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JES' YOU WAIT.

If the days are seemin' dark
Sun's still a shinin'
Gleams through the rifted cloud
Its silver hair,
Jes' you wait.

Don't care if the heart gets full,
Spillin' out a cry;
Same heart, when the wheel turns round,
Happy lye and lye,
Jes' you wait.

Trees and all a-lookin' dead,
Don't you b'lieve it's so;
May's a-comin' down the road,
April's nothin' slow,
Jes' you wait.

Feel so lonesome, many a time,
Don't know what to do;
Wantin' someone round to love,
Can't help bein' blue,
Jes' you wait.

Clouds 'll pass, the sunrise come
Bees in June's sweet roses hum;
Jes' you wait.

The wheel 'll turn, the heart be gay;
Wife and babies sing, some day,
Jes' you wait.

Over the Telephone.

HE COULD NOT RESIST THE SWEET TONES OF ANNIE LAURIE.

They had been lovers, but now they were parted. It was the result of a foolish little quarrel. He had left her with out saying good bye, never to return, he said, angrily. But the girl loved him still. Days lengthened into months, but the absent one did not reappear. He was keeping good his promise. Yet the girl did not waver in her devotion to him and she resolved to win him back. She remembered that he used to be fond of hearing her sing "Annie Laurie," and she wondered if by chance he heard her sing it again it would revive the old love. She thought of the telephone and decided to try. So it happened that one afternoon she sat in a phone cabinet downtown.

Ting-a-ling, long ling, went the bell. The connection was made. He was in the business office.

"Is Mr. Walker in?"

"Yes, I am Mr. Walker. What is it?"

In reply the girl began singing in a sweet, plaintive, soprano voice:

"Maxwell's brass are honny,
Where early falls the dew,
And 'twas there that Annie Laurie
Gave me her promise true,
And never forgot 'twill be,
And for Bonnie Annie Laurie.

As the tender melody of the old ballad came in trembling notes over the wire, his eyes rolled up in the listener's eyes and his heart almost stood still. He recognized the voice, and, as the girl finished singing the verse, he said, in a voice choking with emotion:

"You are still my Annie Laurie, dear, you are still my love."

It's all right now. The lover had been won back with a song.—New York Recorder.

A Death Dealing Maiden.

A TEXAS GIRL WHOSE HAIR CONVEYS AN ELECTRIC SHOCK WHEN HANDLED.

The Buffalo Gap county in Texas claims a death dealing maiden whose fatal qualities lie in her hair.

The young woman is 21 years of age and says it is only recently that her hair has power become manifest. Her hair is of the coarse jet black variety and is exceedingly long and thick, and when she suffers it to hang down it completely envelops her person, and the curls end sweep the floor as she walks. It criss and crackles and sparkles when she comes in and at night gives out a strange, weird light. In point of fact, she possesses a genuine article of "shining hair."

So strong is the current of electricity playing constantly through her hair that one strand of it will convey a shock to the person who is so bold as to touch it. She discovered her singular power one night recently when she stooped down to fondle a pet kitten. Her loose hair fell all about the cat with a crackling noise, killing the poor creature instantly. Since then only a few people have had the hardihood to experiment with the matter, but all who have touched her hair are convinced of its electric power. A young physician in the neighborhood, who went to test the case in the interest of science, almost died of the repeated shocks he received thereby.

The young woman herself is greatly annoyed at the sensation she is creating and threatens to cut off her hair if people don't stop bothering her about it, but her father and mother look upon it as a miracle and are afraid for her to "tamper with it," as they say, lest some injury will befall her.—Chicago Times Herald.

I recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism, lame back, sprains and swellings. There is no better liniment made. I have sold over 100 bottles of it this year and all were pleased who used it. J. P. Pearson, druggist, South Chicago, Ill.

For sale by J. N. Brown, Halifax, Dr. A. S. Harrison, Roanoke.

A GREAT DEAL WORSE.



Chollie—Why have you stopped calling on Miss Patterson? Did her father object?
Algie—No; she did.—Brooklyn Life.

TRUE CONSOLATION.



"Yes, miss, he's been took at last. 'Was he prepared, did you say, miss? If he wasn't it was his own fault. I did my duty by him. Didn't I read the burial-service to him every day for the last six months?"—Lila Joku.

USING A PUBLIC SERVANT.



Miss Vere de Vere—If you please, Mr. Pileman, is my bonnet on straight?—N. Y. Recorder.

NOT SO WONDERFUL AS HE THINKS.



A PICTURE OF THE FUTURE.



WOULD THAT HE COULD REACH THEM.



The Dog—Say, you Venus and Psyche, if I only could get up there, I'd knock the stuffin' out of that living picture.—Life.

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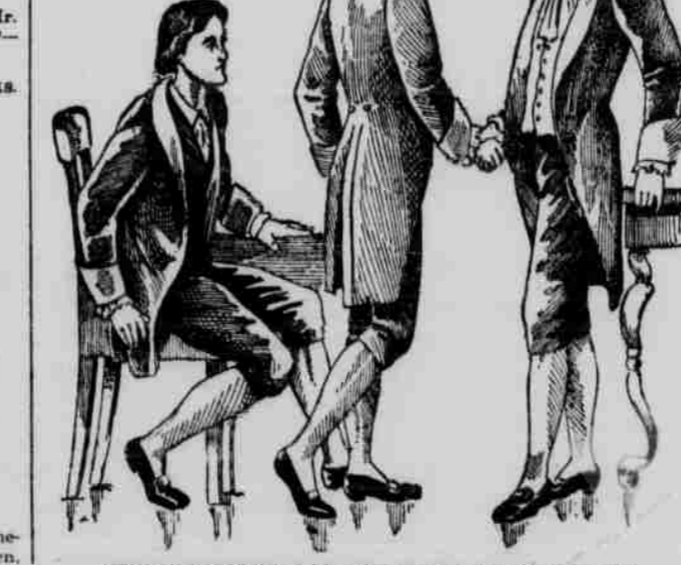
HETTY GREEN, THE RICHEST WOMAN IN AMERICA.

It is said that remarkable character, Mrs. Hetty Green, the richest woman in America, whose cleverness and eccentric habits make her a legend all over the country, belongs to one of the best and oldest families in the country. She is a Howard of New Bedford, belonging on her mother's side to the "Round Hill Howards," so called from a certain locality in New Bedford, where the family has resided continuously for nearly three centuries. The old maritime city of New Bedford was founded by her ancestor John Howard, the Puritan, who christened it after his brother in England, his family home. He came to this country on the Mayflower and landed on Plymouth Rock peninsula. His intelligence and social prestige soon won him respect and finally fortune. It is a matter of record that Hetty Green's first animosity against her relative, which has existed now for thirty-five years, began a few and of course money was the cause of it. Her mother, Mrs. Robinson, died and an executor, who was called in by the family, decided that the Howard property held in trust for her by Thomas Mancel should be divided, the personality going to her husband, Edward Mancel Robinson, and the realty to her daughter Hetty. Hetty's father received \$100,000 and Hetty got \$200,000. Hetty was 28 years old at that time and her heart ached at the idea of her own father receiving his dead wife's property. She wanted it herself. Her quarrel with her relations, begun in this way, led to the squabble in court now famous as the "Howard will case," and is responsible for the blot on Hetty Green's life record, which has never been wiped out. In the estimation of the Howard family of New England—Hetty Green's remarkable will, which expressly declared to a forged Hetty Green in misery, treacherous and unscrupulous in her speech, shady in the extreme as to her deeds and even milder in her personal habits, set her to-day worth many millions of dollars, most of which has been made in speculation. Her husband is still living and is a prominent New York club man.

FROM SUFFERING. UP TO DATE.

The most beautiful songs that were ever sung,
The noblest words that ever were spoken,
Have been from sorrow and suffering wrong,
From lives heart broken,
Even the harp is meaningless, dead and dumb,
Till the strings are strained; then the pure tones come.

To be hypnotized is thefad of the present day, but there are other psychologic efforts not less remarkable. For instance:
Writers are hypnotized.
Lovers are hypnotized.
Criminals are hypnotized.
Poker players are hypnotized.
The Chinese are hypnotized.
Frisivolous folks are hypnotized.
A great many people are grip notified. And so on as far as you please.

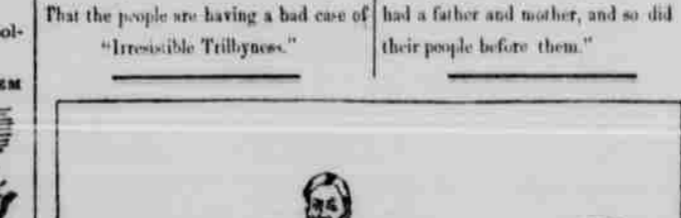


NEW SUGGESTION FOR AN EVENING DRESS FOR MEN.

In the London Argosy, which is the organ of the Health and Artistic Dress Union of the world's metropolis, appears the accompanying sketch, giving a suggestion for improved evening dress for gentlemen, to consist of coat, waistcoat and knee-breeches of velvet, silk stockings and shoes, preferably with buckles. The collar would be left to the taste of the wearer, but it would probably be discreet to begin with very quiet colors, such as brown, purple, or bronze or russet, or deep quiet green or black. It will be seen that the coat, which is lined and faced with silk, has a rolled collar and deep cuffs. The buttons may be of metal or of the same as the coat, or of smoked pearl as a variety. These latter should be sewn on by means of shanks, not with four holes, which destroy the drossy appearance. The waistcoat may be of stout cream-white silk—lined, breasted, watered or otherwise. It is strongly urged that the shirts should be also of creamy-white silk (not tulle), necessarily thinner and softer than the waistcoat, and preferably white. Curran silk is probably the best for the purpose. The collar should be turned down, the material being unsuitable for a stand-up collar and the cuffs might be frilled, hanging rather low upon the hand, the coat sleeve being rather short. The tie might be of any color, with 100 similar in color to the shirt, or, as a substitute, the shirt front might be frilled and the studs made more of a feature. It is suggested that the shoelaces should be of a color that would harmonize with the vestment.

THEY ALL HAVE IT. AS TO ANCESTRY.

As we note how the mind of the public moves,
We feel, we are bound to confess,
That the people are having a bad case of "Irresistible Trilbyes."



Postmaster-General, Ill. 2c Sec. of the Treasury, Ill. 4c Gov. Sherman, Ill. 8c Sen. Sherman, Ill. 16c Sen. Stanford, Ill. 32c Sen. Stanford, Ill. 64c Sen. Stanford, Ill. 128c Sen. Stanford, Ill. 256c Sen. Stanford, Ill. 512c Sen. Stanford, Ill. 1024c	Sen. Sherman, Ill. 16c Sen. Sherman, Ill. 32c Sen. Sherman, Ill. 64c Sen. Sherman, Ill. 128c Sen. Sherman, Ill. 256c Sen. Sherman, Ill. 512c Sen. Sherman, Ill. 1024c Sen. Sherman, Ill. 2048c Sen. Sherman, Ill. 4096c Sen. Sherman, Ill. 8192c Sen. Sherman, Ill. 16384c	Chief Justice Fuller, Ill. 2c Justice Harlan, Ill. 4c Justice Brandeis, Ill. 8c Justice Brandeis, Ill. 16c Justice Brandeis, Ill. 32c Justice Brandeis, Ill. 64c Justice Brandeis, Ill. 128c Justice Brandeis, Ill. 256c Justice Brandeis, Ill. 512c Justice Brandeis, Ill. 1024c
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What is the matter with that man?

Asked the inquisitive small girl in the theater. "The man sitting in the front row?" "Yes, ma. The one whose hair is too small for him."

Mrs. Rash—"How do you manage to get your sock up so early?" Mrs. Dash—"Well, I hunted up a young and good-looking milkman and hired him to come at 5 o'clock."

"High Bettie Martin."

A FAMOUS NORTH CAROLINA RHYME—ITS ORIGINAL HISTORY.

(From the North Carolina Teacher.)
Doubtless many of your older readers will remember that ancient doggerel—
"High Bettie Martin, tip toe, tip toe;
High Bettie Martin, tip toe fine!
She couldn't get a shoe,
She couldn't get a stocking,
She couldn't get a husband
To suit her mind,
High Bettie Martin," etc.

But probably few of them know that the lines were composed in honor (?) of the grandmother of the Hon. Richard Caswell, the first Governor of the State of North Carolina under the Constitution adopted in December, 1776. She was Miss Elizabeth Martin, of Harford county, Maryland, and, as the sequel shows, she had two husbands, whether they "sued her mind" or not. As to the articles of apparel mentioned, no further light is shed.

Mr. John F. Blandy, of Prescott, Arizona, writing to the American Historical Register for December (p. 402), says: "Richard Caswell, Governor of North Carolina and a member of the Continental Congress, and William Pace, signer of the Declaration of Independence and Governor of Maryland, were first cousins, and first cousins of my grandfather, Josiah Dallam, of Harford county, Maryland. They were grandsons of a lady whose maiden name was Elizabeth Martin. Of her the well known couplet, "High Bettie Martin, tip toe fine, etc., was written. She was celebrated for her beauty, and was a large real estate owner in the Province of Maryland.

"The origin of the verse was that she was courted by two young lawyers—Richard Dallam and Weston Smith—who came from England to the colony as companions and friends. The story goes that the elaborate ruffled shirts which were the fashion of the day were scarce and expensive, especially in the colonies, and they had but one between them, and of course, could not pay their visits both at the same time to Miss Betty. It was therefore said that it was difficult for her to make up her mind which to take. She did not decide, however, and ended in marrying both. She first married Dallam, and then had three sons and a daughter. This daughter was the mother of Richard Caswell, of North Carolina. As Widow Dallam she married William Smith, and by him had three sons and a daughter. This daughter was the mother of William Pace."

Confirmation of his descent from Mrs. Dallam is found in the "Itinerary" of Governor Caswell, published in Vol. IX. of our Colonial Records, pages 1064-68, and written by him when he was attending the Continental Congress at Philadelphia in October, 1775. He mentions as an incident of his journey through Harford county, Maryland, that he "went to Josiah Dallam's, where I saw my grandmother."

The lines quoted were set to music, and the tune will probably be recalled by some of the veterans as one of the collection of old Frank Johnson, of pleasant memory, and others of that ilk, who played it for "Ladies to the right," and other "square dances" long since consigned to oblivion. We who enjoyed it did not know that the lively air, with its altered words, was intimately associated with one of the foremost patriots in the Revolution.—Graham Davis.

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Mrs. Gashley—"Do you suffer much from toothache?" Mrs. Blazey—"No—that is not, unless my husband has it."

The wife—"One half the world doesn't know how the other half lives." The husband—"Well, it's the fault of your sewing society, anyway."

God never sees anything big in the gift that is made to win applause from men.

A sin of any kind is a demand for God to leave His throne.

The man who walks with God keeps the devil on the run.

A Gallant Thief.

THEY TRIED TO DECEIVE HIM, BUT HE WASN'T EASILY FOOLED.

A belle went to the theater. On returning home after the performance she discovered that her brooch, which was a valuable one, had been stolen. She was very sorry for the jewelry was a present. A few days afterward the young lady received the following letter:

"The writer of these lines has the honor to inform you that he knows where your brooch is and will return it cheerfully under certain conditions. I do not expect to receive a reward in money, since I regard it as exceedingly vulgar to accept money from a lady whom I idolize as much as I do you. On the other hand, it would be very stupid in me to return you your jewelry without getting some equivalent. Taking into consideration my consuming love for you, I'll return the missing ornament for a single kiss from your rosy lips. Tomorrow I will be at the corner of —street with the missing jewelry. If you are willing to pay me my price, I will, after pressing a kiss on the forehead, kiss you on the lips, and I'll return the missing brooch in your hand. No questions asked."

The young lady did not know what to do. She wanted to get her brooch back, but she did not care to pay the price. She hit upon the idea of sending her servant girl in her place.

The servant girl put in an appearance at the appointed hour and place. She was heavily veiled. A well dressed gentleman approached and asked:

"Do you accept the terms?"
"I do."

The stranger familiarly embraced her after the most approved style, and simultaneously imparted a large 3 by 7 kiss on her mouth that caused the policeman on the corner to start. He thought it was a pistol shot.

"Here is what I promised," he remarked after the formality had been complied with, "but," he added, "you will find it like the kiss, not what it was represented to be, as you are only the servant, not the mistress," handing her something wrapped up in a paper.

After he had retired, which he did immediately, the servant examined the paper and found that it only contained a piece of wood.—Chicago Times.

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