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A HIGHLAND HERO.

This is the way it happened. The mutinous tribesmen were strongly posted on the hillsides the British forces were below. By a desperate rush the Gorkhas, or native troops, had managed to get up under the brow of the hill into a position where they were safe from the guns of the tribesmen. Next came the Derbyshire and Dorsetshire regiments, but they were driven back by the hail of bullets. Then Color J. Mathias, stepping out in front of his regiment, said: "Men of the Gordon Highlanders, the general says that position must be taken at all costs. Go and take it."
With pipes playing wildly the intrepid highlanders gashed up the zone of bullet swept hillside. In the van was Lance Corporal Piper Patrick Milne. He was playing "Cock of the North," the Gordon's own battle hymn. Soon there was a break in the line. Piper Milne had a bullet in his right leg. But the music went merrily on. Piper Milne was dragging his injured leg along as if nothing had happened. In another moment there was a second break in the line. A bullet had lodged in Piper Milne's left leg, and he was down. But even then he did not stop playing. Bringing his back against a bowler he piped "Cock of the North" shriller and wilder than ever, and the kilted highlanders, as they climbed and ran past him through the rain of bullets, saw him playing with the blood streaming from both legs and charged fiercer than ever.
Thus did Piper Patrick Milne pipe the highlanders up Dargai ridge and win fame for himself and new laurels for a regiment which for more than 100 years has been famous for gallant deeds done on many battlefields.

THE JEWEL CASKET.

The lucky tortoise is a pronounced object in enameled and jeweled hatpins. Among stylish but moderately priced brooches enameled flowers and bits of foliage are prominent.
A very large and beautifully cut crystal is the newest addition to the list of stones used in the tops of gold purses.
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A new line of brooches consists of large amethysts set oval, round or heart shaped, and surrounded with a row of pearls.
The present style of dressing the neck for the day with a soft silk stock leads to the use of many pretty buckles which jewelers provide among other styles in dull gold and silver studded with turquoises.—Jewelers' Circular.

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Not at All.

Mrs. Hanby—Don't you think it's unhealthy for your little girl to fondle that kitten so much? I see she has it in her arms most of the time.
Mrs. Waybrick—Oh, no, not at all. We've had it six weeks, and it hasn't been sick a day.—Cleveland Leader.

She Will See Him Just as Soon.

"I'm afraid my wife's affection for me is cooling."
"Why?"
"When she bade me goodby this morning, she didn't say, 'Be sure to hurry home as early as possible.'"
Familiarity Breeds Contempt. And trouble doesn't seem so bad when one is quite forennet it. But, oh, it makes one mighty sad to get right up against it!
L. A. W. Bulletin

APPOINTED TO SERVICE

Seventeen New Storekeepers and Gaugers for Internal Revenue Service. The appointments to the office of storekeeper and gauger in the internal revenue department have been received by Collector W. S. Harkins.

The entire eligible list sent to Washington received appointment. The following is a list of the new store-keepers and gaugers:
George H. Thomas, Asheville; David L. Ellis, Asheville; John A. Jones, Prathers Creek; Joseph V. Goodrich, Asheville; George L. White, Marion; John L. Council, Vilas; Anzi A. Hamiet, Asheville; Bunyan B. Brooks, Purlear; Charles E. Swicord, Woodstock; James W. Jones, Fairview; Edgar S. Shuman, Salisbury; William O. Muller, Asheville; Obediah B. Holcombe, California Creek; Robert L. Alexander, Hickory; Thomas F. Holcombe, Eagle; Ulyssus S. Anderson, Grange; James T. Nichols, Purlear.

PATTI'S THIRD HUSBAND.

It is a great tribute that Madame Adeline Patti has paid to matrimony in leading to the altar a third consort. Her first husband, the Marquis de Caux, whom she married in 1868, had the indiscretion to get a divorce from her on account of her attachment to Signor Niccolini. This attachment survived her marriage to Niccolini in 1886, and continued until his death on January 18, 1893. If it had been her sole attachment, possibly she would have felt indisposed to form another, but while one sainted memory may do cherish for aye, two sainted memories make a good pair to draw to, and very possibly Madame Niccolini has done well in emphasizing the close of her years of widowhood by a new alliance. Her new husband, Baron Cedersstrom, is a Swede, and has lately been engaged in the health-gymnastic business in London. His age is thirty; here, fifty-six—giving an average for both of forty-three; a time of life which the blending of experience with expectation makes a most desirable nature for the undertaking of new enterprises.—E. S. Martin, in Harper's Weekly.

SOWING THE WIND.

"Sowing the Wind" the best play we have had from the pen of that most interesting of English playwrights, Mr. Sydney Grundy, is a drama that has perhaps been a source of more discussion than any dramatic production seen in these years. It is in four acts and has for its main theme the social inequality of the sexes, namely the unlimited field for man's moral diversion, and the small world in which our women must live, to keep in the delicate grace of society. The play will be presented here with a strong cast at the Grand Opera House tonight.

The play deals with a phase of social life that is continually pressing itself upon thoughtful minds, and yet which is such a delicate nature that few dramatic authors are able to handle it in a suitable way for stage purposes. The relations of the sexes, and their relative moral responsibility for the maintenance of domestic purity is Mr. Grundy's theme and he treats it with the earnestness of a philosopher and the skill of a master. He brings together as a principal and opposing characters in the play a young woman and her father, neither being aware of their relationship to each other until the end of the play. The man is now the adopted father of his daughter's lover and is refusing to permit the marriage until the mystery of the girl's parentage is cleared up.

A Trick That Paid.

"Mr. Yabley, may I ask why you always dip your knife in your glass of water before putting your steak?"
"It is a little trick I learned from a fellow who worked in a rubber factory."
—Indianapolis Journal.

THE NEW PEACE.

J. Sheer, Sedalia, Mo., conductor on electric street car line, writes that his little daughter was very low with croup, and he was saved after all physicians had failed, only by using One Minute Cough Cure.

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