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Charles Kingsley, the famous preacher and author, told how to find true joy in life, us follows:

"Make a rule, and pray to God to help you to keep it, never, if possible to lie down at night without being able to say, I have made one human being at least a little wiser or a little happier or a little better this day.' You will find it easier than you think, and pleasanter. Easier, because il'you wish to do God's work Gud will surely find you work to do; and pleasanter, because in return for the little trouble it may cost you or the little choking of foolish, vulgar pride it may cost you, you will have a peace of mind, a quiet of temper, a cheerfulness and a hopefuloess about yourself and all around you, such as you never felt before, and, over and above that, if you look for a reward in the life to come, recollect this: What we have to hope for in the life to come is to enter into the joy of our Lord

And how did He fulfil that joy? By humbling Himself and taking the form of a slave and coming, not to be ministered to, but to minister and to give His whole life, even unto the death upon the ercer, a ransom for many. Be sure that unless you take up His cross you will never share in His footsteps, you will never reach the place where He is, If you wish to enter into the juy of your Lord, be sure that His joy is now, as it was in the Juden of old, over every sin ner that repenteth, every mourner that is comforted, every hungry mouth that is fed, eyery poor soul, sick or in prison, who is visited."

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Ida-"I don't think Mr. Smart be ieves my handkerchiefs are linen."

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Matrimonial success sometimes depends upon the alimony.

A man ceases to believe in dreamafter marrying one.

Girls think it unlucky to lose the chance of getting an opal.

A women is always as old as she looks if she tries not to look it.

Sometimes a woman misso her absent husband because she can't hit ldur.

A hair-torie manufacturer segs that

hald men have good heads for husiness People with the most expensive tastes usually have the least money to meet

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THAT OLD SWEETHEART OF MINE.

BY JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY.

As one who cons at evening o'er an album all alone, And muses on the faces of the friends that he has known, So I turn the leaves of fancy, till in shadoway design, I find the smiling features of an old sweetheart of mine.

The lamp seems to glimmer with a flicker of surprise, As I turn it low to rest me of the dazzle in my eyes, And light my pipe in silence save a sigh that seems to yoke Its fate with my tobacco and to banish with the smoke.

Into being are like perfumes from the blossom of the heart; And to dream the old dreams o'er is a luxury divine-When my trunct fancy wanders with that old sweetheart of mine. Though I bear beneath my study like the flattering of wings,

'Tis a fragrant retrospection for the loving thoughts that start

The voices of my children and the mother as she sings I feel no twinge of conscience to deny me any theme When care has cast her anchor in the harbor of a dream. In fact, to speak in earnest, I believe it adds a charm

That makes me drink the deeper to that old sweetheart of mise. A face of fily-beauty, with a form of airy grace, Floats out of my tobarco as the genu from the vaso, And I thrill beneath the claners of a pair of azure eyes

To spice the good a trifle with a little dust of harm-

For I find an extra flavor in memory's mellow wine.

As glowing as the summer and as tender as the skies. I can see the pink supbonnet and the little checkerol dress She were when first I kissed her and she answered the curons With the written declaration that 'as the vine grew round the stump' She loved ma-that old sweetheart of mine.

And again I feel the pressure of her tender little hand As we used to talk together of the future we had planned, When I shall be a poet, and with nothing else to do But write the tender verses that she set the music to.

When we should live together, in a cony little cot Hid in a nest of roses, with a fury garden-spot, Where vipes were ever fruited, and the weather ever fice, And the birds were ever singing for that old sweetheart of mine.

When I should be her lover forever and a day And she my faithful sweetheart till the golden hair was gray; And we should be so happy that when either lips were dumb-They would not smile in heaven till the others kiss had come * * * * *

But ah! my dream is broken by a step upon the stair, And the door is softly opened and -my wife is standing there, Yet with eagerness and rapture all my visions I resign To great the living presence of that old sweetheart of mone

OLD AND IN THE WAY.

BY FRANK L. STANTON.

I sit in the chimney corner, an' I hear the young folks say : "The world is weary of her-she is old, and in the way; And a vacant chair were better-a solitary place-Than the palsied, wrinkled hands of her, and the test-wet, furrowed face !

They do not know I am walking where their feet have never trod-They do not know I am seeing sights on the hills of God! They do not know that the angels are there where my footsteps roam-In the ways of the lights colestial, where the Marning Stars sing "Homel"

I nursed 'em at my bosom ere Life's sun went down the west. I sang Leve's ascetest sungs to them and rocked their hearts to rest; And now, that the sai time hastess - closing of Life's day -I am only a useless woman- I am old and in the way!

Thank God! is will soon be over-Life's sau is sinking fast; My feet are in the valley, and I see my home at last I And I say, while the angels becken: "Poor, and old, and gray, There is room for main heaven, where I'll not be in the way!"

MORE RIOTS.

Disturbances of strikers are not rearly as grave as an individual disorder of the boy was saved" writes Mrs. W. Watkins, system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nerv- of Pleasant City, Oulo. "Purumonia had ous tension will be followed by uster played sad have with him and a terrible ison, Ohio, was confined to his bed for collapse, unless a reliable remody is in- cough set to besides. Discurs treated der, founders and machinists, with all patterns, we are now prepared to furnish parts to machines formerly made by tism. "I used many remedies," he says efficient to cure disorders of the Liver or length we tried. Dr. King's New Dis-"Finally I sent to McCaw's drug store for Kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a won- govery for Consumption, and our during a bettle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, at derful tonic, and effective nervine and the was saved. He's now sound, and well which time I was unable to use hand or greatest all around medicine for run down Everybudy ought to know, it's the only Mill work and castings of all kinds, second hand machinery for sale cheap, Call on us or write for what you wan.

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THE WORLD OWES MUCH TO WOMEN'S CURIOSITY.

scason, to make slighting remarks re- in garments made of sheepskins. should be ashamed

the Garden of Eien. Perhaps Eve was dence. led into the commission of the first reated.

But, coming down to more mordern hall-mark upon them. times, we know that it is the cariosity of As soon as the ceremony was over the women and man's attempt to satisfy it party were driven to the bride's home, and achievements of modern times, from vided. the discovery of America to the invention of the telephone.

And to come down to the present day, known that he had himself endured a Mrs Tomey, of Washington Boulevard, day in a penitentiary for exhibiting unwould have lost most of her valuable pos- due exuberance of spirits at a boat race sessions and priceless heirlooms the other day if her cariosity had not prompted her to arise from a sickbed and inquire into certain unusual noises going on down

A man under similar eireums ander would have remained in bod. He would "guess" that everything was all right, turn over, and maybe go to sleep. He wou'd think that no thief would dare to remove his partable property, while he was in the house. He would have no puriosity about the matter, and the chances are that when his wife returned him that all the family jewels and furniture had been removed. he would blame her for the curi sity that kept her down town while the place was being robbed.

Mrs. Towey heard strange poises. She got up and descended the stairs. She saw two robbers piling up the family brie-a-brae in the parlar, preparatory to removing it to a carriage which was awaiting them in front of the house. She screamed. The robbers fled. She went back to bad

Snorthog makes will say that it is only once in a long time that woman's curiosity is put to practical account. This is because they do not know woman and her ways. When her curiosity is aroused she is ready to face any perit in order to satisfy it, if there is no man within reach who will savisfy it for her — New York.

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THE LATE GENERAL JOHN B. GORDON,

General Gordon aroused the pride and retained the love of all ex Confederates as few Confederate communders have done. He seems to have incurred less of personal antagonism, and his part in the war provoked less advere criticis a than that of any of his associates. The feeling toward him in the North, since the subsidence of w. r passions, may be truly described as one of kindly admiration.

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He was a born soldier. His success. was achieved by inborn military powers, uneducated, save the school of experience, in which the pupil because a master His heart was one in which love was perfect, so fear was driven out from 1 -From "Two Great Confederates," by John S. Wise, in the American Monthly Review of Review's f r Februare

SEVERELY PRACTICAL.

"Don't you sometimes wish you could write your name on the scroll of fame?" "I'm not worrying about that," answered Senator Sorghum. "The scroll of tame isn't the book that the bank cashier turns to when you want a check certified."-Washington Star.

It often hoppens that the man who spends all his energy in groans in prayer has none left for growth in practice.

MARRIED IN FANCY DRESS-

SPANE MERCAND COVER MANY AND DRESSED AS CONVICTS.

A nevely in lancy-dress wordings was that held in Nottingbam, the bridegroom being a naval flicer, whilst the bride also came of a nautical family. Accordingly she appeared at the church dressed in costume made of a union jack, the brides maids wearing similar attice, and the groom and his best man being in full survil uniform.

After the extent by had been perform d the happy pair drove to the bride's house on a gon comage drawn by a party of bronzed tars

The shephord's wedding at the church (S. Madeleine at Verselles in 1894 in work recording, because, from the appearance of the Liu ets, it might have been supposed one real taken a retrograde step ioto prehistorie times.

The bridegroom, whose some was Portel, had been a shepherd when he had suddenly inherited a large fertune, so it was elected on the occasion of his mar-Certain men who really know nothing risge to a well-known society lady shortly of character are prone, in and out of afterwards that every one should appear

garding women's currosity and to treat it A convict wedding was celebrated in a as if it were a weakness of which women Yorkshire town. But the bride and bridegroom had for some paltry offence The truth is, the world lowes more to previously come within reach of the law, women's curiosity than it ever can repay. and when it was announced that the best In this age of higher criteism we can well man had also seen the fisside of a jail, it afford to pass over that little incident in was resolved to commemorate the coinci-

Accordingly the male guests, the bridecorded sin by curiosity, and perhaps she groom included, put in an appearance in was not. There are many reasons for be- convict garb, on which the broad arrow lieving that the story is slighty exagger- predominated, and the women likewise wore drab dresses with the government

that led to all the great discoveries where a breaklast of prison fare was pro-At this juncture the officiating clergyman, in toasting the couple, made

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