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Selected Poetry.

WHAT IS LIFE.

A little crib beside the bed. A little face above the spread. A little lane that leads to the door. A little shoe upon the floor.

Selected Story.

WANTED A YOUNG LADY.

But, Charlie, dear, are you sure you will not forget me amidst the amusements and gaieties of the city? "You may rest satisfied, my darling Nell, I shall never forget you; and let us hope the time is not far distant when I may be able to return and claim my little treasure for my dear wife."

"Let's see; fishing is in season; what do you say to having a day at West Drayton?" "A fool at one end of the rod, and a worm at the other. Too slow," replied Harcourt, with Johnsonian brevity.

Coloring deeply, she gently removed his arm from around her waist, but, as she did so, staggered, and almost fell again. "Offering his arm, Harcourt said—'Allow me to see you to a cab, Miss May.'"

thrashing a man ever had." "Upon my word," replied Malden, adjusting his hat, "the young lady in question ought to feel herself highly honored! Fancy the exclusive Arthur Harcourt becoming enraptured with a country parson's daughter."

ered the wide seas with the white wings of commerce, and even invaded the unknown depths with the iron-shod pathways of the lightning, for these men to acknowledge that the wheels of their progress are stopped because the negroes wont work and keep contracts, is a sorry spectacle indeed!

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Pleasant Paragraphs.

The most popular general—General Holiday. Spilkens always insists on spelling needle, needle. He says every needle should have an eye in it. Sew!

Chunks of Wisdom.

Wise men sometimes build air castles just for the fun of the thing; it is only the phoos who build them and then undertake to live in them.

Miscellaneous.

Croakers.

Instead of complaining too much about the hard times, we had better work a little harder and save our pennies uselessly expended for cigars, extravagant dressing and excursion tickets.

His Imagination.

John Jarvis was a native of Dublin, where he practiced the art of painting on glass for some time, and then removed to London, where he soon gained for himself a high reputation.

