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By IL LOUISE CUMMINS

Copyright, 1903, by T. C. McClure... -0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0 "There's nothing," Ellen O'Connor confided to her teacup as she poured the fragrant fluid into the saucer-"there's nothing so comforting as a drop of something warm. There's Miss Jane. 'Tis source than any crab apple she is before breakfast. But just let me wet the bit of tay or coffee! You can see the puckers going out of her face with the first sup, and be the time she fills out the second cup you'd think 'twas in a different world she was liv-

It must be said in defense of Miss Jane Norries that, though her waiting woman's soliloquy was true, dressing in a cold room, where spindle legged furniture, worth its weight in gold, was jostled and supplemented by cheap pine, was not conducive to cheerful-

Also upon Miss Jane for the past thirty years had fallen the burden of making both ends meet out of a very slender income for herself and Miss Penelope.

But as she walked through the village of Plattville Miss Norriss' thin, aquiline nose held itself as high as when her family had represented the wealth of that select community. They were still the Norrisses. That was suf-

Never by the flicker of an eyelid had Miss Norriss acknowledged that she was aware of the existence of their neighbor, Mr. Jabis Babson, yet for the past three years he had occupied the handsome old house adjoining her own. It was undoubtedly one of the trials of Miss Norriss' life that her aristocratic fingers were compelled upon the Sabbath day to drop their ten cent piece into a contribution box held by the plebeian hand of her obpoxious neighbor. Upon such occasions her eyes were steadfastly fixed on the stained glass window opposite, a gift from her Grandfather Pettigill, while every spiral ornament in her bonnet quivered as if it were a sentinel defending the Pettigill-Norriss family pride.

Miss Penelope could hardly tell when



feeling far different from aversion. It might have been upon a certain Sunwhen, having mislaid her small coin, she raised her eyes in a flutter of embarrassment only to meet a look so admfring that the money was forever lost to the parish of Plattville.

That night in her own room Miss Pehelope took out her terrible secret and thought over it tremblingly. She had seated herself at the window with her candlestick on the wide sill. Suddenly she became aware of a similar filumination in the adjoining house. Scarcely knowing what she did, Miss Pen moved her light along the window ledge. The movement was immediately/answered. With a heart beating to suffocation she raised it high above her head, her cheeks flushing like a girl's as she saw the small flame opposite

take the same course. After that the days to this little colonial dame were something to be got through as best she could. At night all the thoughts of her heart were told in the interchange of signals. But there came an evening when

Miss Penelope watched through long. silent bours of agony for the light which did not appear. A dull red glow showed through the lowered shade. At midnight a carriage drove up and stopped at: Mr. Babson's gate. Then a sudden herce resentment against her sister filled Misa Pen's soul. He was

ill dying perhaps, and she was harred It was near dawn when the lamp's dull glow disappeared and the small point of flame caused by a candle abowed near the window. Miss Penel-ope fell on her knees, with heavy breaths tearing her throat, while her obsoped hands were raised in mute thanksgiving.

In the morning Ellen was full of the intest neighborhood news while she easted on the ladies at breakfast. "Oh, spre"twas like to've died, Mr. Babson did, in the night, ma'am," she began. "He was took bad with pains in his side about 9 o'clock, and Mrs. McGrath sent Peter McGill flying for the doctor. When they got back 'twas on the flat of his back the master was, Peter says, not knowing man nor mortal, and Mrs. McGrath rubbing him with her two hands. And when he come out o' that 'twas only raving about a candle he was and putting it in the winder until to quiet him"-

Miss Norriss' voice interrupted her serving woman in quick alarm. Miss Penelope had fallen forward in a limp beap with her head on the breakfast Half an hour she lay white and weak

on her bed, while stiffly beside her. "I think," Miss Penelope said in faint voice, "that I must have loved him from the very first." Miss Norriss' thin nose drew down until the bone showed white through

"Dear"-Miss Penciope stretched out one siender hand-"if he lives I think I ought to have the right-to take care

In silence Miss Norriss rose and left the room. But Ellen bore a note to the house next door that afternoon. Peter Mc-Gill brought the answer within five minutes, with a huge bunch of roses. s special pale pink variety of Mr. Babson's own cultivation, which he had named the Colonial Dame.

Mr. Babson still passes the contribution box in church, but he now returns to a seat beside a lady in silver gray silk, whose face holds the bloom and happiness of youth. Miss Norriss sits very straight at the other side of the

lady in question, her eyes fixed resolutely on the stained glass window, as if she would propitiate the ghost of the departed Pettigill.

The Suburban Home. The suburban house expresses freedom from restraint; it is the home of children; it means purer air; it means more room to move around in; it means gardens, and it implies a social life which years of city living may never engender. These are matters of first importance, and when to them is added the material advantage of lower rents the superiority of the suburban house over the city dwelling is established. There are long rides by trolley or train; there is the necessity of keeping early hours; there are difficulties with limited grocery, butcher and bakery service; there are other practical drawbacks. But over and beyond these is the abiding space of freedom of movement, of ample air and sunlight, of a place to live in.

And that is exactly what a house is for. It is neither to look at nor to serve as an ornament to a highway. That it should be ornamental and should be viewed with interest are matters of course that are extremely desirable, but after all it is the house within that counts; that makes suburban life bearable, adds to its joys, increases its advantages, cements its superiority to every other sort of living unless it be the country life pure and undefiled.—House Beautiful.

A Marvelous Memory.

Cardinal Mezzofanti was possesse of a very wonderful memory, which he applied to the learning of a great number of languages. Lord Byron described him as "a walking polyglot, a monster of languages and a Briareus of parts of speech." He could learn a new language in the course of three weeks on occasion so as to be able to talk fluently with those whose tongue it was. At the age of fifty-four Mezzofanti knew fifty languages. Before his death he is said to have known seventy or eighty. More of these were European than most people would imagine to be the case. For instance, Wallachian, Illyrian, the Romani of the Alps, bettish and Lappish figured among the twenties in his list, for the remainder of which he went to other continents. Mezzofanti's system of learning languages was simple enough where books were available. He read the grammar through, after which he was its master, for he never forgot what he had read. Many of his languages were learned from prisoners whom he visited in their affliction.

The Monocle Habit. The single eyegfass, or monocle, never found many admirers in this country, and only a few transplanted Englishmen cling to it. An oculist, discussing the use of the monocle, said: "Dr. Kitchener back in 1824 thought it a had cultivated the habit of picking up the glass each time he wanted to use it with a different hand. Of course picked up with the right hand it had to go into the right eye, and vice versa. As a matter of fact, the single eyeglass is injurious. It throws all the work on one eye. It destroys the harmony of the optic muscles and nerves, I know an Englishman who has worn for a myopic affection a monocle in his left eye for twelve years. The left eye is all right, but with the other the man can see practically nothing. The habit of the monocle continues to live among the English swells."

Encouraging. Tom-Has she given you any en couragement? Dick-I should say so. She tells me she will have all the old man's wealth when he dies .- Judge.

"He doted on Alice and would have married her but for her mother." "Ah! Her mother"-"Yes, her mother was still more at-

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day morning at 10c a yard. In Woolsein fleece waistings we have a great range of styles and patterns that are certainly very pretty at 10c a yard. In this department we carry a full assortment of linings. We sell silk finish liuing, 36 inches wide, that will not stretch and holds its lustre, at 10c a yard-by far the best lining we have ever shown for the price. We have all grades of lining from 5 to 35 cents a yard. We also carry trimmings of kinds, laces, braids, medallines and silks and velvets. Also fancy buttons.

In the Domestic Goods Department-In this department we are showing a splendid line of sheets, pilo w-cases and counterpanes. For the first time in the history of our store we are able to sell a full size hemmed sheet, 81x90 inches, at 45c each; pillow cases 36x42 inches at 10c each. Better quality sheets are 50c, 68c and 75c rach, and pillow cases are 131/c and 15c each. Full size white bed-spreads we are selling at \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50

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New Mattings.

We received by this week's steamer 50 rolls of matting direct from auction We are showing a pretty Japanese good thing. He advised its alternate is 98c a yard, regular price \$1.25. In | matting with carpet matting which use, now in the right eye, now in the fancy worsteds we are showing a full has had a close price at 25c, which we now offer for 20c a yard; we also have a few rolls of China matting at 10c a yard; we have a line of very fine mattings, that are standard 40c values: our price is 29c a yard. We have something new in matting. It is made of grass with a linen warp. One side is a carpet pattern, the other side a matting. It is largely used by the government for halls and offices. It gives good service and looks well: we sell it for 29c a yard.

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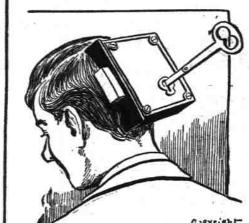
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40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:25 a m, Pembroke 10:62 a m, Lumberton 10:27 a m, Wilmington 13:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:35 a m, Pembroke 1:20 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

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