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amends for whatever trouble her sisters have caused. One, for instance, with golden hair and eyes that when they

weep—"
"You're young," interrupted the little
man, rising. "There ain't no use to debate
it with you. I might as well try to argue
with a storm at sea. Some men keep the
illusion to the end of their days, and I ope you're one. I reckon I'll start your

fire."

He went into the outer room, and Mr. Magee lay for a few minutes listening to his preparations about the fireplace. This was comfort, he thought. And yet, something was wrong. Was it the growing feeling of emptiness inside? Undoubetdly. He sat up in bed and leaning over, gazed into the hermit's basket. The packages he saw there made his feeling of emptiness the more acute. he more acute.
"I say, Mr. Peters," he cried, leaping

blaze. "I've an idea. You can cook, "Cook?" repeated the "Cook?" repeated the hermit. "Well, res, I've had to learn a few things about

living far from the rathskellars the y I do." "The very man," rejoiced Mr. Magee. 'You must say here and cook for me-

amateur hermits hove in view. One is a haberdasher with a broken heart—"
"Woman!" cried the triumphant Peters.
"Name Arabella," laughed Magee. "The ther's a college professor who made an ndiscreet remark about blondes. You won't mind them, I'm sure, and they may old friend, John Bentley," be able to help you out a lot with your fessor, "which I am sure w great work.

"I don't know what Quimby will do," studied the hermit. "I reckon he'll run em out. He's against this thing—afraid "Quimby will come later," Mr. Magee assured him, drawing on a dressing-gown. Just now the idea is a little water in conder tub, and a nice cheerful breakfast after. It's going to pay you a lot better han selling postcards to romantic ladies, promise you. I won't take you away rom a work for which the world is pant-

'Wait till you taste it," said Peters re-suringly. "I'll bring you up some assuringly. He started for the door, but Mr. Magee receded him. "The haberdasher," he explained, "sleeps below, and he's a nervous man. He might commit the awful error of shooting the only cook on Baldpate Moun-

"I've been up hours," he remarked. 'Heard somebody knocking around the

kitchen, but I ain't seen any breakfast brought in on a silver tray. My inside eels like the Mammoth Cave." Mr. Magee introduced the Hermit of guess it was you I heard in the kitchen.

you're going to cater to this select few, e you? Believe me, you can't get on the job any too soon to suit me. Out of a nearby door stepped the black-garbed figure of Professor Thaddeus Bolon, and him Mr. Magee included in the presentation ceremonies. After the hermit and disappeared below, burdened with his arket basket and the supplies Mr. Magee and brought the night before, the three mateurs at the hermit game gathered by fire in number seven, and Mr. Bland

don't know where you plucked that ook, but, believe me, you get a vote of hanks from yours truly. What is he—an dvertisement for a hair restorer?"
"He's a hermit," explained Magee, "and yes in a shack near the mountain-top. Jermits and barbers aren't supposed t mix. He's also an author, and is writing a book in which he lays all the troubles of the ages at the feet of women. Please reat him with the respect all these dig-nified activities demand."

nified activities demand."
"A writer, you say," commented Professor Bolton. "Let us hope it will not
interfere with his cooking abilities. For
even I, who am not much given to thought about material things, must admit the kincardine for interment. or essence of a gnawing hunger within.

In police court here yes They talked little, being men unfed, while Jake Peters started proceedings in the kitchen, and tramped upstairs with

many pails of water, Mr. Magee requested warm water for shaving, whereupon he was regarded with mingled emotions by "You ain't going to see any skirts up here," Mr. Bland promised him. And Mr.

Peters, bringing the water from below, took occasion to point out that shaving was one of man's troubles directly attrib table to woman's presence in the world. At length the hermit summoned them to eakfast, and as they descended broad stairs the heavenly odor of coffee sent a glow to their hearts. Peters had built a rousing fire in the big fireplace op-posite the clerk's desk in the office, and in front of this he had placed a table ld promise of a satisfactory As the three sat down, Mr. held reakfast.

Bland spoke: "I don't know about you, gentlemen, but could fall on Mr. Peters' neck and call im blessed."

The gentleman thus referred to served hem genially. He brought to Mr. Magee, between whom and himself he recognized he tie of authorship a copy of a New York paper that he claimed to get each morning from the station agent, and which helped him greatly, he said, in his eternal search for the woman. As the meal passed, Mr. Magee glanced through it. Twice he looked up from it to study keenly his queer companions at Baldpate Inn. Finally he handed it across the table to the haberdasher. The dull yellow sun of a winter morning drifted in from



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"A fascinating pursuit," laughed Mr. Magee. "I'm glad you've told me about it, and I shall watch the progress of the work with interest. Although I can't say that I entirely agree with you. Here and there is a woman who more than makes amends for whatever trouble her sisters the white outdoors; the fire sputtered gaily in the grate. Also, Mr. Peters' falling for literature interfered in no way with his talents as cook. The three finished the repast in great good humor, and Mr. Magee handed round cigars. "Gentlemen," he remarked, pushing back his chair, "we find ourselves in a peculiar position. Three lone men. knowpeculiar position. Three lone men, knowing nothing of one another, we have sought the solitude of Baldpate Inn at almost the same moment. Why? Last

sought the solitude of Baldpate Imit at almost the same moment. Why? Last night, before you came, Professor Bolton, Mr. Bland gave me as his reason for being here the story of Arabella, which I afterward appropriated as a joke and gave as my own reason. I related to Mr. Bland the fiction about the artist and besieged. novelists. We swapped stories when you came-it was our merry liftle method of doubting each other's word. Perhaps is was bad taste. At any rate, looking at is was bad taste. At any rate, looking at it in the morning light, I am inclined to return Mr. Bland's Arabella, and no questions asked. He is again the lovelorn haberdasher. I am inclined to believe implicitly your story. That is my proposition. No doubts of one another. We are here for whatetver reasons we say are here for whatetver reasons we say

we are."
The professor nodded gravely.
"Last night," went on Mr. Magee,
"there was some talk between Mr. Bland
and myself about one of us leaving the
inn. Mr. Bland demanded it. I trust he
sees the matter differently this morning.
I for one should be sorry to see him go."
"I've changed my mind," said Mr.
Bland. The look on his thin face was not

pleasant one.
"Very good," went on Mr. Magee. "Us?" asked the hermit, staring.

"Yes. I forgot to tell you. After Mr. uimby left me last night, two other hermits hove in view. One is to cook for us. He can no doubt be permeteur. to cook for us. He can be deduced by the left as suaded to attend to our other wants. For his services we shall pay him generously, in view of the circumstances. As for Quimby—I leave you to make your peace with him."

"I have a letter to Mr. Quimby from my "which I am sure will win me the aretaker's warm regard

Mr. Magee looked at Bland,
"I'll get Andy Rutter on the wire," said
hat gentleman. "Quimby will isten to hat gentleman. nim, I guess."
"Maybe," remarked Magee carelessly.
"Who is Rutter?" "Who is Rutter?"

"He's manager of the inn when it's open," answered Bland. He looked suspiciously at Magee. "I only know him slightly," he added.

(To be continued.)

ing without more than making it up to you financially. Where do you stand as a coffee maker?"

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In police court here yesterday, Ma-gistrate Hunt fined William McNerney and Samuel Haycock \$20 and \$4.90 costs each for being intoxicated in a local option district. William Eustace, who for several years has made his home in Dutton,

has moved to Detroit. SYLVIA PANKHURST

AGAIN ARRESTED

Police Were Not Fooled by Suffragettes' Clever Ruse.

London, Dec. 10.—Neither strategy

nor force availed to prevent the rearrest of Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, at Just a few applications will prove a Shoreditch, where she addressed a revelation if your hair is fading, gray meeting last night, held for the pur- or dry, scraggly and thin. Mixing the pose of organizing a local company of Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, "people's army." Miss Pankhurst though, is troublesome. An easier way seemed unusually nervous, and appealed to her east-enders to save her from arrest, as they had often done stores, know as "Wyeth's Sage and st

Surrounded by a bodyguard, armed a lot of muss. with clubs, she left the hall before While wisp. the meeting ended. At the same ime a dummy dressed to resemble her was carried from the rear door. The police declined to be diverted by ruse, and made a sudden rush upon Miss Pankhurst, whom they captured before her bodyguard got into soft brush with it and draw this Three of her followers were through your hair, taking one small action.

Miss Pankhurst was released under license from Holloway fail the latter other application or two, your hair bepart of October. Since then she has been the central figure in a number of clashes between the police and militant suffragists, and until last night had always succeeded in making her

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