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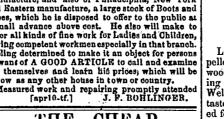
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as to pinch his tocs and raise a larger "corngloomy cell, away from all his friends, with no? by handwork in tilling the earth or by brain work in directing others in agriculture. Some day his father will die, and some stupid girl, who is looking out for a rich husband, will mar-ry this inefficient bit of humanity, and then they will either "live happily all their days," or else Avoid the Bible, and remember what you read, Avoid the company of bad boys, whether at home or at school. Always remember those four short words in the Bible, "Thou, Gody seest me." Had that young man remembered, then and also that young "If singers applied

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Boys, always mind your mothers ! Always .

them, and also that verse, "If sinners entice thee consent thou not," he would now probably

have been a good and happy man .- Well-

One day a gentleman saw two boys going, along the streets of a great city. They were bare footed. Their clothes were ragged and

Due of the boys was perfectly happy over a balf withered bunch of flowers which he had picked

up in the street. "I say, Billy," said he to his companion,

"wasn't somebody very kind to drop these 'ere posies where I could find 'em-and they are so

Billy was going to take a very little taste of :

"Bite b'gger, Billy ; mebby we'll find anoth-

er 'fore long." What a noble heart that boy had in spite of

his rags and dirt! He was "doing good." The There was nobody for him to be kind to but

his companion in poverty—the poor, ragged boy at his side. But he was showing him all

the kindness in his power, when he said i "Bile"

bigger, Billy." There was nothing greedy, no-thing selfish about the boy." His conduct shows

in the sense about the boy." In conduct shows his how even a poor ragged boy can do good, by showing kindness. "Bite bigger, Billy, mebby we'll find anothi-er 'fore long," Who can help admiring the nor-

r 'fore long," Who can help admiring the nor, ble heart of that poor boy!. I would rather have that poor boy's kind and generous shirit, than a merchant's crown without it. "Bite bigger, Billy." Think of these words! if you are ever tempted to be unkind or selfish

"My Boy DRUNK !" -- "Drunk !- my boy

"My Boy DRUNK !" -- "Drunk !- inty boy-drunk !" and tears started from the mothers' eyes, and she bent her head in uniters of a useful and honorable career were destroyed; and one of worthlessness, if not absolute dishonor, pre-sented itself. Well did she know that intend perance walks hand in hand with powerty, shame and death; and her mother heart, was plerced as with a sharp pointed steel. Ah, young man if the holy feeling of love?

for her who bore you is not. dead. within your, for her who bore you is not. dead. within your, shun that which gives her pain; adhere to that, which gives her joy. If she is with you or earth, she does not; cannot desire to see her son a drunkard; if she is with her Father in Heav?

en, shun that course of life which shuts the

gates of Heaven against you, and debars you from her society forever. The drunkard cannot inherit the kingdom of

Lost ! Lost !- What a finale to the history

of a being born for immortality, and called to endless honor 1 What a doom for one who might have been

forever saved ! What a destiny for a being for whom the Savior came !

Serious, courteous, moral, affectionate, but

Discreet, benevolent, educated, a church go

NEVER FRET.-Children, I have a capital rule

to give you about fretting and grumbling a very short rule, which is worth your while to re-

Never fret about what you can't help, because t won't do any good. Never fret about what you can help, because

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"BITE BIGGEB, BILLY !!

pooty and nice? Look sharp, Billy, mebby you'll find something bimeby." Presently the gentleman heard the merry

"Ohl jolly, Billy, if here ain't almost haff a "Ohl jolly, Billy, if here ain't almost haff a peach, and 'tain't much dirty neither'; "cause you han't found nothin', you may bite first."

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The editor of a newspaper says that he never dotted an "i" but once in his life," and

if you can help it, do so. When you are tempted to grumble about any-thing, ask yourself, "Can I help this?" and if you can't, don't fret; but if you can, do so, and see how much better you will feel. A GOLDEN THOUGHT .- Let our laws and in-A GOLDEN THOUGHT. Let our is a sing in stitutions speak not of white men, not of red men, not of black men, not of men of any race or complexion; but, like the laws of God, the Ten Commandments, and the Lord's Prayet,

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JOHNSON'S NEW DICTIONARY .- Loyalty-Sub

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"Why, ten," said he. ""God bless you and them together." and the commandments there were: "Truly, sir," said she, "I cannot tell," "Why, ten," said he. "A fine company," replied she, ""God bless you and them together." A COSTLY VICE .--- According to the Interna Revenue statistics, there are now annually con-sumed, in the United States, about forty-five million gallons of spirituons liquors—equal to one and a half gallons for every man, woman child. The wholesale price of the commonest article of whiskey is now in the neighborhood you can keep the commandments ?' "Ab, the Lord in Heaven bless you, sir. I'm a poor woman, and can barely keep myself, so how how can I bear the charge of keeping so

God. over a new leaf and try to do something, not merely to get enough to eat, drink, and wear but to honor the God who has made you, and KEEPING THE COMMANDMENTS .- A Clergy man finding his flock very ignorant, recoived to pay them domiciliary visits, and inspect them at their houses. Coming to a poor woman's 'cab' o adorn the nation in which He has placed you