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### The Divine Spark.

The prisoner in the death cell was the product of the slum. He was born there, and he grew up to crime. He was ignorant and brutal and stolid. During his trial for murder he seemed scarcely above one of the lowest animals in intelligence.

He hardly listened to witnesses and lawyers, and even the awful sentence from the lips of the judge did not arouse him from his phlegmatic stupor.

During the weeks in the prison where he awaited the execution of the penalty neither priest nor warden could penetrate his dense indifference. He ate heartily and slept much of the time. He showed neither fear nor impatience. He was "a hard case," and even the prison chaplain despaired of him.

There was, however, one woman visitor at the prison to whom he gave a little more attention than to the others. He could hardly be said to welcome her, but he did not totally ignore her. The day before he was to die she came early to his cell bearing a message from the warden.

"I am to tell you," she said, in her friendly and sympathetic way, "that you can have anything you want today. Is there not something you would like?"

"Anything I want?" he repeated after her, without much show of interest.

"Yes, anything you want."  
"Do you mean anything to eat and drink, or anything in the world?" he asked.

"I think we may almost say anything in the world," she replied. "That is, anything which you could have if you did not have to be here."

Then for the first time his face flushed and his eyes filled with tears.  
"O madam," he said, in his broken English, "there is something I want so very much. I have thought about it, but I dared not to ask. I want once more to put my little baby to sleep—just once to put my baby to sleep!"

So the woman went to the house where the murderer's motherless baby was lodged, and brought her to the prison; and all day long the hard, stolid man walked up and down the cell, singing and talking softly to the poor little creature.

She would sleep and wake and laugh and cry a little, and the father knew how to answer each mood of his child. At last, as twilight fell, the baby went fast asleep, and without a word he handed her to the woman waiting to receive her. Then he, too, slept—for the last time on earth.

He spoke no word of penitence for his various sins. What hope he had for the unknown future none could know. But there was no one who saw the man with the baby in his arms but believed that somewhere beneath all his wickedness and brutality there glowed a divine spark of that wonderful love which makes the Fatherhood of God comprehensible to us—the love that never falleth.—Youth's Companion.

### The Sin of Unkind Speech.

The sin of unkind speech is one of the worst we have to meet and contend with. "One trouble with me," said a young man, confessing his spiritual weakness, "is that I say nasty things about men. I see so much that I don't like, and I can't help condemning it. And I say a great many things which are not kind."

We all do; and we ought not. Unkind speech is not Christianlike. He never said anything unkind about a single soul. He denounced certain classes, but he welcomed and acknowledged the smallest flash of worthiness in individuals even of these classes.

Unkind speech is unjust. There is more good than evil in our acquaintances. And what we condemn is more than balanced, if we would but see it, by good. And probably the one we condemn is struggling against the very thing we are criticizing. And if untrue, how wrong our unkindness is!

Even if true, unkind speech about others harms ourselves. It discloses in us the capacities for what we condemn in others. It confirms our evil and unkindness of heart. It blunts our sense of generous perception of good. It throws us out of sympathy with the kindly Jesus.

If we intend it to hurt, how can we justify it? If we don't intend it to hurt, why do we run the risk? In either case, its reflex influence on us is bad. If it is a harmful act, it will harm us, too. If it is a futile act, it will hurt us to have wasted strength on doing it.

### "Spoiled Parents."

A correspondence in one of the morning papers, on the "Spoiled Children" of the present day, has brought to the front many interesting aspects of fam-

ily training. It seems generally felt that there is in many cases an undue laxity nowadays on the part of parents, with disastrous results to the children. One writer has traced this tendency to one of its sources by pointing out that frequently it is the parents who are spoiled! He says:

"Indifferent and ease-loving fathers, weak and vacillating mothers, one moment will scold and punish; and the next coddle and pity their children, with the result that the children, with their wonderful powers of observation and imitation, treat the desires and feelings of their parents with corresponding contempt."

Good parents are few and far between, and that is because the qualities of firmness, self-restraint, and wisdom, so needful in family training, are so rare among men and women.—London Christian.

### Watch and Pray.

They pray the best who pray and watch.  
They watch the best who watch and pray.  
They hear Christ's fingers on the latch,  
Whether he comes by night or day.

With trembling joy they hail their Lord,  
And haste his welcome feet to kiss,  
While he, well pleased, doth speak the word  
That thrills them with unending bliss:

"Well done, my servants, now receive,  
For faithful work, reward and rest,  
And wreaths which busy angels weave  
To crown the men who serve me best."

### The True Christian.

The true Christian studies the happy art of making the most of everyone with whom he is thrown in contact—of recognizing in each soul and of eliciting from it that feature of heart and mind in which stands the relationship of that particular soul to God. It is this true self of our neighbor which we are required to love.—Edward M. Goulburn.

### Worthy Impulses.

God hides some ideal in every human soul. At some time in our life we feel a trembling longing to do some good thing. Life finds its noblest spring of excellence in this hidden impulse to do our best.—Robert Collyer.

### So Live.

Live with the light of God's love shining into your common day. Take old gifts and joys continued as though they were fresh gifts. So we can sing a new song unto the Lord every day.—Maltbie D. Babcock, D. D.

### THATCHERS ISLAND.

Details of the Tragedy Which Gave the Island Its Name.

The twin lights of Thatchers Island are familiar to many who go down to the sea in ships, and to many more who spend the summer months on the rocky headland of Cape Ann, but probably comparatively few are familiar with the details of the tragedy which gave the island its name. It was in a long-ago August—239 years ago, to be exact—that the Rev. Anthony Thatcher, his wife, his four children, and several other persons left Ipswich in a vessel for Marblehead, where Mr. Thatcher was to take charge of the church. They set sail on the 12th, a fair summer day, but "with a head wind and very little of it." They had a tedious time beating out of Ipswich Bay, and at night on the 14th had not yet succeeded in doubling the cape.

A sudden, furious August storm came on in the night, and the luckless craft was driven on the rocks, where she soon went to pieces. Mr. Thatcher, after being buffeted about by the sea for a long time, was able to cling fast to a rock and climb on shore. Drenched and shivering, he walked about, vainly trying to see or hear something of his late companions. How dreary must have been that lonely vigil in the storm and darkness, while the insatiate sea thundered on the rocks about him, and, like Paul under similar circumstances, he "wished for the day." In the early dawn he saw his wife "getting herself forth from among the timber of the broken bark." He went to her assistance, and she was soon safe beside him. All the others, twenty-one in number, perished.

Among them were the Rev. John Avery, his wife and six children. The name of this unfortunate family is commemorated in "Avery's Rock," a hidden reef shunned by mariners, not far from Thatchers Island. At the time of this melancholy shipwreck there were not more than two or three families on Cape Ann, and no help came for Mr. Thatcher and his wife on the first day or the second. Fortunately some provisions washed on shore from the vessel, and the weather cleared, so they could make themselves comfortable during the time of their enforced stay. They were finally taken off by a fishing vessel and carried to Marblehead. Some years later Mr. Thatcher went from Marblehead to Yarmouth, where he lived to a good old age. Other children were born to him and his wife, and the name is perpetuated in various places to this day. It was more than a century later that the twin lighthouses were built. They were first lighted on December 21, 1771.—Boston Transcript.

### Dismayed by the Prospect.

"You must ask mamma. It does not matter about papa."  
"Er—yes—b—t do the womenfolk always rule in your family?"—Town Topics.

The more a man gets the more he wants—unless a police judge is dealing it out.

A lawyer's fee is due to the other chap's ignorance of the law.



"Stealthy Steve, the Six-Eyed Sleuth," by Newton Newkirk, a satirical detective story, is the second in the "Footlah Series" being published by John W. Luce & Co., Boston.

Maude Howe Elliott, wife of John Elliott, the artist, who wrote many Italian sketches and stories while in Rome with her husband, has put them in book form, with the title "Roma Beata."

Five editions of "The Great Optimist," the clever series of optimistic essays by Leigh Mitchell Hodges, have been sold by the Dodge Publishing Company, New York, and the demand is still steady.

Brentano's has imported a limited edition of a work on America, "The Land of the Future," by Wilhelm Von Polenz, which made a great sensation in Germany. The authorized translation into English is by Lily Wolffsohn.

Evelyn Underhill, who wrote "The Gray World," published in New York, is an English woman and a bookbinder by profession, hence the chapters in this, her first long story, which deal with the bookbinding craft may be accepted as accurate.

Professor Walter L. Fleming, of West Virginia University, is preparing and the Arthur H. Clark Company, Cleveland, will soon publish a collection of "Documents Relating to Reconstruction," very many drawn from private sources and not heretofore printed.

"New France and New England," which Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston, have just published, completes the set of six volumes by the late John Fiske, which deal with the history of the American colonies from the settlement of Virginia to the adoption of the constitution of the United States.

In Canon Tetley's anecdotal volume, "Old Times and New," there is an amusing story of a clergyman who apologized for being absent from his church one Sunday, and drew from an earnest parishioner the compliment, "Well, I will say this for you, whenever you do go out you never send us a worse one than yourself!"

Cheerful is the life of the editor in Spain, if we may judge from an announcement printed this summer in one of the newspapers of the country, La Lanterna. Here it is in all its sweet simplicity: "During the great heat the Lanterna will suspend publication. It will appear again regularly after the middle of September next."

Curtis Dunham and Oliver Herford have collaborated as author and artist, respectively, in the production of a cleverly humorous little volume for children entitled "Two in a Zoo," just issued by the Bobbs-Merrill Company. The hero of the story is a poor little boy named Toots, with an iron-bound leg, who interprets the sayings of the iron-bound beasts to a rich little girl whom he calls the Princess.

Guy Wetmore Carry's posthumous novel, "The Transgression of Andrew Vane," is being dramatized for Charles Warner, the English actor, who, after playing for many years the leading part in "Drink," appeared last season as Jacques Frochard in the "all star cast" of "The Two Orphans." It is not yet known whether Mr. Warner contemplates playing the title part, or, as seems more likely, Radwallader, the polished villain of the story.

The Zurich publisher, Herr Schabelitz, died the other day. He was the man who never wrote to any one except on a postal card. He used that means of communication when he accepted the celebrated memoirs of Count von Arnheim. "I reserve the right," he wrote on the usual card, "to correct your infernally bad grammar." To a budding historian he sent this message: "You are making the mistake of your life. You do not want to study history. You want to learn how to write."

### A Personal Favor.

One of the most picturesque figures of the New York bar was the late Thomas Nolan, a lawyer, whose witty retorts furnished subjects for merriment at many a lawyers' gathering. Now, Nolan was at one time counsel for a poor widow who was suing a construction company for the death of her husband. The case had been placed upon the "day calendar," but had been frequently postponed, and Mrs. Moriarity, by the time she had made her fifth call, was in an exceedingly disturbed frame of mind, consequently the tones of Nolan's rich brogue were more than usually fervid as he fought against the sixth adjournment.

"I am sorry," said Justice Dugro, "but your opponent has shown me good cause for the adjournment, Mr. Nolan, and the case will therefore go over until to-morrow."

"Very well, sor," said the barrister, sweetly, "but might I ask you personal favor of this court?"

"Certainly, sir, with pleasure."  
"Will your honor kindly step down to my office and just tell Mrs. Moriarity that you have adjourned the case?"

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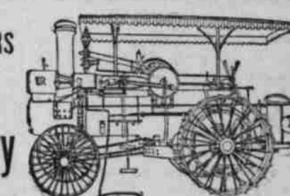
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