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Give me three grains of corn, mother,—
Only three grains of corn:
It will keep the little life I have
Till the coming of the morn.
I am dying of hunger and cold, mother—
Dying of hunger and cold;
And half the agony of such a death
My lips have never told.

It has gnawed like a wolf at my heart, mother,—
A wolf that is fierce for blood;
All the livelong day, and the night beside,
Gnawing for lack of food.
I dreamed of bread in my sleep, mother,
And the sight was heaven to see;
I awoke with an eager, famishing lip,
But you had no bread for me.

How could I look to you, mother,—
How could I look to you,
For bread to give to your starving boy,
When you were starving, too?
For I read the famine in your cheek,
And in your eyes so wild,
And I felt it in your bony hand,
As you laid it on your child.

The Queen has lands and gold, mother,—
The Queen has lands and gold,
While you are forced to your empty breast
A skeleton babe to hold.—
A babe that is dying of want, mother,
As I am dying now,
With a ghastly look in its sunken eye,
And famine upon its brow.

What has poor Ireland done, mother,—
What has poor Ireland done,
That the world looks on, and sees us starve,
Perishing, one by one?
Do the men of England care not, mother,—
The great men and the high,
For the suffering sons of Erin's Isle.
Whether they live or die?

There is many a brave heart here, mother,
Dying of want an cold,
While only across the Channel, mother,
Are many that roll in gold;
There are rich and proud men there, mother,
With wondrous wealth to view,
And the bread they fling to their dogs to-night
Would give life to me and you.

Come nearer to my side, mother,
Come nearer to my side,
And hold me fondly, as you held
My father when he died;
Quick, for I cannot see you, mother,
My breath is almost gone;
Mother! dear mother! ere I die,
Give me three grains of corn.

Her Honor and His.

BY M. EILEEN HOLAHAN.

"He is a gambler—and—and worse; yet you—my wife—steal from your husband and honorable guests to meet Everett Gould at midnight near yonder lonely bride! God pity me! your smirched honor is mine!"

A swift sharp pallor shot across the beautiful, dainty face of Cleo Westphal, and her lovely eyes widened and darkened with pain, but she never spoke—never stirred; only stood there staring out into the wild wintery night.

Outside, the wind sobbed through the gaunt, bare-limbed trees beyond the bleak, sere meadows; the cold moon rifted the black, jagged clouds and gleamed on the rushing waters of the river, played around the sullen shades of the rustic bridge where she had stood only a few short hours ago, and listened to words that made her life as bleak, bare and dreary as the wild wintery night around her.

They had ended then—her happy dreams, her beautiful hours of security, love and peace! Nothing Leonard Westphal might say could pierce or sting her now. What would he say?—what would he do when the knowledge which was searing her heart and brain had become his also?"

Then she would again go out into the wild dreariness of the night—out into the cold blustering world from which he had rescued her, from which he had taken her to his beautiful home, to his generous, loyal heart. And yet she who idolized him must strike the cup of happiness from his eager lips, thrust the dagger which pierced her own heart into his.

His cold, passionless voice—that lovely rig'd figure started at the hopelessness of the tone—struck and broke the awful stillness again.

"Tell me, Mrs. Westphal," he continued slowly, "what was this man to you before I met you? What was he to you before I fell in love with your pure Madonna-like face? Will you answer me?"

Then at last she spoke, and her sweet, calm voice never told him the agony that was burning out her heart.

"In case I do not choose to answer, what then?" she asked quietly, turning her dark eyes from that wintery scene without to his firm, strong face. "Tell me the consequences."

There was a convulsive start—a momentary silence while they looked calmly into each other's eyes, then:

"The sooner we part the better," he answered coldly.

She smiled—a dreary, bitter smile—that Leonard Westphal remembered all his life.

"In any case it is the same," she answered quietly. "Look at me well before I speak—always remember that I loved you to my doom—for when I have spoken—Everett Gould is MY HUSBAND!"

An awful, ghastly fear shot across Mr. Westphal's handsome face.

"Your husband!" he gasped hoarsely. "Merciful Heavens, you must be mad, Cleo. I am your husband!"

Without, the wind still sobbed out a requiem to all her love and hopes—dead and buried now; within, the light from the glittering chandelier fell on her costly evening robes, on her beautiful, Madonna-like face as she swung around and dropped on her knees before him.

"It is all too true, Leon," she cried, in agonizing tones. "Oh, my love—my lost darling! if only my brain would turn! If only I could go mad and forget! Long before I met you I married Everett Gould, when we were both on the stage. He deserted me for a newer face, and—ah, I saw him drowned before my eyes, and my rival's lover sentenced for the crime. But he was rescued—God help me! Yet I swear to you, my love, that in my checkered life there has been no willful sin or wrong."

All the anger, the reproach in his eyes had become a stony stare—a horrible, ghastly pallor had settled on every strong feature, and without word or sign he fell—a stark, rigid figure—to the rich pile of the carpet beside her.

Slowly and calmly she arose and rung the bell; slowly and calmly she walked to her own room—the room she would never enter again; but there were no tears, no misery apparent. All the hot, bitter anguish seemed frozen. All the future stretched out before her—long and full of heartache. If only she could die young!

A slim, dark figure, cloaked and veiled, she stole from the house less than half an hour later, passed the room where the servants were trying to restore him, paused, then passed on with a hard, dry sob out into the dreary wildness of the chill November night.

She bought a ticket for New York, slid silently into a shadowy corner of the coach and remained so waiting, so looking from the window without thought or aim of any kind.

Suddenly a man took the seat beside her; suddenly a man's voice, soft and low, containing a mocking caress, whispered in her ear:

"So, my beauty! I knew you would give up all for me. Look up, Cleo, and give me a welcoming smile."

She did look—suddenly, proudly, and scornfully into the handsome, debonair face above her, the face of her evil genius, Everett Gould, with a mocking smile in his eyes.

But she gave him no answer, only turned back indifferently to the wintery view of a chill, gray dawn.

If she had only died before she had ever seen it!

If only, oh, God! she had been low in mind, ugly in looks, lost and depraved in soul to suit the long life spread out before her—the same life from which Leonard Westphal in his generous love had lifted her!

If only she dared defy Everett Gould! But she dare not.

He had threatened to sue for bigamy, to scandalize and smirch the proud name of Westphal and—well, it was just as well to submit.

Fate was against her, anyway, and the only happy hours of her life were these few short months when she believed herself Leonard Westphal's wife.

They were dead, those priceless hours; but,

"Ah, if beside the dead slumbered the pain!
Ah, if the hearts that bled slept with the slain!
If the grief died—but no."

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Leonard Westphal turned as a gloved hand fell on his arm, and a cheery voice called out:

"Hello, Westphal! By Jove! glad to see you, old fellow; but how the deuce did you come to be in New York? Heard some time ago that you were across the sea."

Leonard Westphal shook hands heartily, as he replied:

"So I have been for the last three years, but one gets weary of that after all. Bound for any place in particular, Patton?"

Hartley Patton slipped his arm through his friend's, puffed a moment at his cigar, then replied:

"Well, yes; and—being duly sworn and identified—I pronounce you my guest for the evening. First we'll take supper at the Star; then there's the theater. Wouldn't miss it for the world—finest acting I've ever seen."

The curtains were drawn for the balcony scene—the play was "Romeo and Juliet"—when they took their places in Mr. Patton's conspicuous box.

Mr. Westphal's eyes were fixed with eager interest on the face of the beautiful Juliet. Great heavens! it was Cleo—his lost love!

"Smitten?" queried Mr. Patton. "No wonder. Magnificently beautiful, but—she looks too much like a sorrowful nun to be on the stage!"

But Mr. Westphal never answered, and and the play—well played—went on. Below, a magnificent Romeo pleaded eloquently; above, that beautiful Juliet leaned, radiantly, but pathetically beautiful.

Once she lifted her eyes, and they met the eager, burning ones of Mr. Westphal.

There was a momentary hesitation in the play—she had schooled herself for this meeting—then her eyes drooped and she leaned over the balcony again, while the audience fairly held their breath.

"Romeo, Romeo—wherefore art thou Romeo?"

* * * * * *

"Call me but love, and I'll be new baptized;
I never—"

There was the flash of a pistol among the audience—a low cry—and never by that actor's lips were the words of Romeo finished.

The play was broken up with a rush of confusion; the dying Romeo was borne off the stage with pitying hands; the woman who held the still smoking pistol was secured; and behind the scenes the actors and actresses crowded around—whispering in low, awed tones, when Leonard Westphal and his friend forced their way in among them.

"Cleo—Cleo!" cried Mr. Westphal, as he paused before the beautiful, white-faced who had played Juliet. "Oh, my darling—"

"Hush!" she whispered. He is dying—see! It is—HIM!"

"Cleo, Cleo, are you here?" gasped the dying man. "Fergive me, and—don't let them hang Ninon. She swore she would shoot me if I went back—to you! Say that she was insane. Pray!"

* * * * *

"Before Heaven you are my wife!" said Mr. Westphal, a few days later. "I have suffered enough, darling. Won't you come back to me?"

"What will people say?" she whispered softly. "The old friends who knew before that I was your wife? I—I would rather not go back there, Leon."

"Then you shall not, my darling," he replied tenderly. "I never blamed you, Cleo, and—wherever you are is my world. We shall live wherever you please."

"If only this happiness could last, Leon; but I fear—"

"Never fear, darling," he whispered, drawing her to him tenderly. "It will pass from time into eternity."

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To read clearly and understandingly is far better than to acquire the doubtful accomplishment of rolling one's eyes—and r's—according to requirement. An aged Dutchman who had sent his daughter to school for practical purposes, was distressed at hearing her recite the simplest pieces in the most harrowing manner. Upon one occasion she was declaiming, with more sound than sense, "Twinkle, twinkle, little star." The unhappy father listened for some time in silence, and finally called:

"Katrina, come here!"

Katrina obeyed.

"Katrina, vot you gid so much oxcited aboudt?"

"I spheakin' mine piece."

"Vot mage you yell dot loudt, now Katrina?"

"Vy, dat vas der vay to mage elocution, fadder."

"Now, Katrina, shoost listen. If you yell more loudt, as if you drive von yoge of oxen, you don'd vas able to mage dem sthars twinkle any more as dey twinkle already, und don'd you try some. Schoost you readt und wride und spell, but don'd gif us some more of dose yellocution oxercises, already."

THE COWS DISPOSITION.

On some of the western railroads a good many cattle are killed by the trains, and on one road; says a Chicago exchange, the section bosses are provided with blanks, on which they are required to report all such cases. The blanks have spaces for telling where, when and how the animal was killed and what disposition is made of the carcass, whether it is buried or sold.

One day a cow was killed out on the Rochelle section, and a section boss who had been recently promoted went out to make the report. He told in the proper spaces what train killed the animal, and under what conditions it was done. Then he came to the line:

"Disposition————"

"Well," said he, scratching his head. "I ain't perfectly sure about that, but being she was a cow, I think I can guess at it." So he filled out the line, which when it reached the general office read:

"Disposition, kind and gentle."

WHAT TO TEACH THE GIRLS.

Give your girls a thorough education.

Teach them to cook and prepare the food of the household.

Teach them to wash, to iron and darn stockings, to sew on buttons and to make their own dresses.

Teach them to make bread, and that a good kitchen lessens the doctor's account.

Teach them that he only lays up money whose expenses are less than his income, and all grow poor who have to spend more money than they receive.

Teach them that a calico dress paid for fits better than a silken one unpaid for.

Teach them that a full, healthy face displays a greater lustre than fifty cosmetic beauties.

Teach them to purchase and see that the account corresponds correctly with the purchase.

Teach them good, common sense, self-help and industry.

Teach them that an honest mechanic in his working clothes is a better object of esteem than a dozen haughty, fine dressed idlers.

Teach them gardening and the use of nature.

HINTS WORTHY OF CONSIDERATION.

Artistic dress is always more beautiful than merely fashionable dress.

It is because French women pay great attention to the minor details of the toilet, that they are considered the best dressed women in the world.

A bit of white about the neck has been called the insignia of ladyhood.

While a woman may be able to wear different colors, there is usually one that becomes her best and when this has been decided upon, nothing will be gained by a change.

The shade of the hair is a good guide for becomingness.

Instinctive preferences are in general a good guide as to forms and colors that are most suitable in dress.

SIGNED UNDER A MISAPPREHENSION.

Y. M. C. A. Officer—How's this, Mr. Schuper, are you drinking?

Schuper—Yesh, I am.

Y. M. C. A. Officer—Why, I thought you signed the pledge last week?

Schuper—No, shir.

Y. M. C. A. Officer—Why, I saw you do it with my own eyes.

Schuper—Oh, you mean zhat paper at zhe meetin' ozzer night?

Y. M. C. A. Officer—Yes, that was the pledge.

Schuper—Shought zat wash petitior to run cars thro Fif' thavenoo.

A DISTINCTION BY BIRTH.

"One of my schoolmates," said an old man, "was a rich man's son. I was a poor boy. He had more pocket money in a week than I ever handled in my life. He is now a conductor of a street car."

"And you?"

"I'm the driver of the car."—Harper's Bazaar.

—A fashion item says that "new pocket books are long and slender." They generally are slender immediately after the holidays; we prefer the long and plethoric style.

—"I'm afraid its not genuine," said a lady to a shopman. "Oh, yes, it is, madame," replied the polite gentleman. "All our camel's hair shawls are made of pure silk, direct from the work."

—Don't unload your newly married happiness before others. It is no fun seeing another fellow kiss a girl.

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