

The Budget of Fun.

A Thrilling Romance!

Coffee Cultivation. POSSIBILITIES OF ITS INTRODUCTION INTO THE UNITED STATES CONSIDERED—REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

The following has been issued by the Department of Agriculture in relation to coffee, and the possibilities of its cultivation in the United States:

The conditions of latitude, climate, and soil of a portion of the United States lead to the conclusion that the coffee plant or tree can be cultivated to some extent in this country with successful results.

It has been established by the best authorities on the subject that great warmth of climate is not absolutely essential to the growth of the coffee plant, but a climate characterized by neither extreme heat nor cold, but possessing a fair amount of humidity.

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Desmond gloomily ordered more. And more than that was gone. And a supplement to that. And an addenda to that.

Gloom sat enthroned upon his brow. Constance saw it. She said: "What is it, dearest?"

"He spoke not, but sighed. A dreadful suspicion stabbed her heart like a knife."

It was the mid night. The same midnight was off watch and had gone to bed three hours before. A storm brooded over the eastern heavens.

"He does not come," she murmured softly, as she peered into the darkness. "I cannot see him. I will call him."

She was wrong. If she couldn't see him, she certainly couldn't call him with the same hand. A manly step scraping down the sidewalk.

She threw open the gate, and the next instant he clasped in his great strong arms twenty-seven yards of fourfold, three yards of rouching, seven dozen Breton buttons and a Pompadour panier as big as a dog house.

"All is lost," he exclaimed: "Constance de Belvidere, the Russians have crossed the Balkans. We must fly!"

He wanted to fly to some lone desert isle, but she submitted an amendment providing that they should fly to the ice-cream saloon.

They flew. To the crowded saloon, where the soft light fell upon fair women and brave men and the insects of a summer night fell in the ice-cream freezer.

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That Fetched Him. When a Michiganian was brought into court on charge of assault and battery, preferred by his wife, his Honor asked him why he struck her.

"She called me a worthless, lazy loafer but that wasn't it?"

"What was it, then?"

"She shook her fist under my nose, and said I was too fat to die, but I know'd she was excited and I let her pass. She's got a fearful temper, your Honor."

"I wish to know if you had sufficient cause of provocation," said the court.

"I guess I had," the man came close up and spit in my face, and said I was meaner than pizza; but I didn't hit her for that."

"What then?"

"I know'd her temper, and I set there and whistled 'Hold the Fort,' and I was bearing and bearing with her, when she turned around and gin my nose dog the squashing of it, and him right out o' doors over his head! That fetched me, Judge if there had been forty lions and a camel in the road, I'd have skinned her or died trying."

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