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SATURDAY EVENING.

BY BULWER. The week is past, the Sabbath dawn comes of Rest-rest in peace—thy toil is done: And, standing as thou standest, on the brink Of a new scene of being, calmiv think Of what is gone, is now, and soon shall be, As one that trembles in eternity. For such as this now closing week is past, So much advancing time will close my last, Such as to-morrow shall the awful light

Of the eternal morn hail my sight. Spirit of good! on this week's verge I stand, Tracing the guiding influence of thy hand; That hand which leads me gently, calmly still rnou, thou, in every storm hast sheltered me Beneath the wings of thy benignity; A thousand graves my footsteps' circuit vent, and I exist—thy mercy's monument; A thousand writhe upon the bed of pain,

Want o'er a thousand wretches waves her encircled by ten thousand mercies, stand. How can I praise thee, Father? how express My dobt of reverence and thankfulness? A debt that no intelligence can count, While every moment swells the vast amount. For a week's duties thou hast given me strength,

I live, and pleasure flows through every vein;

A fresh memorial to thy glorious praise. Miscellanous.

and brought me to its peaceful close at length

And here my grateful bosom vain would raise

zeke smith, the indian slayer Or, Life Among the Early Settle

of Pennsylvania. BY M. W. B., M. D., ITHACA, N. Y.

CHAPTER XL. It was becoming light, and the norning was close at hand. They pushed on as rapidly as they could, and in a few moments stood looking down in the Wyoming Val ley, and located their home in their minds, and said, one to the other by a mournful look, "poor father and mother, you will feel sad when you hear of your children's tragic death, but you will have one consolation,

they died as they lived, trusting in Him who doeth all things well." Emma took a scrap of paper from her pocket and hastily wrote a few friends, not forgetting Uncle Zeke, and then folded it up and placed it

in her bosom. Their enemies were in sight, and they heard Charley Doane, who was foremost, cry out, "We've got you now, you Jezabels. Your running away has done you much good,

and cried in a voice to be heard in practice slip. Here they are instuct-heaven—"Better death than dishonor." ed in all things that full to the lot of Down, down they flew, with the the poorest sailor.

men of Wyoming, and to day their entirely by themselves. The instruclast words are freighted with more tions given to them at sea are purely importance to the young of this gen- practical, and are such as a lad could But the very best goods of all kinds kept by any eration than any book of sermons. Only learn on board an ordinary vestrateless grocer, and sold Down, Down, Down, Down, The miserable wretches who had sel in many yoars of experience. walked close to the verge of the and times of war, and how to do it. mountain of rocks, and looked down | Gunnery practice and torpedo pracupon those they had slain. Moses, tice are included in the higher said, as he joined his brother tion. In short, each midshipman is Charles, "I feel now that I have been given an opportunity to see all the

a party to an act which will be ever workings of a ship and to study ders, heads, judges, and officers, as vivid in my memory, and I know the departed spirits of the innocent slain in a log book to be examined by his will haunt me to my dying day" He had just finished his remarks, when crack went a rifle, and the ball pierced his heart, and he fell dead at only supplementary to those given

is brothers' feet. Where this death missile came rom none of them could tell. They see no smoke nor any human form. While they were looking about them globes, and illuminated texts for orto discover the source whence came naments. We should think that the death-dealing bullet, they were anyone who has a real taste for the RED, WHITE AND BLUE STORE BRIDGE-8r. surprised by hearing, another rifle sea would find abundant pleasure in

their number cold in death. cealed themselves behind trees and ter of the room are others with rocks, and examined their fire-arms, masts reaching almost to the ceiling ty had been out all night looking for of famous sea fights. One of the the captives, and had been conduct- good qualities of the models is that ed by Uncle Zeke to the point of the they all will work, just as though mountain reaching quite to the Susquehanna, and by following up its side they were within twenty rods of interesting than the seamanship

be shot or taken prisoners.

where they arrived without accident We cannot describe the sorrow LESSONS. which filled the hearts of all who MARCH 21, 1875. knew the Peterson girls. The father OSHUA, XXIII: 11-16—GOLDEN TEXT, Hebs. x

and mother were so stricken in soul by their irreparable loss, that they No. XIL could not be comforted. The whole valley went into mourning, and all The twenty-third and the twenty who saw the dear dead forms laid in fourth chapters of Joshua, contain the cold grave, never forgot the sad two farewell addresses of Joshua to scene till their dying day. the people. They were, however,

Among the mourners outside the delivered at different times and plafamily, none was so heart-broken as | ces, and are otherwise distinguisha. had blessed, so he would punish. He our hero, Zeke Smith. For many ble. Dr. Crosby says: "The former long weeks he mourned, and every address of Joshua seems to have day he could be seen standing beside been delivered in the belief that he quickly destroy them from the face of their graves, looking down upon the was soon to leave this world, and silent clay through the glistening was prompted by his ardent desire tear drops that filled his eyes. Zeke for the purity of the people, who was a changed man from the hour of would (he knew) be sorely tempted his loved friends' death, and never away from God by the idolatrons after through the whole course of his population among them. This ad- watched and restrained. life did he seem like the same person. dress, however, (meaning the one There was a solemn, downcast ex- given in the 24th chapter) and the dividuals—to his church. pression to his countenance, which assembly at which it was delivered, no one failed to see at a glance. were appointed by Divine direction, Later in the season, the Indians as we see by the phrase, "before were very active in preparing to at-

tack the whole settlement, and many "thus saith Jehovah, God of Israel," of the pioneers became alarmed and in verse 2. The former occasion was moved to distant parts of the State. (so to speak) a private conference of ago; but during last summer the So in this instance. Another woman faction of genuine achievement. But upon intellectual and bodliv vigor, Some moved to Tompkins county, Joshua with Israel. This occasion building was struck by lightning and whose life was all sunshine, would between this and a diseased desire prudence and self control, which are New York, but finding themselves so was an official conference, in which burned. When he got the new barn have pronounced Mary heartless. for the plaudits of all, from the the qualities that favor long life, he much isolated from the other settle- Joshua acted as the Divine legate. done a man came around with a red Poor thing. She had too much groundlings to the gallery-gods, reaches the conclusion that the men ments, they returned to Tioga Point, Fay, in Lange's Commentary, says: wagon, and wanted to sell him a set heart for this world's trials. Her wed- there are many degrees of strength and women who marry are they now Athens, and broke the first "Particularly to be considered here, of Bolt and Burnam's patent light- ding day was a blissful one; her hus- and of weakness. There are those who, married or unmarried, would ground in that beautiful section. Mr. Harris, with his family, and the two farewell addresses in respect

Daniel Brown, his son in law, and to differences and agreements of their the name of York, settled at Wysox, first presents to the Israelites what not long after moving to Towards, Jehovah will do for them to bring know you had, and very likely that's She soon made the discovery that he down like a peacock in the sun, for the malformed, the diseased, and the

opposition through many long years, since the time of the patriarchs, has and to-day the many beautiful farms, already done for them." and thriving cities and villages all up | The present lesson forms a part of

romantic scenery mentioned in our given rest unto Israel from all their they had iron tips. A rod with iron narrative, will be within one day's enemies round about," etc. This, no tips is no better 'n a clothes prop to journey of us, and a party leaving doubt, means a long time after the ward off lightning." Ithaca at 7 o'clock in the morning, distribution of the West-Jordanic re- "The man that sold them to me of the veritable massive pile of gran- This "long time" was probably about marked Keyser. ite from which Emma and Mary Pe- twenty years. Joshua was probably

along this line, will be opened up to eighteen years until his death. worth the labor it took to put 'em us by the speedy completion of the Others reckon a shorter period. The up. They wa'nt now, that's the road from this place to Athens.

THE END.

tive calculation.

short) afterward.

the people.

It is probable that after the assign-

the active duties of the leadership:

(3). The Audience. "Joshus call-

did not address the whole nation in

He spoke, therefore, to a representa-

tive assembly. This mode of instruc-

apostles, so Joshua's farewell coun-

(4). The subject-matter of his Ad-

land must prove (unless they exer-

cise great care) a source of sin and

hortation; verses 6, 7, 8, 11.

lestruction. Hence the repeated ex

They must not worship idols; (the

different phrases in verse 7—"Make

mention of the name," "swear,

WHAT THE MIDSHIPMEN ARE TAUGHT. I think I told you, at the beginning, has n't it? I'll bet you'll not slip that all things that can make a good our fingers so easily again." that all things that can make a good sailor are taught at the Academy. our fingers so easily again." sailor are taught at the Academy.
While the fiend in human shape Old forecastle hands, at one time, was uttering this harangue, Emma secretly looked down upon naval offiand Mary stood with their eyes lifted | cers, and complained that they knew toward heaven, offering a silent pray- nothing of the harder duties of seaer that Almighty God would save life. If there was any truth in this their spirits, and when they had once, there is none now. As we come very near them, they ombraced crossed the grounds, we met a deeach other and jumped from the tachment of midshipmen, dressed in rock on which they were standing, common canvass suits, bound for the

speed of lightning, and were crushed | Once a year, they are also sent out and mangled on the rocks below. on a cruise, and are required to han-Thus died two of the pioneer wo- dle the light sails, yards and masts, forced these innocent young women They are taught what to do in fair to sacrifice their own precious lives, and foul weather, in times of peace who was the last to leave the spot, branches of seamanship and navigathem, and afterward describe them

> superior officer. The instructions in seamanship given on the voyage, however, are Christ taught his apostles, leaving and remember that we give a written ashore. Among the buildings of the Aca-

demy is one called the seamanshipooked in every direction, and could room. It is not a rit like a common school-room, with maps, charts and discharged, and saw one more of it. There are beautiful models of nearly every kind of vessel afloat proves that the commonwealth was This time Charley detected the lo- from a simple sloop to a modern turcality where their enemy was con- ret ship. Shelf after shelf is filled cealed. The remaining Doanes con- with the smaller ones, and in the cenand made hurried preparation to de- On the walls there are also some fend themselves. The pursuing par- curious old prints and oil-paintings

the Doanes, and there concealed room. Here the gradual improvethemselves, only waiting to rest a ment in small arms is shown by many moment that a steady aim could be specimens of each kind, from the the same, "love the Lord your God." their success, and high hores were latest weapon invented, about which ceitful above all things, and desper-While our hero and his followers number of barrels, which revolve and rnin.

NOTES ON THE INTERNATIONAL | them, must have added great force to his wise words. 3. He emphasizes the faithfulness of Jehovah; verse 14-16. God had fulfilled his promises to them to the last jot and tittle. verses 8, 9, 10. (The 10th verse should read, "One man of you chaseth

a thousand, etc). As he had been faithful in the past, such he would be in the future. As he had been faithful to the promises, such he would be to the threatenings. As he had given them a good land, but if disobedient and rebellious he would

Notice (1). This world has temptations for all.

(2). The heart is deceitful—at enmity to God—loves sin. It must be (3). The goodness of God. To in-(4). The faithfulness of God.

THEY COULD'T TRADE. Keyser had lightning rods placed

"How do you know they were worthless?" "Why, I was drivin' by yer in the and down the Susquehanna Valley, the first of these addresses. We will spring, and I seen them rods, and I

can take dinner beneath the shadow gion (Cansan) among the tribes, said they had platinum tips," re-"Ah! this is a wicked world, Mr. terson took their fatal leap.

Beautiful scenery abounds from the distribution; he died at the age Some of these yer agents lie like a gas

> data are too uncertain for any posi-"What kind do you offer?" "Well, sir, I've got the only genuof the Levitical cities and of the constructed on scientific principles.
> Cities of Keinge, Joshua retired from Professor Huxley says it's sure to run constructed on scientific principles. off the electric fluid every time. not abdicating his office, but leaving | Twisted charcoal iron, glass isulators, the practical direction of affairs to eight points on each rod, warranted the subordinate officers of the nation. solid platinum. We give a written He dwelt in his own possession in guarantee with each rod. Never had Ephraim, in the walled town of Tim- a house struck since we began to ofnath Serah. There he watched the fer this rod to the public. Positive ccurse of the national life, and when fact. The lightnin 'll play all around

honest truth."

near his end came forth to utter his a house with one of 'em and never wise councils in the ears of the peo- touch it. A thunder storm that would tear the bowels out of the (2). The Place. It may have been American continent, would leave your Timnath-Serah (his place of resi- house as safe as a polar bear in the dence); but it seems more likely that middle of an iceberg. Shall I run it was Shiloh, the governmental cen- you one up?" well address was delivered at Shewell address was delivered at She "I don't know," said Keyser, mus-

then you will have somethin reliable -somethin' there's no discount on. "You say the old/rod/was a fraud?" "The deadliest | fraud | you ever one assembly. It would have been heard of. It hadn't an jounce of a severe strain upon an old man who platinum within a mile of it. The had waxed old and was stricken in man that sold it ought to be proseage (verse 1) to have addressed a cuted, and the fellow that put it up

congregation of two millions. The without isulators should be shot. It's explanation is given in verse 2. He too bad the farmers should be gouge called for all Israel; that is, their el- in this sort of way." "And Bolt and Burnam's rod is representatives of the entire nation. not a fraud?' "A fraud? Why, really, my dear sir, just cast your eye over Professor tion runs through scripture. So Huxley's letter and these certificates

them to teach the world. And as guarantee-a positive protection, of Christ's words were repeated by the course." "Just cast your eye over that," sels were repeated by the elders to said Keyser, handing him a piece o

"Well, upon my word! This is ter words. indeed somewhat—that is to say it is dress. This is substantially given in as it were -- it looks -- it looks a little our lesson. (a). The injunction; v. 11. It is noticeable that Joshus like one of our own certificates." "Just so," said Keyser, "that old finds no fault with his people. This rod was one of Bolt and Burnam's. You sold it to my son-in-law; you comparatively pure and faithful; (compare v. 8). But he sees danger gave this certificate; you swore the and temptation in the future. The points were platinum, and your man

large number of idolaters left in the | put it up." "Then I suppose we can't trade?" "Well, I should think not," said lars. And three cigars a day, which What with crime in all its varieties, as though the world was just made to Keyser. Whereupon the man mounted the red wagon and moved on.

four expressions for Divine worship; soon after their inmates have gone me. You know, too, that time spent Deut. vi: 13; x: 20). And positively to bed, and has looked lovingly in, for drinking is worse than wasted, they must keep his law; or which is has seen a pretty sight. Generally for tobacco and liquors poison the their faces are lying most restfully, system, destroy the health, soften taken, and justice done to those old-fashioned match-lock to the "It is remarkable, (Dr. Crosby says) with hand under cheek, and in many the brain, weaken the nerves, and whom Zeke and his brother had needle and Remington guns. Among that with such repeated appeals to cases look strangely younger than bring ruin to thousands of happy whom Zeke and his brother had sween to take vengeance upon.

Zeke and his trusty friend, Bill, were the first to get a sight of the enemy, and it was they who fired the shots. By this time three or four more of the party had reached Zeke's more of the more of the party had reached Zeke's more of the party more of the party had reached Zeke's relic of earlier centuries. Side by lit was necessary then, as later, to lost control. The lids lie shut over the air is gently the original things, and despersive to independent the principle exists in this old ceedingly watched over your souls. In my heart, on the principle exists in this old ceedingly watched over your souls. In my heart, on the principle exists in this old ceedingly watched over your souls. In my heart, or in my heart, or in my heart, or in the principle exists in this old ceedingly watched over your souls. In my heart, or in my h and evenly fanned by the coming and ing. entertained that all the party might you may have read in accounts of the ately wicked." Only watchfuiness going breaths; there is a little crook. The strong man trembled. Franco Prussian war. It has a great and prayer can keep us from sin and ed mound in the bed; along the bed's "Am I blind? Is it possible I foot, or on a chair beside, are the have wronged my dearest treasure?" isn't everybody who cares to be disboys who all do about the same way day clothes, sometimes neatly folded, Taey mingled their tears, and cussed and dissected by the lawyer for fear the rest will laugh at them. were standing at the base of the mountain, they saw the object of mountain, they saw the object of where in the room, which is overthis injunction is enforced. 1. The sometimes huddled off in a harry; talked till a late hour, laying plans first, then by the journals, and at last

To do something is to showed coal. their search jump from the rocks, crowed, are models of all sorts of and two of the company remained nantical artillery, including shells, and two of the company remained nantical artillery, including shells, to them, if they forsake God and in
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To do someting is to shove coal to them, if they forsake God and in
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fellows, marbles; stained with the giveness of her he had wronged. We are prepared to feed the hungs well times of the dry and evening. Oystem and two of the company remained nantical artifiery, including suchs, the same with them; verses 12, 13 the same and Mary had fallen.

Where Emma and Mary had fallen.

These men had orders to protect the fronted by some death-dealing into the same will be placed and the penitorn with the roughness of trees on their sides—thorns in the sides—thor where Emma and alray had tailed. These men had dorders to protect the particular to the property that the property that

JAMES CARROLL'S WEAKNESS. "To-morrow is the 24th, is n't it, Mary ?" "Yes it is, answered the young

wife sadly. James Carroll knocked the ashes from his cigar, held it carefully between the thumb and forefinger of the left hand, and looked thoughtfully into the fire. Mary's tired fingers showed no

signs of weariness, but turned the but he merely meant that he had a latter become afflicted with the va-"Belle will be three years old," he yet any lack of men who would rather be spoken ill of than not to be

said, interrogatively. "Three, James," replied Mary, spoken of at all. This love of prom-

birthday failed to please. upon his barn three or four years heart to see what troubles are there. ward in self-approval and the satis. bilities; and as that abilty depends from the first, is the relation between ning rods.

| band the ideal of manly perfection who care too much for the bubble by reason of their bodily and mental the two farewell addresses in respect "I believe not," said Keyser, "I His love, unaccompanied by wealth, of reputation, and equally those who constitution, live the longest. Besides, not long after moving to Towanda, Jehovah will do for them to bring know you had, and very nkely that a peacock in the sun, for them into full possession of the land, the reason you were struck. Nothin's was but human; and that the love of the stands.

The brave sons battled against all calls to mind in detail what Jehovah, worthless rods."

In the sun long after moving to Towanda, Jehovah will do for them to bring know you had, and very nkely that a peacock in the sun, for all eyes to gaze at. Doubtless he ill-developed types, while the second, in powerful words, more likely to attract lightnin' than er, filled his heart, as well as the love of the sun all eyes to gaze at. Doubtless he ill-developed types, while the second, in powerful words, worthless rods."

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drunkard, why should she fear? owe their existence to our revered consider (I) the time when it was says to myself, that barn'll be struck forefathers.

At the end of three years he took sound it. He has a proclivity to they desire, and it is not yet established that among the men and wo so the struck at least two glasses a day. What print. It thrills him to see his name lished that among the men and wo When the Ithaca & Athens Rail- we read: "And it came to pass, a in' to convince Mr. Keyser; so I had she to hope for in years to come. In the newspapers and the monthly men, and particularly the former, road is finished, all the beautiful and long time after that the Lord had didn't call. I knowed it, because I wish, Mary, I was able to make magazines; he writes verses, lectures, who go through life unmated there is Belle a present every birthday in her acts tragedy or comedy, paints pic. a larger proportion of the malformed

do to get along as it is." the wife. James was ill at ease. Something in Mary's manner disturbed him.

"What makes you so solemn and quiet, Mary? Why not sympathize my; possibly he raises the best pigs argument seems to be in its most imlines, stating the whereabouts of the Athens to Wikes-Barre, all along of one hundred and ten. According meter. It's awful, sir. They are with me, and say you know I had a or peaches of the season, or becomes portant premise—that marriage is Doanes' mountain retreat, and bidthe Lehigh Valley railroad, and we to Smith's Bible Dictionary, he was wholly untrustworthy. Them rods hard time to get along without presents insolvent for an incredible amount of regulated by ability to meet its reupon us when all nature's works tion was accomplished, which leaves see. A regular gouge. They wa'nt better than we can afford to give himself in the House of Representation or of an inference a priori know when the grocery bill is to be

> presenta. knew her time had come.

"I wish, dear James, I could economize in something and save money to buy our darling a present. It go goon." γ

you ?"

"No, James, I am grieved to say

an infirmity.

mium would be very high.

James started from his seat. His eyes flashed and his cheeks paled. ' "Mary, you are crazy!" "Not crazy, James, but clear-headed for your happiness."

After the first shock passed, and he was prepared to listen, she went on; and in a clear, concise manner, laid before him the cause of her bit-

a day, havn't you?" that? "Only ten cents a glass—that can't nivorous readers of a newsruin a man."

"Three hundred and sixty five If any obscure man burning to be days, which, multiplied by twenty illustrious shall happen to read these cents, amounts to seventy-three dol- lines, we bid him to be of good cheer. I know is far below your average of folly in all it phases, the world's love sleep in. Don't imagine that somesmoking, will amount to as much of the odd, the novel, and the amus- body is going to clothe and feed you more, which makes one hundred and | ing, and the ease with which he may | while you do nothing but read love forty dollars. Forty dollars would attach himself to even important af- stories. Have more ambition than The Boys in Ben.—Whoever has pay our coal and grocery bills now fairs, to be the fly on the coach-wheel, to part your hair in the middle, carry due, and leave a balance of one hun-it shall go hard with him if he do a cane or flourish a cigar. Don't "serve," "bow yourselves,"—are the lifted the curtains of the boys alcove, dred and six dollars for baby and not have his name in everybody's any of you belittle yourself by using

There is a personal sacredness which should not be disregarded by another without just resentment. The delicate shrinks from any invasion of its domain, and vi et armie remist the trespass. But so many people to-day are at large, not merely naked, but without even their skins, that per-haps a man's ownership of himself— long disputed in the court of public opinion—is at last to be utterly ahogated. In such case we shall still have plenty of Egotism, but the royal and respectable "I, Myself" will be banished forever.

MARRIAGE AND THE PHILOSO-

PHERS. The question as to the effect of marriage upon the duration of life, kept the silver bright, and not a meal and also upon mental health, has been carefully considered by many scientific men, and according to the statistical tables the decision has been decidedly in favor of marriage. That is, it appears that a much larger proportion of married men and women than of bachelors and spinsters atta'n old age, and that a smaller prothe world me," said the Cynic Poet, portion of the former than of the

hem of a sheet mechanically, and keen appetite for censure and was rious kinds of insanity. The question then proceeded to baste it for sewing. fond of being abused; nor is there was thus regarded as scientifically settled in favor of marriage. Mr. Herbert Spencer undertakes to reverse this decision. He says without a trace of a bright smile inence is quite compatible with some that greater longevity is not the lighting up her pretty face. James virtues, and, indeed, is sometimes consequence of marriage, but that a gave a few more whiffs at his nearly- promotive of whatever virtue there | tendency to longevity leads to marconsumed cigar, but he did not seem may be in works or words. There is riage. His law is that of natural to enjoy it much. A listener would no harder task imposed upon us than selection and survival of the fittest, have pronounced Mary a cold, unlov- to keep our real merit and accom- by which we are now taught to acing wife, that the presence of her plishment seperate from the praise count for the difference between a husband, or the return of her baby's which may be accorded to them. It whale and a mosquito, or, indeed, is the crown of a noble nature to between a man and an oyster. The rate Lookers-on and listeners do not love the heroic of any sort for its of marriage, he tells us, is regulated always look into the depths of the own sake, and to find its costliest re- by the ability to meet its responsi-

of his wife. He was not what the whether corporal or intellectual. He it has an element of truth. Men and world called an intemperate man— may be handsome or strong, learned women do generally prefer healthier one glass a day does not constitute a or eloquent, with a trumpet of his and higher types of either sex, but own and lungs of leather quite able they very frequently do not get what life, but you know that it is all I can tures, walks a thousand miles in a the diseased and the ill-developed thousand hours, dresses more artis, than there is among the married. "I know it, James," meekly replied tically, plays billiards more infallibly, The men who marry possibly carry sings more sweetly, converses more off the finest women; and moreover charmingly than most of his fellow marriages seem more necessary to creatures: may be, he preaches to a woman's happiness than it is to man's. congregation as large as a small ar But the chief defect in Mr. Spencer's money, or makes an exhibition of sponsibilities. them? Fox gave me a wood bill tives, or is the patriarch of a small of the most unmistakable character. this morning, and James wants to town, and holds all the rural offices. Doubtless marriage, regarded from He is not nice—distinguished, fa- the politico-economical point of view, paid. I den't like to bother with mous, celebrated, respected, notori- should be regulated by the ability to these things, only I want you to nn- ous-it is all one to him. The con- met its responsibilities. But who ment of the land, the appointment ine lightnin' rod that's made. It's derstand that as much as I love our dition of his content is to be talked that has observed life carefully will little girl, I can't afford to make her about—what men say of him is of venture to say that it is so? It may Mary's color came and went. Fears and breathes upon the merit of a they have a certain social position to stole into her violet eyes and her dead ancestor, like the young Penn- maintain, and who, in regard to all heart best quick and fast. Her trem sylvania Quaker who informed Mr. social matters, have been bred in bling fingers guided her needle un. Dickens that his grandfather invent habits of thought and feeling which steadily, and her stitches were long ed the celebrated Cold Pressed Cas- lead them to set aside impulse and and irregular. Three long years she tor Oil. What we call vanity, conceit, natural desire at the bidding of prubrooded along over her husband's self sufficiency, very frequently is no dence. But outside of that class, weakness without a reproof, and more than a desire to do something among men and women generally, much as she dreaded to speak she well for the sake of the world's apprudence, a cold forecast of responproval. But in estimating men of the sibilities, has no very great restrainstamp which we have indicated, it is ing influence. They marry, full of impossible not to feel that we are faith and hope, as well as of love, or dealing with the second rate and the mayhap without love they marry, seems cruel to neglect her birthday medicore. This restless desire of dis- they can hardly tell why, thinking that tinction is something much lower (to all will be well, and they will get on "I know nothing you could be use Dr. Robert Hall's words) than a somehow. And they do get on, most more prudent in, Mary, and you know "delicate sensibility to character, of them, somehow, and worry thro I am as economical as possible, don't a sober desire of reputation, a life, taking their shares of the joys you?"

wish to rossess the esteem of the and sorrows of marriage; often solely It was very hard for the lips that wise and good." It is an infirmity tried, sometimes almost despairing, uttered only the loving words of shared by the king on his throne and but on the whole and in the end bet praise to say no; but a strength not the clown of the circus, by the eru- ter for it, with a part of their moral her own came to her aid, and with a dite and the uneducated, by the nature developed of which before sweet smile the wife uttered the first mighty and the mean-but it is still their marriage they had no consciousness, and which would surely have It is a little mortifying, consider- remained in a torture and rudimenthat in some things you are too ex- ing how much we make of famous tary state. Exceptions apart, there travagant. It must be a sin of ig- ness, to discover how easily it may are very few married men and wonorance, for I know if you realized it be secured in an age of newspapers. men, who will not confess that maryou would never wrong your wife Almost anybody may be much spoken riage has made them better as well of and widely heralded if he is will- as happier, notwithstanding all their ing to pay advertising prices, and has trials. This is one reason why the sufficient persistence. The public proportion of the married among the journals, however, are quite at the insane is smaller than that of the unmercy of those who burn to be known. married. And so also physicians However the columns may be watch- know that, with all its physical trials, ed or tended, the pompous, the push-married life is better for women than ing, or the pertinacious will break unmarried. There is something in down all barriers, and get into them; the fitness of things to the end of although he may be compelled to which they were created. What commit suicide, moral or physical, to science seems to establish in one "During the last year you have accomplish his purpore. What one decade may be set aside by science drank at least two glasses of liquor sheet declines another is glad to have; in another, but a greater man than and whoever is much talked about is Herbert Spencer must arise to con-"Why, yes, I suppose so. What of necessarily put into print as a mat- vince the world that marriage is not ter of intelligence to which the om- in all respects the best state for both man an woman. paper are entitled for their money

BOYS, WAKE UP.

Boys, wake up! Don't sit dreaming mouth for an eternity of nine days. tobacco in any form. It will make If there were offices to insure no you filthy, create an appetite for toriety, we do not think that the pre- liquor, and make you old and

There is a quality of character Wake up! Try to be somebody subject of universal chatter, of miles Fred, who plays cards; or Tom, who upon miles of leading articles, of jests ssys his mother and father don't know in the boudoir and the bar-room. It anything; or like a score of other