'd sing in gilded cages near  
World's ends, and never cease to hear  
That's what I'd do,  
If I were you.  
O gay, wild bird!  
Fair little maid,  
If I were you,  
I'd always try  
To be good, and  
To be the merriest, sweetest child  
That's what I'd do  
If I were you.  
Dear little maid!

## IN PRAISE OF THE SMITHS.

An orator, named Smith, thus addressed his audience in praise of his colleague.—"Gentlemen, my name is Smith, and I am proud to say that I am not ashamed of it. It may be that no person in this crowd owns this very uncommon name. However, there is one such, let him hold his head, pull up his dickey, turn out his toes, take courage, and think his stars that there are a few more of the same sort."

"Smith is an aristocratic name, and stands very high in the annals of fame; the White, Brown, and Jones increase as they will. Believe me, that Smith will outshew them all."

"Gentlemen I am proud of being an original Smith—not a Smithie, nor a Smyth, but a regular, natural Smithie, Smith. Putting a 'y' in the middle or an 'e' to the end won't do gentlemen. Who has heard of a great man of the name of Smyth or Smithie? who answers 'Who?' and everybody says nobody. But as for Smith, plain Smithie, Smith, why the pillars of fame are covered with that name."

"Who were the most ready and witty and the most popular authors of this century? Hume and Albert Smith. Who the most original, witty and humorous preacher? The Rev. Dr. Smith. And who, I ask, and I ask the question most seriously and soberly—who, I say, is that man and what is his name, who had fought the most battles, made the most speeches, preached the most sermons, held the most offices, sang the most songs, written the most poems, created the most girls, charmed the most wives?" History says, I say, you say, and everybody says, John Smith."

## GOOD ADVICE TO GIRLS.

Scarcely a day passes without its newspaper of some young woman who met a man so interesting that she thought she couldn't live without him, so she married him in haste and afterward learned that he was an ex-convict or a brute or already had a wife or two from whom he had separated without the formality of a legal divorce. In such cases the blame is laid upon the man, who generally deserves more abuse than he gets. But, girls, look at the matter seriously a few minutes and see if the trouble might not have been avoided if you had not been in too much of a hurry.

Marriage means partnership for life; degrees of divorce are merely exceptions that prove the rule. Would any man enter into a business partnership with as little knowledge of the other party as you seem satisfied with? Well, no—not unless he were a sweet-souled lunatic. Tales of cheap girls; it can be made to order as fast as the tongue can run, especially when there is a pretty face to inspire it and two ears willing to receive it.

Don't fear that some other girl will get the fellow unless you secure him at once. A fact that anyone can catch isn't worth throwing a lie for. Play him and find out whether he amounts anything. If he becomes impatient and dashes away, why, follow. Doubtless—thank God that you're rid of a knave.

## SAGE SAYINGS.

I find the doing of the will of God leaves no time for disputing about his place.

Everybody has been wrong in his tastes except good women, who never despair of an ideal right.

When men grow virtuous in their old age they are speedily making a sacrifice to God of the Devil's leavings.

A wise physician once said that the opinion that a good woman should stay closely at home had killed more women than any other cause.

Equal pay for equal labor, equal hours, equal conditions all round for both sexes, would be the surest fruit of their equality before the law and at the polls.

Intellectual activity is for women, as for men, the keenest of life-long pleasure possible and a safeguard against a multitude of evils.

Particular power, The rose, among the sweetest and most beautiful of God's creations, is armed with thorns; nature's sharp bayonet for wounding off attack. Particular is the defense of beauty; modesty is the safeguard of innocence. "Keep thyself pure." The severe charity which repels familiarity is an absolute essential for the safety of the soul, a general attractiveness for its beauty.

Victor et Vicit.

"In our family faithful work has been done by Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry as a sure and quick cure for diarrhea, dysentery and all summer complaints. I can recommend it to all as a family friend, always true and faithful!"—Mrs. W. Bishop Vixian, Out.

The bad debtor is generally a man of equitable note."

## THE SURPRISE WAY.

YOU want your Cottons, Linens, Flannels always sweet, clean, shiny white?

YOU want "the wash," done the easiest, the cleanest, the quickest, the cheapest way?

SURPRISE Soap, "the Surprise way," whitening, bleaching, sealing, gives these results.

READ the directions on the wrapper.

## NOTES HERE AND THERE.

Items of General Interest to Free Press Readers.

## The Dignity of Farming.

I put the man who is forgetful of his duty from a worthy farmer. What though the idle and the vain do not honor and respect him; better by far is his own self-respect and the approbation of his own conscience sustained by the approval of his Creator, and by the most important benefactor of human race, pity the young woman who is ashamed of the labors of the grandfather, who was a honest cultivator of the earth, and the more so when I find, instead of those of an independent young farmer, the professed ambitions of the gay city swell, who if he spoke that his means of support are doubtful and precarious. The orthodoxy of these narrow fellowship is not to be tested by birth or fortune, but by inherent ability and moral character.

If you want to be a happy Christian be a useful one.

Mr. John McCarthy, Toronto, writes:

"I can unhesitatingly say that Northern & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery is the best medicine in the world. It cured me of rheumatism that troubled me for over thirty years. During that time I tried a great many different medicines, but this wonderful medicine was the only one that took hold and rooted out the disease."

It is not lost by doing wrong, but by being wrong.

Beautiful Miss N. Y.

I was induced to use Burdock Bitters for constipation and general debility and found it a complete cure, which I take pleasure in recommending to all who may be thus afflicted." James M. Carson, Baillif, N. Y. T.

A little girl says: "I don't like medicine. The whiskers off this cat smell of bacon."

"Well, this is sell on me," said the converted despondently as the warden turned the key in his door.

One reason why some people are not wicked as others is because they haven't got a chance.

Mrs. Brown—What color are your little boy's eyes?" Mrs. Robinson-Black, generally a terrible fighter.

Nature Has Provided

A remedy for every aches and pains, and sciences through countless activity and experiment is constantly wresting the secrets of her domain. A new and wonderful discovery has recently been made by means of which tens of thousands will be freed from pain. Nervilis, or nerve pain care, represents in very concentrated form the most pain-relieving substance known to medical science, and strange to say, it is composed of substances solely vegetable in origin. Polon. Nervilis is the most prompt, certain, and pleasant pain remedy in the world. Try Nervilis for toothache, neuralgia, cramps, &c., always safe and efficient.

Gay circles naturally indulge in rounds of pleasure.

Mr. Jacob D. Miller, Newark, writes:

"I was troubled with inflammation of the Eyes so that during nearly the whole of the summer of 1882 I could not work. I took several bottles of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and it gives me great pleasure to inform you that it cured me of my affliction. It is an excellent medicine for Costiveness."

The raw oyster is a fine study in open work.

Kelaria:

Literally means dead air. Poisonous germs arising from low, marshy land, or from decaying vegetable matter, are breathed into the lungs, taken up by the blood, and unless the vital fluid is purified by the use of a good medicine like Hood's Saraparilla, the unfortunate victim is soon overpowerered. Even in the most advanced cases, where the terrible fever prevails, this successful medicine has effected remarkable cures. Those who are exposed to malaria or other poisons should keep the blood pure by taking Hood's Saraparilla.

Profession is not pollution.

Two is a Family:

Single instances of a cure are plentiful, but when they come in pairs they begin to show the universal good. Mr. Julian Sharpe, 179 Berling St., Chicago, Ill., U. S. A., January, 1890, says: "My wife and father-in-law suffered for years with neuralgia, but they were entirely cured by St. Jacob's Oil." Families should not be without it.

Trials do not waken us. They only show that we are weak.

Mrs. Geo. Brundie.

Mrs. Geo. Brundie, of Galt, Ont., writes:

"I can recommend Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for it is a sure cure for all summer complaints. We are never without it in the house." Fowler's Wild Strawberry. Price 35 cents.

People who never look up are not much at lifting up.

ASTHMA DR. TAFT'S ASTHMA MEDICINE.

Extract of Wild Strawberry is a sure and almost as palatable as mint.

A MARVELLOUS FLESH PRODUCER.

Those who take cold easily, and that's rheumatism give it another form and that's neuralgia." And still you'll suffer these tortures when for 25 cents you can buy a bottle of Minard's Liniment and be relieved.

Bottle of Minard's Liniment during

hours of afflictions and infections.

SCOTT & HOWKE, Galtville.

True Faith.

I have great faith in Burdock Blood Bitters as a blood purifier. I have taken three bottles for bed and blood and it is a perfect cure. It is a grand medicine and I recommend it wherever I go."—Edna Scott, Toronto, Ont.

Heaven's staire are paved with Bible promises.

The new show rooms of the McCausland Stained Glass Works, Toronto, have attracted considerable notice since being opened to the public. There are examples of ceiling and wall decorations in various materials, representing a wide range of price, while their specimens of church and house glass are very superior and interesting. The firm sends samples of wall papers and glass to any address.

Love never complains that its burden is too heavy.

CONSUMPTION CURSED.

An old physician, retired from practice having died in his house by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption. Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has told it's duty to make it known to all his suffering followers. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe in German, French or English with full directions for preparing and using. Send by mail to Address: Wild Strawberry, W. A. Norre, 820 Powers Block, Rochester, N. Y.

A root that dwells with virtues like a perennial spring: for it is pure and rapid, and refreshing, and invigorating, the serviceable and rich, and innocent and unobjectionable.

IMPERIAL CREAM TARTAR.

BAKING POWDER.

PUREST, STRONGEST, BEST.

Cornstarch, Alum, Ammonia, Lime, Phosphate, or any Infusion.

E. V. CILLETT, TORONTO, ONT.

The Young Folks.

WHAT I WOULD DO.

If I were a rose,

On the garden wall,

I'd look so fair,

And grow so tall;

With nest in a tree,

I would sing a song,

So glad and free!

In gilded cages near

World's ends, and never cease to hear

That's what I'd do,

If I were you.

O gay, wild bird!

Fair little maid,

If I were you,

I'd always try

To be good, and

Be the merriest, sweetest child

That's what I'd do

If I were you.

Dear little maid!

IN PRAISE OF THE SMITHS.

An orator, named Smith, thus addressed his audience in praise of his colleague.—"Gentlemen, my name is Smith, and I am proud to say that I am not ashamed of it. It may be that no person in this crowd owns this very uncommon name. However, there is one such, let him hold his head, pull up his dickey, turn out his toes, take courage, and think his stars that there are a few more of the same sort."

"Smith is an aristocratic name, and stands very high in the annals of fame; the White, Brown, and Jones increase as they will. Believe me, that Smith will outshew them all."

"Gentlemen I am proud of being an original Smith—not a Smithie, nor a Smyth, but a regular, natural Smithie, Smith. Putting a 'y' in the middle or an 'e' to the end won't do gentlemen. Who has heard of a great man of the name of Smyth or Smithie? who answers 'Who?' and everybody says nobody. But as for Smith, plain Smithie, Smith, why the pillars of fame are covered with that name."

"Who were the most ready and witty and the most popular authors of this century? Hume and Albert Smith. Who the most original, witty and humorous preacher? The Rev. Dr. Smith. And who, I ask, and I ask the question most seriously and soberly—who, I say, is that man and what is his name, who had fought the most battles, made the most speeches, preached the most sermons, held the most offices, sang the most songs, written the most poems, created the most girls, charmed the most wives?" History says, I say, you say, and everybody says, John Smith."

## GOOD ADVICE TO GIRLS.

Scarcely a day passes without its newspaper of some young woman who met a man so interesting that she thought she couldn't live without him, so she married him in haste and afterward learned that he was an ex-convict or a brute or already had a wife or two from whom he had separated without the formality of a legal divorce. In such cases the blame is laid upon the man, who generally deserves more abuse than he gets. But, girls, look at the matter seriously a few minutes and see if the trouble might not have been avoided if you had not been in too much of a hurry.

Marriage means partnership for life; degrees of divorce are merely exceptions that prove the rule. Would any man enter into a business partnership with as little knowledge of the other party as you seem satisfied with? Well, no—not unless he were a sweet-souled lunatic. Tales of cheap girls; it can be made to order as fast as the tongue can run, especially when there is a pretty face to inspire it and two ears willing to receive it.

Don't fear that some other girl will get the fellow unless you secure him at once. A fact that anyone can catch isn't worth throwing a lie for. say, and I ask the question most seriously and soberly—who, I say, is that man and what is his name, who had fought the most battles, made the most speeches, preached the most sermons, held the most offices, sang the most songs, written the most poems, created the most girls, charmed the most wives?" History says, I say, you say, and everybody says, John Smith."

GOOD ADVICE TO GIRLS.

Scarcely a day passes without its newspaper of some young woman who met a man so interesting that she thought she couldn't live without him, so she married him in haste and afterward learned that he was an ex-convict or a brute or already had a wife or two from whom he had separated without the formality of a legal divorce. In such cases the blame is laid upon the man, who generally deserves more abuse than he gets. But, girls, look at the matter seriously a few minutes and see if the trouble might not have been avoided if you had not been in too much of a hurry.

Marriage means partnership for life; degrees of divorce are merely exceptions that prove the rule. Would any man enter into a business partnership with as little knowledge of the other party as you seem satisfied with? Well, no—not unless he were a sweet-souled lunatic. Tales of cheap girls; it can be made to order as fast as the tongue can run, especially when there is a pretty face to inspire it and two ears willing to receive it.

Don't fear that some other girl will get the fellow unless you secure him at once. A fact that anyone can catch isn't worth throwing a lie for. Play him and find out whether he amounts anything. If he becomes impatient and dashes away, why, follow. Doubtless—thank God that you're rid of a knave.

GOOD ADVICE TO GIRLS.

Scarcely a day passes without its newspaper of some young woman who met a man so interesting that she thought she couldn't live without him, so she married him in haste and afterward learned that he was an ex-convict or a brute or already had a wife or two from whom he had separated without the formality of a legal divorce. In such cases the blame is laid upon the man