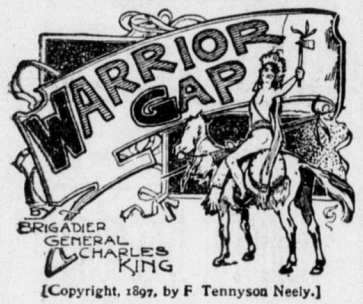


THE GIRL WHO SMILES.

The wind was east, and the chimney smoked. And the old brown house seemed dreary. For nobody smiled, and nobody joked. The young folks grumbled, the old folks croaked.



BRIGADIER GENERAL CHARLES KING

CHAPTER XI.—CONTINUED.

"Go and hurry that buggy," he ordered, as he crushed the sheet of paper on which he had been nervously figuring. Then, springing up, he began pacing his office with impatient stride.

It, you know. We had to gallop right out. "Then—you had it with you in the Indian fight?" cried Jess, in thrilling excitement.

CHAPTER XII.

Meantime "Old Pecksniff," as commentators of the day among the graceless subs were wont to call Col. Stevens, was having his bad quarter of an hour.

cism. The young gentleman had attracted my attention—my favorable—ah—opinion on the trip to the Big Horn, and I was—simply disappointed in his conduct on the way back.

sage and permitted the adjutant to depart without presenting him to the two prettiest girls he had seen in a year. "Now, Loomis, just as quick as possible I want you to go with me to that man Burleigh. I'll cram his words down his throat."

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Force of Habit.

Husband (returning from his first ascent in a balloon)—Just think of it, Alice, I ascended 25,000 feet in the air.

THE DUTY OF MOTHERS.

What suffering frequently results from a mother's ignorance; or more frequently from a mother's neglect to properly instruct her daughter!



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