"I Am Not Afraid."

A happy time little Robbie and Rosy were having "see-sawing" on a board laid across a big log. At first both were very timid, and clung on tight to the board. by and by little Robbie grew bolder, and would let go his hold, when he went up "sky-high." Just as he began his decent, however, his

ain't afraid," a sudden jolt brought its make them iess men. We lrive glad.

A great many boys have gone down to their graves because they were not afraid to go into the rumbe afraid of sin in all its forms.-Mrs. J. E. Mc Conwigh.

"TWENTY MINUTES FOR RE-FRESHMENTS,"- The following ex-PRESIMENTS,"—The following experience of a humorous traveler, abroad" is on the tongue of all; and is worth reading by those who have like good humor:

"Twenty minutes for dinner," shouted the brakesman, as we approached Xenia.

"What do you have for dinner?"

I told him I would try half a dozen minutes, raw, on the hallhis book. He scratched his head, trying to comprehend the order, but finally gave it up and went to wait on some one else.

I approached a man who stood near the door, with a roll of money

"Half a dollar," said he.

I told him that I would take half a dollar, well done. I asked tion, a boiled pocket-book stuffed with greenbacks, and seven thirties garnished with postage stamps and ten cent scrip. Also a confederate mitted to stumble with impunity." bond, broken down with lettuce alone (let us alone.) I would like to wash my dinner down with National Bank Notes, on "draft."

He said they were out of everything but the bank notes, and he "If I fail," he continued, "it is a sign that I ought never to have succeedthe bank and "draw some."

WEEDS .- I was once walking with a farmer through a beautiful field, when he chanced to see a tall ground.

"Is that your field?" I asked. fences, and if I should leave that thistle to blossom in my neighbor's field, I should soon have plenty in erranteles.—Herper's Magazine. my own.

I wish all fathers and mothers would think of that. The evil self-defence. Every weed pulled quite wrong," said the first, "for it's Fuller in the head, Fuller in the eyes, and Fuller all over." up in your neighbor's field is a danyour own.

my house one evening with his pa- to his reverend associate, "It's beginrents, and I give him a couple of ning to drip." five cent pieces. He laid them on friend, cooly, "we'll just would'e the table and putting his tinger on through it." one said:

"This one I am going to give to going to keep myself." He played with them awhile, till finally one

not find it. "Well," said I, "my lad, which one have you lost ?"

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What Constitutes a Main?

To be a man, and to appear to be a man, are two very different things; and yet, though strange it may seem, there are Litt few who can tell the true from the false- the genuine from the bogus coin. But there are many who choose and select the counterfeit, because it appears to be a little more dazzing to the eye. Such persons are bis nm eyed; they look at what the bird flutters in, but not at the bird; they look at the shadow, and not at the substance; at the outward instead of the inward. Many appear to think if they wear fine clothes, and put on style, and smoke their meerschaums, and puff chubby hands were pretty sure to their choice Hayanas, and occasionally come down. After a few such dar- sip the most costly wines and chaming flights, he grew still more careless, despite little sister's cautions, have eyes but they see not-ears have Just as he was laughing and toss-ing his arms the gayest saying, "I understand," when told that such habhim tumbling to the ground "all in up to the stature of men, but they are a heap." Little Rosy too got a bad , boys still. One landred and sixty fall, and mother had various little pounds of bone and muscle is not a bruises to doctor that evening. If man. The swine attain that weight, but they are not men. To be a man, Robbie's daring never brings him one must think a man's thoughts, and into worse troubles, we shall be do a man's deeds. This implies more than one would think at first sight. It includes all that makes a man noble, pure, and God-like. It includes selfgovernment, without which man is but rathe above the bearts of the field; but shop and billiard-saloon. Always with which all his faculties and powers remember it is manly and noble to are subdued and controlled. When this is accomplished, then, and not till then, does he studd forth in that noble and God-like sense-a MAN.

The Schoolmaster Abroad.

who attempted to get a dinner at yet how few know aught of its origin, Xenia, on the little Mami railroad, or appreciate its force. In a speech on the elevation of Wellington, a more military chieftala to the premier hip. had a similar experience without a latter the death of Canalog, Lord Brougham said :

Field-marshal the Duke of Wellington may take the army, he may take the may, he may take the mitre. I make him a present of them all. Let Arrived there, I entered the din- him come on with his whole force, ing-room, and inquired of the wait- sword in hand, against the constitution; and the English people will not only beat him back, but laugh at his assaults. In other times the country "Twenty minutes," was the hur-ad reply. may have heard with dismay that "the soldier was abroad." It is not so now. Let the soldier be abroad, if he will; he can do nothing in this age. There dozen minutes, raw, on the half-shell, just to see how they went. is another personage abroad—a person less imposing, in the eyes of some, Told him to make a minute of it on perhaps, insignificant. The seasonmaster is absolut; and I trust to him, armed with his primer, against the soldier in full array.

SCOTT'S LITERARY COURAGE.-The literary courage of Scott, and his conceded indifference to fame for its own ake, is well illustrated in his reply to a dear friend, after the success of "What do you have for dinner?" | "Maranion," cautioned him against attenuating the "Lady of the Lake."

"Do not be rash," she said, "you are already popular, more so perhaps than you your-elf will believe, or even him if he couldn't send me, in addi- I or your friends can fairly allow to your merit. You stand high, do not rashly attempt to stand higher, and incur the risk of a fall; for depend upon it, a favorite will not even be per-To which Scott replied in the words of Monrose:

He either fears his fate too much, Or his deserts are small, Who fears to put it to the touch

To win or lose it all. ed, and I will write prose for life; you shall see no change in my temper nor will I eat a single meal the worse." Yet he felt the judgment of the true

and friendly warning. He was glad of his fame, enjoyed it simply and naturally, was healthy, not thistle on the other side of the inordinately, proud of it. He made fence. In an instant he sprang over use of it. It brought him acquaintanthe fence and out it off close to the | ces, associations, and facilities, that he greatly desired. He made much money with it, and generous use of his money; but withal depended not upon "Oh, no," said the farmer, "but his fame for any deep comfort or lastbad weeds don't care for small ing joy, and never forgot instability, its way of forsaking merit for ill-de- Six Thousand Six Hundred & Six IV-Six

Two young gentlemen, one named Woodcock, the other Fuiler, walked would think of that. The evil together, and hapening to see an owl, weeds in your neighbor's field will the latter said: "That bird is very sian, Japanese and American scatter seeds into your own. So it much like a Woodcock." "You are

Which reminds us of an incident of gerous enemy driven away from our childhood. Two fat old ministers of the Kirk in Scotland, named respectively Waddle and Drip, were caught THE TWO FIVE CENT PIECES.— in a shower, after a service at which both had officiated. Brother Waddle, A bright little boy about four years feeling rather facetious, looked out on of age, son of a clergyman, was at the watery aspect and remarked dryly

"Oh, no matter," rejoined his

TO MAKE HOME HAPPY .- To make home truly happy there should be no the heathen, and the other I am concealments; for they are the cankerworms. Let a woman teil her troubles and follies freely to her husband, of them rolled away and he could and he will assist her out of them. He is her other self, not her judge and master. If a man confide in his wife, her penetration and quick wit will often see things that escaped him. We are in the world all day; our minds "Oh," said he, "I have lost the one I was going to give to the heathen."

An unreasonable and somewhat misanthropic acquaintance remarks he has often heard the probverb, "A friend in need is a friend indeed;" but he can't see where the laugh comes in. He has a friend in need who is always borrowing money from him.

Onten see things that escaped limit.

We are in the world all day; our minds are occupied by many details; but she sits at home often atone, or with but an infant companion. She thinks over what her husband has told her, and sees it in many lights; and has had the time which he wanted. The discovery that there has been a secret excites jealousy, and loosens the ties of effection on either side. Without perfect and entire confidence, married happiness is seldom lasting happiness is seldom lasting

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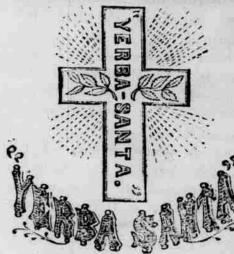
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