

AN UNSOUGHT WEALTH.
Or The Mystery of a Brother's Legacy.

CHAPTER XIII.
When the case of the 'Sphinx's Cave Mystery'—as the papers had already christened it—came on for hearing, the court was crowded. Not that it requires a large number of people to fill a London police court; some of them, when they contain the prisoner, the magistrate, the counsel, the reporters, and the officials, have about as many as they can manage; but as many as could squeeze in, squeezed in, and a crowd hung about outside.
The charge sheet was 'light' that day, so that when about a dozen 'drunks' had been disposed of, and one or two of the more pressing of the applicants, who apply to the magistrate for advice on every matter beneath the sun—in the same way in which the people apply to the 'Correspondence Editor' of the Family Herald—and the prisoners in the 'Mystery' case were brought into the dock, the hour was still an early one.

him. He stood with one hand resting on the rail in front of him, his head jerked forward, with a gesture which seemed habitual, and gazed, from under his rugged eyebrows, from one person to another, until the justice, seated on the bench, scowled at almost every word.

"I was told it was. I don't know much about diamonds myself."
"Oh, you don't know much about diamonds. Go on."
"I asked him to give it to me. He did so. I thought it was red, but I found it was not. When I looked at my hand, I found that it was red. I threw it down. I found the thing had burned me, I found the word 'fool' branded on the palm."
"Weren't you surprised?"
"I was very much surprised, indeed. I was more than surprised."
There was "laughter" in the court. The magistrate mildly interposed.

ALL KINDS OF RHEUMATISM CURED. People Are Treated according to...

MUNYON'S RHEUMATISM CURE. Permanently Cured by Munyon's Rheumatism Cure. There is no punishment too severe for those who deceive the sick...

A Trying Time On Feeble Persons

All Who Are in Low Vitality Have Reason to Dread the Coming Weeks—Fortify Your System by Using DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD.

If you watch the newspapers for the next few weeks you will find that the death record is a largo one, and made up largely of persons in advanced years and of weak constitutions.
Vitality seems to be at low ebb at this time of year, and the sudden changes of temperature and humid atmosphere are more than a weak system can withstand.

DRESSED DOLL FREE! GIRLS, would you like to have this beautiful dressed doll...



"Don't stare at the man like that, he'll think you want to kill him, too."
Then Mr. Hookham glared at his lawyer instead.
"What case is this?" asked the magistrate, when the prisoners had settled in their places.
One may guess that the magistrate knew very well what case it was—for magistrates do read the papers; but still he asked the question. In these matters magistrates and judges do feign such seraphic innocence.

"I will allow me, that is the question I am about to put."
"Certainly. Has this anything to do with the case, Mr. Fairlight?"
"A very great deal, as I will soon show you. Inspector, how does this word 'fool' come to be upon your hand?"
"That is what I should like you to tell me."
"Don't speak to me like that, sir. Answer my question. As an inspector of police—you are dressed like an inspector of police—I suppose you have some faint notion of your duty as a witness. How does the word 'fool' come to be upon your hand?"

Piles. To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles...

GRAINS OF GOLD.
Good order is the foundation of all good things.—Burke.
After crosses are losses men grow humbler and wiser.—Franklin.
He who has health has hope, and he who has hope has everything.—Plato.
Maimier is one of the greatest engines of influence ever given to man. —Tillotson.
Lying is a most disgraceful vice; it first despises God, and then fears man.—Plutarch.
Malice and hatred are very fretting, and make our own minds sore and uneasy.—Tillotson.

FOR FARMER

MANURE AS A FERTILIZER.
The improved growth of crops through the use of manure has led to the presence in the manure of three substances—nitrogen, and phosphoric acid. The take-up these plant food substances in various ways utilized as forces to build up their material matter. Compared with the actual weight of plant matter, the quantity is very small, but the essential for without them, no particle of growth could be formed. From this, we perceive that small quantities of nitrogen, phosphoric acid in manure are very important matter to a farmer.

ROUGHAGE OF THE FARM

that is, the unsalable portions of crops, cannot make good losses for such portions of the half of the land are only about a half of the total crop yields. course, on stock farms where quantities of stock feeds are chased, these conditions do not apply, as more plant food is brought in, the soil in form of manure, then is sold for production.

BESIEGED BY SNAILS

A dealer in edible snails in Paris received a consignment of twenty-five large barrels from the vineyard districts. Before retiring to bed he opened each barrel to make sure that the snails were alive and fresh. Instead of fastening the barrels down again, he merely spread tarpaulin covers over them, the result being that in the night the snails escaped. The man, who slept in a little room of his shop, was awakened in the dark by some of the snails crawling over his face. For the moment he was too terrified to move. Then he sprung from bed in search of a light, but he trod on some of the snails, which fell all over the place, and fell heavily to the ground. Inflicting a serious wound on his head. Screaming out that he was being murdered, he fled into the street, where a policeman subsequently found him, fainting from loss of blood. Through the open door was moving an innumerable procession of snails. The shop and bedroom were filled with them, and hours were occupied in returning them to their barrows.

CORNERED

Jenkins has left college, where he had lived rather fast, but now meditated matrimony and settling down. As an old aunt had died and left him a little money, what was more natural than that he should redeem some of his mania, by depositing with his "uncle" in the days of necessity? By sad mishap, however, that obliging relative forgot to remove the tickets, and this led to an embarrassing contretemps on his return home.

FARM NOTES

Whenever you see a cow hurry up on the north side of the barn, you can put it down that winter feed in the barn will be at a dead loss, and that that feed will be required to take care of the cow's back. You will never in the wide world make a profit in the milk pail unless a condition of affairs may be set down as a result of carelessness on the part of the farmer. In the gone times, when such customs prevailed, the mortgage foreclosures, was as a rule, only a question of time.

BRIDGES OF SKELTON

Perhaps the most remarkable bridges in the world are to be found in Russia and Poland, where the Cosack soldiers have built them. They are made of the soldiers' janes and are built in the shape of a bridge, and are used for crossing the part of the farmer. In the gone times, when such customs prevailed, the mortgage foreclosures, was as a rule, only a question of time.

LADY SMUGGLER

A woman inspector of the New York Customs, noticed a very strange article of clothing in the hands of two young men, who had just passed through a search. It consisted of a cloth of silver, and found the ladies wearing silver fox fur hats and long garters.

LOVE CANNOT WAIT

Neither will money. Money may buy servants and a mistress of love is not the juggling accomplice in coin. There is no heart, not by the purchase is found, nothing but a cottage in a black, your way into heaven, no time to seek God in or earth, you will not find Christ in mansions. If you do not know before you die, neither will you before the angels, assembled about the throne of the celestial, much did he leave? gentleman in reference to deceased rich man. "He should had no pocket, sec." So which man take before the judgment Christ not what you know.

