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And the mother was bent and grey,
O who were the sons of the falling
Sent one by one away!

When the cry that rose from the crowded board,
Was more than a cry for bread,
Who then were the sons went sadly forth
Where the outland roadways led?

'Twas the harder son, that, heavy of heart,
Rose up from the mother's knees,
And followed the trail of the luring West,
And fathomed the lonely seas.

'Twas the best of her blood she gladly gave,
And few were the words she said;
But she felt in her heart he would soon forget,
And she mourned him as her dead.

Where his axe and his camp-fire started the night,
Afar from the beaten track,
By prairie and bushland, river and veldt,
The desert he shouldered back.

In his pride he carried the old proud name,
From the palm to the northland pine,
And if the old ways, in the wilds, forgot,
He forgot not once the line.

Thro' his dreams he could hear the English lark,
And the nightingale sing again;
And winding by ivied hall and lawn,
He could see an English lane.

Where the valleys lay purple and green and sad,
'Twas the peat-smoke rose once more,
And the shamrock stood by the cottage wall,
And the children round the doof.

He beheld the deer by a Highland burn,
The mist on the mountain side,
And the heather that purpled the homelands moor,
Where the lonely curlews cried.

But the green mound left at the lone portage,
And the grave by the trekking wain
Were strewn in the path of his frontier fires,
Where his dead were sown, as grain.

And the night was starred with his glimmering homes,
And his prairie with wheat was gold;
And it fell in time as it ever was,
That the New became the Old.

Its blood was the blood of the home-born sons,
And its strength and life was theirs,
But the old home turns to its yesterday,
While the new to the morrow fares.

Yet the child shall age as the mother aged,
And her heart, in her time, shall give;
By her outward-bound shall the old house stand,
By her loss shall the old home live!

—Arthur Stanger, in the Canadian Magazine.

THIS FOOL JOKE

Cost a Nervous Woman Her Life by Shock.

Given a Large Doll Which Looked Like a Dead Child in Place of Her Live Baby.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—Mrs. Lillian Eby, 802 Sixteenth street, was named in the lists the other day of those who had died as victims of the heat. That was an error. It was not the heat that killed her; it was a joke, innocent in intent, but shifting sharply to a tragedy in its results.

A large doll, resembling with its mechanical eyes closed and its waxen cheeks the counterfeit of death, was handed to Mrs. Eby in place of her own baby. When the faint sight of its closed eyes, she fell in a swoon, and the next day she died as the direct result of the fright.

In this way three families have been thrown into mourning as the outcome of what had been intended for a little fun at the young wife's expense.

Mrs. Eby was but 22 years old, and it was her first baby. She and her husband, John Eby, have been living for three years in Englewood, near the residence of Mr. Eby's mother, which is 7149 Union avenue. Three months ago a daughter was born to them, and they were preparing to visit Mrs. Eby's old home in Naperville, Ill., when the incident occurred that proved fatal to the mother. She had been making many plans for taking the child to see its grandparents.

Mr. Eby's sister, Mrs. Ralph Perry, lives at Thirty-ninth street and Indiana avenue, and Mrs. Eby took the baby there one afternoon early last week, for a visit. She was accompanied by her mother-in-law, and her sister, Mrs. Martin Eby. Mrs. Perry lives on the second floor, and her mother-in-law on the floor below.

The women were together, hovering over the baby in the parlor. Suddenly, in a spirit of fun, and being anxious to show the baby to her relative below, Mrs. Perry took up the child from the lap of its mother and went down stairs. There she found a little girl playing with a large doll, but when the child saw the real baby she lost interest and put the plaything aside.

"I guess we'll trade your dolly for a real little baby," said the child's mother, a caller.

Then it was suggested, "just to see what Mrs. Eby would say," that they take the doll back to her in place of the baby. A handkerchief was thrown over its face and Mrs. Perry carried it back upstairs. Mrs. Eby had grown impatient at being separated from her baby for so long a time, and ran across the room to take it in her arms. The first view she caught as she drew the cloth back was of the doll's closed eyes. She sank to the floor with a moan.

"My, how you frightened me!" she said, realizing that it was a joke. But she was seized with convulsions which lasted half an hour. She said afterwards, when she recovered consciousness,

ness, that the impression that her baby was dead came and went like a flash of lightning. In an instant a most, she knew it was a doll and not her baby. Yet the terror had taken effect, and the harm was wrought. The shock had gone much deeper than was thought at first, even by Dr. Thomas Jackson, whom the family called in.

Dr. Jackson assured the family that after a night's rest Mrs. Eby would probably be all right. He advised taking her home, and an ambulance was called. During the night Mrs. Eby had frequent convulsions and her husband and mother sat up constantly. They called in another physician, Dr. Norton, but he was not alarmed about her case. He had promised to call the next day about noon, and the family was anxiously waiting for him when Mrs. Eby was seized with a more violent convulsion and died. In the various attacks she had complained that she was being crushed through the various places with which she was familiar by a doll with closed eyes.

BRIEF NOTES OF NOTABLES

The sultan of Turkey is decidedly opposed to the arbitration schemes of the peace conference at The Hague.

Judson Harmon, who was secretary-general in Mr. Cleveland's cabinet, is a candidate for a vacant judgeship in Cincinnati.

Young Willie Gladstone, the eldest grand-son of the Grand Old Man, and the present master of Hawarden Castle, has entered Eton college, where his grandfather was graduated.

Charles H. Hoyt has been sued by the doctor who accompanied him on his southern trip, to have him under special treatment. The playwright and the doctor bring counter charges against each other.

Ex-Governor Warmouth, who was the first northern executive of Louisiana, has lived down the unpopularity once excited by his northern birth, and is now one of the most popular men in New Orleans, where he is a successful lawyer.

When the Princess of Wales was in Rome in April she passed incognito as "Mrs. Smith." Under this excellent disguise she and her daughters dined at a restaurant, taking their turn at being served and having a good time generally.

Whistler, the artist, will soon return to London, which he foresees some time ago, in order to establish an art school there. "I only return to that dismal capital," he declares, as a criminal returns to the scene of his misdeeds.

Prof. George Frederic Barker, who has just been elected an honorary member of the Royal Institution of Great Britain, has held the chair of physics in the University of Pennsylvania since 1872. He was born at Charlestown, Mass., in 1835.

Mme. Emma Eames Story is resting in her cozy little home in the Place des Etats Unis, Paris, having refused a London engagement in order to spend a quiet vacation in her new villa near Florence. She will remain there until her return to America in October.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich, since inheriting a fortune, has been criticized for writing less than heretofore. "This is unjust," he says, "for, though I do not have to produce so much, I give the time to careful consideration of what I do write. I work just as much as ever."

Senator Hanna, though one of the best business men, is not methodical, and has no fixed plan of daily life. He is not an early riser. He breakfasts at 9, making that the meal of the day, "for," he says, "unless I have breakfasted well, I don't feel that the day is properly begun."

D'Annunzio, the Italian poet and author, took with him on a recent railroad journey fourteen trunks, which contained among other things 212 shirts, 144 pair of plain socks, 25 pairs of silk socks, 48 pairs of day gloves, 24 pairs of evening gloves, 5 violet umbrellas, 10 green parasols and 150 cravats.

General von Falkenstein, commander of the Fifteenth army corps of Germany, garrisoned in Alsace-Lorraine, rose from a bed of serious illness to receive the emperor last week, labored hard at parade and maneuvers for one day, died the emperor in the evening and was found dead in bed the following morning.

John S. Sargent, R. A., is painting a three-quarter length, life size, standing portrait of Joseph H. Choate, the United States ambassador in London, showing Mr. Choate in ordinary morning costume. The portrait was ordered by the Harvard College club, of New York. When the picture is finished Mr. Sargent will paint another for Mr. Choate.

Elize Polko, who might be styled the Mrs. Hodgson Burnett, of Germany, a generation ago, died on May 15, in Munich. She had lived there in retirement many years, and her name remained only a pleasant memory to the old school reading public. She wrote children's stories in great number and completely endeared herself to the maternal heart in the days when women were not ambitious for a university career.

Three game cocks were brought back from Porto Rico by Admiral Sampson or his boys and placed at the Sampson home at Glen Ridge, N. J. They had records as fighters, and some care was taken to keep them from attacking and hurting a little American bantam which strutted around the place. These precautions failed, however, and the bantam killed two of the Spanish chickens one after the other, and the third rooster so high that it took the admiral's sea glass to find him.



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"I furthermore pledge myself to make at least two copies of this letter, and mail one copy to some sister in the state in which I reside and the other copy to some sister in some other state."

At Wapella, Man., the house of Angus McDonald, C.P.R. section foreman, was blown over and McDonald and his little daughter fatally injured.

John McKenlie, Owen Sound, was drowned at Warton, by stepping off a steamer gang-plank in the dark.

Miss Tillie McCrudden of Belleville, jumped off a moving train and was crushed between the platform and the car, receiving injuries which caused her death.

Another decision against "picketing" during strikes has been given in England, and organizers of railway labors there have been enjoined to refrain from the practice.

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