

DON'T LET THE SONG GO.

Don't let the song go out of your life; Though it chance sometimes to flow In a minor strain, it will blend again With the major tone, you know.

THE STURGIS WAGER A DETECTIVE STORY.

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CHAPTER III.—CONTINUED.

"I beg to suggest," remarked Dunlap, "that the shots heard by the policeman and his prisoner were not fired from the inside of the bank."

introduction to the bank president, the reporter had sought an occasion to speak with him in private; and, as this did not present itself during the course of the evening, he had timed his departure so that it should coincide with that of Dunlap.

As he said these words, the reporter handed to his friend a sheet of paper upon which he had drawn some geometrical figures.

CHAPTER V. A FOUNDATION OF FACTS.

When the two men were comfortably settled in the reporter's study, Sturgis produced pipes, tobacco and writing materials.

RIGHTS OF VAGABOND MULE.

Legal Decision That Affects Long-Eared Animals and Their Owners.

HEROIC CURE FOR AN ITCH.

Serio-Comic Experience of a Stage Coach Passenger Who Was Held Up by a Road Agent.

HELENE, QUEEN OF ITALY.



The new queen of Italy was the Princess Helene, one of the seven daughters of Prince Nicholas, the ruler of the little principality of Montenegro.

liking the notice, which the ordinance required to be published immediately, the court said: "The argument is that the word 'immediately' as used in the ordinance does not mean 'instantaneously'."

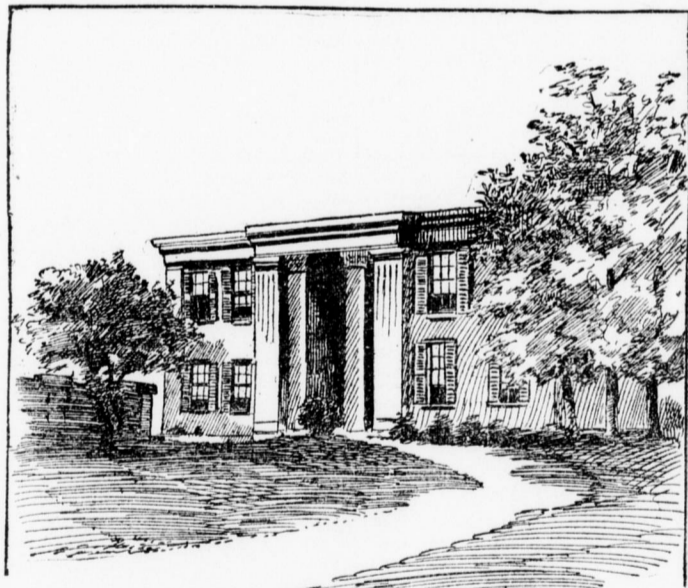
and spare cash. This particular traveler was nearest the man with the shotgun.

BORN IN "NO MAN'S LAND."

A Man Without a Country Makes an Informal Call on the Senate in Washington.

The doorkeepers of the United States senate come in contact with all sorts and conditions of men.

POLK MANSION NOW BEING TORN DOWN.



President Polk's tomb, where it was his wish that his remains should be forever, is in ruins, and the old Polk mansion in Nashville, Tenn., which he bequeathed to the state in trust, is being torn down to make room for a modern apartment building.

\$15,000,000 of the old "shipplasters," or fractional paper currency. No doubt much of this has been destroyed, but private collectors are believed to hold great quantities of the bills.

that particular nose stopped itching with great abruptness.