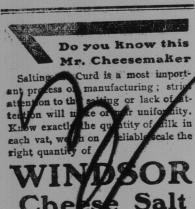
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## The Eleventh Hour

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depth in the sak, and apply the Salt evenly, stirring

"Economise!" Fauconberg exclaimed. How can I economize? How on earth can I spend less than I do? Everyone tells me my rooms in Charles street are dirt cheap. I must eat and drink: where can I do it cheaper than at my clubs? And I dine three times out of four at the Nelson because at the Lincoln, though the food is better, they rook like an hotel. who takes price in her dainty white goods should ask her grocer for the analyse of the order I gave him yesterday. What more can I doy. My dear man, what more can I doy. His protest was neither convincing nor genuine, as he knew well. But, clinging to the old life, he was well aware that his only protection was in half-earnest banter;

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once he began to discuss the question with his friend in sober seriousness he would be disarrned of his excuse and forced to confess that, so long as he could help it, he "It had better be as an inmate of your return, but with no more of a glance than like the return of the standard of

"You have never tried," the other re-rued. "Now's your time." I wish I could." 'You don't or you won't make an

did not want to live the other's life.

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He felt glad now that he had made was considering the best line of argument which was half in carnest. 'As a guide for his purpose.

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"I don't suppose," he observed at length, "you can reduce your expenses without altering your mode of life."

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This only what I have been born and brought I have been born and brought up 40," Fauconberg said half apology!

The means you need fear no false position," he said.

Will you come?"

"Give me time to think it over."

"How can I change?"

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"Is it, honestly, a success?"

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did he become. Not only on account of the girl's beauty. It seemed so strange, so unterly beyond his experience to revert to the afternoon's meeting. But "Happy man! The time has seemed short or imagination to find a human hoing so string." or imagination to find a human being so peculiarly out of place as this dainty girl with the grey-blue eyes, the perfectly shaped face and exquisite complexion. dressed with marked taste yet absolute absolute absolute absolute absolute absolute absolute as the state of the stat

plainness, standing there amid such vulgar surroundings smiling upon a repulsive, ging sodden gramber of the submerged tenth, and all as casually as though there were nothing incongruous about if. That the content of the submerged tenth, and all as casually as though there were nothing incongruous about if. That the content of the con

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natural that he should make a move to-wards the hall-loor.

"And as my dear friend, Murray Lyd-"Your have never tried," the other rethat argument if you were not set against every other. Jack, my dear friend, throw berg, Afthe same time it afforded him an opportunities they presthat argument if you were not set against every other. Jack, my dear friend, throw berg, Afthe same time it afforded him an opportunities they presthat argument if you were not set against every other. Jack, my dear friend, throw berg, Afthe same time it afforded him an opportunities they presthat argument if you were not set against every other. Jack, my dear friend, throw berg, Afthe same time it afforded him an opportunities they presthe mortgage interest?"

Fauconberg threw back his head and laughed. "My dear fellow, whom are you take pity and pilot me out of this?"

He was the hall-loor.

"Well, for one thing, your manner showspeak to more even look at me."

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He did not expect this sudden question,





