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A Transient Experience

But he, he wanted to be freed from her. Probably for some very good reason...

She could never beat about the bush. She was by nature both honest and simple...

"What did you say to him?" said Helena, sternly. "I only told him that it was a noble act of restitution, an act of justice to the injured..."

"Well, boys will use rough words, you know, to hide their feelings. He said, 'I won't have any more jaw about it. It's a beastly shame.'"

"Not at all," said Nella. "I thought he was as nice about it as anyone could be about such a thing."

"No," said Nella, hotly, "no one could possibly have feelings under such circumstances. They couldn't spring up."

"You would not like him to know?" said Miss Wynne, tentatively. "I begin to think," said Nella, "that the only right and respectable thing is for everyone to know the exact story from beginning to end."

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very reasonable, but it satisfied her wounded self-respect, which also taught her to feel that a mystery about her past would be intolerable to her.

Helena, however, was a person capable of self-control, and she did not feel impelled to useless reproaches. That her aunt had had any communications with George Gladwyn did not occur to her.

But "he" had adored Richard, would be certain to meet with condemnation. "The world would misunderstand him," and hidden underneath all the pretenses and untruths under which she had smothered her judgment, there was the conviction that she herself might be forced to understand him only too well.

The next morning brought her a letter from her cousin, Mrs. Fenwick, which she concealed from Helena, and read with eagerness.

There was indeed a complication which might well have been expected, but which came upon Miss Wynne with a shade of surprise. If Gerard wished to marry elsewhere, of course, he would do his best to escape from his bondage to Helena.

She could not write her story, she couldn't fix her thoughts on any occupation. She could not make up her mind to seek friendly counsel. In truth, she was afraid to hear other people's point of view. She must depend on herself, and—well—yes—perhaps on God!

Nella was dutiful and high-minded, and respected religion, but the eyes of her spirit were still shut. Perhaps her aunt's habit of working herself up into enthusiasms over missions and church revivals, and of deriving excitement from the details of church decorations at one time, and then from the views of some wild and speculative sect at another, had driven her into the opposite extreme.

Many people are afraid of germs. Yet the fewest is a fancy and the germ is a fact. If the germ could be magnified to a size equal to its terrors it would appear more terrible than any fire-breathing dragon.

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A THOUSAND TONS OF FOOD

Needed Weekly for Porto Rico Storm Sufferers.

Gen. Davis Estimates Necessary Relief Will Cost \$1,500,000—Hearty Welcome to Returned Volunteers.

Washington, Aug. 29.—The war department has received from Gen. Davis a dispatch outlining the situation in Porto Rico, as follows: "The relief supplies will be confined to the foods, medicines and clothing heretofore specified. The most pressing need is food, and the aggregate cost of all that will be required to bridge over the period until a new supply of fruits and vegetables is grown will be an enormous sum, perhaps reaching one and a half million dollars."

BACK FROM THE PHILIPPINES. Pittsburgh, Aug. 29.—With cannon booming, shells clanging, whistles shrieking, and flags waving, and cheers from hundreds of thousands of throats, the brave Tenth Pennsylvania volunteers were welcomed home yesterday, after more than a year's gallant service in the Philippines.

NO CLOSED DOOR. New York, Aug. 29.—A special from Washington says: "While holding the ratification of the treaty with the United States, the authorities will pass no trade restrictions on the citizens of any other country. Under the treaty between Spain, Germany and the United States, the commerce of Great Britain and Germany with the archipelago was made free, and the foreign citizens were given a fishing right. Pending the receipt of information from Gen. Bates as to the terms of the treaty with the Sultan of Sulu, the authorities propose to allow matters to continue as they have been under Spanish dominion. Under the treaty of peace with Spain, the United States pledged itself to open ports, the fourth article providing: 'The United States will for ten years from the date of the exchange of the ratification of the present treaty admit Spanish ships and merchandise to the ports of the Philippines at the same terms as merchandise of the United States.'"

THE POPE AND DEWEY. New York, Aug. 29.—A dispatch from Rome says: "The pope is concerned about the war in the Philippines. He has communicated his anxiety to the Rev. Father Reaney, chaplain of the Olympia. His holiness expressed a strong desire to see peace between the United States and the natives, and said that he contemplated the opening of negotiations with the United States Government with a view to regulating the position of Catholics in the Philippines. 'We have a firm hope,' he said, 'that the Philippines will again acquire prosperity under the protection of the United States.'"

GETTING NATIVE HELP. Manila, Aug. 29.—A report received here from Cebu, says Dato Mundi, with his tribesmen have taken the warpath against the insurgents who are holding Semaun, and has given them a warm battle. Mundi would accept an American citizen, and asked permission to fight the insurgents. He was given an American flag. Gen. Bates will return to the States and pelago to arrange for establishing American garrisons there.

WESTERN ONTARIO Farmers throughout Essex county say that the corn and tobacco crops will be almost ruined by the lack of rain. Rev. Father Montreuil, assistant parish priest at Sandwich, has been appointed to a position at St. Michael's College, Toronto. School section No. 1 of Southwold will celebrate the opening of their new schoolhouse on Friday evening, Sept. 1, with a social and entertainment. On account of the continued drought farmers are compelled to stall feed their animals, which will cause feed to be very scarce in many localities. A horse belonging to Mr. W. Knight, Talbotville, stepped on a wire staple about ten days ago. Little notice was taken at the time. It now has the lockjaw. On Saturday Wm. Coutts, employed at the Anderson Furniture factory, Woodstock, had the two middle fingers of his left hand nearly severed by a circular saw. Mr. Richard Restorick, of New York, has bought from his father, Frank Restorick, the east three-quarters of lot No. 11, and the east half of lot 11, Warwick, 250 acres, for \$9,000. George Mahler, of Bothwell; John

Mahler, of Chatham, and L. Mahler, of Delaware, have been to Forest, arranging to begin the apple evaporating business there as soon as the fruit is ready.

On Saturday evening the residence of Peter Boughner, of Orwell, was discovered to be on fire, and a depth of 1800 feet of the large cornice as the lawn social on the grounds adjoining, it burned to the ground.

Mrs. Ross, aged 80 years, and one of the oldest residents of Sandwich West, dropped dead Friday while on her way to visit a sick neighbor. She was the mother of James Ross, of the Malden road, with whom she had lived for some years.

Mr. B. B. Getty, of Rannoch, Blair-shard, was arraigned before Mayor Richardson and H. F. Sharp, J. P., at 11 o'clock on Friday on a charge of illegal liquor selling under a feature of the case Inspector Coppin. The case was adjourned to Sept. 13.

The boring for oil at Guelph still continues, but so far the indications are as favorable as anticipated. The drills have penetrated a depth of 1800 feet. In another day, unless the result is more favorable, the projectors will likely cease operations.

A contest for a gold-headed cane between James Anderson, representing the Liberals, and Dr. H. R. Casgrain, the Conservatives, will be a feature at a picnic at Elmstead next Thursday. Votes cost 25 cents each, and at present Anderson is leading by over 400.

Elwood Jacobs, a prominent hog buyer, of Woodstock, has removed to Hamilton with his family. Mr. Jacobs is one of the promoters and is largely interested in the big truck yards which are being built in Hamilton, which will be high equidarters henceforth.

The tangled litigation that was threatened as a result of a horse trade between Peter Moretsky and Adam Fenner, farmer, of Comber, has been settled without the assistance of the courts. Moretsky will return the horse repurchased and Fenner will drop the action for damages.

In the Lyell-Stevens shooting case, at Chatham, the coroner's jury found that Wm. Houston fired the fatal shot without serious intent, but was reckless and careless, knowing that there were persons in the immediate vicinity to the point of view to where the firing took place. Also, that it is a matter of serious regret that any suggestion should have been made or that he should have been permitted to take out the rifle on the night that the shooting occurred.

John Friar, who lives on con. 2, Ellice, about a mile and a half from Springville, was driving near Gadshill in a light cart, drawn by a pony, when the animal suddenly sprang forward and threw Mr. Friar out. Mr. Friar became tangled in the lines, and was dragged ten rods before the horse could be stopped. Several of his ribs were loosened, his spine was badly hurt, and he had received a bad cut in the calf of one of his legs. He was also found to be paralyzed from the waist downwards.

Some one threw a cigar stub in the dry grass by the roadside, in Raleigh, Kent county, the other day. The grass caught and set fire to the fences between Mr. Grant's place and James Holmes' and Thomas Crow. Even-thing was dry and the flames spread with great rapidity. The owners and neighbors turned out, and it was with difficulty the barns were saved. This was done, however, by plowing a strip across in the line of the fire. A field of standing corn also blocked the fire in another direction. As it was, however, all the barns of the farmers mentioned had a narrow escape.

The funeral of the widow of the late Andrew Monteith, ex-M.P., took place to Avondale cemetery, Stratford, on Sunday, and was one of the largest ever seen there. The deceased lady had reached the age of 72 years. Mr. and Mrs. John Dunmore, parents of Mr. Monteith, were citizens of Londonderry, Ireland, before emigrating to America in 1827. She was the first of the family born in America, on the 12th of July, shortly after the arrival of the family in the new world. There was a family of five brothers and two sisters. Joseph, the eldest, and William, the youngest of the family, both living in the township of Downie; John B. physician, and James, of Stratford. The deceased are Mrs. Wm. Bell, of Fairview, Mrs. John Stant, Athelstan, Quebec, and Ephraim, Stratford. In 1848 (at the age of 21) she came to Upper Canada from Quebec with her brother Joseph, where a few months later she met and married her late husband, Mr. Andrew Monteith. They were among the earliest settlers in Stratford. In 1860 they removed to the present homestead in Downie, where the remaining years of her useful life was spent. She was the mother of nine children—Mrs. Henson, Downie; John C. Stratford, William A. V. Downie; Jos. D. Stratford; Christian and Samuel J., on the homestead. The deceased members of the family are: Mrs. J. Tucker, Mrs. H. Monteith and Isabella.

The sultan's wives are divided into three classes; 5 of the first, 24 of the second, and 250 of the third.

Danger Lurks in Drinking Water. Bad Water One of the Most Fertile Sources of Diarrhea, Dysentery and Cholera Morbus.

At this time of the year, when the wells are low and the water in many sections of the country bad, there is always great danger of diarrhea, dysentery, cholera morbus, cholera, infantum, and all kinds of bowel diseases. Even the water supplied to towns and cities by a system of waterworks shows by chemical and microscopic analysis to contain more disease germs and impurities now than at any other season. People who suspect the water they drink to be bad, can prevent disease by adding about 15 drops of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry to every glass. It does not impart any perceptible taste to the water, or render it unpalatable. It does, however, destroy those germs and microbes which produce the severest and most dangerous types of bowel complaint. Those who have neglected this simple precaution and are suffering from diarrhea, dysentery, cholera morbus, or any bowel trouble through drinking impure water, will find this remedy will bring prompt relief from pain, and effect a permanent cure. There is just one word of caution we would give. See that the full name Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, is on every bottle.

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RAILWAYS AND NAVIGATION L. E. & D. R. R. Steamer Urania on each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday during season will leave Port Stanley for Cleveland, 11 p.m., returning leaves Cleveland 10 p.m. Sunday, Wednesday and Friday. Fare from London \$2, return \$3. Saturday 11 p.m. train catches boat for Cleveland. Saturday 10 Monday, return fare, \$1.50. Special tourist rates to points in Ohio and Pennsylvania. CAR FERRY, "SHENANGO NO. 1" on each Friday during the season will leave Port Stanley at 8 p.m. (except on Sunday) and arrive at Conneaut, Ohio, at 11 p.m. Returning leaves Conneaut, each Friday at 9 a.m. (except on Sunday), arriving at Port Stanley at 4 p.m. Fare, one way, from Port Stanley, \$1; return, \$2.

White Star Line Reduced Fares. New York to Liverpool via Queensdown

S.S. BRITANNIC, Aug. 30... Noon S.S. TETONIC, Sept. 6... Noon S.S. GERMANIC, Sept. 13... Noon S.S. CYMRIC, Sept. 19... 5 p.m. S.S. MAJESTIC, Sept. 27... Noon S.S. BRITANNIC, Sept. 27... Noon

SEASIDE EXCURSIONS. Montreal to St. John, N. B., and return... \$ 8 50 Montreal, N. B., and return... \$10 00 Summerside, P. E. I., and return... \$11 25 Charlottetown, P. E. I., and return... \$12 00 Pictou, N. S., and return... \$13 50 Mulgrave, N. S., and return... \$15 00 Sydney, C. B., and return... \$16 00 Tickets good going Aug. 28, 29, 30, 31, and leaving destination on or before Sept. 21, 1899.

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