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Influence of Flowers.
 What can give an air of refinement to the worst place more effectively than flowers? I know a row of dingy-looking city houses, in front of which a few ragged, dirty trees drag on a miserable existence, but between the end house and a dreary, blank wall there is a triangular bit of ground, which is literally carpeted with lilies of the valley whenever May comes round. They scent the squalid street, and not a single pair of leaves comes up without its attendant spray of blossom.

A Delicate Operation.
 The ordinary citizen finds himself in many trying situations where the most delicate tact is necessary. To lend a man "a quarter" politely requires considerable self-control and coolness. To bestow and ceremonious about it implies distrust; to slap down the coin with a bang indicates irritation; while to search all your pockets in succession conveys the impression that you will be left penniless by the transaction. A smiling, quiet promptness marks the gentleman in this crisis.

Get Ready.
 By all means, whatever you undertake, make a deep, broad foundation, with good health, energy, add continued effort in some one direction, success is sure to come, sooner or later. It may not come as soon as you would like. It may not be apparent till the coming of gray hairs, but honest toil buries no one while it benefits all, both those who participate and those who are looking on. It is the last part of a thorough training which pays the best.

A few days ago a woman's garments were found by some young men on the bank of a secluded stream near Dayton, Ohio, neatly arranged in a pile. The owner not being visible, the idea of suicide at once suggested itself, and this theory was strengthened by the discovery in a pocket of the dress of a tender and touching love-letter addressed to "My darling." The clothes were taken and delivered to the police. The next day a young lady of Dayton, accompanied by some friends, appeared at the police headquarters and claimed the garments explaining that she was bathing in the stream at a little distance from the point where they were found, and she could not conveniently appear at the time to prevent their removal. The clothes were returned.

Thomas Wildly and Lulu Dean, a little boy and girl were playing on the logs in the bay at Olympia recently. The girl fell in and the boy in trying to rescue her got into the water also; both were drowned before assistance could reach them.

When the recording angel observes a minister of the gospel holding a nail between his fingers while he misses it with a hammer, the faithful scribe drops into a brown study and pretends not to hear it.

A beauty, who went to be photographed at a sea side resort, after taking her seat in the chair of torture, was thus addressed by the insinuating operator: "Now, miss, you look at me as if I was your young man, and you'd me unexpectedly

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