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(From Chambers's Journal.) "They're Dear Fish to Me."

A TRUE INCIDENT. The farmer's wife sat at the door, A pleasant sight to see, And blithesome were the wee, wee bairns That played around her knee.

When, bending heath her heavy creel, A poor fish-wife came by, And, turning from the toilsome road, Unto the door draw nigh.

She laid her burden on the green, And spread its scaly store, With trembling hands, and pleading words, whe told them o'er and o'er.

But lightly laughed the young guidwife, "We're no sae scarce o' cheer Tak' up your creel, and gang your ways-I'll buy nae fish sae dear.

Bending beneath her load again, A wear sight to see : Right sorely sighed the poor fishwife :

"Our boat was oot ae-fearfu' night, And, when the sterm blew o'er, My husband and my three brave some Lay corpses on the shore.

"I've been a wife for thirty years, A childless widow three ; I maun buy them now to sell again-They're dear fish to me!

The farmer's wife turned to the door-What was't upon her cheek? What was there using in her breast, That then she scarce could speak? She thought upon her ain guidman,

The woman's words had pierced her heart "t ome back," she cried, with quivering voice

And pity's gathering tear; Come in, come in, my poor woma Ye're kindly welcome here: "I kentna o' your aching heart;

I'll ne'er forget your sad, sad words : ... They've dear fish to me!" Ay, let the happy-hearted learn

Your weary lot to dree ;

How much of mahood's wasted strength, What woman's misery-What breaking bearts might swell the cry "They're dear fish to me!"

How much their gold may buy-

Miscellany.

had been in the service neerly two score a clear voice, that and a pretty tisp to a years, feated, more than she loved him.—

There was no eye to brighten at his approach.

You attemy Granupa Harding.

There was no eye to brighten at his approach no voice to welcome him.

The thought was uppermost in the old man's mind as leaning back in his chair, he gazed abstractedly into the five. Some years before, God had called to himself the wite of his youthly taken her mercifully from the evil to come. One of the wors she bere him filled a drunkerd's grave, the other had been mortally wounded in some disgraceful quarrel.

Boy on allow whom I anh?"

Stay, child, interposed the Judge, the treety, votes for the next election fall away, like sinck he leaves in autumn. What time has the trick he leaves in autumn. What time has the married belief or this help hearth at these words; but he crusted eviet colored outoman to which he pointed and patricus Christian women of a nation are the saleguards of its liberties and purished and patricus Christian women of a nation are the saleguards of its liberties and purished has the mercifully from the world from the world are the world and patricus Christian women of a nation are the saleguards of its liberties and purished has the mercifully from the world from the world for the world are the world and patricus Christian women of a nation and patricus Christian women of a nati

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anow was falling upon her grave; that she hearing."

died us soothed by the knowledge of his forgiveness.

The iron-gray locks that shaded his temple accorded well with the general expression of the strongly marked features, and the shore the features and from the room.

"There's a woman with a little girl in the the child of his only daughter. This was As he raised his eyes they fell upon the the child of his only daughter. This was As he raised his eyes they fell upon the not difficult, for the house was large, and little form that was sitting where she used there were some portions of it that the Judge to sit so many years ago. What a marvel never entered. Sometimes, indeed, he heard our resemblance! It seemed almost to him is being subscribed. Mr. W. K. Republic "There's a woman with a little girl in the what she termed the unna ural treatment of tar wee.

white, but her eyes bright and piercing, and come to him in any other way; if the daugh from his seat, he took, the child in his arms. heartily into this useful project. The state white, but her eyes bright and piercing, and come to min many out had expressed any "My dear little Estelle!" ne muttered of the tariff in the United States mass her strongly built frame as erect as in cirly fer be had ence idolized had expressed any "My frecious birthday gift!" come back after to originate and sustain various many

gainst her.

thrust, but did not lose his self-possession!

"And this is the ichild of your son?" he enquired, pointing to lovely little girl of six. I declare if this isn't the day. I remember clad in deep mourning, who was standing by it well, for it was also the birthday of my ber side." "This is the daughter of B-telle Dugald, She would have been twenty-four years old "Macaria," a work just issued by Miss

which were characterized by a hardness and coldness laimost repelling, yet through it.

Weeks came and went. Little Betelle not been most to hame? Indue not induse of \$400,000 can be secured in stock taken been traces of a depth of mental an grew dearer every day to the faithful old her in every idle whim, until ner will grew along the course of the line, for work done nurse who had tended her mother in her in every labeled and performed, and Mr. Burpee is confident and performed, and Mr. Burpee is confident and performed, and Mr. Burpee is confident and performed. He was aroused from his gloomy reveried into which he had failen by old Margery, who, opening the door, said:

suddenly and harshly? Had be dealt more this can be accomplished, it ought not to be only only many were her inward mormors at that step that had wrought them such bit-required, on the bonds of the Company." suddenly and harshly? Had he dealt more this can be accomplished, it ought not to be

reflection.

It was difficult to determine the age of the was nearly have softened toward his grandchild had she gushed from the old man's eyes, and, rising Hardware merchants will doubtless enter

"My dear little Estelle!" he mottered of the sariff in the United States must tend her strongly built frame as erect as in citize wish that he should take charge of her. "My precious birthday gift!" come back after to originate and sustain various manufactoeducation, her countenance and bearing in. But to have her thrust upon him by the so lorg a time to cheer my desolate home! lies of this kind in the Provinces. We are gy, combined with no little shrewdness and his home so desolate, steeled his heart a- That night, when Margery carried in the

gainst her. fea Cings, she saw a spectacle that made her kind old heart rejoice; the child of her Judge Harding saw all this in the steady She was a pre ty sweet-tempered child, her kind old heart rejoice; the child of her Story with a Morat.—A young man dear young mietress was sweetly sleeping in who was paying special attention to a young man her grandlather's arms, whose eyes were fixed lady, met with the following incident during her grandlather's arms, whose eyes were fixed lady, met with the following incident during "When is grandpa's birthday, nurse?" upon her with a look of pride and tenderness. one of his vists:---Dugald?"

"I am the mother of your late daughter's she suddenly inquired, one day nearly two husband, Judge Haiding."

The proud old man winced visibly at this "Let me see." replied Margery, her country with peace and joy, whom he took from the might for some time, and vas better left at the might for some time, and vas better left at the might for some time, and vas be-

on with him.

What a True Wife Should Be. your child and mine. Judge Harding ! " re- to-day, if she had lived, Alack, alack, it Evans, "Beulah" renown, contains, among you tell it?"

and give him this " resumed Estelle, taking tional" a fit illustration of the genuine good would stay here all the while; then I w a small package from the, pocket of her sen e forgetting her prejodiced partizan have a good time But when you go off sis "Did your late son have no property?"
For a moment the woman's eyes wavered beneath his penetrating look, then she said boldly:
"Nothing but a mere pittance, which was more than swallowed by the expense of your daughter's last siekness."

Judge Harding's eyes blazed with a said den scorn that was almost starting.

"Do not hope to deceive me so essily," he cried "There is not one act of yours that has escaped my notice. I know that your son left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received "There is not one act of yours on left received the clock of a maximal the passet of the fitted with

that has escaped my notice. I know that your son left property which should have descended to his wife and child, but of which you took possession. I know, also, the grudging care you bestowed on the deluded girl that your son deluded from her friends and home. But let them both pass. I will take the child and indefinity you trome every possible expense, but only on one condition, that you sign this paper, by which you pledge which and never dared to approach, and then, as if summoning all her resolution, sible, I hold their sacred duty; but beauty not far forget their duties to their nomes and husbands, and the respect due to public opinion, as habitually seek for happiness if the mad whirl of the social fashionable life, ignoring household obligations, should the right of the walk.

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A gentleman another, should not take a gentleman's arm in the street in the day have disgraced. That wives should contain the walk is through the walk is thr

Judgo Harding's Birth-Day Gat.

By NARY GARGE HALFINE.

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WESTERN EXTENSION.—The Colonial

Margery, speaking with evident hesitation.
But, contrary to her expectations, this the patter of little feet along the corridor, as the led to some remote apartment, or a sible effect upon her master.

Show her in, he said, litter a moment's beard like a strain of half-forgotten music.

Strain of half-forgotten music, the strain of half-forgotten music, beard like this mute rememberance of but that was all.

Show her in, he said, litter a moment's beard like a strain of half-forgotten music, beard like this mute rememberance of but that was all.

Strain heart like this mute rememberance of all she was once to him, or could plead so creased. The New Brunswick manufacture of 25 dozen shovels a day, and its power can be inserted. glad that Mr. Reynolds, with his usual forethought and energy, has taken up the matter.

coming very weary, when a little girl about five years old slipped in and began a conver-

"I can always tell," said she, "when you re coming to our house."
"You can?" he replied; "and how do

many things both happy and great, occasionarms."

Here the faithful creature wiped away a
tear.

"Woll, if it is his birth day, I must go and give the readers of the "Conversa and give him this" resumed Estelle, tsking and give the resument of the genuine good world stay here all the while; then I would

"Stay, enild," interposed the Judge, thereby, votes for the next election fall away. The men whom you saved from drawning.