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Would you ask me why I flirt? I'll tell you the reason why: Were it not for my flirting I would slowly creep and die. Some may say, "It is not right To break a dear lover's heart;" But what is all that to me? If I only play my part!

DOROTHY'S MATCHMAKING.

"I declare to goodness, Robert," Miss Dorothy said, rubbing her nose in a way peculiar to her. "I don't know what you will do, unless you get married yourself."

in the direction of the church. Was it his sister's suggestion that so brought back to his memory the sweet baby face of the young betrothed that he sought her grave?—for of late years he had not been very often to the secluded corner where Susan Desmond slept, in the shade of a great oak tree.

"Robert Ackerman is a noble, true gentleman, a man to honor—a man to love! And if he marries he wants a wife who will love him, and make his life glad and bright."

A Word of Caution. "By George! there's the girl I told you about, who flirted with me the other day—the one with the sky blue neckerchief and swell hat, with white feather nodding over her forehead. Sumner, ain't she?"

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An April Girl. The girl that is born on an April day Has a right to be merry, lightsome, gay; And that is the reason I dance and play And frisk like a note in a sunny ray— Wouldn't you Do it, too, If you had been born on an April day?