



Rev. Dr. Tarnage.

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labor, however. Mr. Moncrieff paid a visit to his home in June, and then it was chiefly in order to arrange that Miss Jacky and Stella should take Molly to the seaside for a little change of air...

"It is a great shame," said Molly, in an aggrieved tone, "because the school would make such a nice little retreat for Bertie and me. One can't get a single sound from these folks in the new part of the house. But Uncle Ralph keeps us out."

"Yes, but I do not think that I shall find them here," said Stella. "I should like to see them, but I am afraid I must not wait. Miss Raeburn—excuse me—is it true that you want pupils? My question sounds abrupt, but our time may be limited, and I hear that you are anxious to teach if you could find school."

"The two had a plain, sensible, business-like little chat, in which Mr. Moncrieff's respect for Stella's capacities was increased tenfold. He left her at last with the matter with her Aunt Jacky and that if her Aunt Jacky did not object to the new arrangement should begin as soon as the holidays left."

"You dear, delicious thing!" cried Molly. "How awfully good it is of you to teach me! I never thought that any little girl so good could ever happen."

LABOR NOTES.

Good household servants are paid from \$1 to \$2 a month. American apples are retailed for \$1 a dozen in Mexico. In France when a railway train is more than ten minutes late the company is fined.

There is a project on foot to build a big smelter on the line of the Atchafalaya, near Napoleon, Mo. In order to get the power, a new dam is to be built on the river. The project is being pushed by the Atchafalaya Electric Co.

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NEW INVENTIONS.

A handy device for use in connection with a pump consists of a reservoir of water, the water being drawn up by a plunger running through an opening in the faucet for discharging a quantity of silt into the water as it flows through the faucet, thus mixing the silt with the water.

A newly-devised umbrella case has a cloth strip attached to one side of the umbrella top in such a manner that when the umbrella is closed the edges of the strip overlap each other around the umbrella, forming a pocket into which the umbrella can be slipped and fastened along the edge of the strip to be locked together by a cord.

Wheesmen with inner tube tires will appreciate a new inner tube just patented. It consists in vulcanizing the tube so that when it is not inflated it will fold over on itself, thus making it easy to pack and more easily entered into the outer tube, when it can be inflated and made to unfold into the usual shape.

A novel hairpin just patented consists of a round button, the one end of which is secured to a piece of steel wire, the ends of which are coiled around the edge of the button, with the points projecting far enough to engage the hair, when the button is twisted around so that the wires enter the hair and hold it fast.

There is a vast difference in one's respect for the man who has made himself, and the man who has only made his money.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

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FASHION NOTES.

Paid is also seen, but they are likely to do better in the more subdued and looser combinations than in the larger and louder patterns. The tight skirt is in vogue for winter gowns; it is only wide enough to permit walking; the heaviest fabrics, furs, etc., are used only, and a skirt of this kind requires hardly more fabric than a large pleated middie; it is in great favor, as it fits well, is not weighty on the shoulders, and, then, it permits the wearing of the jacket.

A combination of velvet will be worn into midsummer, and even through the winter. Velvet, in a deep blue, to which have been added a few drops of ammonia, goes first the glasses, each one of which is dried rapidly with a soft linen cloth. Now the washing powder or the soap, inclosed in a shaker, or, lacking this, in a deep cup, goes in the pan, and the silver is washed each piece being rubbed to a polish while still hot. Lusted to the china, from which the grease must already have been rinsed. As many plates, etc., cool the dishes, boiling water must be poured in as often as needed. The use of bright and polished table ware is never to allow a dish to drain. Each bit of crockery or metal must be wiped the moment it is drawn from the hot sud. Not one servant in a hundred will follow this rule, unless constantly reminded by the mistress. The maid must do so. The price of well-washed dishes is, like all other dignity housework, the mistress' eternal vigilance.—Harper's Bazar.

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PRINTING ON ENVELOPES.

Postmaster Sahm, of Indianapolis, has received a construction from the department at Washington that he regards as novel. The American Collecting and Reporting Association asked to have stamped envelopes mailed on which the words "collecting and reporting" appeared. On the small envelope the type was proportionately smaller than on a large one. The department holds that the largest envelope is objectionable and unmailable, because the words are too conspicuous. The smaller one is mailable, the department says.

How many fathers and mothers make religion such a cruel thing that their children hate it. There are said to be pelicans with a wing spread as far as fifteen feet. A history is a nighty drama, enacted upon the theatre of Time, with suns for lanterns and eternity for a background.

The covetous person lives as if the world were made altogether for him, and not as for the world. A man has no more right to say an unkind thing than to act one; no more right to say a rude thing to another than to knock him down.