

ONLY GRANDPAPA.

A true story which is told about little Prince Edward of York, grandson of King Edward VII, shows the simple manner in which the royal children are trained by their parents, and Prince and Princess of Wales. A children's outfitter had called at York House with a suit of Prince Edward's to be tried on, and as she was waiting in the passage near the royal children's apartments, the door suddenly opened, and Prince Edward came running out; crying, "Oh, do come in, come in at once. Nobody is here."

"She replied, "I think, your Royal Highness, that I had better wait, as it may not be convenient for me to go into the nursery now."

"Yes, you can," said the child. "There's nobody here that matters; only grandpapa."

NAGGING AND FUSSY WOMEN.

Beware, always, of the fussy or nagging woman. You will know her among a thousand by the look of utter dejection, corners of the mouth drawn down, and fish eyes that look upon every living thing as dishonest, disloyal and untrustworthy. Woe and misery are ever at her heels, be she mistress or servant. If the latter, her work will always be

ALL GOOD THINGS

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lagging; her pastry will be heavy, and her bread as soggy as her disposition. She will make constant trouble with the other servants, and keep the entire household in turmoil until she is gotten rid of. If it is the mistress of the house who is inclined toward this unfortunate habit, affairs of the home will indeed be pitiable. She will whine at everything, and prove herself to be one of the most tiresome creatures on earth. The fussy woman is generally idle and lazy, and one of the best cures in the world for fussiness is work. Let her be made to do for herself what others do so unsatisfactorily for her.—*Frances van Etten, in Leslie's Weekly.*

ON GUARD.

If you ever go to a fort, you will always find a soldier on guard. He is called the sentry, and it is his duty to see that no enemy enters the fort. If the sentry is caught off his guard, he may be put to death for neglecting his duty. This is necessary, for it is important that no enemy ever be allowed to enter the fort.

Every boy should always be on his guard, for there are enemies who are trying all the time to get into a boy's life. Some one has said that a boy should be ironclad in his whole body. His ears should be ironclad against impure words; his hands against wrongdoing; his feet against going into bad company; his eyes against bad books and pictures; his tongue against evil speaking.

A boy who wants to guard himself against all these enemies needs Jesus Christ as his great Captain, and with his help, there will be no need to fear any foe, however strong.—*Boy's World.*

THE HORSE THAT SWAM THE RIVER.

The doctor's horse had grown old, and the doctor sent him to a farm across the river to pass his last days in ease and plenty. His wide pasture, sloping gently to the river, contained everything to please a horse, a never-failing spring where out-bound vessels filled their water casks, at which he might drink if he chose, instead of from the river, shady willows in the hollows, and on the knolls apple-trees where he might help himself to the apples that fell.

But, in spite of all, he must have grown homesick; for one morning the old horse appeared at the doctor's stable door. His wet coat told the story, he had swam the river.

At his pasture the Penobscot is seven hundred feet wide, very deep, and the tide and currents are strong. No animal had ever crossed it there before except a band of circus elephants, too heavy to venture on the toll bridge, and even these had swam across some distance above.

After reaching the opposite bank, the horse had to locate the town, and, when he got to it, make his way the whole length of a city of twenty thousand inhabitants to his home.

Probably the old horse had never swam a stroke before in his life. How did he know he could get home by water, when he had always crossed the river by bridge before?—*Alice M. Farrington, in the Christian Endeavor World.*

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THE JUMPING SEESAW IN KOREA.

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The springy teeter-board is balanced over a log or stone, very much as it would be in Canada, but, instead of seating themselves upon it, one girl stands on each end and supports herself by means of a rope or cord which is stretched above the seesaw. Clinging tightly to the rope one girl leaps up and comes down with all her force upon one end of the board, throwing her playmate high into the air. Of course when she comes down number one is shot up again as from a catapult.

DON'T'S FOR YOUNG MOTHERS.

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It is not an uncommon thing for young people to try to get on without doing any hard work to fit themselves for their own future.

Henry Ward Beecher once received a letter from a lad asking for an easy place. The great divine replied:

"You cannot be an editor; do not try the law; do not think of the ministry; let alone all ships, shops and merchandise; abhor politics; don't practice medicine; be not a farmer nor a mechanic; neither be a soldier nor a sailor; don't work; don't study; don't think. None of these things are easy. Oh, my son, you have come into a hard world! I know of only one easy place in it, and that is the grave."

STUFFED ONIONS.

Rather small Spanish onions are the best to cook in this way. Take off the outer skin and cook in boiling salted water for quarter of an hour. Drain and cool slightly. Make a stuffing of one-half cup of fine bread crumbs and one cup of finely chopped cooked meat, seasoned high with salt and paprika and moistened with three tablespoons of melted butter. Scoop out the centres of the onions, chop, and add to the meat. Fill the onions, set them in a baking pan; pour in water an inch deep and bake in a moderate oven.

We carry happiness into our condition but cannot hope to find it there.—*Holmes.*

THE HACKING COUGH.

One of the meanest things to get rid of is a hacking cough. There is apparently no cause for it. No soreness, no irritation at first; but the involuntary effort of the muscles of the throat to get rid of something is almost constant. Of course with many coughs is a habit, but it is a bad habit, and should be stopped. When you realize this and try to stop it, you find you can't, for by that time there is an actual irritation, which will never get better without treatment.

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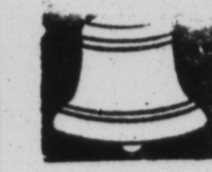
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