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Poetry.

The Easter Guest.

I knew Thou wert coming, O Lord divine;
I felt in the sunlight a softened shine,
And a murmur of welcome I thought I heard,
In the ripple of brook and the chirp of bird;
And the bursting buds and the springing grass
Seemed to be waiting to see Thee pass;
And the sky, and the sea, and the throbbing sod,
Pulsed and thrilled to the touch of God.

I knew Thou wert coming, O Love divine,
To gather the world's heart up to Thine;
I knew the bonds of the rock-hewn grave
Were riven, that living, Thy life might save.
But blind and wayward, I could not see
Thou wert coming to dwell with me, e'en me,
And my heart, o'erburdened with care and sin,
Had no fair chamber to take Thee in.

Now let me come nearer, O Christ divine,
Make in my soul for Thyself a shrine;
Cleanse, till the desolate place shall be
Fit for a dwelling, dear Lord, for Thee.
Rear, if Thou wilt, a throne in my breast,
Reign, I will worship and serve my guest.
While Thou art in me, and in Thee I abide,
What end can there be to the Easter-tide?

—*Mary Lowe Dickinson.*

Select Tale.

THE DUMMY DETECTIVE.

I was the youngest detective on the force and was burning to distinguish myself.

So far chance had not favored me with a first-class murder or robbery, because the older and more experienced officers were always detailed to ferret out those cases.

Sometimes, through the aid given them by wideawake newspaper reporters these older foxes were successful and then, of course, claimed and took all the credit for superior skill and shrewdness. If they failed—as they often did—to bag their game they had laid the fault to papers for making the affair public and thus giving the rogues an opportunity to slip away or cover up their tracks.

One day while I was meditating if it wouldn't pay me to go to England and catch Mr. Jack, the Ripper, I was called into the inner sanctum by our chief and ordered to report for duty on the morrow at one of the largest and most fashionable retail dry-goods stores in the city.

I was there to see the head of the house and from him learn what I was to do.

Although it didn't look like a job wherein I should run a risk of life or gain a great reputation, I was well pleased at the commission and resolved that my part of it shouldn't be a failure. Accordingly the next morning found me in the private office of the grand store having a strictly confidential interview with its senior partner.

I was informed that in their cloak department many thefts had recently taken place, and that in spite of careful watching there was not the slightest clue to the thief.

The garments stolen had been furtrimmed cloaks of high value, and were all taken from the dummies standing about the floor, on which said articles were hung to show them to advantage and also beautify the salesroom.

I asked the usual questions concerning the many and decidedly pretty young ladies employed in the department, but the firm scouted the thought that any of them had anything to do with the robberies and gave me to infer that the thefts were committed by professional shoplifters.

After a little more talk, which helped me not at all, I was introduced to the gentleman at the head of the cloak room and left to follow my own way of nabbing the culprit.

The thefts had all, as far as my cloak manager knew, been done during the busiest part of the day when the floor was thronged with lady shoppers. The handsomest and most expensive garments were displayed on the dummies and frequently renewed each day, for, owing to their catching the ladies' eyes by hanging naturally from the shapely skeleton forms, they sold much quicker than if left undistinguished among the hundreds of others.

Taking my position in the establishment as the new floor walker and being so pointed out to the young lady employes, I began my rather unexciting and too easy task.

In my best suit and necktie, with my good looks enhanced by a tonsorial artist, and all smiles and bows, I made out to be tolerably busy at doing nothing, and meeting and greeting the stylishly dressed crowds of eager shoppers and directing them, as well as my short knowledge of mercantile business let me, to the objects of which they were in search.

I also put on airs of authority for the benefit of the young salesladies so they wouldn't by their manners cause any suspicion to the party or parties I was expecting to capture.

I watched everybody and everything—noticed that each cloak-arrayed dummy was generally being examined by one or more admiring and enthusiastic female shoppers, who not only used their sparkling eyes, but also their daintly gloved fingers in obtaining a knowledge of the garments displayed as a bait for their husband's hard earned money.

I noticed, too, that probably half of the shoppers came there without the faintest idea of buying—merely to enjoy the intoxication of hunting for bargains and giving the polite and attentive saleslades as much trouble as possible.

I saw many more things which aroused my suspicions and curiosity during the day and I never for a moment left my station—not even for lunch—till the place was closed for the night and all the hands had gone.

Then, to my surprise and chagrin, I was informed by the manager that two valuable cloaks had been stolen right under my nose.

The job of catching the thief wasn't as easy as I supposed and I began to think I wasn't much of a detective, after all—at least, when there was a woman in the case.

But I dared not show any signs of not knowing my business, and, assuming an 'all right' manner, I told my cloak man that on the next day the bird would be trapped, and it always took a while to make observations and form theories, and then I arranged to meet him on the floor early in the coming morning before any of the employes arrived.

Before I went to sleep that night I laid my plans.

In the morning bright and early I was around, and with the manager alone went on the cloak floor to make the needful preparations to distinguish or extinguish myself.

Selecting one of the largest dummies and seeing that the brown muslin dress over its skeleton frame was in good order and reached to the floor, I told my astonished dry-goods man that I intended to hide under it and then lie in wait for the thief, who I meant to nab when the cloak over me was removed, being, of course, able to know that by the light of the salesroom shining through the thin muslin covering.

He smiled at the queerness of the proceeding, but told me to go ahead and promised to be on hand in case I wanted assistance.

Putting on the dummy an elegant cloak for bait, he helped me to hide securely under it, and wishing me success, he left me with a laugh which, I must say, I didn't feel like echoing.

Soon I heard the store people tramping in and the young saleslades tripping by me and chatting gaily as they laid aside their wraps and hats preparatory to commencing the labors of the day.

They seemed immensely merry over something very funny, and their peals of musical laughter sounded sweet to my eager ears until, alas, I sadly discovered that I, the new floor-walker, was the subject of their witticisms and ridicule.

How I wanted to suddenly pop out from my ignoble hiding place and squelch them as they deserved, but the certainty of only making myself more ridiculous and being met with redoubled laughter kept me in my mean and unhappy position—under a female skirt.

By and by, and greatly to my mind's relief, the smart remarks followed by peals of merriment gave way to the sober hum and bustle of business.

For hours I sat in my cramped and uncomfortable hiding place, feeling like a fool and, no doubt, looking like one. Crazily excited shoppers brushed against the dummy, beneath which a bigger dummy squatted, and several times nearly knocked it over, so I had plenty of occupation in holding it down. Once the cold sweat came out all over me and my hair stood up straight when some one tried to lift my strange tent from the floor and expose the 'handsome new floor-walker,' squatting like a tailor and looking like a boiled lobster under it.

You may believe I held on with a grip which death itself couldn't unclasp till the danger was gone.

Noon time came. Hungry, thirsty, tired and bones aching from cramp, there I was and there I had to stick till night or my anxiously hoped for shop-lifter came—if that was her day.

I heard the clock strike '2' and '3,' and '4,' and in spite of patience and grit, and pride, and everything, I swore at myself and laughed at myself, and vowed to myself that never more would I undertake to be smarter than a woman. Henceforth I should confine my detective abilities exclusively to male 'Jack the Rippers' or bank cashiers or else peddle peanuts for a living.

While thus engaged in sorrowful meditations and trying painfully to ease my cramped body without exciting attention, I was aroused by someone tugging at the cloak, and lifting the dummy's skirt I could just see a pair of dainty feet. Then, in an instant, off the cloak slipped—the dim light shining through the dummy's muslin covering telling me—and like a flash I grabbed the ankles of the pretty feet I was watching, sprung from my hiding hole and—of all the shrieks and blushes and indignation I ever knew, those from the elegantly dressed and exquisitely beautiful young lady I had so ungallantly and meanly captured took the prize.

At once I was the center of a panic-stricken and terribly angry mob of females who wanted to kill me, and toss what was left of my miserable carcass out the window. And if the big department manager had not promptly rescued me from their clutches, after my coat-tails had been ripped off and my fine side whiskers badly damaged, they would have done it.

During the battle, and careless of my injuries, I kept tight hold of my fair prisoner—only instead of grasping her pretty ankles I shifted to her equally pretty wrists.

Her sweet, innocent and beautiful indignation seemed so real that I feared an awful mistake had been made, and began to figure how many years' salary I should have to pay for damages. But when she was searched, with due apologies for the the apparent necessity, the amount of pawn tickets for cloaks found in her stocking—by the female searcher of course—saved my bacon and put me in the papers as one of the most skilful detectives on record.

SIX THINGS A BOY OUGHT TO KNOW.—First—That a quiet voice, courtesy and kind acts are as essential to the part in the world of a gentleman as of a gentlewoman. Second—That roughness blustering and even foolhardiness are not manliness. The most firm and courageous men have usually been the most gentle. Third—That muscular strength is not health. Fourth—That a brain crammed only with facts is not necessarily a wise one. Fifth—That the labour impossible to the boy of fourteen will be easy to the man of twenty. Sixth—That the best capital for a boy is not money, but a love of work, simple tastes, and a heart loyal to his friends and his God.

'Well,' said the merchant to the young clerk whom he had sent out collecting, 'did you have any luck?'

'Some.'

'I suppose you got the amount Mr. Fatherington owes. You said he was a personal friend of yours.'

'No, I didn't get the money; the fact is I don't exactly know what to make of my experience there.'

'How was it?'

'I went in and said, 'Mr. Fatherington, I called to speak about a little matter'—I didn't get any further when he put in with, 'That's all right, my boy; she is yours: take her and be happy.'

'Don't you think, Evelina, dear, you—er—need a little protection?'

'Possibly, George. But I don't know as I am in favor of quite so much raw material.'

And then he picked up his hat and went out into the damp fog of a relentless world.

Miss Juliette Miller of Colusa, Cal., is evidently not looking for a husband. She won a jewel case for the following definition: 'Man—A creature made in the likeness of his Creator, yet with less fortitude than a woman and less fidelity than a dog.'

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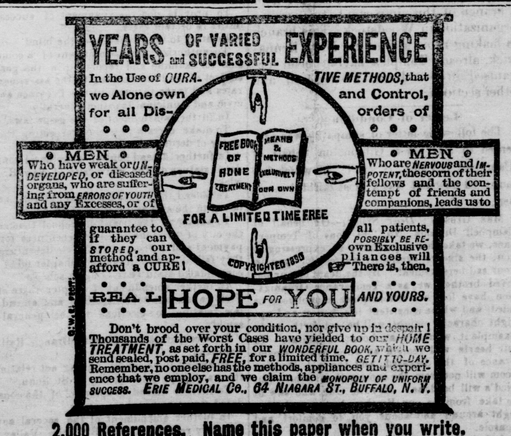

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Local & Foreign Items.

The census of Canada was taken at a cost of half a million of dollars.

The house of S. V. Kitchen, at Fort Madison, Wis., was burned on the 6th inst. Mr. Kitchen, his wife, three children, his wife's sister and a boarder were burned to death.

Senator Stenford has refused an offer of $110,000, for the stallion, "Advertiser."

During a rabbit drive recently near Carruthers, Cal., 10,000 of the animals were killed.

Immense beds of silver have been discovered in the bottom of the Bay of San Blas, Argentine Republic.

A bill for the abolition of the Legislative Council of Prince Edward Island has passed the House of Assembly of that Province.

The Ladies Delighted.

The pleasant effect and the perfect safety with which ladies may use the liquid fruit laxative, Syrup of Figs, under all conditions make it their favorite remedy. It is pleasing to the eye and to the taste, gentle, yet effectual in acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels.

The British House of Commons has rejected the Bill to reduce the day of miners to eight hours by a vote of 272 to 160.

Mr J. E Humphrey, 46 Bond Street, Toronto, says Burdock Blood Bitters wrought a complete cure of dyspepsia in his case after all else had failed.

The number of immigrants landed in the United States during the month of February was 26,068 and during the twelve months ending Feb 29th 264,065.

To prevent the appearance of age, use Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers.

It is understood that when the Prince of Wales comes to the throne he will take up his residence in London, fixing his abode at Buckingham Palace. Marlborough House, in such circumstances, becomes the town residence of his son, who will then take the title of Prince of Wales.

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A quantity of black snow has fallen in the neighbourhood of Dicken Petersell, in the canton of Geneva. This curious colouring, as it is now well known, is attributable to the presence in the snow of a fungus.

Mrs. Jane Vansickle, Alberton Oat., was cured of liver complaint, after years of suffering, by using five bottles of B B. B. She recommends it.

A German engineer has paved a bridge with india rubber, and the result has been so satisfactory that it is to be applied on a larger scale. It is found to be more durable than asphalt, and not slippery.

The good used *to die young*; but since the invention of *Puttner's Emulsion* wise parents give it to their children, and prolong their useful lives. Only 50 cents a bottle.

A French inventor has attached a tiny incandescent lamp to an ordinary pencil, for use by reporters and others having to take notes at night. The battery is carried in the pocket, the wires passing down the sleeve.

Bad blood breeds divers distressing diseases, Burdock Blood Bitters banishes boils and blotches, with every other symptom arising from bad blood.

Within three years, the United States has bought from the Indians about thirty million acres.

Many people who pride themselves on their *blue* blood would be far happier with *pure* blood; but, while we cannot choose our ancestors, fortunately, by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, we can transmit pure blood to our posterity.

Brownsville, a small town in Pickens Co., Chickasaw nation, was wiped out by a cyclone the other night. Every house in the village was levelled; two persons were killed.

Mothers, if your boys come in lame from their games, bathe in Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

The largest congregation in America is St. Stanislaus Kostka, in Chicago, which has 30,000 communicants. The number of attendants at the several masses every Sunday frequently exceeds 15,000.

Jemima's Beau.

Jemima, once she had a beau,
He didn't mind her name, you know,
Although it was so prosy.
She had catarrh, and had it so,
That he at last was forced to go—
The odor was no posy.

If she had been *sage* in time, she would have taken Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. An offensive breath is most distressing, not only to the person afflicted, if the person has any pride, but to those with whom he or she comes in contact. It is a delicate matter to speak of, but it has parted not only friends but lovers. Bad breath and catarrh are inseperable. Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy cures the worst cases, as thousands can testify. $500 reward offered for an incurable case by World's Dispensary Medical Association, Proprietors of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

A Successful Carletonian.

The *Seaboard*, an influential paper, published at New York, has the following flattering business notice of Mr. E. G. Milbury, formerly of Wicklow, in this County, and his establishment:—

E. G. Milbury is a native of New Brunswick, Canada, only thirty-two years of age, but whom experience has brought to the front, a business of more than a *quarter of a million a year*, and the prospects of which are so encouraging that preparations are being made for radical changes and improvements in order to meet the rapidly increasing current of trade. The *entire* building in which, at the present time, he is located will be occupied by him on May 1st, where he can better handle the various kinds of goods that pertain to his business. This house was established in 1840, by H. M. Sawyer of Boston, Mr. Milbury being manager for a number of years; some four years ago he became the head and front, and through his nervous energy he has built a monument of trade that reflects credit upon him as well as the community at large. One of the great features of the house is Sawyer's Excelsior and Lighthouse Brand Oiled Clothing, which, without exception, lead the market, and are accounted the standard goods in this country. The fabrics of the International Rubber Clothing Co. are made to meet any and all the requirements of the steamboat, boating, mining, canoist and yachting trade. Bathing suits in all makes and varieties are a specialty, and the goods in this line are known from Bangor, Me., to California. In fact in all his lines, such as Cape Ann Boots, Slippers, Miners' Hats, Sou'westers, etc., etc., are full and complete, and can be purchased by any individual consumer at the closest figures. We are pleased to mention the fact that in the remodeling of this house that the Boot and Shoe department will be a marked feature, and will be well worthy a visit by those who wish to make either individual or larger purchases for the retail trade. Aside from the above specially named goods, there is nothing in a seaman's outfit that cannot be obtained. This is what we call business crystallized, and renders it safe and easy for the seafaring man as well as the coast trade to get their full supplies with little labor and at nominal cost. Mr. Milbury appears to appreciate the value of a proper sub division of labor, and in L. A. Wilmot Milbury, who acts in a fiduciary capacity, he has an able lieutenant. S. R. Milbury, being salesman and manager, *de facto* of the Boot and Shoe Department, a combination of ability that is reaping the reward of its earnestness and devotion.

Aside from business, Mr. E. G. Milbury is a bright light of, and a member of the Long Island Historical Society, as well as an acknowledged leader in Church Mission Work. It has not been our purpose to dwell unnecessarily upon individual merit; but when Seaboard makes its observations it cannot fail to point out to its readers how to shape their course so that they may be brought in contact with our business men, and those that are possessed of solid sterling integrity.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

W. C. T. U. Corner.

Regular meeting of the Woodstock **W. C. T. U.**, on **Thursday**, at 3 o'clock, p. m., in their **Hall**—first **Thursday** of every month being the Union Prayer Meeting. Women cordially invited to attend.

The Band of Hope meets in **W. C. T. U. Hall** every **Wednesday** afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Regular meeting **Campbell Division, S. of T.**, in **W. C. T. U. Hall**, every **Tuesday** evening at 7.30 o'clock.

There are 32,000 families homeless in London through intemperance.

There are eleven hundred Juvenile Temples in the United Kingdom, with 82,906 young adherents.

The juvenile branches of the Church of England Temperance Society number 3,469, with 4,15,280 members.

Prohibition is simply for the forbidding of any man to so employ his property as to endanger the welfare of the public.

The Lord Mayor of London declares that ninety per cent of the cases that are heard at the Mansion House are due to drink.

Dr. Benjamin Ward Richardson, of London, is well known as an earnest advocate of total abstinence from alcoholic drinks. He is said to be a splendid illustration of his own teaching that mental activity, bodily vigor and capacity to enjoy life, and the natural of total abstinence.

The Drinking Customs.

In comparing the liquor evil in America and England, Lady Henry Somerset says: "Among American men there is much more intoxication. Among the women there is wonderfully less. The American women, except those who have abandoned themselves to vicious lives, will not go into saloons. In England nothing is thought of it. There the saloons are crowded at all hours with women. They drink infinitely more than the women in this country. I suppose the vice among women in England is in a measure hereditary. American men are more given to intoxication than Englishmen, and I think one reason for this is that in England we enforce the laws better than you do over here. Your Sunday-closing laws are practically dead letters, while in London and throughout England prompt punishment is awarded those who fail in obedience."

The Three Favorite Black.

Three names there are of great renown,
Well known in each Canadian town:
They have acquired a wondrous fame—
Are friends of every country dame:
These characters throughout our land
Have made a most determined stand,
And, in a bold and honest way
Have come to every home to stay.
Kind fate to ladies did ordain,
That they should kindly entertain
These three black characters of note,
And to them special care devote:
All this was done, because fair eyes
Discovered they were Diamond Dyes—
Three members of a noble clan
Who've blessings brought to home of man.
The first of fame is Black for Wool,
Giving a Jet or Blue so full—
A one dip dye of wondrous pow'r,
And fast e'en with a strong soap scour.
The second, for your Silk or Feather,
Gives such a Black, that use or weather
Can never in the least reduce
The brilliant shades they can produce.
And last, not least, the Cotton Black
To faded goods at once brings back
A look of freshness, grandeur, style,
That makes the housewife sweetly smile.
Each member of this trio grand
His special work has well in hand;
Their reputation never dies,
For they're allied to Diamond Dyes.

World's Fair Notes.

It is proposed to run from New York to Chicago, at the time of the dedication of the Exposition buildings, ten special trains, ten minutes apart, each train to have elaborate decorations and music. It is believed that fully 5,000 people will want to make the the trip. It is the intention to have in New York, both preceding and succeeding this triumphal procession, imposing ceremonies of a commemorative character. These include a civic and industrial pageant representing modern progress, the street pageant representing the landing of Columbus and historic scenes from his life, unveiling of a Columbus statute in Central Park, a grand banquet and choral festival. Prominent citizens of New York, including members of the Spanish and Italian societies, are perfecting the plans.

The Canadian Pacific railway will exhibit at the Fair a model passenger train, and also models of the fine ocean steamers in that company's service.

More than 7,660 car loads of building material have been received on the Exposition ground.

At an expense of $79,300 contracts have been let for furnishing the Fair with boilers of 10,000 horse power capacity. The Exposition power plant will burn oil instead of coal. About 225 000 barrels will be required, for which the Exposition Company will pay 72½ cents a barrel. The contract has been let for putting in about twelve miles of sewerage pipe in the ground at £57,736.

The Methodists have decided to hold an international camp meeting of a month's duration at the time of the Exposition. It will be held half the time at Desplaines and the other half at Lake Bluff. Both places are a few miles out from Chicago.

An immense wooden box, bound in iron, was recently found at Helsinfors, in Finland, by workmen engaged in excavating in the cellar of an old house. Upon opening the box the men found that it contained a large parchment and a quantity of pieces of iron of odd shapes. Being unable to make out the contents of the parchment, they carried it to Mr. Rieff, the nearest magistrate, who found that it was written by Father Suger, one time minister to Louis the Seventh of France. It was an elaborately written treatise upon the use of steam as a motive power, and further examination revealed that the bits of iron were numbered parts of a rudimental but complete steam engine. It is proposed to fit the parts together and to exhibit this pioneer steam engine at the Exposition.

A MONTREAL MIRACLE.

AFTER SEVEN YEARS OF HELPLESSNESS, HEALTH IS RESTORED.

A Statement of the Remarkable Case of Miss Ramsay as Investigated by a Reporter of "Le Monde."

During the past year newspapers in various parts of the country have chronicled accounts of marvellous cures from the use of a medicine known as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. These remarkable cures, many of them in cases hitherto held by medical science to be incurable, were known as the Hamilton miracle, the Cape Breton miracle, the Detroit miracle, the Saratoga Co. miracle, etc., and were vouched for by such leading newspapers as the Toronto Globe, Hamilton Times, Hamilton Spectator, Halifax Herald, Detroit News, Albany N. Y. Journal and others, whose high standing left no room to doubt that the facts were as stated. And now Le Monde is in a position to add another laurel to the renown achieved by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, by giving the facts of a case, and certainly a remarkable one, which cannot fail to interest Montrealers inasmuch as it is not only local, but gives the cure of a young lady well known and esteemed in the district in which she resides. The young lady who owes her restoration to health and strength is Miss Ramsay, the well known manufacturers agent, and one of Montreal's most esteemed citizens, who does business at 260 St. James street, and resides at 14 Coursol street. Some of the facts of this remarkable case having come to the knowledge of Le Monde, a reporter of this paper was detailed to make an investigation and in the interest of other sufferers, lay an accurate statement of the facts as he found them, before the public. Both Mr. Ramsay and his daughter were found to be enthusiastic in their praises of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and from the story told the reporter they had excellent reasons for their enthusiasm. At the age of 14, said Mr. Ramsay, my daughter was attacked by chorea, more commonly known as St. Vitus dance. Chorea, it may be said, is a diseased condition of the nervous system which may result from feebleness of constitution, overstudy, or from a shock or fright, leaving the patient in a more or less helpless condition, control of the limbs being lost. The trouble was brought on through a fright she received at a fire which occured in our neighborhood. That was more than seven years ago, and those seven years have been filled with untold misery to my daughter. Her trouble was in the worst form, and until she began using Dr Williams' Pink Pills, medical science seemed unable to successfully cope with it. When she was attacked, I called in a physician who treated her for a long time, but without the least beneficial results. I felt discouraged, but determined to leave nothing undone that might tend to restore her health, and I accordingly called in another doctor. His treatment seemed to do her some good, but he left for the States and she relapsed into her old condition. I then placed her under the care of