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the many forms which rheumatism that which is popularly known as rheumatism probably tortures its more than any other. That Dr. ms' Pink Pills have cured this rm as well as painful trouble is a oven by the following statement, sufferer who reads this can af- let prejudice stand in the way of these blood-making pills.

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THE HOUSE THAT BAKER BUILT.

CHAPTER VI.

The Chocolate Girl, known under the French name of "La Belle Chocolatiere," is familiar all over the world as the trade-mark of Walter Baker & Co., Ltd., the famous manufacturers of cocoa and chocolate. There is a romantic story connected with the charming young woman who posed for the original picture. This is given briefly in a booklet printed by Walter Baker & Co. in connection with some interesting sketches for advertisements made by children. A copy of the booklet and also a copy of a new and very attractive little book containing a choice collection of recipes by Miss Parloa and many of the leading cooking school teachers in this country will be sent free to any applicant. Address Walter Baker & Co., Ltd., Dorchester, Mass.

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"But there are other people who can't sleep with a clock in the same room and who, if they found themselves in a strange place anywhere with a clock in their sleeping apartment, would stop the clock before they went to bed.

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As it rips the logs asunder,
But it takes high "C" when it strikes a knot
And it strains the saw, by thunder!
Oh, a gladsome song is the song of life
As it trills through soft-grain timber—
But it's Ouch! I say, when a gnarled knot
Sort of knocks a man all limber!

Oh, a fine big roll is the roll you have
When you win where ponies scamper!
But the jolt you get when you strike a knot
Sort of puts on life a damper!
Oh, the bliss you feel and the vows you make
When a sweet young lass is tender;
But the knot you strike and the pearl you lose
When you take a hick'ry bender!

Oh, a jolly boy is the pa-made boy
As he spends his father's dollars;
But the knot he strikes gives a dismal screech
When he has to earn his collars!
Oh, it's fun to sport and stay out all night
And it's neat to fool your wifey,
But beware the day that she learns the truth—
For it's bad, you bet your lifey!

Oh, a merry buzz has the big saw-mill
As it runs through straight-grain lumber.
It's the same with life! Just you mind your legs!
Keep the knots to smallest number!
Yea! the knot is hard for the saw to cut—
It's a reg'lar mule-muskeeter!
So beware the knot in the mill of life,
For you can't fool Old St. Peter!

The Boy Enigma.

The boy is ever a conundrum. Johnny Brown, at school, was a favorite with his teacher because he always knew his lessons, was neat and tractable, never devilish and always reliable. Alongside of little Willie, whose face was ever suggestive of a night in the slough, whose hair was tangled and had a cow-lick in it, who never missed an opportunity to "can" a dog's tail or stick pins where they would do the greatest good to the greatest number, Johnnie—the good boy—was a paragon of promise! In later life Johnnie developed into an honest milkman with occasional dabbles in working 'round. He now belongs to that great aggregation known as "The Non-Combustible league," the fellows "that never set the world on fire!" Little Willie, to the contrary notwithstanding, took a firm hold on the seat of his trousers and lifted himself past the "canned" dogs into the realm of success, where he is now busily engaged in counting his money and wondering if the new woodshed will be big enough to hold last year's profits!

The woods are full of just such examples. It never pays a teacher to scoff at her dullest scholar. He may some day clean up her preserves with a mortgage, or come to lecture in her town and be met by a committee of ten, of which she will not be one because she has not been sufficiently urged. When a boy I often failed to get my algebra lessons because of the interior workings of genius. Look at me now! a living example of my argument! You cannot tell by the looks of a frog how far he can jump for a fly. The teacher who gazed disdainfully at me is nothing but an old maid to this day, while I am married and haven't learned an algebra lesson in 20 years. Moral—Be good and you will be happy!

On the Side.

The big fish that gets away now will be safe until next spring, anyhow.

A Nebraska editor asks: "When does a pig become a hog?" When a man takes the end seat in a street car and makes all the women climb over his brogans.

Fall calcimining is now in full swing.

There is only one thing that disappears faster than money in the bank with a checking account against it—a barrel of apples in the cellar with a key to the cellar door in Little Willie's pocket.

It is easier to be a gentleman than a rowdy. Here is one path of least resistance that should appeal to all American youths. There is nothing that gives quite so much satisfaction when life is in the sunset as the thought that a desire to be cleanly and true in character has wielded its scepter in you all through life.

Byron Williams

FROM GIRLHOOD TO WOMANHOOD

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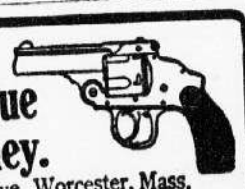

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