Generally speaking, a girl of seventeen is far older than a boy of eighteen—but it was not so in this case; and instead of being mistress of the situation, she was only too willing to deliver up her whole self into his hands if he required it. Indeed, had she been less innocent than she was, the position would have been full of extreme danger for her. The relation between lovers is almost invariably of much the same character as that between a tyrant and a slave, either one way of the other; and, in this case, Marie was certainly not the tyrant. Mark could not even quarrel with her; he could not even invent the smallest cause for imaginary jealousy. If the vacation had lasted much longer, his happiness must have inevitably become tame; and Marie, to whom up to the end it was nothing but a period of the wildest and most intense excitement, would never Generally speaking, a girl of seventeen

Marie, to whom up to the end it was nothing but a period of the wildest and most intense excitement, would never have dreamed of keeping him up to the proper fever-heat by such artificial means as women for the most part know so well how to use.

But the vacation flew by only too quickly for both; and it was fated that before it was over she was to pass through a period of excitement indeed.

One day her impatient tyrant asked her to marry him—to marry him before the beginning of his approaching three years' absence, and to marry him secretly. He was, of course, not wholly open as to his motives for making this proposal, even to himself. But he was wholly honest in what he did say. He laid before her his great love for her; he told her how upon her depended, as he sincerely felt, the whole of his happiness; how, in fact, he must marry her at once—an illogical but always a most powerful argument in such cases; how, on the other hand, all his prospects in life depended upon his success at college; how he should, as he fully believed, do nothing there unless his mind and heart were at ease; how, if he felt that it was for his wife he was working, he should do everything in the world; and lastly, how all his fine prospects would be ruined should their marriage be known to others before the end of at least three years. In a word, he argued, she would destroy him if she refused to marry him at once, and ruin him if she did not marry him secretly. Of course, he urged all this in far more lover-like manner, but this is what it all came to.

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Not only was Marie singularly poor in friends, but if she had had troops of them, their united opinion would not have weighed a feather, or rather a tuft of down, against the wish of Mark. Besides, the proposal itself was made, as it were, under the seal of confession. Still she could not help feeling, in spite of her ignorance of the world's ways, ot her ignorance of the world's ways, that somehow she had been asked to do what was not right. She would have been content to wait for twenty years—why should not he? And so, almost to

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his anger, she did not for once show very nearly the spirit of a mouse, and gained time to think. very nearly the spirit of a mouse, and gained time to think.

But even so does the mouse gain time to think when the cat suffers her for a moment to get a few inches away from his inevitable claws. Marie did think, or rather fancied that she thought; and this was what all her thinking came to. Self-denial was with her a habit. To please any one she loved she would willingly have jumped from the top of the church tower: to save her lover there was absolutely nothing that she would not have done. Every word that he, in his wisdom, had said to her she believed implicitly. How or why should she not? And she could not, when she came to reason, seriously think that what he wished her to do could be really wrong. If to do what he asked her involved self-sacrifice, why so much the better. And then, after all, to conceal what she meant to do from others would eost no effort and no shame. Her shyness, beyond the surface of which no eye but his had cared to penetrate, had grown into an artificial reserve that was none yond the surface of which no eye but his had cared to penetrate, had grown into an artificial reserve that was none the less a part of her now for having but little to do with her real nature. No one ever caring to know her thoughts and feelings, she had acquired a habit of not telling them; and as no one ever asked her questions about what she did or where she went, she naturally assumed that no one cared. Though not self-confident she was self-sufficing; and so in this matter too, she, as a matter of course, followed the advice of her own

of course, followed the advice of her own heart.

As to how and where the ceremony that was to make them husband and wife was to be performed, there was but little real difficulty. Mark Warden was not likely to be conquered by mere details

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In Denethorp secrecy would have been impossible, and but little less so in Redchester. But in the neighboring county, some thirty miles away, was the large and important city of B—, where a man might do many more difficult things than getting married without a soul being the wiser. Mark Warden, some few weeks before the beginning of the Cambridge term, found out that he wanted a tutor for mathematics. He told his father so, who, as usual, thought that whatever his son did was all right, and who, in fact, never thought of interfering with his children so long as what they wanted to do did not interfere with his momentary comfort. He therefore scarcely listened when Mark went on to say that he must find the required help at B—. Indeed he would have been much more interested had he been told that it was likely to be a wet day. As to expense, the scholarship was henceforth to cover everything for ever. He happened to have a little more by him just then; and so he gave for ever. He happened to have a little money by him just then; and so he gave his son a few guineas, on a sort of semihis son a few guineas, on a sort of semi-understanding that he was never to be asked for any money again, and, if the truth were known, was not very much grieved when the house, was left once more to himself and Lorry; for Mark had come to take not over-kindly to his shiftless ways and acquaintances of the bar parlor. So the future Fellow of St. Margaret's went to stay for a while in B—, and in the beginning of October, when all was arranged, sent Marie enough money to bring her there

Then, it is true, she felt frightened at Then, it is true, she felt frightened at what she was going to do; and she would have given anything to have been able to draw back. But it was certainly too late now. So, with much sinking at the heart and much confusion, she made a half-true excuse for going over to Redeperter. There she reached B— in half-true excuse for going over to Redchester. Thence she reached B— in
the forenoon; and from B— she returned home the same evening.

Of course they had, to say the least of
it, been guilty of a desperate piece of
folly. But enough has now been said
to show that, under the circumstances,
their folly was not only natural, but
almost a necessary consequence of their
respective characters, and of the relation in which they respectively stood to almost a necessary consequence of their respective characters, and of the relation in which they respectively stood to each other and to those about them.

When the next morning came, Marie

found herself half proud, half frightened, to think that she was now a wife—at least in law and in name; for what being a wife means she knew no more now than she did two days ago. Her first unconscious feeling when she awoke was one of wonder that the world had not come to an end. She almost thought that she must have been dreaming; and she almost anxiously felt under her pillow for the ring that she was not allowed to wear. But in spite of the secret that filled her heart, the feeling with which she met her father was neither of fear nor of shame. Mark would be a great man one of these days; and, like the child she was, she looked forward to telling her father the news, when the time came to tell it, as a pleasant surprise. Her only really uncomfortable thought was that she was allowed to tell her friend I aure that they had be thought was that she was allowed to tell her friend Laura that they had be-come sisters. She was certainly terribly But if her innocence had caused her to commit a great error, it had also stood her in good stead. After all, "The surest panoply is innocence,"

and so it had been with her.

In a day or two her husband in name and in law returned, and a day or two after that he came to bid her good-bye. It was a real parting; for at that time to go to Cambridge frem so distant a place as Denethorp did not mean, at least in the case of a poor man who really intended to devote himself to the work of the place, to be absent for a few weeks at a time, and then to come home for weeks or months. It meant with Mark an almost unbroken absence of three years.

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To him, with all his ambition and hope, the parting was full of pain. To her it meant almost desolation. But there was no heip for it, and at the last moment, as he passed her window on his way to the coach, she bravely held back her tears for a moment that she might give him a smile of hope and encouragement, which made his old purpose seem faint indeed. He felt that to make her happy. indeed. He felt that to make her happy, and not himself great, must be his purpose now.
So much at present for these. Mean-

So much at present for these. Meanwhile, it must not be forgotten that there was such a person in the world of Denethorp as Miss Clare, of Earl's Dene, and this must be more especially borne in mind, as she was now, in fact, Denethorp's great lady.

[To be Continued.]

THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

HOCKEY.

WATERLOO 12, TECUMSEHS 2. Waterloo, Ont., Jan. 11 .- Seven men from the west, representing the Lonlon W. O. H. A. hockey team, came here vesterday afternoon to play their initial game in the Western Associa-The proposition proved too much for them. But for their forwards' occasional rushes, which ended at the Waterloo defense line, they were sadly The 800 spectators witnessed a continual bombardment on London's goal. Bishop's good work in London's goal deserves mention. The Water-loo forwards were too fast for the Londons, and the visiting defense was an easy mark. Referee J. Weir, of Guelph, handled the bell and gave fair satisfac-Waterloo plays at Berlin next week, and the hottest game of the season may be looked for

SURPRISE FOR VICTORIAS. Winnipeg, Jan.11.—The game between the Rat Portage intermediates and the Senior Victorias of Winnipeg last night resulted in a win for the latter, as expected, but proved the biggest eyeopener to the local team that they have received for a long time. It was one most hardly contested games seen in this town. During the first half they were up against a team playing in their own class, and for a considerable time the Rat Portagers carried the puck into the Victorias' end. The Vics scored the first goal with a brilliant rush in 15 minutes, and it was the only goal scored in the first half. In the second half the Victorias went up and mixed things. Another five minutes elapsed before the second goal was ored in the Vics' favor, and then they did the trick again two minutes later. A short time after the Rat Portage boys took the puck down the ice and scored the goal from a pass to the wing. From this time to the end the play was of the flercest kind.

PARIS, 7; BRANTFORD, 4. Paris, Ont., Jan. 10.—An O. H. A. championship match between Brantford and Paris opened the hockey season here last night, and was won by the home team by 7 goals to 4. The play was very fast, considering the soft condition of the ice, which made ideal play impossible. During the first We have just finished by far the largest holiday business we half it was very close, with Paris have ever had. Now for the afterpart of the season. We want scoring 4 to Brantford's 3, while later on the Paris boys exhibited somewhat better staying qualities than their opponents, further distancing them by scoring 3 to their 1, making the final score as above.

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Amsterdam, Jan. 11 .- Boer delegates to Holland evidently anticipate that some kind of peace overtures shortly be made, though they are reticent as to their reasons for this belief. They maintain, however, that the demand for unconditional surrender New Orleans, La., Jan. 11.—Weather clear, track fast. Summaries:
First race, 1½ miles—Mynheer 1, El Ghor 2, Campus 3. Time, 1:55.
Second race, selling, 6½ furlongs—Nyx 1, Ioia 2, Sam Lazarus 3. Time, 1:21.
Third race, steeplechase, handicap, short course—Bristol 1, Dagmar 2, King Elkwood 3. Time, 3:30½.
Fourth race, handicap, 7 furlongs—Pigeon Post 1, Jessie Jarbo 2, Lady Kent 3. Time, 1:27½.
Fifth race, selling, 1 mile and 20 yards—Mr. Phinizv 1, Free Admission 2, Water House 3. Time, 1:424.
Sixth race, 6 furlongs—O'Hagan 1, Marie Bell 2, Lady Alberta 3. Time, 1:13¼. must be abandoned. It is privately

London. Jan. 11.-The Globe's financial editor said a report which came from well-informed quarters, was current in the city yesterday that the Boer chiefs had made overtures to the British Government to the effect that they were prepared to lay down their arms, provided they were not exiled. Wednesday next is the Boer feast day and it was said the surrender of the Boers would probably occur then. The war office officials asserted that no proposals to surrender had been received from the Boers.

WOULD OFFER LIBERAL TERMS. London, Jan. 11 .- James Bryce (Liberal), member of parliament for Aberdeen, in the course of a speech to his constituents at Aberdeen, advocated making generous terms with the Boers. He said that he was more concerned for the country than for the Liberal party, and would welcome any ministry, however composed, that would conclude an honorable peace. Mr. Bryce believed the country was tired of a ministry which had proved itself incapable of keeping peace or con-

ducting a successful war. MINING PROSPECTS IMPROVE. Johannesburg, Jan. 11.-The Chamber of Mines has issued a report showing that the output of the mines for De cember was 52,897 ounces of fine gold, against 39,075 ounces for November. AN OPTIMISTIC VIEW.

Prospects for the future are better. Communication with the coast is secured by the blockhouse system and agreement with Portugal in regard to

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native labor appears to have removed obstacles to resumption of industry. Thousands of refugees are still waiting to return. The community is naturally somewhat impoverished, but everyone is sanguine that, as regards

At a banquet given here Thursday,

Lord Milner, British high commission-er, expressed his belief that the stormcloud overhanging Africa had been burst. After strongly denouncing the tactics of British pro-Boers, Lord Milner declared: "The war will end all the sooner if we apply a steady physical pressure without fidgeting about negotiations. It is useless to threaten and useless to wheedle; the only thing is imperturbably to squeeze and to keep our clemency and conciliation, both excellent in their proper places, for the Boers who surrender, instead of lavishing it in blandishments upon those continuing the fight."

Johannesburg, the worst of the war is

MILNER IS HOPEFUL-

KITCHENEI FARMING. A dispatch from Cape Town to the Times says Lord Kitchener has established an excellent system of farms, which are attached to remount stations in each colony. These farms provide grazing and forage, and it is inbe utilized for the ended they shall supply of vegetables for the army.

ON TRIAL FOR TREASON. A Chicago dispatch says: Mrs. Alice Anthony, wife of Dr. Rich, Anthony, is anxiously awaiting the fate of her husband, who is on trial for his life in South Africa on a charge of high treason to Great Britain. Dr. Anthony is an American citizen, residing in Cradock, South Africa. Mrs. Anthony was a Miss Wessels, daughter of Matthew Wessels, afterwards a Boer general. For safety, Dr. Anthony sent his wife and two little children to the United States until the war was over. The doctor is charged with lending aid modus vivendi which will reconcile and comfort to the enemy and with intriguing against Great Britain.

CANADIAN WOUNDED. Ottawa, Jan. 10.-The militia department has been notified that John Henry Smith, of the South African Constabulary, was severely wounded in the shoulder on Jan. 4, at the junction of the Zand and Vet Rivers. Smith's next of kin is a brother residing at Boissevain, Manitoba.

TO LOOK AFTER CANADIAN GOODS.

In connection with the cable received by the minister of agriculture granting permission to use space on board the supply transports for the purpose of shipping Canadian goods to Africa, it has been decided to send an official of the department to Cape Town to look after the arrival and distribution of goods. It is understood that Mr. C. G. Whitley, assistant commissioner of agriculture, will leave for Africa within the next couple of weeks for this purpose.

GRAND PARADE.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 10.—Every avail-ble man of the Second Canadian able man of Mounted Rifles paraded this afternoon. They were all mounted and equipped, and marched through the principal The parade was one of the finest ever witnessed in this city. Gen. O'Crady-Haly, in an interview after-wards, said: "They are certainly a fine body of men, and made a splendid appearance on the street. Thousands witnessed the parade

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EASES. Simply apply Swayne's Ointment. No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to an act of the Parliament of Canada, being 56 Victoria, Chapter 51, intituled "An Act Respecting the London and Port Stanley Railway Company," and pursuant to section 230 of the Railway Act, an application will be made for the approval of the Governor in Council at the City of Ottawa, on Thursday, the thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1902, of a certain indenture of lease made between the London and Port Stanley. Railway Company of the first part, the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company of the city of London of the Corporation of the City of London of the third part, whereby the said the London and Port Stanley Railway Company ieases to the said the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company, subject to the rents, conditions, provisos and agreements therein contained, its line of railway between London and Port Stanley, for the period of thirty years from the first day of January, A. D. 1901.

AND TAKE NOTICE, that all persons interested therein may then and there appear and be heard on such application. Dated at London, this seventh day of January, A. D. 1902. C. A. KINGSTON, secretary of the London and Port Stanley Railway Company. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PUR-

ST. THOMAS ALDERMEN WILL ALL RESIGN

Because a Number of Persons Voted Illegally in Several Divisions.

St. Thomas, Ont., Jan. 10.-The Trades and Labor Council of this city met last night and decided to protest the election of the aldermen-elect, on the ground that persons had voted in several divisions, while they only had the right to vote once.

Many voters who hold property in several wards did not vote more than once, and to save the city costs, the aldermen-elect will resign in a body and go to the polls again. It is stated that J. M. McEvoy, bar-

rister, of London, has been engaged by the Trades and Labor Council.

MR. TOOKEY IN THE FIELD. At a convention held in Fergus on Wednesday by the Independents of East Wellington, Mr. Wm. E. Tookey, farmer, of Erin township, was the of the meeting to contest the the Hon. J. M. Gibson. He asked for two weeks to consider the matter, but it is thought likely he will accept. The choice lay between Mr. Tookey and County Councilor McLelland, of West Garafraxa.

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pot of Kelpion" when going on active service. I think it was owing to your ointment that so many of us were able to keep up and do the record march

all soldiers should be served with "one

under Lord Kitchener. The first time I saw it used was for a bad foot, which was badly jammed

by a railway carriage door. In three days he was able to wear his boots and in less than a week able to walk. At Orange River I used it for my throat, which was swollen to Tonsilitis, and by rubbing your Kelpion well in, I was soon cured. For bruises, veldt sores, etc., nothing can beat it. (Signed) REG. E. COOMBE, No. 504, C. I. V.

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last till every pair of Boots, Shoes and Slippers in this store is turned into money. It includes everything in the line of Footwear-Women's Fine and Every Day Footwear, Men's Fine and Every Day Footwear, and Boys', Girls' and Infants' Fine and Every Day Footwear. All must go. Do not wait till you are needing them, but come at once, as you know the best are always picked out us for making known to the public by early purchasers.

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Toledo, O., Jan. 11.—Geo. B. Ketcham, the owner and driver of Cresceus, announced yesterday that during the year he received more than \$70,000 in purses and as money for exhibitions given in various parts of the country by Cresceus. The horse was yesterday taken to the Ketcham farm, where he will remain during the winter. during the winter.

game of hockey was played here last

night in the Northern League series, between Listowel and the home team,

which resulted in a win for the visit-ors by 6 to 5. At half-time the score

ice was heavy, and prevented combina-

tion to any extent. It was anybody's

game up to the time the bell rang, and

was devoid of any roughness. For Lis-

towel E. Hacking and Taylor were the

stars, while for the home team Scott,

at cover, and Baker, forward, put up

WOODSTOCK WON EASILY.

the opening game in the O. H. A. in-

termediate series was played between

Seaforth and Woodstock. The locals

had the game their own way, winning by 10 to 2. At half-time the score

ABERDEENS DEFEATED.

ing hockey game of the season here last night Watford defeated the Ab-

erdeens, of London, by a score of 10

QUEEN'S POOR SHOWING.

Pittsburg Dispatch: The P. A. C. team in the Western Pennsylvania Hockey League, last night (Thursday) tried to twist the British lion's tail, but on the second twirl the old scamp with whis-

kers woke up and gave the Red and White a wallop which sent them limping home. The Canadians played better hockey than the local boys, and, though the visitors won, 2 to 1, neither side's play bore ear-marks of first-class hockey

TURF.

AT NEW ORLEANS.

Watford, Ont., Jan. 11.-In the open-

Woodstock, Ont., Jan. 11.-Last night

was 3 to 2 in Port Elgin's favor.

a good article of the game.

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PORT HURON MEETING. Port Huron, Jan. 10.—The Port Huron Winter Racing Club have organized for the purpose of giving a three-day first-class winter race meeting at the Port Huron Driving Park in this city, on Feb. 11, 12 and 13.

ATHLETICS.

THE IRISH SPORTS. Ottawa, Jan. 11 .- Lord Minto has received from the lord lieutenant of Ire-land a programme of the proposed inonal rowing contest to be held in Irish waters in July, 1902, to encourage amateur rowing and to give an opportunity to clubs of all national cities to meet. Lord Minto trusts that it may be found possible to send a representative eight to compete for the cup, which will not be less than £250. Lord O'Brien, chief justice of Ireland. gives the cup, and the race will take place on the River Lee, near Cork.

YOUNG PETER JACKSON VICTOR. Baltimore, Md., Jan. 11 .- "Kid" Austin, of New York, quit in the fourth round of what was to have been a 20round fight with Young Peter Jackson here last night. Austin was simply outclassed. He went down repeatedly for the limit, and after he had been

knocked through the ropes in the middle of the fourth round he indicated KNOCKOUT FOR CORCORAN. Savannah, Ga., Jan. 11. - The glove contest between "Tom" Corcoran, of Savannah, and Fred Douglass, of Brooklyn, at 145 pounds, before the Savannah A. C., last night, resulted in

a knockout for Corcoran in the fifth DASEBALL. NELSON LONG'S GOOD RECORD.

The Sporting Life thus writes of Nelson Long, well known in London, who pitched winning ball last year for Portland, champions of the New England League: Nelson Long, pitcher, is a Canadian, claiming Hamilton, Ont., as his home. He played professionally for the first time last year with the Hamilton team. Last spring he joined Portland, and soon established himself as a favorite by winning his first seven games. He has a slow, puzzling ball, which is very effective. Long is an all-round sporting man, a crack rifle and field shot, and a clever referee of boxing matches. He is big and powerfully built, welghs 180 pounds, and stands 5 feet 9 inches high. He is 23 years of age. The Portland club was well satisfied with his work, and claimed him for next year. The Sporting Life thus writes of Neison

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