

MR. TEN MINUTES.

A touching story is told of the late Prince Napoleon. He had joined the English army, and was one day at the head of a squad riding horse-back outside of the camp. It was a dangerous situation. One of the company said, "We had better return. If we don't hasten we may fall into the hands of the enemy." "Oh," said the Prince "Let us stay here ten minutes and drink our coffee." Before the ten minutes had passed, a company of Zulus came upon them, and in the skirmish the Prince lost his life. His mother, when informed of the facts, in her anguish, said: "That was his great mistake from babyhood. He never wanted to go to bed at night in time, nor to arise in the morning. He was ever pleading for ten minutes more. When too sleepy to speak he would lift his two little hands and spread out his ten fingers, indicating that he wanted ten minutes more. On this account I sometimes called him Mr. Ten Minutes." How many have lost not only their lives, but their precious, immortal souls, by this sin of procrastination! When God calls we should promptly obey.

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