By George H. Hepworth in the Sunday "New York Herald."

Sunday, January 31, 1897. Forming Habits.

And if thy right eye offend thee, pluck it Perhaps you have driven over a coun- Written for the Kent News. try road in the melting springtime and found it impossible to keep out of the deep ruts made by the passage of many

where they are constantly inclined to cold, no living voice but the echo of her In summer time, when the new moon fall back into the old and accustomed despairing cry breaks the silence.

You think you are its master, but in clasps her darling to her breaking heart truth you are its slave. You boast that and, kneeling upon the bare floor, of- SOME PRICES you can break it at any moment, but fered up a prayer to One who never when you are alone with your soul you forsakes and whose eye penetrates the are compelled to confess that your boast darkest and most desolate abode, and is nothing more than a falsehood.

apparently-I am glad to modify the earthly joy sought her weary couch.

course of the Amazon by building a pile them home, where no chilling winds or 10c. per pair, they are worth more. of stones across the slender stream close poisonous breath of deceit would ever Gent's Extra Fine Seamless Half Hose, to its fountain head, but if you try to reach them again. change the course of the Amazon a thousand miles from that fountain head you will find it a difficult matter. A habit just forming and a habit hardened BY MISS BESSIE SATTERFIELD. by long years of indulgence are very dif-

ferent things. Still, I firmly believe in the supremacy of a man's soul when it is properly any habits need be our masters, or that they will be when the soul finds a sufficient incentive to fight, them to the light.

bright As the stars in the dark-vaulted heaven at night.

As the stars in the dark-vaulted heaven at night. cient incentive to fight them to the Oh! wake not the hero, his battles are o'er, faith in the man than I have in the shoreroic utterance of the Christ, "If thy right ington Rest.

With the hearts he loved fondly. Let Wash-Try our 2 for 5c. Cigars, hard to beat. eye offend thee, pluck it out, and cast it | With the hearts he loved fondly, Let Washfrom thee." That is a tribute to the ington Rest. manliness of man, and it throws con- Awake not his slumbers, tread lightly around Macbeth, Pearl Top Lamp Chimneys are the tempt on that shallow folly which finds 'Tis the grave of the Freeman, 'tis Liberty's the man would, if he told the truth, ac- Oh! wake not the hero, his battles are o'er, cuse himself of cowardice.

will at the cry of "Fire!" and a glimpse flights of stairs to save his wretched body, when perhaps his very malady was the result of habits which he falsely persuaded himself he could not control. In the case of the fire he has an incentive--a supreme, an irresistible, an enthroned incentive. In an instant he is | Prof. Joseph Sweetman Ames, of the master of the situation, and the malady, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, scourged him as no overseer ever whip-scientific course at the institution lately. ped a slave, slinks away before the im- His subject was "Electricity." He said perial command of the momentarily re- in part: stored manhood of the man.

roes is incentive, motive. There are ity? There is nothing so familiar to us powers lying dormant within us of which as electrical phenomena. We make we have never dreamed. We have daily use of the telephone, telegraph, never appreciated our spiritual dignity, trolley cars, and dynamo. Nature has our royal origin and royal destiny. If nothing more beautiful than the aurora you frighten a drunken man you will and nothing more awe-inspiring than NOCURE, NOPAY! sober him instantly. He gave the drink | the flashes of lightning, yet the question the right of way and it overcame him. still remains, What is electricity? The The fright wakes up the real man, the question was once asked Professor Trowman inside of the man, and that inside bridge, Harvard, by a lady, and before man, taking in the situation at a glance, answering her note he consulted his The Indian Tar Balsam Co., drives the effects of drink away, just as colleague, Professor Levering, who said, Christ with his whip of cords drove the 'Tell her to go to thunder.'

with such changed motives, with such place."

would willingly wash your hands in

SATURDAY, - - MARCH 6, 1897. It needs but the full appreciation of and of the presence of the angels, to as to make up for the troubles and trials make you feel that life is not merely which are more common. Among the SERMON. make you feel that life is not merely stories in illustration of this point is one quite worth living, but, above all, that some from a recent British consul

THE FORSAKEN WIFE.

vehicle. If you are determined to get weary woman and little girl sat with asked him where the young woman was. out of it you must come to a standstill the tears almost frozen on their cheeks. "Who?" said the youth. and lift the carriage bodily to smoother What with want and grief, a mere "Why, the girl you want to marry!" surface on either side, for if you turn shadow of the once happy wife, for- "Oh, she's at Safata!" your horse suddenly your wheels will be saken now, whose fond affections were "What!" cried the minister, "Have UMBRELLAS, NECKWEAR, SUSPENDERS crushed and hopes almost fled. My! you come here for me to marry you to a Bad habits are to the soul what the how sad. Could the pages of time turn woman 16 miles off on the other side of inexorable ruts are to the road. They back and find written thereon the bright, the island?" are easily formed and very hard to get happy maiden whose winsome ways "Yes," replied the innocent. "I did rid of. Continued indulgence in selfish and joyous laugh made glad the hearts not think you would want her!" pleasures does for the mind just what in the old homestead! Now, alas! but He was sent away to fetch her, and Make no mistake in the place. the team does for the soft road—it makes a spectre of those happy days. The one in the course of a week returned to go a mental rut—and thereafter you lose a who should gather that weary head and through the marriage ceremony in due part of your freedom, for however much wasted form in loving protection had form. you may wish your thoughts to go else- proven false. Alone, amid want and

A bad habit is a remorseless despot. late scene, and with heroic fortitude ers. after an earnest petition for help and gridence areas and with her new only There are men in this world who are guidance, arose and with her now only

statement by that word—who are appar- | Soon the embers died out and darkently as helplessly bound by some habit, ness reigned supreme and the winter If you intend buying Muslin fer Sheets, which they despise themselves for in- winds whistled and moaned around; dulging, as the Roman criminal was to but sweet slumber wrapped their forms. the galley. A habit will even assert it- When the sun arose on the morrow its for Sheets or Pillow Cases. self in spite of every conviction of the rays crept in the little window and SPECIAL—White Table Damask, 58 inch- 1 Package Bluing. mind, and a man will sometimes do stretched beyond until they settled like es wide, only 25c per yard. what he not only knows to be morally a halo upon two faces pressed close to- Fine Unbleached Muslin at 5c. per yd. wrong, but what he also knows is a pos- gether and hands in loving clasp, while Good Apron Gingham at 5 and 6c. per yd. itive injury to his body as well as to sweet smiles illumined their counte- 14 Pairs White Blankets left, prices renances. Death had crept within and duced to close them out. I suppose you could have changed the God in his infinite mercy had taken Children's Fast Black Ribbed Hose at

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aroused. I cannot convince myself that His arm is unnerved, but his deeds remain

death. In other words, I have more Let him rest undisturbed on Potomac's fair habits. I like to look back to that he- On the river's green border, so flowery drest,

excuse for indulgence by attributing it Thy name is immortal, our freedom ye won, to the weakness of human nature, when Brave sire of Columbia, our own Washington. SUIT THE TIMES.

Let him rest, calmly rest, on his dear native A man who is bedridden with pain while the stars and the stripes of our country shall wave

of approaching flames rush down many O'er the land that can boast of a Washington's

Rock Hall, February 16, 1897.

## What is Electricity?

which has whipped and buffetted and delivered the lecture of the Peabody

"There is no question so often asked a All that is needed to make men he- teacher of physics as, What is Electric-

money changers out of the Temple. | "The best way of beginning an an-The law of which I have spoken, the swer to this question is by considering a law of ruts, works in two ways. If you indulge in evil it is hard to get out of the rut; if you accustom yourself to through our senses—its properties of high thinking and noble doing, then weight, of inertia and elasticity—and high thinking and noble doing will be- the exact knowledge of the laws of mat- The undersigned having located at Rock come a habit, and nothing else will sat- ter has been the property of the scien- Hall, would inform his friends and the public isfy. Persistent thinking toward good tific world for several centuries, owing and CONFECTIONERY and is prepared to destroys the desire to think on a low mainly to the fact that matter appeals furnish them with anything in that line. level. Break away from your captivity to our senses of sight and touch. Un"If any person shall, with a view to evade at this restaurant attest the public approba"If any person shall, with a view to evade at this restaurant attest the public approba"THE "WATTS HOUSE," find that the hosts of heaven are around and, therefore, the knowledge of the you, and you will like your new friends been better than the old ones. That which is hardest becomes less hard by perse
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### A Samoan Marriage.

It is not to be supposed that the missionary's lot is always the happiest in the world, but there are times when God's presence, of the Christ's presence, there are incidents in it so full of humor it is worth living grandly and nobly. that comes from a recent British consul You are not a pigmy, and should not be to Samoa, who states that a missionary satisfied with a pigmy's work. You are there was one day visited by a gentle a giant, with a giant's work before you, looking youth, who asked, "Please, sir, and you should do it with a giant's may I get married?" A day was appointed for the ceremony, when, at the time named, appeared the youthful blull blull

bridegroom, looking neat, shy and guileless. He was asked to take a seat and did so, blushing vigorously. A quarter The wind swept in fearful sobs around of an hour elapsed, and there were no heavy teams. These ruts spoil the road. an old, dilapidated house, whose in- fresh arrivals, yet there sat the young Our Complete Line of SHOES The only good road is level and hard, mates were huddled together to keep man without the slightest show of that one which allows a certain freedom of warm. In an open fireplace a few pine anxiety usually attributed to gentlemen action for your carriage and horse, but logs threw their flickering light around about to take the fatal plunge. At last a rut endangers your comfort and your the dim and desolate looking abode. A the missionary became impatient and

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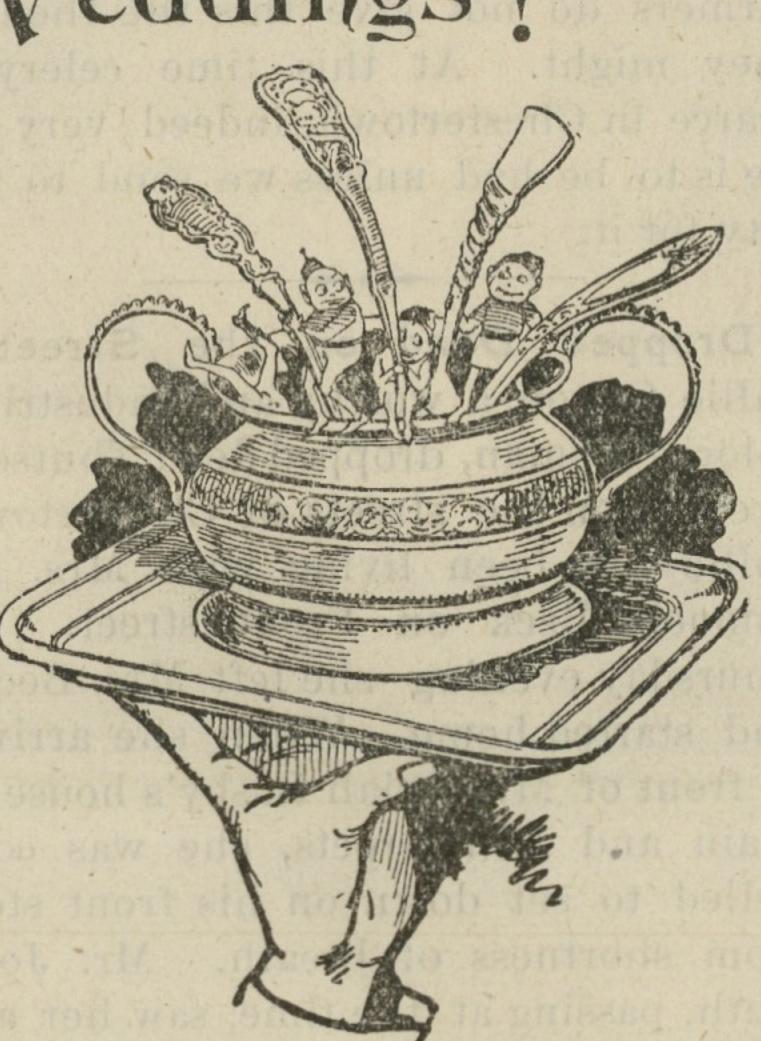
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