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PIECE OF FICTION.

By RICHARD HAMILTON POTTS. (Copyright, 1897, by the Author.) "Alas! When it comes to literature, I fail to shine, and I do wish Miss Banks had not engaged a man for that branch! Even if he is old and a fogy, still he is a man, and one would prefer to be found wanting in the presence of one's own sex." Lon pines and gloomily chews the end of her pencil.



"Imagine a girl very much like me."

well, almost anything. As a way, it is expressive, but do not know what it expresses, and I can hardly wait until the end of the lesson, when I intend to unweave Kathleen and demand an explanation. It is evident that Lon and his friends have the same little plan, for when the bell rings for recess and we are dismissed we three make a dash for the door, and on reaching the hall look at each other and eagerly say, "Where is Kathleen?" She has evidently lingered behind, but for what? "Oh, girls," Lon exclaims, "there must be something between Kathleen and Mr. Winkle. She was so peculiar

FROM THE KLONDIKE.

Mr. E. F. McNeely of this county finds the following letter in an Idaho paper from his son, Geo. F. McNeely. George is in Klondike and writes to his wife who lives in Idaho. The date of the letter is Dawson Nov. 4, 1897.

OVER THE STATE ITEMS.

Items of Interest From All Parts of the State. MADE A STEW OF AN OLD MULE. Lieut. Dentler and Family start on the 15th to Arizona.—Lieut. Geary takes his Place.

There has been considerable controversy over the question as to who was the youngest soldier in the rebellion. The point has not yet been satisfactorily settled; but the writer of this has personal knowledge of ample proof that Major John Clem, quartermaster at Vancouver, is entitled to that distinction. He is entitled to that distinction. He is entitled to that distinction.

Testing Him. Bagley—Do you recollect that \$5 I let you have about a year ago? Bruce—Perfectly. Bagley—That's good. I see your memory is all right. How's your eyesight?—Harlem Life.

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