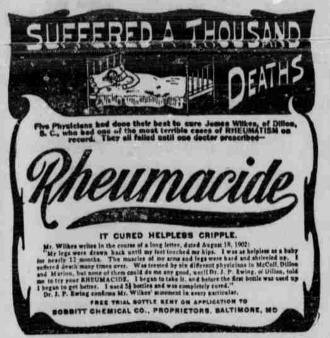
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> A woman's eyes will sparkle in her innocence an' fun, Or snap a warnin' message to th' once she wants to shut In pleasure or in anger there is always han someness, But still there is beauty that was surely made to bless-A beauty that grows sweeter au' that all but glorifies-Th' mother look that sometimes comes into a woman's eyes.

> It ain't a smile exactly-yet it's brimin' full o' joy, An' meltin' into sunshine when she bends above her boy Or girl when it's sleepin' with its dreams told in its face; She smooths its bair, an pets it as she lifts it to its place, It leads all th' expressions, whether grave or gay or wise-Th' mother look that glimmers in a lovin' woman's eyes.

There sin't a picture of it. If there was they'd have to paint A picture of a woman mostly angel an' some saint, 3 An' make it still be human-an' they'd have to blend the whole-There sin't a picture of it, for no one can paint a soul, No one can paint th' glory comin' straight from paradise-Th' mother look that lingers in a happy woman's eyes. -W. D. NESBIT.

THE LIGHT OVER THERE.

BY FRANK L. STANTON.

Forevermore when Sorrow came thorny-crowned an' gray-When the black storms hid the heavens, an' the light along the way, We heard him singing-singing in valleys of despair : "The bells-the bells are ringing l-the light is over there!"

The deep-voiced Dark wailed round us, and not a star unfurled: Like a lost soul sent from beaven, back to a bomeless world ! But still that singing -singing, sweet as a Love-hrilled prayer:-"The bells-the bells are ringing !-the light is over there !"

And the weary world low-list ning, took heart and courage strong, And blest him for that ray of light that glimmered in his song. And an echo to his singing came from dim vales and dreat : "The bells-the bells are ringing !-the light is over there!"

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man's being handsome or plain will not add one atom to your married happiness. I remember once hearing an old wom to say, "My husband was a very plain man, but he was a good and kind provider." The whole sum of earthly happiness does not of course, lie in the feet of being well

mind, however, that pneumonia always provided for, but the man who provides well and "kindly for his family is pretty for a pleasant night that a large audience are to be a good husband and father The young man who is gentle and tender in his manner toward old people, chillyou sure? Has He not been expected

bin's Cough Remedy the threstoned dren and animals is pretty sure to make a good husband

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Keep your eye open for the man that is manly and gentle at the same one who is not ashamed to say that he does not like cocktails, the man who is earn- reading and resolved to read them no est and doing his share of the world's work. When you meet such a man consider yourself fortunate if he offers you his love. A good man can pay a woman no greater honor than by asking her to share his life.

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IT IS A NATTER OF HEALTH



SUPPOSE CHRIST SHOULD COME.

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And with her wonderful news she hurries onward. And you stand there startled. Can it be true! Christ come to the earth again? And how did your neighbor know Him? Yet she must have for she is one of His very own

And He may come here, to your own house. You look quickly around. There lies the book you were reading last night. You hastily put it out of sight and the sigh, "everything but my trousers. They color rises in your cheeks. It is not a book you would like Christ to find you reading

And He is to speak at the church tonight. Yes, this is the regular church prayer meeting night. Ah! You had forgotten. For it is also the night of your eachre club, and you were to have entertained it. And now? What can you do? The salud is already made, the cream and oysters are ordered Your guests will think it strange. But what will Christ think? You could explain, course, that you do not approva having eachres on Wednesday evening, but this was an unusual thing becausebut you do not like to think of facing

Christ with excuses The invitations must be recalled, of course. You hasten to the train to stop your husband before he goes to the city to his business if possible, and all the way you say to yourself: "Christ is here; Christ has come to our town! There is opportunity now for men to be saved! That poor drunkard who has tried so hard to reform and cannot, that sorrowstricken woman who can find no comfort anywhere may find it in Him That sick child who is doomed to a life of suf-

fering may be bealed!" Then, as the thought grows upon you what it means to have Christ come to your town, you forget your horror over your own position and how meanly you will appear as His follower when He looks upon you as you really are, and go to eagerly planning how others may be told of the wonderful news. Your heart sinks at the thought that He has come on a week-day night, and because every one is so given over to his own plans and pleasures you feel very certain there will he but a poor showing at the church to night, not more than the usual handful who attend the prayer meeting where Christ is always expected of course, in spirit. It is a pity He could not have come on a Sabbath and had it announced long beforehand. You would have then done your best to make it known and urge such and such a one to come to the meeting, and you would have prayed might be out, and-would you? Are at every meeting for prayer that has been held in His house all these years? Has He not promised to meet there? Have you ever by so much as a word invited those people to come and see Him and earn what manner of person He be? Have you ever put off an evening gathermore than convenient to do so? Have you hid away the books you have been more because you would be ashamed sto have Him see you at such books? Have you spread abroad the news of His presence with you and of the wonders He has done for you, even so much as the poor Samaritan woman, who testified,

ever I did!" Marcus Dade says: "The disciples were good men, but they went into Sychar judging the Samaritans good

"Come, see a men who told me all that

enough to trade with, but never dreaming of telling them the Messiah was outlide shok sama. They was have been ashamed to find how much more e pable an spostle the woman was than they. I think they would not wonder another time that their Lord should condescend to talk with a woman. The simple, unthinking, untroubled directness of a woman will often have a matter finished while a man is meditating some ponder ous contrivance for bringing it to pass Let us not fall into the mistake of the disciples, and judge men good enough to buy and sell with, but quite alien to the matters of the kingdom, * * * The woman's testimony was enough to excite curosity. The men, on her word, came out to judge for themselves. What they saw and heard completed their conviction.

And they said to the woman Now we believe, not because of thy speaking, for we have heard for ourselves, and know that this isindee! the Saviour of the world."" It is not a fairy tale, nor a parable, nor

an impossibility, this supposition of our TO YOUR DOOR AND SAY "CHRIST topic. "What if Christ should come to our tows?" He may come. He does come every day. He came to you last week in a special answer to prayer and as you are going about your work and saved a loved one from death. He came preparing to go out for the morning er- to you in the silent watches of the night rands, a neighbor comes to your door when you communed with Him, and He with face all alight with news and tells spoke peace to your soul. You know you. "Did you know? Have you beard He is the Christ. And yet, have you that Christ has come to our town? I told others to come and see? And if store for something for breakfast. He case to morrow, would you and I be told me He would come to my house to- ready or be ashamed to meet Him? -

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