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Part I. The largest tent of the Tassajara camp meeting was crowded to its utmost extent...



Have No Hanking After the Fish Pots.

When the service. Even the next day, when he had slightly recovered, it was found that any attempt to renew his fervid exhortations produced the same disastrous result.

It so chanced that the medical practitioner of the district was a man of large experience, of military training and plain speech.

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He walked to the door of the church; to his surprise it was open. Standing upon the threshold, he glanced inside and stood for a moment utterly bewildered.

He had barely time to recover his position, before the singer, impulsively leaning over the parapet, had lost here, and fell outwardly. But Masterston was tall, alert and self-possessed, and threw out his long arms.

There was a chap who kept a store, and his name was Alexander. He had a skillful hand, and his name was Alexander.

He had his dear one, and she came, and lovingly he scanned her name; then a tinged old Alexander her.

Oh, yes," he said, with smiling lip, "I can be commander."

The Foot Ball Girl. That famous little girl who had the little curl who was the wonder of her forehead.

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not unlike those he has seen, but situated in the outdoors, and overlooking the garden and part of the refectory of the old mission.

Strange to say, he found it cool, restful, and, in spite of the dust, absolutely clean. A wrinkled Indian woman, browned and veined like a tobacco leaf, ministered to his simple wants.

At the end of the week—his correspondence being restricted by his doctor to a few lines to himself regarding his progress—he wrote to that adviser: The trembling and unquiet had almost ceased; I have lost nightly turmoil and visions; my carnal appetites seem to be amply modified and soothed by these viands, whatever may be their ultimate effect upon the weakness of my common sinful nature.

What an answer he received in not known, but it is to be presumed that he kept loyal faith with his physician, and gave himself up to simple walks and rides and occasional meditation.

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which I see daily around me, I feel that without a protest not only the flesh but the spirit is mortified. But my bodily strength is mercifully returning, and I found myself yesterday able to take a long ride at that hour which they here keep sacred for idolatrous rites.

P. S.—You need not trouble yourself. I have just ascertained that the words in question were simply the title of an idle novel, and, of course, could not possibly refer to me.

Howbeit it was as "Don Quixote"—i. e., the common Spaniard's conception of the Knight of La Mancha, merely the simply fanatic and madman—

In spite of his meditations, his single volume, and his halting of retiring early, he found his evenings were growing lonely and tedious. He missed the prayer meeting, and, above all, the hymns. He had a fine baritone voice, sympathetic as may be imagined, but not cultivated.

For a moment he thought he heard the metallic twang of a stringed instrument in the mission garden beyond his room, and remembered his contiguity to the church with a shiver of defiance.

With his curiosity excited, however, he tried to discover the locality of the hidden player. The sound evidently came from the garden, but in his haste he could not even interrogate his Indian house-keeper.

Enough that this tall, gaunt, broad-shouldered man arose, and overcome by a curiosity almost as childlike, slipped into the garden and glided with an Indian softness of tread towards the voice.

New York Produce Market. New York, Dec. 9.—Flour—Quiet, barely steady. Winter wheat, low grades, \$2.25 a 2.65; do. fair to extra, \$2.65 a 3.00.

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THE WORLD OF BUSINESS

New York, Dec. 9.—American Tobacco practically constituted today's market at the Stock Exchange. The transactions were 20,000 shares, an enormous total when allowance is made for the fact that it is half stock leaving only 10,000 shares for the remainder of the list.

The range of today's prices for the active stocks of the New York stock market were as follows: American Tobacco, 107 1/2; Am. Cotton Oil, 18 1/2; Am. Sugar Ref. Co., 107 1/2; A. T. & T. Co., 107 1/2; Canada Southern, 54 1/2; Ches. & Ohio, 17 1/2; Chicago Gas, 68 1/2; Chic. & N. W., 104 1/2; Chic. B. & Q., 82 1/2; C. C. & St. L., 41 1/2; Chic. Mil. & St. P., 74 1/2; Chic. R. I. & Pa., 73 1/2; Del. & Hud., 12 1/2; Dist. & C. P., 19 1/2; Gen. Elec. Co., 20 1/2; Lake Shore, 109 1/2; Louis. & Nash., 62 1/2; M. K. & Texas, 13 1/2; Manhattan Ed., 102 1/2; Mo. Pac., 20 1/2; N. Y. & W., 10 1/2; Nat. Bk., 4 1/2; Ontario & Western, 15 1/2; Pac. Mail, 23 1/2; Phila. & Read., 31 1/2; South. R. I. & Pa., 19 1/2; Tenn. & Iron, 23 1/2; Texas Pacific, 9 1/2; Western Union, 87 1/2; W. L., 15 1/2; U. S. Leather, 11 1/2; U. S. Leather, 11 1/2.

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