

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1896.

The Young Folks.

THE SQUIRREL UNCLE MADE ME

Uncle Silney, when he has here,  
Makes a squirrel out of me.  
When I was a squirrel, he said,  
Where was the little bird?—was cut up.

To where the tulipane come?

So when we walked back home again,  
An' me up posted off the bark, when  
Some glass was scraped, an' told 'em me.  
When he was told, he said,

An' the squirrel, he thought,

—To where he wants 'em gone?

An' old arm rapped, an' one of the ends  
He served fast into the tree, an' quizzed,

—What's he said, or when he was a child?

—For a week, he said, he was a squirrel.

He passed the squirrel, an' he just put  
A plug into the bark, an' a hole-in-the-ground.

Nest took the old draw, little as cut.

An' made a hole, 'shur enough clean sheet

But 'till where you have had to

Be wrapped in the other end, with some strong white.

—There's a sense of a old torn shirt,

An' men he showed to hold tight.

An' stuck in the water all sorts right.

An' it'll last square and square!

JAMES WHITROW, B.L.

SOME ODD MARRIAGES.

Matrimonial Marriages of Many  
Peculiar Kinds That United  
Menials to Titles.

Old Sir Henry Parkes, who, at the age of 61, has just married a twenty year old chambermaid of his house, is by no means the first titled Englishman to seek a matrimonial alliance in the servants' hall. As a rule, the bridegroom in such cases have been of less mature age than Sir Henry, who is the most distinguished of all Australian statesmen, and has repeatedly held the office of Prime Minister of New South Wales. Among the most notable cases are those of Sir David Evans, who was a widower and diamond merchant, as also Mayor of London, and whose wife was a chambermaid at the Steven's Oak Hotel in Kent, where he was in the habit of staying on his fishing excursions. Sir Henry Hawks, the eminent English judge of the Supreme Court, married his housemaid, while the second wife of the late Lord Bramwell had previously filled the office of cook in his establishment. The late East Lancashire iron master general servant never died.

Now are such marriages as these confined to the English aristocracy? The Dowager Duchess of Bedford, mother of the head of that illustrious house, has a chambermaid, while the Dowager Countess of Waldegrave, whose son, now dead, married Princess Metternich's daughter, Pasqualine, had been a chambermaid in her husband's household.

Count Eugene Kinsky married his landlady, and old Count Octave Kinsky, whose death at the age of 62 has just taken place, disgusted his relatives by weding a wholly undistinguished and exceedingly objectionable woman who had filled the position of maid-servant in his house. After marrying him, she remained herself, so abhorrent to the people of the district, as particularly the peasants, that on two occasions she was shot at. The Count himself was placed under legal restraint a couple of years ago by his relatives to prevent him from dissipating his vast estates and running his property in order to satisfy the greed of his peasant born wife.

Yet another nobleman who has married a servant is Prince Gregory Stoeckel, the Roumania general, scat and statesman. There are two instances of women occupying royal positions wedding royalty, one being the maid of honour of the late King Victor Emanuel of Italy, who was a chambermaid at an inn when she attracted his attention. The other was that of the concubine of Peter the Great, who was elevated to the dignity of Empress of Russia, and from whom is descended the present occupant of the throne.

Still more numerous are instances of women of rank seeking mates in the kitchen or stable. Princess Adolph Chirnay is married to her English butler, who repudiated in the name of Johnson before he purchased for him the Italian title of count, and the Duke of Fife's sister, Lady Ida Fife, first eloped with and then married her groom. Prince Elizabeth Hohenlohe married out her maid-servant, a commoner.

Besides these there are good many families of rank who are descended from servants. Sir Horace Hamblet, the British envoy at the Hague, and one of the most distinguished diplomats in the service of Queen Victoria, is descended from a man who worked his way up from the butlership of one of the clubs in London to the post of Governor of Madras, and it was for his services in the latter capacity that he was created a baronet, the dignity now borne by Sir Horace. Then there is the Marquise Harvey de Saint Denis, one of the leaders of Parisian society, and an intrepid member of the French Foreign Legion, the daughter of an English grocer named Ward, who, commencing as a stable boy, ended by becoming the Prime Minister of the Duke of Parma. Prince Henry of Battenberg's sister-in-law, the now widowed Princess Alexandra of Battenberg and Countess of Hartenstein, is the issue of a union between the valet and the cook of old Field Marshal Count Martini. The entire princely house of Marti is descended from King Joaquin of Naples, who began life as a stable boy, while the first Prince Kusnezoff, the founder of the powerful Russian family of that name, advanced his greatness by skill which he displayed as valet and barber to Czar Paul.

The Dukes of Marlborough are descended from a chambermaid, while the first Duchess of Marlborough lived to see a man who had been in her service blossom into a Secretary of State and a Post Master General.

Here's Economy

There is a man living near Malvern, Mass., who prides himself on his economy, and the other day, when discussing his favorite topic, he remarked that he had saved several dollars in rent.

"Well," he said, "when I came to Mass., I spent nearly four years ago, I brought my fire with me, and I have kept the same fire ever since, never allowing it to die out, and during all this time have never spent one cent for matches."

Charlatans and Quacks

Have long plied their vocation on the suffering pedestal of the people. The knife has pained the quick, caustic applications have tormented the victim of course until the conviction shaped itself—there's no cure.

Painful's Painless Corn Extract or powder on what slender basis public opinion often rests. If you suffer from course get the Extract and you will be satisfied. Bold everywhere.

### HOPE WAS ABANDONED.

THE PECCULAR CASE OF MRS. HILL OF WINCHESTER.

The Doctor Told Her That Her Trouble Was Consumption of the Liver.

Her Recovery—But Health Was Almost Miraculously Restored.

From the Morning Herald.

Mrs. Hill, wife of Mr. Hobt. Hill, of Winchester, not many months ago was looked upon as one whose days were numbered. To day she is a handsome, healthy woman showing no trace of her former desperate condition, and it is therefore little wonder that her case has created a profound sensation in the neighborhood.

To a reporter who called on her, Mrs. Hill related with willingness to give the story of her illness and recovery, for publication, and added told it with an expressiveness that conveyed to the listener better than

more words could do, her deep gratitude to the medicine which had brought about her restoration to health and strength. "I feel," she said "almost like one raised from the dead, and my case seems to me little short of miraculous." About a year ago Mrs. Hill was confined and shortly after was taken with cancer in the mouth, and suffered terribly. Although I had good medical attendance I did not succeed in getting rid of the trouble.

No woman is so pretty that she doesn't like to let it occasionally.

Dyspepsia and Indigestion. C. W. Snow

C. S., Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "Please send us ten grams of Pills. We are selling more of Palmer's Pills than any other Pill we keep. They have a great reputation for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint." Mr. Chas. A. Smith, Liver Complain.

Palmer's Pills are the best after dinner pills, assist digestion, prevent constipation, 25 cents.

The awkward man is never in a hurry.

He always wants a day of grace.

It is given to every physician, the formula of Scott's Emulsion being no secret, but no successful imitation has ever been offered to the public. Only years of experience and study can produce the best.

There is always trouble when the red flag is run up. It is either auction or anarchy.

Norway Pine Syrup is a combination of healing throat and lung remedies which

is Cough, Cold, Hoarseness, Croup, etc.

Winter Cough, Sore Throat, Asthma,

Bronchitis, Croup, etc., are more quickly and easily cured by Wood's Norway Pine Syrup than by any means.

Hartford, N. B.

A man who can't hold his tongue has no business to associate with others or politicians.

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The eagle is a tough bird, but when it is put on the back of a dollar it is legal tender.

One of the greatest blessings to parents is Mother Graves' Worm Extrator. It effectively expels worms and gives health & a marvellous instance to the little ones.

The latest thing in fall fashions is the bloom er blush.

That Hacking Cough can be quickly cured by Haygar's Pectoral Balsam, Price 2s.

Everybody is not perfect, and even editoress don't like to let it occasionally.

Dr. Levi's Pleasant Worm Syrup removes worms of all kinds from children or adults.

She who poses for artists always leads a model life.

### Are You One

Of those unhappy people who are either with weak nerves, starting at every slight sound, unable to endure any unusual disturbance, finding it impossible to sleep? Avoid opium and nerve tonic pills. Find the nerves upon blood made pure, and nourishing by the great blood purifier and nerve tonic, Host's Saraparilla.

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Host's Saraparilla.

As a sure cure for headache, whether caused by liver, stomach, kidney or nerve trouble, Burdock Blood Bitters is the most effective medicine known. It removes the cause of headache by restoring the circulation of the blood in a direct action, and away from the head, thus obviating pressure upon the brain, and giving the head a rest.

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Castoria is Dr. Samuel Pitcher's prescription for Infants and Children. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. It is a harmless substitute for Paregoric, Drops, Soothing Syrups, and Castor Oil.

It is Pleasant. Its guarantee is thirty years' use by millions of mothers. Castoria destroys Worms and allays feverishness. Castoria prevents vomiting Sour Curd, cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. Castoria relieves tooth-aching troubles, cures constipation and flatulence. Castoria assimilates the food, regulates the stomach and bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. Castoria is the Children's Panacea—the Mother's Friend.

Castoria.

Castoria is well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to prescriptions known to me.

Dr. G. C. George, Lowell, Mass.

Castoria is the best remedy for children who have been sickly, weak, and languid.

It is a safe, reliable, and effective remedy for the cure of the various intestinal diseases of children.

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