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In the Cornfield.

The south wind stirred the tasseled corn, And brightly glowed the dew of morn. On every waving blade, As through the fields, on pleasure bent, With dainty feet sweet Jessie went— Sweet Jessie, loveliest maid!

MRS. LYTE'S BURGLAR.

Mrs. Lyte was a widow, gentle, timid, sensible, and lovely. She had money enough to be comfortable, and silver enough to be worried; for in her house were only her old mother, her young son, and the late Mr. Lyte's sister; and the house was a pretentious mansion outside, looking as if the owner had lavished on it all the treasures of wealth.

them in Chicago. Why, they go off if you just wink, and scare you to death for nothing. Don't think of it." "Why do you want to know when burglars do get in, Emma?" quietly asks Mrs. Hill. "What could you do about it? For my part, I should let them rummage the house without stirring a finger; it's much the best way."

and she said so very decidedly; but it made no impression on the cool persistence of the agent; he only drew a pamphlet from his pocket and presented it to her, saying, "Read this, madam, if you please. I am sure, when you think of this matter further, you will change your mind. I will call again."

by his wife just in time to see a bona fide burglar disappearing down stairs, and go out the way he came in. Having no weapon at hand, Mr. Smith considered discretion much the better part of valor, and did not follow up the stranger, but the same night the household Mrs. Lyte's were all aroused by a wild clangor of the alarm from a parlor window.

Real Estate in Leadville. We quote this interesting phrase of mining life from an article on Leadville, Colorado's great mining town, written for Scribner's Monthly by Ernest Ingersoll.

Sleep of Years. No green that greets the early spring When first her presence quickens there, Glows as the crown her maidens bring!

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Even the bootblack says his business is brightening up. Jessamine, Ky., has produced a ninety pound watermelon. Sailors who work on schooners can't said to serve two masters.