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"Why, now, I commit suicide whenever I have a mind to. Tomorrow night, in all probability, the student of foreign life near the docks will cease for a year to exist. Very well, then. What happens is this: There is a new lodger in furnished apartments in Park Place, St. James', a military man, who reads the service papers and has his own idea about Lord Wolsey."

"Does he live long?"
"His," said Ford with candor, "is not a long existence. The moment that he is bored—his expression is a wave of the hand—"out he goes." "It is a perfectly delightful idea," said Gilbert. Then he added, "For those who like it."

"These cigars came from Cuba," said Ford. "Take one. And tell me six words about yourself. About your future. Only give me the outline, or you will weary me."
"I shall marry a lady named Miss Katharine Reade."

"Whom I met yesterday. She is entirely charming."
"I shall scheme and contrive and do all I can to become a successful man. I believe many young men lose a good deal of the best time of their life by a too careful consideration of others and by a want of push. I have made up my mind not to let those considerations bar me. It happens that I am in a specially fortunate position."
"It will be interesting to see how it turns out," said Mr. Ford. "Let me go down stairs first."
Gilbert nodded goodnight to the drab-gowned Lew Ching, and Ford, without his hat, saw him up to the end of Limehouse Causeway.

"You must take care not to ride your principles too hard," he said. "They break down if you do, and the last hurdle finds you without a jump left in you. And, above all, stick close to Miss-Miss Reade."
"I mean to," said Gilbert.
"A sensible girl can often make her husband continue to be her sweetheart all his life. You won't be far wrong if you go through life with her. I have never called myself a judge of character, but I am one nevertheless. And if I run across you again, I shall ask you how the scheme progresses."

"Do," said Gilbert.
"You will get a tram from the corner down there to Bloomsbury through the Commercial Road. Good night and good luck to you."

"By the bye," said Gilbert, "who were you in the first place before you multiplied yourself by ten?"
Mr. Ford frowned slightly.
"I was the Scotch boy, Scotch earl—not, I regret to say, a representative peer—and I married an American lady whose father knew the last word about pigs. She died, and then I died, and—"

"Is this true?" said Mr. Ford, pleasantly. "Oh, no! It is not true. But you asked a question that you had no business to ask, and I was giving it an appropriate answer."

CHAPTER VIII.
It really seemed that the world was going very well with young Gilbert. The proprietor of the Budget, over green Chartreuse after dinner, assured him that he was a youth in whom he (the proprietor) was determined to take a special and lively interest, and the proprietor of the Budget was notoriously a man of generous impulses. This was a fact known to all England. When, for instance, during his racing craze, he won a big race with Livers, he straightway gave to the jockey the successful Livers as token of his content. When, again, during his music hall craze, Little Toff one Saturday evening raised the roof of the hall—"literally raised it," the professional organs put in, but this was an exaggeration—with his new song, "We Can't Do Without 'Em," did he not go round to the back and present Little Toff with a diamond ring of excellent value? Emphatically, the proprietor of the Budget was a good man to have on your side.

Moreover, Mrs. Brentford had been as good as her word, and an easy-going editor had written in a kindly way to Gilbert at her request. Miss Kittle Reade being informed of this fact, and of her indebtedness to Mrs. Brentford, bit her lips and frowned her pretty eyebrows, and went

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straightway to the gymnasium in Albany street, where she punched the ball with such determination and vigor for near upon half an hour that she felt afterward the calmer for her exercise.

"I hope I haven't hurt her," said Kittle to herself, "much."

Gilbert, having done a hard morning's work in his rooms at Doughty street, sat in his easy chair near the window and looked out upon Bloomsbury.

"I don't seem to earn anything great at this odd work," he said, "but there's no harm in slogging away. And there's the Budget money—that's a fixed income, anyway, and there's my reserve fund and—well, I mustn't complain."

A scarlet-coated, scarlet-faced young soldier was walking up and down the other side of the street, waiting for his belated sweetheart. The soldier tapped his leg impatiently with his cane.

"And," continued Gilbert, "I am a precious deal better off in every way than I was at this age in my former life. The dearest possible girl is in herself enough to make one feel a millionaire. Just to think of her eyes is to think of countless wealth." He hooked her photograph to him with a convenient golf club and kissed it. "The dearest possible."

The title had only been arrived at after some hours of consideration. It had made Kitty flush with pleasure when he had first called her by it, and a week's use had endeared it to them both. But they were careful not to use it in the chilling atmosphere of publicity—an atmosphere that always contrives to make terms of endearment appear wholly idiotic.

"Here's a besseger with a letter, Bister Gilbert," said Ermytrude at the doorway, "ad he's a-waiting for ad adser."

"Another offer of the Times editorship, I suppose," said Gilbert with a bored air.

"Do they want you to be editor of the Times, sir?"

"They won't take no for an answer, Ermytrude. That's what I complain of."

"What a nuisance!" said the small servant.

Gilbert scribbled a line on a correspondence card and inclosed it in an envelope.

"Let the lad take that to Mrs. Brentford," he said.

Gilbert, in shining hat and admirable frockcoat, looked at himself in the Psyche mirror in his bedroom with satisfaction. Mrs. Brentford had asked him in her note to come with her to the botanical gardens that afternoon, and Gilbert felt that it was an occasion deserving of some special attention in regard to his habit.

For he recognized that Mrs. Brentford was not only a smart and an acceptable and genial person, but also one likely to be extremely useful. Wherefore, he smoothed his hat carefully.

"I think you had better be unusually cordial to her this afternoon," said Gilbert to his reflection in the mirror. "I am afraid that since the Thursday at Rosherville you have been a little reserved with Mrs. Brentford. As a cool, level-headed, sensible youth, Mr. Gilbert, it is your duty not to quarrel with all woman-kind just because you are engaged to one. There can be no harm, my dear chap, positively no harm, in keeping on excellent terms with Mrs. Brentford."

(To be Continued.)

ITS FAME SPREADING.

A New Remedy in General Use in Manitoba and the Northwest.

Winnipeg, June 1.—The effects of the regular wave of sickness which sweeps over this portion of the Dominion in the spring are noticeable in an increasing amount of druggists' sales. There has been quite a run on the kidney remedy now so well known under the name of Dodd's Kidney Pills. The recovery from Bright's disease of Mr. Arthur Coley, of Somerset, through their use, an account of which appeared in the papers, gave a considerable impetus to the sale, and the remedy has become indispensable in many Manitoba households, its fame having penetrated into the remotest parts of the Province and Northwest Territories.

Miss Ellen Richardson, one of the two Quaker sisters who, in 1845, paid the \$750 by which Frederick Douglass was legally manumitted, has just died in Newcastle, England.

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—a pulmonary of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swollen neck and crick in the back; and as an inward specific, possesses most substantial claims to public confidence.

There is but one scarlet bicycle in London, and Sir John Gorst, Vice-President of the Council, the Minister for Education, rides it. Archibald Walsh of Dublin also rides a wheel.

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SYMPTOMS—Moisture; intense itching and stinging, mostly at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue, tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At druggists, or by mail, 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents.

Mr. John Shore, chief of the Scotland Yard Criminal Investigation Department, has just been retired on full pension. He had served 40 years on the police. His successor is Chief Inspector Swanson.

Mrs. Celeste Coon, Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "For years I could not eat many kinds of food without producing a burning, excruciating pain in my stomach. I took Parmentier's Pills according to directions under the head of 'Dyspepsia or Indigestion.' One box entirely cured me. I can now eat anything I choose without distressing me in the least." These pills do not cause pain or griping, and should be used when cathartics are required.

A famous regiment's colors, those of the Seaforth Highlanders, are to be sold at auction, in London soon. They formed part of the belongings of the grandson of a former colonel of the regiment.

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The Tornado's Work.

Four Hundred and Ninety Fatalities at St. Louis.

Tabulated Statement of Losses in Outlying Towns.

St. Louis, June 2.—Yesterday afternoon the Chronicle compiled the following table as the latest list of fatalities: Known dead in St. Louis, 136; unknown dead in St. Louis, 18; fatally injured in St. Louis, 18; missing in St. Louis, 118; known dead in East St. Louis, 145; unknown dead in East St. Louis, 28; fatally injured in East St. Louis, 2; total fatalities, 490.

IN OUTLYING TOWNS.
The extent of the tornado's disastrous work here and in East St. Louis has overshadowed the losses sustained in adjacent towns in Missouri and Illinois. A careful compilation from all sources gives the following losses in outlying towns by the tornado. Missouri outside of St. Louis:

	Killed.	Injured.	Loss.
Reeseville.....	10	30	\$30,000
Clarke.....	10	30	\$30,000
La'donia.....	2	18	15,000
Berlin.....	1	15	10,000
Dye school house.....	3	30	5,000
Curryville.....	1	10	20,000
Yankee.....	7	35	5,000
Bear Creek.....	1	10	20,000
Total.....	16	183	\$165,000

The total loss in Randolph and Audrain counties will amount to \$300,000. The loss on crops and on property in the entire State will swell the total beyond \$2,000,000.

In Illinois, outside of East St. Louis:

	Killed.	Injured.	Loss.
Breckinridge.....	3	2	\$18,000
Berkley.....	6	20	25,000
Massena.....	1	5	25,000
New Minden.....	5	30	5,000
New Baden.....	15	30	20,000
Mount Vernon.....	5	20	20,000
Patfield.....	3	25	75,000
Richview.....	5	30	20,000
Irvington.....	5	30	20,000
Higull.....	1	7	7,000
Total.....	46	179	\$355,000

The losses at scores of other points, including farm property and crops, may raise the total to over \$1,000,000.

Attacked by an Eagle.

Exciting Experience of a Fire Insurance Solicitor.

His Face Laid in a Horrible Condition—Considerable Trouble Caused by the Big Birds.

Petoskey, Mich., June 1.—Oscar Talbot, solicitor for a local fire insurance company, in pursuing his way Sunday through the forest northeast of Wolverine, in Cheboygan county, was attacked by an American eagle, and only after several hard-fought rounds, succeeded in beating off his assailant.

It seems that he had unwittingly approached too near the nest of his eagleship, and the paternal instinct had prompted the assault. The first blow came unexpectedly and nearly felled Mr. Talbot to the ground. The huge talons cut deep gashes into his neck. Another swoop extended from his mouth to a point below his ear, and altogether his face was left in a horrible condition. He returned to Petoskey today, and will organize a party to go out and take the eagle's nest.

This same pair of eagles, with two or three other frisky birds have caused a good deal of trouble in that neighborhood. Ten days ago a farmer named L. J. Smith was attacked and his finger crippled. R. B. Storrs a few weeks ago killed one of this troublesome colony, having been attacked while working in a field. Two years ago the infant child of Freeman Rose was carried off by an eagle. The father followed on horseback with a gun, fearing to shoot for fear of hitting the child. After a pursuit of three miles, the eagle alighted on the side of a lake to rest, and was shot. The child is now living in Allis township, the scene of his adventure.

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W. G. McLENNAN, Seaford, Ont.
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ROASTED TO DEATH.

Five Pennsylvania Miners Meet a Terrible Fate.

Shamokin, Pa., June 2.—Five miners were horribly roasted by an explosion at the Buck Ridge colliery yesterday. Two of them are dying from their injuries, and there is but slight hope of the recovery of the others. Following are the names of the victims: George Faust, cannot recover; Samuel Fawcett, a brother of the first, recovery doubtful; Thos. Thompson, will die; Daniel Schmeltz, may recover; John Specht, may recover.

Seven other workmen who were within 25 yards of the injured men, escaped without injury. The men were employed in No. 9 vein, which was known to be full of gas. They proceeded cautiously, and were using safety lamps, while brushing the gas from the chamber. Suddenly there was a loud explosion, and the five men were hurled to the floor, surrounded by flames. Had it not been for the proximity of their fellow-workmen the men would have been all killed. They were carried to a place of safety before the deadly after-damp had had time to accumulate. The mine is owned and operated by the Reading Coal and Iron Company, and is located about four miles from this place.

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