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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

O'Shaughnessey Strain

By JOHN BARTON OXFORD ‡

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Under proper conditions "Killarney" as a tune is all right.

But there are circumstances which make even "Killarney" a consumma-tion to be devoutly wished for-not! Say, for instance, when it is played

on a cornet next door between 10:30 and 11 p. m -- played very badly, with many breaks and false notes.

It had lost every iota of its charm for young Mr. Timothy O'Shaughnes-Scanlon. And when that evening the operator of the tortured instrument next door essayed some very uncertain double tonguing human endurance could go no further.

Scanlon, with a nervous shiver, irritably pushed the papers across the littered table in front of him, tore off his green eyeshade and jumped up to the room with his fingers stuffed into his ears.

The door of the little bedroom was pushed open, and Mary Scanlon, every gray hair on her head bristling with wrath, came in.

"How'll ye ever be doin' yer lessons, Timmy, if that spalpeen next door kapes his wheezy foghorn goin' like this?" she demanded, looking sympathetically at her distraught son.

"Sure, I can't be doin' 'em, mother,"
Timmy confessed. "It's worse than ever tonight. I'm near wild wit the blamed uproar av it."

"What are yer goin' to do about it?" she asked with blazing eyes. "What is there to do?" asked Timmy wearily. "I don't see nothin' but to move to find some place where

in' on to disturb me." Mary Scanlon's eyes narrowed. A disgusted pucker showed itself on the forehead just above her upturned

there won't be nothin' of this kind go-

"Ye'd be drove out, would yer?" she said between set teeth. "Ye'd let yer self be ousted outer the house we've lived in for five years be them upstart Brennans that moved in next door only Mrs. Scanlon turned on her heel and

went irritably out of the room, slamming the door after her by way of giving emphasis to her momentary feel-

This did not tend materially to soothe Timmy's overwrought nerves.

Moreover, the wabbly double tonguing blatting forth again at that inaus picious moment, he strode to the win-

dow and threw it wide. "Hey!" he bellowed to make himself heard above the din. "Hey, hey, over there?"

"Killarney" ceased momentarily. There came the sound of a window in the next cottage slamming open. "Well, what's the nature av the tron

ble?" asked Mr. Brennan calmly. "I'll have a writ out on yer for dis turbin' the peace and bein' a nublic misance," quavered Timmy, his courage already ebbing.

Will yer so?" taunted the other. "Mayhap yer'll be findin' I have a right be law to practice as much as I choose in the house that none av yer money is payin' the rint av."

hereupon he slammed down the window and immediately "Killarney" blared tunelessly forth as if propelled into the night by a pair of gigantic

Mrs. Scanlon, hanging out the week's wash in the back yard next morning was accosted by Mrs. Brennan, who stepped to the dividing fence between the two cottages and glared savagely and forbiddingly at her neighbor.

"Mrs. Scanlon, ma'am," she counsel ed, "yer Timmy don't want to be start. nothin' wit' my Eddie. He's likely to get marked up for life if he goes to to Eddie and to sarsin' him like he done last night, and all because Eddie is practicin' a bit on his cornet,

which he's doin' fine on, if I do say it. Why, Eddie was all for goin' right over to your place and givin' Timmy what for right off for the nasty talk he give him. I had to hold on to Eddie and fair push him back and do all 1

could to quiet him down." Something hot and choking seemed to rise to Mary Scanlon's throat, hah .

"And glad I am yer do be broachin the subject, Mrs. Brennan," said she "I've a word or two of me own for Yer Eddie had better learn that there's some other folks round here has a few rights; also it might be well for him to remember that Timmy has the blood of the O'Shaughnesseys in him

"While you was Eddie I was hav

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in' an awful time wif Timmy, me fingers grippin' his coat tails, ma'am, and me pleadin' wif him tearful, ma'am, not to go over and be

indacent to the Brennans.
"They was new neighbors and per haps did not know as yet what was expected in a respectable neighbor hood, they havin' just come here from hivin knows where."

There were pancakes for supper & the house of Scanlon that evening. Pancakes for supper always mad Timmy rather suspicious. Their in frequent appearance usually mean

that his mother had some especial fa vor to ask of him. Nor had the last of them disappeared before Mrs. Scanlon was telling him

the tale. "I had some words wit' that Brennan woman next door when I was hangin' out the clothes this mornin'," said she.

Timmy, looking at her set lips and hard eyes, felt uncomfortable premonitions, but he said nothing.

"Cruel, hard words she used," Mrs. Scanlon went on; "words no lady would 'a' thought of usin'. And-and the upshot was that I told her yes wouldn't do a thing to that fat Eddie of hers if he went to tootlin' that trumpet of his again."

Timmy said nothing as he took his lamp, his green eyeshade and his from the kitchen shelf and went upstairs.

the cornet's blasts began as soon as Timmy's light showed in his bedroom, Something seemed to snap in Tim-my's tortured head. He had no intention of doing what he did.

Nor did he stop to count the has when he tore out of the room and down the stairs, while Mary Scanlon's eyes glowed and her breath quickened and the color came and went in her cheeks.

Ten minutes later Timmy was back -that is to say, what was left of Timmy was back.

And there it all might have ended had not Mr. Brennan, by way of fit-tingly celebrating his triumph, come out on the tiny veranda directly beneath the suffering Timmy's windows and shattered the peaceful air of the night with great and crashing excerpts "Killarney," played noison with the full power of his mighty lungs behind them.

This was too much for the O'Shangh nessey blood in Mary Scanlon.

Forgotten was Timmy and his cuts and . bruises. Forgotten everything save that Eddie Brennan was there on the next plazza sending forth his heazen notes of victory and challenge.

Never was there an O'Shaughness who could have stood that. Blindly she groped down the stairs, blindly she caught up the broom be

hind the door, blindly she tore out of the house and straight toward those hateful sounds. At the same time an arm brushed

her aside "This is no affair of yours, mother Go home, and leave him to me," said a cool, calm voice behind her.

"Yer didn't suppose I could stand if to hear him crowin' over me like this any more than you could, did you?" he asked. "Maybe he did lick the Scan lon half av me, but he ain't trimmed the O'Shaughnessey half yet, and he never will, neither.'

"Wot?" cried Eddie Brennan, his face black with wrath as he stepped to the edge of the veranda. "Ain't yes had enough?"

"We ain't even begun yet," said Timmy pleasantly and jumped on to the

Stepping back and clutching the pick ets of the dividing fence with both hands, Mrs. Scanlon gave voice to shrill and involuntary little squeals of delight as Timmy grabbed the mooted cornet, wrung it from Eddie Brennan's fingers and sent it crashing to the floor

of the porch. Locked tight in each other's clutches they swayed and staggered and stamp ed about the porch, but even in the stress of those crucial moments Timmy did not forget the hated instru-

Over it they trampled time and again to a fine accompaniment of bending metal and breaking valves. And anot Timmy would manage to land a heel upon it with sufficient force to mate rially further its rapid progress toward

the scrap heap.

Brennan, seeing Timmy's game, lei out a bellow of rage.

Also the sight of the broken and twisted instrument did not tend to

calm him. With a mighty effort he managed to break from the clinch, stepped back and shot a straight arm left at Timmy's face, which Timmy sidester as it went past his ear with omb ad all too suggestive proximity.

The force of the blow, misspent as it was, whirled Brennan to the very edge of the porch. Before he could recover his balance Timmy had unloosed right with a force he never dreamed it

It caught his opponent flush on the

He shot off the porch, landed on his stomach in a last year's petunia bed. and before he could struggle to his feet Timmy, with a flying leap, was on his shoulders, his fingers ruthle clutching his foe's ears and driving Ed die Brennan's nose deeper and deeper into the straw and the loam of the

"Say ye've had enough!" raged Timmy.

ough!" panted Brennan's mouth, buried somewhere in the straw. "Say it again," howled Timmy, "and_ say it louder. It sure sounds good to

"Aw, be decent about it. Timmy?" pleaded Mrs. Scanlon, stepping for ward from the fence. "L'ave the poor, licked lad up and come away. Don't rub it in no more. Remember-he's

vour neighbor!" Mrs. Scanlon, carrying up a well filled breakfast tray to Timmy's room next morning, smiled proudly at the scarred and battered countenance on

the pillows. "Take a look out here, Timmy, lad," said she, setting down the tray and stepping over to the window to raise the drawn shade, "and give a hurro for the O'Shaughnesseys as ye look.
Ye can study yer lessons in peace after this. There's three furniture vans back

ed up next door. Them Brennan folk

is movin'."

MORE MEN THAN WOMEN HAVE APPENDICITIS

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"Now, there's them postoffice folks down in Brooklyn! I found 'em actually hard hearted. Would you believe it, the man that brings round the letters to Mary's he's so queer and standoffish that when he handed me my husband's postal card telling me how mother had fell and broke her arm, he never so much as opened his lips to give me one word of sympathy! No, sir, not even enough to say, "Too bad!" -Exchange.

Taking No Chances.
"I have called," said the complacent visitor to the office of the merchant prince, "to obtain a statement of your assets and liabilities."

"Which of the mercantile agencies do you represent?" "Neither. I am considering making

an application for your daughter's hand, and it has always been my rule to be sure I'm right before I go ahead."

Long Winded Discussion.
"Pa, what is meant by filibustering?" "Talking against time, my son."

"Do you ever filibuster, pa?" "No, my boy. With the exception of that imposed by physical exhaustion, there is no limit to the debates in this particular house."

Spiteful. a "Why do you hate him?" "He has been knocking me to the girl I go with." "What did he tell her?"

"What my salary is." Out to Be In.

Never be in your place of business when a person wants to borrow money of you, because if you are in you will be out, but if you are out you will be in.-London Answers.

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LAWS THAT ARE NOT LAWS.

Many Statutes In England That Sim-

ply Could Not Be Enforced. There are many written laws in East land which the unwritten law permits us to break. One of the most surprising of these is playing football. Strict

ly speaking, football is illegal. Whereas there has been heretofe great disorder caused by a company of lewd and disordered persons using that unlawful exercise of ffote ball at their pleasures" are the opening words of an act of parliament passed in 1602, and any one who "uses that unlawful exercise" is still liable to a fine of twelve

"Why don't you take the pledge?" This piece of advice is offered every day by magistrates to what the police call "confirmed drunks" when they appear in the courts, and excellent advice it is. But, all the same, in offering it the magistrate is breaking a law him-

According to an act of Edward VI.'s reign, which has never been repealed, people who conspire with or induce others to abstain from certain drinks and foods are liable to imprisonment as rogues and vagabonds. You may take the pledge yourself, but you may not advise other people to.

Do you go to the theater? Of cours And do you stay to see the last act? Again, of course, you do. But by witnessing that last act you are breaking the law.

An act which has been on the statute

book for more than 200 years declares that persons assembling or causing other persons to assemble in any "booth," theater or place of public entertainment" after 10 o'clock in the evening are violating the written law .- Pear-

GET READY FOR OLD AGE.

Start Saving at Once if It Be Only Cent a Day.

I care not now humble the circumstances of any reader may be, they are not too humble to enable him or her to begin to save and to prepare for the time in life when the vacation of old age must be taken. Remember that the earlier you begin the more you will have and that if you save but a cent a day at the end of the year you will have set aside nearly \$4. That is something to begin with.

Persons are heard to say, "I can't save; I don't know how, and I can save so little that it never will amount to anything!" All wrong. You can save, if you begin with only a single cent, a five cent piece, a dime or a dollar.

The principal point to remember is that your money will earn something for you if you will only set it aside for that purpose, and it will work day and night while you are sleeping, working or resting. One hundred dollars in the savings bank at the end of the year will be worth \$104, as it will earn 4 per cent interest. The same amount invested in a good bond will earn you

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Better than all, you will have established the habit of thrift and saving. When once you have accumulated a \$100 bond or two the rest will come much easier, and you will be surprised and delighted to realize that you are not left without means of support. It. is a good thought to be ready for the vacation that must come with old aga, -Jasper in Leslie's Weekly.