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OPPORTUNITY.

Master of human destinies am I!
Fame, love and fortune on my footsteps wait.
Cities and fields I walk. I penetrate
Deserts and seas remote, and passing by
Hovel and mart and palace, soon or late
I knock unbidden once at every gate!
If sleeping, wake; if feasting, rise before
I turn away. It is the hour of fate,
And they who follow me reach every state
Morals desire, and conquer every foe
Save death; but those who doubt or hesitate
Condemned to failure, penury and woe
Seek me in vain and uselessly implore
I answer not, and I return no more!

—INGALLS.

THE ELDER SISTER.

There is no character in the home circle more useful and beautiful than a devoted elder sister who stands side by side with the toiling mother, lightening all her cares and burdens. How beautiful the household machinery moves on with such efficient help! Now she presides at the table in her mother's absence, always so neatly attiredthat it is with pride the father introduces her to his guest as "our oldest daughter." Now she takes a little troop into the garden with her and amuse them, so mother may not be disturbed in her work or rest. Now she helps the boys with their hard lessons or reads father's paper aloud to rest his tired eyes. If mother can run away for a few days recreation she leaves home without any anxiety, for mary will guide her house wisely and happily in her absence. But in the sick room her presence is especial blessing. Her hand is next to mother's own in gentleness and skill! Her sweet music can charm away pain and brighten the weariest hours. There are elder sisters whose presence is not such a blessing in a home. Their own selfish ends and aims are the main pursuits in life, and anything that stands in the way of these is regarded with great impatience. Such daughters are comfort to a mother's heart. Which kind of an elder sister are you in the household?

A mother is truly our guardian spirit upon earth; her goodness shields and protects; she walks with our infancy, our youth and maturing age, even sheltering us with her absolving love, and expiating our many sins with her blessed prayers. And when our mother, with all her burden of love, her angelic influence, her saintly care, ceases her beautiful life, how much we loose of home, of happiness, of heaven, no one can reckon; for our mother was none but ours, and we only can know how holy she was, how sacred her memory must be.

Old age should be well fed, well dressed, well housed, free from the worries of life and the discomforts. It should be placid and gentle and beautiful. The heart free from care and the body free from labor, the mind should expand and the aged should become a source of moral strength and wisdom to all about them. The old folks should be cared for and honored, and above all they should be allowed to have their room and their will, for assuredly they have lived long enough to know what they want.

There is a sweet music in every home where the heart strings are touched by gentleness and courtesy. The mild word, the gentle answer, the tender act, the patient considerateness, will touch chord of kindness and make sweet melody in the family as everywhere. A desolate, dreary place is a home devoid of those little courtesies which were praticed in the best of social life.

Cultivate a spirit of cheerfulness and gather friend about you by the magic of a sunny free.

Jerry Porter, of Clinton, Ky., originator of Porter's "Tuff Glass" lamp chimneys, which have a national fame in their merits is now putting on the market. Porter's "Tuff Steel" Razors, each razor bearing Mr. Porter's name on the blade, and he is advertising it as the best Razor made and the people are going to believe just what Jerry Porter says about it 27 4t

FOR RENT.—A Five room house on orth Court street. Apply to Miss Martha Henry. tf

BIG BUCK IS SLAIN.

Benton, Ky., Dec. 14.—Last Sunday morning Andrew Burkhart, who lives on Route 1, near the Graves county line, discovered a fine buck in the field of one of his neighbors. He immediately procured his gun and soon had the deer converted into venison. He weighed 173 pounds, and had fine horns, which Mr Buckhart prizes highly. This is the first deer killed in this county for many years, and it is a question as to where he came from.

LOOK UP.

Why art thou cast down, O moy soul! Pas. 42:5.

Look up, lried soul, look up,
'Tis sinful to be said;
Thy father guards thee day by day,
Then cheer thy heart, be glad.
He knows the trials of the way,
He knows when eyes with tears are dim;
In darkest hours kneel down and pray
He longs to bring thee nearer Him,
His love is boundless, full and free,
It knows no change, it knows no end.
O, hear Him say, "Come unto Me"—
He is thy Helper, Guide and Friend.
Thy light and brief affliction here,
Eternal glory works for thee;
Run thou life's race, nor sigh, nor fear,
For heaven at last thy home shall be.
Look up, then, soul, look up,
And be thou not cast down,
Trust thou in God and do His will;
"Let no man take thy crown."

—MATTIE E. BROWN.

BRIDEGROOM BRINGS A CANNED TROSSEAU.

New York Dec, 15—A canned trousseau is the latest in the line of tiened goods. When the costums inspectors came to open the trunk of Cominico Petruccio, passenger from Itrlp on the Koenigin Luise, yesterday, they came across several tin cases carefully sealed.

A can opener was produced by the carpenter on the pierr The first box was about eighteen inches long, ten inches wide and two inches deep. When part of the lid had been cut away there was disclosed an antique garment of red silk and lace.

Petruccio handled the dress reverently and pressed it to his lips. It was the weeding gown of his mother and had been also the wedding gown of his grandmother, great-grand mother and several grand mothers preceeding.

Ih other cans were faded slippers, corsets, and various articles of feminine attire

In El Paso, Texas, Petruccio explained, was Maria Cobsentino, his adored, who was going to wear the ancestral bridal outfit next week.

The appraiser said the entire ward robe was worth $2.30, and Petruccio need pay no duty to Uncle Sam.

M. W. A. of Fredonia Elect Officers.

At the regular session of the M. W. A. lodge here last week, the following officers were elected:
IRA C. BENNETT, Consul Com.
DAVID BOAZ, Clerk.
W. E. COX, Advisor Lieut.
M. A. LEWIS, Past Consul Com.
VICTOR YOUNG, Escort.
J. F. AKRIDGE, Watchman.
A. J. SHAVER, Sentry.
G. D. TEETT, Chief Forester.
J. N. TODD, J. N. BAILEY, } Physicians.
M. N. WILKEY, J. L. RAY, W. D. PRUET, } Managers.

This Camp No. 13113 was organized last summer and is rapidly increasing in members, the Camp now numbers over forty. The new Rice hall is the lodge room of this Camp meets every second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month. All visiting members invited to attend.

SAYS ACCEPTANCE WOULD BE SELFISH.

Presented with $40,000 by members of his congregation on the occasion of the twenty fifth annaversary of his rectorship of Grace church, New York, the Rev. Dr. William Reed Huntington has declined to accept the gift, and has turned it back for use in the church.

In a letter he suggests to the parishioners that the income from the sum be used during his rectorship to to carry on parochial, charitable and missionary work. In the event of his retirement from the church, he is to make use of the income himself, but when he dies it shall revert to the church treasury. In his letter, Dr. Huntington, who is 70 years old, says:

"I can not but think, in view of the dipparity now existing in local incomes, that any merely personel method of using this splendid offering would seem to my brethren in the ministry selfish in the extreme."

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S. M. Jenkins.

KILLS LITTLE SON

Henderson, Dec., 10.—William S. Elam, a prominent farmer of this county, accidentially shot and killed his three year old son. Mr. Elam was killing hogs at the time by shooting them with a rifle, and by some accidental means the rifle was prematurely discharged. The ball entered the child's head just above the nose, passing through his head. He died three hours afterward. Mr. Elam is a brother of Mrs. Yeamen, of Louisville

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