

Choir Miscellany.

The Old Clown.

The lights were out in the circus tent, And the old clown sat alone;

For many a year he'd made the world Around him laugh with glee;

The world knew not the grief that filled The heart of the good old clown;

He sat alone till a little child, A sweet and winsome thing,

A sweet and winsome thing, With deep blue eyes and golden hair,

The old clown kissed a rosy cheek And smoothed a golden curl,

He thought I heard a feeble voice, And then I seemed to see

The voice grew still, the powdered face Bent over tiny toes,

That lampblack. "Coming events cast their shadows before,"

The said stove was not a "base burner" but an old-fashioned cast-iron "box stove,"

It was one Friday afternoon in November. There had been a light fall of snow,

The leader and prime mover in all this edition was Will Wallace. He was the biggest boy in the school—a large-jointed, raw-boned, yellow-haired chap

On the morning in question, Will had five several times proudly exhibited to our entranced gaze a small round tin box, holding about half a pint.

As to see that it contained something that looked like lamp-black, then lastly replacing the cover, and apparently resume his studies.

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lamp-black box with the other. Giving Will a shaking which made his teeth chatter, he marched triumphantly to the stove,

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We had vacation all winter. I saw the teacher about four weeks after the "event." He was dressed up in a suit of court plaster, and wore a wig and a set of false teeth.

Only. Only one drop of water at a time, that had found its way from the mighty ocean through the dike, and was slowly oozing a little channel.

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Only a mound in the quiet church-yard, yet it speaks volumes to the stricken ones. Some house has lost a light; some home circle has a vacant chair!

Only a life-time! A short day in which to prepare for death. Let us then gird on the armour anew, and press forward in the hope of a better hereafter, using the weapons of prayer, lest we enter into our rest and lose the rich reward.

It is the duty of every person who has used Boucher's German Syrup to let its wonderful qualities be known to their friends in curing Consumption, severe Coughs, Croup, Asthma, Pneumonia, and in fact all throat and lung diseases.

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same expression with which he would acknowledge a butter-dish or the return of a blown-off hat, could not appreciate the real value of a woman's love.

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