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Poetry. Cometh a Blessing Down.

Not to the man of dollars, Not to the man of deeds, Not to the man of cunning, Not to the man of creeds, Not to the one whose passion is for the world's renown, Not in a form of fashion Cometh a blessing down.

Literature. The Glass Knife

Shortly after the peace of 1815, my mother had a notion of possessing a town house; my father, who never, within my memory, refused anything, at once busied himself in procuring one for her.

At what a height it was from the ground, and how the roof shelved beneath the little window. An English boy's head would have turned dizzy as he looked down; but I was a mountaineer, and it was a peril I could and must dare.

Mr. Brown the present owner, was at home and received my father very courteously. He was a most respectable looking old gentleman with a grave formal demeanor.

I obeyed, and found Mary at the top of the house, alone in a large garret, which was her nursery. She seemed surprised to see me, but she was a very self-possessed little girl, much older than myself in manner, though not in mind.

It was with difficulty I kept from crying out as I heard this confirmation of my dream; I jumped up, and wishing Mary hurriedly goodbye, ran to the door. It was locked!

All my fears became certainties the moment I knew we were locked in; but I had been in too many imaginary perils to be utterly terrified and despairing.

He wrote the receipt. I gave the money, or rather a cheque for the money, and he begged me to examine whether I had the transfer right or not.

Bye-and-bye a man opened the door, and enquired sullenly what was wanted. In answer, Dr. Houghton and his man pushed past him into the passage, saying, 'Where is this child's father?'

The window presented the probable egress by which the assassin had escaped from the room, but it opened into a closed-in courtyard, from which there was no visible outlet.

Dr. Houghton seeing my father so much relieved, insisted on having him removed to his own house, where, in short, he remained until his perfect recovery.

'Soon after you left the room George,' he said, 'Brown returned with papers, which he begged me to look at, adding 'Shall I make you out a receipt?—do you pay at once?' I replied in the affirmative.

The monster who thus made of a noble dwelling a shamble, was never found; he had escaped in some wonderful manner from the cellar, into which he had descended—possibly the ordinary staircase.

The cellar in which the open grave was discovered was dug over and two bodies were discovered beneath its damp surface; one not recognizable, the other identified as that of a gentleman who, like my father, had been in treaty for the house.

I need scarcely say how it pleased me to think that their son had been so heroic; and there was never a gathering round the hearth 'When rain and wind beat dark December,' without the story of my dream, and the brave use I made of it, being told; and amongst the legends of an old family there is certainly scarcely one stranger than that of THE GLASS KNIFE.

Bedouin Stupidity.

'A sensible person in this city is like a man tied up among a drove of mules in a stable.' I once heard from a respectable stranger in the Syrian town of Homs, a locality proverbial for the sullen stupidity of its denizens.

selves agreeable to the new-comers; to put them at their ease; nay to do what good service they can, only they do not exactly know how to set about it.

Humor and Sarcasm.—It is not everybody who knows where to joke, or when, or how; and who ever is ignorant of these conditions had better not joke at all.

NEVER "KNOCK UNDER."—No, never. Always rally your forces for another and more desperate assault upon adversity.

EXTRAORDINARY CALCULATION.—The number of human beings living at the end of the hundredth generation, commencing from a single pair, doubling at each generation (say in thirty years), and allowing for each man, woman, and child an average space of four feet in height, and one foot square, would form a vertic column, having for its base the whole surface of the earth and sea spread out into a plain, and for its height 3,674 times the sun's distance from the earth.