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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THIS is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of

ELIZABETH MURRAY,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 18th day of August, 1895; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand, this 18th day of February, 1895.

LEVI BARNES,
Administrator.

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Order of Publication.

NO. 3330 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity.

Margaret R. Shipley, vs. Haziel T. Shipley.

The object of this suit is to procure a divorce a vinculo matrimonii by the Plaintiff from the Defendant.

The Bill of Complaint states that the plaintiff was married to the Defendant about twenty years ago and that they resided in Carroll County until about five years ago and that the Plaintiff still resides in Carroll County.

And that the Defendant, without just cause or reason, abandoned and deserted the said Plaintiff more than three years before the filing of said Bill of Complaint and that said abandonment has continued uninterruptedly and is deliberate and final and the separation of the parties is beyond any reasonable expectation of reconciliation.

The Bill of Complaint further states that the parties to this suit had four children born to them who are now under the age of twenty-one years and are all living at the time of the filing of said Bill.

The Bill of Complaint further states that the said Defendant has left the State of Maryland and is now a non-resident and that said Plaintiff does not know where he resides, and further, that he the said Defendant has failed to contribute towards the support of the said Plaintiff and their children, and on the Petition of the said Plaintiff to the said Court this order of Publication was granted against the said Defendant as a non-resident of the State of Maryland.

It is thereupon this 21st day of February, in the year Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-five, ordered by the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity, that the Plaintiff, by causing a copy of this Order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll County once in each of four successive weeks before the 25th day of March next, give notice to the said Defendant of the object and substance of this Bill of Complaint, warning him, the said Defendant, to appear in this Court in person or by Solicitor, on or before the 10th day of April next, to show cause if any he has why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

CHAS. B. ROBERTS.

True Copy—Test:
feb-23-4t BENJ. F. CROUSE, CLERK.

AN OPEN LETTER.

WESTMINSTER, April 10, 1890.

Mr. Jos. B. Boyle:

Dear Sir:—For many years I have suffered intensely, on taking cold, from a very troublesome cough, for which I have used a number of various remedies, and obtained but temporary relief. During the past Spring I was again troubled with the same cough, and through a friend was induced to try your Pectoral Syrup, which not only gave almost instant relief, but a permanent cure. It gives me great pleasure to say that I believe it to be the best remedy I ever used for the purpose for which it is recommended. Hoping that any person afflicted as I was may be fortunate enough to give it a trial, I am,

Truly yours,
EDWARD LYNCH.

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Election Notice.

Office of The Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Dug Hill, Carroll Co., Md.,
March 6th, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the members of the Company will be held on Saturday, the 16th day of March, 1895, between 12 M. and 3 P. M., at the Company's Office in Manchester, Md., for the purpose of electing 12 Directors for the ensuing year.

JOHN R. STREVIG,
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NO. 3228 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County sitting as a Court of Equity.

Andrew J. Reese, Assignee of Mortgagee, vs. Josiah Unger, Mortgagor.

ORDERED, this 27th day of February, A. D. 1895, that the sale made and reported in the above cause by Andrew J. Reese, assignee of mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power contained in the mortgage from Josiah Unger to Samuel Nusbaum, mortgagee, dated April 29th, A. D. 1876, and recorded among the Real Estate Mortgage Records of Carroll county, in liber F. T. S. No. 9, folio 386, &c., be finally ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 2nd day of April next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll county, Maryland, once a week for three successive weeks previous to the 25th day of March next.

The report states the amount of sale to be $4,160.

BENJ. F. CROUSE, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
mr-2-3t BENJ. F. CROUSE, CLERK.

NO. 72 INSOLVENTS.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County,

In the matter of the Petition of Jesse Baile for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws of the State of Maryland.

Ordered, this 13th day of February, in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-five, that Monday, the 1st day of April next, be and the same is hereby fixed for Jesse Baile, petitioner for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws of the State of Maryland, in the above entitled cause, to appear in said Court and answer such interrogatories or allegations as his creditors, endorsers or sureties may propose or allege against him, and that said petitioner or Harry M. Clabaugh, his Permanent Trustee, shall give notice thereof to the creditors, endorsers and sureties of the said Insolvent Petitioner, by causing a copy of this order to be published in some newspaper published in Carroll county, for five successive weeks before the said 1st day of April next.

BENJ. F. CROUSE, CLERK.

Published at the request of Harry M. Clabaugh, Permanent Trustee of the said Jesse Baile.

fe-16 5t BENJ. F. CROUSE, CLERK.

NO. 76 INSOLVENTS.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County.

In the matter of the Petition of Franklin P. Reaver for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws of the State of Maryland.

Ordered, this 13th day of February, in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-five, that Monday, the 1st day of April next, be and the same is hereby fixed for Franklin P. Reaver, Petitioner for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws of the State of Maryland, in the above entitled cause, to appear in said Court and answer such interrogatories or allegations as his creditors, endorsers or sureties may propose or allege against him, and that said petitioner or John M. Roberts, his Permanent Trustee, shall give notice thereof to the creditors, endorsers and sureties of the said Insolvent Petitioner, by causing a copy of this order to be published in some newspaper published in Carroll county, for five successive weeks before the said 1st day of April next.

BENJ. F. CROUSE, Clerk.

Published at the request of John M. Roberts, Permanent Trustee of the said Franklin P. Reaver.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, A. D. 1895,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., all that valuable little farm, or tract of land, containing

55 ACRES, AND 1 ROOD OF LAND,

more or less, improved by a good Dwelling House, good small barn, and all other usual outbuildings, spring of water, good fruit, &c.

And also that tract or parcel of land adjoining the above tract containing

33 ACRES, 3 ROODS AND 5 PERCHES

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The two tracts or parcels of land contain in the aggregate 89 acres and 5 perches of land, more or less, and will be offered separately and jointly to suit purchasers. The land is in a good state of cultivation, with good fencing, &c. There is about 32 acres in wheat and a portion in good timber land. This is a very desirable property and well worthy the attention of any one wanting a beautiful home.

Terms of Sale.—Cash, upon the ratification thereof by the Court; easier terms can be had by application to the undersigned. A cash deposit of $250.00 will be required from the purchaser upon the day of sale.

CAROLINE SCRIVNOR,
Assignee of the Executrix and Executor of Joshua Scrivnor, mortgagee.
Geo. L. Stocksdale, Solicitor.
Jos. W. Berret, Auct. fe-23-ts

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OF VALUABLE

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THE subscribers having quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, on

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This farm adjoins lands of Peter Davis, Frank Lewis and others. The improvements consist of a comfortable Log Dwelling House, Weatherboarded and Plastered; Log Barn, small Hay Barrack, good Tobacco House, Wagon Shed, 2 Corn Cribs, Hog Sty, Smoke, Dairy and Ice House. There is a good variety of choice Fruit Trees and Vines. The land is in a fair state of cultivation, running Water in nearly all the fields. There is about 40 Acres of Timber Land, and a fair proportion of Meadow Land. This property is reasonably convenient to churches, school, stores, P. O., &c., and is worthy the attention of purchasers. Can be bought at private sale, any time previous to above named date. For further information call on or address,

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Trustee's Sale

OF A

House and Lot

on Union Street, Westminster, Md.

BY virtue of a decree passed by the Circuit Court for Carroll county, sitting in Equity, wherein David Cassell is complainant and Caroline Woodyard and others are defendants, the undersigned trustee will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, 16th OF MARCH, 1895,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., all that lot of land situate on Union Street, near Main Street, in the City of Westminster, in Carroll county, Maryland, on the corner of a 16 feet alley, fronting

75 FEET ON UNION STREET,

and being the same property of which Reuben Woodyard died seized and possessed.

The improvements thereon consist of a two-story Dwelling House, built of logs, weatherboarded and plastered, 16 feet by 22 feet, with a small back building attached. This house is in first-class condition. There are also other necessary outbuildings on the property. The house is supplied with water from the Westminster Water Co.

Terms of Sale as prescribed by the decree: One-third cash upon the day of sale or upon the ratification thereof, one-third in one year, and the balance in two years from the day of sale, upon the purchaser giving his notes, with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale.

CHARLES E. FINK,
Samuel Shunk, Auctioneer. Trustee.
feb-23-ts.

PUBLIC SALE

OF VALUABLE

Household and Kitchen Furniture,

IN WESTMINSTER, MD.

As attorney and agent I will offer at Public Sale, at the late residence of Wm. A. Wampler, Westminster, Md., corner of Main and Church Streets, on

SATURDAY, the 16th of MARCH, 1895,

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Terms of Sale:—Cash to be paid on the day of sale on all sums of and under $10; a credit of 4 months will be given on all sums on purchases over $10, bearing interest from the day of sale and secured by the note of the purchaser with approved security. No property to be removed before same is settled for.

JAS. A. C. BOND,
Attorney for Carrie P. Elliott.
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IN 1895.

Taking advantage of the general revival of interest in the Great Emperor, The Century will print during 1895

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The Century is famous for its great historical serials, and never in its history has a greater one been projected than this new "Life of Napoleon," written by Prof. William M. Sloane, of Princeton, who has spent many years in preparation for his work. Thus far no biography of "the man of destiny" has appeared in either English or French that is free from rancor and attentive to the laws of historical criticism. The Century has secured it—the great, all-round, complete and interesting history of the life of one of the most marvelous of men. No matter how much you already know of Napoleon, you will want to read this;—here is the concentration of all the lives and memoirs. The illustrations will be magnificent—the wealth of the Century's art department will be lavished upon them. Two members of the staff have just returned from Paris, where they have been securing all that is best of Napoleonic material. New portraits will be printed, great historical paintings reproduced, and Castaigne and other modern artists have drawn anew some of the great scenes of Napoleon's life of this history.

In addition to this there will be

A NEW NOVEL BY MARION CRAWFORD.

The title is "Casa Braccio," and it is a romance of Italy, full of human passion and exciting episode.

A NEW NOVEL BY MRS. BURTON HARRISON

will be published during the year. It is called "An Errant Wooing," and is a tale of wandering (and love) among new scenes of travel in Northern Africa and Southern Spain.

OTHER FEATURES

will be several familiar papers on "Washington in Lincoln's Time," by Noah Brooks, who was on terms of unusual intimacy with the War President; "The Cathedrals of France" by Mrs. Schuyler Van Rensselaer, with illustrations by Joseph Pennell. Many more serials will be announced later.

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IN 1895.

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During 1895 every vital question will be discussed with vigor and without prejudice in the editorial columns, and also in special articles by the highest authorities in each department. Portraits of the men and women who are making history, and powerful and caustic political cartoons, will continue to be characteristic features. This Busy World, with its keen and kindly comment on the lesser doings of the day, will remain a regular department.

FICTION. There will be two powerful serials, both handsomely illustrated—The Red Cockade, a stirring romance of olden days by Stanley J. Weyman, and a novel of New York, entitled The Son of His Father, by Brander Matthews—several novelettes, and many short stories by popular writers.

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Harper's Magazine
IN 1895.

The Simpletons, a new novel by Thomas Hardy, will be begun in the December Number, 1894, and continued to November, 1895. Whoever may be one's favorite among English novelists, it will be conceded by all critics that Thomas Hardy stands foremost as a master artist in fiction, and the Simpletons may be expected to arouse enthusiasm not inferior in degree to that which has marked Trilby—the most successful story of the year. Another leading feature will be the Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc, by the Sieur Louis de Conte, Her Page and Secretary, under which guise the most popular of living American magazine writers will present the story of the Maid of Orleans. In the January Number will appear a profusely illustrated paper on Charleston and the Carolinas, the first of a series of Southern Papers.

Northern Africa is attracting more attention than at any other time since it was the seat of empires. The next volume of HARPER'S MAGAZINE will contain four illustrated articles on this region, and three of them will depict the present life there. Julian Ralph will prepare for the MAGAZINE a series of eight stories, depicting typical phases of Chinese Life and Manners. Besides the long stories, there will begin in the January Number the first chapters of A Three-Part Novelette, by Richard Harding Davis—the longest work yet attempted by this writer. Complete short stories by popular writers will continue to be a feature of the MAGAZINE.

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Select Poetry.

HOPE.

BY C. E. M.

Sweet hope, my child, is nothing but a reed;
God holds in hand our days, beloved one.
He winds them on the wheel that turns with speed.
The thread breaks, and our life long toil is done.
In every cradle decked with rosy wreath
Lurk germs of death.

Once, long, long years ago, futurity
Before my eyes with purest radiance glowed,
The stars with glory filled the midnight sky,
The sea with halcyon breezes calmly flowed;
But all these visions of an earlier day
Have passed away.

If, near thee, one should turn away to weep,
Ask not the reason of those silent tears;
For they are sweet, and lull men's grief to sleep—
Soft solace in our many cares and fears.
And every teardrop, child, like summer rain,
Blots out a stain!

Select Story.

STUMPY.

BY FLORENCE HOWELL HOYT.

From the N. Y. Examiner.

He was only the boy who attended to the chores about the hotel, and so was never invited to play croquet or lawn tennis, or the substitute in the baseball nine, and he was laughed at a good deal because he had freckles, red hair, and wore clothes a great deal too small for him. His name was Ephraim, but everyone called him "Stumpy," for he was short and rather stout—everyone except Carrie Mowbray, that is Carrie never used his nick-name. She said she didn't consider it kind.

"He'd like to be tall, I dare say. So would a great many other people," she said to her cousin Belle Towers, one day on the porch.

"But he is hideous, actually hideous," said Belle.

"Oh, no; you exaggerate. If he didn't have freckles he would hardly be called even plain; and the freckles will wear off in time."

"I doubt it; and then his hair—so red! and he is awkward, too."

"He'll outgrow his awkwardness, and he can't help having red hair. I've heard you say you'd like to have dark eyes—but you'll never have them. We're obliged to be contented with nature's decrees usually; and you can't deny that Ephraim looks honest. He is amiable, too, and very obliging."

"To hear you talk, Carrie, one would imagine him a paragon. I suppose you found out all these virtues when you were talking to him on the bench yesterday."

"I was simply asking him about the tides."

"You could have asked some one else. You'll make him familiar if you talk to him, Carrie. I've seen that sort of thing happen before. I hope he'll never have the assurance to speak to me."

"You, he has enough good sense to see where he is wanted. He never thrusts himself forward in the least—I've noticed that."

"Well, don't encourage him to talk to you. People of that class are very apt to presume upon any attention, however trivial," and Belle strolled down to the steps in the direction of the beach, feeling that Carrie had justly deserved the rebuke she had given her.

Belle did not intend to be either unkind or ungenerous, but, like many other girls, she had an exaggerated idea of her own importance and the aristocracy of wealth. Ephraim found it pretty hard to be at the beck and call of everybody at the Beach House, and he had to grind his teeth sometimes to keep from "answering back" when his orders came in peremptory tones from some young fellow no older than himself. "But I mean to see it through," he said to his sister, as he sat talking to her one evening in the doorway of their cottage after the labors of the day were over. "You know I have always said that a fellow was a coward who'd give a thing up just because it proved hard. By next Summer I can find something else to do, and all I'm going through now won't matter."

"I'm well proud of you, Ephraim," said his sister, as she looked at him with tender eyes. "You're so brave."

Ephraim laughed.

"Don't be proud until you've got something to be proud about," he said.

Ephraim made it a point to take a plunge in the sea every morning on his way to the hotel. He was a fine swimmer, and thoroughly enjoyed his ten minutes in the water. It seemed to tone him up for all day. He had always had the sea to himself at that hour, for he was an early riser from necessity as well as inclination, but on the morning after his talk with Barbara, he had just entered the water, and was only a few yards from shore, when he heard a shout, and, turning around, saw a half a dozen of the boys from the hotel on the beach.

"Here, you fellow," called out Percival Peyton, a young man who boasted of his blue blood. "Come out of that."

His tone, more than the command, irritated Ephraim. He turned about again and struck out for deep water without making any reply.

"You insolent young hound, don't you hear me?" called Peyton, the angry blood mounting to his face. "Come out of that. The fellows want to go in."

"Well, you can come in," said Ephraim. "I'm not in your way. There's plenty of room."

"Yes; what's the use of making a row?" drawled Frank Chapin.

"I'm not making a row," said Peyton, "but I never have gone into the water with the hotel servants, and I don't propose to do it now. This fellow might as well learn his place now as at any time."

"Oh, let him alone; Stumpy is a good sort," said Charles Colwell. "He can outswim you any day, Peyton."

"Not much," said Peyton, who considered himself the best swimmer on the beach,

"Take a pull together and decide it," said Colwell.

"Thank you for the suggestion, but I don't enter any swimming match with a fellow not my social equal," answered Peyton, snubbishly.

Ephraim by this time was an eighth of a mile from the beach. He remained in the water his usual length of time; then came out to find Peyton waiting for him, a very dark frown on his handsome face. The other boys had all gone into the water.

"I'll see that you are properly dealt with for this impertinence," he said, as Ephraim started toward one of the bath houses. "You will hear from this, and very shortly too."

Ephraim made no rejoinder, but he couldn't help feeling a little uneasy, and almost wished he had obeyed Peyton's order, insulting as it was. The Peyton's occupied the best rooms at the hotel, and had the cream of everything.

"If it weren't for Aunt Martha and Barbara, I wouldn't care," the boy reflected. "But if I lose my place it'll come hard on them."

By the time he was dressed Ephraim had decided on the hardest task he had ever set himself. He would apologize to Percival Peyton.

He gave himself no time to hesitate, but went straight to the point.

"Mr. Peyton," he said, "perhaps I was wrong not to come out of the water when you told me to. I hope you'll overlook it and not report me to Mr. Springer. I can't afford to lose my place."

"You should have thought of that before," rejoined Peyton haughtily. "One of the first duties of a servant is to learn his place," and he turned on his heel and walked away.

Ephraim went to his duties at the hotel feeling as if he hated the cold-blooded young aristocrat, and it didn't improve his temper to hear Peyton relating the incident to Belle Towers when they were on the porch together after breakfast, and Ephraim was holding a horse at the block. Belle's rejoinder reached his ears with cruel distinctiveness.

"The impudence of it," she said. "It all came of Carrie's talking to him. I told her he'd be getting familiar. The next thing we know he'll think himself privileged to go into the water when we girls are in. I hope Mr. Springer will discharge him."

Ephraim's heart swelled with indignation and pain. How these wealthy people despised him! His father had been the captain of the Life Saving Station, and they had lived in comfort as long as he had been spared to them; but he had lost his life one bitter night in the performance of his arduous duties, and dark days had come to the little family. Ephraim, who had been attending school regularly, had been obliged to put his shoulder to the wheel at once, and had taken any sort of work he could find. As he heard the conclusion of Belle's speech he wondered what he was going to do in case Mr. Springer acted on Percival Peyton's request. There was Ben Todd who would be only too glad to jump into his place if the chance offered. And the chance did offer. Just before noon Mr. Springer sent for Ephraim, and as soon as the boy saw his face he got ready for the blow that he knew was about to fall.

"Complaint of impudence and disobedience has been lodged against you, Warner," said Mr. Springer, as he turned over the leaves of a ledger on his desk. "I can't have any one here that is obnoxious to my guests. So I won't need you after to-day. I have engaged Todd to take your place."

Ephraim was too much stunned to utter a word in response. He simply nodded and left the office.

Going outside he walked slowly toward the rear of the building, trying to think how he could break the news to his aunt and Barbara.

Suddenly he heard a cry, and, looking toward the beach, saw the people running excitedly to and fro. He understood at once that some person must be in danger of drowning, and without hesitating a moment he dashed down the board walk, throwing off his coat and shoes as he went. As he reached the beach he saw Mr. Towers, a man of middle age, spring into the water; and far out beyond the breakers saw the objects of his solicitude—two girls, who had ventured too far out and were unable to return against the strong current. Another instant and Ephraim had dashed into the sea, almost throwing over Percival Peyton in his impetuous eagerness to lose no time, and being a strong swimmer, he soon overtook and distanced Mr. Towers, and in a few minutes more succeeded in reaching the girl nearest him. It was Belle Towers, and she clung to him desperately. What cared she now that he was freckled, and his hair was red, and his gait awkward? He was the one plank between her and a watery grave, and she held to him with wild despair. With great difficulty Ephraim persuaded her to loosen her grasp, and gave her into the care of her father, who had now reached them.

"Take her in—I'll get the other," he said, and struck out to where Carrie Mowbray was struggling in the water 200 yards from shore. She was just about giving up, her strength having almost failed.

"Courage," he cried, "keep up till I get there; I'll save you."

His words gave her fresh strength. By a great effort she kept herself from sinking, and the next moment Ephraim had reached her and extended one arm so that she could grasp it.

"Cling to my shoulder," he said.

Carrie obeyed him, and the gallant fellow turned about for shore. He made fair headway for a time, and then, finding the great exertion he was putting forth was overtaxing his strength, and that the girl's weight was burying him deeper and deeper, so that every wave broke over their heads, he spoke again:

"You've got to help me or we'll both drown," he said.

"If you think we can't reach the shore I'll take my hands off," answered the noble girl. There is no need that we should both go down. Save yourself and never mind me."

But plain, poor and awkward as he was, Ephraim Warner was not one to desert a woman in deadly peril. He had gone out to save her and he proposed to do it or die in the attempt.

"I won't leave you," he said; and then, with ready resource, told her to grasp one of his shoulders with one hand, and use the other as in swimming. "If you can do this we'll get to the shore all right," he added. "We musn't drown if we can help it. Do your best now."

Thus encouraged, Carrie was able to follow his directions implicitly, and under the changed conditions the intrepid swimmer put forth all his remaining strength, and within a few minutes they were within reach of the assistance of those from the shore.

As they all rose from the water and Mrs. Mowbray staggered forward to fold her daughter to her arms, a great shout went up from the excited crowd.

"Three cheers for Ephraim Warner," cried a voice. Instantly it was taken up, and cheer after cheer rang out, while Ephraim, too weak to utter a word, gazed around him for a moment in bewildered astonishment, and then, for the first time in his life, quietly fainted away.

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That evening, as Ephraim lay on the old couch in his aunt's little sitting-room, feeling still the effects of his desperate battle with the waves, a shadow darkened the doorway, and, looking up, he saw Percival Peyton standing there.

"I've come down to apologize to you, Warner, for what happened between us this morning," began Peyton. "I thought I ought to do it you see. I'm not given much to apologies, but, I hope I'm not a cad. You're a brave fellow, and I'm proud to know you. Shake hands, and let's call it square."

Ephraim's hand went out at once, and ten minutes later he found himself promising to take a place in the iron works of Peyton & Co., if room could be made for him.

"And I imagine I can fix that all right," young Peyton said, and went away feeling that he had shown himself a gentleman.

This was not all that came to Ephraim through his courageous act. The United States Government, in recognition of his bravery, sent him a gold medal, and when he put it on for Barbara to admire, she almost cried.

You certainly can't say I haven't a right to be proud of you now, Ephraim," she said.

"Oh almost any one would have done what I did if he'd known how to swim as well," rejoined honest Ephraim modestly.

But his eyes shone, nevertheless, as he looked at that gold medal which bore testimony to his bravery.

Death's Red Light.

From the Richmond Times.

"The most peculiar case I ever heard of," said a telegraph operator, "occurred in our family. My father was an engineer on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, running into Richmond. One night while quite a distance from the latter city and nearing his run he saw a bright red light on the track several hundred yards ahead. The signal was also seen by his fireman and the front brakeman. The train was at once stopped, but not a trace of the signalman or light could be found, and the track was all right. Father looked at his watch and noted that the time was 8 o'clock. The train pulled out, proceeding cautiously for some distance without meeting any obstruction. Several miles further the light was again seen. Once more stopping, another search was made, with no more success than before. This happened at 8.28. Father was never superstitious, but this was inexplicable. Much mystified, he proceeded on the way only to be stopped a third time by the red light at 8.51 o'clock. Another search by the crew failed to disclose the slightest trace of the mysterious signalman. Finally, giving up the search, the men returned to their posts, and the train at last pulled into Richmond without further mishap.

"When father alighted from the cab, a telegram was handed him announcing the death of his mother. Without delay he went to her home, which was several miles out of the city, on the railroad. Soon after his arrival he learned that a telegram had been sent to him while he was out on duty, summoning him to grandmother's bedside. The time at which father had seen the mysterious red lights was indelibly impressed on his memory, and he learned upon inquiry that at precisely the minute at which the first red light was seen she had asked if he had come. She then repeated the question at the time he saw the second light, and the appearance of the third light was simultaneous with her death."

Most Powerful Illuminant.

Acetylene, the most powerful illuminant of the hydro-carbons, can now be produced on a commercial scale, says Prof. Lewes in a paper read before the Society of Arts. It is a colorless gas with an intensely penetrating smell resembling garlic, so that the smallest leakage would be quickly detected. Five cubic feet of the gas will give a light equal to 240 candles for an hour. It is made by mixing forty parts by weight of finely ground chalk or lime with twenty-four parts by weight of any form of powdered carbon in an electric furnace and adding water; the product is lime and chalcic carbide, a pound of which will yield 5.3 cubic feet of acetylene. The carbide can be made for $20 a ton; the gas would cost about $1.60 a thousand feet, but its illuminating power would make its cost equal to ocal gas at 12 cents a thousand.

To make Liebig's extract of meat, cut the lean of fresh-killed meat very small, put it into eight times its weight of cold water, and heat it gradually to the boiling point. When it has boiled for a few minutes, strain it through a cloth, and evaporate the liquor gently by water-bath to a soft mass. Two pounds of meat will yield an ounce of extract. Fat must be carefully excluded, or it will not keep.

Each different color of sealing-wax has a special significance. Blue denotes constancy; dark green, hatred; light ruby or rose, affectionate remembrance; pale green, innocence; yellowish green, disappointment; dark brown, melancholy and reserve; ruby and cardinal, ardent and burning love; vermillion, a proposal of marriage. White is used for weddings, chocolate for dinner invitations, and black, drab and purple for mourning.

No tree can become so great that it can get along without the help of its smaller roots.