Democratic Watchman

Bellefonte, Pa., July I, 1898.

IF NOBODY SHIRKED.

I know not whence I came, I know not whither I go, But the fact stands clear That I am here In this world of pleasure and woe, And out of the mist and murk Another truth shines plain-It is my power Each day and hour To add to its joy or pain.

I know that the earth exists. It is none of my business why, I cannot find out What it's all about-I would but waste time to try. My life is a brief, brief thing, I am here for a little pace. And while I stay I would like, if I may, To brighten and better the place.

The trouble, I think, with us all Is the lack of a high conceit; If each man thought He was sent to the spot To make it a bit more sweet, How soon we could gladden the world, How easily right all wrong, If nobody shirked And each one worked To help his fellows along.

Cease wondering why you came, Stop looking for faults and flaws ; Raise up to-day In your pride and say: "I am part of the first great cause, However full the world, There is room for an earnest man; It had need of me Or I would not be-I am here to strengthen the plan."

-Ella Wheeler Wilcox in Forun

IN DURANCE VILE.

Gabrielle always remembered the day that the ringmaster of the circus came to see her pony jump. She was proud of her pony, who was dapple gray and Welsh, and could jump nine inches higher than himself.

Gabrielle was 5, and had ridden without a leading rein for two years, but her father never let her jump Roland, the pony. So the pony jumped by himself, greatly to the edification of the ringmaster, who had been bidden to see the feat.

While all this was going on Nana called her to nursery tea, and as she trotted down the long yard, past the stables, and toward the drive, the ringmaster turned to Jack Ainslie, Gabrielle's father, and said : "Has the little Missie hurt her foot? She's a thought lame."

Jack Ainslie looked hastily after the idolized little figure, and noted that the ringmaster was right. She was a thought lame

Hastily excusing himself, he ran after the child. "Have you hurt your foot, darling?" he asked anxiously. "You're limping a little. Did you twist your ankle ?"

"Oh, no, daddy, dear, I'm not hurt. I'm going to tea." Gabrielle put up her face for the ever-expected kiss, and ran after her nurse. Jack Ainslie dismissed the subject from his mind, and showed the ringmaster the rest of the horses.

From that day, however, things changed think' for Gabrielle. Other people noticed the little limp, and her parents, terrified and wear it any more ; are you glad ?" "But what will the socket do ?" distressed, sent for the family doctor. He discovered that in some way, probably at birth, her hip had been dislocated, and had formed a new socket for itself, and that henceforth she would limp unless-here all the mischief began-something could be done. Her father was frantic. Of course, something must be done. That his Gabrielle, his dainty little lady, with her pretty face, her quick intelligence, and her gracious ways, should be lame-oh, it was intolerable. He was broken hearted and rebellious, and even his wife's steadfast patience and unchanging tenderness could not make him resigned. Then began for Gabrielle a series of visits to London. She was taken from one great doctor to another, till she grew quite used to marching about on thick piled carpets, clad in nothing but her beautiful hair, while they discussed her interesting case "Doctors are chilly men," said Gabrielle; "their hands are always cold to my body An operation was arranged, but at the last moment Jack Ainslie drew back, for the surgeons would not guarantee success, and the family doctor said grave things about Gabrielle's constitutional delicacy. So it was decided that more gradual means must be tried to bring about the desired result. The "gradual means" assumed the shape of an instrument hideous to behold and painful to wear. It broke Jack Ainslie's heart to see his little lady cabined and confined in such a cruel cage, and for ble. One thing was quite plain to Gabri- watch you !" elle, and that was that evidently nature was very much to blame in having pro-vided a new "socket" for the poor little dislocated bone. That imperfinence must "Oh, dear, yes ! You musn't think be interfered with at all costs—the doctors about that leg any more, but you must do no pain, to be perfectly unconscious of her "affliction," as her nurse called it, and so interesting (to the doctors), and right, to uncomfortable and to wear a hideous high-soled boot and an iron cage, with orutches under the arms that pushed her shoulders up to her ears. As for the instrument, it was designed and ordered by three famous surgeons, and it cost the price of many ponies. Gabri-elle tried to be brave. She was curiously conscious that the pain her parents suffered was far greater than her own. The instrument was adjusted in London, and on the way home on the train her mother asked her many times, "Does it hurt you, my darling?" And Gabrielle always answered bravely, "I can bear it, mother dear; I can bear it !" When she got home that night the poor little leg was black from the cruel pressure, and Mary Ainslie broke down and cried till she could cry no longer. Gabrielle tried to walk bravely in her cramping irons, and to smile at her parents when she met their troubled eyes. At first she broke the thing continually, for she was an active child, and much given to jumping off chairs and playing at circus on the big old sofa. But by and by all desire to jump and run left her. She grew high shouldered, and would sit very still for hours, while her daddy told her stories or drove her behind Roland in a little basket carriage he had bought for her. Truly the iron entered into her soul; the cruel iron tlat cramped the child's soft body ; and Gabrielle's eyes grew larger and larger, and her chin more pointed, while the once plump little hands | ironclad.-Harper's Bazar.

were white as the petals of the pear blos-Net Fishing is Unlawful. som outside the nursery window. "I wish people wouldn't ask me about it; they are kind, but I wish they wouldn't," mportant Opinion by Deputy Attorney General

Gabrielle would say. "I'm tired of telling them about the socket, and I'm not 'a poor little soul?—I'm daddy's little lady." According to an opinion by deputy attorney general Reeder fishing with fyke nets is unlawful in the streams in the com-There came to Jack Ainslie a very old college friend, a doctor, Gabrielle's godmonwealth of Pennsylvania. The opinion was given to W. E. Meehan, father, and devoted to her, and he was supremely dissatisfied with their treatment, assistant secretary of the Pennsylvania fish commission, and decides as follows; and implored them to take her to see a First it is unlawful to use any fyke or net young surgeon, a friend of his own, who or nets of any kind, or device made of cotwas making a great name and doing wonton or flax twine or wire netting similar to ders for every one who came under his care. Jack Ainslie and his wife needed but small persuasion, and it was decided that Gabri-wealth. Second. suckers, eels and catfish fish in any of the waters of this common-wealth. Second, suckers, eels and catfish elle should go to London as soon as possimay be caught in the open seasons in streams other than private trout streams. What hastened the visit was this : Ga-

but the same cannot be done by means of brielle was devoted to fairy lore, and a any seine, fyke net or device as above desfavorite play of hers was to be the beaucribed similar to fyke nets. tiful princess who is freed from giants and

Colonel Reeder says in the same opinion dragons and lions by the gallant "Boots" of the Norse tales. Her father always enthat there is no law to prevent persons or of the Norse tales. Her father always en-acted the part of that redoubtable third son, and was wont to kneel before her, making extravagant protestations of his orporations from emptying chemicals from devotion, which she accepted with gracious "where the act of the person or corporation condescension. On this particular after-noon, just after tea, her father proposed to play the favorite game, but Gabrielle would becomes a public nuisance and a menace to the health of the people, but in that event have none of it. "I can't be a princess any more, daddie; I'm sure no princess ever wore an instrument !" she said. "I An opinion was also given that counties

must pay \$5,00 toward the wardens' expenses. don't feel like a princess any more at all.'

Her father caught her up in his arms with AN ENTERPRISING DRUGGIST .- There a great, hard sob, which frightened her, and she stroked his face, saying tenderly : "Don't be sorry, dear, dear dad ! I didn't are few men more wide awake and enterprising than F. Potts Green, who spares no pains to secure the best of everything in his line for his many customers. He mean to hurt you. I'll be a princess ; I will indeed ! I will feel like a princess really "" The next day Jack Ainslie and now has the valuable agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, his wife took Gabrielle up to town. They coughs and colds. This is the wonderful did not even take the faithful Nana, for remedy that is producing such a furor all Gabrielle's mother could hardly bear to let over the country by its many startling cures. It absolutely cures asthma, bronany hands but hers touch her darling, ever since the day that the ringmaster had made chitis, hoarseness and all affections of the his sad discovery. Mary Ainslie took Gabrielle to the new throat, chest and lungs. Call at above drug store and get a trial bottle free or a doctor the following morning, while Jack sat in the smoking room of the hotel, lightregular size for 50 cents and \$1.00 Guar-

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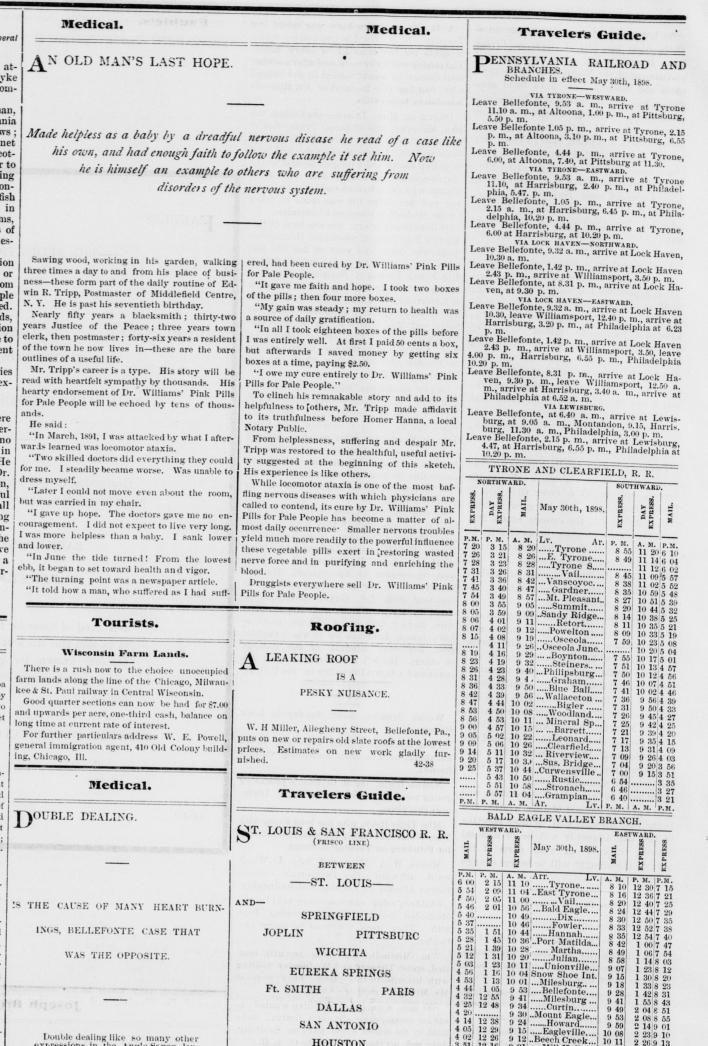
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hair and keen green eyes. Her mother un-dressed Gabrielle, all but the "instru-Via the North-Western Line (Chicago & Northment," which clasped the tender little Western R'y.). Excursion tickets will be sold at body, and seemed so cruelly unnecessary. greatly reduced rates June 28th and 29th, limited The young doctor frowned when he saw it to return until August 31st, account of meeting of then he took it off himself and Gabrielle North American Turners' Union. For rates and noticed that his touch was as gentle as her other information ask your nearest ticket agent mother's and that his hands were warm. or write. H. A. Gross, 461 Broadway, New York ; She gave a happy little shake when she Frank Irish, 507 Smithfield street (Park Buildwas free of it-a little wriggle and jump of ing), Pittsburg, Pa.

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the fire, while he went into the next room with her mother. They were not long Via the North-Western Line (Chicago & Northaway, and on their return Gabrielle looked up at the doctor with bright, curious eyes. "Does the instrument hurt you?" he Western railway). Excursion tickets will be sold at greatly reduced rates June 30th and July 1st, asked. Gabrielle looked at it, as it leaned limited to return until August 31st, inclusive, ac count of meeting of Congregational Council. For feebly against a chair, and said : "It does rates and other information ask your neares rather ; but it does its best not to. I ticket agent or write, "Well, any way, you're not going to H. A. Gross, 461 Broadway, New York : Frank Irish, 507 Smithfield street (Park Building), Pittsburg, Pa.



"Bless me, child ; they've talked about you far too much. The socket will do beautifully-much better without it than with it !"

"May I wear shoes like other little girls?" "Certainly ; the prettiest shoes that can

of the hotel and walked down Piccadilly,

blundering into the passers-by and when

he crossed the road was nearly ridden over

by an omnibus, so blind and stupid was he

in his heavy sorrow. Poor Jack ! His

nonest heart was very full of grief, for he

loved his little lady dearly and he felt that

unless something were done quickly he

would soon have nothing but a tender

Gabrielle and her mother were shown

into the new doctor's consulting room at

once. He was a tall young man, with red

relief. Then the doctor made her walk

and felt her all over, after which he rolled

her up in a big fur rug, to sit in front of

memory to love.

be got !" "Not compensatum shoes ?"

"No ; ordinary shoes, exactly alike !" By this time Gabrielle had been arrayed in some clothes. She noticed that her mother's hands trembled, but that her eyes were glad. The child looked up at the tall, young doctor, who was watching her with his keen, green eyes, and said : "My

with his keen, green eyes, and said : "My daddy will be so glad ! He will look at me and not look so sorry, and there will be no hard things to stick into him when he cuddles me ! He will be so glad !"

The doctor made a queer little sound in his throat ; then he lifted Gabrielle in his arms and carried her to the window.

"Do you see the end of this street," he asked, "where the roar and the rumbling sound comes from? That's Oxford street. Well, in that street is a beautiful shop full of shoes-shoes for little girls-and you are earth for neighbors. going there directly to get the prettiest pair that mother can find for you !"

"May they have silver buckles?" Ga-brielle asked eagerly. "I think it extremely advisable they

should have big silver buckles. You will enger Agent, Old Colony Building, Chicago, Ill. the little lady herself it blotted out the and you must learn to dance the taranwalk both fast and far in buckled shoes, sunshine and made life very gray and terri-

seemed to agree upon that. And Gabri- all the exercises mother is going to show elle wondered why it was so wrong to have you, ade when you can hang on a trapeze must write and tell me."

Then Gabrielle's mother finished dressing her, all but her boots. The boot with also through Tourist Sleeping Car Service Chicago the compensatum sole lay near the instru- to San Francisco, Los Angles and Portland. ment. Gabrielle looked at it with great aversion. "It's a very dry day," said she. "May I go to the cab in my stockings, and put on no shoes till I have my new ones ?' The doctor pushed the little boot out of sight under the chair with his foot, and said : "I'll carry you to the cab, and mother or the cabman will carry you to the shop across the pavement, and you shall never see that iron horror or that boot again !"

As the doctor carried her across the hall Gabrielle put her arms around his neck and kissed him on both eyes.

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