

A Mountain Daisy.

It was in a corner of the conservatory behind the palms during one of the most fashionable functions of the season. This seems a favorite situation with fate while weaving the web of human destiny. Fred Trevor, tall, dark, self contained, with power apparent in every look, movement and feature, stood with hands crossed behind him before the magnificent woman he had just seated.

"You know, Miss Alden," as he leaned toward her, "that my knowledge of the social tenets is not profound."

"You have only to follow your instincts, Mr. Trevor."

"And you are the gentle mentor who warned me against the sin of flattery?"

"If I have paid an undeserved compliment, it is to society in assuming that it has attained to your standard."

"You're incorrigible, but I'll accept the verdict and carry out the thought I had in bringing you here."

She made no answer, save to withdraw her eyes from his and gather in the folds of her dress to make room for him to sit down.

"I want to tell you something of my life and then ask your advice. I am not assuming that the story has any special interest for you, but I have a selfish desire for your opinion after I have told it."

"But don't you know, as a general truth, that with the average woman, the man who is rich, famous and honored glorifies his antecedents, no matter what they may be?"

"If you were the average woman, I would never have sought this opportunity. When I first faced the world alone, I was a little, ill fed, sallow, ragged and half dressed boy in the Cumberland mountains. I did not know that there was such a thing as a railroad, a steamboat, a book, a hereafter, music, culture or anything different from the detestable surroundings from which I longed to escape. My father had been killed in defending an illicit still, and mother just seemed to go with the mountain flowers which I had gathered for her till they ceased to bloom that fall. During the winter I was kept alive despite kicks and bruises by a family that had me as their sole reliance in 'toting' water and gathering wood.

"In the spring I went away, made up a little bundle and stole off in the night. Till the evening of the next day I hurried over the red clay roads and paths, terror of being caught and taken back crowding out every other thought and feeling. But hunger and exhaustion are not to be denied, and at last I went stealthily to a little cabin where a girl of my own age was 'keepin' house in a hollow stump, just outside. She put her frowzed head over the wall of her primitive abode to conduct an examination. 'Who is you, boy?' 'Whar's you par?' 'Whar's you mar?' 'Whar moat you be a goin'?' were questions that I answered as well as I could. Then she said wisely, 'I lous that you is runned away.'

"This would have put me to flight, but she sprang out, told me to take her place, and while I sat in the cramped quarters she brought me all that I could eat and a paper of food to carry with me. After assuring me that she would have her 'par shoot any one who might be trying to recapture me, she pointed the nearest way to a town, walked a way with me and said as we parted, 'I reckon uns 'll hev ter kim back some time an marry me fur all 'them wittles an fur tellin folks we uns haven't saven you when they comes 'sarchin.' I promised her, of course."

"But you never told us that you were engaged," laughed his brilliant listener. "Where can we find your mountain daisy?"

"I wish I could tell you. The incident was one of the events of my life. For the first time I knew the sweetness of sympathy. I have grown to almost detest the people from whom I sprang because of their ignorance and lack of ambition, but the little girl of the hollow stump has always had a warm place in my memory. You know most of my experience in the far west. Before I had been there six months I found the old man known as Hermit Ben lying unconscious and apparently dying in one of the mountain gorges. I brought the aid that carried him to his shanty, procured a doctor and was his nurse till he recovered. He felt toward me as I did toward the ignorant little girl back in Tennessee. I had been good to him without any selfish motive, and he no sooner was well than he announced that I was his boy Jim. This was my protection, for, despite the fact that he was a recluse, Ben was known as a bad man when interfered with and commanded a respect that was heightened by the mystery with which he surrounded himself. Something had made him at enmity with the world. For years he told me nothing, though from the first he showed me all the affection of a mother and care of a father.

"It was soon a matter of common report that Ben's new boy was to be a gentleman. The hermit himself took charge of my primary education. He was delighted with my lack of knowledge and my endless list of simple questions, for it showed him he was working on virgin soil. He molded me in accordance with his own con-

ception of manhood, forever impressing upon me that ingratitude was the cardinal sin. When I could comprehend, he told me I would be rich, that I must spend money generously and that some time he would let me into the secret which would place at my command all the immeasurable power of gold.

"When it came time for me to go east to college, I suggested that I should go back to the old place in the mountains and see if I could do anything for the girl who had been kind to me. No act of mine ever pleased him more, and when I left him it was with unlimited credit authorized by one of the greatest banking institutions of the west. I did not find the girl, but learned that she had first been employed and then adopted by a widow whose husband had fallen in the war. I left money with a lawyer, telling him to find the girl and have her educated. A year later the money was returned to me with notice that he could do nothing for me. I wrote for further information, but could get no reply.

"Before my benefactor died he told me of the rich gold find he had worked without sharing his secret with any one. You know how it proved a veritable mine of wealth, built up a thriving city and won me the title of a bonanza king. He also told me how a heartless woman had wrecked his life and asked me to never abandon the search for the little mountain girl until I knew what had become of her and whether it was within my power to help her. You have no idea how man and boy, thrown together as we were, could build a romance upon a foundation so slender."

"I think I understand. And you have found no trace?"

"None that I could follow. After that fight when the strikers tried to destroy the machinery at the mine, my wounds threw me into a fever, and through all the delirium I talked in the dialect of my boyhood with the little maid I had never seen but once. That shows you the hold she had upon me, and even yet I have an ideal that must either be shattered or confirmed before I can be content. Now for your advice. Should I marry before I have seen this girl?"

"Not with my approval, Mr. Trevor. Go to the end of your foolish dream, or it might haunt you and some woman might suffer."

"I had hoped for a different answer from you." And his eyes told the old, old story.

"But I'm your friend and can give no other. This is our waltz."

Within a month Trevor received a letter in a yellow, blotted envelope. The scrawl only said: "I reckon you uns hev forgotten me. I'm back here again, and I hev hearn you uns was rich."

Trevor shuddered. His romance had died a cruel death. But gratitude was his strong point. Reluctantly he went. When at length he rode to the front of the old cabin there was a woman in a linsey dress, her back to him, while she threw food to the noisy chickens. Just as he reached her side she turned with, "Well, you uns did kim back, hey?"

"Miss Alden," gasped Trevor, as he crushed the "mountain daisy" against his breast. And the promise of the babyhood was made good.

Things We Ought to Know.

That it is never economical to buy a cheap soap.

That coffee is one of the best disinfectants known.

That health and happiness depend greatly upon the condition of the skin.

That salt or ashes are useful for removing discolorations from coffee cups.

That stains on the children's aprons may be removed by the use of alcohol.

That the chest may be greatly strengthened by the daily use of cold water.

That ink stains may be removed from marble by the use of lemon juice.

That japanned trays should not be put into hot water, as it will cause the varnish to crack and peel.

That bronze may be cleaned by carefully rubbing with sweet oil, then polishing with chamois.

That two parts of sweet oil to one of lime water will prove soothing when sunburned.

That a soft cloth, if dipped in linseed oil, will prove efficacious in polishing tables, etc.

That Javelle water will remove ink stains from carpets.

That dry paint may be removed from glass by using the edge of a silver coin.

That a little sweet oil put on the hinges of a creaking door will prevent the unpleasant sound.

That all pieces of old linen should be carefully saved and sent to the nearest hospital.

"Mamma, was that a sugar-plum you just gave me?" asked little Mabel. "No, dear, it was one of Dr. Ayer's Pills." "Please, may I have another?" "Not now, dear; one of those pills is all you need at present, because every dose is effective."

Communal failures in Canada this week number 53, against 37 a year ago.

Mrs. A. B. Saxon, of Port Burwell, Ont., says: "I had been troubled with sick headaches for years, and two boxes of Miller's Compound Pills cured me." Sold by A. H. Allin, Druggist.



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A Medical Warning.

All medical men of large experience have frequently met with cases in which patients have placed a bottle of medicine to their lips and taken a draft of its contents in a dark room under the impression that there was "only one bottle upon that shelf," when in reality some other member of the family had placed other bottles there. In this way serious cases of poisoning have occurred. In other instances a wife rising in the night to give some medicine to her husband or child has picked up the wrong bottle in the dim light and administered a fatal dose, with terrible result.

When medicine is ordered in drops, you should always obtain a medicine dropper from a drug store and avoid attempting to drop the medicine from the bottle, as it requires a very steady hand and accurate counting to avoid mistake.

Finally let me warn you against one common habit which is closely connected with the use of bottles containing old medicines and is strongly condemned by oculists, who most frequently meet with it—the habit of preserving old medicine droppers which have been used for dropping fluids into the eye. Quite frequently powerful medicines dry in these droppers, and when they are used some months afterwards for the introduction of eye washes they produce symptoms which very seriously alarm the patient and which may to some extent mystify the practitioner.

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"I have been subject to severe colds every fall and spring," says Miss Hattie Delaney, of 174 Crawford street, Toronto. "I used many cough medicines, but none cured me until at a cost of 25 cents I tried Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine."

"My husband was troubled with the worst kind of piles," writes Mrs. Jane Potts, of Meyersburg. "He was often unable to work. Since using your Chase's Ointment he is completely cured. It is truly worth its weight in gold instead of the price you charge, only 60 cents."

"I bought a box of your Catarrh Cure for 25 cents at Mr. Boyle's drug store here," says Henry R. Nicholls of 176 Rectory street, London, Ont. "I am thankful to say it cured me. Chase's remedies at all dealers. Edmanson, Bates & Co., manfrs., Toronto."

About Earthworms.

A discussion on the subject of earthworms and vegetable mold appeared in a recent issue of Longman's Magazine. The writer Grant Allen, states that it was Gilbert White of Shelborne who first of all pointed out the importance of earthworms as producers and maintainers of living layers of vegetable mold. It was over, which fully established the fact, and raised it to the rank of a scientific discovery, his first writing on the subject appearing in the Gardener's Chronicle. Later he issued an entire book on this interesting matter. Darwin showed that earthworms act upon the soil in three ways: In the first place they open up and loosen the ground for the roots to penetrate, more perfect aeration of the soil being thus obtained. The acids they secrete act chemically upon the layer of rocks beneath it in a way that assists the disintegration of the latter. In the second place they crush in their gizzards small fragments of stone and liberate their component elements. In the third place they drag down into their burrows countless numbers of leaves, which they eat, and carry up to the surface to the soil. It is estimated that 53,000 worms inhabit an acre of garden soil. These worms pass through their bodies ten tons of material a year, and throw it up as soil at the rate of one inch in depth every five years. The greater part of the mold is composed of a refuse of vegetable matter, and is teeming with myriad of bacteria. Even after allowing for their co-operating causes, earthworms are responsible for the formation and renewal of this layer of vegetable mold.

Origin of Modern Colors.

Turkey red is made from the madder plant, growing in Hindostan.

The exquisite Prussian blue comes from fusing horse's hoofs and other refuse animal matter with impure potassium carbonate.

Gamboge is from the yellow sap of a tree in Siam.

India ink is made from burned camphor.

Mastic comes from the gum of the mastic tree, which grows in Greece.

Raw Sienna is the natural earth from the neighborhood of Sienna, Italy, and amber is an earth found near Umbria.

Blue black comes from the charcoal of the vine stock.

The camel furnishes Indian yellow, and the cuttle-fish gives sepia, which is an inky fluid the fish when attacked discharges to make the water opaque.

Bistre is the soot of wood ashes. Scarlet is iodide of mercury, vermilion is from the ore cinnabar, and the Chinese white is zinc.

The gorgeous carmine, crimson, scarlet-carmine and purple lakes are furnished by the cochineal insects.

Some Cooking Hints.

Some bits of wisdom gleaned from a cooking school examination are: That croquettes will break open if the fat is not hot enough, if too many are in at one time, if they are not thoroughly coated with egg and if they are too large; that the proper proportions of ice and salt to freeze cream or ice are: One part salt to 3 parts ice; too much salt makes ice cream coarse grained and soft; that the correct way to boil eggs is to place them in cold water and bring it slowly to the boil; that to tell when custard is cooked and baked one must insert a spoon, a baked custard will not cling to a spoon passed through it. A test for frying is to put a piece of bread in lard, and if it browns while 40 can be counted, 20 for each side the lard is hot enough for cooked foods, like croquettes and the like. It will take the counting of 60, 30 to each side, for uncooked foods.

Saved Her Drunken Husband.

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A correspondent writes: I had such a happy home and a noble, big-hearted husband till he took to drinking, first through sociability, then because the fiendish desire would come over him, crazing him for drink.

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The Gatineau is a river in the Province of three hundred miles quarter to one half mile source from somewhere the Ottawa river, winds miles away from it and parallel with the Ot winding course of seven it empties itself into the of the mighty Ottawa, liament Hill; the jun rivers is known as Gati

As you enter the Ga while travelling its scenery is simply grand of its banks are mounta with foliage and maj on which the trees and been gutted with the and all that remains i charred pine and bar lands, running out to where now and then y and often a stray deer g places the banks of the steep, forming at time wall of solid rock. Th is material here, it i wharwhost to use of, or rather a vision, the b tude of which the hum comprehend.

On a bright morning, dred feet I ascend the take a survey of a lar the beams of a summer catches a glimpse of a lying upon the surface of which is almost indiscre the deep green of the pe dark brown of the thick the towering trees on th the silver gleam of the through them; the fe dark hazy blue of the seen in perspective; the sky; the deep grey of th jecting from the river shadows of the same in below; the clear shee of lake or taken at a g brilliant panoramas, whi demons spreads out in bl harmonious proposition children's vision. I ha give you a description scenery, but I must con of mine is totally in scribe the same with vities. Even Scott with power would have found Point Comfort, on 31 I am now spending my s is a summer resort.

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