

## The Action Free Press

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### The Young Folks.

**THE SECRET OF SUCCESS.**  
One day, in his schoolroom, when little Augustus and other boys were starting with their tasks, to gather berries, Johnny was in talking with his mother, when he said, "Let me go chasing after them, mother." "I don't like it," said his mother, "but you may go, if you will be back in time to pick up your brother." "First, and your brother," said Johnny, "and then back to it!" You see, my boy, when you are going to absent yourself, let the master know, so as to be excused of better classes, but it's picking time, my son. To look fifty hours doesn't count like picking time.

And Johnny did, as he was told, and, sure enough, he found, by sticking to his books while all others chased around, instead of picking, "was as his father said." While all the others looked for work, and some ran out ahead, and others recollect this when he became a man; And first of all, he laid him out a well-dressed plan, and paid. "Nervine is the most efficacious remedy for intercostal pains. No, not so, the brilliant critics failed with all their brains and push. What's good for Johnny is by "sticking to his books."

St. Nicholas.

### AN UNFORTUNATE DECAPITATION.

They have some queer superstitions down in Maine. Deacon Hackett lost his second wife lately, a scrawny and shrivelled old woman, who had been admitted, now. Still, the deacon dutifully decided to give her a monument. Being rather "near" he haggled with the village stonecutter to the size of the slab and finally chose a very narrow one at a bargain. The inscription was as follows:

SARAH HACKETT.  
"Lord, she was thin!"

### WISE BUSINESS MAXIMS.

The following maxims are given by a periodical issued by a manufacturing firm in Toronto:

Thou shalt sell goods but six days of the week, and on the seventh thou shalt take a rest.

Thou shalt not covet thy competitor's business, for he may be nearer bankruptcy than thyself.

Thou shalt not put more sail into thy business than has wind to fill.

Thou shalt not blame thy clerk for thine own mistakes nor tax him for thine own neglect.

Thou shall not sell goods for less than cost, unless the market has gone back on thee.

Thou shalt not trust a man to whom thou wouldst not lend ten dollars.

Thou shalt not use thy business capital to speculate with nor borrow from thy friends for that purpose.

### INCONSISTENT.

A Christian Scientist in the United States says that he has received bodily damage. He has, therefore, brought an action for \$50,000 for repairs, as an Irish gentleman once expressed it. But according to his own theory, he has no body. Then, as he could not bring suit, one could sue a magnifying glass of 20,000 horse power to see. Well he has no body, really a nobody. But tell that Christian Scientist that he is nobody, and, perhaps, will you do your bodily damage.

Some boast that they are Agnostics, as they call themselves. Agnostic is Greek for "don't know." Ignoramus is Latin for "don't know." But tell an agnostic that he is no ignoramus, and his feelings will very much hurt. Strange.

Woodbridge, Ont. T. F.

### NATURAL HISTORY.

"Mrs. Bransford," said O'Flaherty, "That Spalding Pat Gallagher has lost his mind. He's not able to tell the time of day. He hasn't the intelligence of a bird."

"And are birds intelligent, Mrs. O'Flaherty?"

"Aye, sure they is, you can teach 'em any thing. My sister has was as lives in a chook, an' phis it's toime it comes out an' says cockoo as many times as 'tis toime is."

"What's wonderful," said Mrs. Branigan, holding up both hands in astonish ment.

"It is indeed," said Mrs. O'Flaherty, "an' the wonderful part is qu' it is, it's a wooden bird'd be deaf!"

### PAYING A CHURCH DEBT.

A Presbyterian Church, at a place not far from Glasgow, was in debt, and the minister's stipend was a gradually vanishing quantity. The traveller of an enterprising soap firm, hearing of the financial straits to which this particular congregation was reduced, proposed that an advertisement extolling the merits of his special make of soap should be put in some conspicuous place in front of the gallery of the church. In return for this publicity, the firm offered to give the con gregation £100 a year for five years. The proposal was graciously delayed by the elders and minister of the congregation, who finally agreed to accept the offer.

### HOW TO TELL A MAN.

"You may tell a man by his friends," says the philosopher. It seems absurd, but it is equally true, that you may tell a successful business man by his associates. A shrewdness and business-like deportment are antithetical, shabby and poor. A smart, methodical man will insist on going with the times, even in such matters as punctuality and will have everything "neat and dainty."

Old Gentlemen—You the pieces, to see—

"Mother, is that our daughter singing so badly, or is it the dog howling so sweetly?"

"What do you mean, Charles, by staying so long? When you went you said you could go over to the Browns in ten minutes at the outside, and here you have been gone over two hours." "I said I could go over their in ten minutes at the outside, and so I did. The two hours extra, you know, I spent inside."

## NOTES HERE AND THERE.

Items of General Interest to Friend Press Readers.

### Rheumatism Bites.

When there is pain and in the blood, Lumbitis and lumbago will be no torment. This can be accomplished only by exterminating this and for this purpose Hood's Saraparilla is the best medicine because Hood's Saraparilla is the only true blood purifier prominently in the public eye.

Hood's Purifies entirely, yet promptly and effectively, on the liver and bowels.

Fidelity is seven tenths of business success... Parts... Parts.

### The Eyes Not All Dead Yet.

Even a blind man can see that more clearly than daylight, or else why should so many continue to use oil, smelling, oily, and often useless preparations for the relief of pain, when a preparation just as cheap, elegant, more powerful, and penetrating as Nervine is, can be purchased from any dealer in medicines? Nervine cures instantly pain and palsies. Nervine is the most efficacious remedy for intercostal pains. Nervine applied externally subdues the most intense pain almost at once.

Don't go on the piles that every body knows you.

Catch R-heved in 10 to 60 Minutes.

One short puff of the breath through the blower, supplied with each bottle of Dr. Agnew's Cataract Powder, diffuses this powder over the surface of the nasal passages. Pains and delightful to use, it relieves instantly, and permanently cures Cataract, Hay Fever, Cold, Headache, Nose Throat, Tonititis and Diphtheria 60 cents at J. V. Kinnawin.

Hated is the madness of the heart.

Goughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Bronchitis, and all Lung Troubles are quickly cured by Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam.

"He is the blackest thing outside of the house."

Dyspepsia and Indigestion, G. W. Snow & Co., Syracuse, N. Y., writes. Please send us ten grams of this. We are selling Perfume of Perfume Pills more than any other pill we have. They have a great reputation for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaints."

SHILOH'S VITALIZER.

Mr. T. B. Hawley, Catonsville, Md., writes. Consider this for a child's cold, and you will be surprised at the rapidity with which it cures it.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY.

Have you Sore Throat and Cough? Price 50cts.

This injection is for its success treatment is

so simple and safe.

It gives complete satisfaction.

Perfume's Pills are an excellent medicine. My sister was troubled with severe headache, but those pills have cured her."

Jones said his wife "Why, sir, a bus band like that?" He expected she would have it off, and was going to tell her it was a perfume of perfume pills.

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Mr. Chas. A. Smith, Linton, writes. "Perfume's Pills are an excellent medicine. My sister was troubled with severe headache, but those pills have cured her."

A little boy went to his first party when he was four years and three months old. Upon his hostess asking him how he liked his tea, he replied, "It is very nice, but it tastes very much of the water."

Street Accident. Mr. Thomas Sabin, says: "My eleven year old boy was hit by a car, but he got away unharmed, but lay on the street half-way. We at once commenced lathering the foot with Dr. Thomas' Electro Oil, when the discoloration and swelling was removed, and in due time he could use his foot. We always keep a bottle in the house ready for any emergency."

Art Like Magic.

Dear Sirs, I can truly say that Burdock Blood Bitters sole like magic. It drove all the pimples and blotches from my face, cleansed my blood and increased my weight by simply using one bottle.

J. E. Edwards, Arnprior, Ont.

No longer talk about the kind of a man god might be but be such.

Heart Disease Relieved in 3 Minutes.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gives perfect relief in all cases of Organic or Sympathetic Heart Disease in 30 minutes, and safely effects a cure. It acts powerfully upon the system for Palpitation, Shortness of Breath, Smothering Spells, Pain in left side and all symptoms of a Diseased Heart. One dose cures. Sold by J. V. Kinnawin.

What is a little boy learning the alphabet like a postage stamp? Because he gets stuck on the letters.

Fort William, Ont.

Mr. William Day, of Fort William, that is, Two years ago my wife was very ill with dyspepsia. No remedy that she could find gave any relief. Finally she tried Burdock Blood Bitters, and after taking six bottles was entirely cured. That is more than two years ago and she has had no return of the malady. I have also had occasion to use B. B. B. and I cannot speak too highly in its favor. I always recommend it to my friends and in every case with good results.

You're very truly, Wm Day.

Don't mistake that you have had many opportunities in life.

COUNT DE TORONTO.

A Well-known Danish Noblemen Makes a Statement Which Will Prove of Great Interest and Value to Many.

Under date of September 1st, 1891, Count de Toron writes as follows from New Haven, Conn.: "I have been living now for six or seven years with never kidney and bladder trouble. I have had during all this time with physicians and different specialists, and in various hospitals I was induced to try. There was no way and never will be a universal panacea for one remedy for all fits to which I am subject, but the very nature of many cataracts here in that they were of different and differently seated diseases rooted in the system of the patient what was to be done in them would suggest the whole. We have, however, in trying time, when obtained a sound modulator, a remedy for many and grievous diseases. By its gradual action it attacks and cures many chronic diseases, and especially those which are of a constitutional character.

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