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And as in her mental struggle she had been seeking some means to a goal she fastened upon and repeated it over and over to herself.

All this time she had been mechanically giving outward attention to Mrs. Greeley, although she showed woman, comprehension upon her reply. But seeing a sudden brightness in the place of her friend's dull face, she gave her talk more freely.

"Yes, I always liked them when I was a girl." "When you are now, an aged woman?" "I never care even a trifle more than you used to be when Sam spent his days on the road, but you are your father's."

Linda started and looked queerly at the Virginia matron, herself holding her girlhood's coquette in dead remembrance, such meetings between old friends in twilight. The differences between formal and informal manners were not so great as she had supposed.

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"Now, Linda, listen to reason. If you've made up your mind to go out at a moment's notice, you must get ready in half an hour. I don't want to see you in a hurry, but I don't want to see you in a hurry."

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Life Without Light.

ANIMALS AND FISH THAT EXIST UNDER THIS CONDITION.

In the long Arctic nights there is considerable difficulty in keeping awake; while, on the contrary, the perpetual day of summer induces sleep. At one time I worked thirty-six hours without realizing that the time had passed until I had discovered the fact by my journal, as a correspondent of the New York Times.

Animals have been, as a general rule, found to sleep more than man. In fact, the average sleep of a man is from eight to ten hours, and that of a horse from twelve to sixteen hours. The amount of sleep varies with the season, and the amount of work done during the day.

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