





N this valley of life, on each side of which are the mountains of eternity, 10 cents to 25 cents for the privilege resolve to walk onward, taking the sunshine and the rain in good spirit, helping any one whom you will meet on the way.

S UPPOSE your life is in the home. Resolve to make that home brighter and better for your presence. Do not spoil the happiness of life that is every human being's heritage. Rather add to the joy of the hearth, so that for her hat, while a man pays \$5 for when you go, never to pass this way again, a loving thought will be your meet.

HAVE you children? Then remember that once you were young. Be kind to them. Never let it be said that you needlessly turned a child's laughter to tears.

F YOU have gossiped either over the back fence or over the tea curs, here furnish you with everything you want is your opportunity to make a change for the better. Of course you can. except nourishment. This is carefully not recall the unkind word that has gone on with snowball proclivities, extracted from all food before it growing to unrecognizable proportions. But you can resolve to guard your tongue and to think twice before you speak once.

E ACH day read one beautiful thought, do one beautiful deed. It may be just a phrase of your favorite author. The sunset or a sunbeam or a child's golden curls will give a picture, if you are looking for it. And as for doing something-that's easy!

D ON'T polish the waiting bench with "hard luck" stories. Stir yourself. Hard luck never caught up with a hustler. This is true of any kind of tickets for almost any night you don't work. Resolve to fight your battle minus weak excuses.

OOK at your face. Do the lines curve down or up? It's never too late to smile. A frowner is an unwelcome companion. If persons make an effort to miss you, change the lines!

B^E HONEST! Even with yourself. Some beings can believe their own lies. Don't enroll your name on the self-deceivers' list. There is no hope for you if you do.

HAVE you been a little bit shaky toward any ideal of conduct that you have formed? Surely you must have a conduct standard! Well, what's the use if you have ignored it? Make it a potent factor in the coming year. And may that standard be the best ever!

WHATEVER your work, let it be done better than it has been done before. In this world each one is filling a place. If you haven't any special work, make it. Don't be a parasite.

F YOU have cheated any human being of his right, be ashamed and be I penitent. And don't stop there. Resolve to make restoration of that which you have stolen. This may be a word of praise; it may be a dollar and it may be-many things. Who are you in this great scheme that you should withhold that which is due?

DON'T be a doormat. The homely rug on which people wipe their dirty shoes has a place; but you are a human being with a spine and a heart and a soul. Doormats must not be on your next year's calendar.

BEING a human being, you have the ability to grow in all ways toward sel on the port quarter, and it was the superman, the ideal. If you grit your teeth and hold back as a recalmade out to be a tree, and in its citrant, ignorant child, you are sinning. You cannot stand still; you either branches was a native boy, lashed to move forward or backward.

THAT question of love—how are you going to answer it this coming year? If you have closed the door of your heart against it, be merciful to your-self, if to no one else. Let love for some human being enter your door with the new year. It is the greatest force in the world. Let it come into your life!

WHATEVER has befallen you in the past, remember that there is another chance. The new year is on the threshold. Open the door and smile a welcome to it. It is as rich in hope and possibility as you care to make it. The happy new year is up to you! BARBARA LEE.

What better Christmas Present could you send than the was swept away. The boy had been

"Democratic Watchman" for a year? Try it.

WHAT IS A RESTAURANT? Here's a Definition of the New York

High Life Brand.

A restaurant is a place where you pay \$4 for 15 cents' worth of food, accompanied by about \$2 worth of light labor, light china and light music, which you have heard before. After leaving your hat with a Wall street syndicate you pay all the way from of getting it back and wearing it once more. The difference between a man and woman indeed today is quite simple. A woman pays \$50 all at once his and \$55 more in tip installments

for storage at restaurants while he is vainly trying to obtain enough nourishment to sustain life between times.

The object of all restaurants is to reaches you.

Every restaurant nowadays has attached to it a homeless hotel and a frugless drug store a newspaper stand, where you can ze, a paper for not over twice what you can get it for want them at the same rates. Every restaurant also has a wine cellar which is filled with native cobwebs, European labels and California grape juice. -Life.

LUCKY RESCUE OF A DOY Who Was

Lashed to the Branch of a Tree. A sailor tells a tale of peril that is out of the ordinary. He was one of the crew of an English ship bound from British Guiana to Rio Janeiro. When off the mouth of the Parana river there came on a calm, followed by a dense fog.

At 10 o'clock in the morning there came out of the fog the voice of a human being, calling for help. A noise in a fog is very deceptive, and this one could not be located, but an answer-

ing "hello" was given. Suddenly something struck the vesa limb and almost unconscious. The

tree was caught with a rope and the boy taken on board. It was half a day before he rallied

enough to tell his tale. He and his father had been hunting twenty miles up the Parana river when a sudden freshet came down. Both climbed the same tree. but it was rooted up and carried down the river. The father Hed his son to a limb with his loin cloth, but before he could thus protect himself the tree tilted over. and he floating three days and nights when he was picked up .- St. Louis Globe-Demorat.