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### No Man is Stronger Than His Stomach

consequent indigestion, or from some other disease of the stomach and its associated organs, which impairs digestion and nutrition. For when the stomach s weak or diseased there is a loss of the nutrition contained in food, which is the source of all physical strength. When a man "doesn't feel just right," when he doesn't sleep well, has an uncomfortable

feeling in the stomach after eating, is languid, nervous, irritable and despondent, he is losing the nutrition needed to make strength. Such a man should use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical

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mally with the Acousticon.

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Having this day qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of Eliza Chewning, deceased, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said testator to present the same to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of November, 1912, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery, All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 28th day of October, 1911. J. R. CHEWNING,

Executor of Eliza Coewning, Deceased

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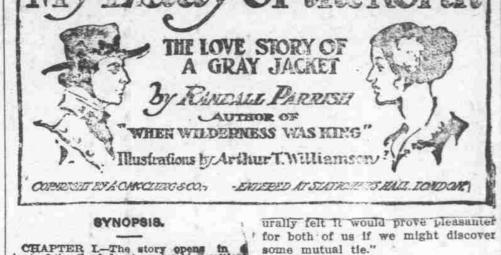
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Cut this out of the will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are regulred to make payment to may help you hear. If you cannot call, write us. We will tell you how you may test it in your think of it.

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T. A. HORNE,



CHAPTER L.—The story opens in tent of the Confederate army at a critical stage of the Civil War. Gen. Lee luparts to Captain Wayne a secret message to Longstreet, upon the delivery of which depend great issues. Accompanied by Sergeant Craig, an old army acout, Wayne starts out on his dangerous hission.

CHAPTER II.—The two messengers make a wild ride, dodging squads of soldiers, almost lose their bearings and finally are within the lines of the enemy, havetrated the cordon of pickets un-

CHAPTER III.—Encountering a small party of a idlers in the darkness. Wayne is taken for a federal officer with came to keep in appointment, is accorded as his representative, and a young lady ou horseback is given in his charge. CH PTER IV.-The female companion

the two southern scouts is a northern I, who, when she becomes aware of carmy affiliations, slashes Wayne with riding whip and attempts to escape fails.

#### CHAPTER V.

A Disaster on the Road. To me she was merely a woman whom it had become my duty to propression (it was little more), and a time I had regained my feet. fleeting gleam of the starlight in her as totally unaware of how she really looked as though we had never met. Her very name was unknown to me. Who was this Major Brennan? Was he father, brother or husband? and was her name Brennan also? For

"You ride as though born to the saddle," I said pleasantly; and although I spoke low, we were so close together that my voice carried distinctly to her ears. "We have been sufficiently conceited to suppose that to be an accomplishment peculiar to our

"I have been accustomed to ride since childhood," she replied rather shortly, and I was conscious of a restraint in her manner far from pleasing. Yet I ventured upon one more

"Is Major Brennan an officer on "I was not aware"-and I could not mistake the accent of vindictiveness in her voice-"that prisoners were to converse against their

"I ask your pardon, I am sure," I eturned soberly. But my question was not altogether an idle one. have chanced to meet several General Sheridan's staff, and thought possibly Major Brennan might have been of their number. Seeing that we must associate for a time, I nat-

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hough I am continuing to use it so as to bure the trouble is eradicated from mr system. [Signed] R. H. SHACKLEFORD.

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Dear Sirs—in January I as I wrote you regarding MILAM. You said you would cure the or resund the money. Well, you can keep it all. My face is entirely well. I feel better than I have in years in any way. Am finishing up my 6th bottle now, and think after 28 years of Eczems am cured. With best wishes.

[Signed] C. H. WILLIAMS.

Psoriasis-A Vilolent Form of Eczema

Yours truly. J. W. PINCHBACK. Ask Your Druggist or Write

There was no response The road we were following here took a sudden trend downward, and we could tell from the sharper ring of the hoofs, and the spitting of flinty sparks beneath us, that we were among rocks once more. Then our horses suddenly splashed into water, and I held them up long enough to drink. I felt thirst strongly myself, and slipping out of the saddle filled my canteen.

"Would you care for a drink?" I asked, stemming the stream to reach her side, and holding the vessel within easy grasp of her hand. I actually believe her first impulse

was to refuse haughtily this proffered civility from an enemy of her country, but the deep sense of need conquered her to accept the offering. Another hill followed, and then another, and finally we swept swiftly down a long slope densely bordered by trees and with irregular piles of rock up rearing ugly heads on either hand. caught a swift glimpse of a rough tect, and whatever of chivalrous feel- log house on the right, so set back ng I may have held toward her was among trees that I half doubted its based upon nothing deeper than this roal existence, when—there was a more fit of the two." knowledge. She had come to us undo slip, the crunching of a stone, a last sired and in darkness, her form en- stumble forward that fairly wrenched the tone of her voice and the graceful hurled beavily forward upon my face. dent that she had not lost the agility | hind him, spurred back to learn the of youth. But beyond this vague im- full extent of my disaster. By this

"I'm all right, I think, sergeant," eyes as she faced me in anger, I was said hastily, "but the sorrel has brokbut I stopped him with a gesture he

> "Enough of that," I commanded, sternly. "Bad fortune is seldom bettered by hard words. First of all,

help me to drag this dead body out of On one side of us the bank fell away the figures, and even the sound of the with such precipitancy that when we once succeeded in dragging our load We were alone. to the edge, we experienced no difficulty in sending ft crashing down-

ward. The body plunged through the thick underbrush at the bottom of the oggre, where I knew it would be completely hidden, even in the glare of daylight, from the spying eyes of any troopers riding hard upon our track. As we rapidly worked on this disagreeable task, I thought and planned; two horses and three riders-one of -a dispatch to be delivered by daylight, at all hazards. It was indeed a difficult proposition, and I saw only a single possible solution. One of our riding troopers at his back. To per number must press on; two of us mit the girl to venture forward alone must remain behind. Which one? through the desolate country we were patch (and how eagerly I longed to do so!) and succeeded in bringing plunder, and whose treatment of wom Lee's message safe to Longstreet, it en had made my blood run cold as tinction, honor. On the other hand, so much as thought of. if I remained behind, and Craig successfully carried out the duty which him with the dispatch; he was a solthe message with even greater certainty than I, for he knew the roads hesitatingly-I could not trust him

Oldest there alone with the woman. I glanced aside at him as I thus reth?" turned the perplexing situation over In my mind-a tall, gaunt mountaineer, whose sole discipline of mind and body had been the army; hardened by service until every muscle in his lean, sinewy frame was like steel, a cavalryman who would follow his leader into here. the very jaws of hell, but whose morals were those of the camp, and try such as no man would care to see

in one to whom he intrusted the welfare of sister or wife. "Sergeant," I asked, flinging aside suppose we are from Longstreet's it is merely because of your utter ig-

"Ten miles at the very best, sir," he answered promptly, "an' I reckon Your pride is almost ridiculous under with another Yankee outpost atween." | all the circumstances. You have no "With fair luck and good riding it just cause to feel that I am forcing might be made by daylight?"

"I recken as how it might, captain, being compelled to take you in charge if we only hed sum fresh hosses," he has proven as disastrous to us as to said glumly; "but it's bin mighty hard you. Personally I can say that nothover like yer sorrel did fer the las' two mile."

horses. Ride the woman's. It is the in my care, I shall perform my full fresher of the two; but you are to duty toward you as though you were get through if you kill them both and my own sister. Now please listen to then walk."

his hand in salute. "And you?" he asked, wonderingly. ter comprehend the facts which must is no other way. Wait here a moment while I speak with her."

what) I could see her eyes and dis- I have not only periled my own future, cern some faint outline of her face where the night wind flung back the but the lives of my comrades and the ipturned cape. It was a winsome faith of my commander. Yet I have ight to soldler vision, but with a cer- deliberately chosen to do so because

about it that caused a hesitancy in my here unprotected, and because t was speech strange to me. unwilling to trust you alone with my "Madam,"-I rested my hand upon companion. I dare not permit you to her horse's mane and looked at her

tains all about us, deserted as they

now appear, are filled with wandering

bands of desperate and hunted men

whose tenderest mercy is death. Any

rock may be the hiding place of an

outlaw, any dark ravine the render-

vous of as wild a gang as ever mur-

Her voice trembled as she spoke.

ply walking into a den of wolves."

(To Be Continued.)

Poplar Hill Items.

Rev. L. T. Cordell filled his reg-

ber was present to hear his faro-

people his lot may be cast.

is able to be at his work again.

Mrs. G. M. Dabbs and Mrs. M

BLUE EYES.

I. Hill spent Friday in Polkton.

Balked at Cold Steel.

THERE IS

absolutely

no word to express

the efficacy of

Scott's

Emulsion

at Parsons Drug Co.

"But could you not go with me?"

dered for plunder."

eral camp?"

with a glance as proud as her own-"It might be as well for you to draw the cape closer about your face at present. There are rough men in all armies who would consider your beauty a lawless prize. The life we lead is not conducive to gentleness; virtue is not born in camps, and it would be better not to provoke a danger which may be so easily avoided." "You claimed, I believe, to be an officer and a gentleman," she said

I smiled, even as I felt the full chill of her words, and my purpose stiffened within me.

"Even as I yet claim, and trust to be able to prove to your satisfaction,' -my eyes looked unfalteringly into hers-"but unfortunately, I have one with me tonight who is neither. would that he were for my own sake. However, madam, let that pass. The fact is here, and we have no time to argue or quarrel. I have already told you that we ride with dispatches for Longstreet. These must go furward at all hazards, for thousands of human lives depend upon them; yet I dare not leave you here alone and unprotected to the mercies of the wolves who haunt these hills."

"You are exceedingly kind." The tone in which she spoke was

most sarcastic. "I thank you for your approbation," and I bowed again; "but I venture to tell you this merely because I have already fully determined to dispatch the sergeant forward with the message, and remain behind myself to

ander you every protection possible." "Very well, sir; I simply yield to what I am powerless to avoid, and forth Sunday afternoon at half past will obey your orders however disthree o'clock and notwithstanding it first command?"

must ride your horse, as he is the Mr. Cordell has served us he has Greatly to my surprise and relief so endeared himself to our people she placed her gauntleted hand in that we grieve at his departure, but ference follow:

you are at it the better. Ride this horse and lead your own. As soon as you deliver Lee's message at headquarters, hunt up the cavalry brigade commander and report to him my position. Get a detail, insist upon one, and be back here by to-morrow with out fail. That is all.'

He saluted, wheeled about, swung lightly into saddle and rode off on a rapid trot, grasping, as he passed down the hill, the rein of his own mount, and leading it, lagging behind him, until the night swallowed hoof-beats could be no longer heard

#### CHAPTER VI.

A Struggle In the Dark. I have seldom been more deeply embarrassed than at that moment. knew not what to say or how best to strangely to my protection. The very fact, which I now realized, that she was both young and fair, added some delicate situation. I saw no safety Craig could return, a squad of hard what two? If I rode with the dis- in, overrun as I knew it to be by irregular bands whose sole purpose was Brown creek. listened to its recital, was not to be

There was no help for it, and bu one way out, disagreeable as that had been especially intrusted to me, might prove to my lady. She stood I should be fortunate indeed to escape there before me, motionless and silent with a reprimand instead of more se-rious consequences. If failure result-alghted when the sergeant took her completely cured." Heals Burns, rious consequences. If failure result- alighted when the sergeant took her ed, it meant certain and deserved dis- horse, and it seemed to me I could grace. Yet I could absolutely trust plainly read righteous indignation in the indistinct outline of her figure and dier, and would faithfully perform a the haughty pose of her head. To her soldier's duty. More, he would carry at that moment I was evidently a most disagreeable and even hated companmuch better, and-I write the words she had been taught to despise, the enemy of all she held sacred, "Could any good thing come out of Naza-

"The time has come when it be comes my duty to look after your comfort and safety," I said, striking Every moment we delay now merely increases the danger of our remaining

"I imagine I might very eastly disense with any further care on your Her reply nettled me, and I answer

ed with an earnestness which she ould neither ignore nor check: "Posthe improvised brush, "how far do you sibly you may think so, but if you do

in the treatment which prevail in these mountains. COUGHS, COLDS **BRONCHITIS** myself unnecessarily upon you. Our CATARRH, GRIPPE able to place you uninjured into the RHEUMATISM care of your own people. I would willingly assume great risks to that "Well, Craig, you shall have both end. But while you remain here and ALL DRUGGISTS me, and I assure you I shall speak NOTICE. His face brightened, and he raised nothing for the mere purpose of alarm-Having this day qualified as Executo ing you, but simply that you may bet-

of the last will and testament of Mary A "I remain with the woman; there influence our present relationship. I p rsons having claims against the estate have sent forward Sergeant Craig of said d cedent that they are required to while I speak with her."

I left him standing there, and moved to me for delivery, and thus, if it tember, 1912, or this notice will be pleadback to where she waited. As I came to me for delivery, and thus, it is to the please of a light had lightened some. It dollars this indebted to said estate must make impediate particular to me for delivery, and thus, it is to the please of a light had lightened some. (for the night had lightened some grave military crime. In doing this This, the 30th day of September, 1911.

C. F. Bennett executor of the last will and testament of Mary A. Bennett, deceased. Robinson & Caudle, attorneys.

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GOVERNORS AGREE ON PLANS wise prosecuted. FOR BOOSTING COTTON.

Marketing-Recommendation Cent Reduction Be Made in Acre-

New Orleans, Oct. 31 .- The its functions as a trade utility, fair "But the Sergeant said there was a farmers of the South must with- alike to both buyer and seller and Federal picket post at the crossing of hold from the market every re- to the commodity which is the submaining bale of the present season's ject of the future transactions. crop of cotton and follow this with "It is earnestly recommended "He merely supposed there would be; but even if it were true, we have a concerted and binding agreement that the several State governments no positive means of knowing that the to reduce next season's cotton acre- shall take appropriate action to men stationed there would be of the age at least 25 per cent if they hope bring about such warehousing sysregular service. Doubtless those to restore the South's great money tem, or systems, as will best serve thieving, murdering bands such 'at staple to a normal price level and the interests of the producer of cotthat headed by Red Lowrie, of whom retrieve the losses sustained by rea- ton. you may have heard—are sufficiently son of the present low prices. organized to keep patrols posted, and

This is the plan which the conmay, indeed, be utilized at times by ference of Southern Governors adopt both armies for that purpose. Were you to go to them you might be sime ed at its concluding session today to secure immediate relief from the depression in the price of the sta-

I smiled at the naive innocence of ple As a means of securing permanent "I wish you to feel that I have relief from such changes and to never thought so much about my own guarantee, cotton farmers in the danger as about yours," I returned future against the necessity of quietly. "But would it be a pleasur; glutting the market with his supeven to you to behold me swinging from the limb of a tree, hung as a plies in the opening of the seaspy without trial, merely because I son the conference adopted resoluventured to walk with you into a Fed tions favoring the establishment in every cotton-growing State of Statecontrolled warehouses and the collection and periodical publication of statistics bearing upon the world's demand for and consumption of ular appointment at Poplar Hill the American cotton.

The proposal of foreign banking interests to finance a holding move-

Recommendations.

shrouded by the night. As to where sad then, hopelessly struggling to re of protest, permitted me to swing her member us in his prayers. Mr. Corplanters of the Southern States to school district or voting precinct, lightly from the saddle to the ground. dell is one of the finest preachers in follow the example of Louisiana and to secure from every farmer a bindthe conference, and the prayers of so diversify their crops as to pro- ing written pledge to reduce his coi-"You know your work," I said to his people here will go with him to duce everything necessary for conhim briefly. "And now the sooner his new home and bespeak for him sumption on the farm, and let cot- cent below his acreage in 1911. a hearty welcome among whatsoever ton be the surplus crop even if the Mr. J. W. Dabbs, who has been juite sick for the past two weeks, they will get just as much in re-legislation which Congress may prices, will soon free themselves ten by banks or associations or her home Friday after spending several days, with relatives in Polk- from debt and be in condition with- banks, provision be made for inout any financial aid to sell their cluding in these acts for such emer Misses Nellie and Eula Dabbs crops gradually as the demand shall gency currency, commercial paper,

> Vannie Garris spent Sunday with Cotton Statistics. the former's daughter, Mrs. D. H. "We call upon our representatives Allen, who is right sick at this in Congress to have the present crop reporting system so amended and aggressive action under co-oplittle to report the periodical publication eration and organization, the cotton daughter, Evelyn Louise, are spend- of reliable statistics of cotton con- farmers and business men of the ng several days with Mr. and Mrs. sumption, manufacturing and trade Southern States can speedily rescue B. Moore, of Little Brown creek. information gathered from all cot- the present crop from impending Mr. Herman Dabbs has been suf- ton consuming countries and we re- sacrifice and can restore the fair fering with a large carbuncle on his commend also, and for ourselves price which demonstrated demand agree, that the commissioners of ag- warrants, and can insure stable valriculture in the cotton States gath-Mr. Alonzo Brooks visited friends er and publish like information and we suggest to the Legislatures of the cotton States adequate appro- of the chairman Sunday with the latter's parents, al commissioners to act in concert million bales of the present crop is

end that with the estimates of prowouldn't let a doctor cut my the Federal government, there may by the Governors named. oot off," said H. D. Ely, Bantam Ohio, "although a horrible ulcer had been the plague of my life for four thus put the planter in position to years. Instead I used Bucklen's Ar- fix a fair price for his product. "The members of the conference Boils, Sores, Bruises, Eczema, Pim have been reliably informed that ples, Corns. Surest Pile cure. 25c

ordance with the provisions of that act then we respectfully insist that the bears in the exchange who conspire to sell cotton which they do not possess with the expectation of a decline in price, or for the purpose of effecting a decline, be like-

"A fair and comprehensive system of future trading is accepted traverse these roads alone. The mountraverse these roads alone. The mountraverse these roads alone traverse these roads alone. The mountraverse these roads alone traverse these roads alone traverse these roads alone. Market and, Hereafter, a Gradual movement and distribution of the is crop, but it is urgently recommend-Made That a Twenty-Five Per ed that Congress shall pass such laws as will abate abuses and regulate future contract trading in exchanges to the end that it discharge

Gradual Marketing.

mand for cotton during the next thirteen months, we recommend that the unsold cotton of the present crop be withdrawn from the market and disposed of by a system of gradual marketing. We urge bankers ' and business men to co-operate with farmers in this un-

"We report to the cotton farmers that tentative and attractive propositions have been made by responsible financial interests for purchasing some 2,000,000 bales of the present crop. This negotiation is referred for development into practical form to a committee.

Reduction of Acreage. "Reduction of acreage in 1912 is urged as a necessary part of any tasteful they may be. What is your rained all the afternoon quite a num- ment covering 2,000,000 bales of plan of holding and financing the the present crop was referred to a present crop. We recommend and "That you dismount. The sergeant well sermon. During the four years special committee for further action. for ourselves agree that the Governor of each cotton State proceed The recommendations of the con- at once to appoint a representative in each county, who in turn will ap-

quantity raised shall be 25 per cent pending proposals for monetary reless than the present crop, as then form we recommend that in any turn for much less labor than this enact for emergency currency based year's crop will yield at present upon commercial paper underwritpent Sunday afternoon with Miss exist, and not market the work of representing transactions in cotton a year in sixty or ninety days as well as transactions in cotton

"It is our opinion that by prompt

It was decided to hold similar conferences in the future on the call

sider the proposed financing of twi Mr. and Mrs. J. Brooks, of Little and to constitute a bureau of cot- composed of Governor Colquitt o ton manufacturing, cotton trade and Texas and Governor Saunders of cotton consuming information to the Louisiana, Governor O'Neal of Ala-

Only One Middleman.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 31 .- Only one cotton farmer and the English spinner is the proposition which is being presented to cotton merchants by A. L. Hart of Manchester, England. Mr. Hart's plan contemplates agencies for Southern cotton merchants, thus enabling them to deal directly with the spinners.

Mr. Hart says under the present system cotton is sold six times unnecessarily before it reaches the

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