Through dreary days and darker nights, To trace the march of death; To hear the faint and frequent sigh, The quick and shorten'd breath; To watch the last dread strife draw near And pray that struggle brief, Though all is ended with its close-

To see, in one short hour, decay'd The hope of future years, To feel how vain a father's prayers, How vain a mother's tears; To think the cold grave now must close O'er what was once the chief,

Of all the treasured joys of earth-This is a mother's grief! Yet when the first wild throb is past

me—tell me that you still love me!" Of anguish and dispair, To lift the eye of faith to heaven, And think, "My child is there!" This best can dry the gushing tears, This yields the heart relief; and poor Grace fell forward fainting. Until the Christian's pious hope O'ercomes a mother's grief.

Diterature. TEMPTATION:

faintly said:

Augusta?

Augusta said to her mother:

cautiously communicated to her, though its piquant expression and riant loveliness he, as yet, hardly knew himself; but he and retired to think over the new phase and smillingly replied: those around her were thoughful enough "There is little danger of successful make Augusta love him with all the fiery room.

to leave her to suppose that he had lost rivalry against you, Augusta; for you are strength of her nature, and leave the his life by drowning; the wound in his just the style of a woman that men lose future to work out itself. side, and the fact of a duel having taken their senses about. As to poor Grace, she They promenaded till a late hour of the lover, was carefully concealed from her, you will do well to make sure of him." to call on her at an early hour on the fol- money refunded. See adv. for the shock of her brother's untimely "Oh, mother that sounds so business. lowing morning.

mination of her dream of wedded bliss, West Indian has certainly awakened feel. down to the beach, and walked to and stocking? Darn it! proved too much for one strong neither ings in my heart that are entirely new to fro, planning, scheming, and arranging in The remains of Ernest were consigned for true love, and not on account of the Grace Arden know that he was yet living wealth he is said to possess." "Don't be so sentimental, child, as to Ashley were one.

while she lay in her darkened room raving spoil all. That style of thing does not

that which preceded it," was the gay re- himself, he felt almost sure of the game doors-his landlady not being willing to Friends gathered around her, whose ply as the speaker looked into her mir he intended to play. He felt quite secure take the indebtedness of the world on Also a beautiful assortment of Spring charms as hers would bring any man to her cousin whose name he had assumed had unmerited sufferings; every attention feet on whom she condescended to lavish bequeathed him his seal ring, with several was lavished upon her; but in spite of all her wiles.

their efforts to cheer her, when the fever abated, and immediate danger was past, Miss Arden fell into a state of apathetic supple and graceful as that of the pan- the United States, but had returned home liver, indigestion, bad breath, flatulency, depression which caused those most deepther; her complexion, of a soft creamy the previous spring, to die of one of the and sick headache, they are a sure As health returned, a silent melancholy, tinge of color; her starry eyes flashed which his property was situated. derangement; fastened upon her, and the of dark brown hair, soft and fine as silk, would have heard of Larne's death, or be. band pretended to be much struck with physician who had attended her from formed an ensemble as piquant as it was able to detect the imposter who had taken her, but now she was every day struck

abandon of manner and a quickness of re- was the same, and Leon's complexion was and roused from the stupor that seemed partee which rendered her the cynosure easily tinged to the olive hue of that of "The half dozen Minard's Liniment of attraction in every company in which his deceased relative. she appeared. But change of place, and contact with

strangers, Grace nervously shrank from, and she entreated that she might only be May in the hopes that she would there his room. As he stepped upon the piazza, cured and pronounce it the best medileft alone—that solitude was the only find some lover worthy to bear off all a young man, who sat alone smoking a cine ever used by them. I shall anxi-But Dr. Manton knew better, and he dear Augusta had become so oppressive ed forward, exclaiming: would not listen to her objections; he de- to her, that she was anxious to bestow "Good heavens! who are you? 'It is It is said that a pair of pretty eyes clared that too much for her was at stake her expensive darling on any suitable the witching hour of night, when ghosts are the best mirror for a man to shave for her hand.

ly person for the conquest of Leon Ashley know that he is dead.' He wrote to an old friend of Miss Ar- and went with a beating heart to join the

to take charge of the wealthy heiress, and room, and with eager impressement in. and said: travel withersoever her medical attendant sisted that she should waltz with no one Mrs. Maitland, who had a handsome each other but four days, but in that brief were first cousins, and so nearly alike as fore one bottle was used, I was cured. daughter to marry off, eagerly grasped at assumed the phase of passion, and care- brothers. The untimely fate of poor ware of Electric or Electron Oils, as the proposal; and it was settled that less of consequences-heedless of what Leon filled me with sorrow, for with many they are imitations of Dr, Thomas' in the early part of August that lady had brought him there, Larne pursued faults, he also possessed many excellent Eclectric Oil.

There she seemed to revive slowly un- and as she floated around the large ball. strange that your voice sounds exactly stowed upon the dead, wrote upon the lady; but there was not much congenialclasp, he breathed the sweetest flatteries ing with me." ity between her handsome and coquettish in her ear, and the subtle poison entered "Yet, if you go to Ashurst, the residaughter and the half broken-hearted her heart as it had done into those of dence of my uncle' you will be shown the DINNER BELL;' as Byron calls it, sugmany before her.

Augusta Maitland was in the first bloom of life and spirits; too full of the enjoy- fessed to adore her, though there was no ceive that I am many shades darker than ment and pleasures of youth to have much word of marriage in all his tender non- your friend was, though, in other respects, egregiously out of proportion to the heat and glare of the ball-room to one of alike.' soon became a belle, and in her numerous heat and giare of the ball-room to one of the long piazzas which was in a great "And with good cause, too! By Jove! happy stomach. There is a remedy, engagements left the care of amusing measure deserted. Augusta promenaded never saw anything like it, never!" there till a late hour, listening to the elo-The sea air strengthened the body of quent vows of Larne, charmed and be form me to whom I have the pleasure of wildered by the new phase of life which speaking?" seemed to be opening before her.

He finally asked: ill or only too much depressed to appear in cousin. would have been a deep affliction to Grace Arden, but now it was completely over- heiress to a large estate." shadowed by the calamity which had so

" Poor Grace! It is very true that she from you. cruelly, and unexpectedly, shattered her is enormously rich, but her money is of very little use to her. Her health and spirits are both broken by the trials she It was at last thought best to tell her has lately gone through."

"What trials? Pray enlighten me. am a stranger here, and cannot be ex-"Oh, I thought every one had heard the story, it is so dreadful and notorious. She was actually married to a son of Judge pretty girl; the last time the lady proved was scarcely completed when a stranger burst among the company, and declared that young Ashley had a wife living. Im-

Strange as it may seem, Grace felt as if agine the scene that followed. But that and her bridegroom met in the grounds around Arden Place, and both fell in the for she felt that she could never have parduel that took place. Since that time Grace has been more like one demented doned him for taking a life so precious to than a sane woman. She sits for hours her as that of Leon Ashley. It was well looking at vacancy, and it is often impos. said: that the grave should hide him from her sibit to arouse her to what is passing

"This is a tragic story, indeed! But this unfortunate girl must execrate the memory of him who wronged her so deeply, and then destroyed her brother?"

"One would naturally think so; but her infatuation about Leon Ashley is so tenacity which bade defiance to time or great that she refuses to listen to a word against him. She cherishes his memory with fanatical affection, and if one could read her heart, I believe that even the and he trembled so violently that he could Miss Arden possessed one talent which death of her brother, caused by the wound scarcely stand. He managed to control inflicted upon him, would be excused if his voice sufficiently to ask: she knew it; but she does not. She has

> perished by suicide.' Ashley started, and quickly asked; "Why was that done?"

day she commenced a new one, and threw great that her physician believed, if the it aside as lacking some trait of the whole truth was told, the shock would went to Maryland in pursuit of her hus-"Because her mental anguish was so whole truth was told, the shock would destroy her mind. I do not think myself that she has much to destroy; she is a quiet and patient creature, but dreadfully shen Augusta Maitland came into her whole truth was told, the shock would band, leaving the poor wife so ill that there was little chance that she would long prove a burden to any one. After he went away she seemed to get better, he went away she seemed to get better, when Augusta Maitland came into her stupid ?"

he abruptly asked: "Do you think that Miss Arden grieves pened." "It is a great pity you will not come into more over the death of her lover than Larne was listening with vivid intent-

the parlor, Grace, for there is a gentleman over that of her brother?" "I am convinced that she does, for she here who wonderfully resembles this handspends her days in drawing likenesses of was it singular?"

The pale, wistful face was turned toward poor Grace must have seen you this after- to bed as twilight was deepening in the her with some appearance of interest, and noon as you passed her window, for she "What is the name of this gentleman, Leon Ashley's ghost, and fainted dead away. When she came to herself again, "He is a Mr. Larne, a dashing and was obliged; give her a composing pearls upon her brow. Oh, Leon—my wealthy planter from St. Croix. Oh! you draught, and weith her sleeping off the husband—they are decking her for you, do not know what a charming fellow he effects."

will walk with him under your window comed by her in spite of his unlucky envoted since he made his appearance at the "I believe he would; Indeed, I am sure which made Miss Arden poor Leon's of it, if it were not for the first wife. She wife. Hunter now bitterly regrets that A sudden tremor seized Miss Arden, would stand in the way, you know; the he went to Maryland at all, since it did

window opposite which grew a rose bush, tie which the law does not recognize as and framed between the clustering leaves | binding on her."

her. Believing it to be an apparition, she his likeness. Oh, Leon! Leon! are you asylum."

indeed near me? Come to me-speak to The possibility thus suggested threw Miss Maitland had seated herself, and bilities of the future were slowly unrolling bound her to himself if he could once before she could arise and rush to the themselves before him, and he aroused convince her of its legality. window to see what had so deeply moved himself from his preoccupation to become her companion, the face had disappeared, more tender and lover-like to the fair woman leaning upon his arm than he ever It was long before she shewed any signs had been before.

Mrs. Maitland prescribed composing drops, and after taking them the hapless the thought came to him that no woman

While adorning herself for conquest, Augusta Maitland had much in common with herself, and Ashley intuitively felt "Mr. Larne seems deeply interested in that this woman was the true wife for such syren the partner of his life, the sharer the sad history of Grace. He has asked a man as he felt himself to be. She would of the fortune so nefariously gained. me so many questions about her, that, if she were more attractive, I should begin with passion equal to his own; she would many scruples of conscience, and he to be jealous of her. I intend to win this help him to extricate himself from the smiled serenely as he heard Parker talk While these scenes were enacting at Ashurst, Grace Arden lay in her desolate home, vibrating between life and death.

The fate of her brother had been in
The fate of her brother had

will never care to win another lover. If night, and Ashley then left her at the door place between Ernest and her recreant this Mr. Larne is as wealthy as is reported of her mother's apartment, with a promise Lung Balsam Relief is warranted or

fate, coming so soon after the abrupt ter- like! and for the first time in my life I The moon was shining brilliantly, and am inclined to be romantic. This young too much excited to sleep, Ashley went

in wild delirium, calling constantly to suit your sparkling beauty, and this new a communication with her, if he could ob- Every family should keep it in the Leon Ashley to return to her, and promis. Antinous does not seem one to appreci- tain any assurance that his presence would house not be odious to her; this he had adroitly "Oh, I intend to make him think each gained from Augusta, and fully aware of all; to believe nothing to his disadvantage phase of my humor more charming than how weak Miss Arden was with regard to "owes a living" has been turned out of ror with the assured conviction that such in the disguise he had adopted, for the her shoulders. other articles bearing his initials, and in or in the crowded city, Ayer's Cathartic Woollens and Worsteds, making the Augusta Maitland was indeed a very his exodus from Ashurst he had been Pills are the best for purgative purposes most complete Stock ever opened in the

> his name. One was fair, and the other Added to these charms, she had a gay dark, but the color of the eyes and hair by him.

After walking till he was wearied, and She was now in her nineteenth year, his scheming brain aching for repose, and her mother had brought her to Cape Ashley turned toward the hotel to seek my rheumatic neighbors have been these perfections, for Mrs. Maitland was cigar, and looking at the effect of the ously wait for the 15 gross ordered as not rich, and the exacting wants of her moonlight upon the water, suddenly start- customers are waiting for it.

recognized him, his self-possession did not swelled ankle, which caused me much Ashley met her at the door of the ball. desert him. He bowed ceremoniously pain and annoyance. Mr. Maybee of

"Your mistake is not strange, sir, since Eclectric Oil for it. I tried it, and be save himself that night. They had known that unfortunate young man and myself time the mutual prepossession had almost to have been often mistaken for twin It is an article of great value." Be traits of character."

the invalid with her to Cape May for the had, never been so completely enthralled as handled for the handled as handled for the handled for th he now was by the fascinating Augusta, ed, he was a trump. But it's duced observed the indiscriminate praises beroom with her head resting upon his like his, too. I could almost swear that gate-post the following line: "Here breast, her form held in his wreathing Ashley is standing before me, and speak-

> grave of my cousin, and learn the tragic That night completed the onquest of story of his fate. To-morrow, when you

"Oh, excuse me; I forgot that we are reall strangers. I am Tom Parker, and I " Is the friend who is here with you too was in the same class at Yale with your public? I have heard many inquiries "I am happy to make you acquaintance

made about her, for she is said to be the Mr. Parker, and I shall be glad to learn

did well enough, for he took the shine of tiny pink nails. A thick growth of all the rest of us. It was no trouble to flaxen hair on the infant's head added him to learn anything, and he had so much the more leisure for playing off his pranks. Twice he was rusticated, and both times hours. he amused his leisure by flirting with a the sharpest, for somehow she induced that gay deceiver to marry her. It was that unlucky marriage which led to the

Parker stopped, and the listener ex-perienced the keenest desire to know what could so effectually have turned the course of the late events, but he carelessly

"The result naturally followed the cause. Of course young Arden was compelled to fight the man who had offered such an insult to his sister." "Yes-but they do say that the young lady would have forgiven almost any insult Leon Ashley could have offered her,

and it is certain that if the poor fellow were still living, he could claim Grace Arpen as his lawfully wedded wife.' Larne almost cried out at this assertion

"How can that possibly be? The girl been led to believe that Ernest Arden he first married was living when the second union took place. "That was the mistake they all made. I am just from New York, where I saw Eva Weston's cousin, James Hunter, and

The listener half smiled, and presently and was able to sit up a fews hours every evening, till a very strange thing hap-

ness, and he yaguely muttered: "Yes-yes; what happened then? how

room. Suddenly she cried out. "There is Leon's bride!-I see her with her shining robe, and the crown of

and I am forgotton—deserted!" The vivid interest with which this reve- "Her voice arose with each word she uttered, but it was quenched by a a sudden rush of blood to her mouth. The the public parlor wearing my deep mourning, but I should be glad to have an op- and screened her companion's face from in half an hour she was dead in spite of all their efforts to save her. On his return, Hunter inquired the precise hour "If Miss Arden's lover would only rise of her decease, and satisfied himself that which would cost her little trouble. "I from the dead, he would be tenderly welfore the marriage ceremony commenced

Ashley had listened breathlessly to she saw the face she had so yearned to be "Indeed! Then she must be a romantic this revelation, and he could have shouted aloud for joy at the power over Grace "Only a little touched here," and Arden's fate which was thus placed in Augusta placed her finger significantly his hands. He knew that she was a "His ghost has come to upbraid me for upon her brow. "I should not wonder if rigid member of that church which does even wishing to look on one who bears Grace Arden ended her days in a lunatic not tolerate divorce, and he felt assured that her tender conscience would not Ashley into a deep reverie. The possi- permit her to repudiate the tie that

Satisfied of this, Ashley knew that her adoring love for himself would accomplish the rest, and place her future enof returning animation, and then her mind seemed to those around her to wander. She insisted that the wrath of her twould not now be long before she should rejoin him in the land of spirits to which he had preceded her.

Mrs. Maitland, prescribed, composing.

had been before.

Entranced, bewildered, carried away by the sudden and violent passion which had seized upon her whole being, the gay and laughter-loving Augusta Maitland listened to his seductive flatteries as if every hope in life had suddenly been suspended on the words that fell from those false lips.

A smile of triumph prescribed, there is and place her future entirely at his mercy. Thus he saw the way clear to grasp the fortune he so ardently coveted, and the hint thrown out by Augusta Maitland on that night induced him to believe that he could easily rid himself of poor Grace after her wealth had been secured.

The treatment she would receive from girl fell into a heavy slumber, which per-mitted her friends to leave her in charge of to cast over her, and this last and most restore the tottering mind, and once safe separation which would satisfy himself

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clamation, on finding a hole in your

me. If I can win him, I shall accept him his own mind the safest method of letting croup. Many children have died while —that the dashing islander and Leon Ashley were one.

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charming young creature. Her figure, slightly below the medium height, was real Larne had been partially educated in and safe. For sluggish bowels, torpid with spirit and mirth; her exquisite There was little probability that any A woman said in a police-court the

mouth and pearly white teeth—her wealth one found at a northern watering place other day, that before marriage her hus-

Charles M. Wilson of Oregon, writes: came to hand all right and has cured me of my neuralgia, while not a few of

however, and its name is Northrop & peptic Cure. No case is entirely hope-

Curiosity hunters of New York went wild over a half-pound baby last week. When the little creature was weighed it kicked the beam at exactly half-pound. something of my cousin's college career Its head was about as large as an ordinary baseball. Its hands were not much larger than a squirrel's paws, but the "So far as books were concerned, Leon fingers were well shaped and they had considerably to its diminutive appear-The child lived twenty-seven

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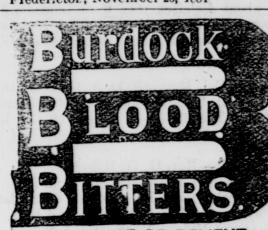
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to the tomb with every mark of respect, ing in most pathetic tones to forgive him ate a love-lorn damsel." if he would only come back once more. sympathies were deeply enlisted in her

which it was believed might end in her childhood, declared that she must be removed from the scene of her recent trials, creeping over all her faculties.

to permit him to do so, and he insisted that she should visit the sea shore at as early a season as possible. den's mother, a widow lady of the name first waltz which she had promised to of his former class mates, who evidently "For weeks I was troubled with of Maitland, who he knew would be happy

balm for her wounded heart.

should come to Arden place, and remove his usualcourse of self-indulgence. benefit of sea bathing der the care lavished on her by the elder

sympathy for the depressed invalid. She Miss Arden entirely to her mother. the suffering girl, but the poor wandering mind groped more darkly every day after her lost happiness. Under other circumstances, the death of her young brother

that Leon Ashley was also dead; that he had met her brother in deadly combat, and received his death wound, through the pected to understand your allusion. fact that Ernest had perished through his agency was still withheld from her. She was left to suppose that he had committed Ashley of Maryland; but the ceremony suicide in a moment of remorse for the crime he had committed against her lover. her brother had expiated his great sin against herself in the only way left to him,

earthly hopes.

reproaches, for she had no forgiveness in her heart for him who had raised his hand against the life of her idol. With all the morbid strength of her nature, she had loved her betrothed, and she clung to his memory with a mournful

had been assiduously cultivated, and she had acquired much skill in the use of her pencil. Drawing was now the only employment that afforded her any interest, and it was melancholy to look over her portfolia and find in every leaf an unfinished head of Leon Ashley; for each

her shoulder, said:

room, and unceremoniously looking over

grew wild, declared that she had seen

"If he resembles the original of this, he lation was listened to, was concealed from must be all you say," replied Grace, with Miss Maitland by the obscurity in which a sad smile. "I do not wish to go into the two stood, for a passing cloud swept portunity of seeing this gentleman." "Perhaps we can manage it," replied After a pause, he jestingly said: Augusta, willing to give her a pleasure

this evening, for he has been my most de- counter with her brother." and she sunk back upon her chair, with a marriage was not a legal one, though poor his cousin no good, and ended so tragicfaint cry. She was sitting near an open Grace attaches much sanctity to the flimsy ally for all concerned."

hold once more gazing earnestly upon person."

a waiting woman, while they dressed and joined in the festivities of the night.

brilliant conquest was the crowning one in a madhouse, he would seek a legal separation which would satisfy himself

adorer who presented himself as a suitor do walk,' and I am constrained to believe by. Whether this be so or not, it is unthat you are that of Leon Ashley, although questionably the case that many a man So Augusta Maitland adorned her love- you look solid enough to be real, and I has been shaved by them. Brought suddenly face to face with one A. M. Hamilton, Warkworth, writes

Miss Maitland's affections. Ashley pro see me by a clearer light, you will persense. They finally withdrew from the we have been considered remarkably quantity of food he eats, which lies un-

wealth had been secured.

and Augusta, and make that enchanting

was resolved on one thing: he would of his affairs in the solitude of his own (To be continued)

Instantly is none too quick to relieve

lies the dead, and here the living lie!" THAT "TOCSIN OF THE SOUL, THE gests no pleasing reflections to the dyspeptic, bilious sufferer. He partakes, of has, in consequence of the Fire, removed from course, but the subsequent torment is digested, a weight like lead in his un-

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