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Here's to Our Starry Flag.

Here's to our starry flag: No matter where it flies, Over the polar snows, under the tropic sky, Over the silent prairie, or on the restless waves, Over the lonely camp, over the marching brave...

A SUMMER IDYL.

The train was approaching Rhinebeck. Miss Barrow raised her eyes from the novel between which and the river, the cloudless sky and the green banks opposite, fresh in all the freshness of early June...

"I daresay I shall like him," replied the young lady.

"I know, of course, that you will not except in a friendly way, and that's just why I asked him up while you were here. The fact is you are very similarly situated. Jack has not gotten over an unlucky love affair, and if I had him meet some girl who would have fallen in love with him it would have been a bad thing for the girl, as it would be a bad thing for any man who should invite and who would fall in love with you. As it is, you and Jack are both invulnerable to the tender passion, and can be the best of friends accordingly. You will get on nicely, and your visit will be less of a bore than it would be in the solitary society of an old woman like me."

"Oh, no, no."

"Miss Barrow, this is really unreasonable. I must insist." And without more words he raised her in his arms and began descending the slope again. Maud crimsoned and a faint flush rose in Travers' cheeks also. The wind blew a stray wisp of her hair against his face, and with it the faint perfume of violets she had on her handkerchief. When he reached the foot of the slope and lifted her on her horse his heart was beating rather fast, and Maud was trembling a little.

raised her eyes and saw him standing not six feet from her. She stood quite still, not startled; she was too overwhelmingly glad for that.

She stood quite still, not startled; she was too overwhelmingly glad for that. She had just been thinking of him—indeed when, for days had she not?—and saying to herself that of course he would not come back, that she could not expect it when she had dismissed him so summarily; and now there he was before her. Still she spoke lightly as he came forward and took her hand.

General Skobelev's Career.

The late General Michael Skobelev was probably the most popular man in Russia and the most picturesque soldier in Europe. In peace he excelled the swells of the kingdom in his fondness for the luxuries of dress and the daintiness of his tastes. In war he was the embodiment of bravery and the personification of reckless fury.

A Leap for Life.

The citadel of Cairo, Egypt, stands on a steep, rocky bluff above the city. The relative positions of the two being very much those of the capitol and the lower town at Washington. It was the favorite residence of the famous Egyptian dictator of the last generation, Mehemet Ali Pasha, who strongly fortified it and kept a number of heavy cannon constantly pointed from its walls at the city below to overawe the disinclination which his iron rule inevitably produced.

SCIENTIFIC NOTES.

The transpiration from a forest is nearly twice as great as the evaporation from an equal area of free soil. There is reason to believe that ants produce sounds of such high pitch that they are inaudible to the human ear. Remains of a remarkable bird of the Eocene epoch have been found near Rheims by M. de Lemoine.

A Wealthy Newsboy.

"Without doubt the richest newsboy in the country is Mike Mykens, of Denver, Colorado. He is supposed to be worth \$50,000, which he has invested in Denver real estate. He is not yet ready to retire from business, but from early morning until midnight may be seen upon the streets crying, 'Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Cincinnati, St. Louis and Kansas City morning papers.'"

Tower City, Dakota.

Tower City, Dakota, has a water supply from a remarkable artesian well, the nature of which seems to deserve close examination by geologists on the spot. When the earth was penetrated 560 feet salt water was obtained.