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TAKE THE WORLD AS IT COME, Take the world as it is! there are good and bad in it, and we are to live in it...

THE WEATHER had hitherto been remarkably fine, although piercingly cold, and I had enjoyed several rambles with the children upon the margin of the lake, and upon the hills...

DARKDALE, The day passed unmarked by any particular incident. I say nothing of Mr. Roydon, nor any person except the old woman and my pupils...

As I peeped cautiously out, I saw the procession passing slowly through the gateway. Fear, prudence, and consideration, was about me in the one feeling of irresistible curiosity.

Who was this third? Arrived at the margin of the lake, the bearers paused, and put down their burden.

Creeping upon my hands and knees among the great fragments of rock that strewed the shore, I advanced and looked up at the body wrapped in a white sheet...

How I found my way back to my own chamber I know not. Here was a new mystery—a new horror. If the apparition I had beheld was that of the mother of the children, the remains were here; but I had been given to understand that she had been dead several years.

A week passed—ten days; during that time I had once more heard the plaintive serenade, and on several occasions the shriek and the laughter which seemed to proceed from the mother and the child. I had seen in my chamber—of the corpse I had seen stretched upon the bier nearly three weeks before!

This last shock was more than my senses could sustain, and I fainted away. When I awoke, I found myself in my own bed, and Mr. Roydon sitting beside my pillow...

Soper's Fatal Error, IMPARTING INTERESTING NEWS TO HIS WIFE—THE WIDOW STACEY'S DRIVER.

Believe in travelling step by step; do not expect to get rich in a jump. Slow and sure is better than fast and flimsy.

How to Drive Away Rats, A lady writer in a recent number of a New York journal, discourses in the following style concerning her treatment of rats and mice.

Curious Geographical Problem, A curious geographical problem is suggested by the appearance at the mouth of the Seine, near Havre, in the course of the present month, of one of the hermetically sealed bottles, in wooden cases, which were thrown overboard during the expedition of the North Polar expedition in 1860.

A Wholesale Wedding, A gentleman who is acquainted with the facts, informs the Belleisle Intelligencer that a wholesale wedding took place at Mr. Nelson Simmam Meyersburg, township of Stuyvor, on Friday last.

Get Rid of Old Fowls, There is no profit in keeping fowls until they die of old age or disease. It is better every way to make at least an annual clearing out of old and undesirable stock.

COLD DRAUGHT, At no season of the year ought people to be more careful of sitting in currents of air or draughts than during the fall months. Also be particular about having plenty of covering within reach of the bed.

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