



LITTLE BUTTER BALL BEGINNING TO WALK.

"Now, see what a cruel, bad girl you have been. You have hurt its poor little wings, and no man can ever mend it. God made it, and no one has ever discovered its pattern. I can do for dogs and cats and children, but I don't know how to cure butterflies. Put it on a flower and see if it will get well. Dear me, what a naughty girl you are," said Auntie Violet sadly.

Dorothy sat down on the grass and began to cry in a sorrowful way, and Will tried to console her, but she sobbed for a long time to herself. Then she went to look for the butterfly with the broken wing. It sat very still and quivered sometimes as if in pain. Then she talked to it in crooning baby talk and lifted it up tenderly and took it in the house and put it on a geranium in her mother's window.

The next morning Auntie Violet was watering the flowers and picked up the little butterfly and took it and showed it to the children.

"Dead!" said Auntie Violet. "Dead! Poor little innocent butterfly that never harmed anybody." And she kissed the little white wings and laid it away among the flowers.

The tears came to Dorothy's eyes and she said, "Do you s'pose Dad will forgive Dorothy?" It seemed a sad lesson for one so young, but Auntie Violet took her in her arms and kissed her and said she believed God would forgive all little girls who truly repented.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Just a walking, just a talking, Little butter ball; Just a yearning, To be learning, Anything at all.

Just a peeping, Through the sleeping, Months of infancy; Into wonder, Into wonder, Life's infinitude.

Just a waking, Just a taking, Everything for truth; Never dreaming, Of the meaning, Fallacies of youth.

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THE KING AS A MAN. Though short in Stature He is Dignified in Bearing.

"Every inch a king" in the person of King Edward means 5 feet 6 1/2 inches, and in weight he scales about 16 stone, yet such is the dignity of his bearing and the excellence of his carriage that his majesty's appearance belies the lowliness of his stature and the weightiness of his person.

Had Good Ground for Thinking So. The following incident is reported as having occurred in a person who figured on the register was objected to by one of the agents on the ground that he was dead.

Remember, my man, that 'stone walls do not a prison make, nor iron bars a cage.' 'Well, all I gotta say is dat dis is a purty good imitation.'—New York Journal.

For No Living Man. Examining Counsel—"What do you do for a living?" "Don't do anything for a living soul; I'm an undertaker."—Boston Transcript.

Facing the Music. Materfamilias—"And the girls all need gowns and hats; and I—"

An Outsider. "She says she would like to get away somewhere where she would have time to think."

Popularity. "Do you think he would be a success in politics?" "Yes, indeed. Why, he has thoroughly mastered the knack of looking interested when he is being bored."—New York News.

Proof Positive. "I suppose you set a good table?" remarked the man who was looking for board.

A Word of Warning. "What do you think about that man's boastful assertion that his word is as good as his bond?"



MERRY SIDE OF LIFE

Out of the Hurly Burly. We'd be more contented, perhaps, know less of defeat's painful throbs, if we would quit looking for snags, and stick to our regular jobs. —Puck.

The World as We Find It. Fudd—"This is a hard world." Dudd—"And yet everybody is looking for soft places in it."—Boston Transcript.

A Geography Lesson. "Papa, what is a marriage in high life?" "Two vacant hearts entirely surrounded by cash."—Life.

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AMERICAN ENTERPRISE AHEAD. British Beaten in Contracts on Their African Ground.

Stars and Stripes Fourth Oldest. The national flag that has been longest in use is other the dragon banner of China or the crysanthemum flag of Japan.

Japs Want a Language. Japan is sorely exercised over her educational problems as we are.

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