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Don't Complain.
 Don't complain about the weather,
 For easier 'tis, you'll find,
 To make your mind to the weather,
 Then weather to your mind.
 Don't complain about your business,
 And show your lack of wit.
 For, like a boot, hard times, hurts
 The closer it doth fit.
 Don't complain about your neighbor,
 For in your neighbor's view,
 His neighbor is not faultless,
 That neighbor being you.

FEARFUL ODDS AGAINST HIM.
 Bed ridden, alone and destitute.
 Such, in brief was the condition of an
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The Spectral Clock.
 The clock haunts me. As I was
 going out from that lonely room I
 saw that the clock was going too;
 but I stopped it!
 "Not so fast!" I hissed, thrusting
 back both its hands.
 Then I set it—under the mattress.
 Heavens! I could hear the clock
 ticking in the bed ticking.
 The clock had alarmed me, but
 never like that.
 I seized it in my trembling hands
 and gazed at its white face. "Your
 hours are numbered!" I muttered.
 That was plain—on the face of it.
 I wound it up tight—with a rope.
 Then I ran wildly down the hall.
 The clock ran down too!
 I sprang down the cliff, and
 watched to see the clock spring. It
 did and struck twice—heavily—
 against the rocks, and lay still with
 hands over its white face.
 "Your time has come!" I shrieked,
 "and gone," I added sorrow-
 fully, shaking it and holding it to
 my ear.
 Then I woke up!—George Hyde
 Preston, in September Lippincott's.

A BOYS WILD RIDE FOR LIFE.
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Amendment of Charter.
 At a meeting of the stockholders of the
 Covington Warehouse and Commission
 Co., Ltd., held this 29th day of July
 1903, called for the purpose of amend-
 ing its charter, by a vote of a majority
 of stock of said corporation, article
 four of its charter was amended as fol-
 lows:
 At the end of said article four after
 the word "pleasure" the following is
 added in verbo:
 A failure to elect directors on the
 day fixed shall not dissolve this cor-
 poration, but the directors and officers
 then in office shall continue to hold
 their office until a new election is
 called by fifteen days notice by publica-
 tion to the stockholders, and in the
 event no new election is called, the old
 directors and officers shall hold over
 until the next annual election.
 H. J. SMITH, President.
 E. J. DOMERGUE, Jr., Sec. & Gen. Man-
 ager.

Notice of Contest.
 U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La.,
 August 17, 1903.
 A sufficient cognate affidavit having
 been filed in this office by J. J. S. Bar-
 rett, contestant against homestead en-
 try No. 18,797, made Jan. 13, 1898, for
 the northwest quarter of the northwest
 quarter, section 31, township 5, south
 range 10 east, St. Helena Meridian,
 Chas. Coper, contestee, in which it is
 alleged that Chas. Coper has totally
 abandoned said land and has failed to
 reside upon and cultivate same within
 six months prior and next to the date
 that said affidavit was filed and that
 the contestant is now residing on the
 land, said parties are hereby notified to
 appear, respond and offer evidence
 touching said allegation at 10 o'clock
 a. m., on September 29, 1903, before H.
 R. Warren, Clerk of Court, at his office
 in Covington, La., and that final hear-
 ing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m., on
 October 9, 1903, before the Register and
 Receiver at the United States Land
 Office in New Orleans, La.
 The said contestant having, in a
 proper affidavit, filed August 17, 1903,
 set forth facts which show that after
 due diligence, personal service of this
 notice can not be made, it is hereby
 ordered and directed that such notice
 be given by day and proper publication,
 WALTER L. COHEN, Register,
 622-4t. A. H. KENNEDY, Receiver.

**TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.—NOTICE
 FOR PUBLICATION.**
 United States Land Office,
 New Orleans, La., July 6, 1903.
 Notice is hereby given that in com-
 pliance with the provisions of the act of
 Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An
 act for the sale of timber lands in the
 States of California, Oregon, Nevada,
 and Washington Territory," as ex-
 tended to all the Public Land States by
 act of August 4, 1892, Edward Taylor,
 of Covington, Parish of St. Tammany,
 State of Louisiana, has this day filed in
 this office his sworn statement No. 504,
 in support of his claim to the east half
 of the southeast quarter of section No. 12,
 Township No. 6, Range No. 10 east, St.
 Helena Meridian, and will offer proof
 to show that the land sought is more
 valuable for its timber or stone than
 for agricultural purposes, and to estab-
 lish his claim to said land before H. R.
 Warren, at Covington, La., on Monday,
 the 28th day of September, 1903.
 He names as witnesses: Edward
 Myers, Boy Loyd, Robert V. Bredon
 and Ernest Pechon, all of Covington,
 La.
 Any and all persons claiming ad-
 versely the above described lands are
 requested to file their claims in this of-
 fice on or before said 28th day of Sep-
 tember, 1903.
 J. L. WATKINS, Register,
 622-4t. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

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