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For the Public Good.

The Story of Annie Laurie.
The famous song that is sung by all singers of the present day, and which was such a favorite with the boys in blue, I am informed is a mystery as to its author. I was raised on the next farm to James Laurie, Annie Laurie's father. I was personally acquainted with both her and her father, and also with the author of the song. Annie Laurie was born in 1827, and was about 17 years old when the incident occurred which gave rise to the song bearing her name. Mr. Laurie, Annie's father, was a farmer who lived on and owned a very large farm, called Tragleton, in Dumfriesshire, Scotland. He hired a great deal of help, and among those he employed was a man by the name of Wallace to act as foreman, and while in his employ Wallace fell in love with Annie Laurie, which fact her father soon learned, and forthwith discharged him. He went to his home in Maxwellton, and he was taken sick the very night he reached there, and the next morning, when Annie heard of it she came to his bedside and waited on him until he died, and on his deathbed he composed the song entitled "Annie Laurie."—Letter in Chicago Herald.

Strangely Marked.
An El Paso reporter was recently shown a strange freak of nature. Mrs. T. Howard witnessed the balloon ascension, and a few days later presented Mr. Howard with a nice little boy, who bears a singular birthmark; which is nothing more nor less than a perfect representation of Professor LeRoy's balloon. The photograph, as it might be called, is located just above the eyes on the forehead, and every outline of the balloon is boldly portrayed in purple lines in the skin of the infant; even the patch on the air ship can be seen, being reproduced by a patch of white skin. The photograph, as already stated, is perfect.

The Boy Was Right.
At a village school, a precocious boy being asked to parse the sentence, "Mary, milk the cow," went on accurately till he came to the last word, when he said: "Cow is a pronoun, feminine gender, third person, singular, and stands for Mary." "Stands for Mary?" asked the master in astonishment. "Yes, sir," responded the urchin, with a grin, "for if the cow didn't stand for Mary, how could Mary milk the cow?"

A Hartford clergyman tells this anecdote early in life, while occupying another charge, he invited a clergyman whom the unregenerate would call conceited and dull to preach in his pulpit. During the sermon our Hartford preacher dozed away in the sweet old way till he was suddenly called on to conclude the service with prayer. Accustomed to regard himself as the humblest of his creator's instruments, and forgetting that he had not delivered the sermon began with "We beseech Thee to accept the weak and feeble effort that has been addressed to Thee and more richly to endow Thy servant in the graces he so greatly lacks."

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Willamette Valley	Tuesday, " 14

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Willamette Valley	Friday, " 10
Willamette Valley	Saturday, " 18

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