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THE MODERN COURSE OF TRUE LOVE.

he had looked at Molly that Dave looked at her. "I know how he feels," said Molly. "When father used to sit by me and kind of stir me up to my no-no, I felt just so."

A RAINY DAY.

It was a rainy day, and Molly was sitting on the porch. "I don't know what to do," she said. "I'm bored and I don't want to go out."

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do your figurin' in a hurry—Jim slapped on all the steam. My tool—how she would be through, passing the pen in time to get that draught's necktie to her. In three seconds the old locomotive just picked up that bunch of beasts and tossed 'em down the banks. They didn't any of 'em live to see the hind car pass by."

A REMARKABLE MACHINERY ACCIDENT.

One of the most remarkable of machinery accidents that ever happened in the State occurred in the mill of Robert's mill, in South Chester, Pa. on Saturday afternoon. It was about fifteen minutes past two o'clock, when William F. Cooper, the engineer, accompanied by his assistant, was in the mill, and found the engine "running away."

LAURIER HORATIUS.

LI TAPE, A CHINESE VISITOR OF THE EIGHTH CENTURY. Those who know a thing or two about Chinese history, writes Edward King to the Boston Journal, look with admiration on a tiny statuette in porcelain which occupies a conspicuous place in the Chinese exhibit, and which is not to be seen elsewhere.

AMERICA'S ATTRACTIVE GIRLS.

ALARM AMONG THE MOTHERS AND DAUGHTERS OF THE ENGLISH ARISTOCRACY. The New York World says: We understand that the large emigration which has taken place this year of our fashionable young ladies to London has caused quite a panic among mothers with marriageable daughters, and that even young married women are beginning to grow alarmed.

DISRAELI'S PROPHECY.

THE TIME WILL COME WHEN YOU WILL BEAT US IN HIS FIRST SPEECH IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS. Lord Beaconsfield's present position among the statesmen of Europe gives point to the prediction of the close of his first speech in the House of Commons when he was elected in 1852.

AN EXCITING STRUGGLE.

A FATHER AND SON ATTACKED BY A RABBIT DOG. The Pittsburgh Leader in a recent issue says: An exciting event occurred yesterday at the residence of Mr. L. J. Lutz, a prominent attorney-at-law, on the Fort Wayne road, a short distance from the city.

THE SUBTUNNEL.

BOILING A HOLE 20,170 FEET LONG 1,800 FEET BELOW THE SURFACE OF THE EARTH. The news came from San Francisco that a connection was made between the Savage Mine, when "a strong draught of air at once poured into the mine," and "Gert, the miner, was the first to feel the draught."

FROM BLONDE TO BRUNETTE.

THE PHENOMENAL CHANGE THAT WAS EFFECTED BY A BOLT OF LIGHTNING. The Chicago Tribune, in a recent issue, says: Scholna has the electric fluid done a more curious thing than on yesterday morning at 3 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. H. L. Guild, Mr. Guild and his wife were occupying a bedroom in the second story, and Lottie, a bright-eyed child of 11 years of age, was sitting on the floor of the bedroom with his wife clinging to him and

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above him, up that gathered below the whole length of the tunnel. Further, the tunnel was so narrow that the men to be worked were less than a dozen. The least that it could be had for the tunnel was \$150,000. The cost of the tunnel was \$150,000. The cost of the tunnel was \$150,000.

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simple fact, whether the great occasion on which the working majority will increase from 100 to 125 or 130 is upon the question of an election ballot? (cheers and groans)—and whether the Grenville act has not been given forth to the people that it is impossible that an impartial tribunal can be obtained in this House? (Oh, oh! Question, Question.) If honorable members think it fair thus to interrupt me, I will submit. (Laughter, and cries of "Go on.") But I beg simply to ask—(Oh, and loud laughter.) Nothing is so easy as to laugh. (Roars of laughter.) I really wish to place before the House what is our position. When we remember all that, in spite of the support of the honorable gentleman, our number for Dulain and his well-despised platoon of patriots, and, in spite of all this, we are to be the majority, we are to be the majority, we are to be the majority.

Varieties.

Samara was built by Omri, 225 B. C. Hesiod invented the art of making fables. The Westminster catechism was adopted in 1643. They have Turkish baths for horses in New York now. Buffalo Bill is very sick, and probably will not recover. The first savings bank was instituted at Bern in 1787. Sparta had no regular walls until the time of the Romans. The Chaldean registers of celestial observation began 2234 B. C. The proportionate value of gold and silver among the ancients was ten to one. A single firm of Sheffield, England, has this year ordered 50,000 dozen of American law makers. Olo-magazine is gold for fuel at least. Thirty thousand dollars of it turned well in Boston. A London mechanic has been sent to prison for a month for striking a lord on his aristocratic nose. Slade, the "medium," re-appeared in London a short time ago, but is said to have speedily departed for Australia. Prince Eugene de Leuchtenberg is about to be married to Mile. Skobeleff, sister of the famous General of that name. During the last six months the failures in New York aggregate liabilities of \$10,000,000, with assets of \$11,000,000. Dr. Waters, of Boston, has found the juice of the common milk weed to be very useful in the healing of wounds. W. H. Vanderbilt is believed to control railroad and telegraph companies having an aggregate capital of \$225,000,000. The head of a Boston man is wider than it is long. He wears a silk hat with one of the sides in front, and the effect is comical. New Jersey is the largest window glass manufacturer in the Union. There are 106 factories in the United States of glass. Efforts are being made to organize local societies for the suppression of obscene literature and devices in all large cities of the country. There are only twelve newspapers in St. Petersburg, and the lowest of them do not sell more than 250 copies of Russian papers per diem. A French physician actually made, in 1820, the following report: "There exists in Paris a great number of families who have died of the cholera." Count Herbert von Bismarck, the eldest son of the German Chancellor, and his brother, have both become candidates for the German Parliament. The German Emperor keeps a diary of everything he shoots. In 1874 his diary was discharged by accident and he entered: "Forefinger, right hand." The Consul at Ching Kiang writes to the department of state that the demand for American cotton drills is rapidly increasing, and that kerosene is also largely imported. Sheriff Kent, of New Hampshire, suggests that the old state prison be turned into a State lunatic asylum, and that every alcohol-drum be detained there from one to two years. The managing Director of the Lombard Bank in London, was recently on trial in the Court of Chancery for the sum of £100,000. They had been deposited as security for a loan. The Cassells, the English publishers, have set apart for the year 1878 \$2,000,000 of their profits, and propose to do the same every year, for the benefit of workmen who remain long in their service. The Japanese, influenced, perhaps, to some extent by the frightful consequences of the absence of easy communication in China, as illustrated by the famine, are taking measures for inland communication. Mr. Simmers, of Rome, Italy, has just completed statues of Queen Victoria, the late Prince Consort, and the Prince and Princess of Wales, to be set up in a public square in London. The British Government will require an increase of revenue this year over last of about £2,500,000, but the returns of the year 1877, for the year ending Oct. 31, 1877, show a falling off of about £70,000. Something will have to be done. The New Metropolitan elevated railroad of New York has secured the services of Thomas A. Edison, the electrician, to invent some method of running their cars without noise, and also to condense the smoke on the engines. A persistent and impudent German flower girl made herself so offensive to the aristocratic residents of Bloomsbury-square in London, that she had to be arrested, and was fined for the technical offense of obstructing the streets. Even the horses of Boston have a thirst for knowledge. The Times of Saturday says: "Curiosity as to the contents of some packages in a wagon in this city, yesterday, induced a horse standing by to gnaw them open. The papers contained Paris green, and a falling off of the plaster, and the animal died in about twenty minutes." Good nature is more agreeable in conversation than wit, and gives a certain air to the countenance which is more amiable than beauty. It shows across in the face light, takes off its own measure, and makes every fall and imperfection appearable. As flowers carry dewdrops, trembling on the edges of the petals, and ready to fall at the first waft of wind of brush of bird, so the heart should carry its beads of dewdrops, and at the first breath of heavenly favor let down the plaster, and perform with the heart's gratitude.