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The number of stars in the United States flag for all branches of the service...

The Mayor of Washington, D.C., has announced to go longer any land in that city available for manufacturing sites...

Although the effects of the 1884 election have not yet been felt, the average life of the English residents is less than four years...

The Chicago Herald has discovered that in twelve cases out of every two of inspectors in the last three years...

A Illinois law which would prohibit the sale of liquor to anyone under the age of 21...

One of the possibilities of the Philadelphia women's club is to improve the condition of the country...

A French missionary gives a curious account of the state of slavery in Senegal. Though it is not a legal institution...

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A SPRING GREETING.

What is this the bluebirds call, Seeking mace and nesting-tree, Flitting bright through forest hall...

A HOSPITAL COVERLET.

Ward No. 3 was to any casual inspection precisely like the other ward in which it formed the General Hospital of Jeffersonville, Indiana.

After a stay of six weeks, Fred Raymond, of Company B, 4th Missouri, began to feel a little more comfortable.

Many of his comrades had a never-failing resource in writing letters to friends, which was not open to Fred Raymond for reasons that will presently appear.

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story to follow it. Rapidly it changed, both as to form and substance. It came to be "My Dear Miss Lillie" and "Dear Mr. Raymond."

While neither had intended it, and as yet were unaware of it, they had entered upon a state when only a touch is needed to change their warm personal interest into the deepest and tenderest passion.

But while he had only sought to lighten the weariness of hospital life in the beginning, he now found these letters none the less adapted to the brightening of camp life, and they were still continued.

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and then to ask a question, which finally brought the young man to speak something of his experiences. She was attentive, while she was somewhat thoughtful and sad.

When he spoke of Chickamauga, her pallor deepened so visibly that her aunt asked suddenly if she were ill. She regarded her composure in a moment, and said she was quite well.

It was his turn now to be astonished. Who was this who asked so unimportant a question with such a tragic air, and who waited the answer as though life or death might hinge upon it?

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WOMAN'S WORLD

PLEASANT LITERATURE FOR FEMINE READERS.

TEACHING THE POOR DOMESTIC ECONOMY.

Some of the wealthy and fashionable young women of San Francisco propose during the coming summer to organize and conduct free classes for the poor...

ILL-MADE GLOVES.

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A SOFT VOICE.

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The Green Fly.

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Bigger framed, smacking of the sun, which is the present ideal of the shoulders are almost universal.

CHINESE WOMEN. The popular idea of the Chinese home is that he has eyes like a hawk...

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