

"KEEP A STIFF UPPER LIP."

There's a bit of homely wisdom floating round this busy world...

How much there is in knowing you have easy paths to tread...

Flint's voice had astonishment in it. It was such an unusual occurrence—children! When had any children ever been to see him before?

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A REMARKABLE CAREER. DRAMATIC EPISODES IN THE LIFE OF EDMUND G. ROSS.

PLEASURE'S PROFESSION. Though the perfume of the roses brings no more its blandishment...

THE MORTGAGE ON RODERICK DHU. BY ANNIE HAMILTON DONNELL.

Tilly stopped ironing and listened. The pounding, with its accompaniment of baby language, had ceased.

"She might's well've said it," she thought, bitterly. "She might's well've said, 'you don't iron 'em smooth enough, Tilly Gamble, an' you wouldn't wash 'em clean.'"

"I came—Roddy Doo, make a bow—quick—to the man—to get you to mortgage the baby," she said.

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QUAINT AND CURIOUS.

Blonde hair is the finest and red the coarsest that there is. There are silver ingots lying in the Bank of England which have been undisturbed for 200 years.

THE EARTH AT THE POLES.

A French scientist, M. de l'Apparent, finds in Nansen's discovery of the unexpectedly great depth of the Arctic ocean an argument tending to show that the earth is slightly top shaped.