Poetry.

Saving Mother.

The farmer sat in his easy chair
Between the fire and the lamplight glare;
His face was ruddy and full and fair;
His three small boys in the chimney nook
Donned the lines of a picture book;
His wife, the pride of his home and heart,
Baked the biscuit and made the tart.
Laid the table and steeped the tea,
Deftly, swiftly, silently;
Tired and weary and weak and faint,
She bore her trials without complaint,
Like many another household saint—
Content, all selfish bliss above
In the patient ministry of love.

At last, between the clouds of smoke
That wreathed his lips, the husband spoke:
"There's taxes to raise and int'est to pay—
And if there should come a rainy day,
Twould be mighty handy, I'm bound to say.
T' have sumthin put by. For folks must die,
An' there's funeral bills, and gravestones to buy—
Enough to swamp a man, purty nigh;
Beside, there's Edward and Dick and Joe
To be provided for when we go.
So if I was you, I'll tell ye what I'd du:
I'd be savin' of wood as ever I could,—
Extra fires don't do any good:
I'd be savin' of soap, an' savin' of ile,
And run up some candles once in a while;
I'd rather be sparin' of coffee an' tea,
For sugar is high,
And all to buy,
And cider is good enough drink for me;
I'd be kind o' careful about my clo'es
And look out sharp how the money goes—
Gewgaws is useless, nater knows;
Extra trimmin'
'S the bane of women.

I'd sell off the best of my cheese and honey,
And eggs is as good, nigh about, as the money;
And as to the carpet you wanted new—
I guess we can make the old one du;
And as for the washer, an' sewin' machine,
Them smooth tongued agents so pesky mean,
You'd better get rid of 'em slick and clean,
What do they know about women's work?
Do they calkilate woman was made to shirk?"

Dick and Edward and little Joe
Sat in a corner in a a row,
They saw the patient mother go
On ceaseless errands to and fro;
They saw that her form was bent and thin,
Her temples gray, her cheeks sunk in,
They saw the quiver of lip and chin—
And then, with a wrath he could not smother,
Out spoke the youngest, frailest brother:
"You talk of savin' wood and ile,
An' tea an' sugar all the while,
But you never talk of savin' mother."

Literature.

'LENA RIVERS.

CHAPTER V.

MAPLE GROVE.

The residence of Mr. Livingston, or rather of Mr. Livingstone's wife, was a large, handsome building, such as one often finds in Kentucky, particularly in the country. Like most planter's houses, it stood at some little distance from the street, from which its massive walls, wreathed with evergreen, was just discernible. The carriage road which led to it passed first through a heavy iron gate, guarded by huge bronze lions, so natural and life-like, that Mrs. Nichols, when first she saw them, uttered a cry of fear. Next came a beautiful maple grove, followed by a long, green lawn, dotted here and there with forest trees, and having on its right a deep running brook, whose waters, farther on at the rear of the garden, were formed into a minature fish-pond.

The house itself was of brick—two storied, and surrounded on three sides by a double piazza, whose pillars were entwined with climing roses, honey suckle, and running vines, so closely interwoven as to give it the appearance of an immense summer house. In the spacious yard in front, tall shade trees and bright green grass were growing, while in the well kept garden at the left, bloomed an endless variety of roses and flowering shrubs, which in their season filled the air with perfume, and made the spot brilliant with beauty. Directly through the center of the garden ran the stream of which we have spoken, and as its mossy banks were never disturbed, they presented the appearance of a soft, velvety ridge, where each spring the starry dandelion and the blue eyed violet grew.

Across the brook two small foot-bridges had been built, both of which were latticed and overgrown by luxuriant grape vines, whose dark, green foliage was now intermingled with clusters of the rich, purple fruit. At the right, and somewhat to the rear of the building, was a group of linden trees, overshadowing the whitewashed houses of the negroes, who imitating as far as possible the taste of their master, beautified their dwellings with hop-vines, creepers, hollyhocks and the like. Altogether, it was as 'Lena said, "just the kind of a place which one reads of in stories," and which is often found in the "sunny south." The interior of the building corresponded with the exterior, for with one exception, the residence of a wealthy Englishman, Mrs. Livingstone prided herself upon having the best furnished house in the county; consequently neither pains nor money had been spared in the selection of the furniture, which was of the most costly kind.

Carrie, the eldest of the daughters, was now about thirteen years of age. Proud, imperious, deceitful, and self-willed, she was hated by the servants, and disliked by her equals. Some thought her pretty. *She* felt sure of it, and many an hour she spent before the mirror, admiring herself and anticipating the time when she would be a grown-up lady, and as a matter of course, a belle. Her mother unfortunately belonged to that class who seem to think that the chief aim in life is to secure a "brilliant match," and thinking she could not commence too soon, she had early instilled into her favorite daughter's mind the necessity of appearing to the best possible advantage, when in the presence of wealth and distinction, pointing out her own marriage as a proof of the unhappiness resulting from unequal matches. In this way Carrie had early learned that her father owed his present position to her mother's condescension in marrying him—that he was once a poor boy living among the northern hills—that his parents were poor, ignorant and vulgar—and that there was with them a little girl, their daughter's child, who never had a father, and whom she must never on any occasion call her cousin.

All this had likewise been told to Anna, the youngest daughter, who was about 'Lena's age, but upon her it made no impression. If her father were once poor, he was in her opinion none the worse for that—and if *he* liked his parents, that was a sufficient reason why she should like them too, and if little 'Lena was an orphan, she pitied her, and hoped she might sometime see her and tell her so! Thus Anna reasoned, while her mother, terribly shocked at her low-bred taste, strove to instill into her mind some of her own more aristocratic notions. But all in vain, for Anna was purely democratic, loving everybody and beloved by everybody in return. It is true she had no particular liking for books or study of any kind, but she was gentle and affectionate in her manner, and kindly considerate of other people's feelings. With her father she was a favorite, and to her he always looked for sympathy, which she seldom failed to give—not in words, it is true, but whenever he seemed to be in trouble, she would climb into his lap, wind her arms around his neck, and laying her golden head upon his shoulder, would sit thus until his brow and heart grew lighter as he felt there was yet something in the wide world which loved and cared for him.

For Carrie, Mrs. Livingstone had great expectations, but Anna she feared would never make a "brilliant match." For a long time Anna meditated upon this, wondering what a "brilliant match" could mean, and at last she determined to seek an explanation from Captain Atherton, a bachelor and a millionaire, who was in the habit of visiting them, and who always noticed and petted her more than he did Carrie. Accordingly, the next time he came, and they were alone in the parlor, she broached the subject, asking him what it meant.

Laughing loudly, the Captain drew her toward him, saying, "Why, marrying rich, you tittle novice. For instance, if one of these days you should be my little wife, I dare say your mother would think you had made a brilliant match!" and the well-preserved gentleman of forty glanced complacently at himself in the mirror thinking how probable it was that his youthful looks would be unimpaired for at least ten years to come!

Anna laughed, for to her his words then conveyed no serious meaning, but with more than her usual quickness she replied, that "she would as soon marry her grandfather."

With Mrs. Livingstone the reader is partially acquainted. In her youth she had been pretty, and now at thirty-eight she was not without pretensions to beauty notwithstanding her sallow complexion and sunken eyes. Her hair, which was very abundant, was bright and glossy, and her mouth, in which the dentist had done his best, would have been handsome had it not been for a certain draw at the corners, which gave it a scornful and rather disagreeable expression. In her disposition she was over bearing and tyrannical, fond of ruling and deeming her husband a monster of ingratitude if ever in any way he manifested a spirit of rebellion. Didn't she marry him? and now they were married, didn't her money support him? And wasn't it exceedingly amiable in her always to speak of their children as *ours*. But as for the rest, 'twas *my* house, *my* servants, *my* carriage, and *my* horses. All *mine*—"Mrs. John Livingstone's—Miss Matilda Richards that was."

Occasionally, however, her husband's spirit was roused, and then, after a series of tears, sick-headaches, and then spasms, "Miss Matilda Richards that was" was compelled to yield, her face for many days wearing the look of a much-injured, heart broken woman. Still her influence over him was great, else she had never so effectually weakened every tie which bound him to his native home, making him ashamed of his parents and of everything pertaining to them. When her husband first wrote to her that his father was dead, and that he had promised to take charge of his mother and 'Lena, she flew into a violent rage, which was increased ten-fold when she received his second letter, wherein he announced his intention of bringing them home in spite of her. Bursting into tears, she declared "she'd leave the house before she'd have it filled up with a lot of paupers. Who did John Nichols think he was, and who did he think she was! Besides that, where was he going to put them? for there wasn't a place for them that she knew of!"

"Why, mother," said Anna, who was pleased with the prospect of a new grandmother and cousin, "Why, mother, what a story. There's the two big chambers and bedrooms, besides the one next to Carrie's and mine. O do put them in there. It'll be so nice to have grandma and cousin 'Lena so near me."

"Anna Livingstone!" returned the indignant lady, "Never let me hear you say grandma and cousin again."

"But they be grandma and cousin," persisted Anna, while her mother commenced lamenting the circumstance which had made them so, wishing, as she had often done before, that she had never married John Nichols.

"I reckon you are not the only one that wishes so," slily whispered John Jr., who was a witness to her emotion.

Anna was naturally of an inquiring mind, and her mother's last remark awoke within her a new and strange train of thought, causing her to wonder whose little girl she would have been, her father's or mother's, in case they had each married some one else! As there was no one whose opinion Anna dared to ask, the question is undoubtedly to this day, with her unsolved.

The next morning when Mrs. Livingstone arose, her anger of the day before was somewhat abated, and knowing from past experience that it was useless to resist her husband when once he was determined, she wisely concluded that as they were now probably on the road, it was best to try to endure, for a time at least, what could not be well helped.—And now arose the perplexing question, "What should she do with them? where should she put them that they would be most out of the way? she could never suffer them to be round when she had company." The chamber of which Anna had spoken was out of the question, for it was too nice, and besides that, it was reserved for the children of her New Orleans friends, who nearly every summer came up to visit her.

At the rear of the building was a long, low room, containing a fire place and two windows, which looked upon the negro quarters and the hemp fields beyond. This room, which in the summer was used for storing feather-beds, blankets and so forth, was plastered, but minus either paper or paint. Still it was quite comfortable, "better than they were accustomed to at home. Mr. Livingstone said, and this she decided to give them. Accordingly the negroes were set at work scrubbing the floor, washing the windows, and scouring the sills, until the room at least possessed the virtue of being clean. A faded carpet, discarded as good for nothing, and over which the rats had long held their nightly revels, was brought to light, shaken, mended, and nailed down --then came a bedstead, which Mrs. Livingstone had designed as a Christmas gift to one of the negroes, but which of course would do well enough for her mother-in-law. Next followed an old wooden rocking chair, whose ancestry Anna had tried in vain to trace, and which Carrie had often proposed burning. This, with two or three more chairs of a later date, a small wardrobe, and a square table, completed the furniture of the room, if we except the plain muslin curtains which shaded the windows, destitute of blinds. Taking it by itself, the room looked tolerably well, but when compared with the richly furnished apartments around it, it seemed meager and poor indeed; "but if they wanted anything better," Mrs. Livingstone said, "they could get it themselves. They were welcome to make any alterations they chose."

This mode of reasoning hardly satisfied Anna, and unknown to her mother she took from her own chamber a handsome hearth-rug, and carrying it to her grandmother's room, laid it before the fireplace. Coming accidentally upon a roll of green paper, she, with the help of Corinda, a black girl, made some shades for the windows, which faced the west, rendering the room intolerably hot during the summer season. Then, at the suggestion of Corinda, who, like many of her race, was possessed of considerable taste, she looped back the muslin curtains with some green ribbons, which she had intended using for her "dolly's dress." The bare appearance of the table troubled her, but by dint of rummaging, she brought to light a cast off spread, which, though soiled and worn, was on one side quite handsome.

"Now, if we only had something for the mantel," said she; "it seems so empty."

Corinda thought a moment, and then rolling up the whites of her eyes, replied, "Don't you mind them little pitchers," (meaning vases,) "which Master Atherton done gin you? They'd look mighty fine up thar, full of sprigs and posies."

Without hesitating a moment Anna brought the vases, and as she did not know the exact time when her grandmother would arrive, she determined to fill them with fresh flowers every morning.

"There, it looks a heap better, don't it, Carrie?" said she to her sister, who chanced to be passing the door and looked in.

"You must be smart," answered Carrie, "taking so much pains just for them; and as I live, if you havn't got those elegant vases that Captain Atherton gave you for a birth-day present. I know mother won't like it. I mean to tell her; and away she ran with the important news.

"There, I told you so," said she, quickly returning. "She says you carry them straight back and let the room alone."

Anna began to cry, saying "the vases were her's, and she should think she might do what she pleased with them."

"What did you go and blab for, you great for shame, you?" exclaimed John suddenly appearing in the doorway, at the same time giving Carrie a push, which set *her* to crying, and brought Mrs. Livingston to the scene of action.

"Can't my vases stay in here? Nobody 'll hurt 'em, and the'll look so pretty," said Anna.

"Can't that hateful John behave, and let me alone?" said Carrie.

"And can't Carrie quit sticking her nose in other folks' business?" chimed in John Jr.

"Oh Lordy, what a fuss," said Corinda, while poor Mrs. Livingstone, half distracted, took refuge under one of her dreadful headaches, and telling her children "to fight their own battles and let her alone," returned to her room.

"A body'd s'pose marster's kin wan't of no kind o' count," said Aunt Milly, the head cook, to a group of sables, who, in the kitchen, were discussing the furniture of the "trump'ry room," as they were in the habit of calling the chamber set apart for Mrs. Nichols. "Yes, they would s'pose they warn't of no kind o' count, the way miss goes on, ravin' and tarin', and puttin' 'em off with low-lived truck that we black folks wouldn't begin to tache with the tongs. Massy knows if my ole mother warn't dead and gone to kingdom come, I should never think o' sarvin' her so, and I don't set myself up to be nothin' but an ole nigger, and a black one at that. But Lor', that's the way with more'n half the white folks. They jine the church, and then they think they done got a title deed to one of them houses up in heaven, (that nobody ever built,) sure enough. Goin' straight thar, as fast as a span of race-horses can carry 'em. Ki! Won't they be disappinted, some on 'em, and Miss Matilda long the rest, when she drives up, hosses all a reekin' sweat, and spects to walk straight into the best room, but is told to go to the kitchen and turn hoe-cakes for us niggers, who are eatin' at the fust table, with silver forks and napkins—?"

Here old Milly stopped to breathe, and her daughter Vine, who had listened breathlessly to her mother's description of the "good time coming," asked "when these things come to pass, if Miss Carrie wouldn't have to swing the feathers over the table to keep off the flies, instead of herself?"

"Yes, that she will, child," returned her mother. "Things is all gwine to be changed in the wink of your eye. Miss Anna read that very tex' to me last Sunday, and I knew in a minit what it meant Now thar's Miss Anna, blessed lamb. She's one of 'em that'll wear her white gowns and stay in t'other room, with her face shinin' like an ile lamp!"

While this interesting conversation was going on in the kitchen, John Jr., in the parlor, was teasing his mother for money, with which to go up to Lexington the next day. "You may just as well give it to me without any fuss," said he, "for if you don't, I'll get my bills at the Phœnix charged. The old man is good, and they'll trust. But then a feller feels more independent when he can pay down, and treat a friend, if he likes; so hand over four or five V's."

At first Mrs. Livinstone refused, but her head ached so hard and her "nerves trembled so," that she did not feel equal to the task of contending with John Jr, who was always sure in the end to have his own way. Yielding at last to his importunities, she gave him fifteen dollars, charging him to "keep out of bad company and be a good boy."

"Trust me for that," said he, and pulling the tail of Anna's pet kitten, upsetting Carrie's work-box, poking a black baby's ribs with his walking cane, and knocking down a cob-house, which "Thomas Jefferson" had been all day building, he mounted his favorite "Firelock," and together with a young negro, rode off.

"The Lord send us a little peace now," said Aunt Milly, tossing her squalling baby up in the air, and telling Thomas Jefferson not to cry, "for his young master was done gone off."

"And I hope to goodness he'll stay off a spell," she added," for thar's ole Sam to pay the whole time he's at home, and if ever thar was a tickled critter in this world it's me, when he clar's out."

"I'm glad, too," said Anna, who had been sent to the kitchen to stop the screaming; "and I wish he'd stay ever so long, for I don't take a bit of comfort when he's at home."

"Great hateful! I wish he didn't live here," said Carrie, gathering up her spools, thimble and scissors, while Mrs. Livingtone, feeling that his absence had taken a load from her shoulders, settled herself upon her silken lounge and tried to sleep.

Amid all this rejoicing at his departure, John Jr. put spurs to the fleet Fire'ock, who soon carried him to Lexington where as we have seen, he came unexpectedly upon his father, who, not daring to trust him on horsebacka, lest he should play the truant, took him into the stage with himself, leaving Firelock to the care of the negro.

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