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"You Had a Mother's Prayers"

Writes Mrs. JANE PETTY, of Roaring River, N. C., Aug. 12, 1904. "My little boy could not walk a step from RHEUMATISM, and all other remedies had failed to do him any good. Rheumacide has cured him and made him sound and well." Hundreds of other letters give the same testimony.

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"DEAR OLD DAD."

HE MAY HAVE HIS FAULTS HE MAY GIVE YOU OF TROUBLE. BUT HE WILL MISS HIM WHEN HE IS GONE.

We happened at a home the other night, and over the parlor door saw the legend worked in letters of gold, "What is Home Without a Mother?" Across the room was another brief, "God Bless Our Home." Those mottoes will be found in many homes, worked by simple fingers and expressive of love and devotion felt by the members of the household for the holiest and happiest of earth's blessings, "Mother" and "Home." "Home home—sweet home be it ever so humble there's no place like home." But there is another factor in the blessedness of home that is too often forgotten, or, at least, perhaps sometimes not fully appreciated, and that factor is "Dad." And the State Register to-day, in a few words from an exchange wants to preach a little sermon in Dad's behalf. It is no discouragement to "Mother" to say that alongside of the legend referred to above this other would be appropriate. "God Bless Our Dad!" An exchange says:

"Dad gets up early, lights the fire, boils an egg, grabs his dinner pail and wipes off the dew of the dawn while many a mother is sleeping. He makes the weekly hand out to the butcher, the grocer, the milk man and the baker, and his little pile is badly worn before he has been home an hour. He stands off the balliff and keeps the rent paid up.

"If there is a noise during the night Dad is nudged in the back and made to go down stairs and find the burglar and kill him. Mother dars the socks, but Dad buys them in the first place, and the needles and the yarn afterward. Mother does up the fruit well, but Dad buys it all, and jars and sugar cost like the mischief.

"Dad buys chickens for the Sunday dinner, carves them himself and draws the neck from the rooster after every one else is served. "What is home without Mother?" Yes, that is all right. But "What is home Without a Father?" Ten chances to one it is a boarding house, father is under a slab and the landlady is a widow.

"Dad, here's to you. You have got your faults—you may have lots of them—but we will miss you when you are gone."

Yes, dear old unappreciated Dad! The legend which ought to grace the walls of the cottage or the palace in your honor may not appear. You may tread the pathway of life, bearing its burdens ungrudgingly and cheerfully, and go down to the grave unhonored and unwept in framed legends, but you will be missed and mourned nevertheless in the cold gray days when you can no longer answer the call for your services, and will receive your reward on the other shore. Dear old Dad! God bless Dad!—Russell's Courier-Democrat.

A DUTY WOMEN OWE THEMSELVES.

"Good actions speak louder than words," so too, does the testimony of many thousands of women during a third of a century speak louder than mere claims not backed by a guarantee of some kind. The reason why the proprietors of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription are willing to offer \$500 reward for women who cannot be cured. Such a remarkable offer is founded on the long record of cures of the diseases and weaknesses peculiar to women. If there is an invalid woman, suffering from female weakness, prostration, or falling womb, or from leucorrhoea who has used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription without complete success, the proprietors of that medicine would like to hear from such person—and it will be to her advantage to write them as they offer, in perfect good faith, a reward of \$500 for any case of the above maladies which their women's pills is possessed of the unparalleled curative properties that would warrant its makers in making such an offer.

Dr. J. M. Johnson, of Blackstone, Va., Box 4, writes: "We heartily congratulate the wonderful discovery of the great family medicine set up in your laboratory. My wife has been more than once almost brought from the grave by using Dr. Pierce's great remedy. There is nothing better for female troubles than the 'Favorite Prescription,' nothing better or more successful than Dr. Pierce's Little Pills; and the 'Golden Medical Discovery' cannot be excelled by anything for heart trouble, of which we have used with great benefit more than once."

When the druggist says he has something that is as good as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, just tell him, "There's nothing just as good." He says so because he hopes to make a better profit but his own mixtures have not stood the test of experience and success that Doctor Pierce's medicines have. Then, too, many patent medicines advertised as tonics, contain large quantities of alcohol. Dr. Pierce's medicines are pure. His "Prescription" does not contain a particle of alcohol. It is a good thing to keep Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets in the house. One Pellet is a laxative, two a mild cathartic.

NOTICE.

State of North Carolina,) In the Su-
Halifax County,) perior Court.
W. E. DANIEL in behalf of himself and all other stockholders and creditors that may come in and make themselves parties in this action, plaintiff.
Weldon Ice Company, defendant.
To all whom it may concern: The creditors of the Weldon Ice Company are hereby notified that, by order of the Superior Court in the above entitled action, dated February 14, 1905, W. E. DANIEL has been appointed receiver of its property and franchises, and said creditors are hereby notified to come in and make themselves parties to this action and prove their claims and debts against the said company, on or before the first day of May, 1905.

This the 22nd day of March, 1905.
S. M. GARY,
Clerk of Superior Court.
3-30-41.

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WHEN WE ARE GONE.

BY JOHN BRATTON.

When we are gone then other feet will tread
Upon the paths that we have tread before,
While other eyes will see and other hands will toil,
Among the scenes where we shall toil no more,
When we are gone.

When we are gone then other eyes will see,
The charms that life and nature has in store,
And other hearts will beat in cheerful glee,
To see the lights upon the distant shore
When we are gone.

When we are gone then other tongues will praise,
And sing the songs we sang in days of yore,
And other faces smile in joyful lays,
And other souls will live and love, as those before,
When we are gone.

When we are gone, the birds will sing as gay
And blossoms bright will deck the orchard trees,
While through the grove where nature's children play,
Sweet odors float upon the summer breeze—
When we are gone.

When we are gone, then other hearts will ache
In sorrow's grasp and bitter tears will flow,
Affection's ties and friendly bonds will break,
As they have done in years long long ago—
When we are gone.

When we are gone, the sun will shine as bright,
The pale moon make her journeys o'er and o'er,
The stars still twinkle from the vaults of night,
And breakers dash upon the rocky shore—
When we are gone.

When we are gone then mother earth will claim
Our mortal frames and fold them to her breast,
The deeds of which we boast will fade away, in name,
But free from toil and care then we shall rest—
When we are gone.

A HOME PICTURE.

BY LOUISE E. BAKER.

Oh! the happy little home when the sun shone out,
And the busy little mother got the children all about;
And Johnny fetched the water and Tommy brought the wood,
And Billie-boy tied his shoes, as every laddie should—
And Dannie rocked the cradle with a lullaby and a song,
To make the little sister grow so pretty and so strong.

Oh! the sweet peas and the morning-glories climbing 'round the door,
And the tender vine of shadow with its length across the floor,
Oh! the "pinks" and the roses, and the quiver of the grass,
And the cheery call of friendship from the neighbors as they pass!
Oh! the scuffle and the shouting, and the little mother's laugh
As a rabbit starts up somewhere, and her "great help" scamper off.

Oh! the happy little home when the twilight fell,
And all along the meadow rang the old cow bell,
With a rattle that is music through the rushing of the years—
And I see the little mother in the tremble of the tear,
And I hear her happy laughter as she cries: "The boys have come!"
And we know she's getting supper in the happy little home.

Oh! the happy little home when the moon gleamed forth,
And Billie-boy would have it that it "rised in the north."
Oh! the raptures and the whispers near the little mother's chair,
As the white-robed little figures are fitting here and there,
And we're just as near to heaven as we mortals ever roam,
When we kneel and say our prayers in the happy little home.

AWAKE EVERY NIGHT.

"Mrs. Chellus looks bad, doesn't she?"
"Yes, and no wonder. She's been awake every night for a week past."
"The idea! What was the matter?"
"She discovered about a week ago that her husband talks in his sleep and of course, she had to listen."

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Some of the most effectual prayers have been made with the feet.

HUMAN JEALOUSY.

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE PARTNER OF A MAN AND A WOMAN.

The man's jealousy is a stormy sea flooding everything, tearing down and devouring everything to him that is strong, flinging his inn most heart, absorbing all rivers of feeling and destroying his mind. The woman's jealousy is a narrow, turbulent, treacherous torrent which hides its depth and nigh above which rise hard and silent banks; it heightens her sensibility and strengthens her mind.

The jealous man is a wrathful lion; he is noble, and tender only forces him to rear his prey to place. The jealous woman is an insatiable snake; she is vain, and passion only tempts her to sting. The anger of the jealous man is directed against the object of his love and interrupts his love, and that of the jealous woman is directed against her rival, and her love is intensified by it.

Jealousy makes a fool of a man; it makes him ridiculous and lowers him in the love and esteem of the woman, but a woman gains in wit and charm by her jealousy, and it makes her more attractive to the man. Jealousy is a terrible, sharp weapon which a woman uses lightly in order to cut a few sweats on which to feed her vanity; often she even wounds with it the man she loves in order to enjoy his sufferings. The man disdains this cruel thing, though, did he use it, it would rarely miss its object of awakening the dormant love of a woman, or bringing hidden love to the surface and of creating love where there was none.

HE WAS WITH THE MAJORITY.

"Now, gentlemen, do you think this is or is not a case for operation?" asked an eminent surgeon of his class of six students as they walked the wards in a city hospital.

One by one the young men diagnosed the case, and all of them answered in the negative.

"Well, gentlemen," announced the surgeon, "you are all wrong, and I shall operate to-morrow."

"No, you won't!" exclaimed the patient, as he rose in his bed, "six to one is a good majority. Gimme my clothes."
—New York Press.

CREATED DEATH.

Kidney trouble often ends fatally, but by choosing the right medicine, E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Iowa, cheated death. He says: "Two years ago I had Kidney Trouble, which caused me great pain, suffering and anxiety, but I took Electric Bitters, which effected a complete cure. I have also found them of great benefit in general debility and nerve trouble, and keep them constantly on hand, since, as I find they have no equal." W. M. Cohen, druggist, guarantees them at 50c.

HOMELIKE.

"Mamma," said the little girl who was having her first experience of riding in a sleigh.
"Hush, dear," whispered mamma, "you will wake the others."
"But, mamma, I only want to ask one question."
"Well, what is it?"
"Who has the fat devil up?"

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Visitor—"Indeed?"

Merchant—"Yes, he's my son."

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Suffering frightfully from the virulent poison of undigested food, C. G. Grayson, of Lala, Miss., took Dr. King's New Life Pills, "with the result," he writes, "that I was cured." All stomach and bowel disorders give way to their tonic, laxative properties. 25c at W. M. Cohen's drug store, guaranteed.

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Act the second: The marriage altar. Music on the organ. Bright lights. Long white veil trailing through the aisle. Prayer and congratulation, and exclamations of "How well she looks!"

Act the third: A woman, waiting for staggering steps. Old garments stuck in the broken window panes. Marks of hardship on her face. The biting of nails of bloodless fingers. Neglect, anxiety and despair. Ring the bell and let the curtain drop.

Act the fourth: Three graves in a dark place—grave of the child that died for lack of medicine, grave of the wife who died of a broken heart, grave of the man that died with dissipation. Ring the bell and let the curtain drop.

Act the fifth: A destroyed soul's eternity. No light. No hope. I close my eyes to this last act of the tragedy. Quick! quick! Ring the bell and let the curtain drop.

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