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Every

the orderly

We

look,



had vowed solemnly to the other that they would never surrender their liberty to a man. "We will live together in a nice little suite of rooms," they said. "Why should we need a man to make our lives complete?" "Shall you be called 'old Maids'?" a friend asked them. They indignantly replied: "Why, no, we will be bachelor girls."

So they both entered college with the intention of teaching school some day. They never tired of their favorite subject of conversation, and many were the plans and projects they discussed. In imagination the four dainty rooms they were to occupy together in the future were furnished over and over again, and their spare moments were spent in working on sofa cushions and other pretty trifles dear to a woman's heart.

The summer came and the girls were to part for three months, and with their arms about each other they rejoiced that in one short year they would be free to begin a life together. "Now don't you go and get engaged." said Isabelle as they bade each other good-by, and then they both laughed as if it were a buge loke.

Isabelle went to Bar Harbor with her mother, and Catherine spent her vacation in a little village in Vermont.

For awhile the girls wrote frequently and fully to each other, but soon Catherine noticed her friend's letters were short and unsatisfactory. suppose Isabelle is in the whirl of so-As she doesn't write to me ciety. about how she spends her time I shall not tell her of anything that I am doing," sighed Catherine, as though to excuse herself for her hastily written notes.

The summer wore itself away and autumn came, and the girls returned to college and greated each other warmly but with constraint. "Wby, Catherine, how well you look! Did you have a good time?" inquired Isabelle. "I enjoyed myself very much," was the answer, in rather a weak voice. "And you, dear?" Isabelle with a rosy face and downcast eyes assured her friend that her summer had been a very pleasant one.

No further allusion to the past or to the life of the future was made by either, and they soon settled down into the monotonous round of school duties. Although roommates still, they avoided each other to such a degree that it was remarked by the other students, and many were the conjectures put forth on the subject.

"She knows it! Oh. dear! Oh. thought Catherine. "She ignores me more and more each day." Iffw P" have to tell her," sighed Isabelle. "What will she think of me!"

One evening in October the two girls, separated by the entire length of the room, were preparing their lessons for the following day. Catherine would steal a furtive glance from her book to Isabelle's face only to, find Isabelle gazing fixedly at her. Then they would both glance quickly down with heightened color and rapidly beating hearts.

The little Dresden clock on the mantel chimed the half-hour after 8, for driving elevator, grinder, corn and Isabelle closed the book she had sheller, fanning mill, cream separator.



LABOR SAVING FROM GERMANY.

Building Can Be Made, at Moderate Cost, Grain Storage and Water Plant.

The accompanying drawings partly outline a building recently planned by the writer and now being erected in western Minnesota, writes F. L. Marsh in Farm, Stock and Home. It



A Handy Granary.

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Ground Floor. Second Floor. is small, but contains many things which save labor on the farm and the capacity is very fully utilized. It is hardly possible to get as much saving of labor and time out of any other structure of the size as the one devoted to the purposes for which this will be used.

A basement half the size of the building has cement floor and is made warm. In this is an air pressure water supply tank filled from a well just outside the building. This carries sufficient pressure to throw water over any farm building. Water flows from the tank to the house, barn. yards, etc. All is made frost proof. A bucket elevator runs to bottom

of basement. This takes grain from the wagon and places it in any bin in the building. Grain flows to it from all bins, and can thus be stored, aired if damp, mixed, cleaned, sacked or ground without hand lifting, spouts connecting all parts.

The second story is used for grain storage and has a convenient stairway and good lighting and ventilation. More grain can be stored than with the common arrangement.

in the first story is a room for cleaning and grinding grain, shelling cori, etc. This has a wood floor. The engine room has space for gasoline engine and any machinery likely to cause dirt or dampness. Cream separator room is plastered and finished with as little woodwork as possible. The floors of these two rooms are of cement and are pitched so they can be washed with a hose. A chimney is provided.

Two lines of shafting carry pulleys



LAWS OF THE KINGDOM.

Government is founded upon a w. earthly kingdom has its written constitution and its statute law for administration of its affairs. naturally therefore, for the King of the spiritual kingdom to organize his peo-

ple by laying down the principles of the new dispensation in a magna charta of faith, and He does this at the very outset of His mission in the Sermon on the Mount. This marvellous discourse is no mere sermon; it stands alone as the grand charter of the kingdom of heaven. It is not to be considered as a mere series of lessons on different subjects. It is the answer to such questions as these: "What is this kingdom, what advantage does it offer, and who are its subjects? What s required of those that belong to it? What are its laws and obligations? How may we become citizens of this commonwealth of kings?"

These are questions that were asked then, and have been propounded in every age and nation since. Hence the value of the Sermon on the Mount. In these words of Christ are found a clear, complete and systematic statement of the principles of Christianity and the righteousness of the kingdom that He had come to establish. It was addressed to the disciples, but was for the benefit of the listening multitudes, to whom possibly, it was, by them repeated. Matthew, records it in extenso, while the other gospel writers quote it more or less at length, in its application to special cases.

#### Improvement on Moses.

Every soul of man bears testimony to the marvelous scope of these words. Its wonderful summary of moral and spiritual truth is acknowledged to be high above all the ethics of ancient philosophy, and the world's purest teaching. And it was also immeasurably in advance, even of the teachings of Moses and the prophets, and all the old dispensation. While it, in some sense embodied the Mosaic law, it selected only what was permanent in that original code, and enlarged and improved it, so that it could truthfully be called "these sayings of And it was made the sumine." preme and abiding standard of life and obedience for all the disciples of the king through all ages.

#### Old Law and New

The ancient law was robed in terror and sanctioned by tremendous curses, almost the last word of the Old Testament, was the word "curse." But the new law of Jesus, begins with the word "blessed" and repeats it in the

#### THE HEART BOWED DOWN.

#### Only One Thing Could Save the Sympathetic Magnate.

Of two boys born in a country town in Iowa, one went to Chicago and became very rich and the other stayed at home, and when he was sixty was very poor. The stay-at-home had heard of the success of his boyhood friend and he went up to Chicago to see him one day, thinking to obtain a loan to tide him over the winter. He went to the rich one's office, found him installed in a magnificent suite and was held up by an office-boy in livery.

"Just tell my old friend that Bill, the friend of his boyhood days, is outside and wants to talk over old times with him." Presently the visitor was admitted.

'Howdy, Bill," 'said the millionaire, "! am glad to see you." They talked for a time and then the visitor remarked: "I hear you are

worth millions." "Yes, I'm pretty rich; and how has

the world treated you?" "Oh, I've had a terrible time. I had a business, but I lost that a while ago. You see, my wife's father died, and her mother, and then we lost our daughter. Right on the heels of that my mother died and, soon after, my father. It was tough."

The millionaire too out a handkerchief and wiped his eyes. "It certainly was," he commented.

"Yes," continued the visitor, "and that wasn't the worst of it. Early the next spring my boy, on whom I had set so many hopes, he died, too; and then, with all that expense, I lost my business paying doctors' bills. Then, to close it all up, it wasn't six months before my faithful wife died, and I

was left all alone." The millionaire was sobbing by this time. He leaned over and touched a button on his desk, and a big porter came in.

"Jim," said the millionaire, "throw this man out. He's breaking my

EASILY SETTLED.

heart.'



Mrs. Justwed-The new cook has burned the bacon, dear; she is so young and inexperienced. Won't you be satisfied with a kiss for breakfast, instead?

Mr. Justwed-All right; call her in! -New York Evening Telegram.

#### An Easy Way Out.

"Here, you," said the conductor angrily, "you rang up a fare. Do that again and I'll put you off."

The small man standing in the middie of the crowded car promptly rang other fare.

#### American Capital. The capital invested in American

manufacturing establishments in 1904 amounted to \$12,686,265,673, according to recent figures of the Census Bureau, This shows an increase in five years of 41 per cent. The gain in the products of manufacture was 30 per cent, the 1904 aggregate being \$14,802,-147.657

#### Their Favorite Topics.

"My friends all call me down," complained the artist who has just made a beautiful portrait of a wellknown actress. "whenever I begin to talk about my work. They won't let me brag a minute. They either saub me or get up and go away."

'They are partly right," remarked the poet sadly. "If they let us talk about our work all we wanted to there'd be no other subject of conversation."

#### Toplady,

Augustus Montague Toplady was born in Farnham, England, November 4, 1740. Educated at Trinity College, Dublin, English clergyman and author, but hardly known now save as the author of the immortal hymn referred to. Died in London August 11, 1778.

Courtly Etiquette in Siam.

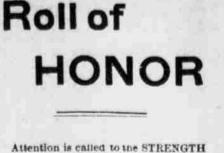
By a remarkable law of royal etiquette, which has existed for a number of years at the Court of Siam, no person is permitted to sleep in an apartment situated above that occupied by the king. A deliberate breach of this rule has on more than one occasion been punished by death.

#### Watching the Valuable Child. "Vy do you watch your little Abie

so closely; you don'd let him out of your sight?"

"He iss such a valuable child now he needs watching."

'But you never thought so before!' "I know; but dis morning he swallowed a five-dollar gold pleces."



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## Wayne County SAMAGN BANK

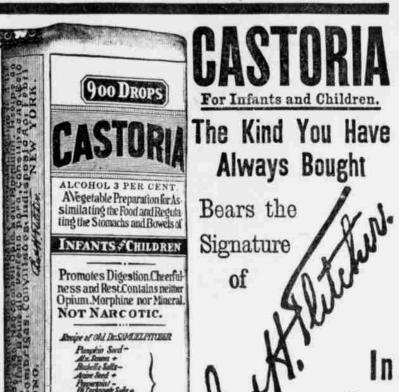
The FINANCIER of New York City has published a ROLL OF HONOR of the 11,470 State Banks and Trust Companies of United ' States. In this list the WAYNE COUNTY SAVINGS BANK

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Honesdale, Pa., May 29 1908.



been holding upside down and with a firm resolve to do or die, flung herself on the couch and buried her pretty head in the dainty cushions. Catherine, hurriedly thrusting a muchworn letter into her pocket, earnestly besought the weeping girl to tell her the cause of this sudden outburst. Thus urged, Isabelle began in low, pleading tones: "Can you ever forgive me? I have broken my vows to you-all those lovely things we made -oh, dear; you needn't finish that pillow. I wish I had stayed at home, but then I wouldn't have-

"Tell me all about it, dear," Catherine begged, as she softly patted Isabelle's hand.

"Well, while at the shore this summer 1 met a young man-a lawyerhe is just lovely, so-I liked him and he liked me. At first, Cathy, I only considered him as a brother, I really did, and I have broken my vow to Oh, dear! He is so kind and you. good that I don't believe you could have helped liking him if you knew bim as well as I do. There!" and so saying she bid her face in the cushions again, not seeing Catherine's joyful countenance.

"Look up, Isabelle! Don't cry. have a confession to make also. I met a college professor last July whom I thought I regarded only as a friend. but when he told me how much he loved me I had to confess that I returned his affections."

Isabelle had been listening with an expression of amazement, and now she threw her arms impetuously around Catherine's neck, exclaiming "It is simply charming! How happy I am! I wish you could see Dick. He is just lovely, and-

"Not any nicer than Lawrence," said Catherine, with a little show of spirit, and then they embraced each other again in true school girl fashion, and we will leave them comparing the merits of their respective lovers and discussing the disposal of the many pretty articles they had made for the adornment of their suite .--LOUISE HAWKINS.

Provide for Rail Expansion. In every mile of railway there is seven feet four inches not covered by the rails-the space left for expansion

He who hunts for flowers will find flowers, and he who loves weeds may and woods .- Henry Ward Beecher.

churn, pump, grindstone, emery wheel, washing machine, etc., and power can be conveyed to other buildings. There is room in the basement for a second tank for a soft water supply, tank to be filled from a cistern. Such a building can be made, at moderate cost, a complete grain storage, water supply and power plant for the farm.

#### Farm Notes.

Add a little powdered chalk to common glue to make the glue stronger.

A cheap paint is made from a solution of borax and water with linseed ofl.

Pull and burn every weed you can reach.

Remove all dead stalks and dried leaves from the flower beds.

Pile potting soil in the sun to sweeten, turning often.

Transplant shrubs and vines as soon as the foliage ripens.

For transplanting choose a rainy time and disturb the roots as little as possible.

Keep all flowering plants from maturing seeds, perennials as well as annuals, if you want late blooms.

Give chrysanthemums manure water, not too strong, and quit topping Remove many buds if you them. want large flowers.

Get sand, soil, gravel and manure and store where they can be reached when wanted. Put a boxful away in the cellar.

Sow pansy seeds and transplant those started last month into prepared beds. Have the cold frames read for them

Many plants and shrubs must be transplanted this month to insure bloom next season.

#### Fruit and Poultry.

Where fruit trees are grown alons with poultry they mature more rapidly begin their bearing at least one year earlier, at the same time the trees furnish comfortable windbreaks for the early chicks and cool shale for the late broods. Hence, fruit and poultry grown together are most remunerative.

Cut Weeds in Corn.

It is a good plan to go over the field of corn after cultivation is done and cut out stray weeds that escape the cultivator. A good hand can make from \$3 to \$10 a day killing these big

seven-fold chain of the beatitudes. The old law of Moses was a law that referred to conduct; the new law refers to character. The old law limited its grip to action. If a man did not bow down to idols, did not break the Sabbath, did not kill, did not blaspheme, did not commit adultery, did not steal, etc., the law had nothing against him. But in the new law, as laid down by Christ mental idolatry was recognized, to covet was to steal, to hate was to kill, to just was to be unclean, the thought of the heart and the desires of the souls were to be reckoned with in estimating a person's loyalty to the king. The man who is all right within has no fear of the law. If there was no law at all against doing rong, he ould not do wrong. He is not all the time watching for chances of evil. His heart is right and hence his conduct.

God's law is a tree of many branches, full of bloom and fruit. Man had allowed it to be filled with parasitic growths, and these had dropped poison. Men had piled up rubbish underneath it, so that the weary found no place to rest among its shadows. Birds of the night and birds of prey had builded their nests in its branches, and all the fragrance of its flowers and the usefulness of its fruitage had been lost

Christ came, not to cut down the tree which God had planted, nor to remove one twig that belonged to the tree, but to remove the excrescences, to clear away the rubbish, to tear down the nests of unclean birds, and to put into the tree new life, new beauty, new fruit, and ampler expanse of shade, and to cause the tree to spread and grow till it filled the earth and turned the deserts into a garden of the Lord.

The secret of the new dispensation is found in one word-LOVE. By love all the law is fulfilled. Love produces righteousness which far exceeds that of the Scribes and Phari-Love sheathes the sword of 8668. murder. Love stills the tongue of Love stiffes the first pulsaabuse. tions of anger in the heart. Love seeks the offended brother for reconcilation before it asks to be reconciled to God. Love thus potent is by the Lord emphasized, and all the sanctions of the law are quoted to show men the majesty and dignity and indispensableness of the new law of LOVE

ductor projected him through the crowd and to the edge of the platform.

"Thanks," said the little man, "I did not see any other way to get out Here's your dime."

#### Good Business.

Shopkeeper (to commercial traveler)-Can't' give you an order. Quite overstocked.

Traveler-Let me at least show you my samples.

Shopkeeper-Spare yourself the trouble. I can't look at them. Traveler-Then will you allow me

to look at them myself? It is three weeks since I have seen them.

#### The Explanation.

"Doctor," said the patient, who had been ailing for a long time, "be frank with me. Why do you demand such a large fee for cutting out my appendix?

Well, the truth is," explained the frank M. D., "when I remove that appendix I cut off my chief source of revenue.

The Suburban Citizen. "I see you are cultivating a garden."

"Yes," answered Mr. Crosslots, "I suppose you derive both pleasure and profit from it?"

"Not exactly. But it leaves me more contented. It makes the cost of vegetables in the market seem small by comparison."

#### A Sporting Chance.

"I'll teach you to play at pitch and toss!" shouted the enraged father. "I'll flog you for an hour, I will!"

"Father," instantly said the incorrigible, as he balanced a penny on his thumb and finger, "I'll toss you to make it two hours or nothing."

#### His Suspicion.

"Why did that picture cost so much?

"Well," answered Mr. Cumroz, "to tell you the truth, I have an idea it's because the dealer who sold it to me is a good business man."

#### A Provision.

Boss Lineman-Madam, we are going to string some poles in front of your house

Mrs. Backwoods-Go ahead. But mind, the baby's asleep, so don't' do any shootin' into the furriners after ye lynch 'em.





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