them and become to them the sud server and life give: which turn out to hear you down there." great Head of the church truly inded we should be. I leave this plan to come?" ch I have proposed before you for Christian thought and prayer. may the Holy Spirit guide us all all the truth. Amen."

Philip had deliberately planned create a sensation, he could not done anything more radical to t it about. If he had stood on platform and fired a gun into the n this calm proposal to them that plan.

move their building a mile away its aristocratic surroundings. thing that he had said in his previsermons had provoked such a spirt opposition. This time the church roused. Feelings of astonishment, ignation and alarm agitated the mbers of Calvary church. Some of m gathered about Philip at the close he service.

It will not be possible to do this ng you propose, Brother Strong," one of the deacons, a leading memand a man who had defended Philonce or twice against public criti-

Why not?" asked Philip simply. He s exhausted with his effort that ming, but felt that a crisis of some



It will not be possible to do this thing you propose, Brother Strong.

art had been precipitated by his mesige, and so he welcomed this show of terest which his sermon had aroused. "The church will not agree to such a hing.'

"A number of them favor such a ep," replied Philip, who had talked er the matter fully with many in the urch.

"A majority will vote against it." "Yes, an overwhelming majority," aid one man. "I know a good many the would not be able to go that disance to attend church, and they cerinly would not join any other church a the street. I know, for one, I ouldn't."

"Not if you thought Christ's kingdom this town would be advanced by it?" sked Philip, turning to this man with directness that was almost bluntness. "I don't see that that would be a test f my Christlanity."

"That is not the question." said one f the trustees, who had the reputation t being a very shrewd business man. The question is concerning the feasibility of moving this property a mile nto the poorest part of the town and

wou't come up to church they will Thousands Have Kidney Trouble "All right. When do you want me

"Say next Tuesday. You know where the hall is?"

Philip nodded. He had been by it in his walks through that part of Milton. The spokesman for the workmen expressed his thanks and arose to go, but Philip asked him to stay a few moments. He wanted to know at first platform and fired a gun into the hand what the man's representative ence, it would not have startled fellows would do if the church should members of Calvary church more at any time decide to act after Philip's

> "Well, to tell the truth, Mr. Strong, der are out of order. I don't believe very many of them would join any church."

"That is not the question. Would they feel the church any more there than where it is now?"

"Yes, I honestly think they would. They would come out to hear you."

does it strike you on the whole?" believe I shall, though."

"Why?" "Your church won't agree to it." "Maybe they will in time."

"I hope they will. And let me tell you, Mr. Strong, even if you succeeded in getting your church and people to come into the tenement district you would find plenty of people there who wouldn't go to hear you." "I suppose that is so. But, oh, that

"I suppose that is so. But, oh, that we might do something:" Philip clasped his hands over his knee and gazed earnestly at the man opposite. The man returned the gaze almost as earnestly. It was the personification of the church confronting the laboring man, each in a certain way asking the other, "What will the church do?" And it was a noticeable fact that the minister's look revealed more doubt and anxiety than the other man's look, which contained more or less of indifference and distrust. Phillip sighed. and his visitor soon after took his leave.

So it came about that Philip Strong me Italian plunged into a work which from the time he stepped into the dingy little hall and faced the crowd peculiar to it had a growing influence on all his SEARS, ROE 1. 4, 510 (ha., Chicago, III, Strange, career grow in strangeness (Sars Feldera, et and the strangeness) strange career, grew in strangeness (Sears rapidly as days came on.

He was invited again and again to address the men in that part of Milton. They were almost all of them mill employees. They had a simple organization for debate and discussion of questions of the day. Gradually the crowds increased as Philip continued to come and developed a series of talks on Christian socialism. There was standing room only. He was beginning to know a number of the men, and a strong affection was growing up in their hearts for him.

That was just before the time the trouble at the mills broke out. He had just come back from the hall where he evening and where he had spoken on his favorite theme-"The Meaning and subject from the Christian point of view entirely. He had several times roused his rule audience to enthusiasm. Moved by his theme and his surround-ings, he had denounced, with even more than usual vigor, those men of ease and wealth who did nothing with their and wealth who did nothing with their est appliances, the newest ideas and beautiful money to help their brothers. He had mentioned, as he went along, what great responsibility any great power bined with experience and skill in puts on a man and had dealt in a broad the use of such instruments. Making way with the whole subject of power mistakes a thing of the past. No in men as a thing to be used and aldrugs used. ways used for the common good.

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- "No; I want you to alt perfectly quiet."

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Pause. "Ma, may I grow."-Collier's Weekly.

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### Killing.

"Why are you questioning me so closely?" fiercely demanded the woman, turning upon him.

"Your eyes are quite capable of it, madam." gallantly replied the detective.

Whereupon she relented, and presently he went away with the desired information .- Chicago Tribune.

### Just as Courageons.

"What a brave man George Washing-ton was!" exclaimed Mrs. Bainbridge with patriotic admiration.

"I don't know that he was any braver than I," retorted Mr. Bainbridge; "for I, too, married a widow."

Then Mrs. Bainbridge looked sharp daggers at her husband.-Judge.

Not to Be Thought Of. "Dear me!" cried the nurse, "the baby has swallowed my railway ticket. What shall I do?"

"Go and buy another at once." returned the mother. "I am not going to let the collector punch the baby."-Tit-Bits.

### Not for Him. They were engaged.

"Life," she said, as she arose from the piano stool, "will be one long, sweet song after we are married."

"That settles it, then," firmly reponded her lover, as he took his hat and departure.-Stray Stories.

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ien maintaining it there. In my opinon it cannot be done. The expenses of the organization cannot be kept up. We should lose some of our best financial supporters. Mr. Strong's spirit and purpose spring from a good motive, no doubt, but viewed from a business point of view the church in that locality would not be a success. To my mind it would be a very unwise thing to do. It would practically destroy our organization here and not really establish anything there."

"I do not believe we can tell until we try," said Philip. "I certainly do not wish the church to destroy itself foolishly, but I do feel that we ought to do something very positive and very large to define our attitude as saviors in this community. And moving the house, as I propose, has the advantage of being a definite, practical step in the direction of a Christlike use of our powers as a church."

There was more talk of the same sort, but it was plainly felt by Phillip that the plan he had proposed was distasteful to the greater part of the church, and if the matter came to a vote it would be defeated. He talked the plan over with his trustees, as he had already done before he spoke in public. Four of them were decided in their objection to the plan. Only one fully sustained Phillip. During the week he succeeded in finding out that from his membership of 500 less than 40 persons were willing to stand by him in so radical a movement. And Jet the more Philip studied the problem of the town the more he was persuaded that the only way for the church to make any impression on the tenement district was to put itself difeetly in touch with the neighborhood. To accomplish that necessity Philip was not stubborn. He was ready to adopt any plan that would actually do omething, but he grew more eager every day that he spent in the study of the town to have the church feel its opportunity and make Christ a reality to those most in need of him.

It was at this time that Philip was surprised one evening by a call from one of the workingmen who had been present and heard his sermon on moving the church into the tenement district.

"I came to see you particularly, Mr Strong, about getting you to come down to our hall some evening nex

"Is to take to you, and while the THO

He did not recall his exact statements, but felt a little uneasy as he walked home, for fear he might possibly have influenced his particular audience against the rich as a class. He had not intended anything of the kind, but had a vague idea that possibly he ought to have guarded some words or sentences more carefully.

He had gone up into his study to finish some work when the bell rang sharply, and he came down to open the door just as Mrs. Strong came in from the other room, where she had been

giving directions to the girl, who had gone up stairs through the kitchen. The minister and his wife opened the door together, and one of the neighbors rushed into the hall so excited he could hardly speak.

tracted the disease, having severe coughing spells. We had used Cham-"Oh, Mr. Strong, won't you go right down to Mr. Winter's house? You berlain's Cough Remedy very suc-have more influence with those men cessfully for croup and naturally than any one around here." than any one around here." it relieved the cough and effected a

"What men?"

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take. "Who is trying to kill him-the mill men?" "Yes! No! I do not, cannot tell.

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Philip turned to his wife. "Sarah, It is my duty. If anything should happen to me, you know my soul will meet yours at the gates of paradise."

He kissed her and rushed out into the night.

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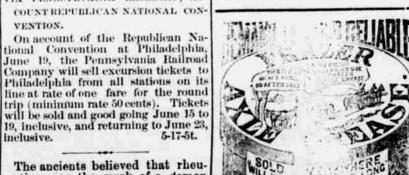
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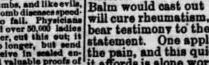
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