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Selection Card—U. E. Brener.
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LOCAL MARKETS.

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Faturday, Dec. 25.

The market was very dull to-day, scarcet any business doing, and everything presents the foliday appearance. There was no altertion in prices, and for the greater part the following quotations are based on Thursday market.

Wheat, per standard bush	45	to	1 4
Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs 1	45	to	1 7
Wheat red fall, per 100 108	45	to	1
. Wheat, spring per 100 108	90	to	
Oats per 100 lbs	95	to	36
Peas per 100 lbs	90	to	-80
Corn per 100 lbs	80	to	1
Barley per 100 lbs		to	î
	90	to	
Buckwheat 100 lbs	90	to	1
Beans per ub	30		•
PROVISIONS.	18	to	
Eggs, retail, per doz	16	to	
Eggs, basket, per doz	14	to	
Eggs, store lots, per doz	17	to	
Butter per Ib. pound rolls	15	to	
	10	to	
Butter per 1b, tubs or nrkins	10	to	
Lard ner lb	10	to	1
Cheese per lb	40	to	
Chickens per pair	50	to	
Ducks	70	to	1
Turkeys per lb 10c; each			
MEATS, HIDES, ETC.	41	to	
Beef, quarters, per lb	6	to	
Mutton, quarters, per lb	5	to	
Veal, quarters, per lb		to	
	00	to	5
	41		
Hides, No. 1, per lb		to	
Hides, No. 2, per lb		to	
Hides, No. 3, per lb	5	to	
Calfskins, green, per lb	60	to	
Sheepskins, each	60.	to	
Lambskins, each	16	to	
(Wool, per lb	54		t
Tallow, rendered, per lb	24		to
Tallow, rough, per lb			
VEGETABLES AND FACE	35	to	1
Apples, per bag	6	to	13
Grapes, per 1b	00	to	1
Mellons, Citron	90	to	1
Pears, per bu	70	to	
Onions, per bu	25	to	1
Carrots, per bu	40	to	
Turnips, per bu	20	te)
(Radishes, per doz. bunches	20	to)
Celery, per doz	30	to)
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American Markets.

CHICAGO. Dec. 24.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—Dec., 909c; Jan., 91; Kay, 96;c.

CORN—Dec., 41;c; Jan., 41;c; May, 42;c.

OATS—Dec., 32;c; Jan., 31;c; May, 32;c.

OATS—Dec., \$7 62;; Jan., \$10 374; May,

PORK—Thec., \$7 62; Jan., \$10 374;

Bhort Clear Sides, 40	
Flour 31,000	Wheat140.0 Oats122.0
Corn	Barley 57,0
Shipments- 21,000	Wheat 46.
Corn	Barley 38.0
	NEW YORK, Dec. 24

WHEAT—Receipts, 225,140 bn; exports, 2505 bu; sales, 1,528,000 bu futures, 152,000 by spott spot stronger; No. 2 red, \$1 06 to \$1 062, store and elevator; ungraded red, \$9c to \$1 092; options closed firm, \$c to \$c over yesterday; No. 2 red, Dec., \$1 064; Jan., \$1 064; terday; No. 2 red, Dec., \$1 064; Jan., \$1 065; May, \$1 082; June, \$1 064. April, \$1 083; May, \$1 084; June, \$1 065. April, \$1 083; BARLEY—Dull; western, \$1 01 to \$103. BARLEY—Dull; No. 2 Milwaukee, 71c to 72c.

TS—Receipts, 6i,500 bu: sales, 305,000 bu
es; 97,000 bu spot; spot and options firmer;
40c; Jan., 394c; May, 394c; No. 2 spot,
5 dojc; mixed western, 30c to 434c;
to 434c, 40uct; unchanged.
GS—Quiet; fancy, 28c to 284c.

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OATS-No. 2. 344c to 35c. CORN-70c to 71c. FLOUR-Extra, \$4: straight roller, \$4 10 to

24 16.

HAY—Timothy, \$12 to \$12 50.

HOGS (dressed)—\$5 to \$540.

RYE—97c.

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Respective thactive. Sales—No. 2 fall outside at 91c; no. 2 hard at \$1 01, and No. 3 do. at 94c; oats on track at 34c, and outside at 31c; peas outside at 62c.

Montreal Market.

Montreat, Dec. 26.

FLOUR-Receipts, 2,000 bbls.; market quiet and unchanged: Patents winter, \$6 00 to \$5.25, do. spring, \$5 10 to \$5.33; straight roller. \$4 65 to \$5.25, do. spring, \$5 10 to \$5.33; straight roller. \$4 65 to \$4 80; strar, \$4 30 to \$4 40; superfine, \$4 00 to \$4 80; strar, \$4 30 to \$4 05; strong bakers, \$4 85 to \$5 10; Untaricbags, \$2 00 to \$2 20.

Git AIN-Whea. No. 2 hard Manitoba, \$10 to \$6 10; cont. 70 to 72c; reas, 73c to 75c; oats, 34c to 25c; barley, 60c to 62c; rye, 50c to 92c.

MEAL-Oatmeal, \$2 20 to \$2 30; cornmes 21 50 to \$1 50.

PHOVISIONS—Mess pork, \$15 50 to \$16 00.

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lard 74c to 74c; bacon, 9c to loc; hams, 104c to
lle; cheese, 104c to 114c; butter townships, 20c to
22c: Morrisburg western, 16c to 174c; eggs, 15c
to 16c.

Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, Dec 26.—Cattle—Market slow and weak at yesterday's decline of 15c to 25c; natives, \$3 60 to \$5; stockers, \$2 to \$2.75; cows \$1.35 to \$2.30.

Hogs—Market opened strong; closed weak; rough and common, \$3.50 to \$3.65; mixed and packers, \$3.60 to \$3.75; prime, heavy and butchers' weights, \$3.70 to \$4; light, \$3.50 to \$3.75.

packers, \$3 of to \$3 75, prime, \$3 50 to \$3 55.

butchers weights, \$3 75 to \$4; hight, \$3 50 to \$3 55.

heep-Market steady; native ewes, \$3 to \$4 25; mixed \$4 25 to \$4.75; westerns, \$4 75 to \$4 25; mixed \$4 25 to \$5, \$475; westerns, \$4 75 to \$4 25; mixed \$4 25 to \$6.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y. Dec, 26.—Cattle—Outside of one load of prime Ohio steers, which sold at \$5 25, there was little done to-day.

Sheep and Lambs—Twenty-two cars on sale; 10 cars were Canadian lambs; it was a lively market for prima lambs, due to a limited one prima lambs, due to a limited full primarket for prima lambs, due to a limited of \$15, 50 50; several loads—\$1.0\text{lambs}_{\text{at all}} \text{dal lambs}_{\text{primarket}} \text{ to \$25, 50}; stole Canada sheep sold at \$4 50 50 50; several loads—\$1.0\text{lambs}_{\text{primarket}} \text{ long lambs}_{\text{primarket}} \text{ to \$25, 50}; decended as coming and Primarket for \$10.0\text{lambs}_{\text{primarket}} \text{ long lambs}_{\text{primarket}} \text{ long lambs}_{\text{primark

A FAR-REACHING BLIZZARD Sweeps Through the Western States-

Trains Blockaded by Snow.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 26.—All day yesterday a blizzard prevailed throughout Nebraska. The weather turned intensely cold, the wind blowing at a terrific rate. Trains on all railroads in the State were seriously retarded, and in many cases along the western division of the Union Pacific they were blockaded. The farmers feel partly compensated for the loss of their stock in the fact of having their winter wheat well protected.

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Peoria, Ill., Dec. 28.—Prof. M. C. Dougherty, superintendent of public schools here, was walking along the street when he heard a shot fired behind him. He turned and saw Miss Maggie Harrigan, a discharged school teacher, running away He turned and saw Miss Maggie Harrigan, a discharged school teacher, running away from him. He then she discovered had fired a bullet through the lobe of his ear. Miss Harrigan had asked for reinstatement,

which was refused.

Work on the Niagara Tunnel.

NIAGARA FALLS, Dec. 26.—The headings started from the portal and west from shatt the surface, is 2,480 feet. The distance excavated through solid rock, 200 feet time that has elapsed since the first sod was turned is one year two months and twenty days, and since the first heading was started it is eight months and twenty days. Other headings are expected to meet on Jan. 26, headings are expected to meet on Jan. 26, headings are expected to meet on Jan. 26, headings are expected to feet of the first section of the tunnel excavated is about section of the tunnel excavated is about 6,000. It is expected that by February a start at lining the hole will be made.

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Heavy Christmas Mails.

New York, Dec. 26.—The Christmas mails are the heaviest in years. The steamship Majestic, from Queenstown, brought 1,184 sacks of mail, the largest ever brought by a steamship. The Havel, from Bremeu, brought 463 sacks. The "Sea Post" is in operation on this vessel, and the mails were assorted on board. As a result the Havel's through mail was dispatched from New York twelve hours earlier than that which came by the Majestic, whose mails reached the postoffice only three hours later than the Havel's.

Quack Advertisements

Are rapidly becoming a nuisance, and we think it behooves publishers to examine into the merits of many articles puffed up in their columns. We do not deny that many meritorious remedies are properly to be classed under this heading. Take the hundreds and thousands relieved from severe suffering by the use of Polson's Nerevillne, would it not be unreasonable to expect them to condemn that far-famed remedy? Now we know to exception the most powerful, pleasant and critain remedy in the world for pain. It cannot fail, for it goes right to the bottom of pain, penetrates to the nerves, soothes them into quietness, and affords prompt and permanent relief. Nervillne is sold by all druggists, Sample only 10 cents. Try it.

The interpreting power of great enthusiastic men brings out the value of things so that other men can see them. They stand with their need of human sympathy and look from things which they love and admire to their f'lowmen, and cry to them, "Rejoice with us "—[Bishop Brooks." "Having msed Burdock Blood Bitters for General Deblity, Weakness and Lack of Appetite, I found it a safe cure." Henry Howard of the properties of the properties of the properties. The my mind music is an important part of the properties of the properties. Quack Advertisements

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Do not train boys to learning by force and harshness; but direct them to it by what amuses their minds, so that you may be better able to discover with accuracy the peculiar bent of the genus of each.

[Plato.
Father was confined to the house through

—[Plato.
—Flator was confined to the house through Ridney Complaint, but now says he feels like a different person since using two bottles of B. B. Minnie J. Haycock, Salford, Ont.

A queer libel suit has been instituted against a Crawfordsville (Ind.) newspaper. The article averred that the plantiff's horse was fed on soup, being too old to eat corn. Wherefore the plaintiff claimeth \$2,000 damages, alleging that he has suffered great mental anguish because of its publication.

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Many dangerous diseases originate from Kidney disorder. Burdock Blood Bitters regu-lates and strengthens the Kidneys and urinary



Jean Georges Bourinot, Clerk of the Dominion House of Commons.

One of the most important and interesting of scientific and literary congresses which has been held in recent years, is the meeting in Washington, D. C., on Dec. 29-31, of the American Historical Society, of which William Wirt Henry, of Richmond, Va., is president. The Dominion of Canada will be represented in that distinguished assemblage by that eminent historical scholar, Jean Georges Bourinot, clerk of the Dominion House of Commons; LL.D; D.C.L.; C.M.G.; vice-president of the Royal Society of Canada; member of the American Historical Association, and of the Academy of Political Science, of Philadelphia. A notable result of the recent advance in historical studies in this country is the recovery and preservation of innumerale American rare books, documents, manuscripts, and antiquities of rare value, which cannot be replaced, and which would otherwise have perished irrecoverably. Of this new historical spirit the American Association is the great exponent and exemplar. One of the most important and interest-ng of scientific and literary congresses

THE TUG-OF-WAR.

How the Several Teams Now Stand. DETROIT, Dec. 26 .- Following is the

standing of the team	Won.	Lost. Drawi
Scotland	2	0
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BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 26.—Wm. Reese and Sadie Brown were to have been marned to day and yesterday Miss Brown with the Distance of the Miss Brown were to have been marned to day and yesterday Miss Brown blockade.

PORTLAND, Orc., Dec. 26.—Advices from East Oregon and Washington state snow has fallen throughout that region to a depth of from 5 to 12 inches. Along the Columbia River the wind is blowing hard and the snow is drifting.

Maggie's Straight Shot.

escaped.

A Murderer Dies in His Cell.

CONCORD, N. H., Dec. 26.—Isaac Sawtelle, who murdered his brother Hiram, died of apoplexy this morning in his cell at the State Prison.

Two Men Badly Hurt by One Bullet.

Lakefield, Ont., Dec. 26.—Yesterday afternoon at Julien's Landing, Stoney Lake, Williard Stone and Clarke Bronson were shot by a rifle in the hands of Bronson's brother. The latter was loading the rifle, when it went off. The ball passed through Stone's shoulder and lodged in Bronson's shoulder. Both men are in a critical condition.

The Deadly Oil Can.

The Deadly Oil Can.

Hamilton, Dec. 26.—At an early hour this morning J. D. McCullough went to the furnace in his residence on Robinson street to see that all was right. Finding the fire burning low he poured coal oil upon the dying embers. Immediately a flame of fire burst out, and before he was aware of it his clothing was in flames. His cries for assistance brought a lady inmate in the house to his aid. She endeavored to smolder the flames, but McCullough had received such injuries that he died in a few minutes. Deceased was married about three weeks ago. He was about 34 years of age.

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CRIPS AND TRUNKS.

Fifteenth Annual Report of the Western Commercial Travelers.

Some Thirty New Members Enrolled During the Past Year-Assets and Receipts Amount to Nearly \$20,000.

An adjourned meeting of the Western Commercial Travelers' Association was held Saturday in their rooms in the Masonic Temple building, a large number being in attend-ance. The Board of Management subance. The Board of mitted the following

building, a large number being in attendance. The Board of Management submitted the following mitted the following and the fifteenth annual report, your Board of Management have much pleasure in congratulating the memmers on the continued progress of the association. The membership now stands at 920, an increase for the year of 30. The following have been the payments under the mortuary benefit bylaw for the year just ending: Beneficiary of the late H. D. Long, \$700; beneficiary of the late E. G. Thomas, \$700; beneficiary of the late J. B. Booth, \$700; beneficiary of the

members of the Mutual Benent Society in connection with the association. Valuable assistance has been rendered to the families of deceased members at a much needed time, while the average cost has been very low.

ALF ROBINSON, WM. S. CASE, President.

Statement of Receipts and Disburse-ments for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1891 as Shown by Books Closed Dec, 12, 1891

Travelers' certificates (including one for 1890)..... for 1890).
Associate members' fees.
Fees for transfers and duplicates....
Further receipt from Bank of London Total.....
DISBURSEMENTS. Accident insurance premiums..... Death claims, five of \$700 (including

Expense account— \$ 20 00 crutineers. \$ 20 00 rinting and advertising. 155 34 certificate covers 75 00 Rent of office, net.

TRENTON, Dec. 26.—A 7-year-old son of William T. Weaver, of this city, died last night from the effects of swallowing a copper coin a few days ago. Riot in Chicago.

Riot in Chicago.

Chicago, Iil., Dec. 26.—A riot took place yesterday afternoon as the outcome of a horse race on one of the streets of this city. The police had great difficulty in arresting the parties, and firearms were used.

The Right Sert of Grip.

received such injuries that he died in a few minutes. Deceased was married about three weeks ago. He was about 34 years of age.

Sensational Dispatches Deniod.

New York, Dec. 26.—The World's Washington special says there is the highest authority for the statement that the Chilian Government will make proper reparation official sources assurances that the Chilian Government will make proper reparation for the assault upon the sailors of the Baltimore in Valparaiso. The statement teleminore in Valparaiso. The statement te

A cure for Constitution and Headache Dr. Silas Lane, while in the Rocky Mountains, discovered a root that when combined with other herbs, makes an easy and certain cure for constipation. It is in the form of dry roots and leaves, and is known as Lane's Family Medicine. It will cure sick headache in one night. For the blood liver and kidneys, and for clearing up the complexion it does wonders. Druggists sell it at 50 cents a package.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES!

CANADIAN.

Matthew Brown, the Freelton burglar and general thief, who pleaded guilty to eighteen charges of theft, has been sentenced by the magistrate at Hamilton to serve ten ears in penitentiary.

Hearing of the charges against Col. Herchmer is to be taken on Jan. 12. In addition to the charges prepared by Nicholas Flood Davin, M.P., a large number of charges have been prepared by private people.

The steamer Egyptian Monarch, bound to New York from London, put in to Halifax Friday short of coal. She sailed from London eighteen days ago, and it was a continuous gale from the time of starting. The passengers are all well. The steamer sailed again.

UNITED STATES.

Grattan Dalton, a fugitive train robber, was recaptured near Fresno, Cal., on Sunday after two of his gang had been wounded and an officer killed.

A Finlander named Alex. Perola was shot dead at Lake Linden, Mich., Sunday night, and his companion seriously wounded. The Fins were resisting arrest.

A meeting of Irish Nationalists in Nev York Saturday night passed resolutions

to the murderer or his motive.

Silas E. Cheney, a large property owner in Asbury Park, N. J., and Litchfield, Conn., and also a heavy stockholder in the lies New York Tribune, has been missing for ded der a month. He is a brother-in-law of Horace Greeley.

An Eric Railroad transfer float, loaded with twolve cars, certying 190 head of

An Eric Railroad transfer noat, batter with twelve cars, carrying 190 head of cattle, while being towed up East River to New York to the abattoir at the foot of Forty-Fourth street on Sunday, ran on Black Rock and sunk. Over 140 cattle were drowned. Loss, \$10,000.

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A crank, who gave his name as J. Bonaparte, entered the private office of George W. Childs in the Philadelphia Ledger building, on Saturdsy afternoon, and told the clerk at the door that he must see the publisher. A big knife was taken from the crank, and he was sent to the hospital.

The prisoners in the county jail at Olatne, Kan., made an attempt last night to kill Sheriff Easdale and escape, but were prevented by the timely appearance of Mrs. Easdale, who locked the outside doors, and the pluck of the sheriff, who was on the inside locked up and fighting for life with six of the prisoners until assistance came.

Willie Wright and Miss Phillips were married the other evening twelve miles northwest of Meridian, Miss. After the ceremony, while the bridal party were making merry, a young man named Johnson crept up to the window and shot the bridegroom dead. The assassin was captured. Johnson and Wright were rival suitors for the hand of Miss Phillips.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN. BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

The Governor of Durango, Mexico, telegraphs that the people in that State are actually dying of starvation.

The revolt in Desterro, the capital of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa Catharina, Brazil, has extended to several other parts of the Province of Santa

LONDON, Dec. 26.—Yesterday in London was one of the most dismal days within the recollection of the proverbial oldest inhabitant. There was fog and rain and a heavy frost, succeeded by a thaw, so that pedestrianism was uncomfortable and dan-

Slashing Contest in Somerville. Shashing contest in Somerville.

Boston, Dec. 26.—There was a shaving contest in Somerville Thursday night, and the victorious burber shaved a man and ran 100 yards in I minute and 45 seconds. His opponent did it in fitteen seconds less, but lost on account of giving two cuts to the unhappy man he shaved.

Greens are an essential part of a Chinese dinner. Chinese greens are imported in great quantities for United States laundry-

Many a genius has been slow of growth. Oaks that flourish for 1,000 years do not spring up into beauty like a reed.—[Lewes.

THE ANCASTER TRAGEDY. One of the Suspects May Prove an Ims

One of the Suspects May Prove an Important Witness.

Brantford, Ont., Dec. 26.—Samuel Goosey, the witness in the Douglas stealing case, has partially admitted he and Donglas were at Hesiop's residence the night of the murder. Goosey and Constable Hunter had an interview with Douglas before he was removed from jail here. At this interview Goosey told Douglas he might as well admit being at Hyslop's, that free pardon was offered to all except to the actual murderer. Douglas expressed doubts about free pardon. Goosey and Douglas then dropped the subject.

HAMILTON, Dec. 28.—John Lottridge, charged with the murder of old man Heslop, was brought up in the Police Courtegain Saturday, and at the request of the prosecution was again remanded till Thursday, by which the crown attorney says the case can proceed. In reference to the story that Geo. Douglas, the Indian, who is still in jail at Brantford, had turned Queen's evidence, the county attorney said is did not surprise him to hear such news, but that if Douglas confessed it was immaterial, the evidence against the three men arrested was quite sufficient to convict them.

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"Yes, I know all about it—I nevery much for the girl," he said and then, as Fay looked intenprised, he added rather irritably; "I told you we were old frie and of course I saw Miss Cryst visited at the Grange; she way taste—handsome, of course could see she had a bit of the her—she had a temper of her or like; and Mr. Ferrers spoiled heteribly infatuated—I dare say he men will be fools sometimes. The keep me talking, Fay; of course in Sandycliffe and Singleton I story. I am not so sure that i wise of the girl to run away, after "Hugh must have been very with them all," thought Fay whe late alone. "How I wish he always too busy to talk to me, he is sure he is killing himse about as he does, and he does loo till. I wish he would see Dr. Mof course my asking him to donly make him angry. It is very ne, I am afraid; but I cannot he ho know why Hugh has quar them so. I don't like to vex h seems to me as though I have know all that concerns my husba Fay's throat swelled and her cy little dim. "Perhaps when some pens he will think me older and though alone a rosy flush came over her Fay was very sorry when the Fay was very sorry when the for Erle to go back to Belgrave I would miss him sadly she knew. resumed their old walks and c Fay paid visits to Bonnie Bess in and taught the pretty creature

Fay paid visits to Bonnie Bess in and taught the pretty creature her over the place like a dog.

Erle was sorry to go too; he very much attached to his me far. Ferrers was to join him a little legrave House, and he promise and give her full particulars of to Beulah Place. In his heart secret longing to feel Fern's hagain, and to see her bright, smile. "I have been here a who he grumbled; "no wonder Hugh he grumbled; "no wonder Hugh me by this time."

Fay was rather surprised then letter from him two or three and telling her that Mr. Ferrers mard telling her that Mr. Ferrer indefinitely postponed.
"Everything has gone wrong," and the fates, those mischiev grained, old women with the between them, are dead against the service of the service

between them, are dead against "I went over to Beulah Plasvening just to reconnoiter, and disquated to hear that Miss Dr. Miss Ferrers, I mean, only I stiold name from habit—was nur her pupils with the measles. rascal—it is a boy—had refusured by any one else; and the the curate's house kept in durand, to make matters worse, the and, to make matters worse, the that, to make matters worse, the talk of her going out of town with the world defer his visit for the paid, until Miss Davenport was been said, until Miss Davenport was been said.

said, until Miss Davenport was a cold quarters. He was much dis of course, at this delay; but he fied to know that she was in go and he was used to disappoin did feel sorry for the poor fell read that." And the rest of the filled with lively descriptions where he had met Miss Selby, a with her half the night.

Fay shook her head over the grie's letter. He was an incorrishe was afraid; but she missed much. The old Hall seemed without Erle's springy footsteps whistle, and somehow Fay wiguister too.

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For a change was passing ov.
Wee Wifie in those early spring Wee Wife in those early spring. With the new hope there came lender expression on her sweet is. She grew less child-like a womanly, and day by day the certain modest dignity that be well. Hugh was very gentle wit Sareful to guard her from all imbut life was very difficult to him and he could not always restraining irritability.

He was ill, and yet unwilling to thing was amiss. He scoffed a that his nerves were disorganized to him the were disorganized.

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What would have become of him if the hand of Providence had not how before he had succeeded it himself, body and soul?

No one but Hugh knew how had yielded to the temptation to inward miseries in pernicious din those solitary vigils, while his ichild-wife was sleeping peacefully infant, his half-maddened brain up delirious fancies that seemed the dark library with haunting far But he never meant to harm the dark library with haunting rac
But he never meant to harm
really; he would say in his sober
reflections he was only so very v
Margaret's influence had always
pure, and he was not the man
pleasure in any dissipation.
No, he would not harm himsel

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