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And what was he? Only the village doctor-Benjamin Rue. And what was I? Only a little school teacher. Our united incomes were far less than anything that the wiscacres of society papers de-clare it "possible to marry on." But we had no fear. He was winning his way. and we loved each other; and as I began

by saying, we had been very happy. But there had come to Johnstown. where we lived, a lady of wealth, who gathered about her a certain little clique of scornful, stylish people. They were openly infidel in opinion; all that I had been brought up to believe right and good they mocked at. All this would have been nothing to me in my school-house or my own little room. I might never have done more than notice the handsome dresses of the ladies when they walked out or rode with their attendant cavaliers, and never have asked what their opinions were, but that soon after their arrival Mrs. Norland was taken ill and sent for Dr. Rue. Ben was handsome, well read, full of bright fancies, and ready to enjoy himself at any time. He relieved the lady of the pain the suffered, and became the fam ily doctor at once. It was a step toward cess. Naturally, he did not turn a cold shoulder to his patrons when they offered him social invitations,

From the first he was fascinated by the freedom from re-traint in thought and action that prevailed in the house. No doubt 1 was strait faced, but what he thought delightful I thought wrong It seemed to me, from what he said, that Mrs. Norland was a very immoral wom an. Certainly she had no religion whatever. When I saw Ben gradually forsaking all 1 so clung to, when he refused to go to church with me, and began to eg me not to go; when he said, openly that when we were married I must give all that up; when, at last, he began to deny the existence of a Deity, and say. as they did at the Norlands', that man had no soul, that all ended here, and that to be happy while we lived should be our only object, my heart sunk within me. I loved him so dearly that I was quite willing to marry him if he would let me go on in my own way. I believed that my influence and perhaps my pray ers might win him back to heaven

A young man with good principle-would surely do what was right at last But when he began to talk of forbidding me to listen to the good words I heard in church, or even to kneel in prayer at felt that I should do wrong

which I spent in church, teaching my little ones and attending all the services; and then I tried to think only of heaven and its joys, and to do what good I could. But I cannot say I was ever more than quietly cheerful—the brightness had gone out of my life

It is natural for young people to look forward to something and to enjoy their lives, and I think that God meant that every girl should have a lover and every woman a husband and children of her own, and that we should all be grateful for the good things he has given us, and take our own share. I might have had lovers-I might have

married-but, with all his faults, I could not care for any one as I did for Benja-min Rue; and a wretched thing indeed would married life be without true ten derness. I was on my way to be a spin ster.

As for Ben, one day there was a great scandal in the town. He had had a quarrel with Mr. Norland about his wife. More than a quarrel-blows had been struck, shots fired. The woman't character was now entirely gone; their home was broken up.

Mr. Norland sought a divorce and gained it. Respectable people dropped a doctor who had such evil notoriety, and one day I heard that he had left Johns

town "Better for him." I thought, "the quiet life he would have led with me-better even from a worldly point of view." And still I believed what he had sought to prove-that he had only been free and oolish, not criminal.

And again time passed on without any my life, and 1 expected to live and dis in Johnstown a school teaching spinster -Johnstown, of which the rest of the

yorld knew nothing to speak of. You all know how sadly it because famous one wild day. I shall never for get that day for many reasons.

I had just given my scholars their immer holiday and had my time to my self, and I had been all through the rait OUR NEW CLOAK DEPARTMENT, to see a poor, sick woman who was quite destitute. The good widow with whom I lived was away: she had gone to another state to visit a married daughter, and the house was lonely. I had heard that D Rue was in the place-that he had com down to see about some lots of ground almost worthless when he bought them but lately become valuable—and at every step 1 half feared, half hoped to meet him. The illeness of my boliday left me time to think of myself, and I was very ORIGINAL WHITLOCK'S STORE sorrowful.

As I pussed the church door it stood open, and an impulse led use to enter. An old woman was dusting the cush ions, polishing the pew doors, and set-ting books in order in the racks, and 1 went forward to the front of the church and sat down before a painted window loved to look at. Jesus the Shepherd with the lamb in his arms, smiled on me as though between earth and heaven.

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I remember saying to myself that so I should like to feel on the day of deathloving all men and having no fear what ever of the mysteries beyond this life whatever they might prove to be,

I think that I had fallen asleep listen ing to the wind and the beat of the rain upon the roof, when suddenly 1 was aroused by screams and cries. People ame rushing into the church, crying out in terror. The water was already making a pond of the place, and those who sought safety had climbed to the pulpit or

rushed up to the gallery. As 1 stood dazed and trembling an arm seized me about the waist. "The dam it down?" shouted a voice in my ear. I wat hurried away up beyond the gallery into the bell tower. The crowd followed us and now we saw the water coming down toward us like a great black wall. Such a sight was never seen!

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with hun-such is the weakness of woman's heart-but that tales reached me that made me feel that he was not true to me

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At the moment he was flushed with what he had been drinking at the Norlands'. He said more than he meant, no doubt, but it spurred me on to do what I had resolved to do, and at last I said: "Benjamin Rue, just here where we now sit I promised to marry you; here 1 to be saved with him or to die with him, take back that promise. We should only as was God's will.

make each other wretched for life." All be answered was:

"No doubt you are right." autumn leaves long after I could see him. And it was all over-all over! And then indeed I wept and wished that I could die just there where I had been so

happy.

Time passed, and 1 grew used to it. As hand in hand and look upon what seemfor Een, he got on well. Fashionable peo-ple "called him in." In fact, he was We shall never forget it or be as glad as the fashionable doctor of the place, and had an office in the handsomest portion We shall never forget it or be as glad at if we had not seen it, but we were the world to each other after all.

of the town. . For my part, 1 kept my school, and boarded with the motherly him to be a good man. As for me, may old widow who had been kind to me I know my own faults too well to be sewhen 1 first came to the place a stranger. My happiest day was the Sabbath, Kyle Dallas in Fireside Companion.

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had no doubt as to who he was even before I looked, but when I saw Benjamin Rue I feit happy and had no fear Death was before met bat he had sought me, hoping to save me, and in has arms I ould a

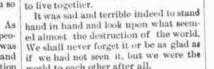
"God have mercy on our souis!" said L He ausweresh

Hehelped me to a little wooden hood above the belfry, and there we clung together. It was the highest point we could reach. The waters were at hand. "Forgive me," he said in my ear. "Forgive me, Agnes; I have repeated, dies' and Children's heaven knows-and I never was as wicked as they made me out. I flirted with Mrs. Norland. 1 admired her, but I did not wrong her husband; he lied when he swore that he believed it. He wanted to marry another woman. 1 have loved you all along: I came back to tell you so and win you again if I could. Lam a better man.

All I could do was to answer him with a kiss, for at that moment the black water struck the church.

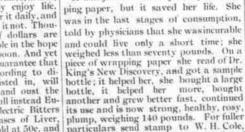
Then I was floating, floating-beaten this way and then that; but his arms were always about me. Some broken plank gave us support. I never moved, but I prayed without ceasing: 1 prayed

Ah! others prayed-prayed earnestly as 1-better people-and yet were drown-ed. Let no vainglorious fancy that my And then I took my ring from my fin-ger and gave it to him. He turned away, and I heard his feet amongst the rustling there; but I am humbly thankful that God saw fit to let me live a little longer, and that at last, cast upon dry land, we knew that days were given us in which



I am Ben's wife today, and I believe him to be a good man. As for me, may vere on any of his I may discover. - Mary

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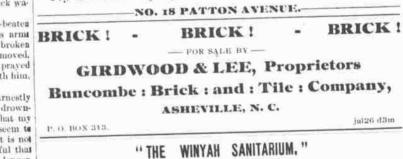
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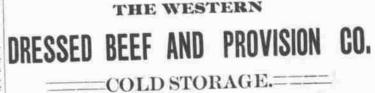
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