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And I shan't play any more." me : "I have been a teacher for fifteen years, and I am frank to say that rath So off he went, tho' he wanted to stay, er than commit my little one to breathe For he was not hurt by his fall, And the gay little crickets went on the fetid air of some of our schoolrooms with the game. I would keep him at home. Again And never missed him at all. and again have I gone into classroom

when the air was such as make one A bright-eyed squirrel called out as he grow sick and faint. Generally it comes Swinging from a tree by his toes, from lack of ventilation, caused in the What a foolish fellow that grasshop main by circumstances over which the teacher has no control ; at other time Why, he's bit off his own little nose. by the teacher's own carelessness or her -Selected. occupation with so many other duties that she forgets this important ques

Marriage Not a Matter of Fact. tion of pure air. Do I wonder that so many children go home with headache No, my wonder is rather that the health "Marriage is a very matter-of-fact at of our children is so good." This sub-

tair. There is little poetry in it; and ject has often been agitated, and the all experience shows that it is better to most startling facts laid bare, yet our get rid of all nonsense before commitparents are indifferent to it.

SYMPATHY WITH TEACHERS.

not show any such thing. If nonsense The teacher, too, should have her means here, as it seems to mean, all hands upheld by the parents. She those things that make the poetry of life, I say the more you have of it the sition more intelligently appreciated. Without assistance from the parents

A marriage that can properly be the school-teacher fights single-handed styled a matter-of-fact one promises no happiness for the man, and unutterable only is it incumbent upon the parent misery for the woman, if she has any that he or she should personally know the teacher of the child, but the teach-

What ! Because a thing is real, er should be given the opportunity of must it be common-place? The light seeing her pupil's home life. A knowlof love illumines the homeliest dutics ; edge of the domestic influences which and because there must be eating and surround a child has trequently helped drinking, and sleeping, and earning of a teacher in her proper guidance of the tain enough, still more uncertain. We born. Yet the seeds of a better intellibread-and-butter in its years, marriage pupil at school. She works more in- engage a man to cut wood. He prom- gence are being planted in this dark need not be a matter-of-fact arrange- telligently when she knows the wishes ment-a coarse sort of bargain, in of the parents and the peculiarities of which the wife becomes a housekeeper. the child. If teachers and parents and the husband banker. Better that would come closer together than they there should be no marrying at all; for do the beneficial results to the children their promises. Because the man failed and thus the realization will eventual what shall they do in those hours of would be incalculable. Not only would

trouble and pain which come to all of such a closer coming together be felt us, when every heart craves sympathy. by parents and pupil, but by the teachand when none can give it so well as er in fitting her better for her work. A the lover whose love has endured glimpse of the cheer of domestic life and hevee a trade was missed and so it for their own gain by the army of Ta-

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ting matrimony."

I beg to differ. All experience does

temperament and habits resolve to live in a boarding-house. And the average together for the rest of their lives, there | teacher proves a delightful guest at a is a necessity for a little of that ro- home table. Her vocation usually

mance that makes people seem better makes her well-informed and her mind and more beautiful than they really are. is keen by constant training. Two of that promise. Try it awhile and get if in time they would not hate each the brightest and wittiest women I ever your friends to try it. Try it at home to the eve, free of charge. All met, women as charming in their man-No-if you have no other part in ners as repartee was sparkling and their Searing Machines adjusted and re- life that is not common-place and mat- wit delicious, are teachers in one of ter of lact, forbid that home-life which New York's public schools. They were, is the consequence of marriage to sink in fact, the brightest women at the ta-IF Look for my big watch sign at to this. Have a thousand "songs with- ble at which they sat and surprised out words" for every day. Nourish your their hostess with their capacity as so-W.H. JOHNSTON. most delicate sentiments and weave cial additions. These women are regthem with the hours as they glide by. ular guests at many a table in the homes 10 6 tf Don't have all your poetry in the book- of their pupils, and much of their success with the children at school, they case, and all your music in the piano. The woman that is a happy wife have told me, is attributed to the opneed not long to be courted again. portunities they have enjoyed of com-There is no need, she is won : nor are ing into this personal contact with the GOOD BRICK many compliments necessary. Mutual parents under their charge. There are devotion is an ever-appreciated compli- people who have yet to learn that the ment. Yet, still, do not quite forget day of the proverbial spectacled school-NOW ON HAND. those old days which drew you to each ma'am is over, and that some of our IF Also will take contract to other. Be lovers always. Many peo- very brightest women are in the schools furnish tots from 50,000 ple are; and those who love are safe. of our cities, towns, and villages.

hours of each day would amaze some parents if they would take the trouble phere of the schoolroom, it is equally railroads into China is to dethrone the to visit the schools which their child-

ren attend. Not long ago an observant know something of the atmosphere of into the people. teacher, a woman who stands high in the home of her pupil. Such a knowl- During the prevalence of the great her profession in the West, wrote to edge is mutually advantageous, and its famine in Northwestern China in 1874-

child.

Social Crimes---Brokon Promises.

Wilson Advance.

If we were to charge any person of our acquaintance with deliberately breaking a promise the result might be a case in the Police Court. And yet ways asks for rain among other things, what man is there who reads these lines who has not broken a promise this month? There are many excuses for you, no doubt, O, gentle reader ! Perhaps your wife made you promise to that floods came in some places, while bring her a spool of No. 40 cotton and famine from drought came in other you forgot it in the press of business. Perhaps you told the collector on Monday that you would call and pay that bill on Tuesday, and when Tuesday came you went to a barbecue.

Maybe you promised your mother not

to smoke any more cigarettes, but who men at Shanghai, with whom I have ever expected a MAN to keep a foolish conversed, exhibited an independence must be better understood, and her po- promise like that? Maybe you prom- of thought which was exceptional. It ised yourself at church last Sunday showed a tendency to break away from that you would do a little better here. the tyranny of ignorance and superstiafter, but somehow or other you have tion, which tendency must eventually and against the most difficult odds. Not not kept that promise. The list is a spread sufficiently to awaken an age of long one, for however it may be else- reason. And when it comes the Taourwhere, in this part of the kingdom ist high priest must fold his tent and

more promises are broken than kept. But the dominance of ignorance and This practice to which we are all so prone is a great crime against society, quackery of priests will hold China in or in other words against our fellow slavery to an unreasoning fear and irman. It renders a life, already uncer- rational faith for generations yet unises to come, but he does not and we corner of the earth. The people obhave to engage another and in this way serve that Europeans give no heed to about half of our work must be done Imaginary devils, and nevertheless prostwice over because people don't keep per without the intervention of priests to cut the wood, as promised, you could ly dawn upon them of how grievously not have dinner on time as you prom- their forefathers have been hoodwink-1sed and hence your husband could not ed, cheated, and robbed by the reign of meet a man on time as he promised demonology, created and perpetuated

inces.

would mean much to the average goes, until a little thing grows into a ourist priests. When two people of opposite sex, school-teacher who passes her evenings big thing and the Editor on the watch ower sees it and raises the cry of warn-

> You are not obliged to make a promise. But if you do, be a man and keer

important that she, as teacher, should priests and infuse a little common-sense

benefits will directly accrue to your 78 there was an unusual flood in the valley of the Yang-tse-Kiang. The priests endeavored to solve the mystery of this uneven distribution of rain. The censure fell upon the royal household of Peking. It is the duty of the Emperor to enter the Temple of Heaven twice a year and invoke the blessings of Heaven upon the people. He aland the impression obtained that the Emperor had hurriedly asked for rain but had not taken the pains to state where he wanted it. The result was places of the empire. This feeling was producing a general spirit of revolt, when in 1878, the rains came to the rescue in the drought-smitten prov-

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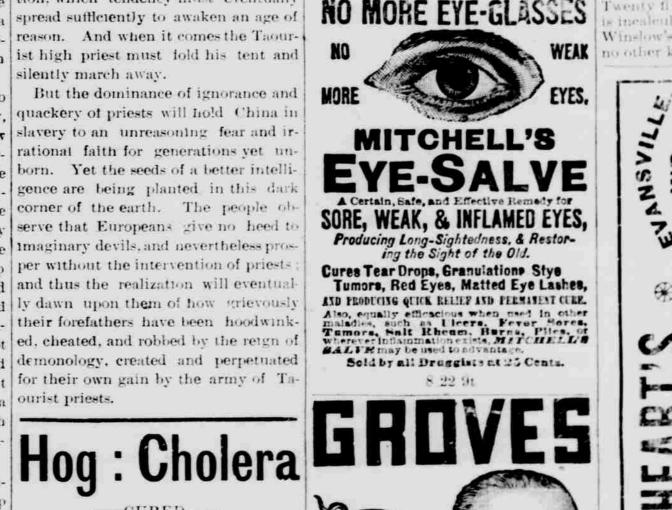
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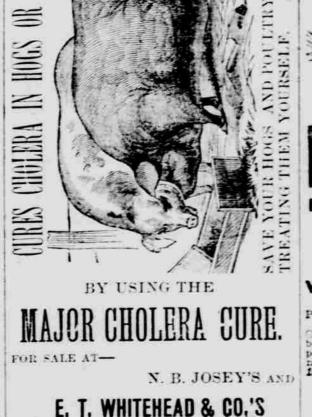
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