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vantly, "on business."

"It may. It depends."

man squarely in the eyes.

"Jimmy," he said, "who is she?"

"Who is who?" Jimmy evaded.

too?" demanded Miles eagerly.

man's voice. And again:

hardly. You see, Miss Fitch-"

The Two Guardsmen

By BANISTER MERWIN.

For three evenings, at exactly 6 evening. young woman.

borhood brought their wives for a chop Later Jimmy hazarded a further or a steak and a mug of musty. But lead. Indefinably her manner had told accompanied. Moreover, she was toward Jimmy's corner table. But it to get used to it after the West." was her big, dark-lashed gray eyes that arrested your heart for a moment, miss?" They were wonderful eyes; and Billy "Yes," she said, and added irrele-

brought him to a near-by building, touch of her reserve. and he had dropped in for a bite before going back to the office of the . Evening Star to write his story. Just Jimmy went on. "Everybody in this as Jimmy was bringing his order he part o' town knows me. Why, I could tell you a thousand names." had looked up and had seen her.

Miles was under their spell.

She had paused for an instant, her He might have added that strangers

Even Doctor Mellick, coming in know of her?" later, lost his first look of annoyance "Oh, yes," remarked Jimmy. "She's will not easily rust. those demure and lovely eyes. Billy years to my knowledge."

So Billy Miles had managed to come before I left. He is going to—" She to Shea's for his dinner the next stopped short, then laughed aloud and cries coming in contact with screen. night, and the next-developing an said: "I don't know why I am telling Screens are a necessity in every inordinate appetite for English chops, you all this.' Old Jimmy, who always saw every- "It's a way we all 'ave when we're They are also a great convenience and Jimmy was very thoughtful, and re- jus' must talk to somebody." doubled his solicitous watchfulness "She's 'ere on business," he thought,

over the young woman's needs. Jimmy. Perhaps it was because she The girl had scarcely gone when years' time. felt that he could be trusted; perhaps Billy Miles, with a crook of his finger. it was because she was lonely; but as summoned Jimmy. He looked the old

"Good evenin', miss," said Jimmy tremulously; for, though he had expected ultimate recognition, he was not prepared for a smile like hers.

Jimmy, who had set his cracked He stopped short and fumbled at his eyeglasses athwart his nose, glanced eyeglasses. He liked Mr. Miles-had moving toward the next table. The stood, self. The young woman was scanning see I've just got to know?"

"Will you try a bit o' fish, miss?" humbly, as became his position, into

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quite an item of expense, especially in rags, do you?" She waited for a when many large ones have to be used. When the season is over for tainly: using the screens, I take a sort of that are completely worn out. It is because the one you have on is getting same size free of these parasites. This not enough to merely take an in- shabby, not because I approve of your is the way they found it out: ventory of the screens on hand at the losing your head over bargain sales. They took 24 lousy hogs and divided inquired Jimmy. "It's very good this end of the season and properly place Now, will you promise me-" clock, the door of the dingy dining While she was deciding he looked house where they will not be in the the mad rush of gratitude. "Mumsy, two lots were fed and cared for identiroom at Shea's had opened to admit a furtively toward Billy Miles. That way until wanted again next season. you're a good old scout!" The despis- cally the same, except that one was young man was shamelessly taking ad- This is indeed the way I used to do it, ed sweater hurtled through the air and treated to prevent lice. At the end of

ther use for the screens until next "Did you ever see such handwork? mals of lice. season. By painting and oiling them Just look at the daisies on the yoke. For dipping, mix this compound in mate friends. The first evening she came he was in "You 'ave no intention to stay long at this time, the wood is preserved, It cost nine dollars, reduced from the proportion of one gallon to 100 will look better when the screen is twelve-fifty. Where's your purse, gallons of water. to Shea's. A special assignment had His persistence brought back a brought out next season, and the oil- mother? I've got to beat it." ing prevents the screens from rusting, "That settles it, Doris," the mother No persons need hope to be sucwhich is important if we want them said firmly. "I'm not going to en- cessful unless they enjoy their work "I've been 'ere many years, miss," to last many seasons.

away in any old place in order to get that expensive blouse; it's ridiculous ally, but as a steady diet give us work them out of the way. It is best to for a schoolgirl! No, don't coax me. in which we are interested and in the glance sweeping the room, to rest at were seldom permitted at his tables, pack them all together and cover them My mind's made up." She bit off a doing of which we are happy! last on fatherly old Jimmy, with his for Jimmy was not merely a waiter, up nicely somewhere in the house needleful of black cotton, carefully shock of white hair and his wrinkled, he was an institution. The girl look- where it is dry and clean. If covered avoiding her daughter's eye. the one which usually was tacitly "Thank you," she said. "You are indeed to get them ready for use next overflowed with reproach. Doris went reserved for Doctor Mellick; and Jim- very good. This is a convenient place season. If rubbed lightly with an to the telephone, and presently the my had drawn out the chair for her for me," she added in sudden confiwithout even a hint that the next dence. "I have a room around the without even a hint that the next dence. "I have a room around the use, look bright and clean, and with an "That you, Irene?....No, I can't corner—at Mrs. Cressup's. Do you additional touching up with oil, they come. It's all off..... Yes, I know,

but she says she won't give it to me. when he met the innocent glance of let furnished rooms there for fifteen It is best to oil the screens with a Of course I need it worst way, but cloth that is saturated in oil, as by what's the use?...Oh, cut it out, Miles, who had been in a hurry, forgot "I get my own breakfast in my this method the screens are evenly Irene, it's all off, I tell you!" The click his haste, dawdled over his coffee and room," she continued. "To-morrow covered, and too much oil will not get of the disconnected telephone chimed stole one look after another, while the there will be some one here with me on them, as would be the case if a in with a disconsolate sob. young woman at a modest dinner, paid for lunch—a man who sold a lot of brush were used for the purpose. Too much oil would soil curtains or drap-

home during the summer months. thing, easily read the reason; and lonesome, miss," said Jimmy. "We make the house cool and attractive when properly cared for. The time spent in caring for them is time profit-"and she's not a buyer or she'd be at On this third evening, for the first one of the 'otels. She's 'ere on 'er ably employed and will save many time, the young woman unbent-to own-an' she needs lookin' out for!" dollars besides in the course of a few

She burst into the living room, calling, "Mother, where are you, mother?" quite as if her parent had broken the "I don't know 'er name, Mr. Miles, habit of a lifetime and had deserted sir," said Jimmy. He wrinkled his the mending basket on Thursday after-"That's nice," she answered. "I brow. "But she's new to the city. noon. "Listen, mother! I've got to get a new sweater. Can you let me have five dollars? They're fourover them at Doctor Mellick, who was once helped him to unravel a big, She flung herself into the morris chair. "Wow, but I'm tired! I woulddoctor grinned good-naturedly through "Good Lord, Jimmy!" he exclaimed. n't stir one step if I wasn't afraid all his big brown beard and seated him- "What do you take me for? Can't you the pastel shades would be snapped up before I get there. What's the matter, Jimmy stared thoughtfully and yet mumsy-seen a ghost?"

The mother had put down her darnthe eyes of Billy Miles. They were ing and was looking at a slender calf in old-rose silk. "No, dear, but I see cheeks blushed so honestly; and be- a great deal of leg, and a hole that's getting bigger every minute. I warned "She's 'ere on business of 'er own," you there'd be no wear in that kind of he explained slowly. "She 'as a room stocking, Doris."

at Mrs. Cressup's-133 West. I 'ave "What's the use in harping on that a feelin', Mr. Miles, sir, that she-well, when you won't make daddy raise my sir, that she don't know so much about allowance?" Doris sat up very Montreal, an' as long as she comes straight. "You know that I can't buy "Does she come here for lunch, a stocking that will last two minutes for less than a dollar and a half—at The man who entered Shea's with the least. By the way, there's a sale the girl the next day was neither of Italian silk ones this afternoon; if young nor attractive. Heavily built, you make that five a ten, I can get with a deeply lined face, there was a some bargains. That would be real look about him that indicated a more economy. Please, mother!"

or less questionable quality of exper- "Doris, don't! You nearly got that signs of a character gone t oseed. Buth si manner was good—pleasant like to be hugged, dear child, but not and businesslike—and the girl appar- when I'm sewing. And it doesn't do ently accepted him at his own valua- a bit of good to coax and wheedle, for I'm not going to give you another cent Jimmy scowled as he went out with for clothes until your allowance is the order. He was uneasy about this due." The mother straightened her stranger. He threw a questioning, collar. "You know what daddy said troubled glance at Billy Miles, who oddly enough, had come to Shea's to when he heard what your new bathing

suit cost. And I don't like-" "Oh, please, mother, just this once! Of the conversation that went on between the girl and her companion Honestly, I won't ask for a single Jimmy caught a few fragments. other thing, not even the stockings, if "My knowledge of the market-you you'll let me get the sweater. I need in charge of the office and the corres- one worst way, and it's a crime not to pondence-satisfactory lists-adver- take advantage of that sale." She tise? Yes, in the farm papers—con- thrust an accusing elbow under her

These bits came to Jimmy in the The stranger was running his eyes over the reckoning. "My experience against your money

"But, Mr. Pronty-" equal division—that will be—well, "My dear Miss Fitch, please don't speak of it." The stranger looked at Jimmy. "Waiter, you're trying to As for Miss Fitch, her talk seemed cheat yourself. The addition is forty to be limited to brief questions, but cents short.'

Jimmy thought he detected a faint "Is it, sir?" inquired Jimmy, runshadow of doubt in those gray eyes of ning his eye over the figures. "Indeed, hers. Did she, too, feel something you're right, sir. Thank you very was wrong about the man? Were the kindly for tellin' me, sir!" credentials of a Calgary acquaintance Surely an honest act on the part

of Mr. Prenty! But Jimmy, who had Whatever the girl may have thought laid the trap of a wrong addition, was of her companion, Jimmy decided to not satisfied; for he realized that the test him in his own way. The time other man had not only avoided the had come to present the bill. Jimmy trap, but had turned it to his own put on his eyeglasses and reckoned advantage in the eyes of the young laid the bill before the stranger.

"I will pay it," said Miss Fitch.

"No, no! I couldn't hear of it."

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The mother got up suddenly and went over to the despised sweater. She picked it up and examined the worn elbow. "I can mend that in two minutes, dear," she said, with a consoling pat on the blonde head half buried in the sofa pillows. A sob answered her; then another. She sighed and laid the sweater down again.

"Donis," she said gently, "you'll find my purse in the left-hand back corner of my top bureau drawer."

Vermin Are Expense.

you know. You don't want to see me Here's a neat little cost-of-production fact from the Animal Husbandry sed. - Then the mother said uncer- Division: Lice add a cent a pound to the cost of producing pork; that is, it "If I do let you get the sweater, costs \$4 more to produce a lousy 400inventory of them, discarding those Doris, please understand that it's only pound hog than to raise one of the

them into two lots as nearly equal as them away in some corner of the The worktable was overturned in to quality of animals as possible. The strongest forts.

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kindly face. Then she had made her way straight to Jimmy's corner table this kindliness and genuineness. The one which usually was tacitly to her expectation, there was no argument, merely a look that indeed to get them ready for use next overflowed with reproach. Doris went

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further works at a later date. But they will be left to a following generation. Care has been taken to reclaim only fertile clay, while sandy parts will remain submerged, but in such a way, the engineers expect that a layer of good soil will gradually form on top of them. In due course, in place of the Zuyder Zee, with its salt water, its tides, its tempests, and its inundations, the last of which occurred in 1916, there will come four agricultural

would hardly suspect that bugs are responsible, at least in part, for the common flatiron and other useful articles made from the same metal. Yet European physicists have known for some time that there are "iron-ore bacteria," and the fact is now commonly accepted in America.

It is interesting, however, to note that the greatest deposits of iron ore in the world that are being mined are in the arctic and subarctic regions, or in zones where nearly half the year is winter, as in the Lake Superior country. The greater commercial activity in the colder regions may partly account for this, for there are extensive iron ore formations in the tropics and subtropics. But the fact remains that iron bacteria live in pure water and that in the colder regions water is most likely to be pure.

facturing new deposits all the time. this is not of great importance as far as the supply of iron is concerned. Bodies of ore are being formed more rapidly than we used to think, but nature probably cannot create fron as fast as we are using it.

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Seed on. By this method I have been that?"

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Then, half to herself: "But it's hard seasons." them. Dipping in cresol compound Vivian, holds this appointment at the they are, and fruits of a hard and un-A good time to do this work is late "At the Florentine Shoppe. Isn't it (U.S.P.), two or more times, at interpresent time. Lady Haig has little treacherous enemy. At peace with "Then you come from the West, in autumn when we will have no fur- a peach?" She turned slowly round. The value of fifteen days, will free the aniliking for society, and is rarely seen, men for generations, Holland has been save at the houses of her really inti- men for generations, Holland has been tunes. Defeats there have been, catastrophes, such as the loss of the Biesbosch in 1421, when on St. Elizabeth's Day a great flood broke the dykes and kept submerged ever since a rich portion of the province of South Holland, or when, earlier still, the North Sea, out of the small Lake Flevo, made what is now the Zuyder Zee.

Blameless Annexation. It is against the Zuyder Zee that Holland will now concentrate her efforts. Within the last fortnight the works have begun which will, in less than twenty years, reclaim 494,000 acres of good soil from the sea. Like the Channel tunnel, the reclamation of the Zuyder Zee has its history. From 1848 onwards plans have been drawn and books published advocating various schemes. A society was formed, which collected all the data, and finally decided for one of the plans, on which it concentrated, and by an intense propaganda raised a new form of annexationism in the Dutch nation. Parliament expressed the unanimous will of the country when in March 1918, it passed the bill which empowered the State forthwith to undertake the works of reclamation in accordance with the plans of the "Zuyder-Zee Vereeniging."

These plans are not the most ambitious of those that have been propounded. The more hazardous ones have been put aside, but the system now adopted by no means precludes districts and a fresh-water lake, the Yselmeer, the level of which can be regulated by sluices.

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Although iron bacteria are manu-

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