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The Spanish Treasure.

A NOVEL.

By Mrs. Elizabeth C. Winter.
(ISABELLA CASTELLAS.)

CHAPTER XXII.
CONTINUED.

It was Mrs. Hamilton, who coming into the drawing room a few minutes later, found her daughter fallen in a heap upon the floor, her hands clenched as if in maddening pain and her poor, distorted, tortured face pallid as if stamped with the seal of death.

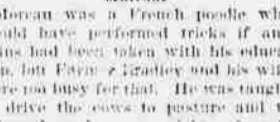
At first the shocked and horrified mother could not even call for help; but as soon as her voice returned, the whole household was in a state of the wildest confusion, and it was not until Doctor Macdonald arrived and assured her that Mary was not dead, although struck in a prolonged and dangerous swoon, that Mrs. Hamilton could put on the outward semblance of calmness.

my soul when I first saw him! But I feared to leave her. I hoped to have helped her. I was in a state of doubt and uncertainty. Even the intuition that has always kept my spirit free in its darkest moments seemed clouded, so that I no longer understood its guidance. Then he came, and in that brief moment of our meeting it seemed as though our spirits touched. The soul looking out of his eyes into mine seemed the other half of my own, and in the last moment of existence I must feel that I am one with him and he with me.



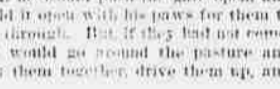
An Old Goose.

What is sauce for the goose is said to be, it should be, sauce for the gander, and that is generally applicable. But at Chapel St. Leominster in England a goose escaped all kinds of dressing and ended at the ripe age of twenty-eight years.



A MOUSE TRAP FOR BOYS.

paper cut a cross. Then set the trap wherever the mice are apt to come and hang a piece of toasted cheese over the centre of the trap.



A LEOPARDS CUB.

The most inquisitive cub in the world used to be seen by a civil servant in a Riverina township, Australia, and as this, perhaps, the only

you haven't a trap in the house. It is a very simple matter to make one of the old-fashioned kind, with an empty jam jar. Over the top tie a piece of heavy brown paper. In the way you have probably seen jars of currant jelly covered. In the middle of the

Causes of Volcanic Eruptions

By Albert Perry Brigham,
Professor of Geology.

CONCLUSIVE word has been spoken on this subject. A final conclusion may be beyond the bounds of human investigation. As with the glaciers of the Ice Age, earthquakes, or the origin of species, many facts are known, and some major conclusions cannot be doubted, but the ultimate cause yet lies in obscurity. This is not discouraging to the true student, but only one of many proofs of the limitation of our knowledge.

There is no danger, unless, the

my soul when I first saw him!

the ragged romps of Raven Run.

bird that ever shut up a political

The Mortgage on the Farm

Not Necessarily an Evil—It May Be the Source of Great Good.

By Edwin Farrer.

"THE mortgage on the farm" is a subject upon which numerous writers have excited their energies in the production of poems, editorials, special articles, miscellaneous squibs and pathetic stories without number.

THE RAGGED ROMPS OF RAVEN RUN.



Down the road they gravely tramp,
The ragged romps of Raven Run;
Each is a soldier fresh from camp,
With halft a broomstick as a gun.

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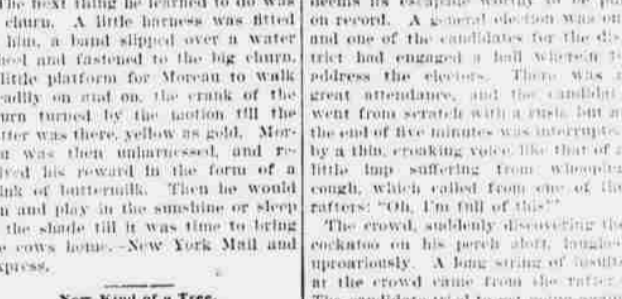
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A Woman's Argument Against Suffrage

By Heloise Edwina Hersey.

WE come to the practical question of what would be the effect upon the country if women were now permitted to vote. The United States is today in grave peril from too wide an extension of the franchise.

New Kind of a Tree.



The animals in the jocular fables presented the adorable old elephant to paint him; he had such a magnificent trunk—Chicago Record Herald.

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The World's Mightiest Force.

By the Rev. Howard Duffield.

THE newspaper is the colossal force of the modern world. Mechanically the newspaper lays all other departments of invention and discovery under tribute, subsidizing the railways, the steamship and the electric wire.