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CYPRESS. Moonlight, and love, and melancholy tears: A heavy, gray house on a lonely hill!

Her wondrous hair! Her eyes were as large As torch-lights, that gleamed in mist.

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"You're polite, Arthur, you would offer to carry my racket and shoes," observed Mary, laughing.

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RATES OF ADVERTISING. Table with columns for different types of advertising and their respective rates.

Mark Twain's Pension.

A Washington telegram is as follows: On the 29th of June General Black addressed the following letter to Samuel Clemens, a pension applicant.

"Replying to your inquiry relative to your pension claim, certificate No. 297,520, it is proper to state that so much therein as is based on rheumatism, piles and sore eyes was rejected.

"Why hasn't Arthur been to see me?" asked Estelle, looking down.

"You went too far this time, you forget that he has his pride."

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Grant and the Young Sentinel.

HOW THE GENERAL WAS COMPELLED TO PUT OUT HIS INEVITABLE CIGAR. From the Columbian.

Captain John R. Steere, now an inmate of the Soldier's Home, tells a good story, showing how he, when but 16 years of age, made General Grant obey his own orders.

"The occurrence took place in the early stages of the war, shortly after Grant had received his commission as brigadier-general. John Steere, then a boy a little over 16 years of age, enlisted.

"The morning after young Steere got his gun he was stationed at General Grant's headquarters as guard. It was in November and the day was a cold and boisterous one.

"What are you doing there?" "I'm the guard," replied Steere.

"An excellent guard indeed. Do you know whose headquarters this is?" "Yes, sir, General Grant's."

"The officer looked at the guard a moment in silence and then remarked: 'Stand up there, sir, and bring your gun to a shoulder!'

"How long have you been in the service?" "Several days."

"Do you know who I am?" "No, sir, never saw you before."

"I am General Grant. You have deserted your post of duty, sir, which is a very serious breach of discipline. I will not punish you this time, but, young man, be very careful it does not occur again.

"The general was taken completely by surprise when the young guard, bringing his gun to his shoulder, exclaimed: 'The general has my cigar!'

"The relics of saints were once used as a cure for nearly every disease, and the miraculous cures reported to have been performed by saints and bishops are so numerous that, as Mr. Thrupp points out, the accounts of them 'probably occupy more than one leg of every centinel and monkery had its tutelary saint and every saint his legend, fabricated in order to enrich the churches under his protection by exaggerating his miracles, his virtues, and consequently his power of serving those who paid liberally for his patronage.'

"An English cutler now makes what he calls a fisherman's knife, which weighs less than a pound, and is carried in the belt, yet contains a gaff, scissors, wedge, scale up to twenty pounds, large and small blade, a screw driver and a file, a tin opener, a cork-screw, a gimlet, an eight-inch measure, tweezers, and picker.

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