

WISE SAYINGS AND SUGGESTIONS.

A friend is easier lost than found. Adversity borrows its sharpest sting from our impatience. Knowledge is acquired not by long life but by close observation. An effort made for the comfort of others lifts us above ourselves. Youth is the tassel and silken flower of life; age is the full corn, ripe and solid in the ear. Despair and postponement are cowardice and defeat. Men are born to succeed, not to fail. There is in the heart of woman such a deep well of love that no age can freeze it. He who obeys with modesty, appears worthy some day or other of being allowed to command. Never let your zeal outrun your charity; the former is but human, the latter is divine. Is there ever a hard question in morals that children do not drive straight at in their wide-eyed questioning? Every man must work at something. The moment he stops working for himself the devil employs him. When the cold world acknowledges that we are as great as we have always known ourselves to be we shall be happy indeed. One of the best rules in conversation is never to say anything which any of the company can reasonably wish had been left unsaid. Very few men are great enough to bear praise, but a large number of us are just small enough to be found fault with constantly. Reflection by a pessimistic philosopher: "A good book or a good play does very little good—a bad one does an enormous amount of harm." Many a small man is never doing talking of the sacrifices he makes, but he is a great man, indeed, who can sacrifice everything and say nothing. Henry Ward Beecher says: Our aristocrats are of spontaneous growth. They come up as the toadstools do—on the rottenness of the dunghill. Kind looks, kind acts and warm handshakes—these are secondary means of grace when men are in trouble and fighting their unseen battles. At twenty, man is less a lover of woman than of women; he is more in love with the sex than with the individual, however charming she may be. It is hard sometimes to speak a kind word to others when the shadows rest on your own heart, but nothing will tend more to lighten our own cares than the effort to help another.

THE COMING OF WAVES.

All who have watched waves breaking on the seashore have probably noticed the furrowed or "combed" appearance of the back of a wave as it curls over. It is well known, says a writer in Nature, "that a long cylinder of liquid is unstable and will, if left to itself, at once split into a row of equal equidistant drops—the splitting being effected by a contraction of the cylinder in certain places and a bulging out in others. Again, if a mass of liquid is bounded by an edge whose surface is approximately a portion of a long cylinder, there is good reason for supposing that this cylindrical edge will be subject to similar laws of stability, and that it will tend to cleave in the same way, the surface being forced in, in certain places and out in others. Now a wave's crest presents such a cylindrical edge. It will, therefore, of itself, cleave in the way described, and the flow of water will thereby be hindered at the constrictions and aided at the place of bulging out. Thus lines of easiest flow will be set up, which in their turn will determine the furrows on the back of the wave. The fringe of drops is due to the splitting in a similar manner of the cylindrical jets shot out from the place of bulging, where the flow is aided. The regular toothed edge of a spot of candle-wax that has fallen on a cold object affords in a permanent form a familiar illustration of the same action. The late John Gould, the zoologist, was especially fond of humming birds. The collection of birds left by him and recently purchased for the British Museum, contains 5,378 of these tiny members of the feathered tribe. At a recent sale of coins in London an angel of Henry VIII went for £31, a sovereign of Henry VI for 14 guineas, a "double sovereign" of George IV for £6 10s, and a Charles II medal, described as "glorious" by Evelyn for £1 15s. The statue and monument to Calhoun, soon to be erected in Charleston, S. C., is hastening to completion. Harnisch, the sculptor, is busy on it in his Roman studio, and it is his ambition to make it a work of art on which his fame may be founded. The Superintendent of Public Instruction for Lenoir county, N. C., is under 21 years of age.



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