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## Everyday Heroes

Charles Kingsley once wrote: "Now, there are two kinds of bravery: courage and fortitude; and they are very different. Courage is of the flesh, fortitude is of the spirit." Every person living loves a hero. How in England the shouts burst have rent the air when those brave English soldiers returned from the Boer War!

How often are not accounts in newspapers read of the ringing cheers won by some humble hero who has risked life or limb to save someone from death. It is a very good trait in our characters, this admiration of valour. So while we cheer at courage let us not forget the less showy but more difficult virtue of fortitude. In the eyes of the world most of us may not get the chance of becoming heroes or heroines, we may never get an opportunity to save children from a burning house, or pull a drowning person from a river, but all of us get chances to say kindly and cheering words to lonely and despondent people who are badly in need of such. Though we may not be called upon to die for our faith, or to run the risk in nursing the victims of a fever. Stricken town there is every day a battle to be fought against our bad habits. There is much that we have to fight, against, worry, misunderstandings, weariness, ill-health, poverty, that goes on in our very minds from morning until night, not for one day only, but for all the days of our life. Do not, however, think that there is nothing in life but trials and temptations, because that would not be true.

Let us not though shrink from the perpetual battle, we must endeavor to strengthen and discipline ourselves by self-denial, that we might be ready to repulse these foes of evil habits, for in ordinary life there are these enemies to be repulsed and heights to be won. It needs courage to live out one's life cheerfully and patiently in perhaps a dull place, where duty bids us stay. It will surely too require courage to tell the truth, and own when we have been in the wrong. Often we are assailed with secret doubts, and subtle temptations (none the less dangerous because they cannot be talked of), doubts as to whether we are doing what is right, a will creep in, and it will require all our determination to drive the rebels out. Then we will need courage for bearing cheerfully our share of bodily aches and pains, perhaps not serious illness or bad accidents, but all those trying little ailments such as a tooth-ache, or colds in the head for which nobody pities us or gives us much credit for bearing them cheerfully. The invisible battles then fought slowly with the weapons of fortitude and patience are often very difficult. Their results may be small in the eyes of men—a smile when we felt inclined to frown, a kind word on our lips instead of a hasty one—but these trifling results of our daily warfare will surely win our way to victory at last.

## Broad, All Right.

I like Bishop Edmund's scheme of Salvation. "What is it?" "Well he says the Methodists will seek a Sinner out of the gutter, the Baptists will wash him, the Episcopalians will starch him, the Roman Catholics will perfume him, the Salvation Army will teach him Brotherhood of man,—and then he will be ready for heaven."

## Mexico.

From the Daily Picayune it is learnt that it is rumored that General Bernardo Reyes is to be recalled from Europe and made Vice-President of Mexico and allowed Diaz to assume the reins of the Government in a few months, as it is believed that such a course would satisfy the country.

Vice-President Corral is very sick, and is expected soon to go to Europe for treatment.

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## How will Panama affect American Railroad Traffic.

(By W. H. Hall.)

(Continued from last issue.)

The loss of much freight of this character would not be seriously felt in net profit balances by railroads. In fact, it is a problem as to how far a railroad can go in hauling additional freight in the theory that, having the plans and equipment, it does not cost much more to have it than not to have it.

Interwoven with the problem of the Panama Canal, is the proposition to construct a deep water-way from the Lake to the Gulf of Mexico. Would such a water-way affect adversely or otherwise? Its effect on industrial and transportation conditions would be somewhat felt, after this manner: instead of all the commerce of the country endeavouring to get to the seaboard for the purpose of securing low water transportation rates, the industrial centres of the Mississippi Valley and Lake region would be greatly accelerated in their developments.

The flow of transportation would be toward these interior centres, the distribution of the manufactured products would radiate outward to all sections of the country, including the coast and for export trade. The water-way would be chiefly useful for bringing raw materials to the industrial centres and for the distribution of the heavy freight. Only to a limited extent would it be useful for interior distribution; for, considering its slowness, the charges, however low, would not operate effectively; if, for example, in shipping a consignment of freight, it was floated down water-ways to Memphis, and there had to be reloaded for railroad transportation to interior points. Possibly after many years, there may be a development of industries and concentration of population along the water-ways. But no one now living need be greatly concerned about such changes.

The opening of the Panama Canal will have an immediate effect on railroads and on American economic conditions generally. But great changes will be slow in coming, and an abrupt change will not be perceptible at any time. At the time of the invention of the incandescent electric light bulbs, it was predicted that illuminating gas would quickly pass into disuse. There were those who confidently asserted that every gas manufacturing plant would become bankrupt. But at this time since the perfection of the electric illuminating process has

the consumption of gas indicated any tendency to diminish.

In the same way, there will be a gradual readjustment of new conditions. With Lakes-to-Gulf waterway in prospect of nearing realization, changes will be fewer, slower, and of less magnitude.

## Facts as to Sound.

In air, sound travels 1,130 to 1,140 feet per second. In water it passes at the rate of 4,700 ft. per second. A bell sounded under water at 1,200 feet distance. Sounds are distinct at twice the distance on water than they are on land. On Table mountain, a mile above Cape Town, every noise in it, and even words may be heard distinctly. Dr. Jamieson says that in calm weather he heard every word of a woman at the distance of 200 yards, by connecting the stem by pack-threads with the ear.

## Elections in Jamaica.

A warm time is anticipated at the forthcoming General Election for Legislative Honours in Jamaica in January next. In most of the Parishes, placing before the Constituencies their views on the many and various public problems. With most of them it appears that Education of a P. T. system the simplicity of the Code, and a better system of paying the teachers, the reforming of the Civil Service Examination; and opening up of the new railway line, to start to the chief platform. It is to be hoped that the tax-payers of Jamaica, will in all cases return to the Council men who will pledge themselves to safeguard their interests. It would be well if the Council could be composed of a new fresh set of men, with new heads, and new ideas. It is to be hoped, and now it requires men of modernized views and ideas to carry a step further in the line of progress, the good the old, Legislative men did.

## Rubber growing in Jamaica

An article on the Rubber Growing in Jamaica from Mr. Leo A. Wates, Agricultural Instructor in the "Journal" of the Jamaica Agricultural Society for November. There is every room in the Island for the starting of such a venture. If it is properly managed there is no doubt that it will become a paying concern as the soil of the country is adapted to the culture of rubber in Jamaica. It is worth noting the fact that there are many new industries which could be tried in the Island to great advantage wake up Jamaica.

## Cold in South

From the "Daily Picayune" it is learnt that blizzards are sweeping a large portion of the North, the weather on the whole is rather mild in the South. The storm which was centered over the lower Mississippi valley on December 8, has moved northward to the North Carolina coast, with increased intensity. It has been attended by rain and snow in Tennessee and the middle Atlantic States, and heavy snow in Kentucky and West Virginia.

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The man about the Streets must be very careful in future, for they may steal him away.

## Revolt in Portuguese Colony

From "The Picayune" it is learnt that the Portuguese troops of the local garrison in the Island of Macao, and the crew of the gunboat "Patria" revolted last night, and taking possession of the city proceeded to enforce certain changes in the administration of the affairs of the dependency of Portugal. No casualties are reported. It is said that the Governor after listening to the demands of the rebels which were conceded by resigned.

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2ND. PART.

1. Silver utensils. Comic.
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