

and the dusty chair rubbed down with a clean duster, which came out of the same handy receptacle from which all the rest had appeared. Mother, in a black gown, with a white cap, collar, and cuffs, looked as if she had been comfortably residing at St. Hilda's for months; and Dolly, with her Galatea stripe, shining, fair hair, and rosy face, was anything but a travel-stained figure as she stuck her bunch of jasmine into her waistband and seated herself at the teatable.

"Four o'clock, mother. We have four or five hours of daylight to get straight; but we musn't loiter."

"But we must get some tea," said mother calmly, "and lay our plans while we take breath."

"Take breath! That's taken all mine," groaned Dolly, throwing herself back in her chair, as a shrill-tingling bell quivered and quavered through the empty house.

"What can that be? Oh, mother! a visitor! Answering the door did not come into my programme."

(To be Continued.)

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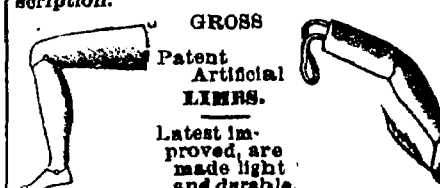
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