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sideration upon the sentence, "For the greatest of all is Charity."

Sure enough, there is no room for loafers any where in this working world. They are not wanted in the busy workshop, nor in the editor's sanctum; they are a nuisance in the coun-

ciety, they are a hindrance and a bore. They loom no part of nature's plan; it abhors them as it does a vacuum. While the worlds around them are going forward, they are standing still, or rather gliding-imperceptibly-backward into seditious yagabondism. A loafer soon grows rusty. It is only use which keeps our faculties

ting along the sunny side of the street, lounging at corners, hanging about hotel doors with fine clothes upon their backs, and a well satisfied smirk upon their vacant countenances.—The poor creatures look down upon a working man as a being of an inferior order. No doubt

his hands. Why he is as far beneath him as, in the order of creation, the sloth is beneath the common horse. A young mechanic, in his working dress, and with his tools in his hands, is every way a more agreeable object than the best dressed loafer in existence. There is always room for him. He is never out of place.

The skilled workman is to the idle man what the manufactured article is to the raw material. He has an additional value above that of mere manhood. The world cannot get on without him, while it could spare every loafer in it, and be all the better for their absence. Reader, whatever you do, don't loaf.

spawn after the manner of mollusks generally. It is in its own way viviparous. It does not emit eggs; but, at the proper time, sends forth its young alive. The eggs are dislodged from the ovaries and committed to the nursing care of the gill and mantle. At first each egg seems

And this is a sign that the time of eviction is at hand; for nature now issues her writ to that effect. And wonderful little beings they are when the writ arrives to vacate the homestead; for whole troops of them can go gracefully, and without jostling, through the maddest evolutions in that tiniest sphere—a drop of water. As ci-

numbers, mutually avoiding one another, crossing each other's track in every direction with a wonderful rapidity, never touching and never meeting." The parent oyster has indeed a prodigious family to turn out upon the world. But when this time does come, though winter be near, the oysters are sumptuous and the sea

cloud. Though a little of the milky fluid be in it, this whitish cloud is composed chiefly of the tiny fry, for individually they are almost invisible. Indeed, who shall count the oyster's offspring? Scienoo, by her mother's, has made the computation, and so she gives us the as-

Learn a trade, or get into business, and go at it with a determination that defies failure, and you will succeed. Don't leave it, because hard blows are to be struck or disagreeable work to be performed. Those who have worked their way up to wealth and usefulness do not belong

It may be hard the first week, but after that I assure you it will become a pleasure, and you will feel enough better satisfied with yourself to pay for all the trials of a beginning. Let perseverance and industry be your motto, and with a steady application to business you need

the costly gaw-gaws sported by some people at the expense of the confiding tailor. The people who respect you only when well clad, will be the first to run from you in the hour of adversity.

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WOMEN'S FRIENDS

of the purest, most self-forgetful, self-denying love, the
attachments that the human heart can experience, and
to that feeling called love—we mean love in its
highest form, apart from all selfishness—whichever

And yet it is not the real thing—not friendship, but rather a kind of foreshadowing of love, a dream, to keep up whose vitality we must change its character, temper its exactions, resign its rights; in short, he buried and come to

another, then their attachment has taken its true shape, namely, tenderness without appropriation.

An exchange says, "with the beginning of the year we will reduce our business to a cash basis." Could you take the steps taken for subscription?