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to keep the garden very nice." authorized to receive Advertisements for said Kate, when the carriage had disap and thus discover her real feeling soward and is overjoyed at his wonderful; re- man of their signature. Hold by a W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Peared: "Dear old papa, I am sorry you

THURSDAY MORNING, May 18, 1882.

POETEY.

Belubbed, the worl's a pretty hard place, Ef yer hasn't got plenty ob cash, Bot ebbery one safe, "Wat a beautiful face !" Wen dey soos yet dimins flash,

MONEY.

Wen a man's hynes' an' likewise poor He hasn't no sort ob a show: He will be druv to the wall, for shure, For dat man's volger and low,

Now, of yer pockets werry well filled An' you own's lots ob lan', Although yer hondr has all bin spilled Dey'li take yer, by de han'.

De good Lard He looks inter de soul An' nebber saks if yer rich. He says, says Ho, "Ef yer wholesome an' whole, My kingdom is made ob sich."

Den you muss choose putty quick, my lad, For debbil or Lard muss hab yer: De Lord, He wants yer awful bad,

De debbil stan's ready to grab yer. Better go in rags to do 'ternal city,

Whar de angels forebber dwell. Dan trabbel in style, oh, what a pity! On de downhill med to bell,

OUR STORY.

A STORY OF SUMMER MASQUERADE.

SAUCY EYES.

Carlton, as he saw her, thought her the orders." very incarnation of Spring, she was so daughter apparently, for her dress though | roses. nest was cheap. She glanced up at him as half shyly, half mischievously.

sphere, even in point of age, from the rus perspiration from his heated brow. tic of thirteen. He was disposed to be

patronizing. "What's the burry, little 'saucy eyes ?"

know it. Gentlemen," and she emphasiz- to be did." ed the word. "when they speak to me call

me Miss Kent.' She had stopped for a moment to say this, and she how walked on with head erect and the air of a born princess. "Whew," whistled Harold, "But I've Adam." made a mess of it. No cottager's daughter

though."

and Gold Cases. had come to this picturesque, hilly region, away. "Oh! that's the minister's dangbter," was the reply. "Had her arms full of Carleton, in his own proper person, had hawthorn, you say! Yes, there's plenty of fishing, boating and picnic excursions, most falls in love," he retorted.

parlor. She's a rare one for flowers. You | cluded in everything that went on should see her decorate the church for Christmas. All the young ladies give way to her in that, though she is but a child as "If she grows up as pretty as she is now

she'll make many a fellow's heart ache," said Harold, philosophically, as he helped himself to another brook-trout, and in five minutes more, so excellent was the dianer, he had forgotten all about the child. Years passed. Harold had taken his de gree and was now studying law, the pro-

fession of his father. Hugh Carlton, and his grandfather before him. Just before the summer vacation began he had a letter "We shall certainly expect you, dear,

his mother wrote, "this year, and will take no excuses. It has been two years since you were home, remember. We have had R. HOLMES. such an accession, too, to our society. Our new rector is a most excellent man, and has such a charming daughter, a very pretty girl, and so bright, intelligent and high-

Now, Harold, who had gone the summer before to France and Germany, thought o going to Norway this year-had almost We have recently published a new gives his promise in fact; but at this aphome and spend the whole vacation 'Inglewoon," for that was the name Hugh Carleton's place.

> "Dear mamma, it was so hard on last year." he said to himself. The very day that Harold came home the rector went away on a four weeks' visit with his wife, and the last words he said to his daughter as he got into the carriage

"Good-bye, Katie, and don't forget to go up to 'Squire Carleton's and ask to have the gardener to come to see to the garden. The Calverwell Medical Co., The squire told me to send for him only With his aid we can manage

"I suppose I might as well go at once."

and ma have gone; but I'm going to have his whole heart was in her answer: lots of fun, with nobody but old Nannie to ." Dld yees wish to say him, miss ? For look after me," and her eyes fairly danced it's meeself as will be afther sinding the with the mischlef of eighteen.

unexpectedly the night before, a week are getting lazy," and Katie walked off sooner than he had expected. He was with her most queenly step. fond of a little amateur gardening at times, "Whew," whistled Harold. "She's too and was just now bending over a moss rose | bright to be caught in that way. Thinks bush, hoe in hand. His back was toward Adam will tell on her. Getting lazy, am Katie, and she, supposing him to be the I ? Well, it ain't because I don't work hard guidener, called out:

please ask Mr. Carleton if he can spare you ding, "Even as Adam, I must win the for a couple of hours this afternoon. It's good opinion of my Eve." Dr. Kent's, at the rectory."

sport. Kate had probably never seen the to go away. new gardener, who had only come two He did not notice her return, nor that she giving toward the faults of others. days before. Why could not he personate came to the arbor soon after. But when he the old fellow It was fortunate for him that had finished his last order he threw himhe had an old coat on, he thought.

So, calling Adam, he took the old man his wig off, began fanning himself . vigorinto the plot, giving him a crown for hush ously with his straw hat. money ; and in the afternoon made his appearance at the rectory, and knocking at the back door, asked for orders.

work. I'll put on my garden hat and be out in a minute."

Harold presented rather a curious appearance as he followed Kat down the long | wig, as the reader has conjectured, and on walk. His usually elegant attire had been chase being given to him, rushed to the exchanged for a jacket and trousers of summer house and laid the wig at his coarse jean ; and his dark, curling hair was | covered by a red wig, similar in color to that of Adam's flery locks. He had assumed the same shuffling, awkward galt,

"Here is your work, Adam," said Kate: laughter as she met the astonished Harold " tie up the roses and then weed this bed of face to face. She came smiling across the fields, her hyacinths, train this westeria, and if you arms laden with hawthorn bloom. Harold have any more time come to me for further

Harold bowed awkwardly, while a misyoung, so, fresh, so full of exuberant chievous glean shot from the brown eyes vitality. Yet the was only a cottager's as he proceeded to tie up the wayward demurely, at last.

Harold was fresh from Cambridge, and well! What a perfect little beauty she is ! dearly-say you will." We'll make another at eighteen thought himself in another | Whew I how hot it is." He wiped the paradise where we can be happy, together. Adam must have felt when commanded to roguish look and wiping his dripping foreearn his living by the sweat of his brow. head.

he said. "Stpp and give a fellow a There, the westeria is tied up. "Faith, man," he said, as Kate appeared, "I was it. But you must remember that it was "My name so't Saucy Eyes and you fist comin' to see whatever else there was not a woman who made trouble in the

cried Katle, as she glanced at the roses and you will forgive me for-forwesteria. "But it's warm work, isn't it ? Adam's your name, I believe. I am glad," | itated. affably, "to make your acquaintance,

has an accent like that. Who the deuce say," replied Adam, drawing his straw hat first day when I pretended to be smelling virtue. can she be ? A regular little spit-fire, further down over his eyes, still further to the littles I had seen you were, at least, not hide his face.

He ventured to ask the landlord about "Well, Adam, train up this bedge and her at the small inn where he lodged. He then you may go," she answered, and swept it so hot," with a crestfallen look.

afternoon. But in the morning Harold you know." about here ; due of the few places there of which Katie attended, for by this time

ton very much, for no one more genial and whole-souled ever existed. He was generous to a fault, frank and open-hearted as the day, and had out-grown the conceit and coxcombery of his youth.

One morning when Katle went into the garden unexpectedly, she found Adam fauning himself with his straw hat, which was usually drawn so closely over his eyes, and she caught a quick iglance that reminded her of Harold. But it was only for a mo-

He had not seen her, nor did he see her when she quietly sested herself in a vine covered summer-house and took out some retty, graceful work with which she soon became quite absorbed...

The long, drowsy afternoon was wearing way. Nothing but the tinkle of the little rook back of the rectory, the sound of the cythe which Adam was wielding, and the murmur of the bees broke the slience of the place. Buddenly Katie's ear was arrested by a clear, manly voice, singing a bar from a favorite opera, in a rich, ring

She started to her feet and looked out Only last evening she had sung with Harold Carlton that very song, and this surely was his voice again. But no one was iu eight except Adam, who was industriously hoeing peas. The truth was, Harold, ignorant of Kate's presence, had forgotten himself ; but he was now furious at his indiscretions, for he had heard. Katie and knew what called her out. !

"Adam, has Mr. Carleton been here she seked. "I thought I heard him just

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likes of him to vees." Harold Carleton himself was in the gar- "No," said Katie, decidedly. "Stop versation or the company of heavenly-mindden when Kate came in. He had arrived talking and go to work. I am afraid you ed Christians.

enough," with a doleful gaze at his bluster-"Ob, Adam, that's your name I hear; ed hands, as he set vigorously to work, ad-

Harold glanced mischievously at the a friend, and Harold discontentedly watch. think lightly of sin. speaking. Here was a chance for some about the grounds that he did not like her cret grief and prayer.

self down on a mossy seat, and, tossing

"I can't wear that confounded wig any, longer," he exclaimed, "It's color even is enough to set me on fire. Now, this is "Oh, Adam, is it you ?" cried Kate, refreshing. Beppo, you scamp, bring back stion. coming forward. "Let me show you your that wig. What if your mistress should dog this scorching day t"

Beppo, Katie's dog, had run off with the low you into the week. mistress' feet.

"Why, Beppo, what have you there ?" she cried. "It looks like the scalp of old Adam. I wonder if-"

And she broke into a fit of ringing

" Mr. Carleton !" " Miss Katie !"

Then, unable to resist it he also broke into a hearty laugh. "Oh ! so you're not Adam," said Katie,

" No, but I will be if you'll only be my "This is getting interesting," he observ- Eve f' he cried, with a touch of his old she passed, with her great, eloquent eyes, ed. "I wonder what my next order will boyish inpudence. "Oh, Katte! Miss be ! By George, but Miss Kate queens it Kent, darling, I've learned to love you so and I shan't be obliged to work so hard," I begin to understand how the original breaking into laughter as he saw Katie's

> "Very well," said Katie ; "I'll think o garden this time." And she added, archly, "How nice you've made things look !" | "But I'll forgive you for deceiving me i

> "For what ?" asked Harold as she hes "For not letting you know before that guessed your secret. I knew from the be-"Faith, mum, but it is that same as you ginning that you were not Adam. That

a gardener." "And you let me work all this time? and

"Every man has, they say, when he

"Yes," she added, saucily, "and you is. We've miles of hedges. Miss Kate the 'soulre's wife had called, bringing her, musn't hope to be an exception. But there, mean !" was taking the bloom home to deck out the son, and of course, after that, Katie was in- there, isn't that quite enough ?" for he was devouring her with kisses. "I declare, Katie, too, learned to like Harold Carle- you're as impudent as you were five years

"Five years ago !" "Yes. Oh! you've forgotten. Men! always do. It is only women who re-" What do you mean !" Her eyes danced with mischief.

was enjoying his perplexity to the full. "Wall, I'll tell you a fairy tale. Once on a time-there, stop now; or I'll agver get on-there was a little girl coming across a field with her arms full of hawthorn

He gave a quick start. Katie went collegian, who thought himself a prince, but wasn't. And he called her 'saucy even,' the conceited-"

"What I You're 'saucy eyes,' are you?

thought it ? Why, it's the jolliest fairy tale me kiss her, and nowf he doesn't behave himself. One must draw the line somewhere, and half a hun

"Well, slace you are so crueL when did you first recognize me ? "The first day I saw you at leisure—the

day you called with your mother." "And," said Harold, reflectively, "there was always something in your face

Had Suffered many Physicians Howard, of Genera N. Y. him," said the apparently stolld Irish nearly liall a gross of the various blood remedy for kidney complaints, ecroful He would cross examine Katis at little age of 60; he says he feels young again, peptid Oure. The

AFTER ALL

Oh, the old friends are the truest, After all-after all!

Though the face be not the newest, After all-after all! When the fever heat is nighest, Or the chilling tide the highest, Over all there comes a reaching Of a friendship whose sweet teaching Gives us joy, and peace, and rest, For the weary soul the best, After all-after all!

What are all the stings of malice, After all-after all | There are joys deep in life's chalice After all-after all ! Should the shadows then pursue us, And the sunbeams ne'er come o'er us, Alf our feet pass by the daisies Shall our souls ne'er count His praises Heaven shows us perfect rest, There our weary souls are blest,

Signs of Spiritual Decline.

1. When you are averse to religious con-

2. When from necessity, and without

8. When you are more concerned about pacifying conscience than honoring Christ

in performing duty. 4. When you are more afraid of being counted over strict' than of dishonoring

The next afternoon Katie went to call on | 5. When you trifle with temptation, or

7. When you are impatient and unfor

8. When you confess, but do not forsake sin; and when you acknowledge but still neglect duty. 9. When your cheerfulness has more of

the levity of the unregenerate than the holy: joy of the children of God. 10. When you shrink from self-examin-

IL When the sorrows and cares of the the savour and sanctity of the Sabbath fol-

worldly interests or the opinions of your neighbors. 18. When you associate with men of

Why is the letter L like a young lady giving away her sweetheart to another? Because it makes over a lover. Why is the letter M like the first glass of rum Because it is the beginning of misery.

Why is the letter O like a courageous woman in disguise ? Because it makes her a

ing? Because it makes a pair. Why is the letter Q like a king? Because it is attached to the Queen. Why is the letter R his a treaty ratified? Because it is the end of war.

Because it's the beginning of sausage. Why the letter T like a victory! Because it is the end of conquest.

Why is the letter U like a fragrance? Because it is the centre of bud. Why the letter V like two extremities? Because it is the beginning of vice and

My Smake-House. A man who lives in Albany; and whose business is that of a clerk, said that he had

"Why," said he, "that is my smoke-

nouse. Herce I call it my smoke house."

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foundation of confirmed dyspensis, and there is no fact in medical science more itatively asserted than that dyspepla is the least of which is contamination of the blood and the maladies of which that is the direct consequence. Their original cause is, however, thoroughly BOP & LYMAN'S VEGETABLE DISCOVERY AND Dyspapero Cons. a medicine which only requires regularity and persistence in its use to cure dyspepsia and the many mineral angredient is contained in it. griping pains to the abilitamen region, or weekens the bowels like a violent purgetive. It invigorates the system digestive and assimilative activity which and liver remedies advertised, with no ous and all diseases of the blood, female

After all-after all !

necessity, you absent yourself from religi-

pretty face half hidden by the tall lillies ed her departure. It was so pleasant to 6. When the faults of otherware more a which she had stooped to smell as she was know that she was in the summer house or matter of censorious conversation than se-

come? Whew! Must I chase after that world follow further into the Sabbath than 12. When you are easily prevailed upon to let your duty as a christian yield to your

> world without solicitude of doing good or having your own spiritual life injured.

Why is the letter K like a pig's tail ? Besuse it is the end of pork.

Why is the letter N. like a newly-married woman? Because it is the end of maiden.

Why is the letter P like two winds meet-

Why is the letter B like the end of hogs ?

"Yes. You deserved it for your trick. lately built a house that cost him three Several days went by. The pretended But I am glad you can work and obey thousand dollars. His friends expressed Adam never failed to be on hand in the orders. You may have to do so some time, their wonder that he could afford to build so fine a dwelling.

> "Why. I mean that twenty years ago I eft off smoking, and I have put the money saved from smoke, with interest, into my

stay indoors, swathed in red ffannel -Drayton (C. 1 New Bra.

Oh! I remember it all: Who'd have I ever heard. Only then she wouldn't let positively ascertained or more author-"Now somebody will get his cars boxed the parent of a host of bodilfills, not-But eradicated from the system by Nosemthought familiar. Yes, after all, you are and though its action is thorough in after dismissing his physicians, tried it promotes, and is also a most efficient

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