

Children's Department

THE COMPASS.

"When He, the Spirit of Truth is come, He will guide you into all truth." John 16:13.

The carriage was at the door. Papa, mamma, and Clara Bell had said good-bye to everybody at least six times, for were they not to cross the great ocean to be gone a long time, and it takes more than one good-bye to last all summer.

Papa and mamma were sad, but Clara Bell was not sad at all. Why should she be, when there were so many new things to see? And wasn't mamma going too? Can anybody be sad when she has her mamma.

But when they were on the steamer and the last spire of the city had disappeared and the last brown line of shore had faded, Clara Bell drew a little sigh.

"Why, it's nothing but water," she said. "Where shall I go to walk?"

"Oh, you must walk on deck," said papa.

"But where shall I get dandelions and buttercups, and hear the birds sing?"

"You must wait for the poppies on the other side," said papa, "and maybe you will see the big seabirds—a gull, perhaps."

So Clara watched for the sea gulls every day, but she did not sigh any more, for there was a great deal to see on the steamer, even if there were no buttercups.

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There were ropes and sails, and little boats at the sides of the vessel, and ever so many queer things. She went down into the engine-room one day but she did not stay long, because it was so warm. And she was always sober afterwards, when she thought of the poor heated men working by the hot fire.

But the best place on the steamer for Clara Bell was the pilot-house. She liked to stand there and watch the man with his hand on the wheel. Sometimes she talked with him.

"I don't see any path in the water," she said.

"No, miss, it's all the same," the man answered.

"But how do you know where you are going?" asked the puzzled child.

"That tells me," said the pilot, pointing to something which looked to Clara Bell like a big watch. "It's a compass," the pilot explained, "and true to the north. That's my guide. It shows me the way."

Clara Bell stood looking at the compass when papa came to find her. "That's a guide," she said, "that needle points straight and true, and shows the way."

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"Yes," said papa, "the sailor at sea or the traveller on land must look at his compass and watch the pointing finger if he wishes to keep in the right way and reach his home."

"Is there another compass," asked Clara Bell in surprise.

"Oh, yes," was the answer, "anybody can have a compass, and there is something else that anybody well may have—it's a guide in his heart to point out the right way. We call this guide the Spirit of God. It would be sad to be left on the great ocean with nothing to show the way. It is more sad to be without any guide into the way of truth." Clara Bell was so interested in the compass after this that when they landed in Liverpool, papa bought her a pocket compass and she carried it everywhere with her to remind her to keep a compass in her heart.—Child's Hour.

THE BRIGHT FACE.

There is nothing that conduces more to the happiness of the home than to find a bright, sunny face looking into ours as we enter the door. The husband comes home wearied and worried with business cares; for bread-winners, the rank and file of them, find it a hard struggle in these times, when there are so many competitors. If the wife has a troubled look, or an unpleasant one on her face, it only makes his weight of care heavier. But if the light of love shines in her face, it lightens the load and brightens up the outlook. The bright, sunny face in the home is a power for good that cannot be estimated. There is nothing like the cheerful, happy frame of mind which it helps to bring about.

So, dear ones of the household, wear happy, sunny faces, and see what wonders they will work when there are fretting anxious cares and uncomfortable people about to deal with.

WHAT BOYS SHOULD BE.

First: Be true, be genuine. No education is worth anything that does not include this. A man had better not know how to read; he had better never learn a letter of the alphabet, and be true in intention and action, rather than, being learned in all sciences and in all languages, to be at the same time false in heart and counterfeit in life.

Second: Be pure in thought and language, in mind and body. An impure man, young or old, poisoning the society where he moves with smutty stories and impure examples, is a moral ulcer, a plague-spot, a leper, who ought to be treated as were the lepers of old, who were to cry, "Unclean!" as a warning to save others from the pestilence.

Third: Be unselfish. Care for the feelings and comfort of others. Be polite. Be just in all dealings with others. Be generous, noble and manly; this will include a genuine reverence for the aged and things sacred.

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