The Christmas Gift.

Around the Christmas tree we stood, And watched the children's faces, As they their uttle gifts received With chi dish airs and graces. We grown folks had our share of fun In making wee ones merry, And laughed to see the juveniles Kiss neath the "holly berry." Beside me sat sweet Bessie Moore, A lovely dark eyed maiden, When near her stood our little Eve, Her arms with love gifts laden ; Until around the room she went,

The blue-eyed baby, shyly

And blushing red, into each lap

Her offerings dropped slyly. But when to me the darling came All empty handed was she, And when I asked, "Why slight me thus?" She answered, "Oh, because we— We dinna know you tumming here!" And then, with blue eyes shining, To Bessie's side she went, her arms Her sister's neck entwining.

" But something I must have," said I, "My Christmas night to gladden," A shade of thought the baby's face Seemed presently to sadden : 'Till all a once, with gleeful laugh-"Oh! I know what I'll do sir! I've only sister Bessie lett, But Ill div her to you, sir !"

Amid the laugh that came from all I drew my new gift to me, While with flushed cheeks her eyes met mine, And sent a thrill all through me "Oh! blessed little Eve!" cried I,

" Your gift I welcome gladly !" The little one looked up at me, Helf wonderingly, haif sadly. Then to her father straight I turned, And humbly asked his blessing Upon my Christmas gift, the while My long stored hopes confessing And as his aged hands were raised, Above our heads, bowed lowly, The blessed time of Christmas ne'er Had seemed to me so holy.

THE MAGIC SPECTACLES.

A Christmas Story.

BY WILKIE COLLINS.

CHAPTER I.

MEMOIES OF AN ABCTIC VOYAGER.

"He says, sir, he thinks he's nigh to his latter end, and he would like, if convenient, to see you before he goes." "Do you mean before he dies." "That's about it, sir."

I was in no humor (for reasons to be heredisastrous circumstances of any sort; but the ever got since to the North Pole. person who had sent me word that he was "nigh to his latter end" had special claims on my consideration.

gates, and he recommended Septimus to my mate was young and self conceited. 'I should gets above me, even in his earthly lifetime. Pastors were in the thickest of the fray. personal care on his death bed. "I'm afraid like to try, sir,' he says, 'if any other man has But you have dropped—you dear good fellow he's an old scoundrel," my father confessed, plack enough to go along with me. He looked —to the level of a famished wolf. Do you "but somebody must look after him while he at me when he said that. I wasn't going to think I'll leave such a prime specimen of the lasts, and if you don't take his part, Alfred, have my courage called in question publicly Animal Man as you are, deserted at the North nobody else will." After this Septimus kept by a slip of a lad; and, moreover, I had a Pole? No, no; I grant you a free pass by his place at the gate while we were in the fancy to try for the North; Pole, too. I my railway; darkness and distance are no country. When we returned to our volunteered to go along with him. Our obstacles to Me. Are you ready?' You may London house the second gate was notion, you will understand, was to take a not believe me; but I felt myself being lifted closed. The old sailor was lodged (by a compass and some grub with us; to try what up, as it were, against my own will. 'Give strong exertion of my influence) in a room | we could find in a couple of hours' march | us a light,' I says, 'I can't travel in the over a disused stable, which our coachman forward; and to get back in good time for dark.' Take my spectacles,' says he, 'they'll had proposed to turn into a hayloft. Every- our duty on the return journey. The lieu- help you to see more than you bargain for. body disliked Septimus Notman. He was tenant wouldn't hear of it. 'I'm responsible Look through them at your fellow mortals, said to be mad; to be a liar, a hypocrite, a for every man in my charge,' says he. and you'll see the inmost thoughts of their vicious wretch and a disagreeable brute. You're a couple of fools. Stay where you hearts as plain as I do, and, considering There were people who even reported that are.' We were a couple of fools. We watched your nature, Septimus, that will crop he had been a pirate during the time when our opportunity, while they were all unload you even below the level of a wolf. we lost sight of him, and who declared, when ing the broken down sledge; and slipped off Suppose I don't want to look,' says I, 'may they were asked for their proof, that his to try our luck, and get the reward for dis- I throw the spectacles away?' 'They'll come in the least affected by the opinions of his neighbors; he chewed his tobacco and drank his grog and, in the words of the old drop more." song, "He cared for nobody, no, not he!" Well had my poor father said that if I didn't | Septimus Notman emptied it. take his part nobody else would. And shall

were in London at the time) with dry eyes, to. Just as the last of the faint daylight me again. Behind my pillow. Just as he and I sat down by his bed and cut up a cake | was dying out, we got to the top of a hillock, spoke on the rock." of tobacco for him, and said "Well, what's and there we saw the glimmer of the open He sang the last words faintly, and died

few last words."

tor seen you?"

than I know of myself?" attend to?"

"None, sir." "Shall I send for a clergyman?"

Septimus Notman looked at me as directly ness and drizzle and mist. I had the fine, stoutly-built man, with a ruddy than if I had been blind. We had no means than me I should like to look at him. (Appleuse.) face profusely encircled by white hair and of striking a light, except my match-box. whiskers, a hoarse, heavy voice, and the had left it on the snow by my side when I fell express my gratitude for the glorious result of fore he answered me.

and what not, and read everything that's get back, I suppose, dark as it was?" I said. written in his secret mind as plain as print, fetch him, Master Alfred-fetch him !"

I thought the clergyman might not like till we had no voices left, and then we holto ask if I might look at the Magie Spectacles. | came ?"

"Hear how I came by them first !" said Septimus.

" Will it take long ?" I enquired. " It will take long and it will make your flash creep."

I remembered my promise to my father, and placed myself and my flesh at the mercy of Septimus Notman. But he was not ready to begin yet.

pointing to the washhand-stand. "Yes. Do you want water?"

jug. And there's a pewter mug on the enough. But, bless you, we had nothing left chimney piece. I must be strung up, Master to eat or drink! When the light failed us Aifred-I must be strung up." The white jug contained at least half a

gallon of rum and water, roughly calculated. The boatswain's mate said his prayers, and I I strung him up. In the case of any other grog at one and the same time.

think I was up to in the time when you all opened his clothes, and put my hand on his

"They say you were a pirate," I replied.

"Worse than that. Guess again." I tried to persuade myself that there might be such a human anomaly as a merciful pirate, and guessed once more.

"A murderer," I suggested. "Worse than that. Guess again." I declined to guess again. "Tell me

yourself what you have been," I said. He answered without the least appearance of discomposure, "I have been a Cannibal." Perhaps it was weak of me-but I did cer-

tainly start to my feet and make for the door. "Hear the circumstances," said Septimus. "You know the proverb, sir? Circumstances alter cases."

There was no disputing the proverb. I sat down again. I was a young and tender man, which, in my present position, was certainly against me. But I had very little flesh on my bones, and that was in my favor.

"It happened that when I went out with the Arctic expedition," Septimus proceeded But I can tell you the rest of it. We were asked how the supernatural rescue happened. an exploring party, you must know, with the summer months in those parts, and we evidently sinking. Without grog I doubt if after mentioned) for seeing anybody, under were nigher than any of them have he could have said much more. -don't you doubt it-but for three nigh when it was all dark and no light. of our best men who fell sick of the scurvy. The darker it got, the deeper I scooped the He was an old sailor, who had first seen The second lieutenant, who was in command, sort of cavern I'd made for myself under the blue water under the protection of my father, called a halt, as the soldiers say. With this snow. Whether it was night or day I know then a post-captain in the navy. Born on loss of strength, says he, 'it's my duty to take no more than you do. On a sudden, in the our estate, and the only male survivor of our you back to the ships. We must let the awful silence and solitude, I heard a voice, head gamekeeper's family of seven children, North Pole be, and pray God that we may high up, as it were, on the rock behind me. he had received a good education through my have no more invalided men to carry. I give It was a cheering and a pleasant woice, it father's kindness, and he ought to have got you half an hour's rest before we turn back.' cried out Septimus. Notman, I asked in a on well in the world; but he was the carpenter was one of our sound men. He fright, 'who the-?' The voice stopped of those born vagabonds who spoke next. He reported one of the two me before I could say the rest. 'You've hit education at defiance. His term sledges not fit for service. 'How long will it,' says the voice, 'I am that person; and, of service having expired, he disappeared for you be making it fit? says the lieutenant. it's about time the Devil helped you out of

> covering the North Pole." There he stopped, and pointed to the grog. up?' 'They'll put themselves together "Dry work, talking," he said. "Give us a again.' What am I to do with them?"

I filled the pewter mug again. And again | One, two, three-and away!' You may not "We set our course northwest by north,"

cold there is and the more open water you they might be. "Never mind me, Septimus. Has a doc. find. Ask Captain M'Clure what sort of a bed he slept upon on the night of October "The doctor knows no more about me thirtieth, 'fifty-one. Well, and what do you think we did when we had eaten and drunk? prospect met us when we woke? Dark- his joy. He said: could—he was afflicted with compass, and tried to set our course on the

" I expected nothing, Master Alfred. The boatswain's mate (beginning to get light headed, you know) expected the lieutenant to send in search of us, or to wait till we returned. A likely thing for an officer in charge to do. with the lives of the sledging party depending on his getting them back to the ships, and only two men missing, who had broken orders and deserted their duty. A good rid "Do you see that white jug?" he said, dance of bad rubbish-that's what he said of us when we were reported missing. I'll be bound. When the light came we tried to get "I want grog. There's grog in the white back; and we did set our course cleverly again we were done up. We dropped on the enow, under the lee of a rock, and gave out. said Amen. Not the least use! On the condying person I might have hesitated. But | trary, as the night advanced it got colder and the man who possessed the Magie Spectacles colder. We were both close together, to was surely an exception to ordinary rules, keep each other warm. I don't know how and might finish his career and finish his long it was, I only know it was still pitch dark, when I heard the boatswain's mate give "Now I'm ready," he said. "What do you a little flutter of a sigh, and no more. I lost sight of me? The latter part of that heart. Dead, of cold and exhaustion, and no mistake. I should'nt have been long after him but for my own presence of mind."

"Your presence of mind? What did you

"Stripped every rag of clothes off him, and put them all on myself. What are you shiver- that in consequence of the desultory attacks ing about? He couldn't feel it, could he? of the Ghilzais it became necessary to engage I tell you, he'd have frezen stiff before the them along the line. The Ghilzais have next day's light came-but for my presence of mind again. As well as my failing strength | persing. would let me, I buried him under the snow. Virtue, they say, Master Alfred, is its own reward. That good action proved to be the

saving of my life." "What do you mean?"

"Didn't I tell you I buried him?" "Well!" "Get on to the end!" I said. "Why didn't you die at the North Pole?" "Because somebody helped me to get

"Who helped you?" " The Davil."

rible grin. I could draw but one conclusion "I've forgotten all my learning, and lost -his mind was failing him before death. my memory for dates. The year escapes me, Anything that spared me his hideous conand the latitude and longitude escape me. fession of cannibalism was welcome. I

" Mors grog first," he said. " The horrors sledges. It was getting close to the end of come on me when I think of it." He was

"I can't tell you how many days passed," We should have found our way there he went on; "I only know that the time was

back to you,' says he. 'May I smach them "Give them to another man. Now, then believe me again; I lost my senses, Master I tell you a secret? Though I strictly he went on; "and after a while (seeing More grog-that's right-more grog. I came carried out my father's wishes, and though the ground favored us) we altered it again to myself at Upernavik, with the Magic

sir, if death spares me long enough to say a further north you get in those parts, the less and submit to the consequences whatever

(Conclusion next week.)

The Presbyterian Synod of Long Island "Have you any last; wishes that I can Lit our pipes. And what next? Fell fast Talmage of the charges of falsehood brought asleep, after our long walk, on our against him. The rev. gentleman, addressing nice dry snow. And what sort of his congregation on Friday night, expressed

When yesterday, at Jamaica, the Synod of Long Island sustained me by a two-third vote, I was than me I should like to look at him. (Applause.) biggest hands I ever saw. He put one of asleep. Not a match would light. As for my trial. The way those young ministers in the belp of any sort, it was not to be thought of. Synod of Long Island took the Brooklyn clergy. We couldn't have been formally the men on their knees and applied the ecclesiastical get back, I suppose, dark as it was?" I said.
"We walked till we dropped," Septimus answered; "and then we yelled and shouted Heaven bas twelve gates, and whether we go in this and withdrew my suggestion accordingly.

The least I could do, as a matter of common politeness, after giving up the elergyman, was

till we had no voices left, and then we holall working up to the throne. And there will be daylight."

The least I could do, as a matter of common daylight."

What did you expect when daylight.

What did you expect when daylight. come to it. "Oh, Lord God! how great are Thy mercies."

EDISON AGAIN.

Further Economic Discoveries Reported NEW YORK, Dec. -. The Herald states that Edison has finally elaborated a lamp for the use of electricity simpler than any lamp in common use—as simple as a gas burner itself and more manageable. He has also contrived a battery for household use which can be adapted to any different number of lamps, and to other uses. It can light a house at night, and run a sewing machine or rock the cradle all day. After many experiments with platinum Edison has produced a fairly satisfactory lamp, but he has now discarded the metallic burner for a burner of carbonized paper enclosed in an air tight globe of glass. He discovered that a carbonized bit of cotton thread when incandescent gave a brilliant light and resisted a strong current of electricity. Experiments with many other substances disclosed that paper, thick like cardboard, gave the best results. The entire cost of constructing the new lamp is not more than 25 cents.

Colonel Burnaby says that Europe has less than nine and a half million soldiers and quarter of a million of sea forces.

THE AFGHAN WAR.

CANDAHAB, Dec. - Gan. Gough reports been driven off, and he hopes they are dis-

LONDON, Dec. -. The Vicercy of India telegraphs that Gen. Bright reports the movement of reinforcements all along the line. Gen. Gough marched yesterday for Cabul. Azmatulah Khan, a Ghilzai chief of Lorghman, who led the tribe in the recent engagement with Gen. Gough's command, is reported wounded, and his followers are deserting him. Reinforcements have been sent to Dakks in consequence of a report that the Mohmunds are assembling.

The St. Petersburg Gazette says the Afghan He showed his yellow old teeth in a hor- revolt is due to the cruelty of the English victors. It charges Gen. Roberts with gross cruelty towards the Afghans.

VICE-REGAL BENEFICENCE.

ST JOHN, N. B., Dec. - A letter has been received by Mayor Roy from the Governor General, in which he encloses a Christ. than for a section, were able to withstand mas gift of \$500, to be distributed among the improper solicitations, and do only that, poor of St. John, who still suffer from the permit only that to be done, which inured effects of the great fire. His Excellency to the general benefit. It is to reach that expresses the hope that the coming year may point which seems to be the wish of the develop an increase in the trade and com citizens. merce of the city, and takes this opportunity of again expressing admiration for the courage displayed by the citizens of St. John in struggling against disaster and depression of trade, a courage which, he remarks, deserves future prosperity.

RIOT IN A CHURCH.

PITTSBURG, Drc. -.- A pitched battle occurred in the First Reformed Presbyterian many years. During part of the time he was 'In a decent climate,' says the carpenter, 'I this.' 'No,' says I, 'I'd rather perish Nevin Woodside as pastor. His opponents supposed to have been employed in the mer- should say two or three hours, sir. Here, by cold than fire any day. 'Make refusing to permit him to preach, and enchant navy. At the end of that long interval double that time, at least.' You may say, your mind easy,' says he, taking the deavoring to substitute another minister, the he turned up one day at our country house, why not do without the sledge? I'll tell you point, 'I don't want you at my place yet. I police were called in and succeeded in quiet an invalided man, without a penny in his way. On account of the sick men to be expect you to do a deal more in the way of ing the riot. Several arrests were made. The pocket. My good father, then nearing the carried. 'Be as quick about it as you can,' degrading your humanity before you come to church this morning presents a sorry appearend of his life, was invalided too. Whether says the lieutenant; 'time means life in our me, and I offer you a safe passage back to the lance. Pews are broken, remnants of glass he had a fellow-feeling for the helpless predicament.' Most of the men were glad nearest settlement. Friend Septimus, you're globes strew the floor, hymn books and Bibles creature whom he had once befriended, or enough to rest. Only two of us murmured at a man after my own heart.' 'As how, sr? sign are scattered in all directions, and a large whether he only took counsel of his own not going on. One was a boatswain's mate; I.' Because you're such a complete beast,' quantity of hairpins and bangs have been generous nature, it is now needless to en- tother was me. 'Do you think the North says he. 'A human being who elevates gathered up. The utmost indignation prequire. He appointed Septimus Notman to Pole's the other side of that rising ground bimself, and rises higher and higher to his vails in Church circles, and the matter will be lodge-keeper at the second of our two park there? says the lieutenant. The boatswain's immortal destiny, is a creature I hate. He be investigated by the Presbytery. The rival

THE WHISKEY BOTTLE

THOROLD, Dec. -.- A man named Walker, from Fonthill, called at Brown & Williams' livery stable about eleven o'clock on Saturday night, and arranged to be driven home. It morning he managed to crawl to Mr. Jacob cause they have not been early trained,— Upper's house near the road at Allanburg. Lancet. Walker, on waking, made for another house, and had the farmer drive him to Fontbill. Burns' hands and feet were badly frozen. His hands are in such a state that it is feared amputation will be necessary. He was taken to the St. Catharines Hospital to-day. Walker is said to be a Baptist minister.

BRITISH STATISTICS.

in Ireland, and a decrease in Scotland. In 300,000 pupils in 1878. The total expenditure for schools by the Government was \$13,667,000.

Lawrence Barrett, the tragedian, is to become manager of the California Theatre, San Francisco, next spring. The stockholders | ter.'" guarantee him against loss, the establishment having been, like the rest of the Pacific coast theatres, financially unsuccessful for

A Poor Show for a Dividend.

A first and final dividend has been declared, and we believe paid, of three cents in the dollar, in the matter of Homer Campbell, sen., of Her Majesty, by the way, spells the name Ingersoll, an insolvent. There are twelve with a double r on all occasions, and that of We couldn't have been less than five miles supper was marvellous to see. (Laughter.) creditors, four of them for over \$100 each; the "If you think," he said, "that a clergy- distant from the place where we had left our I wish to thank the people of Jamaica whole liability is \$2,321, and the total amount

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Municipal Objects to be Graspedhis gr (London Free Press.) The Hamilton Times is advocating themer

abolition of the secrecy which has heretoforeshed Committees. Indeed, it is an undoubted fact that most of the schemes which militate against the weal of the city are either concooted or consummated at the private sessions of the committees of Council. Were it otherwise matters could not have resched the pitch they have. Take the Ward Appropriations as an illustration. It is notorious that the appropriations of the Council are continually exceeded, and that members of Wards are induced, upon one ground or another, to please this or that set of constituents, to order work to be done for which no appropriation has been made. It is all very well to set out with an appropriation of, say, \$20,000. Such a sum appears to be reasonable enough for a year's disbursement; yet it does not cover much more than one-half of the total outlays on so-called improvements. There are the general improvements to be paid for; the special improvements to be voted on, besides the excess of Ward expenditures which has to be paid for, sooner or later. The fact is, there is a constant grab game going on, one Ward demanding the expenditures of moneys in order to balance up the outlays of another, pretty much as it was in the old days of the Canadian Union, when one mile of the Grand Trunk built in Ontario had to find its counterpart in Quebec whether it was really required or not. It is fast coming to this that there. must be a radical change in the details of the municipal system as applied to cities. Speaking for London, we require fewer wards and fewer representatives. The interests of the city should be made general rather than local, and special local improvements paid for by those principally concerned. To our minds, however, a board of paid Commissioners would be the true course. We have seen a large sum (\$325,000); recently expended by Commissioners for water works in a manner so advantageous as to have excited the astonishment of neighboring and distant cities. There never was so extensive a work carried on at once so rapidly, so effectively and cheaply, and why? Principally because the Commissioners had a single object in view, and being in an independent position, acting for the whole rather

Chest Development and Consumption

It is stated " that during the last twentyfive years not a single singer has died of consumption at St. Petersburg, although this disease has outstripped all others and now holds the first place among the causes of death in the Russian capital." From this and other facts Dr. Vasilieff draws an inference in favor of the exercise involved in singing as a preventive measure against consumption. There would seem to be room for question as to the relation of cause and effect. It may either happen that singers are not consump. tive because they can use their chest and throat freely, or that consumptive persons are not singers because the weakness which precedes disease incapacitates the chest and throat for exertion. Both of these hypotheses are true up to a certain point, but neither holds good in all cases. A very little observation will suffice to show that a good singing voice may coexist with a weak or diseased chest, whereas, the perfectly healthy may be unable to sing

It was some forty years ago a common practice to give consumptive patients a specially arranged tube to breathe through with the view of exercising the chest. We venture to hope the experiment will not be repeated. Chest development can only be accomplished in a manner consistent with seems that Walker had a bottle of whiskey health during the growing stage of childhood, with him, of which both he and the driver- and then the most natural and convenient a man named Wm. Burns-partook rather methods of exertion are the best. Later on freely, as they fell out of the cutter at differ- in life great mischief may be done by unduly ent parts of the road. Walker accidentally straining the muscles of the thorax and those dragged the robe belonging to the cutter of the throat, besides the peril of injuring over him, which protected him. Burns, the smaller tubes and air vessels of the lungs however, lay unprotected all night, with the by violent exertion, for which the organs of mercury about zero. About seven in the respiration and voice are not adapted be-

"It is nearly sixty years since the Duke of Kent, having caught cold while visiting Salisbury Cathedral, died in the arms of the Duchess, who lost not only an affectionate husband, but the means of subsistence—as subsistence is understood by royal personages. In fact," says the Whitehall Review, " the Septimus was disposed in his rough way to be to due north. I can't tell you how Spectacles in my pocket. Take them, sir. General at London states that a change for comparative forms, when Prince Leopold young Princess Victoria and her mother So I went to the room over the stables (we had watches) — but this I'll swear accordingly. Hush! I hear him speaking to of the United Kingdom, indicated by the known something of straitened cirrenewed American demand for British manu- cumstances himself, having had only an factures, especially of scrap and railroad iron. annual income of £400 to live on before the matter?" as coolly as if he had sent me Polar Sea! No! not the Sound that enters with a smile on his face. Delirium or lies! months of exports generally, rising prices in 000 a year. He lost no time, therefore, in word that he thought he had caught a cold in Kennedy's Channel, which has been mistaken With the Spectacles actually in my hands, I wholesale markets, and a decided change in bringing the aunt and cousin of his late for it, I know—but the real thing, the still was inclined to think lies. They were of the the returns of railroad traffic. The number wife, first to Kensington and then to Clare-"I'm called away," Septimus answered; and lonesome Polar Sea! What would you old-fashioned sort, with big, circular glasses of emigrants in 1878 was 113,000; half to mont, providing for the maintenance of their "and before I go I've a confession to make have done in our place? I'll tell you what and stout tortoise-shell frames; they smelt the United States, one-third to Australia and household until, in 1825, Parliament granted and something useful to offer you. Its re- we did. We sat down on some nice dry musty, but not sulphurous. I possess a New Zealand, and one-tenth to British North the young Princess an annuity of £6,000. ported among the servants, Mr. Alfred, that snow, and took out our biscuits and grog. sense of humor, I am happy to say. When America. The number of poor in receipt of Those kindnesses have never been forgotten you're in trouble just now between two ladies. Freezing work, do you say? You'll find it they were thoroughly cleaned, I determined relief on the 1st of January in the United by Queen Victoria; and it is by the light of You may see your way clear in that matter, on the books, if you don't believe me—the to try the Magis Spectacles on the two ladies Kingdom was 987,000. There was an increase this early passage in her life that the inscription which accompanies the white marble the primary schools there was an increase of statue of King Leopold, which Her Majesty has just placed in St. George's Chapel, Windsor, should be read. 'Erected,' so it runs, 'by Her Majesty Queen Victoria, in loving memory of Leopold, the first King of the Belgians, her maternal uncle, who was as a father to her as she was to him as a daugh-

London Life: " Mr. Gladstone is not the most distinguished guest who has ever been to Dalmeny Park. In 1842, during the lifetime of the last lord, the Queen paid it a visit, which is thus recorded in the journal of her tour :- 'We reached Lord Roseberry's'man will come to a man who has got the Magic Spectacles here, under his pillow, and who has only to put those Spectacles on to see through that clergyman's clothes, flesh and what not, and who has got the pack where we had left our the people of Jamaica or the good cheer they furnished us at the final e)—' at two o'clock. The park is Brooklyn minister can eat; but the elders beat us at the North Pole."

I wish to thank the people of Jamaica or the good cheer they furnished us at their tables. It is wonderful how much a their tables. It is wonderful how much as their tables. It is wonderful how much at the final e)—' at two o'clock. The park is drawning down to the us. (Laughter.) I hope all autagonism among the liabilities, or say \$251, after disbursements as per the following soothing list:

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I began to feel interested. "You tried to the control of the final elements and six of Edinburgh. The grounds are very extensive, being bill and dale and wood. Lord Roseberry built it, and it is very pretty and comfortable. We lunched there. The Roseberrys were all civility and attention.' Her Majesty's host was the grandfather of the present Earl, whose father died while still

Lord Dalmeny." Application for relief. A mustard plaster \$251 13