

fearful run for life. Just where the narrow path from the erchard opened into the road Hétty Marvin out bleaching her household linen. The long web of forty miles or more, which was diligently spun and weven during the long winter months, was whitened in May and thus made ready for use.

The business of bleaching was well nized, being usually done by the younger daughters of the family, who were not old enough to spin or strong mough for the heavier work of the kitchen or the dairy.

The roll of linen was taken by the farmer or his stout "help" to a grassy plot beside a spring or meadow brook. There it was thoroughly wetted and ad upon the green turf to take the

A Tale of Seeking and Finding of Gold prosecuting a hungry looking individand a Miner True to His Trust. | ual who had been taken into custody "When the Klondike craze firs the previous evening. "We tried to started, in 1896," said a man from Call avoid placing him under arrest, but he abues matt b fornia, "a veteran pro

ind the audiences that assemble in his playhouses include the foremost peo-ple of the city, as well as the most dis-* riminating theatre-goers. The Keith clientele exceeds the patonage of any two other theatres in which after twilight had ventured in Sonage of any two other theatres in sight of the shore and farmhouse, and the Governor quietly made his way to the river in safety. When he rejoined his father in a secure home he named his infant daughter, which hal been horn in his absence. Hetty Marvin, that 3 vicinity are daily conspicuous in the assemblages. Felt mis superiority. "This man, your honor, was abusing

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ALMOST TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE every policeman he came across," testi-fied an officer before Justice Martin in

His Denomination.

"Why does he think I am a Baptist?"

A Last Request.

She-Will you grant me a favor?

A Matter of Words.

"Pushing, did you say? You've got the

Rising to an Occasion.

Mrs. Younglove-John, do you know

John, it will be observed, had hi

upon my mental capacity?" "Oh, no," he hurriedly returned; "I

for me: I shall hang myself.

He-Certainly. Name it.

"Why so?"

less true.

She-It is.

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eader.

ake you to notice it.



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Spinning! Round! and round I go, Twirling, tripping, dipping, Gliding to and fro; Cutting graceful circles. Then, with sudden start Right and left go bounding-Wel I know my art! Life to me is moion! Blithe as bird on wing, With each revolution. Hark the song I sing! Humming, humming, hun ming, Round and round I go! Ob I lead a gay life, Gliding to and fro -Little Folks.

HOW TOM THUMB GOT HIS TITLE The Name Was Given by Barnum and the "General" by Queen Victoria. The Countess Magri, formerly Mrs. fom Thumb, in a paper in the Woman's Home Companion, gives the following account of how the famous dwarf came

Queen by asking particularly after the

second time summoned to appear at the

salace he was presented both to the

Prince of Wales and to the Princess

Royal, who afterward became Empress

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aosphere, but that's poor consolation

o a man who has been struck by light-

A bicycle rider on a rough road in

prone to believe that there are sermons

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Prince of Wales, and when he was the

"I send you this letter to publish for the benefit of others. I was sick for about nine years so that I could not do my work. For three months I could not sit up long enough to have my bed made. I had five different doctors, and all said there was no help for me. My trouble was change of life. I suffered with ulceration of the womb, pain in sides, kidney and stomach trouble, back-ache, headache, and dizziness. I am well and strong, and feel like a new person. My recovery is a perfect surprise to everybody that knew me. I owe all to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I would not do without your medicine for anything. There is no need of women suffering so much if they would take your remedies, for they are a sure cure."-MBS. CHARLOTE JORNSON, Monclova, Ohio. by his name: "In speaking of Mr. Stratton I have used the name General Tom Thumb. for by that name the public best knew on. Monclova, Ohio. alm. Perhaps a statement of how he eccived his title will be of interest-a story which even Mr. Barnum has negected to make known, but which Mr. Stratton himself told me. When Mr. ham's medicine to accomplish. Barnum first made his acquaintance and persuaded his parents to allow to trave WAS good scheme to introduce him to the public as 'Tom Thumb.' So as Tom Thumb he was heralded by all the skill which made Barnum so famous, and by that name he was introduced to Queen Victoria and many of the royal and itled frequenters of St. James.

When one stops to think about the good Mrs. Johnson derived from Mrs. Pinkham's advice and medicine, it seems almost beyond belief ; yet it is all true as stated in her three letters published above at her own request. As a matter of positive fact Mrs. Pinkham has on file thousands of letters from women who have been safely carried through that danger period "Change of Life." Mrs. Johnson's cure is not an unusual one for Mrs. Pink-

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best heat of the sun by day and the dew by night. The little maiden who ended to it would sit near it.

Thus sat Hetty Marvin, the young daughter of Governor Griswold's sounds, when her hunted friend sprang past her into the road to escape his puruers. Hetty was a timid child of about 12 years, yet thoughtful and wise beyond any of her elders. She was frightened by the headlong haste with which the Governor rushed across the meadow. But she quickly comprehended the scene and instantly quieted her faithful Towser, who, though a friend of the family guest, thought it becoming to bark loudly at his hurried footsteps.

Her wise forethought arrested the Governor's notice and suggested a scheme to slude his pursu

"Hetty," he said, "I am flying for my life, and unless I can reach my boat before I am overtaken I am a lost man. You see the road forks here. But you must tell those who are chasing me that I have gone up the road to catch the mail wagon, which will soon be along. you know. Then they will turn off the other way."

"Oh, cousin," said the little girl in an agony of distress, "I cannot tell a lieindeed I cannot. Why did you tell which way you were going?"

"Hetty, child, surely you would not betray me to my death? Hark! they are coming! I hear the click of their ornes' feet. Oh. Hetty, tell them I have gone up the road instead of down. and heaven will bless you."

"Heaven never blesses those who speak falsely. But I will not tell them which way you go, even if they kill me. So run as quickly as possible."

"It's of no use. Unless I can deceive them I am a dead man." "Cousin, cousin, hide under my web

of cloth. They'd never think of looking there for you. Come, get down as quickly as you can, and I'll cover you and stand sprinkling my linen."

Angry that their expected prey had escaped from the house where they soped to secure him, the six mounted Tories, headed by a British officer. dashed along the road in swift pursuit. At sight of the girl in the meadow the leader of the party paused.

"Child." he said sternly, "have you seen a man running hereabouts?" "Yes, sir," replied Hetty, trembling

and flushing. "Which way did he go?"

"I promised not to tell. sir." "But you must or take the conse

suences. "I said I wouldn't tell if you killed me," sobbed the frightened girl.

"I'll have it out of her!" exclaime the furious officer with an oath.

"Let me speak to her," said his Tory guide. "I know the child, I believe. Isn't your name Hetty Marvin?" he asked pleasantly.

"Yes, sir." "And this man that ran by you a few minutes ago is your mother's cousin, tan't he?"

"Yes sir, he is." Well, we are friends of his. What

did he say to you when he came along?" "He-told me-that he was ficeing for

his life." "Just so, Hetty; that was very true.

I hope he won't have to fly far. Where was he going to hide? You see I could help him if I knew his plans." Now, Hetty was not a whit deceived

this smooth speech. But she was lling to tell as much of the truth as would be consistent with his safety, and the judged that her frankness would mye her kinsman better than her silmere, so she answered her questio madidiy:

Peterson drifted into the city looking be endured any longer." for somebody who might 'grub stake him to try his luck in Alaska. At las you?" inquired the court. a tobacconist, whom he knew slightly agreed to stand half the expense, and cer's reply, "that he was so much sugave him a note to a race borse man perior to any officer he had ever seen asking him to contribute the balance that he would not notice them." Peterson found the turfman in a gam The justice looked at the hungry-apbling house, half tipsy and playing pearing individual before him and askroulette. He read the note, pushed I ed if he had uttered this slander against ten dollar stock of chips on the boart the police officer. "Yes, your honor," said the prisoner and said: 'I'll play these for you, and I can win your stake with 'em yot "and I repeat it. I never knew a police can have it.' By a remarkable coinci officer that was not a scoundrel, and in

had left behind.

The signal had recalled the boat,

which after twilight had ventured in

born in his absence, Hetty Marvin, that

he might be daily reminded of the little

cousin whose truth and shrewdness

saved his life.-Exchange.

bets, ran the chips up to \$200 and gave of them. I can give them cards and at right-angles and united with the the miner the money. The tobacconis spades when it comes to separating an put up \$200 more and Peterson lef individual from his money." on the next ship for St. Michaels. He The court inflicted a fine of \$1 and was soon in the Dawson district, suf costs against the prisoner .- Chicago

fered the usual vicissitudes of the gold Chronicle. hunters in that region, and, finally, jus as he was about to give up in despair Three men once stepped up to a noted located a couple of good claims at the head of Anvil creek, one for himsel: revivalist, at the close of one of his and one for his 'stakers.' He developed evening meetings and asked him to dehis own prospect during the following cide a point concerning which they had

mmer, got \$12,000 out of it in dus been disputing. and sold the other for \$18,000 cash Then his health broke down and las spokesman, "contends that you are a Baptist-" spring he returned home. 'Meanwhile, things had gone badly

interrupted the evangelist. with his patrons. The tobacconist died "Because he has seen you assisting suddenly in the fall of '98, his share enthusiastically at a baptism by imin the stake going, by custom, to his associate; but the horseman had long mersion. My other friend is equally since forgotten the whole affair, if, in sure you are a Methodist-" deed, he ever remembered it after he "Why?"

got sober. He had plenty of othe things to occupy him, in the shape of a sequence of hard luck that eventually Methodist brother has been praying. I cleaned him out and left him flat broke know personally he was without the a Congregationalist or a Presbyterian." price of a meal half the time during winter of 1899-1900, and that was when you pray." about his condition when Peterson

struck Frisco in the spring. The pros ector first inquired for his friend, the bacco man, and learning he was dead of you is right. I belong to all four started out to hunt up the other part of those denominations." ner. It was no easy job, for the brok

en sport owed everybody he knew and was 'lying low' to avoid .s. Peter son, who had never seen him but that one night at the gambling house, had a very indistinct recollection of hit features and actually passed him sev eral times without recognizing him

Finally the man was pointed out in a bar. 'Are you Mr. ---- ? asked the miner. 'No, I'm not,' said the other thinking the stranger wanted money 'Aren't you the man that staked me

one evening in '98?' persisted Peterson, around here. and related the circumstance. 'Oh, yes!' said the turfman, impatiently; "What a pushing fellow that your you're that Klondike lunatic. If you Higley is! Six years ago he was a wait-

want another stake you've struck the ir in a cheap restaurant. To-day he wrong shop.' Then Peterson got mad has a government job that pays him 'Confound your ugly picture!' he said \$7,000 a year." 'I don't want anything from you except a receipt for \$15,000! Here's your mon wrong word. Pulling is what you

sy.' The poor sport was so amazed he came near fainting dead away. When he got the facts through his head he ran out and danced a jig in the middle of the street and yelled 'Glory!' ac

loud you could hear him half way te Sacramento. The money put him on his feet and he is doing well at present. Peterson has returned to Dawson City. A version of the story has been told in print, but it was bach

garbled. The facts are exactly as I have given them."-New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Old-Fashioned Plow. Nearly all of the Egyptian farmer use the same kind of plow that was used 5,000 years ago. If you have a philosophical que

risht.

\$ 3 "What was the worst thing he called "He said, your honor," was the offie 0+000

5100 Thew. PLANS FOR THE CASTLE. dence he won three or four straight this one respect I am superior to all model. The edge stripes should be bent corresponding ones by means of strong glue. Set the building on a foundation

> of wood or heavy pasteboard and surcound it with lawns (green moss), graveled walks, etc. How Princes Are Punished. That there is no whipping boy in Germany was evidenced the other day when the empress sent her eldest son,

the future emperor, from the table on account of his rudeness. The prince, t appears, was unmannerly to a young-"One of my friends here," said the er brother, and the empress, turning to the French tutor, who on that occasion had charge of the princes, said:

"Monsieur, I beg that you will ask me to excuse his royal highness, the prince."

The tutor begged that the prince be excused, and that young gentleman was forced to leave the table without finshing his meal. It is well known that "Well, he has heard you say 'amen!" the royal boys of Germany have had with much fervor when some good to grin and bear many a sound flogging administered by the imperial hand. differ with both. I say you are either along with a vast deal of discipline from governors, tutors, etc.

A different state of affairs this from "Well, I notice you always stand the time when a boy was kept to be ounished instead of a prince. In Eng-"My brother," was the reply, "I have land such a youth was called the whipalmost forgotten, but I think each one ping boy, and a famous English artist W. A. Stacey, painted a portrait of Prince Edward, afterward Edward VT., This, in the larger sense, was doubt trying to defend his whipping boy from a flogging which he himself deserved. In those days a prince who was te be a king was looked upon and treated He-And am I to understand that four refusal is final? as a person of great importance. His person was held to be sacred, and so t would never have done to punish He-Then life no longer has a charm him. If an English prince missed his lessons, was rude to his teachers or committed any of the other naughty tricks common to saucy children his She-Discontinue your existence else whipping boy was flogged .-- Cleveland where; papa objects to your hanging

Her Answer. I studied my tables over and over and backward and forward, too, But I couldn't remember six times nine, and I didn't know what to do

Till my sister told me to play with my

doll and not to bother my head. "If you call her 'Fifty-four' for awhile, you will learn it by heart," she said.

So I took my favorite, Mary Ann, though I thought 'twas a dreadful shame To give such a perfectly lovely child such

a perfectly horrid name, And I called her my little "Fifty-four" hat you haven't kissed me for a week? Mr. Younglove-Yes, darling, I was hundred times, till I knew just waiting to see how long it would

The answer of six times nine as well a the answer of two times two.

resence of mind with him.-Cleveland Next day Elizabeth Wigglesworth, wh always acts so proud, "six times nine is fifty-two, and Said,

He Was Too Hasty. "Why is it," he asked, "that beautiful nearly laughed aloud, But I wished I hadn't when the teacher

women are always the most stupid?" said, "Now, Dorothy, tell if you "Sir," she replied, "am I to under-stand that you desire to cast reflections can." I thought of my doll, and makes alive!-I answered, "Mary Ann!" For

-Anna M. Pratt.

Slate Pen

have always said that you were one of the brightest girls I ever-" But he didn't finish. Before he could Slate pencils were formerly cut from state just as it is dug from the earth. do so he realized that he had said the wrong thing and could never make it

Pencils so made were objected to on account of the grit which they contain. woil that has lost his teeth but not his To everyone this difficulty, says the appetite.

A STRANGE CITY. Where the Insane Find Welcome, Good Treatment and Cure.

The little city of Gheel, in Belgium, is a resort for demented people. According to a legend that has had, and even at the present day still has, much weight with the peasantry of Belgium "On his first visit he had amused the

the city started as follows: Many centuries ago, on the site where Gheel now stands, an insane father murdered his lovely young daughter A shrine was erected to her memory and was called "Saint Dymphna." The belief arose that Saint Dymphn

of Germany. As he stood beside the particularly favored the insane, and did children his smallness was more nomiraculous things for them; in conse dceable. The Duke of Wellington was quence, hundreds of insane people were present, and noticed this fact, evidently yearly brought to her shrine that she with much interest as he said to some might intercede with God for their resone standing near. "Their Royal Hightoration. esses are head and shoulders taller

Oftentimes many of the unfortunates than Tom Thumb.' 'This remark,' the lingered around the shrine for months General told me, 'was overheard by the at a time, finally it became a permanent Queen, and turning to the Duke she abiding place for many, and gradually said, "General Tom Thumb." Bowing a city came into existence. It now has low to her majesty the Duke gave me a population of about ten thousand, and the military salute, repeating the title, at least every fourth resident is insane. "General Tom Thumb." Everybody The insane that come to them are not bowed, and although I did not fully lodged in asylums; those not easily comprehend then that her majesty's managed are taken care of in suburban simple say-so could make it unchangecottages, and the mildly insane board able, I found that ever after that I was with the private families of the city. addressed as General.' Very few of them are under restrictions "Mr. Stratton also said that he knew of any nature, and they are met with nough of the war history of the Duke everywhere in the city, walking about

of Wellington to be greatly interested with entire freedom. in him, and to feel that an introduction The coming of an insane boarder into to this 'great fighter,' as he called, was a Gheel family is made a gala-day afworth more than a chat with this royal fair. Every member of the fafily boy and girl."

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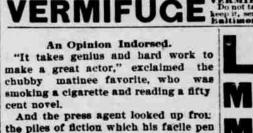
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there was? Hicks-Why, it has sold 300,000 copes.-Somerville Journal.

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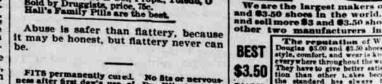
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