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LET IT PASS

Has it been a weary day?
Let it pass.
Lots of others on the way—
They will pass.
Soon the skies will start to lighten,
All around begins to brighten,
And misty morn'g'gaps to brighten—
Let it pass.
Does the world the wrong way rub
you?
Let it pass.
Did your best friend seem to snub
you?
Let it pass.
Chances are you were mistaken.
None is ever quite forsaken:
All for aught our faith was shaken,
Let it pass.
—British Weekly.

THE SWEDISH BAKERY

More than the resident in the city block shook his head dubiously when the "For Rent" sign disappeared from the window of the diminutive store wedged in between the busy drug store on the corner and the prosperous market on the other side; no business venture had ever flourished in No. 10 Thursday the following notice appeared in the window:

"This store will be opened as a first-class Swedish Bakery on Friday morning. When Mrs. Peterson, who lived at No. 11, passed No. 9, a most delicious odor emanated from the hospitable open door of the little store. "I'm! Hecult, with carolman some in 'em! she murmured delightedly, and entered the bakery.

A tall, frank-faced boy, in his late teens, waited on the customer. He wore a big, clean, white apron, and his hair was brushed back from his high forehead. He gave a pleasant, "Good-morning, ma'am!" "Does your mother do the baking herself?" asked Mrs. Peterson, as she made her selection.

"I am the baker, ma'am," the youth answered, his clear blue eyes meeting the grey ones of the customer unflinchingly. "My mother superintends."

"You must have had some experience to be able to make such good biscuits," Mrs. Peterson asked. "Before mother went into the hospital and we kept boarders, I have for some time assisted with bread and biscuits," the young baker explained.

"We shall have toast about three o'clock; perhaps ma'am, you'll like some with your afternoon coffee?" Mrs. Peterson smiled. "I'll send for some," she said.

When Willie Peterson entered home that afternoon with the toast neatly enclosed in a pasteboard folder, he said:

"It's Eric Nelson that's running the bakery, mother. He's a senior, too. He'd have graduated with our class next June, if he hadn't had to leave school. But he'll never make a bakery pay."

"I'm not so sure of that," Mrs. Peterson replied. "There's enough Swedish people around here to help make a good Swedish bakery pay, and he was as neat as we are in there. He shall have our trade."

"He was expecting to be a civil engineer," Will said thoughtfully.

"Perhaps he looks upon being a baker as merely a stepping-stone to being a civil engineer," the mother suggested.

At this Will smiled skeptically.

"There's a wide line between the two," he replied.

In spite of prophecies and expectations to the contrary, the little Swedish bakery flourished. Mrs. Nelson, seated in her easy chair beside the little kitchen window, helped with her hands when she could, and always with knowledge, even when the times blossomed the fate that had deprived her son of the last months of his school career. Yet daily she thanked God for the clear-sightedness that had enabled Eric to see his way and make use of it to earn a living for her and for him.

GETTING A RECEIPT

He had run up a small bill at the village store, and went to pay it, first asking for a receipt.

The proprietor grumbled and complained it would be small to give a receipt for it. It would do just as well, he said, to cross the account off, and so draw a diagonal pencil across the page.

"Those that settle it?" asked the customer.

"Sure."

"An' you'll never be askin' for it again?"

"Certainly not."

"Certainly not," said the other coolly. "I'll keep the money in me pocket."

"But I can rub that out," said the storekeeper.

"I thought so," said the customer dryly. "Maybe you'll give me a receipt now. Here's your money."

MAKING HARD TIMES

When enough people say that times are hard, a period of business depression follows. Fortunately one croaker cannot precipitate a business panic, but he can make hard times for himself.

WEALTH WITHOUT MONEY

The only millionaire to be envied is the one who would be rich, even though he lost all his money. To be rich in high purposes and noble ambitions, in good will and kindness, in character and in gratitude, is to be wealthy. And one who is rich in money alone, is poor.

CONSTIPATION CURED BY THE USE OF MILBURN'S LAXA-LIVER PILLS

Constipation is one of the most frequent, and at the same time, one of the most serious of the minor ailments which mankind is subject, and should never be allowed to continue.

A PRACTICAL TEST

Some visitors who were being shown over a pauper lunatic asylum inquired of the guide what method was used to clean up the inmates who were sufficiently recovered to leave.

MAKES HAIR GROW

Hassard, the druggist, has an invigorator that will grow hair, or money back.

BEYOND THE LIMIT

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DOCTOR ADVISED OPERATION

Caution, Ont.—"I had been a great sufferer for five years. One doctor told me it was useless of the uterus, and another told me it was a fibroid tumor. No one knew what I suffered from. I would always be worse at certain periods, and I never was regular, and the bearing-down was very ill in bed, and the doctor told me I would have to have an operation, and that I might not live."

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2	2	2	8:15 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
3	3	3	9:00 A.M.	9:45 A.M.
4	4	4	9:45 A.M.	10:30 A.M.
5	5	5	10:30 A.M.	11:15 A.M.
6	6	6	11:15 A.M.	12:00 P.M.
7	7	7	12:00 P.M.	12:45 P.M.
8	8	8	12:45 P.M.	1:30 P.M.
9	9	9	1:30 P.M.	2:15 P.M.
10	10	10	2:15 P.M.	3:00 P.M.

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