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CLEVELAND AS A BOY.

His Brother Says the President Was Not Fond of Study.

I asked Mr. Cleveland whether or not the family had always considered Grover to be the one son destined to eminent success in life. He laughed and assured me that the President had not been pre-eminently distinguished in the family circle during his early years. Indeed, without a touch of self consciousness, and very naively, he told me his father had always said the brightest boy should be sent to college, and the clergyman was the boy who was sent

"Of all the sons," he added, "I had the preponderance of literary taste, and was always particularly fond of books and study. On the other hand, Grover was in no wise fond of learning after my fashion but he had the faculty of administration. And that faculty is a power by itself.

"As a boy he had, too, a strong sense of personal right and dignity. When his conviction dictated a certain course of action he would pursue that course and no other motives were sufficient to divert him. He managed himself in such a way that he secured attention and admiration of a solid sort. More than that, when he won esteem he retained it, and when he achieved a satisfactory position he preserved it. We who knew him best in his youth did not understand the full significance of such characteristics. We did not consider him as one born to gain fame. Now looking back and reviewing his life as I know it, I can see in him those elements which have made him what he is. As a boy he was remarkable for those same traits of ability which give him dignity and worth as a man."

Pennsylvania School Law.

Gov. Pattison twice vetoed the compulsory school law in Pennsylvania, but it has been passed again. Gov. Hastings has signed it, and it is now a law.

Under the new law every child in the Commonwealth between 8 and 13 years of age must attend for at least sixteen weeks in each year a school in which the common English branches are taught. The law is sweeping in its requirements, excepting only such children as are certified by parents or guardians to be mentally or physically incapacitated, or who live two miles or more from a public school, or who are being instructed in other schools or by private teachers in the common English branches which are taught in public schools.

The law is highly penal in its provisions. A fine of $2 is imposed on parents or guardians in every case for the first offense against the law, and for each succeeding offense the fine is $5. This fine is imposed by the School Board, but an appeal is allowed to the Court of Quarter Sessions of the proper county.

In order that the law may be fully enforced, and that none may escape its provisions, a census of the school children of each district must be taken by the assessors at the same time that the annual assessment is made, and that list is certified to the Secretary of the School Board of each district. Teachers are required to report to the board monthly the names of all children who have been absent without satisfactory reason for five successive days. Thus the School Board will be fully advised as to all children who fail to comply with the compulsory law. If the Secretary of the School Board shall fail to comply with the provisions of the law, he will be liable to indictment for misdemeanor and to a fine of $25.

"VAT VE VANT IS ORDERS".

The following letter, written by a business house to their drummer "on the road," will be appreciated:

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 29, 1894.

MR. JOSEPH SCHWARTZ, Columbus, O.:

Dear Sir—Ve haf read your letter von de thirteent mit exbense agount. Vat ve vant is orders. Ve haf big families to make exbenses Mr. Schwartz, we fint in your exbense agount $2.50 for billards. Please don't buy any more billiards. *Vat ve vant is orders.* Also ve see $7.50 for horse and buggy. Vere is de horse, and vot did you do mit de buggy? De rest on your exbense agount is nix but schleebers, vy is it you don't ride more by day times? Ve send you to-day two boxes of zegars; one cost $.40, de order 90c. You can schmoke de $1.40 cents box und give de oders to your gustomers. Ve did send you, also, samples of a necktie vot gost us $7.00 a gross. Sell dem for $7.25 a dozen. If you can't get $7.25 dake $2.25. Vat we vant is orders. Dey is a novelty, as ve haf dem in stock two years and ain't sold none. Say de prices have been reduced on account of de new darriff. Louie says you should stop in Humbulton, vere his gousin, Max Goldstein, lifs. Louie says vot you should sell Goldstein a good bill. Dry him on dose $7.25 neckties first. Get good brices. He is Louie's gousin. Sell him mostly for gash. Tell him *ve vant orders.* Also, Louie says vat you gan leave Columbus at 11.50 in de night, and get by Hambulton at 3.35 in de morning. Do dis, und you vont need no schleeper. Und remember, Mr. Schwartz, vat ve vant is orders. Yours truly,

BALLERNSTEIN & Co.

KEEP DE EXBENSES DOWN.

A Wife's Public Tribute to Her Husband, at His Grave.

An unusual, not to say remarkable, funeral oration was recently pronounced by Mrs. Turner over the body of her husband, the Hon. Isaac M. Turner, of Grand Rapids, Mich., who died of consumption after a lingering illness. There were no other funeral exercises:

"I feel that I must say a word here above the bier of my dead hero, for all that is best in life I owe to him. While living he was for all, but, being dead, he is mine alone. Then I would speak, for many of you here were friends of his, and, through him only, friends of mine."

The wife then proceeded to reherse fragments of the public life of her husband, closing as follows:

"But weep not for him, for all has ended in peace; weep for me and for mine, if you will; but weep not for him, for his life went out on triumphant lines. No imperial guard ever died at his post of duty more nobly than did our hero, and I pray that his life may still be a hope and inspiration to me, and not a mere memory, however sweet and sacred that will always be. Weep not for him. Chant no funeral dirge. Let no minor strains of woe accompany his spirit. We will not say dust to dust and ashes to ashes, but life to life and spirit to spirit. Weep not for him, for I say his life has gone out on triumphant lines, and let dominant triumphant chords weave the harmony that would echo the flight of his soul."

WM. S. WALKER, CHAIRMAN.
RICHARD D. HYNSON, SECRETARY.

WHEN MAN IS AT HIS BEST.

Between what ages is a young man generally considered to be at his best mentally, and when is his commercial value at its highest?

When he is a young man in every sense of the word; not before nor after; that is between the ages of 30 and 45. Whatever success in life he hopes for must be made during that period. He is capable then of his best work, and of securing the highest value for his work. Between those years, in other words, he must "make himself"—and further than that he must not spend all he earns, but lay aside a goodly portion of his earnings, too. It is a cruel, but a hard fact that the business world has very litle use for what are termed old men now-a-days, and in these times of hard competitive strife a man is judged to be old very early from the hard commercial point of view. He may not regard himself as being old, but he is no longer considered to be "in the race" with the younger men, who naturally have quicker perception and whose sense of alertness is necessarily keener.

The most successful man at 40 is very often the man who is quietly pushed aside at 60. If young men earning good incomes between 30 and 40 would look a little ahead and consider the inevitable that as they grow older their value is very apt to lessen in a commercial sense, they would save themselves much after-humiliation and sorrowful retrospection. It is hard for a young man at, say 35, in the full flush and vigor of manhood to realize that a time will come when others as clever as himself and a bit cleverer, will pass him by, but the cold fact exists nevertheless, and he is wise, who, at his prime, thinks of a time which is almost sure to come to every man who lives.

"I'd like," said the elephant, reflectively, "to get hold of that idiot who fed me a fake macaroon with a gob of tar in the middle of it. I'd"—

"But it was no doubt kindly meant," interrupted the laughing Hyena. "Tar is good to keep the moths out of your trunk, you know."

The laughing hyena knew that the elephant was securely chained.

"And I only married to reform you!"

"Yes, but of course a man drinks more if he marries such a fool as that."

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CHESTERTOWN, MD., May, 13th, '95.
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