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The son of a millionaire,

But he's started to work for his living now, For his father has gone to the Fair.

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HE—"How did you know?"

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MR. NEWED—"How do you know?"

MRS. NEWED—"I've just been through your pockets, and they are empty."

#### TRUTHFUL BUT ARTFUL.

SHE—"Did you ever kiss any other girl, George?"

HE—"None half so sweet as you, darling."

#### SHE THOUGHT HE WAS PAST PAVING.

BROMPTON—"Here is an article on 'Does Shakespeare Pay?'"

MRS. BROMPTON—"I thought he was dead."

#### A COOLNESS BETWEEN THEM.

MAY—"Although Cholly hugs me, I am conscious of a coolness between us."

MADGE—"Really? Perhaps he carries the love letters from that Boston girl in his inside pocket!"—Town Topics.

AMY—"What are the relations between you and Harry?"

MAHEL—"O, mamma and papa, brother Jack, and all my cousins and aunts."

PECK—"How is it that you stick to one tailor?"

DECK—"I don't. He sticks to me!"

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