that our undershirt had been unraveled off our back-a realization which was verified when on our return home we discovered that only the sleeves and button-holes remained in our possesion-and it was a new undershirt too. As we said before, don't remove a raveling unless you are rbsolutely sure of its identity. Theloare some men who object to having their understifts removed in church, even on the installment plan. There are others who have only one undershirt. In either event the service looses impressiveness and the young lady is bound to feel more or less embarrasment. You were very wise in not taking any chances on the raveling. It's a delusion oft-times.-The Chinese Times.

We don't see 'ow the big steel trust recently organizerl in the United States can be considered as a monopoly. There are so many other steal trusts in existence that keen competition should result.-Chinese Times.

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# True Kindnesss.... : - Receives Reward 

## By a North Park Author

[CONTINEED FROM LAST WEEK.]
She was not enlightened as to wage. but was so happy to begill earning something that she did not give it a thought; but entered upon her duties at once. A middleaged, pleasant looking matron took her in charge, and soon she felt quite at home, and although she did not know it, she was doing that which asually two girls were required to do. She got aiong splendidly. Uf course, as in all fac tories, the same class of girls were present.
The large-mouthed, freckle-faced, turned-up nose, topped off by the shock of red hatir, Mary Ann McCarty, was there, who made fun for the whole lot, and had all the blarney of her kind with her. Sometimes she attributed ber laziness to keeping too late hours at her grandfather's wake and such other occurences till it lead one to believe that she had countless relations all dead and all grand $f$ athers. Then, too, there was the pious Alisha Cummings, whose favorite brother was a minister. And the funny pair of twins, whom no one could distinguish. Leme Norris, the only girl that ever had a bean; and a dozen others, who ail had a sedeemmg feature; so Lucinda never got lonesome.

Shortly, the girls began to grow suspicious about their pay. They had been put of by various excuses till each one began to look for another situation. In a few days they received notice that the factory would shut down for a few weeks. Lucinda had been so busily employed that she had not had time for any recreation, and she felt quite glad, for she would gro and make a visit to Mrs. Goodbar.

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After getting on their wraps, each one gathered 'round the cashier's desk for their salary, and each one recesved the information that theit money would be sent by mal. They hurried outside, where they were met by the employes from each floor, in all making about 200. They talked the situation over, and all agreed that they were only "put off" in order to get "rid" of them. Many of them were crying, for a whole family was depending on them for support, while others seemed to think it a fine time for a holiday. Lucinda hurried to her boatding place. The matron informed her that she would wait no longer for her board bill, but she should seek another situation. while her belongings would be held as pay. She had always written cheerfully to her mother, whom she knew would willingly help her; but her heart failed her now. As she knew, ever since she could remember, it had been hard for her widowed mother to feed and clothe herself and six young children. She decided she weuld make a visit to Mrs. Goodbar. Early the next morning she dressed and obtained the address and started to walk, as she bad no money for carfare. As she hastened along she heard the news-boys crying, "Morning paper! All about the Goodbar factory failng!' She stopped quickly and read the heading of the paper. which informed her that the factory had shut down forever; and the building and contents would be sold, and would not pay 15 cents on $\$ 1$. She did not realize the real meaning, but instinct told her that she should never expect, or at least for some time, any pay from there.
By several inquiries she at last reached her employer's residence. The servant met her at the door and informed her that the lady would see

