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On Astral Wings

By CLARA DELAFIELD

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T WAS really to please old Mrs.

Nash that Peter Hewitt got into the abit of attending the seances with her.

rs. Nash was firmly convinced of the uth of spiritualism and Peter Hewitt as feeling strange enough in a range town to value the acquaintance the old lady at his boarding house.

Peter had left home years before, then his father married again. He add gone West, and when he returned so family had moved and he was unble to locate them. Not that he tried by hard. There was little love lost add, after a perfunctory search, Peter titled down to a job and began life tew.

ettled down to a job and began life new.
Old Mrs. Nash was about the only erson he knew, and to please her he tended the seances. The medium was an ersonell; the lady who presided as his wife. There was a small regurcircle of devotees. Every Sunday ght the spirits of Queen Victoria, Li ung Chang, President Lincoln, Julius aesar and others materialized in the strail light. Peter was pretty sick of all.

all.

But he didn't want to affront old
rs. Nash. Poor old indy, she believed
it all so firmly. She was convinced
at Isaac Pennell, hopping around the
om in a white sheet, was realiy Une John. Peter hadn't the heart to
il her what he thought about the
kee.

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But the third or fourth time he came e spirits began to make a set at him, defined that was more than he could stand that was more than he could stand the third that was more than he could stand the third that was more than he could stand they were pictured as the standard that were alternately tellings than things and then worming large out of him.

Of course it was simple enough to etc. He knew that a sort of detecter. He knew that a sort of detecter agency exists among the grandle make me agreement of the could be a sort of detecter. He was a sort of detecter agency exists among the mean to be a sort of detecter. He knew that he had to tell out the leading families of another ty.

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still, Peter was worried. The knowling per possessed by the medium was uning. It was almost as if he had oked up that missing family of his. It was on the fifth visit he paid that a medium, going into a trance, began uttering something that sounded e "Theobald."

the "Theobaid."

"It's your Uncle Theobaid come to sit you," Mrs. Pennell whispered.

Now Peter really had an Uncle neobaid, who had gone to Australia, id, rumor said, found a gold mine ere, ages before. How in the world did they got hold of the name? Tepathy? In that minute Peter came sarer to believing than ever before. "How are you? How are you, Peter?" ing out the cracked voice of an old an. "Peter, I want you to believe in egreat truths of spiritualism. Give y dear friends, the Pennells, ten ousand dollars for the Home for ged Mediums, and Karma will smile non you."

Peter smiled wanly. "Where am I to eter smiled wanly. "Where am I to

Peter smiled wanly. "Where am I to t it, Uncle?" he asked.
"Why, didn't I leave you forty thound last year?" whined Uncle Peter, th, if I only had known then of the iccless truths of spiritualism, Chily enty-five per cent, dear boy. I'll markalize to show you it's really me." Something white hovered at the enunce to the cabinet.
Peter was so enraged by the false.

eter was so enraged by the false-s of Uncle Theobald's statement t he seized the ghost and shook it

orously.

"You d—n liar!" he yelled. "I've ver seen the color of any money of urs."

The sheet fell off, revealing the itened face of Isaac Pennell. A very ghostly "d—n" came from Isaac's s.

The sitters shriesed. Old Mrs. Nash acked Peter with her umbrella. Pe-and Isaac rolled to the bottom of e stairs in the dark, pummeling each her. Isaac was trying to say some

ng.
Listen, you fool," he hissed. "Didn't
u know? For God's sake, keep quiet
ey were searching for the missing
ir six months ago. I looked you up
d felt sure they'd got in touch with
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u."
"You mean that?" demanded Peter, a husky whisper.
"Sure it's true. What do I get? Ten ousand? Five? It's a bargain, And r heaven's sake clean up this mess do save my face!"
A minute later the medium and Perentered the seance room arm in m. The lights had just been turned. Peter quieted the pandemonium

m. The lights had just been turned a. Peter quieted the pandemonium tha gesture.
"Fellow spiritualists," he said, "I we been converted. I understand now at when I seized the ghost of Uncle ter it was transmuted into the body the medium by superphysical laws, riends, I am here to testify to the lue of spiritualism. It is—it's percity priceless."

in Jose Scale Pest

Attracting Attention Attracting Attention
The San Jose scale is attracting inreasing attention in Rhode Island,
hio, Georgia, Indiana, Illinois, Idaho,
exas and New Mexico. The lime-sulhur apray, according to reports reelved by the United States Departent of Agriculture, is not proving as
attisfactory as formerly, probably oncount of less thorough applications.
Vell-sprayed orchards, however, have
ome infestation. In Illinois a large
ercentage of unsprayed scale was
award alive, in some localities as much
is 60 to 80 per cent. Some states are
ecommending lubricating-oil sprays as
eveloped by the bureau of entomology.
In Idaho there is very heavy infestalon of the scale along the shores of
the Snake river and on Islands in the
liver. Fruit orchards adjoining are re-