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Spring Without Blossoms．

## Late in Life to Look for Joy－Yet Nev




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No oue stood up．The boys looked at
each oher，but no one moved．
＂Well，all that did not write that sen－
＂ence
Like one boy the whole school aros
to its feet，Atkins among the rest．
I next had euch boy to stand up sepaI next had euch boy to stand up sepa
rately，and I asked him on his hown inforget the look of honest indignation
with which Thomas Atkins denied all
$\qquad$
$\qquad$If any of you can suggest a remsdy I
shall be pleaued to hear it，＂
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$\qquad$ you are wrong in blaming ussill for what
ope bas done．If I had written on the noe bas done．II I had written on the
board I would certainly have stood up and said so＂
＂I believe

$\qquad$ writing came there ine that the hand－ to that at Belshazzar＇s feast．Noue of
you believe that，so，as I said before，do Another boj rose to his feet，giggled The whole school laughed－boy na－
ture exacty－the one moment serious，
the next one a the next one a giggle．
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some one broke a pane and the maste couldn＇t find out who it was，so he be－
gan at one end of the room and whip－
ped every scholar in the building．＂
＂Well，John，＂I said，＂I attended a
similar matinee myself once when I was
young．The plan bas the merit of in－
cluding the culprit，yet I fancy the rest
of the pupils might consider it uufair．＂
The first by now stood up again．
＂Master，＂he ventured hesitatingly，＂I
thank it is no more unfair than saying
that the iuputation rested on us all
merely because some boy who you can－
not find out has told a lie．＂
＂You are right，＂I said，＂and I was
wrong in saying so．Only one boy is
guilty，and I will never believe until his
conduct convinces me that there is an－
othe，in this room who is so cowardly
and uatruthful．＂
I arose and went quickly down the
room，seized Atkins by the collar and
jerked him in the middle of the aisle，
and with a vigorous shove sent him
headlong forward towards the platform
with a speed that taxed his agility to
keep his feet．I whirled him around
facing the pupils and cried：
＂Atkins，who wrote that sentence on
the wall？＂
＂I－I－I did，sir．＂
 Jim would get the best of me．I make o bones of the fact that I was afraid of cessfully to propitiate him during th eek that sshool had been going on queezing a snow－ball with his hands
$\qquad$e standing by it，when be stoppedtraightened up and looked at me a mohe snow－ball or brazen it out．Thehim braced him up，and he cried
$\qquad$
With a movement like lightening ang the snow－ball directly at my head I ducked like a flash but the ball took
the rim off my hat and plastered i
 in my youthful days，but I never flun sprang erect and said ：
＂Now its your turn，＂and sent my i bolt at him as if it had come from
cannon．He ducked，
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$\qquad$ace was pale and he gasped for breathe smiled a ghastly smile．＂You see，Jim，＂I said with a lightnesdid not feel，＂snow－balls like chickenpoked the crushed ice out of hisHe was grit clear through and never＂Boys，the trustees hired me to tracthat if it didn＇t as is too often the casego in at oue ear and out at the otherat the teaching busiuess，$I$ have got intohhe habit of having my own way．Yo
seem to have got into the same peruicious habit．Iam getting old and it ishard for me to acquire new habits．Youare young and i＇s easy．Now ifI don
have my own way there will be troubleIf Ido，there will be peace．The desay Jim？＂
on his pins，and I noticed with shakythat his ear was cut．
I＇m in favor of giving the master a fair
he＇ll take it anyhow．I dun＇t we don＇tbe hit wafruid you＇ve been snow－balling againI won＇t say anything about it this time，
Iet hurt．
I expected that old Higgins would be
down the next day with a shotgon，butI never heard of the matter again．I
don＇t thiuk Jim ever totd him．He wasplucky，and we had peace．－＂$A n$ old

Home Hints for Spring．
Bureau and washstand covers are
cy work，and are of countless designs
ose of crash
searf pattern，with colored silk，but are much prettiewhen worked with the threads whichhave been taken from the material Thfringe，which is formed by drawing outhreads，when the work is all done，ha
a broad heading made by alternately ta－a broad heading made by alternately ta－
king out and leaving geven or eighting out and leaving seven or eigh
threads；and，over those lef，worklireads；and，over those lef，work
cross－stitch or feather－stitch．Abovethis are broad，open patterns of drawnork，and ribbon may be drawn througha bright color placed under．TherMantel and windowmade in themade in the same way，or they may be
crocheted with fisherman＇s twine to imi－tate the Macrame work，which ismuch more diffieult．Any pretty patern of knitted or crocheted edging caassels of chenilie on each point．
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any taste．There are table clothand napkins suited to every＇occasionolored or white embroidery ；but an in
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$\qquad$ e washed without fear of losing color seems most desirable．Damask cloths
of red or gayish brown are pretty and economical for breakfast and tea．The
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napkins protect the dress very per
fectly, and are to be welcomed for
The large stores in the cities bring out
their Ginghams, prints and muslins
early spring, and it is well to make u
which are simplest and can be done eas
ily are chozen for such goods. Plain
blouse waists, plaited or gathered int
a belt, a plain overskirt looped high on
the hip with an underskirt tucked or

| trimmed with gathered flounces, always |
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| laundry well. For children a blouse |

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waist, skirt of two or three scant ruffles
waist, skirt of two or three scant ruffles,
behind, is very preity

It is best to make up under－clothing arly if done at home．If one wishes a emise，which is popular and desirable a close fitting polonaise pattern，with basque lengeh，and two plain breadth gathered on and sewed into the long front side seams，will make a garment
quiteas satisfactory as those which cost two dolars and a half．－Ex．

## The Propagation of House Plauts．

Nothing about plan！culture is more rascinating than the multiplying of plants from cuttings． F a new plant thas produced．Florists， with their propagating benches，turn ut plants by hundreds and thousands． Their brobagating houses are regular
plant factories，in which that raw mate－ rial of cuttings is turned out as the fin－ shed product－the rooted plants．Sev－ ral years ago we published a mettod by which the amateur could multiply
his plants inall needer numbers，and with somethng like the corta．nty that attends
the harger operations of the floris．
The method alluded wis known as＂the
saucer system＂ The method alluder，to is known as＂the
saucer system＂and，as it will be new
to a large number of our readers，we
give it in brief give it in brief．The out－fit needed is

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$\qquad$ stomach，nassea，Matulency，waterbrask，
hoart－burn，vomitlug，loes of appetite，and told miserios，bodilly and mental．Thes
ohould stimulate the digestion，and securo

## Ayer＇s Pills．

## HARDWARE

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## －TO－

## Farmers，

Contractors， and Others ！

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Persons wanti．g goods in this line will do
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JOAN DENNY．

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ocks to suit everybody．
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of every variety．
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