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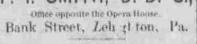
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If I the awest blockade should run Might I not hold the heart I'd won By such advanture: Not every one can take who tries: But should you take me by surprise And chier the lips I'd still have eyes Would speak in censure:

Could eyes like those he so unkind? Then close them up, for "Love is blind?" Nay, that's not true, sie? I can Love be blind, I, il like to know, And short the userfing arrow so! He sees more in some one, I trow, Than ethers do, sir.

And why do sheeks get rosy red?
I'll tell you why, sweet Bassie said,
With some emotion.
There nature, with consummate are,
Paints avery passion of the hear.
That burning secret to impart
A mult's devotion:

He state one kinst then two, three, four!
And gladly would have stolen more.
Without repeating.
You're to 'en my heart; it must be troe.
These roop lips were made for you!
You'd better take the residue.
While I'm consenting.
Fred Emerson Brooks to New York Herald.

MYSTERY OF A DREAM.

I am about to write the story of the one great inystery of my life. I have told the story to many people, but with one exception they have all looked very incredulous. Many shook their heads, and not a few acted as if they thought me a trifle demented. There is one. however, who is now sitting near the table at which I am writing that believes my story implicitly. Indeed Ediena, my darling wife, knows full well that the story which I am about to write is

I cannot tell when the knowledge that I loved Ediena Wyldinere was first re-vealed to me. We were children together, and as we grew older we seemed like brother and sister. Even then she was all the world to me, and how dear I was to her her own sweet lips have told me a hundred times. Our joys and sorrows were shared together. As happy, thoughtless children we romped and laughed, and many a time we mingled our tears in childish grief. As the years rolled away our affection for each other grew steadily stronger and deeper.

At 19 Ediena was as fair and pure a the most spotless thing under the sun. 1 still young and no thought of marriage entered my head. So beautiful a maiden could not long avoid attracting admiring suitors, and among those who flocked around her was one Cyril Staythorne, the tall, proud, aristocratic mas-ter of Staythorne hall, which had been left him at the death of his wealthy fa-

I will not deny that I soon grew jeal-

could to separate us and to install Stay-

I shall never forget the feeling of rage and despair that seized me as one day I saw Ediena seated in Cyril Staythorne's handsome carriage, with Staythorne himself by her side. I cannot describe our next meeting. How much I was to blame for what followed I now know, but I then thought I had just cause for what I did. Hot words were uttered, and for the first time we parted in

The next day I left the quiet New England town where twenty-one years of my life had been spent. A passenger train bore me away out into the world. I was going anywhere that I might get away from the hateful spot that I had from whom I thought fate had separated me forever.

I sought and obtained employment in a great city, the crowded circuis and inch was originally the length of the hurrying rush of which seemed very strange and unnatural to me. I tried to forget my old home and Elicena, but I the forearm, which averages about one miration at each of his abots. When the too is lead ore from 261,300 tons to 161, speciful, uttering exclamations of ad 600 tons, and copper ore from 261,700 miration at each of his abots. When the soon found it impossible to do so. Strive | foot in length. larkness of my little room, with her

Oh, Jasper, come back to me! It always seemed very real, but I reaoned myself into thinking that it was all imagination. I now know that many, many times she uttered that very cry.

One day an accident happened to me. I was passing along beneath the spot me senseless. I was picked up and car-My mind did not seem deranged.

plaintive cry sounding in my cars.

For several days I lay there, gradually Ledger.

growing better physically, but in no way improving mentally. Try as I might I could not recall names. I re-I saw him in a dream again last night— The dear old face, the patient, rayloss of The well known figure sitting in the light In the old chair—sad it was no surprise membered my home, Ediena, Cyril Staythorne, everything; but I could not speak the name of a single place or person, although scores of times I seemed

Nay, but my soul went out in one great cry Of wild rejoicing to babold him there, And as his feet I knok convulsively. Eindled his hands, and stroked his soft on the point of doing so.

Finally, I had so far recovered that I was informed that on the following day I was to be discharged from the hospital. The last night of my stay in the hospital Say that the hour is messiful and irts: And the stern past a weary, long missate. arrived, and at a very early hour I ought my couch and was soon fast One moment—just one mansent did it seem.
He similed upon me; then my hope was a er.
But oh, thank Gett it only in a dream
I have beheld my like a best friend once more

I am not naturally a dreamer, but am a very sound sleeper. It did not seem that I dreamed that night, but suddenly I found myself in a familiar spot. It was night, and a thunderstorm was rapidly coming on. The black heavens were seamed with fire, and deep thunder rosred like au enraged mouster. I was standing on the old bridge which span-ned a winding stream not far from my boyhood home. Suddenly a flash of

make my presence known, when another flash showed a second person on the bridge. Plainly I saw his dark, mustached, evilly handsome face, and plainty I heard Ediena's cry of surprise and fear as he confronted her midway on the trestle. Then through the darkness floated his triumphant exclama-

"Ah-ah! Ediena Wyldmere, I have you now! Twice I have asked you to be my wife, only to recet with refusal and scorn. To-night I swear you shall consent to marry me, or you meet your death in the waters of Crooked river!" Then came another flash of light that

showed my darling struggling in his vile clasp. To my ears came a cry that stirred every drop of blood in my veins: In an instant I leaped forward and tore her from his arms; at the same time I dealt him a terrific blow that sent him reeling against the railing of the bridge. The rotten guard gave way, and flinging up his arms, with the look of unutterable horror on his face plainly revealed by the vivid glare, he uttered one wild cry and plueged downward into the dark water. Ediena uttered one joyful

"Jasper! Jasper!" Then she sank unconscious at my feet. From that moment I knew no more until I awoke in the morning to find myself in the hospital. And in the morning the most spotless thing under the sun. I almost worshiped her then, but I was still young and no thought of marriage my own name and the names of my friends. That day I left the hospital.
I remained in the city a week, and during the entire time my strange

> As a final result, one night I boarded a swift train, and in the morning I stood by my darling's bedside. She was just

were on the outlook for a 'good match' me in his vile grasp, and I called for roof, without the two soldiers on guard and more to meeting and return by the favor upon Cyril Staythorne. They from his hands, at the same time hurling believed it the military headquarters.

But the old time straight cut coats are were too wise to come out openly and him off the bridge. I caught one glimpse of your face as it was revealed by the fight in the poor carpenter's son, but in divers ways they did everything they recovered consciousness it was raining the vicinity of the kitchens, or some garand I was alone on the bridge."
"And Cyril Staythorne?" I asked.

"Was found the following day float- principal walks. not explain the mystery of my dream. I

Origin of Long Measure, Our measures of length originated in and that was why the army was awaitthe dawn of civilization, and came to us | ing orders. When the marshal had once through the Anglo-Saxous. The yard commenced his game the heavens might pire, including Luxemburg, has steadily was originally the length of a king's fall, but nothing on earth could prevent advanced from 37,689,000 tons, of £11. arm; the foot, the length of his pedal him from finishing it. extremities. The word inch is derived always known as home, where so many from the Latin uncis, a twelfth part, happy days had been spent with the one but why the foot was divided into twelfths, instead of tenths or elevenths, in battle, in full uniform, his breast cov- 386,100 tons in 1888; peat has advanced no one claims to be wise enough to tell. ered with decorations, his even sparkling from 7,174,400 tons to 16,574,000 tons It has been suggested that probably the and his eyeballs inflamed by the dinner, iron ore from 3,654,300 tons to 10,664,300

as I might to tear her image from my bosom her fair, sweet face was almost always before me. Sternly I fought against the power that seemed to be length of the grain or "corn" of the barley. The "mile" was reckoned at 1.000 crush of epaulers and plumes, a clash of drawing me back to her. Many a night paces, as its name shows, for it is decrosses and metal tipped shoulder knots did I awaken and sit bolt upright in the rived from the first word of the Latin and the sight of all the agreeable smiles. phrase millis passuum, "a thousand paces." The origin of the "rod" is donbtful.—St. Louis Republic.

A Tall Tree Story. Fresno county, Cal., now comes to the piegne and contrasted strangely with the front and claims ownership of the "larg- weather stained overcoats vainly waiting est large tree." A party of bear hunt-ors, it is said, located it in the Sierras, somber groups beneath the rain. where repairs were being made on a in the most rugged portion of the mount. The marshall opponent was a captain building when a falling board struck aims, two miles north of Kentucky on the sinft, belief, with carled hair Meadows. It was surrounded for a mile and light colored gloves, who was an exried to a hospital, but when I recovered by almost impenetrable underbrush, so part at billiards and capable of van consciousness I did not know my own that the handers were compelled to use quishing all the marshals in the world that the busiers were compelled to use quishing all the marshals in the world, both knife and ax to get to it. As three but he knew how to keep at a respectful I could not recall the name of a single doubt the hunters crept forward with strove not to win endawered not to be person whom I knew. They told me bated breath. What sort of "bait" may beaten too easily. He was, as they say, that I had been severely injured and be inferred from their report that the an officer with a future, before him. that doubtless as I improved my memory | tree was 129 fort in circumference four

Ledger.

Ledger.

Dalls sped, kissed and crossed their columnster's \$800, ors. Suddenly a campon flash shot across Higher of all in Leavening Power .- U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

the sky and a hollow report made the window panes rattle. The officers started window panea rattle. The officers started living near Orlando, has adopted a novel and looked at each other unessily. The use for a steel trap, community used for marshal alone had seen morning, had catching rate and other small animals, heard nothing. Bent over the billiard. The boy's bouse is near a lake, and after table he was combining a magnificent the Prussians going to attack? [1] "Well, let them attack!" said the marshal, chalking his one. "Your turn

It was truly an interesting game. The

es. The marshal was playing his game.

The staff fluttered with admiration.

ing so calmily before the bilitard fable at the very moment of action. Meanwhile, the uproar redoubled. With the cannon shots were mingled the roar of the mitraillenses and the roll of the platoon musketry. A red emoke, black at the edges, mounted from the extremity of the grass plats. All the lower part of the park was in flames. The frightened peacocks and pheasants clamored in the aviary. The Arab horses, scenting the the park was in flames. The frightened aviary. The Arab horses, scenting the powder, pranced in the stables. The headquarters commenced to grow excited. Dispatch followed dispatch. Con-riers arrived in hot haste. They demanded the marshal.

The marshal was inaccessible. Nothing could prevent him from finishing the

Your turn to play, captain." But the captain's mind was elsewhere. So much for being young! He became As they had been fighting for two confused, forgot his caution, and made days and had passed the preceding night two shots which nearly gave his oppowith their knapsacks on their backs be. nent the game. This time the marshal great ones. boyhood home. Suddenly a flash of lightning showed me Ediena hurrying along the bridge.

Startled and amuzed that she should be there at such a time, I was about to make my presence known, when an-Overcome with fatigue and loss of steps at a bound. "Marshall Marshall mars

who slept us they stood leaning on their window, his billiard one in his hand. "What is the matter?" he said, "What neighbor's knapsacks, and weariness and privation were best pictured on those is it? Is there no sentinel on duty?" nbent faces abandoned to slumber. "But, marshal"-

Rain, mud, no fire, no sonp, a black and threatening sky, and the enemy on all await my orders!" And he closed the window violently, What were they doing there? What Let them await his orders.

They were doing that, the poor men The cannon, their muzzles pointed to. The wind drove the rain and shot full in ward the woods, had the air of watching their faces. Whole battalions were ex-The masked mitrailleuses terminated, while others stood useless, stared fixedly at the horizon. Everything seemed ready for an attack. Why did they not attack? For what were There was nothing for them to do. They were awaiing orders. But as o They were waiting for orders, and the die without orders, the men fell dead by hoadquarters did not send them. bundreds, behind the bushes, in the Beadquarters, however, were not ditches, before the silent grand chateau. bundreds, behind the bushes, in the far distant. They were at a handsome Even when fallen shot tore them still,

chateau in the style of Louis XIII, the red bricks of which, washed by the rain, glistened on the hilleide among the trees. Above in the billiard hall things were It was truly a princely dwelling, and well worthy of bearing the banner of a marshal of France. Behind a great ditch and a stone railing which separated them from the highway the grassplats ran straight up to the steps of the mar-

sion, even and green, and bordered with nearer. The marshal had but one more to make. Already bombs had reached On the other side, the private side of the park. One exploded over the pond, the chateau, the hedge was full of lumi. The mirrorlike surface was convulsed, nous gaps; the pond in which swans were swimming stretched out like a mirror; and beneath the pagoda shaped roof of an immers.

during the entire time my strange dream—if dream it was—worried me constantly. Was Ediena in trouble? Did she need my protection:

As a final result, one night 1 boarded spread their tails.

As a final result, one night 1 boarded Although the proprieters had departed. like the patter of a hurried flock of nothing there indicated the recklessness, sheep. The army was in full flight, but

ous of many of these fawning and flattering suitors, and of Cyril Staythorne in
particular. Most beautiful young ladies shed tears of joy she sobbed reproaching suitors, and of Cyril Staythorne in particular. Most beautiful young ladies are naturally a trifle inclined to be flirts, and Ediena Wyldmere was no exception. Not but that she loved me as truly and dearly as ever, but never had I made a serious declaration of my passion, and for a time she exapped the attention being safety as a supposed the attention being safety as a supposed to grave a late of the chief of the chief of the army had preserved everything, even to the meanest flowers of the arms plats, and it was something impressive to find so near the feld of battle the opulent calm dergone no radical change since the days of Mary Dyer; the simple manners and customs of the sect are rapidly disappearing. Here and there, it is true, one pearing. Here and there, it is true, one

I was poor, a carpenter's son, and this fact alone in the eyes of her parents disqualified me as a son-in-law. Our Saviour was a carpenter's son, but this fact has not caused the calling to be hunder deemed more lofty than it was nineteen hundred years ago. Ediena's parents were on the outlook for a "good match" and his vile grass, and Lealled for processing the such deep furrows, was there but an elegant, aristocratic shower. Originating fact and the grant of the grass of the grass of the grass of the grant aristocratic shower. Originating fact and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating fact and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating fact and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the grant aristocratic shower. Originating fact and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the red bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the traited bricks and the grant aristocratic shower. Originating for the traited brits co me in his vile grasp, and I called for roof, without the two soldiers on guard day rest, will frequently walk two miles

dener in red pantaloons tranquilly draw. are of the very finest piece of broadcloth ing his rake through the gravel of the that the looms can weave. It is with principal walks. The dining hall, the wimlows of which quaint costume of the Friends, for when ing a corpse on Crooked river."

The dining hall, the windows of which quaint costume of the Priends, for when My story ends here. I have already told you that Ediena is my wife. I can half cleared away, uncorked bottles, picture. We may see something akin to soiled and empty drinking vessels, look. it at the Shaker settlements if we take

> It appears that the total production of the mines throughout the German em menced his game the heavens might | pire, including Luxemburg, has steadily 247,000 value, in 1868 to a total of 65, Billiards! 866,200 tons, of £24,785,000 value, in the The game was this great warrior's year 1888. Of this quantity coal figures weakness. He stood there, as grave as as 25,704,800 tons in 1868, as against 65 marshal made a point they all precipi- of Commerce.

The Narrator-Yes, I journeyed for four days through an absolute wilder

The Doubter-How do you mean they vere benighted? The Narrator - Because in all that hall, looking out upon parks and courts time I heard no one whistling of bonor, recalled the autumns of Com Rooney."—Pittsburg Bulletin. time I heard no one whistling Annie

After Striking the Yosherg. Captain-Hurry up there. Get into give me time to get my rubbers, won't you? If I get my feet wet it'll be the

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Catching Turtles in Bat Traps. A bright young lad about 8 years old,

balting the trap in the usual manner he draw shot. Draw shots were his forte.

But another ffash came, then another.

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Then she described a scene just as I had witnessed and taken part in my smitten by her rare charms of grace and similar tows of trees and customs of trees and pearing. Here and there, it is true, one pearing. Here and there, it is true, one from the silent depths of avenues.

The rain, which filled the highways of the "old fashioned" Quakers is to be persons who had been worry and plant that customs of the "old fashioned" Quakers is to be persons who had for years borne all the with such wretched mud and plowed and taken part in my writer in

Very little is said about Lazarus, but he ansed more people to believe in Jesus han either Mary or Martha.

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