

The Fireside.

THE LIFE GAUGE

They are who measure life by years. With false or thoughtless tongue: Some hearts grow old before their time: Others are always young.

HOME.

The home governs the world. All social and moral laws of our common civilization revolve around the home.

Let the home be a cheerful, sunny place. There let us find neatness and comfort. Above all, let us have always good nature and means of improvement.

Did you ever hear the little fable of the chairs? For fear you haven't I'll tell it to you.

"Well," said a straight-backed, straight-legged chair to a cosy rocking-chair by whose side it chanced to be placed, "before I would be such a drudge as you are, I would be a stool; or if possible, something more insignificant."

"The moral of this pretty fable, that all who cheerfully and willingly do for others are the ones who gain most for themselves."

A BOY'S AMBITION.

Of course he means to do something for himself by and by, but he does not propose to soil his fingers with work.

How much does a young doctor receive? Oh! but you don't mean to be a poor clerk. You intend to be a great lawyer, with ten thousand a year, or a doctor with a carriage.

Do you not care much about medicine; you have no burning desire to study this magnificent machine, the human body.

Do you don't care very much for dreardful work in hospitals, and yet you mean to be a doctor. You would secretly much prefer to have a kit of carver's tools, but, of course, you could never be a carver by trade?

Stop coughing at once by the immediate use of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup; 25 cts. a bottle.

STORY ABOUT UNCLE RUBE.

Here is a story which was written out by an esteemed reader of the Chicago Herald, and slipped under the door-mat:

Two men were standing on the sidewalk near the northwestern depot on Wells street the other morning, waiting for the Wells street bridge to close, conversing in an idle manner, when old Unle Rube came sauntering along.

"Which am not what?" asked the old darkey.

"Well this gentleman here says it costs more for a married man to live than it does not married. I say no! Now, what do you say?"

MAKE FRIENDS.

Life is very critical. Any farewell, even amid glee and merriment, may be forever. If this truth were but imparted to our consciousness and if ruled as a deep conviction and real power in our lives, would it not give a new meaning to our human relationship?

WOMEN--MEN.

Women jump at conclusions and generally hit; men reason things out logically and generally miss.

When a woman becomes flurried she feels for a fan; when a man becomes hurried he feels for a cigar.

A woman always carries her purse in her hand so that other women will see it. A man carries his inside so that his wife won't see it.

When a woman wants to repair damages she uses a pin; when a man wants to repair damages he uses two hours and a half trying to thread a needle.

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