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Scribner's Magazine

FOR 1893.

PARTIAL PROSPECTUS.

FRANCES HODGSON BURNETT
will contribute the first serial to appear in a magazine from her pen for many years, entitled "The One I Knew the Best of All."

H. C. BUNNER
will furnish a series of six sketches entitled "Jersey Street and Jersey Lane." Illustrated.

ROBERT GRANT
will relate the further experiences of Fred and Josephine in "A sequel to The Reflections of a Married Man" Illustrated.

HAROLD FREDRICK
will contribute a political novel of great power, entitled The Copperhead.

BY THE AUTHOR OF "JERRY."
Miss S. B. Elliott, the author of "Jerry," will write a realistic story of life among the Tennessee mountaineers, "The Durket Spertet."

PERSONAL REMINISCENCE.
Some unpublished letters of Carlyle to Edward Irving and others, dealing with a part of Carlyle's life forgotten from that brought out in the recent memoirs of Carlyle, reminiscences, Recollections of Lincoln and Sumner, By the late Marquis de Chambrun. Both until satisfactorily settled. An Artist in Japan, by Robert Blum, who has just returned from a residence of nearly two years in that country. Profusely illustrated by the author. Historic moments, which have been a feature of this magazine during 1892 will be continued by some particularly striking papers, among them several by the great war correspondents, William H. Russell, Archibald Forbes, and others.

MEN'S OCCUPATIONS.
A series of articles on the life work of men in many callings—the chief ways (exclusive of professions) in which men earn their livelihood.

THE WORLD'S FAIR IN CHICAGO.
A series will be published later in the year giving the impressions made by the exhibition upon different observers of note, both American and foreign; and many of these observers will be also artists who will illustrate their own articles.

MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.
Further contributions to the Poor in great Cities. Mrs. Burnett's illustrated paper on the London plan for Home aid to Invalid children, etc. Of special interest also will be Prof Heilprin's authoritative account of the Peary Relief Expedition (illustrated), a very interesting article by Octave Uzanne on the exhibition of woman's art now going on in Paris, and articles upon artistic subjects, accounts of travels, ets., etc.

THE ILLUSTRATIONS
of the year will represent the work not only of the well-known illustrators, but many drawings will also appear by artists who are best known as painters.

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Which will the farmers choose, a decrease of labor and plenty of home supplies at a handsome profit, or an increase of labor with smoke houses and corn cribs in the West, and ruinous loss on the production of their cotton crop? Can any sane man hesitate?

A 7,000,000 bale crop will bring 10 cents, or in round numbers $350,000,000; while a 9,000,000 bale crop will not bring over 7 cents, or say $315,000,000, a loss of $35,000,000—and how about the cost of production? To raise a 7,000,000 bale crop at 8 cents per pound will cost $280,000,000, which if sold at 10 cents will net the farmers a profit, over and above the cost of production, of $70,000,000. On the other hand, to raise a 9,000,000 bale crop at 8 cents per pound will cost $360,000,000, which if sold at as much as 7 cents per pound, would only bring $315,000,000, or a net loss to the producers of $45,000,000, showing a difference in favor of the lesser crop of $115,000,000, and that with plenty of home supplies for the next crop.

It is generally admitted that with meat at 8 cents per pound and corn at 75 cents per bushel, the average cost of producing a pound of cotton is 8 cents. With these admitted facts before the cotton growers, their policy should still further reduce the acreage and place the American crop on a 7,000,000 basis, thus insuring 10 cents a pound for cotton, or a profit to the farmers of at least 2 cents on the pound, but on the contrary if they return to an increased acreage, an increased use of fertilizers, and produce a 9,000,000 or a 10,000,000 bale crop, values will be reduced below 7 cents and every pound of cotton will be sold at a net loss of 1 cent or more per pound.

Today when they know the average cost of production is in the neighborhood of 8 cents a pound and by limiting their acreage they can make a profit on it, they are everywhere making preparations to increase the acreage, and voluntarily assuming an unquestionable loss of many millions. The price of hog meat today ranges from 12½ cents cash to 20 cents on time; the price of corn from 65 cents cash to $1 on time. To buy supplies at these prices to raise 6 or 7 cent cotton is simply suicidal. It is not yet too late to recede from the determination already formed to increase the acreage; why not cut down the cotton crop and increase the acreage of food crops? It can be done and done profitably.

He Was Done.

Chauncy Depew told a good story about the old spiritualist who died and his neighbors thought he ought to have a decent Christian burial, and so they got an old village preacher to officiate, and he prayed at the open grave and sung a hymn, and then was making a few sympathetic remarks about the uncertainty of life and the duty of preparing for death, and so forth, when suddenly the bereaved widow, who was a spiritualist, too, rose forward and said: "Stop—stop right now Mr. Johnson. I've just had a communication from my deceased husband in the coffin there, and he says you are an old fool, and everything you have said is a lie."

The good old preacher was set back and embarrassed for a moment, and his voice trembled and his eyes got watery as he said: "My friends, I have been preaching the gospel for forty years, week in and week out, and I have helped to bury most every man, woman and child who has died in this settlement, but this is the first time in all my life that I was ever sassed by a corpse—and now you may throw in the dirt, for I'm done."—"Bill Arp."

TWO OF THE KILLED.

It may be said, perhaps, that every incident of a man's life has power to make him either better or worse; but this must be especially true of tragical experiences, of infrequent occurrence with most of us, but distressingly common to soldiers engaged in actual warfare. Scenes like the following, described by Major Small in his history of the Sixteenth Maine Regiment, could hardly have been witnessed without leaving some permanent impression upon the beholder.

After the battle of Gettysburg a number of men, in gray suits, were lying in a grove at the left of Cemetery Hill, and sadly I made my way among the dead and dying, proffering such assistance as sympathy dictated. One poor fellow, about twenty-five years old, was shot through the body. His wants were few.

"Only a drink of water. I am so cold—so cold! Won't you cover me up?"

Then his mind wandered, and he murmured something about "Dear mother. So glad 'tis all over."

Soon came a clear sense of his condition. Would I write to his father and tell him how he died, —how he loved them at home? "Tell them all about it, won't you? Father's name is Robert Jenkins. I belong to the Seventh North Carolina—came from Chatham county. My name is Will ——," and tearfully I covered his face.

A little farther on my attention was attracted toward a young man—of Kempner's brigade. I knelt at his side and was looking at his strikingly handsome face, when he unclosed his eyes and gazed steadily into mine with such a questioning, hungry look, an appeal so beseeching, so eloquent! And I had no power to answer—could only ask where he was wounded.

"Don't talk to me, please," he said.

A moment after he touched his breast, and I saw there was not a chance for him.

When asked if he was not afraid to die, he answered, "No; I am glad I am through. Oh! I hope this will end the war; will it?"

I asked him whether he was a Christian, and he began to make some answer, but a sudden spasm of pain closed his eyes.

I could not bear to leave him, and had just put my face down close to his when he suddenly opened his eyes. I shall never forget their unearthly beauty, and the sweet, trusting expression which overspread his face, as he said to me, with a motion as if he would throw his arms around my neck, "I am going home—good-bye!"

I did weep; I could not help it. I do not recollect his name; he may not have told me. I only remember that boys from the Sixteenth Maine carried him to the field hospital because they wanted to do so, although they, too, saw it was nearly over.—Youth's Companion.

Turkeys for Breeding.

It has always been a mystery to us why so little care is taken by ordinary farmers to get the best grown, mature turkeys for breeding purposes. The usual way on many farms is to select all the finest specimens for market—possibly because the extra money they bring is so sorely needed. It is no wonder that turkeys run out and become unprofitable under such management. Get the best for breeding, and next fall clinch the improvement by keeping the best for another season.—Boston Cultivator.

A tickling sensation of the throat, a piping voice and a disposition to expectorate frequently, are the forerunners of a dangerous throat affection. The bronchial trouble often develops into consumption, unless checked by the timely use of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Beware!

YOUR COUNTY PAPER.

Many Reasons Why it Should be Patronized.

Cor of the Oxford Ledger.

So far as I know every county seat in North Carolina has a newspaper, doing what it can for the education of the county's resources, trying to elevate the citizens and help them on to greater prosperity. Our home paper has become a fixed necessity, and every citizen ought to feel bound to be a subscriber. County pride, if nothing else, should induce us to stand by our home paper, and the man who from sheer indifference fails to support his home paper, is wanting in county pride. I am ambitious enough to want my county to be the equal of her sisters in point of intelligence and enterprise, if not in point of wealth; and without a good, sound, healthy and enterprising home paper, this intelligence and enterprise must be wanting. Again I am ambitious enough to want my county paper to be the equal of any other county paper, and without its liberal patronage from all over the county this cannot be. The home paper should make its weekly visits to every family in its territory. We can not afford to assume the responsibility of leaving a family without providing and legitimate means for education. A good newspaper is a splendid educator, and our children will eagerly read it when they are slow to read anything else, and in the course of twelve months they will have done a vast amount of reading that otherwise would have been neglected. I knew a man once with a large family of children well educated and the man was poor, and being asked how he managed to educate his children, he replied: "I kept them well supplied with good newspapers and other literature, and sent them to school what I could, and they educated themselves."

The newspapers help to create a thirst for knowledge. There are children today we might grown that do not know the world is much larger than their father's farm or their own neighborhood. The newspaper enlarges the ideas of our own. I know of no place where we can invest $1.50 that will yield us such large returns as in our home paper. Then it is a great mistake that people make in subscribing for a paper abroad to the exclusion of the home paper. It is simply enriching others while we impoverish ourselves. It is about equal to saying, we have no home pride. I have no word to utter against subscribing to papers abroad if we just take our home paper. The first two papers for us to read is our home and church papers, then as many more as our inclinations dictate. But one says, I can get a larger paper with much more reading matter for the same price abroad. That may be true, but you cannot afford to be without your home news. Your county pride is at stake and you cannot afford to sacrifice that. Then even if we would all patronize our home paper with a paid up subscription, our hard worked editor could enlarge his paper and give us much more reading matter. Another says, my neighbor takes the home paper, and I read it. Well, that is just stinginess to the core, if we are at all able to subscribe for a paper. Some people excuse themselves by saying the editor is of different politics, and therefore we will not take his paper. I insist that this is not a valid excuse, and that we ought to read the home paper for the sake of our home news. If my county paper was of different politics from mine, I would still subscribe to and read it as a home enterprise and agree to disagree with the editor as to politics.

In conclusion I suggest that we all feel it our duty to aid the editor in making a good home paper by sending him items of news from our neighborhood, and those competent or accustomed to writing, contribute now and then to the columns of the paper. We should feel that it is our paper and that in some measure we are responsible for its success.

A New Argument Against Corsets.

This
is the
shape of
a woman's waist,
on which a corset tight
is laced. The ribs deformed
by being squeezed, press
on the lungs till they're
diseased. The heart
is jammed and
cannot pump
the liver
is a
torpid lump;
the stomach,
crushed, cannot
digest, and in a mess
are all compressed. Therefore, this silly woman grows to
be a fearful mass of woes,
but thinks she has a lovely
shape, though hideous
as a crippled ape.

This is
a woman's
natural waist,
which corset never
yet disgraced. Inside it
is a mine of health. Outside
of charms it has a wealth.
It is a thing of beauty
true, and a sweet joy
forever new. It
needs no artful
padding vile
or bustle big to
give it "style."
Its strong and solid,
plump and sound, and
hard to get one arm
around. Alas! if women
only knew the mischief that
these corsets do, they'd let
Dame Nature have her
way, and never try
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Under and by virtue of a decree of sale made in a cause pending in the Superior Court of Franklin county, entitled J. S. Wynne, Guardian, against J. R. Bergeron and others, I will, on Tuesday, the 18th of April 1893, at the Court House door in Louisburg, expose to sale at public auction two tracts of land mentioned in said decree. First tract, lying and being in said county of Franklin, adjoining the lands of Peyton Sykes, A. S. Harris and others, containing 158¾ acres. Second tract, lying and being in the county of Nash, and adjoining the lands of Benjamin Bunn, J. M. Brantley and others, containing 123¾ acres, being the lands conveyed by J. R. Bergeron to Calvin Walker by way of mortgage, recorded in Book 54, page 319, Register of Deeds office for Franklin county, and in Book 45, page 569, Register of Deeds office for Nash county. Terms of sale, 25 cash, balance on a credit of 12 months with 8 per cent. interest from date of sale. This March 18, 1893.

R. T. GRAY, Commissioner.

NOTICE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Franklin county in the case of Calvin J. Walker, et al., vs. S. R. Strickland, Administrator, et. al., the undersigned commissioners will, on Monday, April 17, 1893, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in Louisburg the Homestead tract of land formerly belonging to Washington Harris, containing 24 acres, surrounded on East, South and West by the lands of S. L. Arrington, and on the North by the land of W. P. Neal. It contains a good dwelling house.

W. M. PERSON,
T. B. WILDER,
Commissioners.

March 15, 1893.