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The Mysterious Portrait.

In a small but handsomely furnished sitting-room in a London hotel a young lady was sitting in an easy chair, before a blazing fire, one dreary afternoon. Her hat and cloak lay on the table beside her, and from the eager, impatient glances she turned toward the door at every sound of footsteps on the staircase outside, it was evident that she expected a visitor.

At last the door opened, and a tall, aristocratic-looking man entered the room.

"Harry, what a long time you have been," she exclaimed, springing up from her seat. "What news have you brought?" "What does your father say about our marriage? Hesitating with the shyness of a bride at the last word.

"Read for yourself, Helen," replied her husband, handing her an open letter, and standing opposite her, leaning against the marble mantelpiece, watching intently the expression of her fair young face as she read.

"Harry, why did you not tell me of this before?" exclaimed Helen, as she read the hard, cruel words, looking up through her tears into her husband's face.

"My darling, what was there to tell? How could I know that my father would act in this hard-hearted manner? I knew that he wished me to marry the daughter of a nobleman living near Marston Hall, and the unite the two estates; but I had no idea that he would cast me off for disobeying his wishes.

And even if I had known it," he fondly added, clasping his young bride to his heart, and kissing away the tears from her eyes. "I should not have acted differently. My Helen is worth fifty estates, and so long as she loves me I shall never regret the loss of Marston Hall and its fair acres. "But, my love," he continued more seriously, "this is an end of your promised shopping expedition into Bond street. You will have to do without diamonds now that your husband is a penniless outcast, instead of a heir of fifteen thousand a year."

"Hush, Harry! Please don't talk like that," she said, hurt at his bitter tone. "You know it was not of the diamonds and dress I was thinking. But what are you going to do, Harry?" she continued, laying her hand upon his arm, and looking up into his pale set face. "You can not work for a living."

"And why not work for a living?" he exclaimed in a determined tone. "Because I happened to be the son of a baronet, brought up and educated without any idea or knowledge of business? But I will work for my living, and show my little wife that I am not quite unworthy of the trust and confidence she reposed in me when she placed this little hand in mine," he added, stopping to kiss the small white hand that rested confidently upon his arm.

It was while pursuing his favorite study of oil paintings among the galleries of Rome that Harry Marston won and won Helen Tracy a governess in an English family residing in Italy, and the orphan daughter of an officer of the army. Before he had known her a month, Harry, who had been a lover or fancied himself in love—with at least half a dozen young ladies in as many months, felt that at last he had met his fate.

Delighted at the idea of being loved for himself alone, he had not told her of his real position; and it was not until the marriage ceremony was over that Helen discovered that she had married the eldest son of a baronet, and a heir to an estate producing fifteen thousand a year.

It was not without some inward misgivings that Harry wrote to his father telling him of his marriage, which were more than realized by the result, as we have seen by the letter from Sir Phillip Marston, which awaited him at his club on his return to England with his young bride.

"But, full of confidence in his ability to maintain himself and his wife by his exertions, and thinking surely his father would relent and be reconciled to him after a time, Harry troubled himself very little about his lost inheritance; and their new home—consisting of three small, poorly furnished rooms in a back street—was very different from the grand old mansion to which he had hoped to take his bride; he set to work cheerfully at his favorite art, and tried hard to earn a living by painting pictures and portraits.

But he soon found it was not easy as he thought.

It was all very well when he was heir to Marston Hall, and studied painting merely for love of art; but picture dealers, who in those days had been all flattery and obsequiousness towards the young heir, now that he really wanted to sell his pictures and sketches, shook their heads and politely but firmly declined to purchase.

At last one dreary afternoon, when Harry was sitting in the little room he called his studio, trying to devise some new scheme to replenish his slender purse, the servant opened the door and ushered a white-haired old gentleman into the room.

Placing a chair by the fire for his visitor, Harry enquired his business.

"You are a portrait painter, I believe, sir?" said the old gentleman, looking at him thought his gold spectacles.

"That is my profession, sir," replied Harry, delighted at the thought of having found a mission at last.

"Well, sir, I want you to paint a portrait of my daughter."

"With pleasure, sir," said Harry, eagerly.

"When can the lady give me the first sitting?"

"Alas, sir, she is dead—dead to me these twenty years, and I killed her—I broke her heart, with my harshness and cruelty," exclaimed the old man in a trembling voice.

A strange chill came over Harry, as the idea that his mysterious visitor might be an escaped lunatic crossed his mind, but mastering with an effort, his emotion, the stranger continued:

"Pardon me, young sir. This is of no interest to you. My daughter is dead, and I want you to paint her description, as I perfectly will remember her twenty years ago.

"I will do my best, sir, but it will be no easy task, and you must be prepared for many trials," said Harry, when, having given him a long description of the form and features of his long lost daughter, the old man rose to depart; and for weeks he worked incessantly upon the mysterious portrait of the dead girl, making sketch after sketch, each of which was rejected by the remorse-stricken father, until his work began to exercise a strange fascination over him, and he sketched day after day, as if under the influence of a spell.

At last, one evening, wearied with a day of fruitless exertion, he was sitting over the fire watching his wife, who was sitting opposite, busy on some needle-work, when an idea suddenly flashed upon him.

"Tall, fair, with golden hair, and dark-blue eyes. Why, Helen, it is the picture of yourself!" he exclaimed, starting from his seat, taking his wife's fair face between his two hands, and gazing intently into her eyes.

Without losing a moment, he sat down and commenced to sketch Helen's face, and when his strange patron called the next morning, Harry was so busily engaged putting the finishing touches to his portrait that he did not hear him enter the room, and worked on for some moments unconscious of his presence, until, with a cry of "Helen, my daughter!" the old man hurried him aside and stood entranced before the portrait.

After gazing some minutes in silence, broken only by his own half-suppressed sobs of remorse, the old man turned slowly around to Harry and asked him in an eager voice where he had obtained the original of the picture.

"It is a portrait of my wife," Harry replied.

"Your wife, sir. Who was she? Pardon me for asking you the question," he added, "but I have heard lately that my poor Helen left an orphan daughter, and, for the last six months I have been vainly trying

to find the child of my lost daughter so that by kindness and devotion to my grand-child I might in part atone for my harshness towards her mother."

Harry was beginning to tell him the story of his meeting with Helen in Rome, and their subsequent marriage, when the door opened, and wife came into the room.

Perceiving that her husband was engaged she was about to retire when the old gentleman stopped and looking earnestly into her face for a few moments said:

"Pardon me madam—can you tell me your mother's maiden name?"

"Helen Troherne," replied Helen wonderingly.

"I knew it—I knew it," cried the old man in an excited tone. "At last I have found the child of my long lost daughter!"

In a few words Mr. Troherne explained how he had cast off his only child on account of her marriage with a poor officer, and refused to open her letters when she wrote asking forgiveness.

"But, thank heaven," said he, when he had finished his sad story. "I can atone in some measure for my harshness toward my Helen by taking her to my heart and making her my daughter."

It is needless to add that when Sir Phillip Marston heard that his son had married the heiress of the finest and oldest estates in the country, he at once wrote a letter of reconciliation to Harry, and, after all, Helen eventually became mistress of Marston Hall, in the picture gallery of which no painting is more valued or treasured than "The Mysterious Portrait."

A Disappointment.

BY D. H. B.

Rob stood by the window, in the moonlight. "I hope that it will not rain to-morrow," he cried.

"Does it look like rain? Are there clouds in the West?" asked Harry.

"O, I hope not!" exclaimed Alice. "I would cry my eyes out if it should rain."

"And go without eyes the rest of your life?" asked nurse. "Why, Miss Alice, who sends the rain?"

"But just think how rain would spoil our picnic," muttered Rob. "I wish that I could hold the clouds in my hands."

He turned quickly from the window just then, and saw his mother standing in the doorway. There was such a look of surprise on her face, that Rob was sure she heard his speech.

"I came to say good-night to my darlings," she said, "and—"

"To tell us a story," interrupted Alice.

"Yes; a little story that I read in poetry. I will put it into prose for you."

"A long while ago, far from here, in a beautiful home by the sea-side, lived four little sisters. They were as merry as the day was long, and as happy as any other little girls in the land, perhaps."

"One sweet morning, in June, they sat together under the trees, and made plans to spend a day in the woods. They were to fill their baskets with all kinds of nice things, and they were to carry games, and books, and whatever else they liked for entertainment. Father and mother, and Uncle George would go with them; and Uncle George who had his head just brimful of funny stories, Laura said.

"If brother Maurice could only be here to go!" exclaimed Ceelia.

"But Maurice was a young midshipman, away at sea; they could not hope to have him at their picnic. How long it seemed before the day would come! Many were the anxious thoughts about the weather! It did not seem possible that it could rain, when they wanted to go so very much!

"The baskets were filled the night before. Ring-toss and lawn-tennis were in the hall, waiting to be carried to the mountain. Five o'clock came. Minnie was up to catch the first glimpse of sunrise! There were thick clouds in the east, though, and no prospect of a clear sunrise.

"Jaybe it will be bright by ten o'clock," said Ceelia, hopefully.

"Laura shook her head, declaring: "Father thinks that it is almost sure to rain."

"They counted the hours to breakfast time. "We will know then," Ce-

celia said. Minnie fell asleep, meanwhile. She dreamed that the clouds had all passed away, and that the merry party was up the mountain, with baskets and games. She woke up soon, to hear the great drops of rain pattering against the window panes!

"There were four sorrowful faces at breakfast table that morning, or rather, six sorrowful faces, for, of course, the kind mother and father were troubled by their children's disappointment, though they were sure that it was for the best. I am sorry to say that the children fretted about the rain all day, so that no one fell asleep that night felling very happy."

"A week passed, and the rainy day was forgotten, when, one evening just before tea, there was a knock at the hall door, and then a cry of delight! Elsie peeped over the balustrade, and saw her brother Maurice, with his arms around his mother's neck, crying and laughing at the same time! A moment more and every one was in the hall to welcome him, and to hear how such a delightful event as this home-coming had happened!

"The story was soon told. His ship had been wrecked ten days before. He, with two or three sailors, had escaped. They were at sea three days in a small open boat, with no fresh water, and with the sun pouring its hot rays upon their uncovered heads!

"O, dear mother, how hard we prayed for rain! Just for one little shower, even?" said Maurice.

"Did it rain?" asked Ceelia, eagerly.

"Yes, it rained for a whole day—Wednesday, just a week ago. We should all have died if it had not been for that rainy day!"

"The sisters looked at one another. Their mother exclaimed: "O, my dears, do you hear that? Do you remember, it was the very same rain that made you all so unhappy?"

"Tell me all about it," said Maurice. How could the rain that saved us, make you miserable?"

"But we didn't know that it was going to save you, Maurice," they said.

"No, that is just the point," said their mother. We do not, any of us, know what good things we should prevent, nor what terrible things would happen, if we could always have our own way. Think how it would have been in this case!"

"They might have never seen Maurice again," said Rob, solemnly, when his mother had finished the story. "We have no brother to be lost at sea, though," he added.

"Or the rain may be intended for some one else, in some other way," said Harry.

"You may be sure that it is for the very best," said their mother. "He who holds the clouds in his hand, knows the right moment to let them come down in showers upon the earth."

Rob looked ashamed. He saw what a foolish speech he had made, and how well it is that the clouds are under the control of the one wise Heavenly Father!

His Scheme for Peace.

A rather slim chap, with rippling canary hair, stepped into a fashionable establishment where arms are sold and called in the Park:

"Have you any self-loading seven-shooters?"

"Yes," replied the clerk, "would you like to look at them?"

"I would."

In about two minutes the counter was covered with revolvers, and the man with canary hair examined them and said:

"Give me six."

The clerk seemed astonished, but tied up the pistols, at which moment the customer commenced to fan himself with his helmet and remarked:

"Got any shot-guns?"

"Are they mounted on wheels?" "They are." "Then give me three."

The clerk was considerably astonished but took the order for the cannons down on a piece of paper, and said:

"Now, is there anything else you would like to see?"

"Yes. I would like very much to see some daggers."

"We have a fine stock of daggers," replied the clerk, as he placed several specimens on the counter. "Here is one with a solid silver handle which comes a little higher than the others."

"I will take six of the silver handled ones. Now let me look at a few of your swords."

"What kind do you want? We've a number of styles."

"What kind for instance?" asked the canary-haired youth.

"Well, we have the cavalry saber, and—"

"Give me two."

"And we have the cutlass."

"The kind used by pirates?" asked the long, slender youth, with a smile that betrayed his anxiety.

"Yes, the very kind."

"I will take six of them."

"Now we have some Turkish cut-throats."

"I want four of them. I also want two claymores, just like the one in the window."

The clerk took down his order, and began to fancy how much his employer would think of him for selling such a big bill, when the customer said:

"I want half a dozen Springfield rifles with bayonets on them."

"I will take your order and fill it to-morrow. Is there anything else to-day?"

"Yes, I want some good harpoons and spears."

"Those we have not in stock," said the clerk; "but we can get them and deliver them with the shot-guns."

"Now I want some hand-grenades and dynamite."

"We don't keep them."

"Don't keep them," replied the customer, "don't keep them?"

"No."

"Well, then, send all those things up to my hotel C. O. D."

The man presented his card to the clerk, who thanked him for purchasing such a nice bill, and said:

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Now the proposition is to get a two-thirds majority in both branches of the Legislature by turning out Readjusters and putting in Funderists all right. With this two-thirds majority they threaten to make the Governor of Virginia and the Court of Appeals powerless.

We are well in power, but that is not enough. We must be safely there; and since we have the means in our own hands to secure ourselves, we should learn from the enemy, and not hesitate a moment to use our means, as they used theirs, and with as little regard to their feelings or interests.

The most unfortunate result of the Virginia election is the revival of the color-line. For this the Democrats are responsible. Finding themselves unable to control any portion of the colored vote, they have made use of the cry that the negroes were sure to become the political managers of the State if they were not at once made to feel that their security depends upon the practical abdication of their rights as citizens.

THE Bourbon-Funder faction will have neither the ability nor the inclination to settle the debt upon the Riddleberger Bill basis. Mark the prediction, there will not be a dollar funded under the Bill as long as the Funderers are in power.

Why is it so many suffer from rheumatism, aches, pains, kidney disease, liver complaints, heart affections, etc? It is simply because they will not come and be healed. All disease begins from a want of iron in the blood. This want of iron makes the blood thin, watery and impure.

THE National Democracy had a good chance to carry the next Presidency, but the shot-gun policy of the Virginia Bourbons has ruined the chance of the Democratic party.

Three handed people are becoming quite numerous. They have a right hand, a left and an always behind hand in taking 'r. Bull's Cough Syrup when they catch a cold.

against the Bourbons of Virginia as the Readjusters of the State can have; by the policy of violence that Bourbon-Funderism need to carry Virginia a solid North has been created to confront a solid South.

POOR fools! They think the Readjuster party is dead because by falsehood they have won a temporary victory. Readjustment is a principle, or line of principles, meaning good government, truth, respect for human rights, progress and all that refers to a true republican form of government.

How it Was in Virginia.

The victory in New York, Massachusetts, and Pennsylvania are the most important of the day, for if the Republicans carry these States next year they may be confident of electing the President; but the issue of the election in other States is similarly encouraging.

Unpromising Indications.

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A Mississippi paper says that while some persons were boring an artesian well in Lee county, that State, they found a log 325 feet under the earth, which was in a fair state of preservation, and resembled poplar.

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The Luther Anniversary.

BERLIN, Nov. 10.—The festivals in honor of the four hundredth anniversary of the birth-day of Martin Luther opened this morning by the gathering of 80,000 school children, who formed in 53 divisions, and accompanied by bands of music marched to various churches, where they attended religious services in honor of the great reformer, whose bust was placed before the altar in each of the edifices.

HAMBURG, Nov. 10.—The Luther festival here to-day was celebrated by the unveiling of a colossal bust of the Reformer, and a popular fete in the Moorwiede.

BREITENBURG, Nov. 10.—The market square in this city has been transformed into a grand festival for the demonstrations in honor of Luther's birthday.

LEIPZIG, Nov. 10.—A grand monument, commemorative of the reformation with the statues of Luther and Melancthon upon it, was unveiled here to-day in front of St. John's church with appropriate ceremonies.

ERFURT, Nov. 20.—At Erfurt, where Luther first entered the monastery in 1501; Eisenach, where Luther was confined for ten months in the castle of Wartburg; and at Nordhausen, the corner-stones of the monuments to be erected in honor of the great reformer, were laid with ceremonies appropriate to the occasion.

He Got a Thousand.

A gentleman just arrived from San Francisco stated to a reporter of the Critic this morning that Judge Hoover, and Judge Satterthwaite, the two worthies who were formerly in the employ of the Department of Justice, are both now located in Southern California—the former doing odd jobs and the latter wearing a white apron in a cheap dining-saloon; he is second hand waiter. Judge Hoover is the man who was appointed to the high position of Chief Justice of Arizona Territory and had hardly warmed his seat before he was kicked out of his office.

The cashier told him that he had no money for deposit to his credit, and didn't know him. Hoover then said: "I am William H. Hoover, and have just been appointed Chief Justice of Arizona Territory. You have a case of considerable magnitude coming before my court. The amount involved is \$40,000. Now, don't you see, it might make some difference if you advance me \$1,000."

A Land Pool Defeated in Wisconsin

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 10.—Last September the Commissioners of Public Lands of Wisconsin offered for sale 160,000 acres of public land at auction. The bidding was spirited at first, but a land pool was soon formed of land speculators to buy valuable pine lands at a minimum price, by a combination, to prevent a competition.

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A directory of "American heiresses" has been published in London, giving the name, age and address of every young unmarried lady in this country to whom a fortune has descended, or is about to descend, for the special benefit of impetuous British peers and broken down Irish landlords.

The aesthetic movement in England has entirely died out, because—well because people think there is more good common sense in taking a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup than in carrying a lily.

News Notes.

The first bag of flour ever made of California wheat, and exhibited at a public fair, was the one made by John M. Horner, of Horner's Mills, at Union City, Alvarado, in 1853, and shown at the fair in Music Hall, in that year. That bag of flour is now on exhibition in the rooms of the California Farmer.

Mr. Burne Jones, the English artist, has been engaged to supply the stained-glass windows for the American Church, in the Via Nazionale at Rome. It is in this church that the largest part of the English colony now goes, since they prefer it to their own edifice "a barn," as the Pall Mall Gazette calls it without the Porta del Popolo.

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Nov. 15th, 1883.

BERLIN, Nov. 20.—At Erfurt, where Luther first entered the monastery in 1501; Eisenach, where Luther was confined for ten months in the castle of Wartburg; and at Nordhausen, the corner-stones of the monuments to be erected in honor of the great reformer, were laid with ceremonies appropriate to the occasion.

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But THE SUN is written for inhabitants of the earth; in this same strip of intelligence would glide the globe twenty-seven or twenty-eight times.

It every buyer of a copy of THE SUN during the past year has spent only one hour over it, and if his wife or his grand-father has spent another hour, this newspaper in 1884 has afforded the human race thirteen thousand years of steady reading, night and day.

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THE SUN is, and will continue to be, a newspaper which tells the truth without fear of consequences, which gets at the facts no matter how much the process costs, which presents the news of all the world without waste of words, and in the most readable shape, which is working with all its heart for the cause of honest government, and which therefore believes that the Republican party must go, and must go in this coming year of our Lord, 1884.

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Some growers of potatoes throw out all the little ones as more trouble to take care of than their value.

Improved farm machinery gives the farmers of this country their greatest advantage in cheap production of food.

Know What He Wanted.

'I've given that boy the wrong medicine,' exclaimed a druggist, seizing his hat and rushing from the drug store.

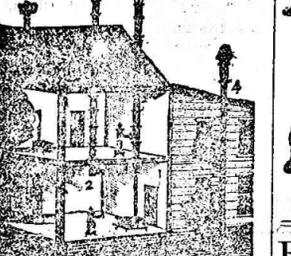
'Say,' exclaimed the druggist as an old negro approached. 'I've given your son the wrong medicine.'

'What did you give him?'

'I gave him mauphine. You sent for quinine.'

'Dat' all right. De odder day I sent for mauphine, and ye sent quinine, an' dis time when I wanted mauphine to keep down any mis takes, I sent for quinine, knowin' ye wouldn't send what the boy ax for: go home and sell rat pizin.'

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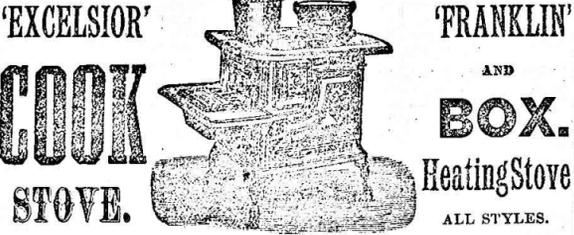
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In fact everything needed to complete a Gentleman's wardrobe at

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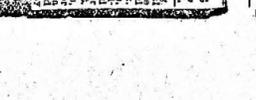
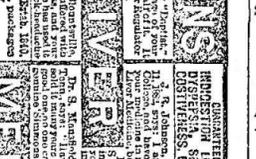
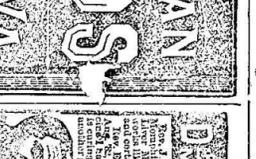
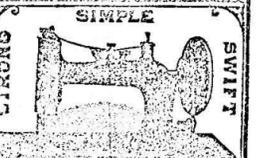
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No case of an affection of the throat or lungs exists which cannot be greatly relieved by the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, and it will always cure when the disease is not already beyond the control of medicine.

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And in fact everything to be found in a first-class store.

Come and see the Goods now in stock and see if we will not give you good bargains.

We keep no shoddy goods on our shelves and what you buy from us may be relied upon as first-class.

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At Thurmon's old stand,

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Dealers in

STOVES!!

TIN-WARE

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Buy from the only cash house in the South-east. We expect to gain your trade by Square dealings, Superior goods, and low prices.

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Respectfully, (Miss) KATE MAYS.

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Their stock of Clothing is very large and carefully selected. All the latest styles and no shoddy. They do not propose to sell cheaper clothes than any one else, but they do contend, that taking quality of grades into consideration, they have a decided advantage over any one else. A full line of Gents' Furnishing Goods.

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