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Love was our only friend and graids Sweet were the bowers he led as through, And sweet our going side by side.

Then summer came, a golden fleed, And still we followed hand in hand.

Rich autumn fell, and winter dreve The fruity ripeness from the air. What recked we it the world was bare?

Bo cound a gain we some to spring, The sun is day too by our eyes

For, hand in hand, when or we go, Earth under foot and Heaven above, Love is the only life we know, And every breath we breathe relove,

MATRICE THOMPSON,

## TRUE AS STEEL,

Just as I was retiring to rest on evening there came to my registry of fice door a gentle, unobtrusive knock. the court the white, agonized face of When my assistant answered the knock and whered in a poor, bedraggled creature, therefore, I was not Furprised.

But I certainly was astonished when the torn-down looking woman standing outside asked me to obtain a situation for her as general servant.

"Have you may references?" I queried.

"No, man, I am surry to say I have

"Then, pray, how do you expect me to get your a situation? "Well, I was tell that servants

were wanted hadly and people were not so particular about characters as "Where do you come from and

what is your name?

"I have just come out of juil. My manner is Grace Compton.

"About five years ago," she said, "I took a situation as general servant in the household of the postmaster of The family consisted of my employer, his wife, son and two daugh-

"I had received a good educationat our village school, and this put me on terms of equality with the junior members of the family. The daughters helped me to do the work; that is they did the lighter portion. The mother was simply a hardworking

"The postman was very fond of company, and every evening at six o'clock he went out for a brisk walk, which generally ended at a certain noted suburban hotel and meeting place for the local tradesmen. He always returned in time to get off the heavy post, and then went out again. to the Golden Ball Hotel, adjacent, for the remainder of the evening.

"The fown increased with mushtoomelike rapidity, and the posteffice had its work set to keep pace with its fast-growing requirements. My emloyer got another serxunt to do the heavier portion of the work, and the daughters were almost permanently drafted into the office.

When there was a caush I was called in to help, and, being tensi. By if he is a man he will respect you worthy, the money diswers were al. the more for it. Tell him all,"

"Stanley Gore, my employer's son, began to follow his father's footsteps too soon. His father kept him moderately well supplied with pocker retired to another room. The man money, but still Stanley often used to was much surprised when I told him borrows few pounds from me on one the story of his wife and her suffer

with great promptitude. Whether he and when I called Grace into the room mount anything or not, he was very again, he can to ber, fifted her up in bandy with his compliments, and from his great brawny arms and smothered these we get to lesses.

"Stanley one day spoke to me on the subject of marriage. After some delay I accepted him. His father, when he heard of the engagment, while he received the announcement coldly, yet miscal no barrier.

"Must about this time a curious thing took place in the postoffice There was something wrong with the cash. A test letter containing marked coins had been sent by a departmental detective, and it had not arrived at its destination. Indeed it had never passed through our office, although the reception of it had been timeed to the hands of Stanley Gore.

"I overheard the detective declare that he had a search warrant and that he should forthwith proceed to put if into execution. Lulmost flow upstairs takes to tell found convincing proofsof his guilt. With the intention of destroying the telltale letter I was with her, suspended to a chain of pure cushing down into the kitchen with them in my hands, when who should Manual of Prayer, a dunty volume meet me on his way to Stand-y's room of 300 pages, bound in "frammered

ment on his part snatched it from me, Before I could recover from my surv Desert." - | New York Times.

PITTSBORO', CHATHAM CO., N. C., MARCH 29, 1891.

To my alex. Little best at play-Meeting on all day time, As 0 specificated specification and And not dear our tos

Of that been thing The family consisted of mother and father, two small children and a horse The song thig is all to our Hold first the atring and most a tight,

Upon the balagmette has

Will care my deap little too, good old, As some high group betore. Will ever for boart teat trial and cold

William the bis When the trace have workers is bing and and log Office him and

Afformer Frohland tomicso Re-ord

BUTTLE BEATTLE AND BUT TEAST. A girl of fourte in was sent to the faitcher's the other day to jurcline ment for dimer. The batcher hapblock lay ages at toway. St. Bermud. dog, doong and suppose at the cert giornal fly that districted his dreams.

20th! you beautiful obj. dozune what a darling you are!" evolutioned the girl, and in another moment she was kneeding to him with her hand on his from hand and for yo Novembs half

much in his golden lipsown coal. The dog opened his sleeps eyes licked herother lead and magned, his tail, thereby signifying that, though he had not previously limithe pleasure of her acquaintance, he considered her sers nice girl indeed. Looking up,

fittle maiden saw the butcher ding in the door. His face was white. "For your life's sake, keep still?"

he erred. "Come here, Jack!" he added sternly to the dog, and in a

"I wouldn't have taken that risk for all I powers." he said afterward to the clables better. The was left to mind the till and be would have torn some folks to pieces. Leanure understand it." | Our Don't Animals.

HIMMING OF THE STATE WIRE. Every one has beard the humaning and sugging of telegraph and telephone wites. Meed people think that it is coused by the netion of the wind on the wores, and give it so further thought. But it is not true that the singing is general by the mind, and, it you are at all observes, you will notice that the humaning second actorbic heard on gold winter meanings, when the until it is lost in the doub, and when

thick is a roll of classific tringe. The wind has nothing to do with the saind, and, assembling to an An- time and food grating sourcer and title is that of the Lastriagion ray the knowable differences trium scientist, the vibrations are dueto a change of atm spheric tempera, cold stop they began to swarm into Bimetallic and Smaller are, of contes, on with your examination this term? Auro, and especially through the metion. On turseum, where were collected in Colorado banks. The Irish American [2] had marly ton in most every. of cold, as a low-ring temperature, valuable treasures in the departments. Savings Bank is an Atlanta institute thing. How near 2" "Well, I had ships in distress. The sounds remeded induces a shortening of the wires ex- of authropology, zonday, neutrol- tion. The Bank of Good flops has a the targett all right coorgin. Macassar, in Celebes, a distance of finding over the whole of the consequence of finding over the whole over the consequence of the consequenc friction is produced on the supporting. Including first noticed, their increasing, a account of the automaticules, or the Way are you correct those Likinecked. hells, thus induced sections both on interior. It was found that parts of Indian Territors are nonneged by and one of his front rectional, and now he the successfolding to be

on, birds have mismion the sound for in dead carnest was waged on them, insects medicathe roles, and have been i seen to neck with their falls on the other trees. The story is fold of a bear that misteric the Juneman none stones at its love to the Juge of find mostlecouch revered bonce. "Home:

# Domesto Use of Dynamite,

At Vilias, Russing terrently Ivan Makevits, at the third course of a donner at which at he wife, his moth it in law, her ter shought is, and a ton, as well as a marghing and less nearly have write, announced that he had prepared a special dish to which he want. ed all to drink a torst. He then brought maching dish, covered, and placed in surface table he litted his glass and disuted; "To our next meeting" The "special dish" was a dynamite bemis. Every one in the room was norantly killed except the xoungest daughter and the servant, who both died short's after, and the walls of the room was partly blown

Puts tensocorful of augments in a quart of water, wash your brushes and born my name was Jones, and they comb in this and all grease and dirt didn't give me the other one for a will disappear. Russ, shake and dry month afterward, - Brooklyn Life. It the sun or by the fire.

the grounds, but the atomiques of existences. Food began to get searce, you to the California free. It is Hunger made them bold.

thout the grounds got fewer and not securitemed to it. fewer, till their numbers were so to- This all use houp repositive are directiful they did not overawe, the imported from some of the southern redents, the latter began foreging evisitation of the republic, and entry a peditions on dinner pails left me hand of heir which they make them. return at the lunch hour to where they pastes dollars a mountly in Mexican

the rate come and cut them, and then, wear he is kept in an outlying camp to boldened by their numbers and, their jury bio "grab," his saddle, and sorape, found dangerous to provoke a swarm of rats. Exhibits in some of the buildings were damaged to a consider able extent by the rats, grawing, the although some fundreds of miles from

not packed. rooms that were returned in the build every tenth manyon and there was an buildings traps were procured. Are Bunks are enriously named by Though the number of rats killed in incossity of their location. The Hong this way reached the thousands, their Kong and Stringhar Ranking Corpora-

numbers did not seem to decrease. It was thought that the art police now the Field Museum because of The Butchers and Drovers' National smoke from channers goes straight up. its brick walls and brick partitions ex. Bank, like the Hole and Leather, fending clear down to the tognilations, makes a bid in the participance of spethe last cold some proved the contrary. Ascene, etc., for that of healities, scatter, at the beginning of the last Savings of Merchants' Circles. The Will, formus, how and you get When the humaning has been going nex, were overrun with them. War and within a tew days their numbers

# Do Flying Fish Fly?

whether their definition of a eraleway Democrat, correct. The story is so well known that it does not need repetition. As the result of personal observation . Macana how long are the varid extending over a good many years, I game of a ship," asked Barry H poert that the exocetus does fly,

the air perpendicularly, at the same Curonicle Telegraph.

time durting off at right applies to its previous contest. Then, after another ing flight, when just about to enter the uniter, the supuns purs of a shelpure out it row again, returning almost directly upon its former stourse. This procedure is so common that it is

coursed it is not more widely known. A flying fish of meture size our fly a thesiseral yards. It does not than the properly be called. There are whole the wings of an insect, with a distinct regiments of them. Since the cold ham. The only thing which terminneather set in they have become a post | notes it dight involuntarily is the drewhich active measures leave been found. The of the monderness and their consequent stiff-nin Chamber's

### The Mexican "Puncher."

The: Mexicus appareties all the years hared on hors of Imples, and not As the number of men employed at all comfortable for the rider who is

guarded. Frequently workmen would a bee. They work for from eight to had left their dimen pails, only to some and live on the most simple distfind them overturned, and the con-imaginable. They are mostle proved. or in hopoless deletes their petrons, As the weather got colder, shelter who go witer my man who deserts the is well as food became a prime object gauge and long hor back by force. A of the rate, Building after building "puncher" buys nothing but loswas occupied by them. They kept in gargeons backshin clothes, and his biding during the day, unless driven log silver mounted straw but, his by hunger to expose themselves to spurs, his rists, and emelorrings. He view, but at night they came forth and makes his fegues, or buckskin, boots, made the place grewsome with their his lower leggings, his saidle, and the patron turns has buy none. The guards on duty at night used to the round up, which last about half of muse themselves by scuttering bread the year, he is furnished beef, and erumbs or grain about, and watching also kills game. The bulance of the driving them away in the most of torn-took back on the range. These their feast. But oneo m a while the comps are often the most sample fun was the other way. The rate, on things, consisting of a pack contain. bunger, refused to be driven wasy, all lying moles a tree which does but attacked the guards. It was seen that we a house. Harper - Magazine,

### Qu crly Named Banks, Chetanografica S absert Bink.

boxes in which fley were packed, or the water. Perhaps the mine is herthe exhibits themselves, it they were rowed from a like institution in New York, In Salem, Muss., an Assatio Cats were secured for the office. National Bank recalls the day when rags on the grounds, to keep out the East Indian navigator. The Tomb invaders. For other portions of the stone, Waveross, Teliachapi and Badtion and the Yokohamai Space. Bank are not in Asia, but in San Francisco.

# Hunting Mountain Sheep

were appreciably reduced. But the sheep? inquired Colonel Henderson into abcoveringuaged was a swind-war is still kept up, for there is no of Nexada, 2015, creat small language abcounter. Academic Nex out-oft, as they do spen the apple and war is still kept up, for there is no of Nexada. "It's great sport, but the say- he was only a Baronet, any tence possible, as the experience in generally pretty these me. Then alle way, the other buildings has proved. It made seek the most elevated peaks of a coming from a nest of bees, and has not been found yet that any of the the mountains, bealing on the banch. "You finds," said White Washings church at the pole and here many the displays have been damaged, but unless grass, help us, and most that grow on ten. That it is found to trulle barts a man to the building can be rid of the pests the rocks, and tory torcly descends be bit with one of Copol's arrows?" there is feat that they now he. Cliff and the valleys below. It is almost "No," replied Balle Pepperton, "as the object of the hunter to get above his game it possible when in process of the a time. maintain sheep, for they are so spirit. - Position think you could being A very common error made in that of ave, our and took that it he most to bee use. The said, booking at he and histories where the fish is men through the same level with finness; westfally. In some Levalling," the proved to that it shows not the "The his stands but little whater of burnets," suswered decidelly. "I'm a perfect supposed flight is nothing more than a bis game. So he strives to get above dones. When I was at school I never prolonged leaps at enumer deviate them. When this is messaphished a could learn anything, from a straight line, and cannot rise a stone thrown down among them, will . What made, exertone hugh so second, time without entering the suffice to frielden them, and they will heartily right after Jenes entered the water. This, brieffy, is the sort of immediately begin ascending the purior. Oh, something he said, thing one meets with in teetbooks mountain, and as they estimate scent where reference is made to this fish. The hunter who lies concealed in an The simplest way of dealing with it land above there, they will then full said he was too hourse to talk," is the professor's method of answering an easy grey to quick and true shots. Jack. Do you believe in transmisthe query of the French Academy from his rith. St. Lenis tilebe gration of sonls, Just alone What's

# Eastly Answered

200 yards off, describe a semi-circle, plied Mrs. Hiland, "I should say they

Just Do Our Part.

If we bravely resolve to do our part, And hear our griefs with a patient heart And free from all reputing. We shall lead to a higher way. To a letter work than we do today. And find love's sunlight shining For train of spirit and strength of worl Will make the darkest flood unrell

And "won it salver lining.

### HUMOROUS.

HELEN Erren

Good for sick people. Well water. A regular old stick in the mind An

A young girl can stand up straight and still be beat on morroage.

"This can't be beaten," said the confectioner when he broke a bud egg-

Printer Three men called with bills this morning. Editor (absent-minded-

No man could make my husband that kind of a fard,"

Christic That young Mr. Sapp talks just like a book, doesn't he?

Kathryn Yes, a blank book. The wolower about to remarry to the boost unsellish of mortals. He seldom thinks of Number One.

A tombetom is about the only place where the average man doesn't really gote to horse his more in print,

She flooking around the rooms What havely interior descritions. He flooding over the table)- Delightful, I mus sure.

Young Man. What did your pa say which be learned I had kissed your sister | Little Girl. He said that was encouraging

"Where do we get cream of tartar?"

asked the pastry schoolma'am. "From Russian cons," was Johnny Snagg's Sportsness Are there any snipe in

this bog? Native Is it schnipes? Begob, if ye hadn't yer gun wid ye, they'd ate ye alone? Traveller. I see you advertise shel-

fer for man and beast? Taverukeeper. Yes, sit. I can give you either, Which do you prefer? Unch the organ I trust. Henry, that you are out of debt. Henry-No, I

buse of contiquite so far as that, but I am out of about everything clse. Mr. Critic - If that a "A Hunting Se no," why don't the men have guns?

Mr. Caustic. - Perhaps the artist parated there so naturally that they've Charles. What do you think of a

ours who returns no umbrells the same day in horrows at. James Oh I never e-neces myself with anything Too thousand times worse, thus, the

commit who says, "I told you so!" is the woman who male sits silent and hasks it at your boquently with her ex-The Cont - Wite They say that pod-

the frest on the wing is as taken and would prove impervious to them. But and indistrict the Receiver, Path, try is a decreate outle market. The Poet The other buildings becoming evers. The most formuland and ameniat sounding positive and bought any drags you'd

the buildings especially the cost an for the Indians. Cinema Herald. one spit through his teetle or I can't.

"Pad you river hant mountain at the asse that that nobleman to

"You think," sund Willie Wishings name to mercly becomes senseling

particularly entertaining.

that, Juck | May, for instance, that the eas has bud a prior existence in another form - parliags been a being like myself, Joe Ob, no fleabt the grown been a milt.

of the State of Minnesota, recently reand, meeting the ship, rise 20 feet in were three feet long. - Pittsburg existed a letter written and sent to bim 43 his wife in 1866.

### Hand in Hand,

prise he had my arms pinioned in such When spring was young and life was new, a way that I was entirely in his power. "For Stanley's sake I went quietly with him. When outside he called a eab, and in a few minutes afterward I der a group of pines. A little way found myself in the cells at the police from this lay a confused mass of old

"Next morning when the newsrea-And love the glory of the land. pers, whose reporters had picked up a family with their feet to the fire the information at the police office

gave full particulars of the robbery and arrest, public opinion was very much divided on the subject. Some people believed I was guilty and others inclined to a contrary opinion.

"All doubts were, however, set at test when I plended guilty to stenling the letter and its contents. The other charges were then dropped.

"The Gores took no notice of me, that make out to find food." forly believing I was the base woman. I had pleaded guilty to being. The asked, day I was sentenced, however, just as the warder in charge, was asking me to step down from the dock, I. looked around and saw among the crowd in Stanley Gore.

"Soon afterward Stanley disaypeared, after giving formal notice of his intention and making all arranges ments to go alread. He has not been heard of since,

"His family will leave nothing to do with me, although I told his father privately the real history of the role bery. He simply said I was lying. and that Shad a had left home through being disappointed in not obtaining the lend of a certain manufacturer's daughter who had, in fact, married a

d or friend of his. "Now, then, after hearing nov story, will you try to obtain a situation | gered.

"Yes, I will; for some how or other, the conviction forces itself on me that by. The father and Susan accompan-

yea are telling me the truth." One day a retired farmer who wanted a horsekeeper, owing to the the old man said, with evident embudeath of his wife, agreed to take Camyioti at a small wage. My common sense fold are that a woman who could sacritics so much on the alter of love must be a good and trustworthy sort

of person. I was not decrived. There was a great surprise in store one day when, about two years after Campion had become housekeeper, she invited me to her marrage with her employer. The couple were very happy together, and many a day I

spent in the country since at their joint invitation, Some time afterward I had a letter | yerself. from Grace saving that she had recerved a communication from a seligitor in Canada, who shall obtained her name and address from the postmaster, to say that Stanley Gore had willful the sum of \$25,000 to her, for her side use, and that he had made i

full confession of his crime, which was duly attracted. Compion sought my solve in the neatter. When I went over to see her s'ie was in a terrible state of agitation,

for worlds that I had been in prison. "Still," I answered, "I flink it would be wise to let him know. Sure-

"I really cannot do so, "Leave it to me then. I will tell

The farmer was called in and Grace tous. Like the true man I thought h He generally paid me back again was he admired her the more for it,

# her with kines.

He At last we are alone, and I have an opportunity to speak. I have been seeking this moment for days and days the I have something to say to you,

Suc tio on, Mr. Harkins, He I will. Miss Jones, you per have have not noticed that at times I have been constrained, uneasy, even awleward, in your presence, that I have had semething on my mind that I felt I must see to you:

Silve to dilly ! Yes.

to your mother.

### She Go on Mr. Harkins He Was due to the fact that I feared you were not aware that I am engaged

He. That constraint, that awkward-

ness, Mass Jones, was due to-due

A Costly Volume. Oncen Elizabeth used to carry about gold, a book either The Golder virgin gold." One side of this volume The officer recognized the test set- gave a representation of "The Judgter at a glance, and by a quick move, ment of Solomen," the other the "Brozen Serpent on the Cross in the

# CHILDREN'S COLUMN.

He taugheth with you When he beardth the time of town That love have made

That the sougherhood and clear | Now hard the top with all a menutable

They's was, and then, seath, they' Boundeth and spinners along.

And it where and it chars

And it bire and it pares "Doos well for our hogs," inserted. the old man. "We've a bond of pork Exact its prests come 2903 How many have you?" I

"Nigh three thousand." "Prespections" inquired madam. "I say huntin"," sayer, ted the man "Maybe has a cards toller, "interrupted one of the children.

"tioin somewhere, and yet?" wa Snorn's guess I make a brief personnt of myself, sat isfying all but the old woman, who evidently classified meas not up to nor standard. Later she turned and

In "Mountainvering in the Sieura

Nevada," Chrence King relates that

he earne one night to a camp-tire un-

and half-bald buffide robes and com-

forters, and cert-tretched on this was

"You seem to have a pleasant camp

and here "was no substitution. The old woman no wered sharply,

rirl.

better.

"I allow you've killed your even in

"No, memo," I said. "Now you speak of it. I realize that I never losse Killed a como

I realized, too, that this fatal admision must forever lower me in her eyes, and Lobserved that even Susan and her father were somewhat stag

After a sojourn of several days. mong those, I took leave of the famied one for a distance into the forest to inspect the hors. As we were parting,

I tried to convince him that I

would. A slight mure. ... You'll take rare o' verall, wont

rely on it, when he added: "That that that man what gits Susan has half the hogs? Then, turning away, he spurred his

I was about to reply that he might

# sony, calling out, "Take good care o

Lordest Noise Ever Heard, The explosion of the great volcane of Krakaton in the East Indies, is the ordest noise of which we have now eserd. The little I-band of Kraka ton lies in the strait of Sambab tween Sanatin and Java: On August 27, 1883, there occurred a tremendous countion, which shivers I the island to fragments. The explosions were so violent that to the citizens of Batavia, tine-tour miles distant, they sounded ik-the discharge of artiflery in the streets of the city, and the people sould not deep in their bods. Carimon, in Java, 355 miles away, the poises sounded like the firing of great cans, and the authorities sent out boats to ascertain if there were any autobal to see if help was needed by Jones in danger. Even in West Aug. train the explosings were heard. On the Victoria Planas, 1,700 miles distant, the sherderds were startled byounds like the discharge of heavy artiflery. The fine dust spected by the volcane was carried all round the slobe, and produced builtunt sunsets

# in England itself. Yanker Blade,

Liffizing Leather Scraps. Not many years ago the leather craps and shavings of the currents' thops were ground up in the paper mills and norde two beather, board for insules and counters in slows. Of late years, however, No. 2 leather has been so cheap that it has been made so near the price of the leather board that the latter is no longer a marketable commodity. In tanneties and earrier shops the feather shavings and temmines are now used for find in stores and furnaces and under bodiers, with tan. For this purpose they are more valuable than wood for producing heat.

# The Last Was First. Teacher (to new pupil) What is

Teacher - What is your full name?

San Francisco Examiner.

New papil Tommy.

New pupil Tommy Jones.

Teacher Then Jones is your best Tommy-No, it isn't. When I was

# A PLAGUE OF RATS.

Pamished Hordes at the Deserted World's Fair.

Measures Adopted to Stamp out the Pest.

There is a plague of rats at the "deserted city, "as the World's Fair might this as a bird, but they vibrate

All during the fair it was known Journal, that there were a great many rate in forage they found in the remnants of funches left scattered about kept them and coming but, and a sea fearful comout of the buildings. When the fact travalue. Their sable transite very closed and the day of abundance onded short, and as stroight and quitting there were cost awarms of young and anapoless as a constitue's preknowless half grown rate on the grounds. Im | 31 - The horn is as big as a dinner mediately there became a struggle for plate, and taken altogether it is into-