

CHILDREN'S CORNER

A LITTLE BIRD TELLS. Now isn't it strange that our mother...

Now, where that little bird comes from? Or where that little bird goes...

You may be in the depths of a closet, Where nobody sees but a mouse...

And the only way you may stop him Is just to be sure what you say...

School Education

A FOXY FABLE

A scheming fox who invariably trespasped upon the good nature of his friends...

To this the young coyote readily agreeing, the two started off before sunrise next day...

"Look here!" It would be a great waste of labor for us both to go scampering over the hills...

Away, therefore, went the young coyote, and after hunting over much rough country at last turned up rabbits that, with considerable care...

"You did that well," said the fox. "but a quail, after all, is but a poor meal to exist a whole day upon..."

The next morning the two animals set out as before, when, as on the former occasion, the fox crouched at his case under some bushes...

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A MAY SONG. The sunshine has kissed the forest and meadow. And changed their dull greens to a beautiful green...

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The dear little buds were quite timid at first, But soon were coaxed out by the sun's pleasant glow.

The delicate mayflowers now make their appearance And perfume the air with the sweet-est of smells;

The violets and cowslips will soon now awaken, And the woods will resound to the voice of warblers.

Oh, what means all this joyful awakening? Pray, why all these changes that speak of good cheer?

Oh, who cannot guess the wonderful secret.— The Winter has vanished and bright Spring is here. —From "The Child Garden"

A YOUNG HERO.

It is not always the boy of great opportunities whose work is best, nor the physically strong, courageous deed that is most far reaching.

I have in mind a South Florida boy whose big, earnest eyes were looking into the future for opportunities before he was twelve. His father was

old earnestness of purpose. One day he looked at her with an odd little grin.

"There's no use fretting over what can't be helped, mother," he said, with a brave attempt at cheerfulness.

HUGO CALLED A PRIEST. In the midst of the voluminous prose, and even poetry, to which the glorification of Victor Hugo has given rise, there is a striking account of his death in the periodical called The Etudes, directed by the Jevits.

This sets forth that at the awful moment of his passing, the adversary of the Papacy, the turn-coat who was Royalist, Republican, Catholic and Free-thinker, as it suited him, called despairingly for a priest. The story was told by an actor now dead, and whose daughter lives at present in Paris.

The actor went away horror-stricken and on reaching home said to his daughter "I should not like to do like that, if I fall ill, you must call in Father Monabret at once."

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attend the dying politician in his last moments. Again, in the case of resident Felix Faure, the services of a late Vicar of the Madeleine were summoned everywhere for a priest early every one of the politicians of the Third Republic who have been enticed with opposition to the church have been brought up as Catholics.

CHILD IN THEIR ACTION.—Parmentier's Vegetable Pills are very mild in their action. They do not cause griping in the stomach or cause disturbances there as so many pills do.

IN TWENTY YEARS FROM NOW. (By Joe W. Barker) Kind friends, who gathered round this board With jest and laughter free, Whose honest hearts you've stored with love.

When Timm has placed a stern, rough hand On each strong, rugged frame, Will you come to my humble board As in your youth ye came?

O, honest hearts, remain the same, Whate'er the age or clime, And brother's love, like ours, defies The changing hand of Time.

THEY ARE A POWERFUL NEURINE.—Dyspepsia causes derangement of the nervous system, and nervous debility once engendered is difficult to deal with.

CARE OF THE FEET. We may congratulate ourselves that more and more as time goes on custom and fashion move together in the direction of the proper care of the feet.

The HOME CIRCLE

MAY TIME. (By Lulu Whedon Mitchell.) What of the dark hour? What of the gray time? Hawthorn's in bloom now— It's morning! It's Maytime!

Fresh-lacquered leaflets, White petals fragrant, Lean to the South wind, Gossipping vagrants!

Hide where the lodges Alders cover, Low broods the bright-eyed, Still, patridge mother.

Broad-belted bees fly Over the lilacs Hoarding the pollen-gold Wee, winged shylocks

From orchard, from hedge The robins are trilling The cat-bird's blithe chorus Each interval filling

Challenging all, In melodious completeness— Listen! The blackbird's Pure, liquid sweetness.

O, what of the dark hour, What of the gray time? June's on the way, and It's morning! It's Maytime! —Home and Flowers

KEEP THE CHILDREN OFF THE STREETS

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