

Children's Page

STORY THAT WON PRIZE.

The following is the story that won The following is the story that won a prize in the Young People's Circle Lonsing," said Mrs. Gray. "Performed and Alberta, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homestead: by haps you dropped your ring into the cookie dough Pauline." wan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homestead: by haps you dropped your ring into the cookie dough Pauline." a prize in the Young People's Circle A. T. Hernon, of Church street:

Ella Murphy.

It was just three weeks before and Ella's little heart Christmas, was sad. She was an only child, her father and brother having died when the terrible fever was raging. Her mother was very poor, and took in sewing for a living. Times were bad, and Ella's mother told her she could not afford to send her to school, and after Christmas she would have to stay home and help deliver the

work her mother did. 'Oh, if I could win the \$100 prize Squire Manly gives for the best spelling poper I would give it to mother, and I could stay at school. I will try anyway." Next morning she try anyway." was up early and studied her spell-

While she was washing the dishes she kept repeating her spelling. "A-r-i-t-h-m-e-t-i-c, spells arithme-tic." At school that day all the girls missed the word "grammar" except Ella. Down the line came the word, and every child spelled it "grammer." At last it came to El-She thought a moment, and then called out, "Grammar!" From that hour Ella did not miss her spelling. When the baker came he took little Ella to school as he would pass it. At last the Squire came. He spoke kindly to the children, and told them not to be ofraid, as he was sure they studied their lessons. Soon they were all writing page after page; they filled some neatly, others not. will take the papers home with me,' he said, "and in a week will let you!

she put a capital for Canada. And I am sure yellow is a beautiful colthe following week she did not sleep or.

At last the day the result was to be known arrived; and, as it was the Christmas holidays, she went to find balls, and the little boys and girls if Nellie O'Neill knew who won the prize. Just as she opened the door she saw the Squire coming down the street. He picked her up in his arms and kissed her. He brought her to her mother. "Your little girl is a pride to you, Mrs. Murphy," said he. "Besides the usual prize, I am going to give her a locket with the word "grammar" carved on it, as she was They are red, the only girl spelled grammar cor- or they are!"

Ella is still going to school. Rita Hernon. 11 years old. (Certified.)

PAULINE'S LOST RING.

Mamma!" screamed "Mamma! Pauline, rushing into the sitting-'Some one stole my ring that grandma gave me!" 'Maybe you lost it," said her mo-

'I am sure that I didn't," said the little girl. "Somebody took it out of the box in my room.

'When did you have it last?'' asked

put it in the box last night grandma say when she hears that?" the balls are almost the color of Pauline sat down to put her head in bony's snoes and cried, "See, when they are speaking to you.

Let ladies pass through a door first, ber mother's lan to convert it and in your shoes!" when I went to bed, and I didn't her mother's lap to cry, and it was a long time before the tears stopped that they could not see her shoes, and seat after ladies and elders. falling. Then her mamma took her up in her arms and told her that no

been doing."

Maybe I did put it on this mornnot out of the yard, though, for most nicest she had ever had. of the time I was in the kitchen with One day Dolly wore a new hat to ents that enter into the composition

she did not like to be bothered when just given them. When they 'You'll mind what your ma says." ('Oh, look, Dolly's hat green and violet balls."

head. "You know grandma bought and then she said, "Well, God makes the ring too large so you could wear the violets violet-color, and the leaves it a long time.

"Mamma, it looks just like a baby my hat, and I love violets!"
have a ring tied on." said Pauline. After that the children did not to have a ring tied on," said Pauline. "I only took it off once in a while to see how it would look.

mother. "I am very sorry." her lost ring, but one day she saw a little girl at Sunday school with it on. "That is exactly like my ring," she said right out in lesson time.

A Requisite for the Rancher.—On the cattle ranges of the West, where men and stock are far from doctors "Where did you get it, Maybelle and apothecaries, Dr. Themas' Eclec-

at an exchange, and this ring was in only for many human ills, but as a one of them," said Maybelle. "Maybe horse and cattle medicine of surpass-

happened," said Maybelle's mamma. tion of 160 acres, more or less.

brown cooky."-Hilda Richmond in intending homesteader. S. S. Times.

Many inherit weak lungs, and as of the following plans' disease usually assails the wealest (1) At least six months' residence point, these persons are continually upon and cultivation of the land in exposed to attacks of cold and puleach year for three years.
monary disturbances. The speedy use (2) A homesteader may, if he so deof Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup sires, perform the required residence w. B. Meikle will be found a preventive and a protection, strengthening the organs so ed solely by him, not less than eighty James Kerr Osborne that they are not so liable to de- (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity rangement from exposure or abrupt of his homestead. Joint ownership atmospheric changes. Bickle's Syrup in land will not meet this requireis cheap and good.

HOW DOLLY LEARNED THE COLORS.

and the bluest eyes ever seer. One day when she was in the kindergarten, the teacher showed the

and told her mother what the chil- of road allowances crossed in the

dren had said. But her mother replied, "Why know the lucky winner." think yellow hair is lovely. Just look perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living grammar with an e or an a, or if yard; they are the color of your hair! with parents or on farming land own-

Then little Dolly was happy again. The next day the teacher showed the kindergarten children some red

Doily's lips!" Dolly's little mouth trembled, and for she went home to tell her mother

But her mother said, "Why, just look at the pretty cherries on the trees and the poppies in the garden. They are red, and what a lovely col- both large and small, would do well

And little Dolly felt comforted. blue balls to play with, and they all or acknowledging a favor. looked at Dolly and said, "Oh, look, Keep step with any one with whom these are just the color of Dolly's you walk. Always precede a lady up-

Then Dolly cried and shut her blue her in going through a crowd or pubeyes very tight. her mother said, "Just look at the the moment you step into a private

beautiful sky, and the ocean that you hall or office. love to sail on; they are both blue, and how lovely they are!"

Let a lady pass first always, unless she asks you to precede her.

very wide, and was happy once more. lady in the room, also every older Dolly's mamma bought her some person, is seated. nice new bronze shoes, and the very Rise if a lady enters the room after teacher showed the children some takes a seat.

told her mother.

Mamma took Dolly up in her lap bunch in your hand. thief would get into a house and take and said: "Don't you know what a control only a little ring."

Eat as fast or slow as others, and finish the course when they do. "You surely must have lost it, Pauline. Think carefully where you have been this morning, and what you have been this morning, and what you have the bright clouds at sunset? The clouds others unless the reason is imperate are sometimes orange color, and I tive.—The American Boy. think that they are beautiful.'

ing," said Pauline at last. "I was and thought her shoes were just the time and attention were expended in

Rhoda was in the kitchen baking med with violets and green leaves. cookies and knew nothing of the ring. Dolly was late that morning, and, which they were first offered to the "I done tole you you'd lose that pret- when she got there, the children were public. Whatever other public may be, Dolly was late that morning, and, which they were first offered to the ty ring if you wore it without the playing with some green balls and Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are the she said rather crossly, for violet balls, which the teacher had result of much expert study, and all "Mebbe next time Dolly's hat, they laughed and said, disordered liver and kidneys any con-"Oh, look, Dolly's hat looks like our fidently accept them as being what

ed Mrs. Gray when Pauline hung her | Dolly almost cried for a minute, green, and I am glad to have them in

ase Dolly any more, and Dolly found that all the pretty colors were "And then you lost it," said her everywhere in the world and she was Pauline had almost forgotten about names.—Little Folks.

tric Oil is kept on hand by the intel-'My mamma bought some cookies ligent as a ready-made medicine not

Pauline could hardly wait till her the strange story. In matters greatly simplified to be sorry for an erring one. We must stumble ourselves before we can by using this Oil.

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We are glad Pauline has her ring Application for entry must be made again."

"And now I'll wear a ribbon till minion Lands Agency or Sub-agency my finger gets large enough for the district in which the land is ring," said Pauline, looking at the situate. Entry by proxy may, how-pretty gift that had been gone so ever, be made at an Agency on cer-long. "I never want to lose it again, tain conditions by the father, mother, even if it would be safe in a big son, daughter, brother or sister of an

The homesteader is required to perform the homestead duties under one

(3) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of a homesteader has permanent residence on farming land owned solely by him, not less Dolly was a little girl, and she had than eighty (89) acres in extent, in the yellowest hair, the reddest lips, the vicinity of the homestead, or upon a homestead entered for by him in the vicinity, such homesteader may perform his own residence duties by

children some pretty yellow balls, and the little children all looked straight (4) The term "vicinity" in the two (4) The term "vicinity" in the two at Dolly and cried, "See these are exactly the color of Dolly's hair." preceding paragraphs is defined as meaning not more than nine miles in Dolly felt very bad, and went home a direct line, exclusive of the width

> (5) A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in aced by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention. Six months' notice in writing must

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stairs, but ask if you shall precede

lic place. When she told her mother about it, 2. At the Street Door .- Hat off

less she asks you to precede her. Then little Dolly opened her eyes 3. In the Parlor .- Stand till every

day she wore them to school the you are seated, and stand till she bright orange balls. And they look- Look people straight in the face

Then Dolly ran home very fast, so 4. In the Drawing-room.—Take your

Do not take your napkin up in a

Then Dolly laughed and got down, A Carefully Prepared Pill - Much the experimenting with the ingredi-It was a pretty hat, trim- of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills before they were brought to the state in persons suffering from dyspepsia or they are represented to be.

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When my little candle With a match I light, Where does all the darkness Go in sudden flight?

Won't some bearded wise man Kindly let me know Where the golden blossom And the darkness go? -R. K. Munkittrick.

It is impossible for one who never goes wrong, nor makes a mistake, nor commits a blunder, to know just how really judge of the hardships of a rough road and the frailty of weary True character is first tender, then hopeful, and afterwards reforma-

German Navy League

The Catholic South of Germany has seceded from the German Navy League in protest against the appointment of the notorious agitator General von Keim to the presidency of that body, which is taken to signify an official endorsement of his methods in the last election campaign, and his violent attacks upon the Centre Par-Prince Ruppecht of Bavaria, the eldest son of the Crown Prince, was the first to lead the way, and his resignation has been followed by that of the Bavarian Premier and those of a large number of Bavarian officers in the army. Finally, the whole Bavarian section of the Navy League has seceded. On Saturday the Prince of Thurn and Taxis followed the example of his ruling neighbor and resigned the presidency of the league in his principality. The extent of the crisis may be gauged by the fact that the Bavarian secession alone involves the loss of 20,000 members. Companies

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