Infants and Children. MOTHERS po You Know that Paregorie, Bate-

The Morning Star.

A RED CROSS KNIGHT.

THE BROKEN KEY.

The young and pretty bride felt wor-

altogether neglect his former friends

over a friendly game of whist, but she

could even think of going anywhere

"Oh, the dreadful evenings I have to

spend," she complained, with tears in

her eyes. "I am obliged to sit here all

alone because I have as yet had no

chance to form any acquaintances here.

Naturally I get homesick. Often I feel

like leaving everything and taking the

"Would it not be better, darling, if

you went to bed instead and tried to

"That is just where the trouble is,"

she replied, still in tears, "I am afraid.

Our servant sleeps way up in the attic.

"Why, you foolish child, what is

burglaries and robberies?" she persisted.

frighten yourself into illness. I promise

you herewith, of my own free will (the

poor fellow could not help heaving a

sigh as he said this) to return promptly

at 11 o'clock whenever I go to meet my

friends. It is impossible for me to with-

without taking her along.

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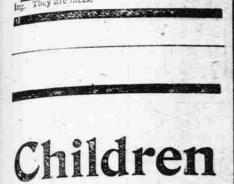
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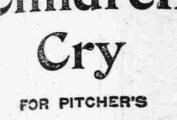
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no You Know that Castoria is a purely regable preparation, and that a list of ita ingredients is published with every bottle? Do You Know that Castoria is the on of the famous Dr. Samuel Pitcher? reat it has been in use for nearly thirty years, that is more Castoria is now sold than of all aber remedies for children combined?

Do You Know that you should not permit any medicine to be given your child miss you or your physician know of what it is

Do You Know that when possessed of this perfect preparation, your children may be kept well and that you may have unbroken rest? Well These Things are worth know







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CASTORIA For Infanis and Children



to act like a villain, he even had to make fun of me last night by pretending he would henceforth be home at 11 o'clock. Who would ever have thought him so base? They close the beer house after midnight; hence he cannot pretend to be playing cards there all night. Heaven only knows where he is spend-ing the night, in whose company he is enjoying himself, while I—but he'll find thet I am art block the state of that I am not his dupe. I shall leave him at once. There is a train at 7 o'clock in the morning, which I am going to take and go home to my parents." At 5 o'clock she called the serving maid, whom she sent to the garret for a

The crimson glow of sunlight fails Along the monumental walls Where still in faded pomp are read The name and virtues of the dead. Yet from yon affigy of knight The graven name has vanished quite. No word remains, but stories tell That he who sleeps fought true and well; In kindness swift, in vengeance slow. A constant friend, a courteous foe, Who partly fought for love of fight, But chiefly for the love of right. To Holy Land he rode away; Beek thou a holy land today. With sword and battleax he strove; Beek thou the armory of love. He won on earth a poor renown; valise, and commenced to pack. The maid said nothing, but she was sur-He won on earth a poor renown; Win thou on earth love's fadeless crown. Arthur L. Salmon in Gentleman's Magazine prised that her master had not risen and did not help his wife. However, she made the coffee and then went after a

The front door was wide open and a locksmith busy with the big lock when Annie appeared in the hall. The landlady ran to meet her, exclaiming in a ried and out of sorts. Only a short eight flurry of excitement: "Did you hear about it, madam? A thief was here last weeks ago she had married her dear Gus and had followed him to his home in night and made an attempt to enter the W., and already he had begun to neglect house. Some one must have frightened him off. He left a broken key stuck fast her, to go ont of an evening, and to leave her alone in the big house. He had in the lock, and was unable to unlock the door. I had to call from the window tried to convince her that he could not until I aroused a neighbor, who ran for and companions, and that she ought not a locksmith. Now I am going to have a to object to his meeting them on two patent lock put on and spoil their little game. But you look very pale, my dear evenings every week, and to pass an madam. I am sorry to have frightened agreeable hour or two in their company you with my burglar story. Are you gosimply did not comprehend how he could enjoy himself without her, how he ing to take a ride so early in the morning?

Annie noaded and passed on. She was glad that the woman had not seen her valise, which her maid had already put into the cab.

"What a narrow escape I had last night! How near I came being robbed -perhaps worse !" She was now thoroughly angry. "So much more reason for leaving the fellow, no matter what the consequences! For the present I shall remain with my parents." Thus musing she arrived at the depot. Before purchasing her ticket she in-

tended to leave her valise in the waiting room. Annie entered and made for an empty table, when suddenly she dropped the valise and almost screamed She would not even hear were anything aloud. Wasn't that her husband, "her" Gus sitting there in a corner and snorthere to be afraid of? What is going to ing loud enough to make everybody is the room smile at his nasal powers? He happen?" "Are not the papers every day full of looked tired and worn and his garments appeared damp. How did he get here and why was he in such a dilapidated "Think of the many strangers that flock condition? She stood for a moment unto a well known health resort like this. decided and unable to take her eyes off Nothing is impossible under such cirhis drawn, wornout features.

Suddenly the sleeper opened his eyes. The husband looked thoughtfully at Whatever the outcome, she must avoid a "No, dear, I do not want you to

scene in a public room. Anything but that! The waiters had more than once looked wonderingly at the man who had drunk three cups of coffee and then fallen sound asleep hours ago. Annie tried to appear quite unconcerned, and took a seat beside her husband. Somehow her anger had suddenly vanished.

draw myself from their society alto-"Oh, darling, what brought me-I gether, for they would ridicule and mean rather what brought you-here?" make fun of me, and call me henpecked. he asked, astonished at the unexpected Burglars rarely put in their appearance appearance of his wife, dressed for a before the hour of 11, the streets being journey.

full of life and traffic. Goodby, darling, "Never mind, dear. Don't bother and please do not feel lonesome." Annie sighed and submitted resigned that now. she whispered "Come, let us ride home, where I will y to her fate. She read awhile; she explain all." P then took up her embroidery, a present Gus acquiesced in silence. His feet for her mother; she played a game of felt heavy and hardly able to carry his solitaire, and finally she paced restlessly weight. He was sick. All he could do up and down the room. At home there was to drag himself to a cab. had been a large family circle; hence it And then explanations were in order. was very trying to her to be left so much Annie had no reason to doubt her husto herself in her new surroundings. band's narration of his adventures dur-At 10 o'clock even the familiar noises ing the night, and what the landlady in the kitchen ceased, for the servant had told her about the broken key tendhad gone up stairs to her attic, and the ed to corroborate and exonerate him. poor woman felt the old feeling of dis-But he could not quite make out from tress and fright creep over her. The sither explanations what had taken her to ting room was located at the rear of the the railway station. He was, however, house, and there was a hallway between too ill to ask many questions. it and the front rooms. She therefore Arrived at home, she simply told the could not hear the usual noises. A deathastonished servant that "they had like silence reigned in the room. Tired changed their mind and would not go and yet excited, she threw herself on the away because her husband, who had lounge. She sadly reflected why been preceded her to the depot, had been sud-denly taken sick," and sent her after a houses and card parties had been called into existence. By and by her thoughts physician. became more and more confused, and Gus was very sick. For two weeks he she fell into a sound slumber. could not leave his bed. A complicated It was 11:05 o'clock when Gus arrived and aggravated attack of influenza was breathlessly and post haste at his house the result of his experience during that door and tried to fit his key into the ill fated night. Annie never left his bedside, and now Poor fellow! Had evil spirits conit was her great care and tireless, despired to get him into trouble? Clickvoted nursing that opened his eyes as to the key broke in two, and the bit stuck the depth and unselfishness of her great fast in the keyhole, handle and barrel alone remaining in his hands.







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love for him.

He knocked, he called, he knocked would now and then go to have a social again and londer-for unfortunately game of whist, his wife never again there was no house bell-all in vain. "I doubted him, even if he staid out later hardly think my wife has retired as early than 11.-From the German. as this," he reflected, "but of course she

is in the sitting room, and most likely she cannot hear me." Once more he knocked-this time very loud. He called untibhis voice was hoarse. No reply. To fill his cup of misery to the brim it commenced to rain, and he was with-"Perhaps Annie has gone to bed, after all," he thought, shivering and dripwith artificial heads of hair. How do

ping wet. "Shall I go to a hotel? No! What would the people think! The only place that I know of that may still be "Ah," replied Mme. Melba, "don't fancy for a moment that those wigs are haphazard affairs! They are like all the rest of my artistic equipment, the result

He went down the street in the pouring rain, and at last found himself in the waiting room of the station. "A glass of beer, sir?" asked an en

terprising waiter. Gus shook himself. He felt chilly. "Punch," he said, "and make it hot!" He drank one glass and then another, and still another, to while away the time. He was the only person there. In due time the last train had arrived, and he could stay no longer. They were about to close up. In sheer desperation he looked at hi watch.

into the street, and it had ceased to rain. The full moon seemed to grin and wink at him maliciously through the clouds, as though she meant to say: "See, old man, it serves you right! Why must you go out to play cards and leave your wife at home in loneliness?"

In spite of the repeated potations he still felt chilly. "There is no help for it but a good run," he said to himself, starting on a lively trot through the

city, first down one street, then up another, through the suburbs, until he reached the open country, and back again without stop or rest for fear of head.

catching cold. The town clock struck the hour of 4. "It is still too early to get into the house," he said. "The front door is never unlocked before 6 o'clock! Will they be able to unlock the door anyway? A piece of my key sticks in the lock. The women are imprisoned and cannot get out. But now I can stand this no lon-

At last Gus got well, and, though he

Mme. Melba's Wigs.

"I wish you would tell me by what mysterious processes you succeed in finding such appropriate and becoming wigs. Everybody speaks of them and declares that there is no one on the stage today who manages to look so entirely natural

you contrive it?"

open is the railway depot, for there is a train arriving at midnight." of much thought, accompanied by a conscientious ambition to do thoroughly everything I attempt. Almost every

one of those wigs is an exact copy of some head of hair that I have seen and admired and had reproduced from the original. That is why they look so natural. Take this Juliette, for instance, which I myself think is particularly pretty. I got that from the famous Worth's little daughter. I saw the child one day while I was calling about some gowns and was at once impressed with the beauty of her hair. "Juliette," said It was 1 o'clock when he emerged I to myself, and forthwith borrowed the child and bore her off to my coiffeur. "There,' said I to him, 'I want you to copy that head exactly, hair for hair.' He did so, and that is the secret of my Juliette wig."-Exchange.

Capping It.

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston has been in existence almost as long as Boston itself. Once a year its members have been accustomed to go to church in a body and hear a sermon. Bishop Clark of Rhode Island says that he was once called upon to deliver this discourse, and ho took for his text Isaiah ix, 15, "The ancient and honorable, he is the

Some surprise was expressed that so appropriate a text had never before been used in that connection, but the reason became apparent before many hours had passed. Next morning a nowspaper devoted to the extermination of anything touching upon military preparations called the pub-lic attention to the fact that, though the preacher had only quoted the first part of the passage, his discourse had amply vin-dicated the truth of the last part of it. It

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