

SIR HUGH'S LOVES

"You have told me more than once that you are in debt; sometimes I fear you gambled. Oh!" as a dark flush mounted to his forehead, "I should be grieved to think that this is true."

"You would hate me all the more, I suppose," in a defiant voice.

"Indeed I do not hate you, my poor poor, but you make me very angry sometimes. Do you know me so little as to think

They had reached Beulah Place by this time, and Mrs. Watkins' shop was in sight. There were few passers-by, so no one

noticed why Percy stood still and seized

"I really think you do, Fluff, though you remember her dress was a curious embroidery of rainbow and dewdrops sewn all over with peacocks' eyes; but I assure you I like your white frock much better; and the new hat is very pretty."

"But Fern!"—

"But Fluff!"—

"If I were to be lost—really and truly lost, you know—would the funny old town—

"Dear me, what an odd question, Fluffy!"

"Never mind that; in the Sunday school

yes! you ain't near so smutty as me," which speech Fluff took as a compliment. But she had fallen down twice, and her nice white frock had got unsightly patches of green on it.

But she felt as though her troubles were over when she stood in front of Belgrave House, its many windows shining like gold.

What a grand place it was—finer than the Crystal Ball Palace where Princess

he did not seem to see her, perhaps he was thinking. His face looked very nice and kind, and with the unerring instinct of

childhood she laid her hand on his knee.

betrayed into the ridiculous plight of a venerable Japanese whom a friend of mine once saw parading the streets of Tokio, soberly dressed as to coat and trousers, but his white head surmounted by a child's sailor hat with floating blue streamers.—*Taverner in Boston Post.*

The temperance people of the County of Renfrew have subscribed \$1,000 with which to fight the repeal of the Scott Act.

eyes, nor how sweet and still the air was that morning as I walked over to the station. The golden rod and ferns hung

heavy with dew, and there were clusters of

how long it takes the average messenger-boy to go the same distance in marble-playing season.

Murat Halstead's mother-in-law, Mrs. Banks, says: "Mr. Halstead is a good man for he is good to his mother-in-law, and when a man is good to his mother-in-law he is good to every one else." Mr. Halstead is the veteran editor of the Cincinnati *Commercial*.

What can I need beside?
I'll strive from every evil
To keep my heart and tongue,
I'll be a little Mormon.

And follow Brigham Young.

heart; he lifts his eyes upward; he embellishes his little lie with saintly allusions; he lies as if he believed his own lie."

Hidemaro Namboos, of Japan, was graduated at Princeton in 1878. He is now Court astronomer at Tokio. When he accepted the court appointment his name was changed to Hidemaro Okenna. Seeing stars reminds him of the old college days when he took part in cane rushes.

tors, of Toronto, give notice that application will be made to Parliament next session on behalf of Andrew Maxwell

Irving, of Toronto, clerk, for a bill of divorce from his wife Maria Lavinia Irving.

THE COOK'S BEST FRIEND

CONSUMPTION.

I have a positive remedy for the above disease. I have cured thousands of cases of the worst kind of long standing coughs, have been cured, indeed, of my own, & my faith in the efficacy, that I would tell **ROTTEN**, together with **WATERBURY** ELIZABETH on this date. "to any sufferer, Consumption, and R. A. Graham."

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