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"OH, WAD SOME POWER THE GITTLE GIE US, TAE SEE OORSELS AS ITHERS SEE US."
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The Poverty of Position

Or, Violet Beaton's Contempt For Titles.

CHAPTER XVIII.

He read the letter again, and this time he saw in its true light the conduct of his mother. She had no right to have written such letters to him; she had no right to have written without specially mentioning the fact to him. Having written, she had been criminally careless in allowing the answer to her letters to fall into Violet's hands. She had also evidently misrepresented to Violet what he had said on the subject.

How cruel his mother had been to the beautiful young wife! Instead of making her welcome, adopting her as her daughter, cherishing and caring for her, she had insulted her so greatly that the girl preferred death to remaining with her.

Not anger and indignation filled his heart. He went at once in search of his mother. She would learn what she had done, how she had driven his young wife away and destroyed his happiness.

He found the dowager alone in the drawing room. The proud and stately lady looked up at her son's entrance, and her high carriage, her proud worldly spirit gave way a little when she saw the expression on his face. Had she gone too far?

Lord Ryvers walked up to her and laid the letter before her. She had seen nothing in his white set face and his flashing eyes before.

"Will you read that and tell me if it be true?" he said.

She took it from him without a word, and she read it steadily from beginning to end. If her nerves were giving way, he should not know it. He had expected to see her regret, remorse in her face; but she merely smiled, and his anger grew to white heat when he saw the smile.

"You have made me desperate; you have driven me mad. You have robbed my life of all that was best and brightest in it; you have taken from me my chief treasure, you can do what you will with the rest. I will never look upon your face again, until I have found my wife; and, if I never find her, this is our eternal farewell."

and she did fall justice to her training. Bitter, angry thoughts filled her mind. She did not think much of herself, whither she was going, of what she should do; she was too angry. Never again, she vowed to herself, would she look upon the faces of those she had left. She would annul her marriage by going far away. Never would she submit again to the insolent pride of Lady Ryvers; never again would she look into the face of the man who had brought all these troubles upon her.

She had left behind her all the rich paraphernalia of dress, jewels, and ornaments that her husband had lavished upon her; not one of them would she touch. She dressed herself plainly, and she left the grand old mansion on foot, heedless enough as to whether she was going.

If it had occurred to her that the money in her purse was her husband's money, she would have left it behind her also; but she forgot all about it. She had some vague idea of going back to St. Byvo's. Miss Atherton's wrath would be hard to bear, but it would not be so hard as the indignation and scorn she would feel if she were to find that she was giving up the luxury and magnificence had grown hateful to her, because they were accompanied by insolence and unkindness.

The train stopped at London Bridge, and the first person she saw as she left the carriage was Mrs. Carstone.

"I have left him forever," she declared. "I wish never to see them again."

"You cannot do that," said Mrs. Carstone, with a smile at the girl's simplicity.

"I can do it just as well as any one else," she replied.

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Some plants are affected by chloroform just as animals are. The sensitive plant loses its irritability in air charged with chloroform vapor.

NEVER CEASE TO THINK OF GOD

For the Goodness and Mercies He Has Showered Upon All of His People.

of case and rest? Oh, no! The New England soil, even under the brightest conditions, never yields a great harvest. The first harvest which the white men gathered on Massachusetts land was very small. They knew that unless help came soon they would have to face starvation.

Thanksgiving day of 1620 is our theme to-day. Plymouth rock is the pulpit. The mighty trees of the American forests are the massive pillars of the sanctuary.

THE FIRST THANKSGIVING.

THE FREEDOM FROM SIN.

MEETING LOVED ONES.

THE PILGRIM FATHERS.

THE COST OF WAR.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

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LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

THE MARKETS.

Prices of Grain, Cattle, etc in Trade Centres.

THE COST OF WAR.

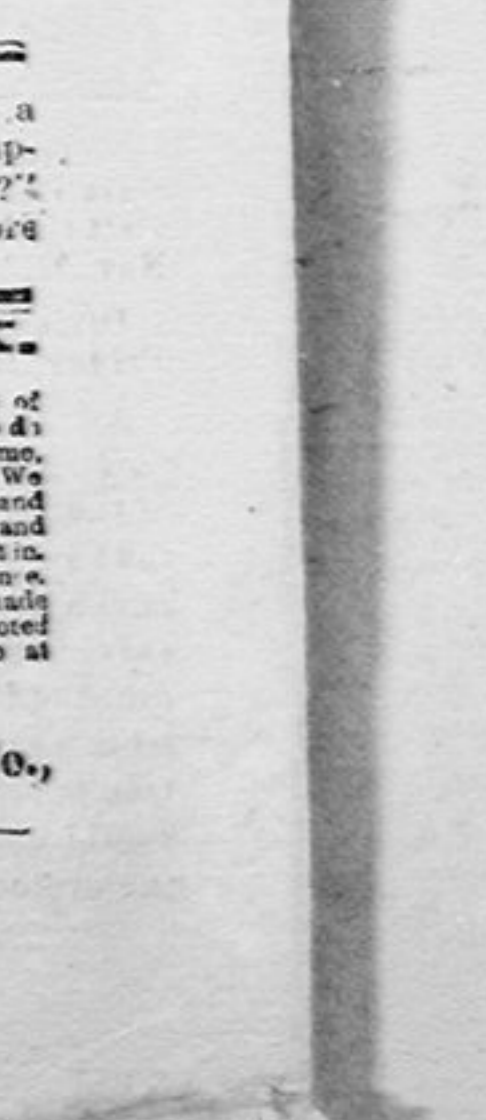
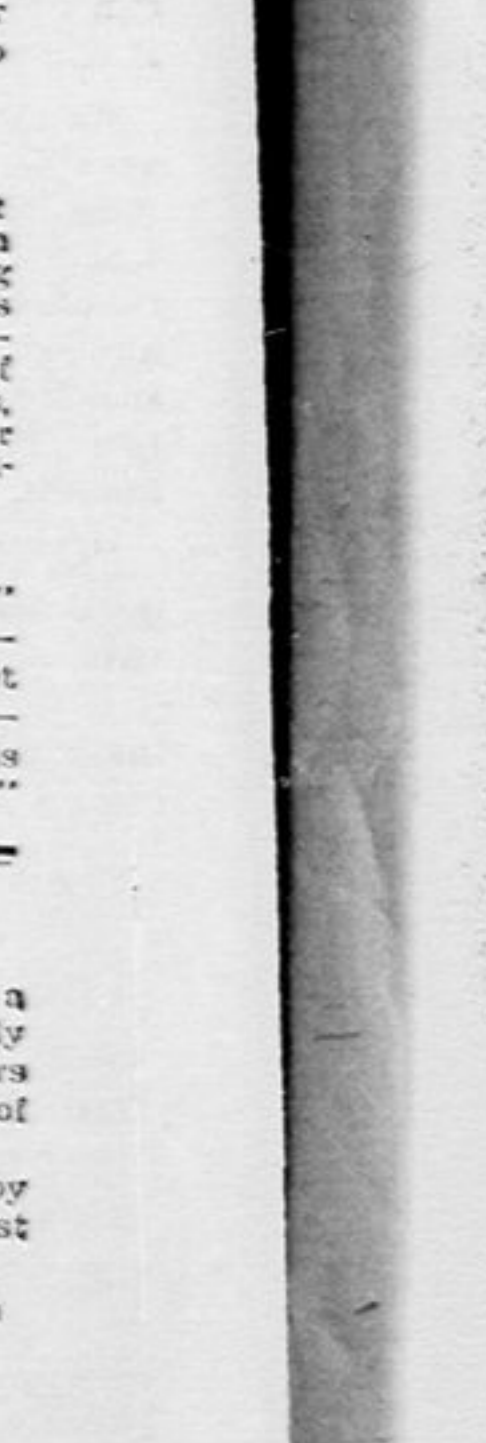
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THE COST OF WAR.

Apart from the humanitarian sentiments, the budgets of the nations need but casual study to convince one of the folly of war. Of course there has been some progress in the highest principles have been involved. There have been from time to time, and probably will recur as long as man is man, conditions that demand betterment and arouse the loftiest instincts of liberty, of preservation in an action, even to the point of drawing the sword. But Mars is not long on principles. Greed, jealousy, the barbaric love of blood itself, too often are the ruining incentives on one side or the other in international contests. And when the strife is over, there is not only suffering and misery in thousands of homes ravaged by the battle demon, but there is as a generality a heritage of debt that, with its accumulating interest, falls heavily upon the shoulders of posterity. Take the national debt of Great Britain. This year it is estimated at about \$3,500,000,000, and of this over one-fourth is directly traceable to wars during the last sixty years.

BRITONS WED BOER WOMEN.

Britons making South Africa their home are marrying Boer women. Two of these unions have just taken place at Port Elizabeth. The bridegrooms were Stuart Brasher and John Brasher, and the brides genuine Boer maidens, who, with their imperfect knowledge of the English language, had some difficulty in getting through the marriage service. But his little hitch was overcome, and the girls looked happy as they drove away in their wedding carts. The vehicles were decorated with yellow ribbon, the ex-Free State color, while the horses were adorned with red, white and blue.