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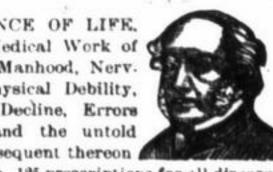
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It was stern necessity which compelled Gertrude Barrett to go forth into the world to make her own living. Reared in the lap of luxury, the adored child of wealthy parents, she had been suddenly left penniless and fatherless, with the care of a widowed mother on her young shoulders.

There were light hearts in the little Harlem home that night when she told her mother that she had secured the position. "He is wealthy and a widower, dear mother," said the young girl. "Did you not read the story in The Fireside of The Pretty Typewriter; or, How Clarissa Louise Roe Married a Millionaire.' Who knows what the future may have in store for us?" And the young girl laid her blushing face on her mother's shoulder. "I will trust you," said the old lady, in tender, motherly accents, "to make the most of your opportuni-

The days and weeks sped swiftly on, and one night as Gertrude entered the humble cottage she slammed the door with the passionate intensity of a

wounded heart. "What is it, my darling?" eried her mother, as she folded her child in her

"Alas," said the sobbing girl, "I fear that he is getting away from me, and that all the terms of endearment which he has addressed to me during business hours mean absolutely nothing; but I will teach him that even if he is a millionaire becaunot tamper with the simple heart of a trusting typewriter."

"My precious one," marinured her mother, "I have long feared this, but now I see that you are onto him."

"I am," responded Gertrude, fearlessly, "with both feet."

From that day the anxious and doting parent noticed a change in her only child. There was a look of determination in her eve that boded ill to the wealthy merchant who had trifled with her young affections. She went about her duties outwardly the same, and Jacob Dilworthy little dreamt of the punisament that was so soon to be meted out to him.

But Gertrude Barrett's hour of trimuph came one morning when the gray haired merchant came into his private office with ashy face and trembling limbs, and placing two letters before her demanded in grief stricken accents, "Miss Barrett, what does this mean? The first of the letters was as follows:

"Office of Hairspring,) "WINDER & CO.,

"Philadelphia, Dec. 12, 1888. "Jacob Dilwerthy, Esq., New York, "Dear Sir-Inclosed we hand you your esteemed favor of yesterday, and beg that in all future communications you will confine yourself strictly to the subject in hand. Very truly yours,

"HARSPRING, WINDER & CO. "Per H." The second letter, which was typewritten, was as follows:

"OFFICE OF JACOB DILWORTHY) "New York, Dec. 11, 1888. "Messrs. Hairspring, Winder & Co.,

Philadelphia, Pa. "Gentlemen: I am in receipt of your esteemed favor of ,10th inst. (how would you like a pair of nine buttoned gloves for those pretty hands, my dear?) and in reply would say that the goods were shipped on the 8th inst. as per invoice (I saw you walking in the park yesterday with a young man; was that the same one who took you to the matinee?) in six (6) parcels. (How would you like to take in the Standard theater with your old Bunny to-night.) The balance of order will be shipped to you at the earliest possible date. (Certainly we can dine together. Telegraph your mother that you are detained down town and won't be home till Lite.) You may look for another shipment the latter part of this week. (You ought to be on the stage yourself, my dear; you'd look grand in the front row.) Hoping to receive a continuance of your orders, I remain yours, very truly,

"Jycon Dilworthy." (Wouldn't you like to show up in a new sealskin sacque the day after Christ-

Dictated. Beautiful, trusting Gertrude did not marry a millionaire like the girl in The Fireside. The old man compromised the matter for cash, and there is joy in the

little Harlem home. There is a new typewriter in Jacob Dilworthy's office, to whom letters are dictated in the presence of witnesses. She secured the position because the clock stopped the moment she appeared in the office.

Thus was virtue triumphant. - New York World.

Things One Would Rather Have Left Un-



Miss Margaret-Pray sit down, I'm so sorry mamma and my eleters are out! Shy Carate (who has called on parish busines)-Oh, pray don't mention it. One of the family is quite enough.-London l'unch.

Testing It by Degrees.

Old Lady (to grocer's boy)-Aren's those very small apples in that barrel, Boy-Yes'm, on 'top, but down below

they're great big fellows. Old Lady-Isn't that very unusual, to

put the small fruit on top? Boy-Yes'm; but the boss has just bought a motto to hang up on the wall: "Honesty is the best policy," an' I heard him say that he'd try the new fake on the apples just to see how it worked.— New York Sun.

THE TEA TABLE.

The Cream of the Papers Gathered For the Whig Readers.

Whatever is said to the chemist he ought to always be ready with the proper retort. The Rev. Geo. H. Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and my wife owe our lives to Shiloh's Consumption cure." W. J. Wilson, druggist.

Even the moth has his sphere in society. He very frequently appears in a dress suit. Shiloh's Cure will immediately relieve Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis. W. J. Wilson, druggist.

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will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts., 50 cts., and \$1. W. J. Wilson, druggist. The widow of the late Prince de Carignano was a peatant lass on her husband's estate, forking the fodder, milking the cows and churning the butter.

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Mrs. Padelford, who has just made her debut in comic opera in Chicago, under the stage name of Bettina Girard, is well-known in Washington.

Hanson's magic corn salve cures corns and bunions with three applications. 15c. per box at Wade's drug store.

Dr. McGregor, the Governor of British New Guinea, began life as a ploughman in Aberdeenshire, For coughs and colds take the Diamond

Cough Remedy, composed of elecampane,

wild cherry and horehound. 25 and 50 cents a bottle at Wade's drug store. Michael Lee, the new president of the Omaha city council, was formerly hotel

porter and bootblack. All disorders caused by a bilious state of the system can be cured by using Carter's Little Liver Pills. No pain, griping or discomfort attending their use. Try them.

John Wright, an aged resident of Atlanta, claims to have been suddenly cured of blindness by prayer. His sight left him about three years ago, while he was walking home

Weak eves are inflamed lids indicate an impure condition of the blood. The best remedy is Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It vitalizes the blood, regulates the secretions, and expels all scrofulous humors from the system. Try it. Price \$1. Worth \$5 a bottle. The grave of William Penn is reported to

be in a sadly neglected condition, only a flimsy slab of stone stuck in the ground marking it. Dyspepsia in its worst forms will yield to the use of Carter's Little Nerve Pills, aided

by Carter's Little Liver Pills. They not only relieve present distress, but strengthen the stomach and digestive apparatus. General J. A. Williamson, of Iowa, formerly commissioner of the general land office at Washington, has fallen heir to

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and free lom from any injurious effects. Children take them readily. See Ayer's Almanac for this year, just out. A bir I that belongs in the Desert of Sahara and seldom is seen elsewhere only once or twice (in Europe) was shot on the

Island of Moen, in Denmark, some weeks All customers say : "We want more of that Manitoba bran. It is worth twice its weight in hay for horses and cattle." Only \$18 per ton at W. F. Baker's, 12 Market

A community in Nebraska, opposed to lynching recently, to teach him a lesson, gave a desperado what might be termed an introduction to Judge Lynch. They put a rope around his neck and pulled him into the air a few times. Then he was told to go and never return. He went.

Holloway's Pills.

No part of the human machine requires more constant supervision than the rervous system, for upon it our health, and even life, depends. These pills strengthen the nerves and are the safest general purifiers of the blood. Nausea, headache, giddiness, numbness, and mental apathy yield to them. They despatch in a summary manner those distressing dyspeptic symptoms, stomachic pains, fulness at the pit of the stomach, abdominal distension, and regulate alike capricious appetites and confined bowels-the commonly accompanying signs of defective or diminished nerve tone. Holloway's Pills are particularly recommended to persons of studious and sedentary habits, who gradually fall into a nervous and irritable state unless some such restorative be occasionally

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The Particulars Lacking, Watertown Times.

A heinous crime is reported to have been committed on the north side of the river on Saturday afternoon. Policemen VanWormer and Witt visited the house on Saturday evening, but the young man whom they wanted had made his escape. The family recently came from Kingston, Ont.

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PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

Some New Uses of Ether-The Habit of Ether Drinking and Its Fatal Effect. One or two new uses of ether have lately come into notice. Drs. Henoque and Fridel, of Paris, claim that a tooth may be pain lessly extracted by spraying around the external ear with ether. This causes anæstbesia of the trigeminus, which extends to the dental nerves and obviates the necessity of producing a general state of unconsciousness

by inhaling gas. Another use of other practiced by himself is reported by Dr. Hare, of the Pennsylvania university, in cases where, during anæsthesia (unconsciousness produced by the use of ether or a similar agent,) the breathing suddeply ceases. Dr. Hare has found that in many cases ether freely poured upon the abdomen caused so great a shock by the cold produced by its rapid evaporation as to induce a deep inspiration, which was often followed by the normal respiratory movements. In such cases as these it has been heretofore customary to slap the patient with towels wet in cold water.

But this powerful drug is not always employed for such laudable purposes as these noted above. It is claimed that the destractive habit of ether drinking is making great progress among women.

This chemical product is an ethereal spirit of alcohol, containing that element of alcohol which has the effect of deadening pain. Most people have had opportunities of chserving this effect in drunken men, who suffor severe hurts without feeling them, apparently.

Ether, taken internally, produces a feeling of exaltation, which is not followed by the disagreeable after symptoms arising from over indulgence in the crude whisky or other spirits. Its results are slower, affecting the mind by slow degrees and depriving the victim of all moral sense. "The confirmed other drinker," says one authority, "will murder her own grandmother, without so much as a qualm of conscience, to get 50 cents where with to purchase a bottle of her favorite intoxicant. In its effects upon the moral beloother bears a strong likeness to opium, which might be called a poison for the soul."

Fresh Air as Source of Health. American women of all chars ere, say-Journal of Health, as a rule surfully ne gent of some of the duties which pertain to health, especially exercise in the open air. The excuse that their many cares empress them, and that they, in consequence, Lave but little opportunity for leaving their homes. is scarcely sufficient. The number who act untly cannot enjoy each day an hour's outing must be small indeed, even among the class forced to work the hardest. Not only do many women fail in this respect in their duty to themselves, but their young children saffer in consequence of the same it lect. From one week's end to another daring the winter not a few of them Is en their little ones in overheated rooms, if to huddled around the kitchen stove, and the result is we find them, as spring approache weak, puny and ailing. In such families colds, coughs, sore throats and the like are common affections. There is scarcely a day during the coldest season when even the baby cannot be safely taken out of doors. Mothers should understand that upon the daily enjoyment of fresh and open air depends, in a great degree, the health of their little ones, as well as themselves; it is, in fact, absolutely indipensable to the well being of all.

One Way of Catching Cold.

"We find in nec's wraps a common can e of colds," says a writer on hygiene, and a ld., "if, during winter, one was certain con er much the same wrap at all times where a take open air, there would be less danger . But the chances are that on some ocwhen it should be worn it would be either purposely or forgotten, and a the result. The six handkerchiefer, which many men adorn themselves, at feet allominations, and cause more throats than any other induence. When put on, the wearers are wedded to then the remainder of the winter. The coat collar is ample protection when turned up and but toned closely, and a man is very foolish to use any other means for the purpose."

A Noiseless Cleck for the Sick Room. A recent Prouch lave from that will be welcomed by a ryous rayal ds the world over, if it prove successful, i.e. nois less clock, the principle of which is described as follows: Inplace of the mand placeblum, the hands are set in motion by the unrelling of a chain, the end of which is fastene i to a baoy fleating in a tank of liquid. The Cold escapes at a uniform rate, and can be utilized to feed a lamp wick, thus giving the apparatus the double character of click end lamp. When the lamp is lighted the necessary diminution of the liquid takes place by combustion, at other times by carefully regulated dropping.

SOCIAL ETIQUETTE.

A Little Piece of Rudeness That Probably

Comes from Want of Thought. "People should bow to each other even if they have not been introduced, when one is playing the part of hostess, the other that of guest." So says Mrs. Sherwood, and the hint may serve as a reminder to many who sin in this respect from want of thought rather than through intention. In explanation Mrs. Sherwood continues: At a ballat Delmonico's last winter a young man passed a lady who was receiving and did not bow. "Why were you so rude!" asked the Macconas of the ball, "Because I had never been introduced," was the reply. Now, if ladies take upon themselves the trouble of receiving at a public ball, a club or a charity bazar, any one who enters should return the graceful courtesy. Anything less is a boorish rudeness. It is to be feared that old fashioned courtesy has little place in our fashionable society, or in the Nineteenth cen-

While there is no fault of manner greater than a too efflorescent and flattering subserviency, yet no citizen loses a particle of his independence by returning the bow of his hostess. "He bows too low," was said of Shakespeare's villain, but "he does not bow at all," even when entering a ballroom or parlor, can be urged against many a modern

Manners and Moods. Our manners show what we are, and every

action and movement made in public, is accepted as an index of our character. It therefore behooves us to cultivate kind and refined manners, and the expression of charitable and upright emotions. The very essence of good manners is unselfishness.

One has no right to enter society in a gloomy mood. Courtesy requires all who mingle with the world's people to consider others' feelings before their own. The state of one's mind, health or circumstances in life should be avoided as subjects for conver-

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