



Old Programmes. Looking my treasures over... A package of party programmes... Names and dates are down...

to do so? and is it not best that I go away?... "No, no, a thousand times no," Mrs. Dorman said vehemently.

moonlight was flooding everything on the lawn with its radiance, as Miss Styles, the evening before her departure...

JAPANESE NAPKINS. Fanny Little Mouth Wipers Made From Mouth Paper.

SPIRES. The Influence of Race and History on Sacred Architecture.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN'S POISONS. Those Used by the Bushman in Killing Game—Curious Effects.

MAZEPPA. The Hero of the Cossacs Was a Real Man and He Sat for a Picture.

NEWS IN BRIEF. California has earthquake insurance companies... During the year ending last June nine Oregonians died aged 100.

A MISUNDERSTANDING.

"So sorry, my dear," said bustling little Mrs. Dorman, when she had enumerated her guests to her friend, Miss Styles, who had just arrived.

to be sure, the young woman declared with charming naïveté that she had been jilted, but more thought she meant to say that she had been jilted...

"Those are strange words from you to me, Alec Thornton. Are you acting in a fancy?"

Indian Sword Feats. The favorite sword for performing feats in India is the gaudier-handled pata.

An Ugly Reptile. I want to show you a new and wonderfully living thing that arrived at the garden recently.

What Became of the Pear. In one of the suburban towns there lives a man who does his business in Boston, and who has a great passion for cultivating new and choice varieties of pears.

Origin of the Name Campbell. The Campbells, as are all the great nobility of the three British kingdoms, are of French, Norman or French-Anglo-german origin.

Man is more than constitution. Crows have been known to free themselves from parasites by standing on an ant-hill and allowing the ants to destroy the troublesome vermin.

"Catherine," with a little hesitation in her voice, "I couldn't get a train back early to-morrow morning, could I?"

"But they whose hearts are only as summer's sun, burn to a houseful of Miss Dorman continued, "I prefer a sprinkle of dust, and will flicker awhile on my candlestick, thank you."

"Do you reject my offer?" Miss Styles asked curiously.

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